



# **Treatment Options FOR TYPE 2 DM**

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## Agenda

Pathophysiology of diabetes  
Old antidiabetics  
New antidiabetics  
ADA 2020 guidelines  
Insulin therapy

## Treatment of Type 2 diabetes

- **Treatment process:**

Diet and exercise



Oral tablet(s)  
mono/combo

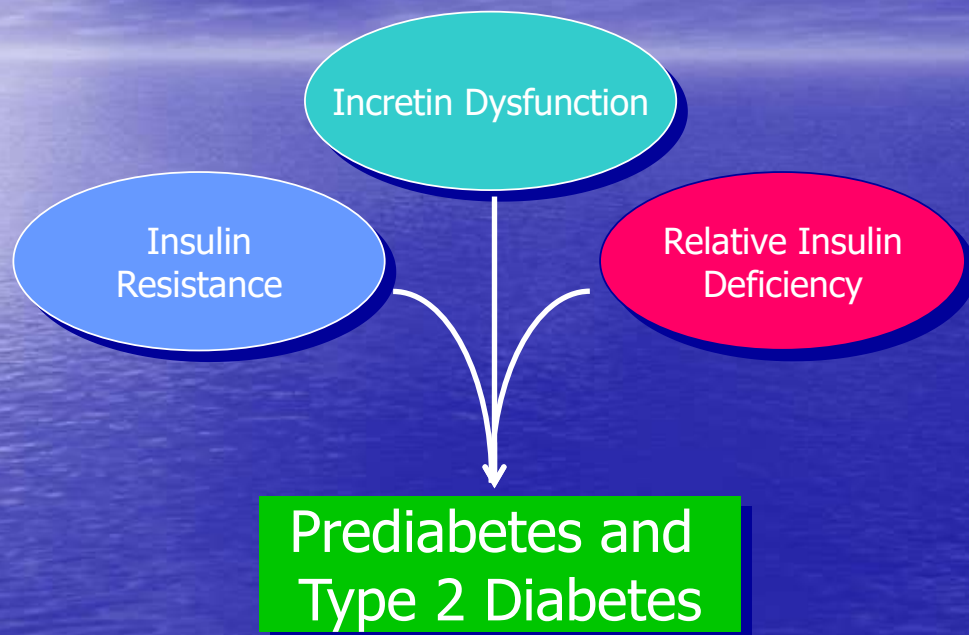


Insulin

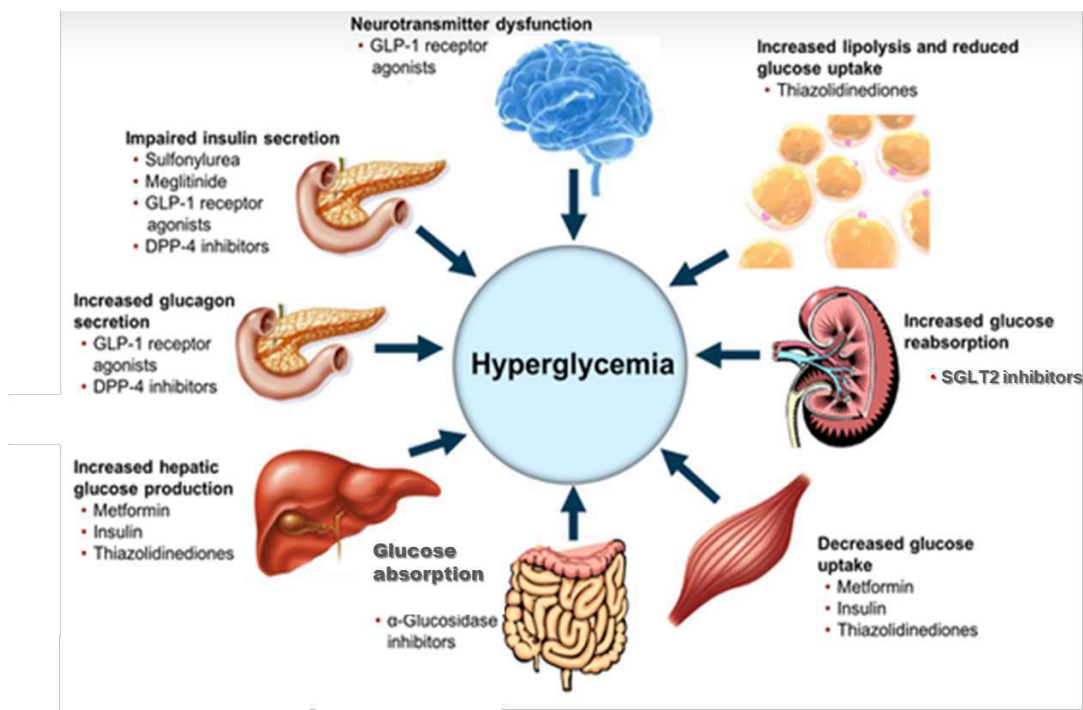


With  
OHA's or  
alone

# Redefining Pathophysiology of Type 2 Diabetes

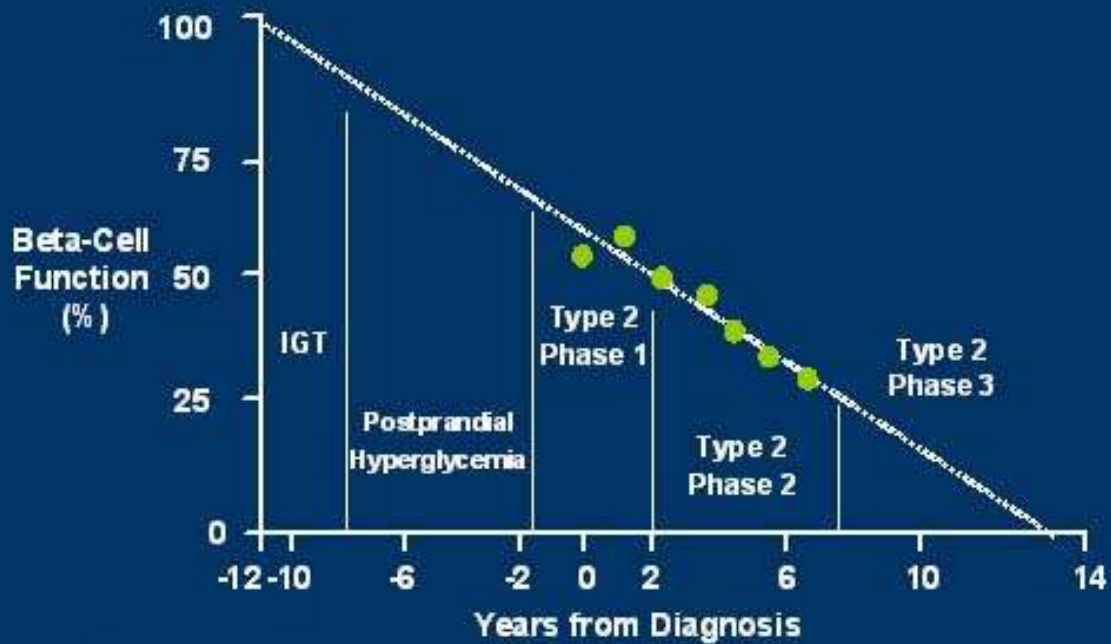


## Medications - Mechanism of action (The ominous octet )





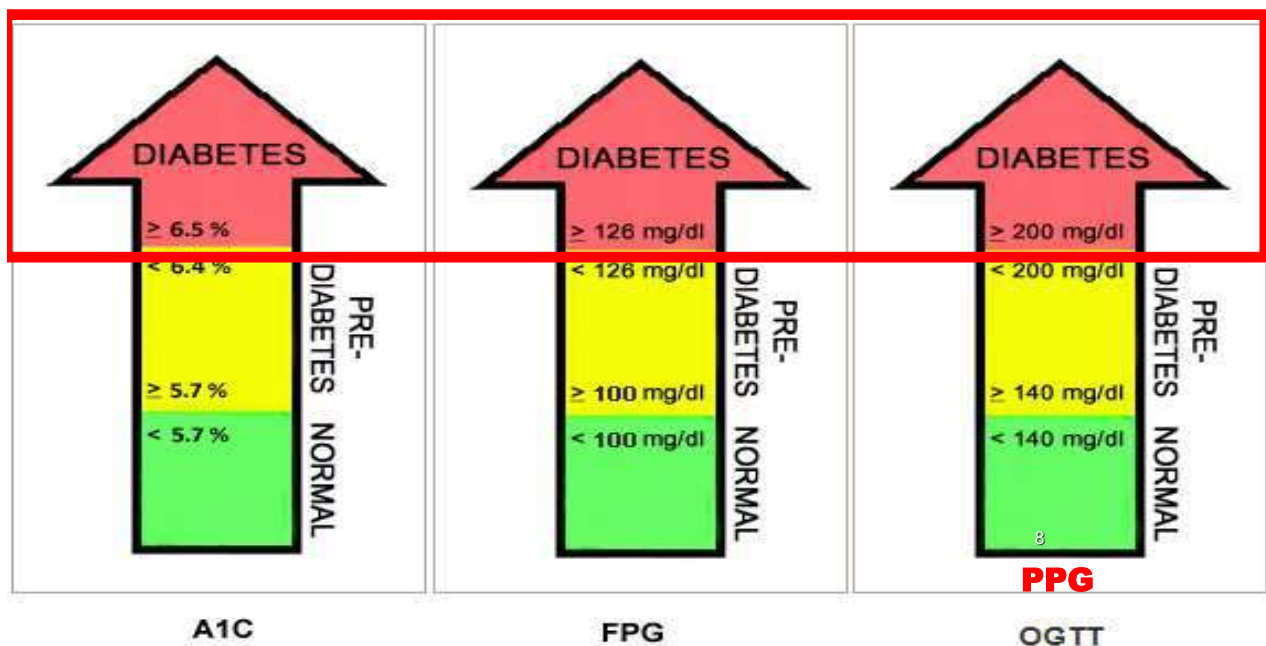
# Stages of Type 2 Diabetes Related to Beta-Cell Function



Adapted from Lebovitz HE. *Diabetes Reviews*. 1999;7(3).

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## Diagnosis of diabetes



# Glycemic Recommendations: Individualized Treatment

## A1C

- <7.0%\*

## Preprandial capillary plasma glucose

- 80–130 mg/dL\*  
(4.4–7.2 mmol/L)

## Peak postprandial capillary plasma glucose†

- <180 mg/dL\*  
(<10.0 mmol/L)

\* More or less stringent glycemic goals may be appropriate for individual patients. Goals should be individualized based on duration of diabetes, age/life expectancy, comorbid conditions, known CVD or advanced microvascular complications, hypoglycemia unawareness, and individual patient considerations.

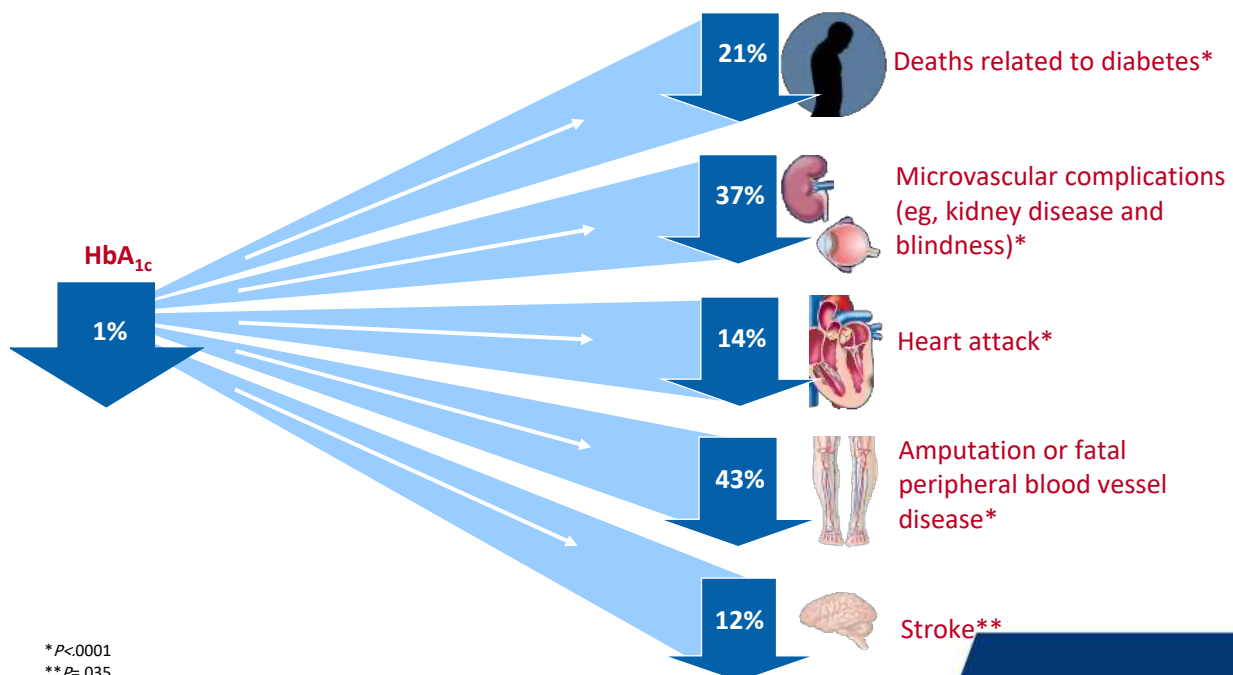
† Postprandial glucose measurements should be made 1–2 h after the beginning of the meal, generally peak levels in patients with diabetes

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American Diabetes Association. 9

## UKPDS : Glycemic Control Reduces Complications

Epidemiological extrapolation showing benefit of a 1% reduction in mean HbA<sub>1c</sub>



\*  $P < .0001$

\*\*  $P = .035$

Stratton IM *et al.* UKPDS 35. *BMJ* 2000; 321: 405–412

## Pharmacotherapy Options

Traditional Commonly Used	Traditional Not Commonly Used	Newer Commonly Used	Newer Not Commonly Used
Biguanides	AGIs	DPP-4 inhibitors	Dopamine agonists
Sulfonylureas	Glinides	GLP-1 agonists	Amylinomimetic
Thiazolidinediones		SGLT-2 inhibitors	Bile acid sequestrant
Insulin			

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## Insulin Sensitizers

- Metformin  
(Biguanides)
- Thiazolidinediones  
(TZD)

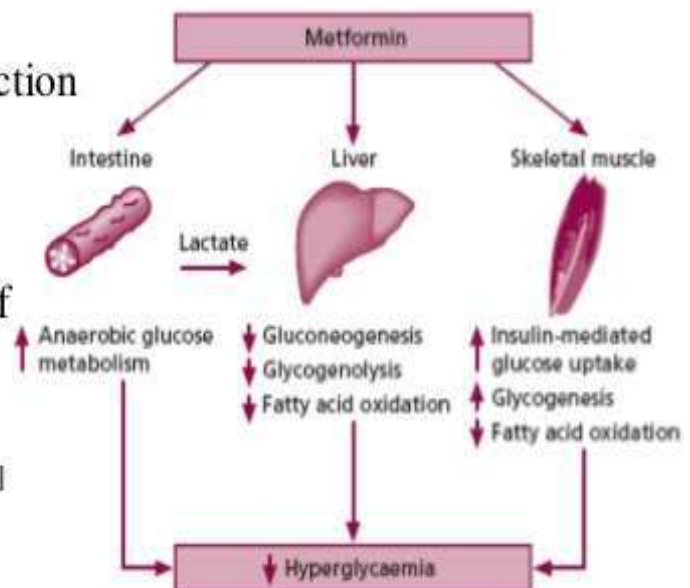


# Biguanides: Metformin

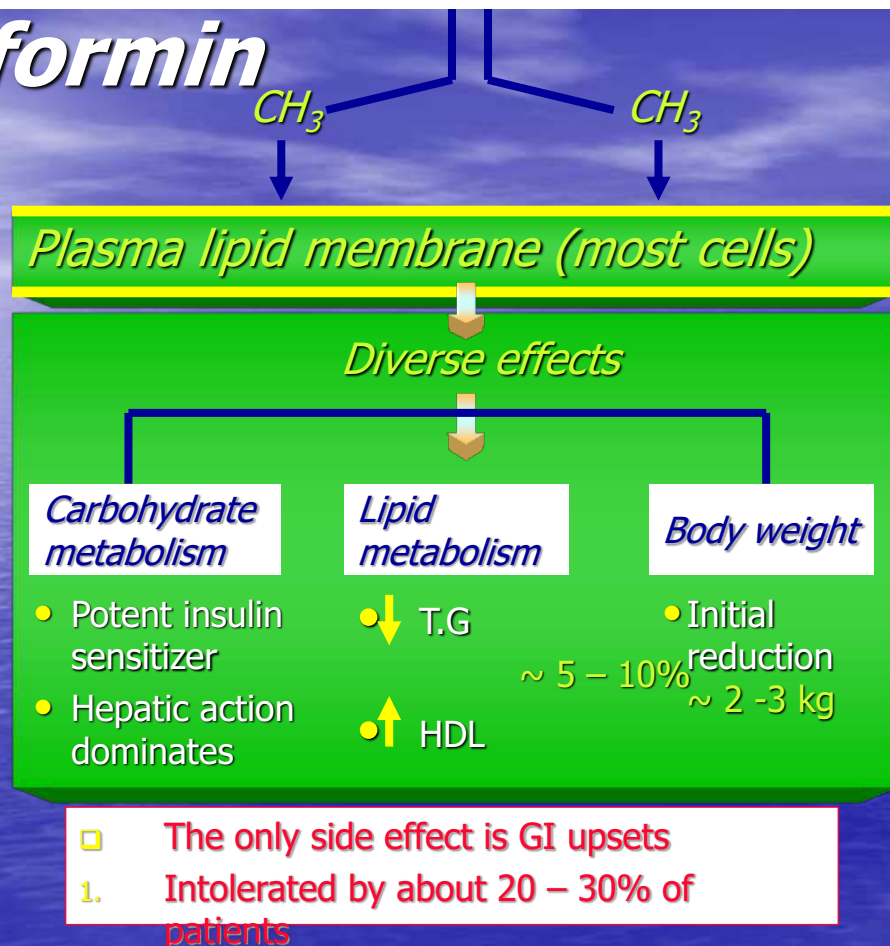
## Sites of Action of Metformin

### MECHANISM OF ACTION

- Decrease hepatic glucose production through a mild inhibition of the mitochondrial respiratory-chain complex 1.[2]
- Decrease intestinal absorption of glucose
- anti-oxidative properties of metformin on endothelial cells[2]



# Metformin



## Metformin

- Weight neutral
- Low cost
- GI side effects common ( $\sim 30\%/5\%$ )
  - Slow titration and administration with meals
  - Consider extended release
- Vitamin B12 malabsorption
- Cardioprotective?



## Updated Guidelines For Use in CKD Patients

- Contraindicated eGFR < 30
- Starting with eGFR 30-45 is not recommended
- Obtain eGFR at least annually
  - More often if at risk to develop renal impairment
- If eGFR later falls below 45 assess risks vs benefits
- Discontinue if eGFR later falls below 30
- The National Kidney Foundation recommends using the CKD-EPI Creatinine Equation to estimate GFR



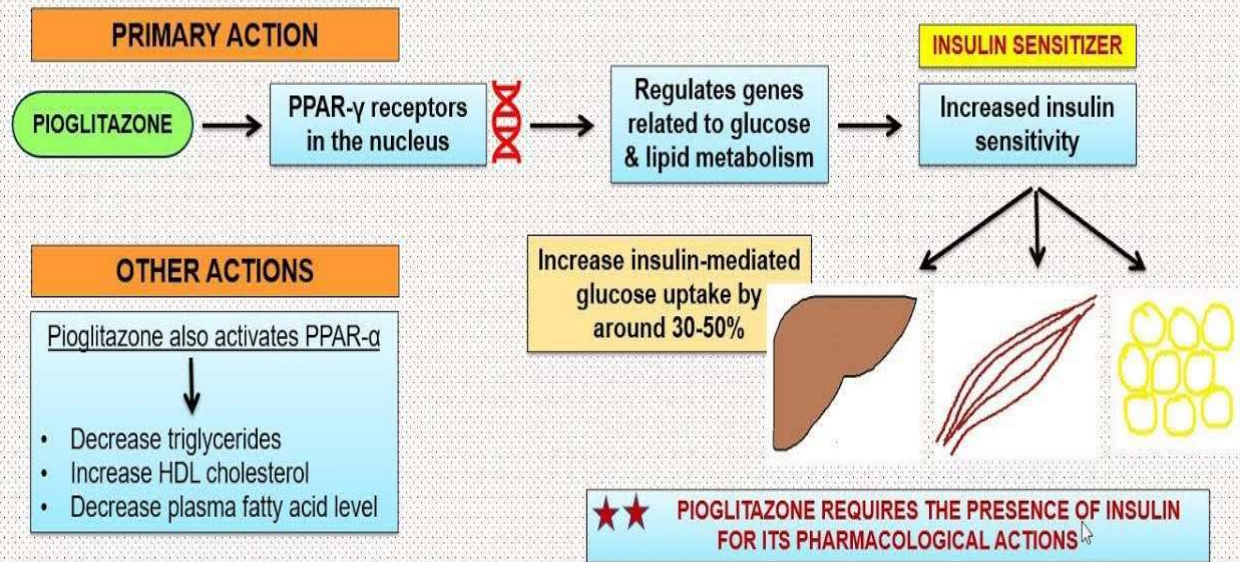
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**Thiozolidinediones**  
**(GLITAZONES)**  
**(TZD)**

# WHAT IS PIOGLITAZONE?

- Oral antidiabetic drug
- Belongs to the Thiazolidinedione class
- 2 members currently available – Pioglitazone & Rosiglitazone
- Ligand of the nuclear receptor - peroxisome proliferator activator receptor- $\gamma$  (PPAR- $\gamma$ ) in liver, muscle and adipose tissue



## Thiazolidinediones

- Directly reduce insulin resistance
  - Targets fasting and postprandial hyperglycemia
- No hypoglycemia
- No renal metabolism
- Indirect markers of CVD
- $\beta$ -cell preservation



# Thiazolidinediones

- Weight gain
- Edema
- Anemia
- Bone fractures
- Bladder cancer
- Cardiovascular affects
- Max dose with strong inhibitors of CYP2C8  
(gemfibrozil) pioglitazone 15 mg

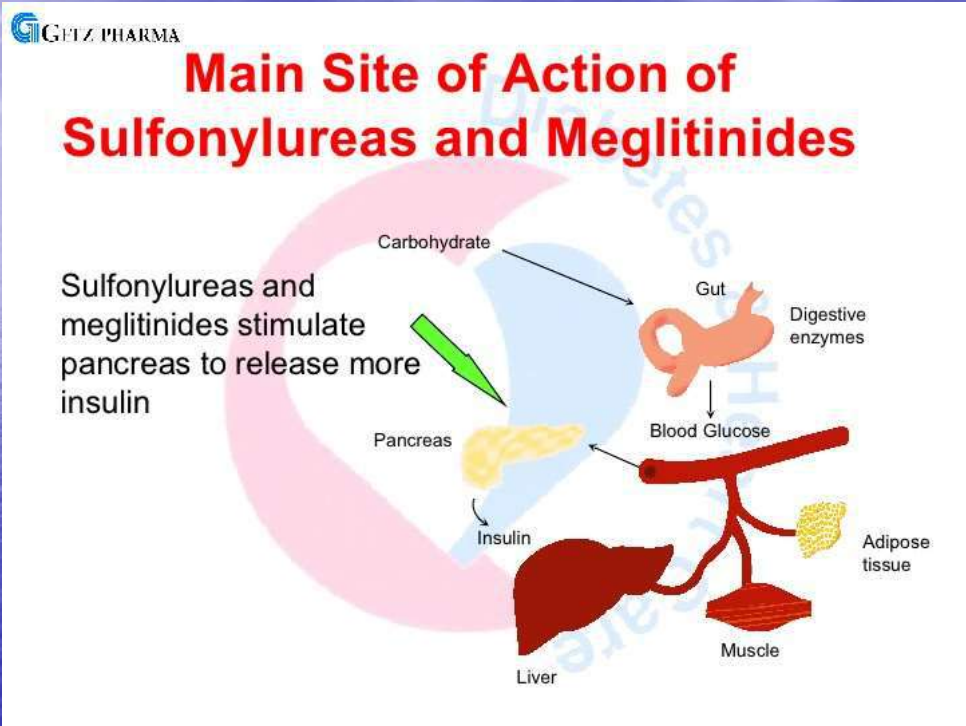
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## SECRETAGOUGES

- Sulphonylureas
- GLINIDES



# Sites of Action of Sulphonylureas



Glibenclamide , Gliclaside (MR))  
Glimiperide

## Sulphonylureas: Mode of action

- Bind to beta cell in pancreas
  - stimulate endogenous insulin secretion
- Some also increase insulin action at cells i.e. address the problem of insulin resistance

# Sulfonylureas

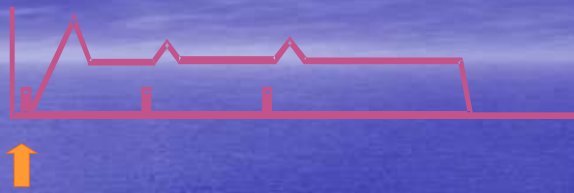
- ~~1<sup>st</sup> Generation~~
  - Chlorpropamide, tolazamide, acetohexamide or tolbutamide
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Generation
  - Glyburide, glipizide or glimepiride
- Can target fasting hyperglycemia/postprandial
  - Enhance insulin secretion

# Sulfonylureas

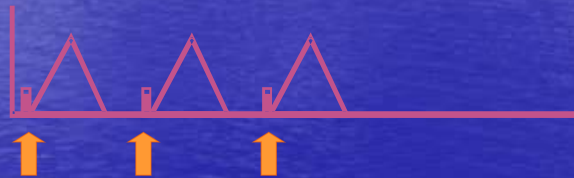
- Secondary failure rate
- Hypoglycemia
  - Elderly
  - Impaired renal function
  - Irregular meal schedule
- Weight gain
- Low cost
- Increase cardiovascular events?

# Glinides Vs SUs

**SUs**



**Glinides**



- ☐ Short Acting, meal related, **no meal no tablet**
- ☐ Better control of prandial glucose but less effective on fasting
- ☐ More flexibility fitting free life style

## Repaglinide and Nateglinide

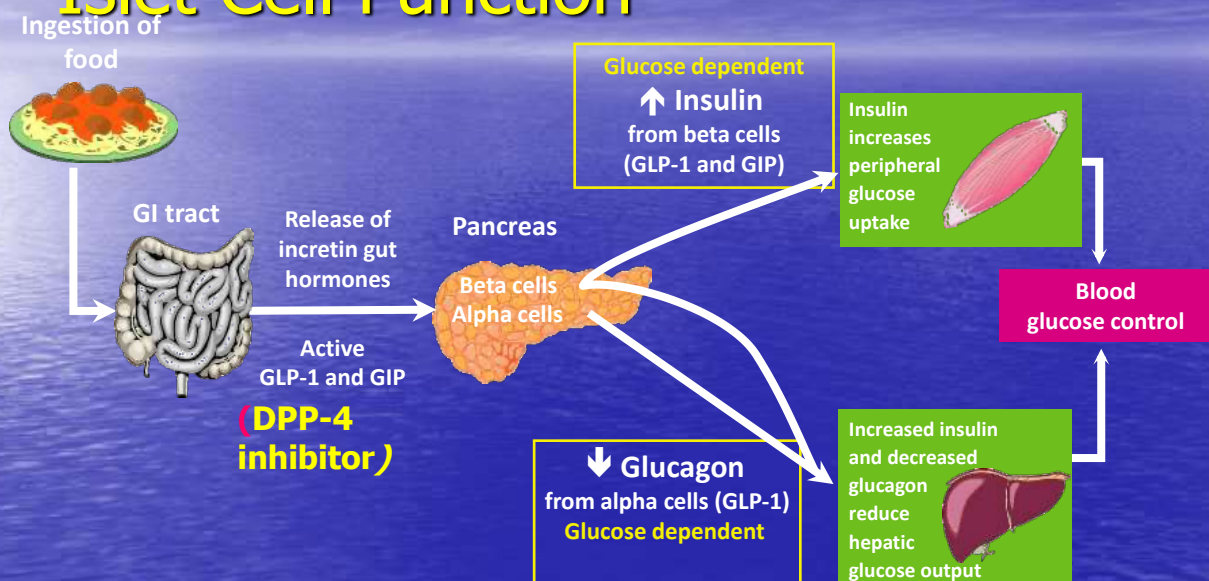
- Targets postprandial hyperglycemia
  - Stimulates insulin secretion
  - Rapid onset; short acting
- No dose adjustment in renal insufficiency
- Less hypoglycemia than sulfonylureas
- No sulfa moiety



# Gut Hormones Incretin

**DPP-4 inhibitors (oral)**  
**GLP -1 RA (injectable)**

## Incretins Regulate Glucose Homeostasis Through Effects on Islet Cell Function



Adapted from Brubaker PL, Drucker DJ *Endocrinology* 2004;145:2653–2659; Zander M et al *Lancet* 2002;359:824–830; Åhrén B *Curr Diab Rep* 2003;3:365–372; Buse JB et al. In *Williams Textbook of Endocrinology*. 10th ed. Philadelphia, Saunders, 2003:1427–1483.

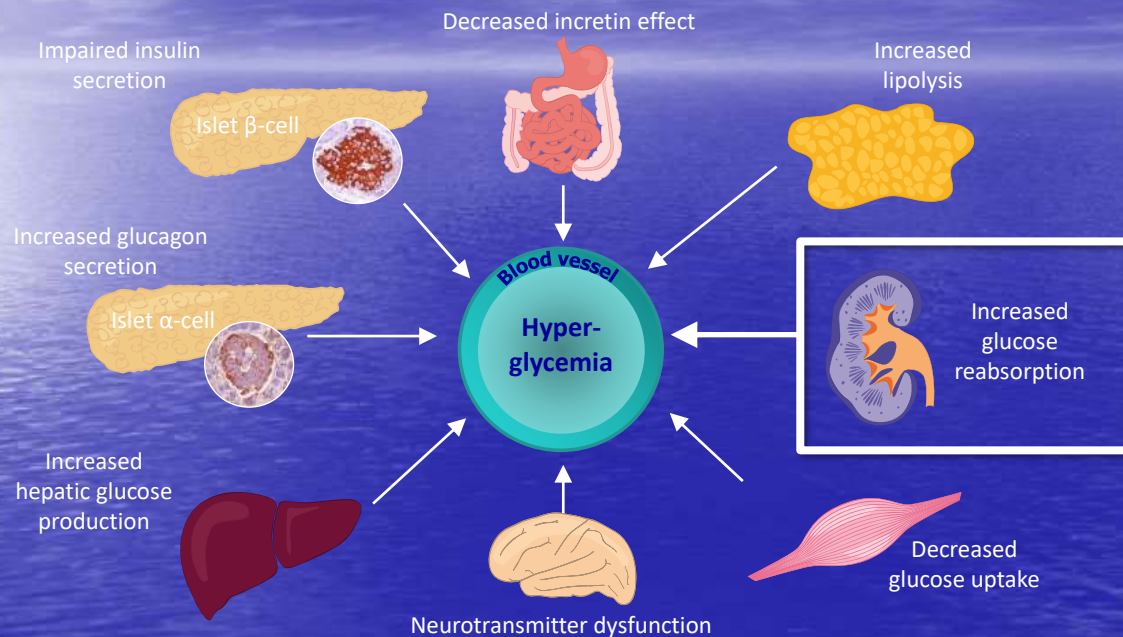
# DPP4 Inhibitors

- No significant hypoglycemia or weight gain
- Most common ADRs: URI, nasopharyngitis, headache
- No head-to-head trials
- Neutral CV outcomes/CHF
- Can be used in CKD/ESRD with dose adjusted

“ SGLT-2 Inhibitors:  
New Treatment Options in  
Individualized T2D Management ”

Sodium glucose transporter 2  
inhibitors

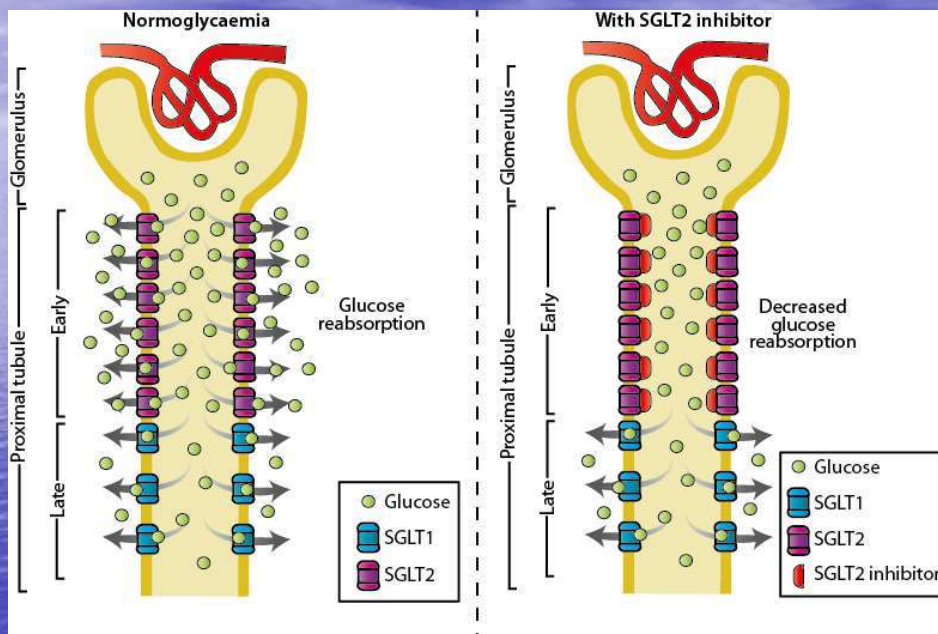
# Multiple Pathophysiological Failures Contribute to Hyperglycaemia: The 'Ominous Octet'



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## SGLT2 Inhibition: A Novel Approach to Reduce Hyperglycaemia



SGLT2 inhibition decreases plasma glucose by increasing urinary glucose excretion  
Canagliflozin is a potent inhibitor of SGLT2



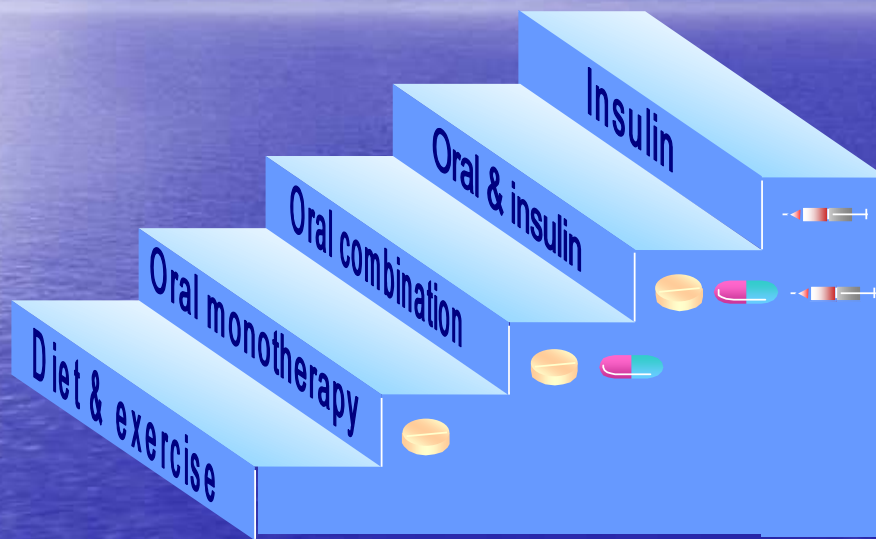
# SGLT-2 Inhibitors

- Mechanism is not insulin-dependent
- Reduction of weight and BP
- Increased genital mycotic infections
- Cannot be used with reduced eGFR
- Hyperkalemia, renal insufficiency, hypotension and LDL elevation

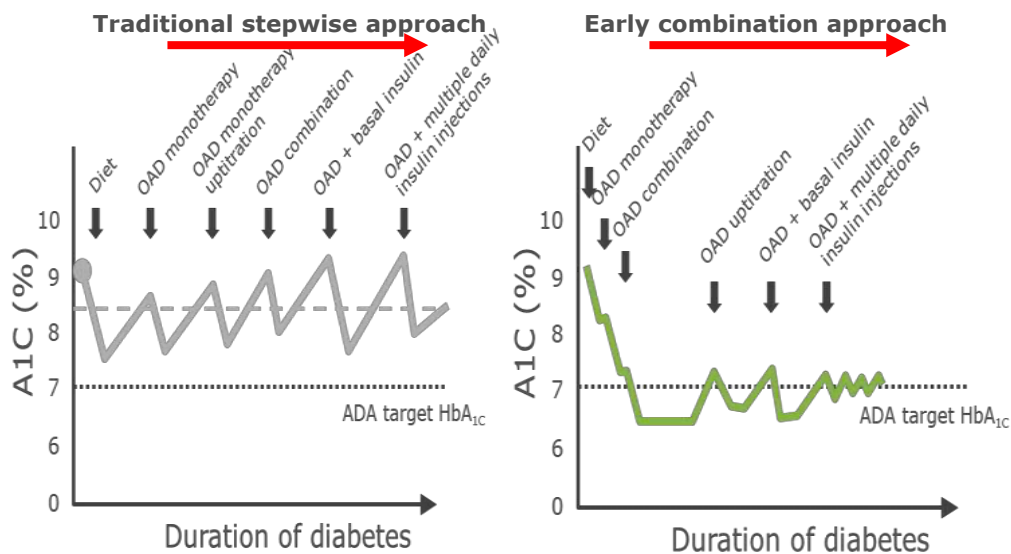
# SGLT-2 Inhibitors

- Euglycemic diabetic ketoacidosis
- Bladder cancer incidence higher with dapagliflozin
- Amputations higher with canagliflozin
- Non significant incidence of bone fx
- CV benefits with empagliflozin in patients with established cv disease

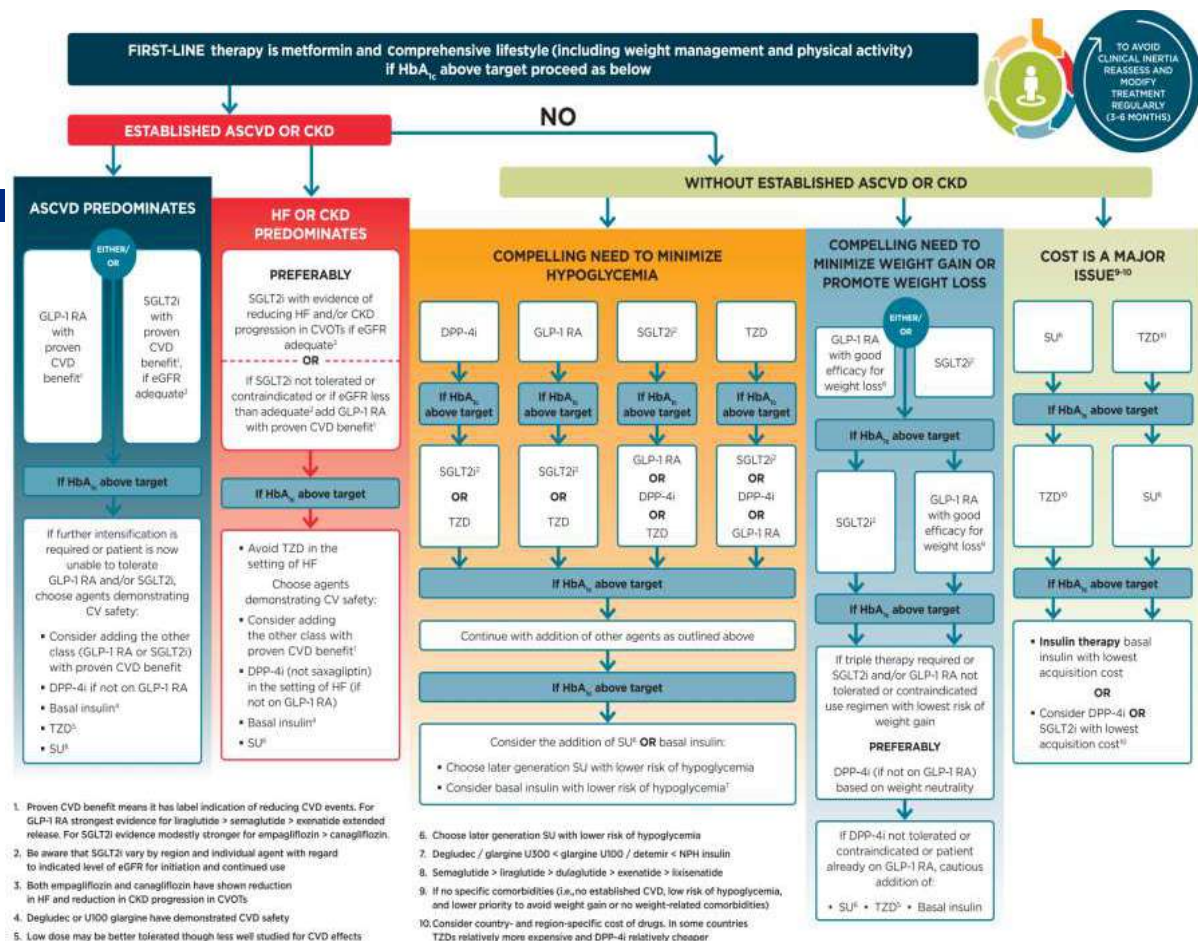
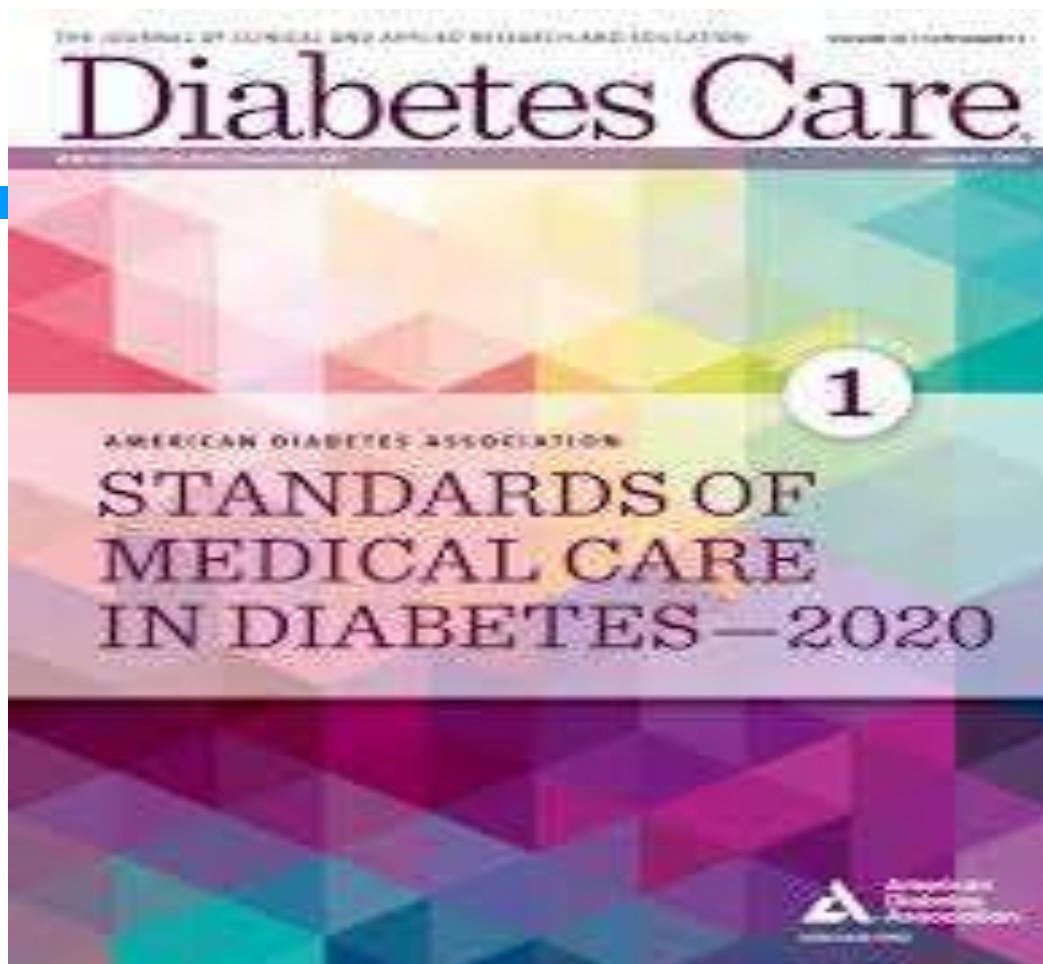
# Stepped management of type 2 diabetes



## Early Intensive Treatment is Important in Management of Glycemia in T2DM

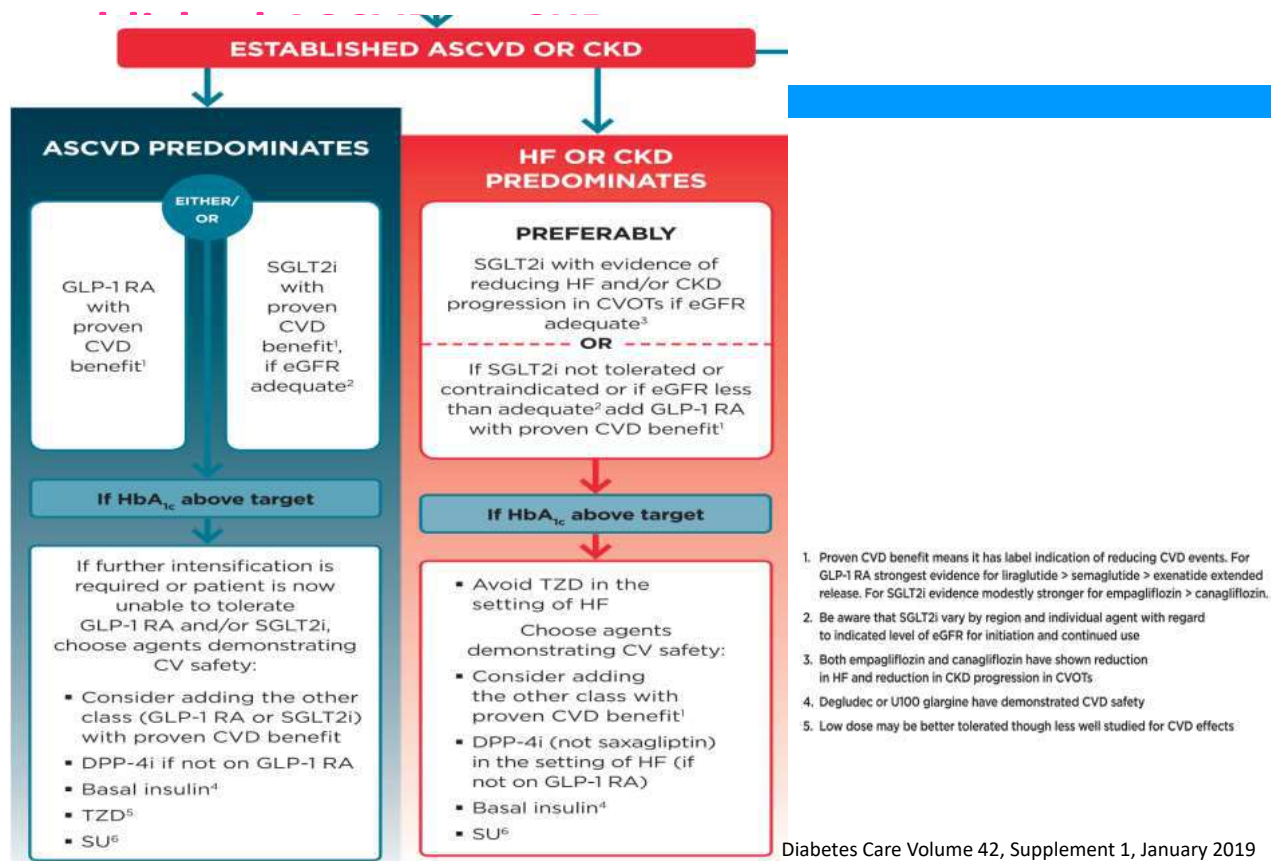


**Early intensive treatment can minimize the hyperglycemia that underlies complications of T2DM**

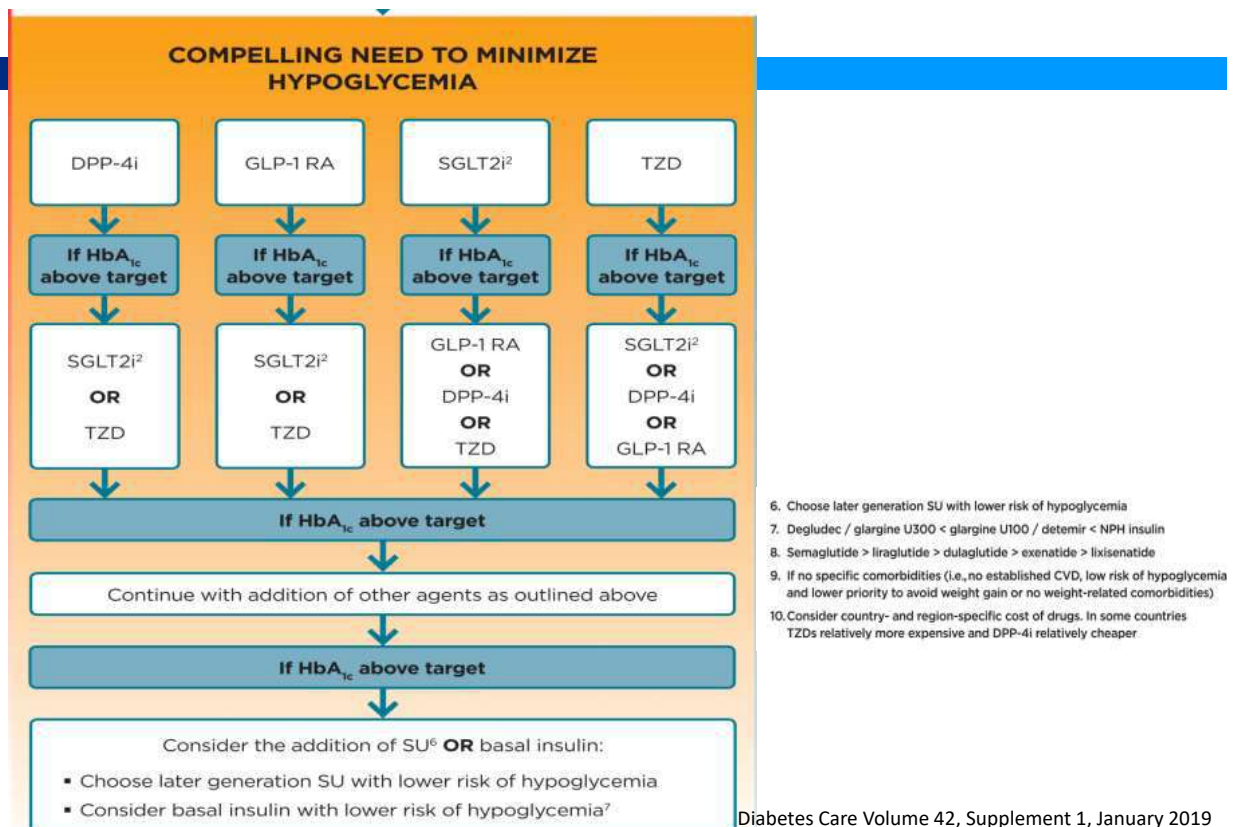




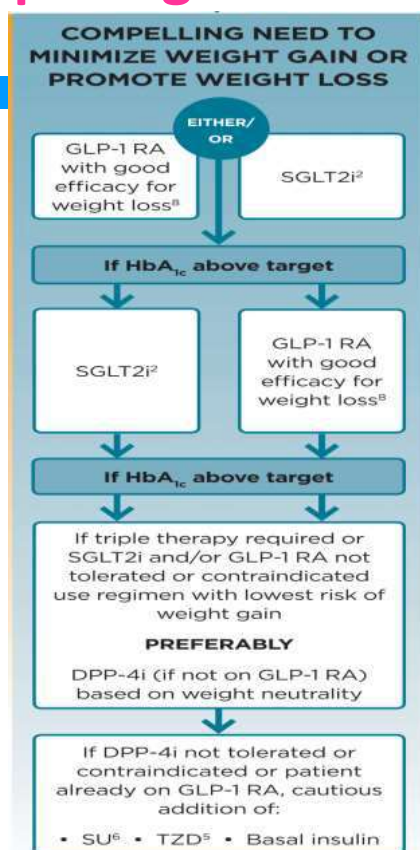
# Epatients with Established ASCVD OR CKD



# Compelling need to minimize hypoglycemia

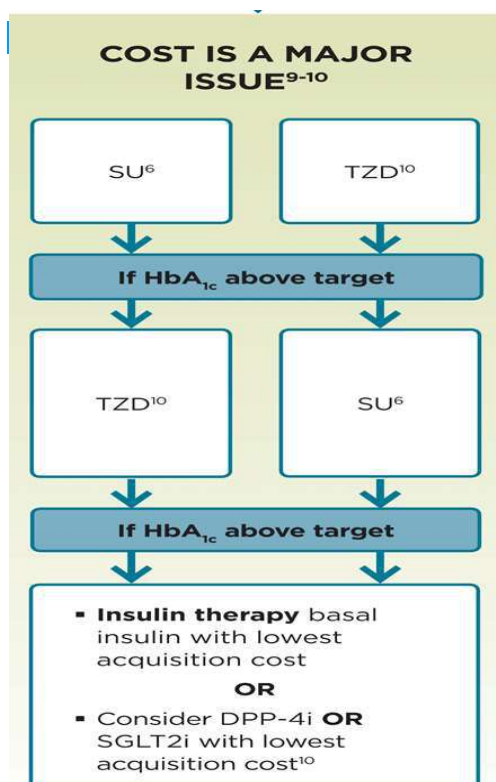


## Compelling need to minimize weight gain



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## When the cost is a major issue



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# Insulin Therapy in DM2: Indications

- Significant hyperglycemia at presentation
- Hyperglycemia on effective doses of oral agents
- Intolerance of orals
- Need more flexibility
- Renal or hepatic disease
- Surgery
- Pregnancy
- Unable to afford orals
- Decompensation
  - Acute injury, stress, infection, myocardial ischemia, stroke
  - Hyperglycemia with ketones, weight loss
  - Use of diabetogenic medications

## Adding Insulin

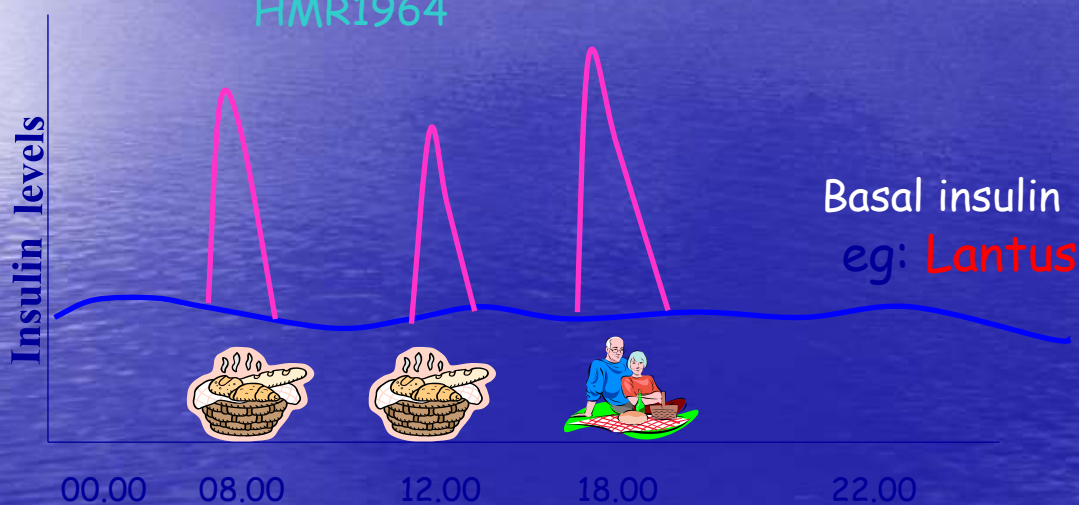
- **HOW?**
  - Simple initiation: single injection (NPH or glargine ), single AM blood glucose measurement.

# Insulin Therapy in Type 2 Diabetes

- Basal Insulin Therapy.(
- Bedtime intermediate insulin (NPH or lente).
- Long-acting insulin (ultralente or insulin glargine).
- Insulin pump (CSII) basal delivery.

## Basal Bolus Therapy

Prandial insulin  
eg: Lispro; Aspart; R  
HMR1964



**The future:  
can type 2 diabetes  
be prevented and treated?  
Diabetes remission**

**MCQ**

A-Oral antidiabetic use in obese patients :

- 1- Sulfonylurea
- 2- Insulin
- 3- TZD
- 4- SGTI2

B- Oral antidiabetic suitable in patient with renal impairment (eGFR<30:

- 1-Metformin
- 2--DPP4I
- 3- SGLT2I
- 4-Insulin



C-Target of management of diabetes : •

- 1-Fasting BG  $>170$  mg/dl
- 2- HbA<sub>1c</sub>  $>9\%$
- 3-PP BG 150-180 mg/dl
- 4- HbA<sub>1c</sub>  $<6\%$

D-Indication of insulin therapy in type 2 diabetes

- Obese patient
- Hypertensive patient
- Pregnant diabetic woman
- Patients with thyrotoxicosis

