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EFFORT II (NCT04926597)

Effect of Continued Nutritional Support at Hospital Discharge on Mortality, Frailty, Functional Outcomes and Recovery

Campione pianificato: **1'200 partecipanti**

Termine stimato: fine 2026



Individualised nutritional support in medical inpatients at nutritional risk: a randomised clinical trial

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Summary

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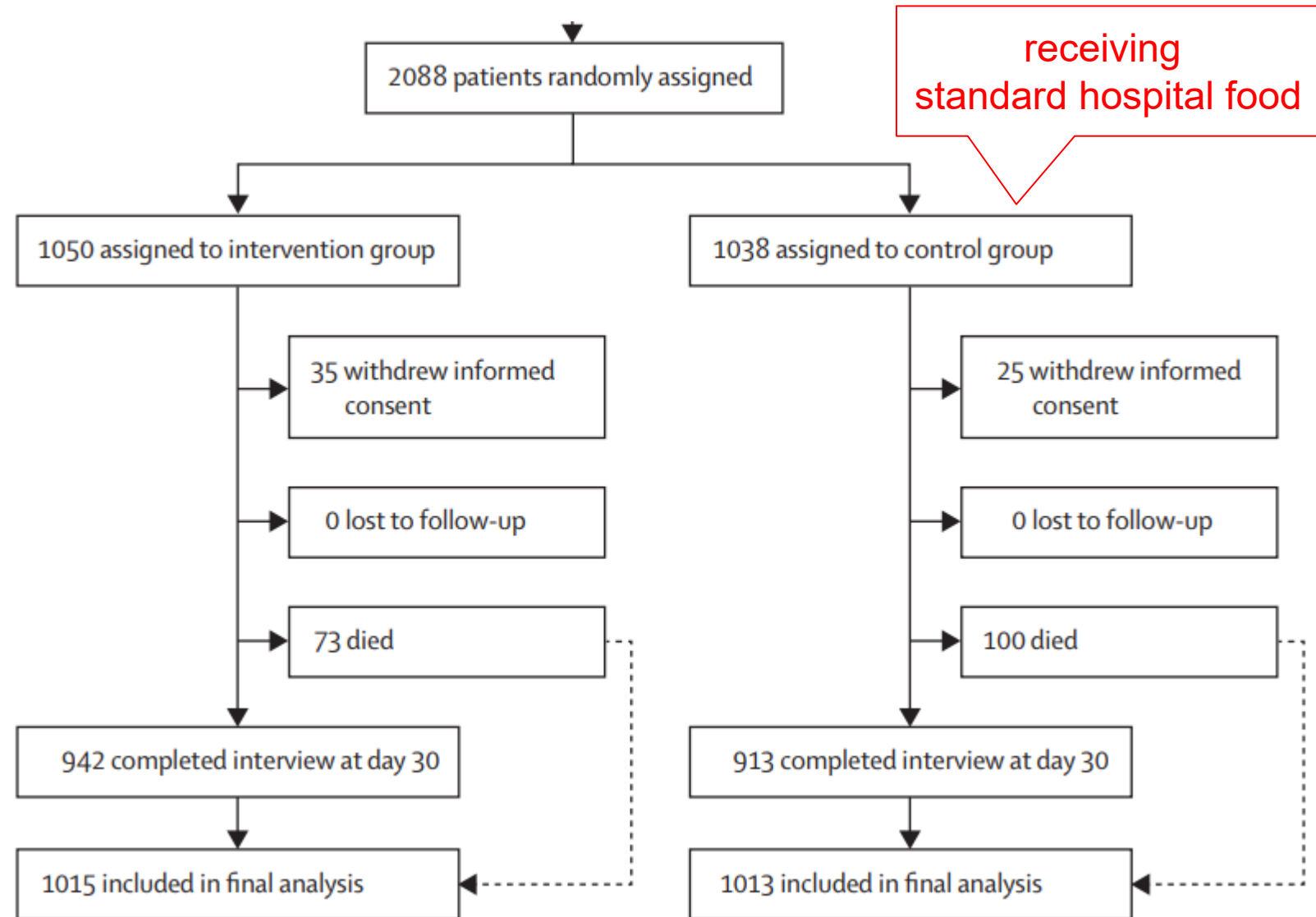
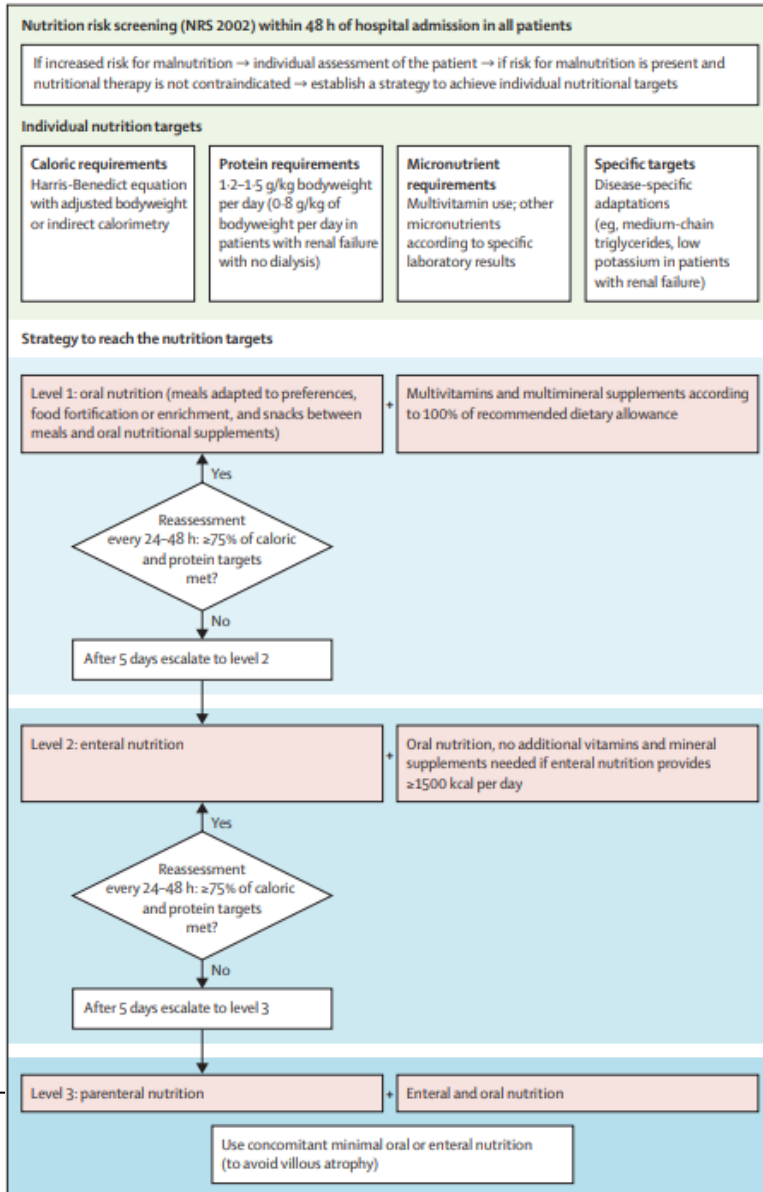
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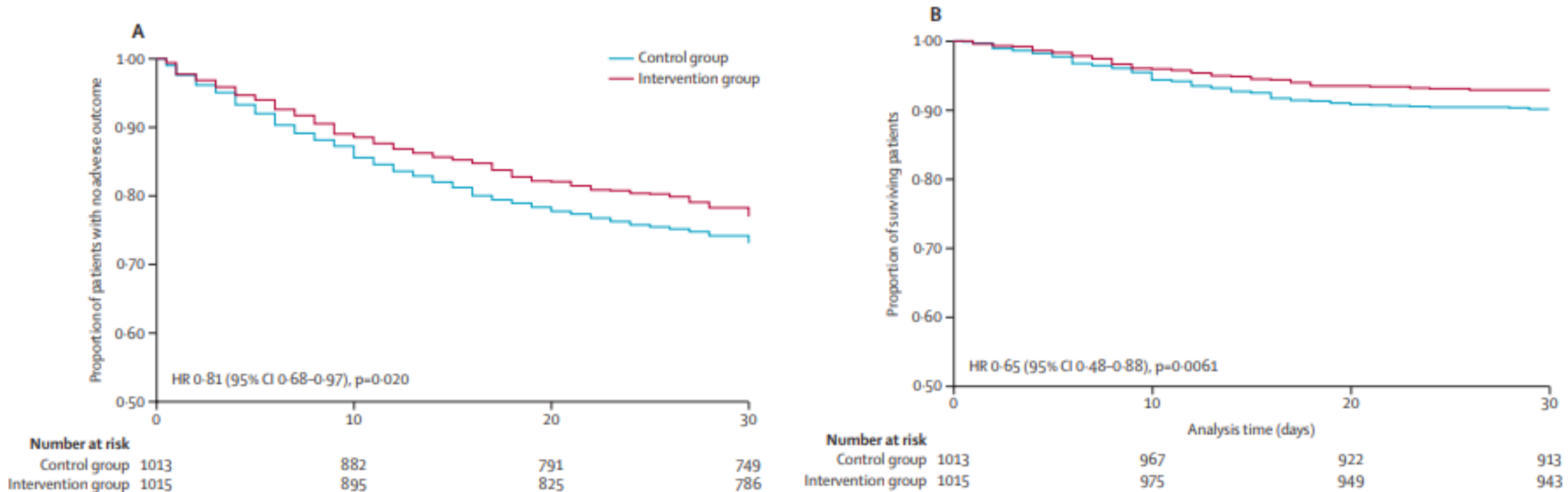
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Background Guidelines recommend the use of nutritional support during hospital stays for medical patients (patients not critically ill and not undergoing surgical procedures) at risk of malnutrition. However, the supporting evidence for this recommendation is insufficient, and there is growing concern about the possible negative effects of nutritional therapy during acute illness on recovery and clinical outcomes. Our aim was thus to test the hypothesis that protocol-guided individualised nutritional support to reach protein and caloric goals reduces the risk of adverse clinical outcomes in medical inpatients at nutritional risk.

Effort-Trial



Effort-Trial: results



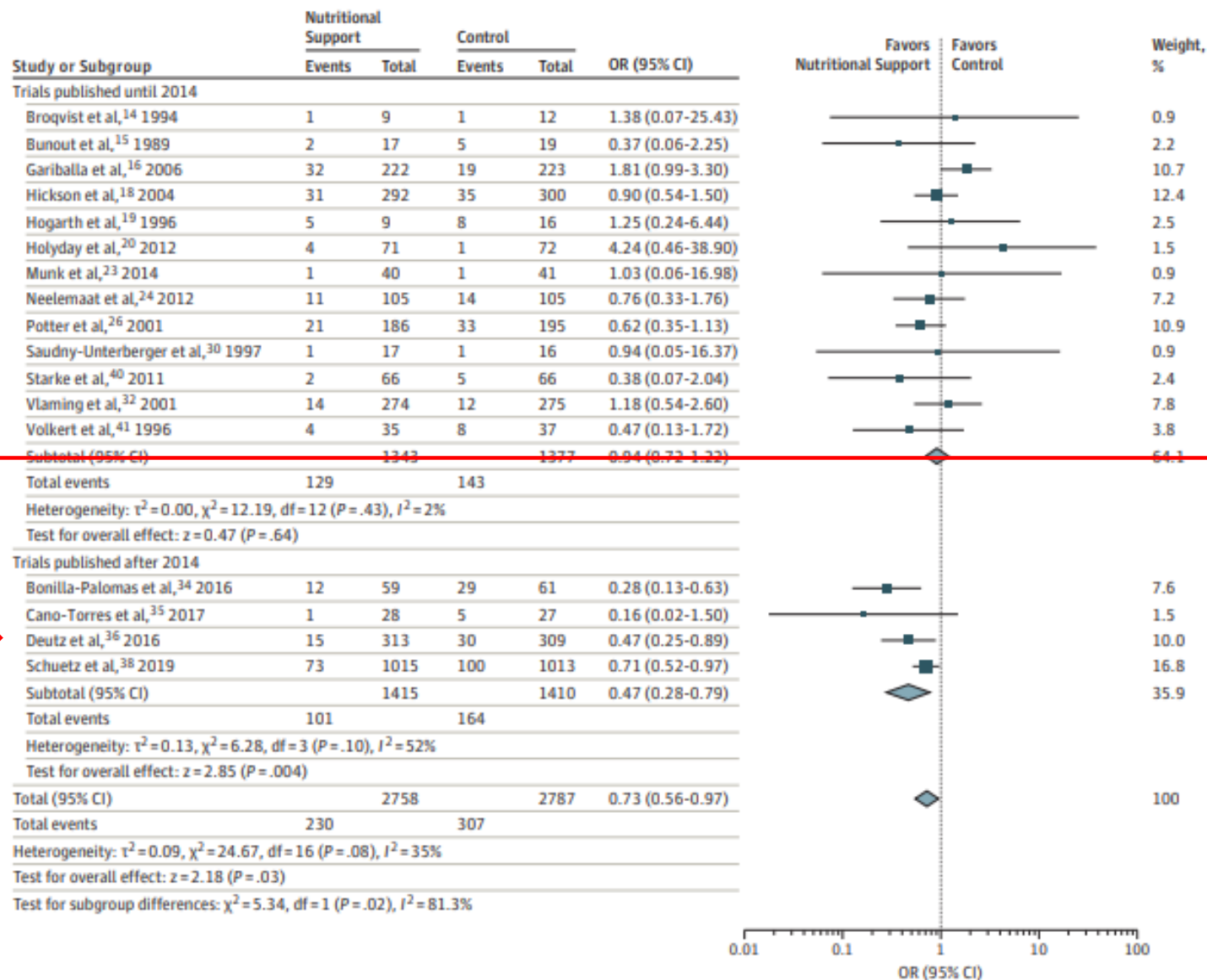
Kaplan-Meier estimates of the cumulative incidence of the primary endpoint and all-cause mortality (A) Time to the first event of the composite primary endpoint (log-rank p value=0.035). (B) Time to death (log-rank p value=0.031).

Association of Nutritional Intervention vs Control for Mortality Among Medical Inpatients or at Nutritional Risk: An Updated Systematic Review

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Abstract

Figure 1. Forest Plot Comparing Nutritional Intervention vs Control for Mortality, Stratified by Publication Year



A Mantel-Haenszel random-effects model was used. Squares indicate mean values, with the size of squares reflecting the weight and the lines indicating 95% CIs. Diamonds indicate pooled estimates, with horizontal points of the diamonds indicating 95% CIs. OR indicates odds ratio.

Paziente malnutrito:



Applied nutritional investigation

Phase angle is associated with length of hospital stay, readmissions, mortality, and falls in patients hospitalized in internal-medicine wards: A retrospective cohort study

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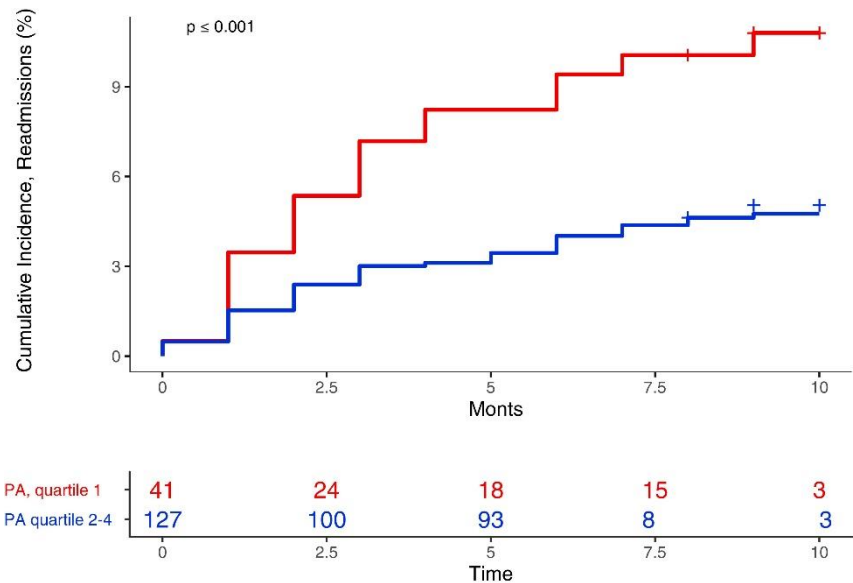


Fig. 1. Cumulative incidence of readmissions according to PA quartiles: quartile 1 (red line) compared with quartiles 2 to 4 (blue line).

P value by log rank. PA, phase angle.

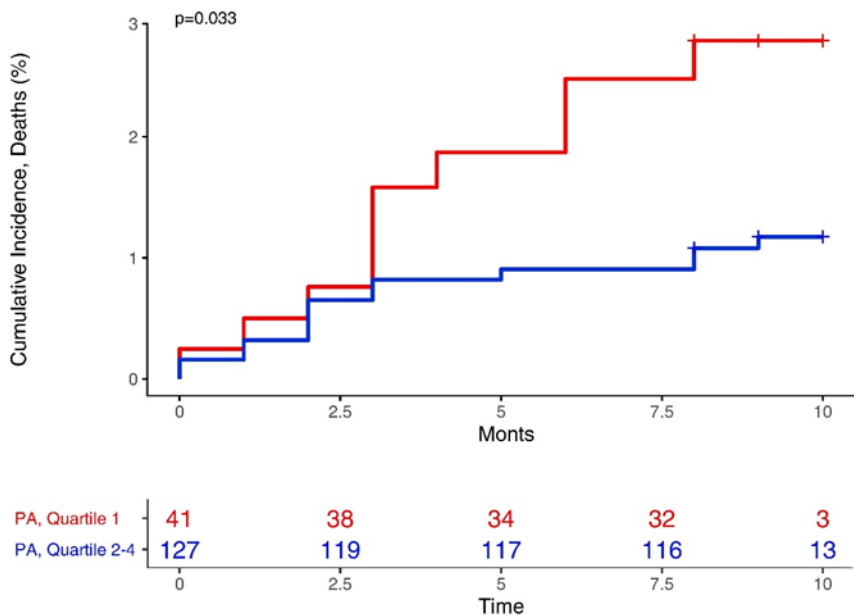





Fig. 2. Survival curves, stratified by PA quartile: cumulative incidence of deaths in quartile 1 (red line) compared with quartiles 2 to 4 (blue line). P value by log rank. PA, phase angle.

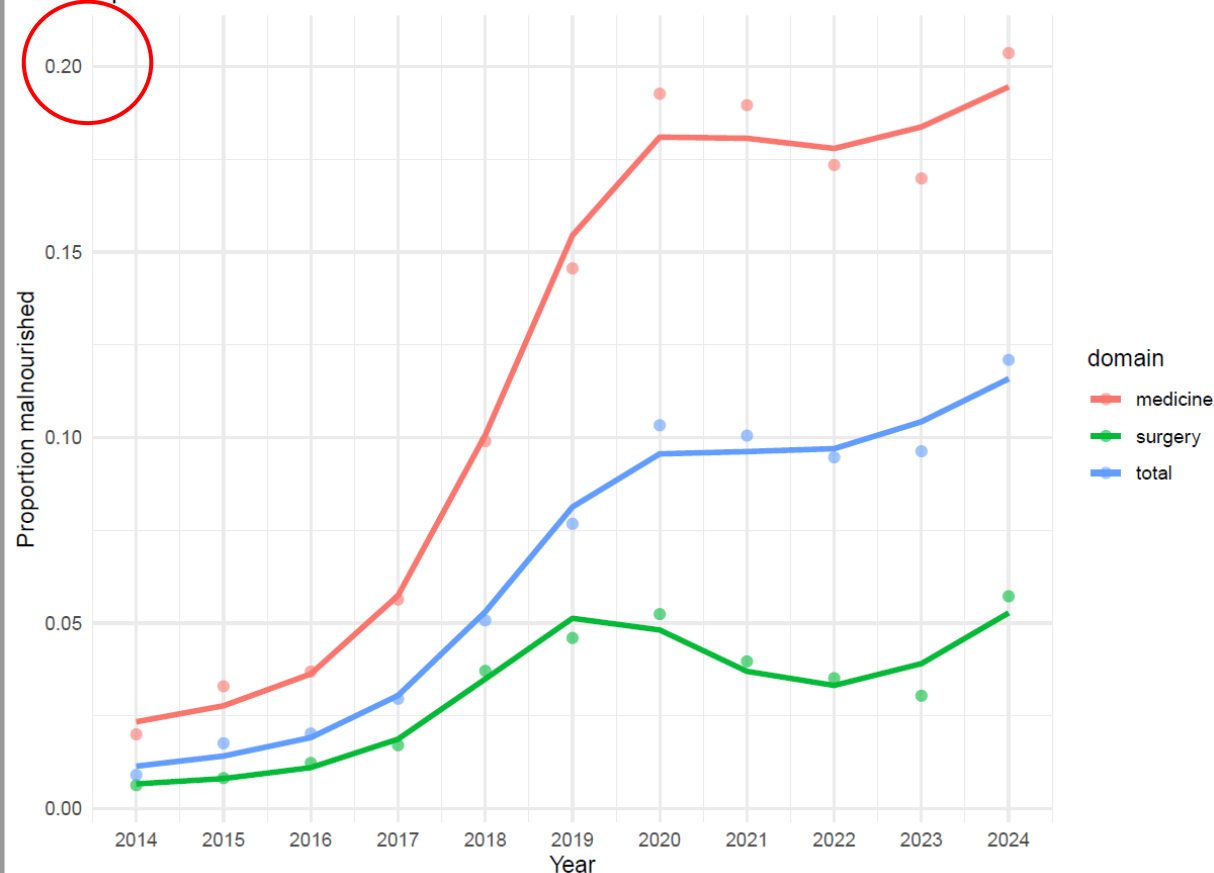
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An 11-Year Retrospective Analysis of the Prevalence of Malnutrition Diagnosis at Discharge in a Multi-Site Hospital: The Impact of Introducing a Clinical Nutrition Service

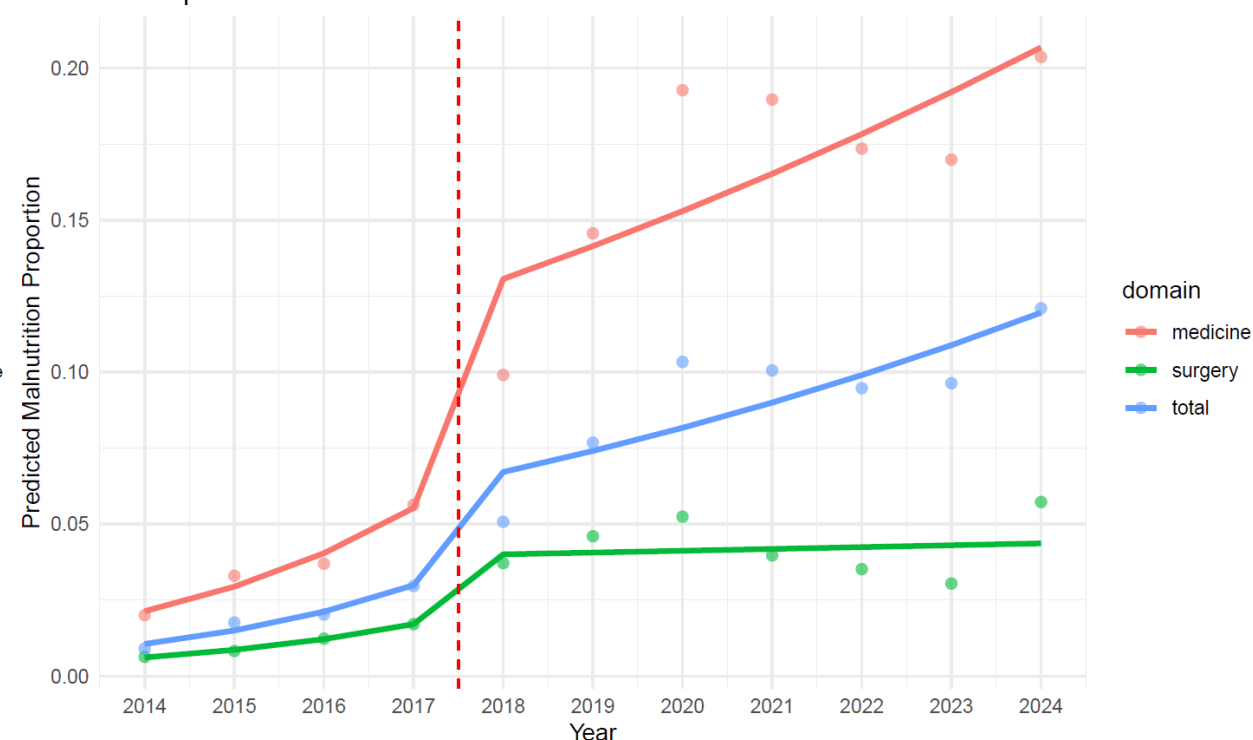
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Spline-based estimation of malnutrition trends across domains



Interrupted Time Series – Nutrition Service Introduction



Effect of Continued Nutritional support at Hospital Discharge on Mortality, Frailty, Functional Outcomes and Recovery Trial: The EFFORT II Project

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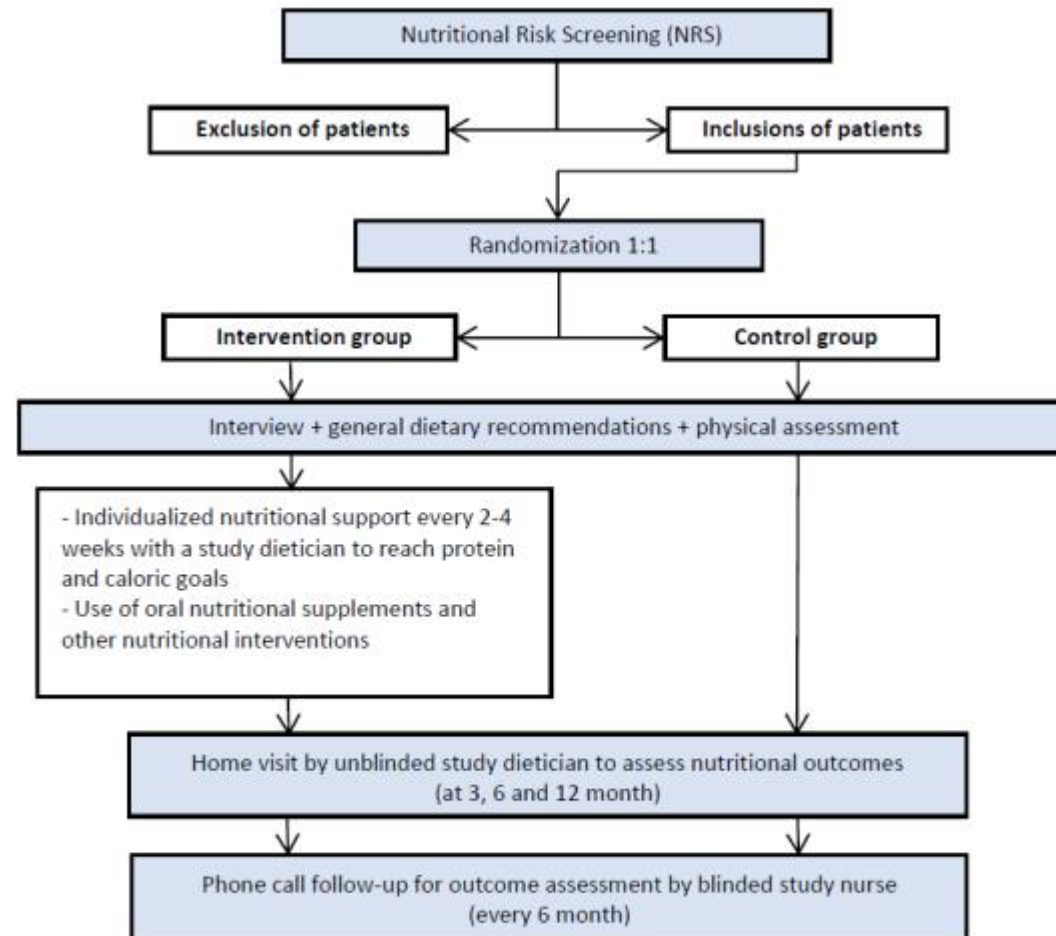


Fig. 1: EFFORT II Study Flow Chart

Malnutrizione: Take home messages

- FREQUENTE NEI NOSTRI PAZIENTI POLIMORBIDI
- DOBBIAMO RILEVARLA
- PRENDERLA A CARICO RIDUCE LA MORBI-MORTALITA'
- ASPETTIAMO I RISULTATI DELLO STUDIO EFFORT-II



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- What's new in ... **Exercise to prevent sarcopenia in older adults (May 2025)**

the ineffectiveness of strength programs
that do not emphasize robust exercises
with progressive increases in load.

CLINICAL INVESTIGATION

Effect of vitamin D, omega-3 supplementation, or a home exercise program on muscle mass and sarcopenia: DO-HEALTH trial

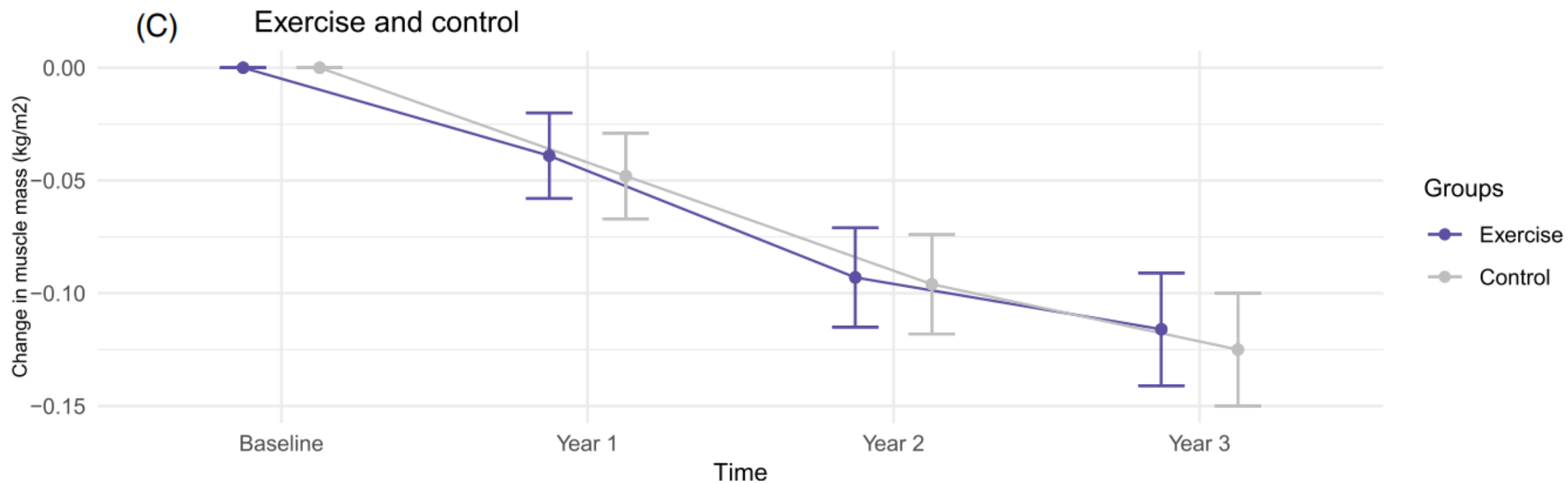
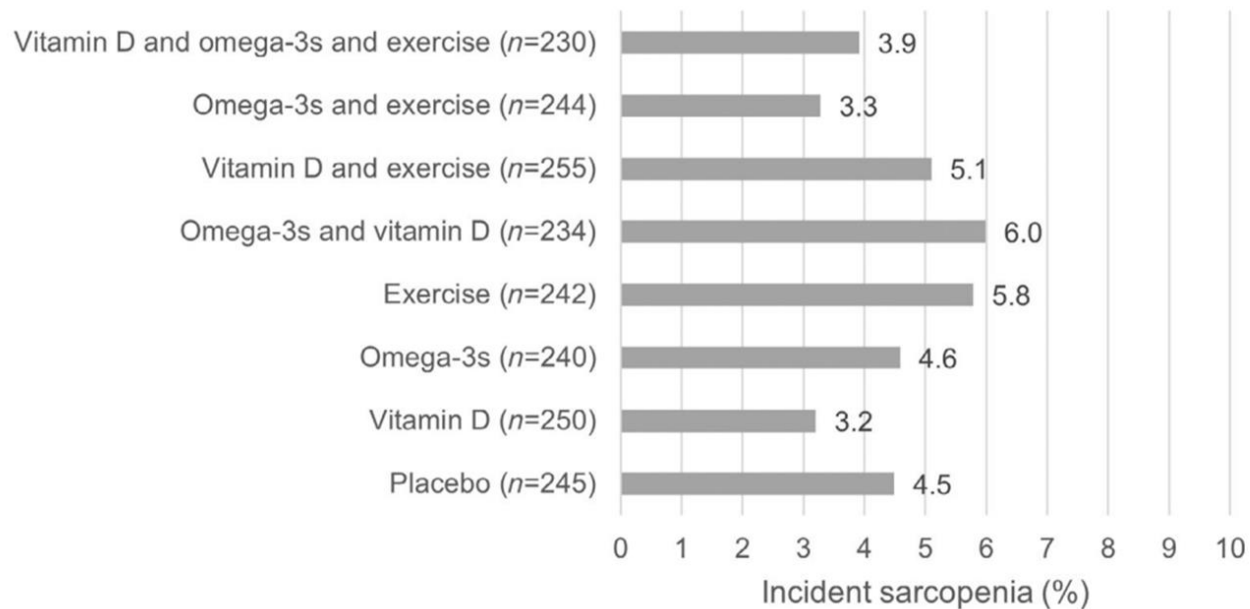
n = ~1.495 , ≥ 70 a,

l'intervento di esercizi semplici (3×/settimana)

(5 movimenti a corpo libero / leggera resistenza, **senza progressione del carico**)

non ha ridotto né l'incidenza di sarcopenia né la perdita di massa muscolare in 3 anni

FIGURE 2 Incident sarcopenia in the eight treatment groups over 3 years ($n = 1940$).





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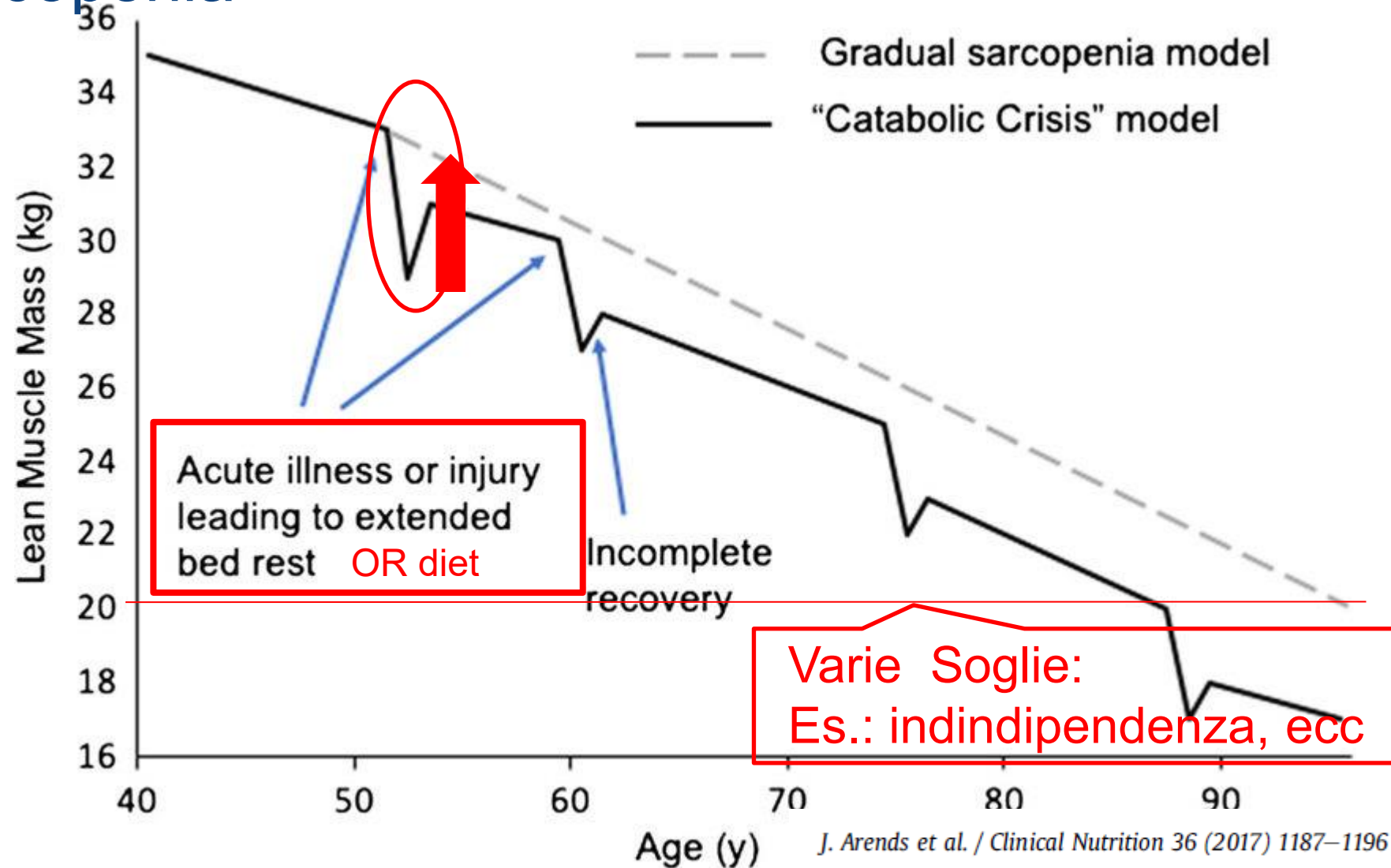
Tailored Exercise Prescription Sequence for Older Adults



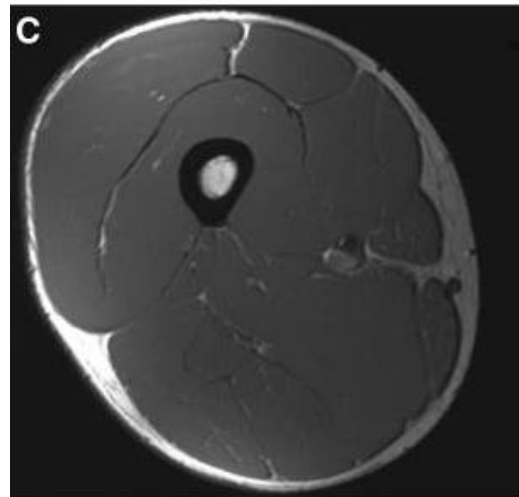
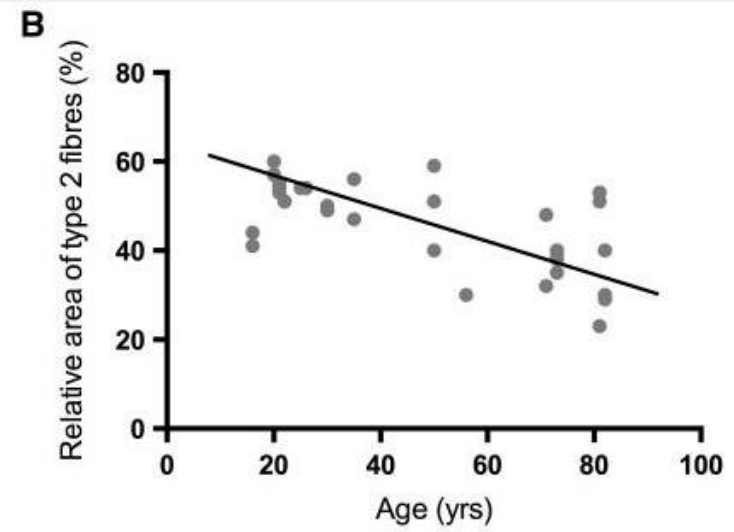
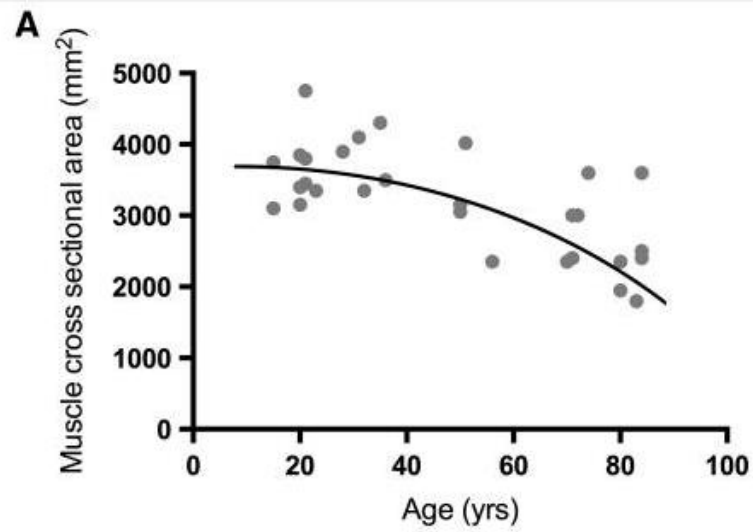
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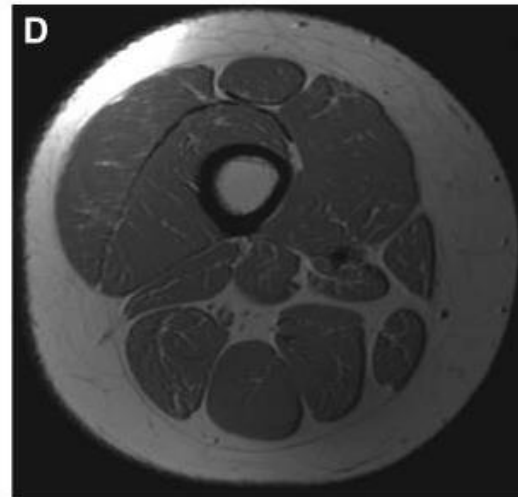
Sarcopenia



Good news:



Male – 24 yrs
Body mass – 76kg
Fat mass – 10kg
Fat free mass – 57kg



Male – 66 yrs
Body mass – 81kg
Fat mass – 57kg
Fat free mass – 13kg
Average daily steps = 3141
PA >3MET per/day = 22mins

2 Take home messages

- Lottare contro la sarcopenia
- Alimentazione: energetica e proteica
- Stimolo fisico : esercizi con i pesi

64 anni

10 agosto 1960

82 anni

13 luglio 1942

57 anni

26 luglio 1967

78 anni

6 luglio 1946

Età

56 anni

30 lug 1968

77 anni

30 luglio 1947

69 anni

3 gennaio 1956

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- What's new in ...
 - New classifications for patients with obesity (February 2025)

New classifications for patients with obesity (February 2025)

- **Body mass index (BMI)** -> inadequate tool to fully capture an individual's obesity-related health status.
- Obesity-related health consequences
- new diagnostic categories for "**preclinical**" and "**clinical**" obesity.
- **clinical obesity** have objectively altered organ function or symptoms related to obesity,
- **preclinical obesity** have no identifiable health effects from extra weight.

RESEARCH SUMMARY

Calorie Restriction with or without Time-Restricted Eating in Weight Loss

Liu D et al. DOI: 10.1056/NEJMoa2114833

CLINICAL PROBLEM

Daily calorie restriction is a primary weight-loss strategy for patients with obesity, but most diet trials have shown only modest weight loss after a year, and maintaining weight loss is challenging. Time-restricted eating — a form of intermittent fasting involving a shortened daily eating period — has shown promise in pilot studies, but data on long-term efficacy and safety are lacking.

CLINICAL TRIAL

Design: A randomized trial examined the effects of time-restricted eating plus daily calorie restriction as compared with daily calorie restriction alone in obese patients.

Intervention: 139 patients in Guangzhou, China, with a body-mass index of 28 to 45 were randomly assigned to time-restricted eating (eating only between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.) plus daily calorie restriction or to daily calorie restriction alone. All the patients were instructed to follow a diet of 1500 to 1800 kcal per day (for men) or 1200 to 1500 kcal per day (for women) for 12 months. The primary outcome was the difference between the two groups in the change from baseline in body weight at 12 months.

RESULTS

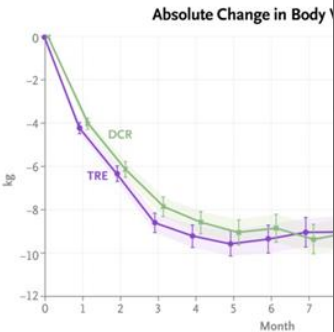
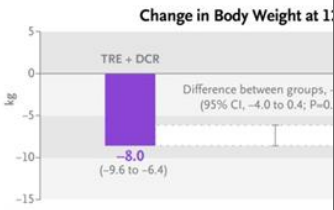
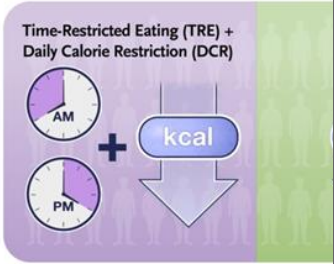
Efficacy: Among 118 patients who completed the 12-month follow-up visit, there was no significant difference in mean weight loss between the group assigned to time-restricted eating plus daily calorie restriction and the group assigned to daily calorie restriction alone.

Safety: There were no substantial differences between the two groups in the number of adverse events. No deaths or serious adverse events were reported.

LIMITATIONS AND REMAINING QUESTIONS

- The findings cannot be generalized to other ethnic groups, to patients with diabetes or cardiovascular disease, or to different time-restricted–eating regimens.
- Total energy expenditure, which might have helped to explain individual differences in weight loss, was not measured.

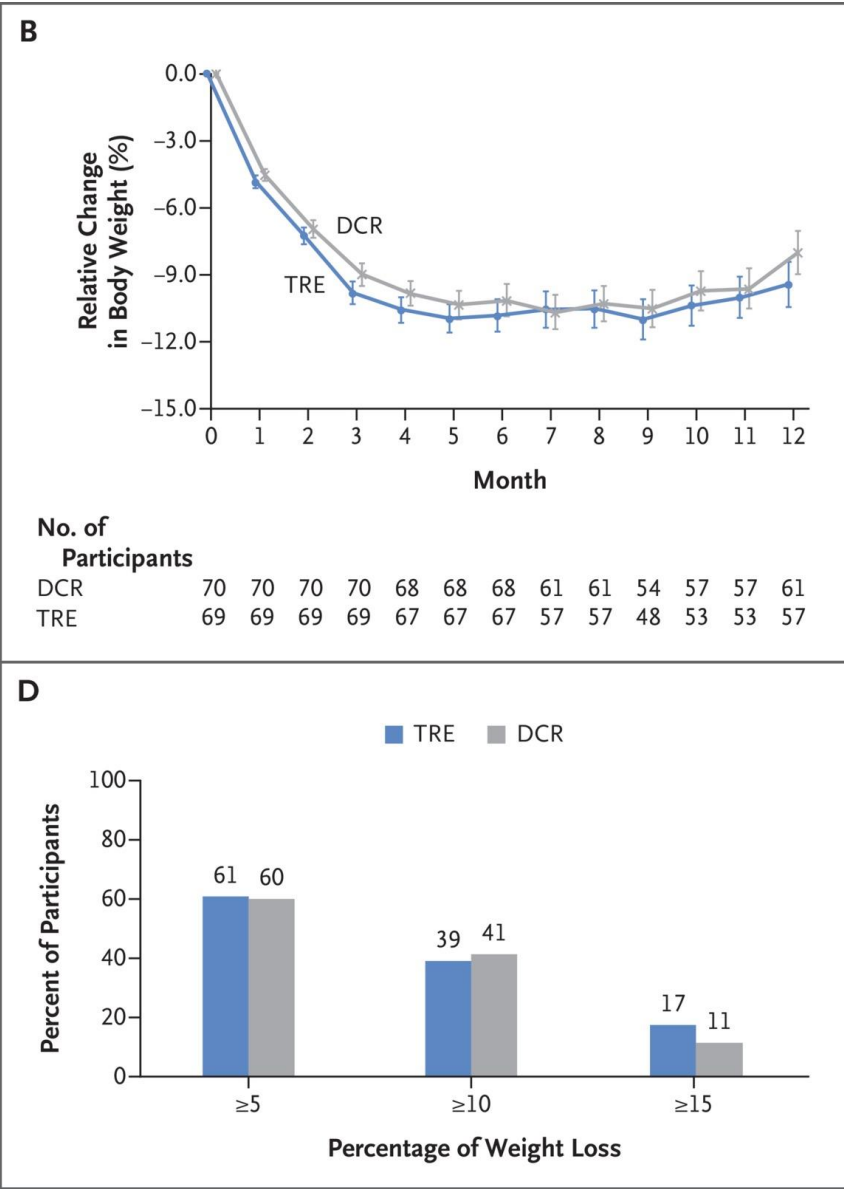
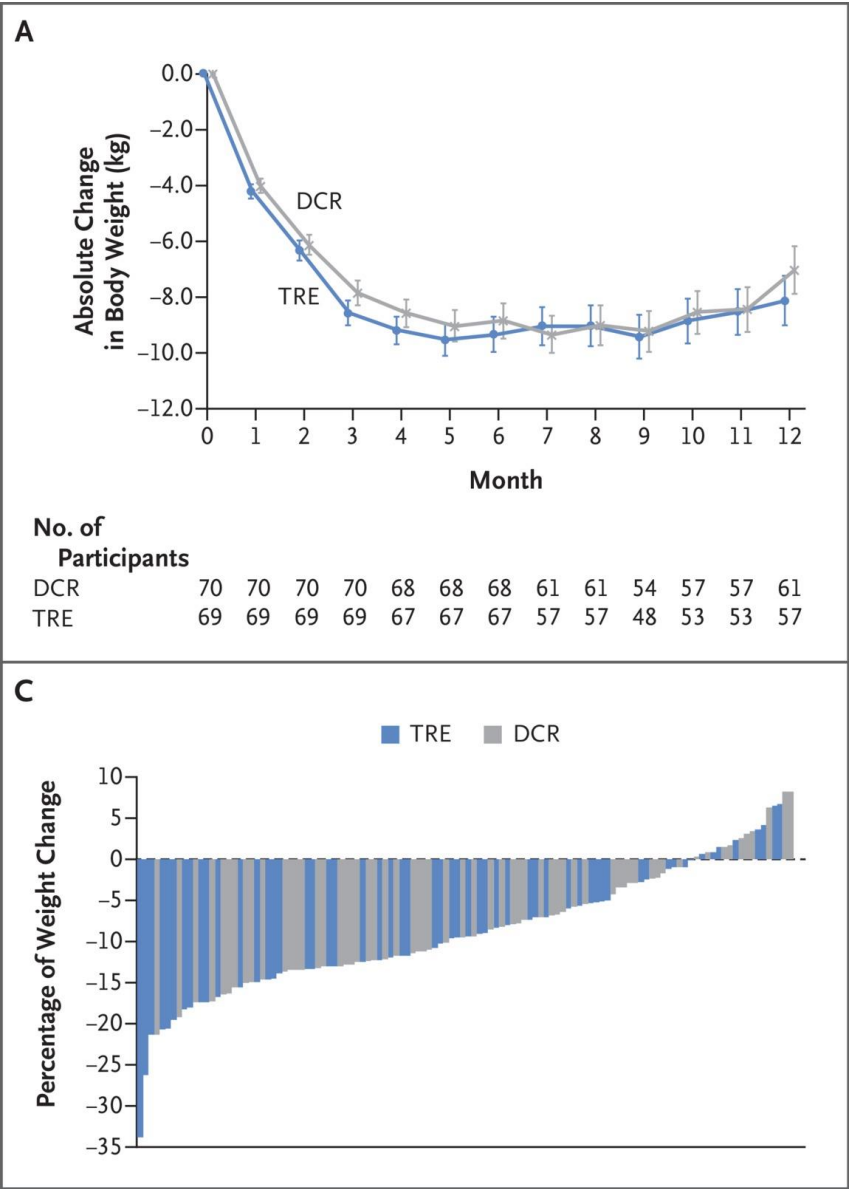
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No. of Participants	DCR	TRE
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65	65	65
64	64	64
63	63	63
62	62	62
61	61	61
60	60	60
59	59	59
58	58	58
57	57	57

CONCLUSIONS
Among patients with obesity, daily calorie restriction plus time-restricted eating offered no benefit as compared with daily calorie restriction alone.

ell'obesità



Farmaci incretino-mimetici: news/futuro

- Funzionano?

WHY WAS THE TRIAL DONE?

For patients with obesity, semaglutide, a glucagon-like tide-1 receptor agonist, is approved for weight management as a once-weekly subcutaneous injection. In a recent trial, oral semaglutide at a dose of 50 mg once daily resulted in significantly greater weight loss than placebo. However, efficacy and safety of lower doses of oral semaglutide are unclear.

HOW WAS THE TRIAL CONDUCTED?

Adults with a body-mass index of 30 or greater — or 25 or greater with at least one obesity-related complication — without diabetes were assigned to receive oral semaglutide at a dose of 25 mg once daily or placebo, plus lifestyle intervention. The primary end points were the percent change in body weight and a reduction in body weight of 5% or greater from baseline to week 64.

TRIAL DESIGN

- Phase 3
- Randomized
- Double-blind
- Placebo-controlled
- Location: 22 sites in Canada, Germany, Poland, and the United States

RESULTS

The estimated mean reduction in body weight was significantly greater with oral semaglutide than with placebo. Participants in the semaglutide group were also significantly more likely to have a body-weight reduction of 5% or greater. The most frequently reported adverse events were gastrointestinal disorders, which were more common with semaglutide than with placebo.

LIMITATIONS AND REMAINING QUESTIONS

- Approximately 20% of the trial population did not complete the trial, so imputation for efficacy models was required.
- Most participants were women, which may limit the generalizability of the findings.
- Because of the lack of an active semaglutide comparator — subcutaneous semaglutide or a higher dose of oral semaglutide — it was not possible to compare adverse events for a given dose or administration method.

CONCLUSIONS

Among participants with overweight or obesity, oral semaglutide at a dose of 25 mg once daily resulted in significantly greater weight loss than placebo at 64 weeks.

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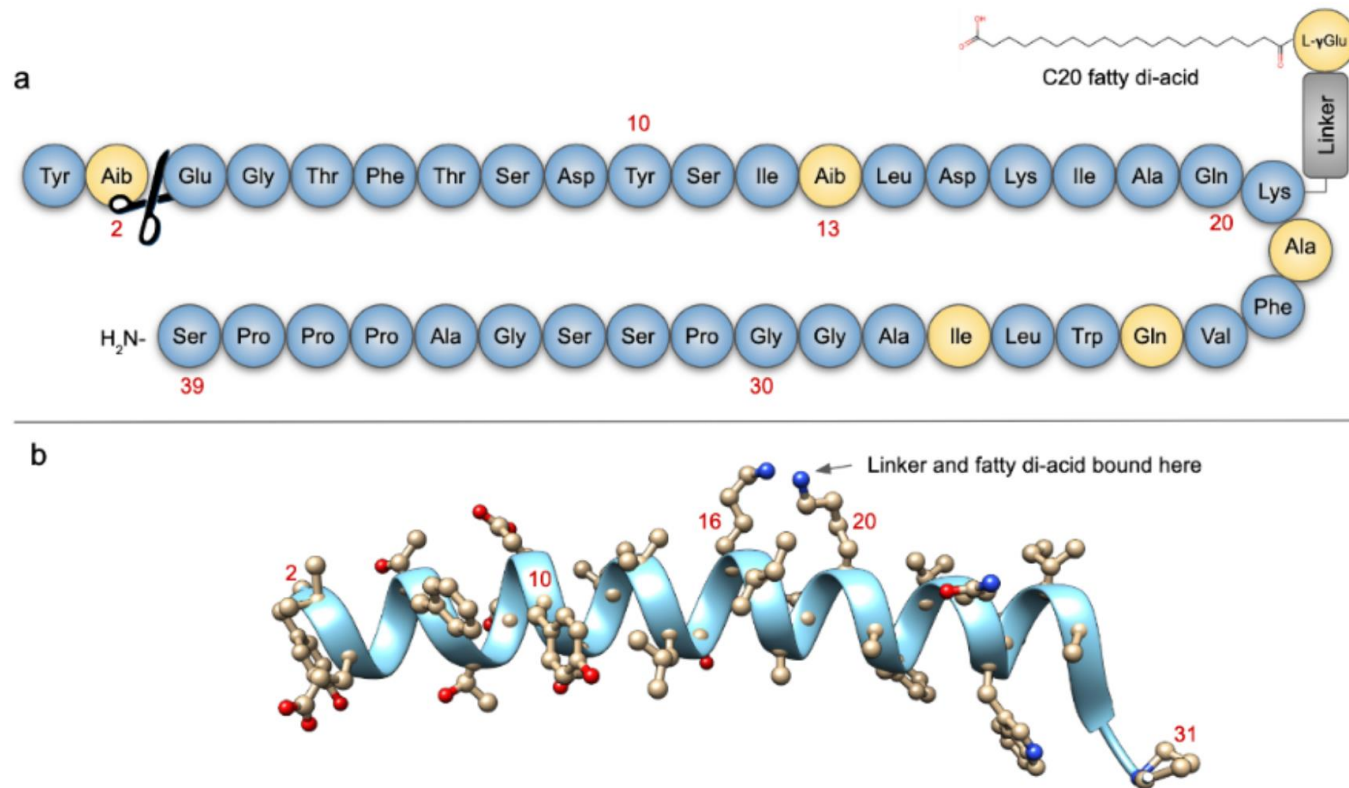
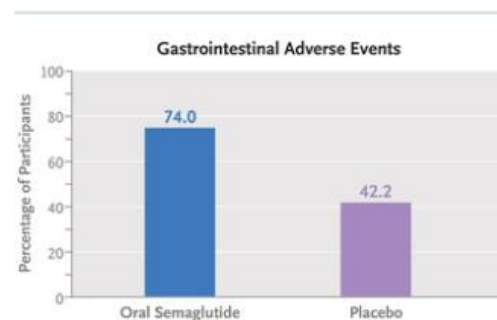


Figure 1. 2D and 3D structures of Tirzepatide. a. The sequence of Tirzepatide (PubChem) has 39 amino acids. The schematic is based on information presented in Knerr et al., 2020. Amino acids that are either modified or different from both GLP-1 or GIP are highlighted in yellow. The DPP4 cleavage site is indicated with the scissors. b. 3D structure of Tirzepatide (PDB ID 7rgp, Sun et al., 2022). Note: The C20 fatty diacid was disordered in the 3D structure, so is not shown here. The receptor and G-protein chains are hidden here for clarity. [Click here](#) to view the full structures interactively.



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A total of 205 participants were randomly assigned to receive oral semaglutide, and 102 to receive placebo. The estimated mean change in body weight from baseline to week 64 was -13.6% in the oral semaglutide group and -2.2% in the placebo group (estimated difference, -11.4 percentage points; 95% confidence interval, -13.9 to -9.0 ; $P < 0.001$). Participants in the oral semaglutide group were significantly more likely than those in the placebo group to have body-weight reductions of 5% or more, 10% or more, 15% or more, and 20% or more ($P < 0.001$ for all comparisons) and to have an improved IWQOL-Lite-CT Physical Function score ($P < 0.001$). Gastrointestinal adverse events were more common with oral semaglutide than with placebo (74.0% vs. 42.2%).

CONCLUSIONS

Oral semaglutide at a dose of 25 mg once daily resulted in a greater mean reduction in body weight than placebo in participants with overweight or obesity. (Funded by Novo Nordisk; OASIS 4 ClinicalTrials.gov number, NCT05564117.)

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The OASIS 4 Study Group is provided in the Supplementary Appendix, available at www.nejm.org.

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Tirzepatide as Compared with Semaglutide for the Treatment of Obesity

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ABSTRACT

BACKGROUND

Tirzepatide and semaglutide are glucagon-like peptide-1 receptor agonists. The efficacy and safety of these medications in the treatment of obesity but without type 2 diabetes have not been compared.

METHODS

In this phase 3b, open-label, randomized trial, we compared the efficacy and safety of tirzepatide and semaglutide in participants with obesity but without type 2 diabetes. The primary end point was the maximum tolerated dose of semaglutide at week 72. Key secondary end points were the percentage of participants achieving weight reductions of at least 10%, 15%, 20%, and 25% at week 72.

RESULTS

A total of 751 participants were randomized to treatment with tirzepatide or semaglutide. The mean percent change in weight at week 72 was -21.4% (95% CI, -19.6 to -23.2) with tirzepatide and -19.1% (95% CI, -17.2 to -21.0) with semaglutide ($P<0.001$). The mean change in waist circumference at week 72 was -18.4 cm (95% CI, -17.2 to -19.6) with tirzepatide and -13.0 cm (95% CI, -14.3 to -11.7) with semaglutide ($P<0.001$). Participants in the tirzepatide group were more likely than those in the semaglutide group to have weight reductions of at least 10%, 15%, 20%, and 25%. The most common adverse events in both treatment groups were gastrointestinal, and most were mild to moderate in severity and occurred primarily during dose escalation.

CONCLUSIONS

Among participants with obesity but without diabetes, treatment with tirzepatide was superior to treatment with semaglutide with respect to reduction in body weight and waist circumference at week 72. (Funded by Eli Lilly; SURMOUNT-5 ClinicalTrials.gov number, NCT05822830.)

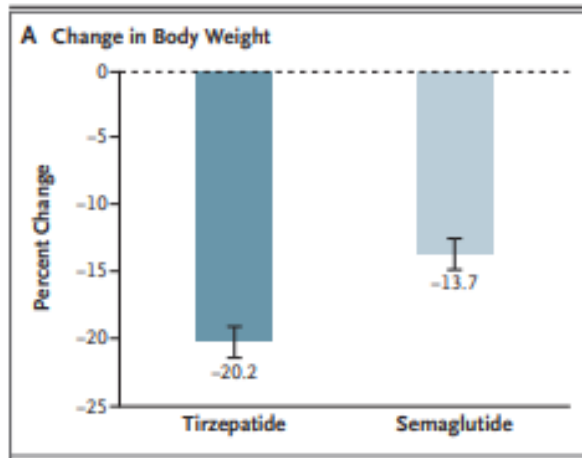
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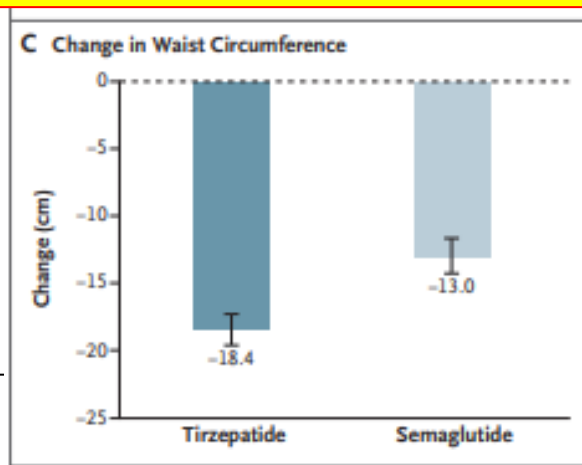
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CME



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ORIGINAL ARTICLE

Cagrilintide–Semaglutide in Adults with Overweight or Obesity and Type 2 Diabetes

long-acting analogue of the hormone amylin

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Coadministered Cagrilintide and Semaglutide in Adults with Overweight or Obesity

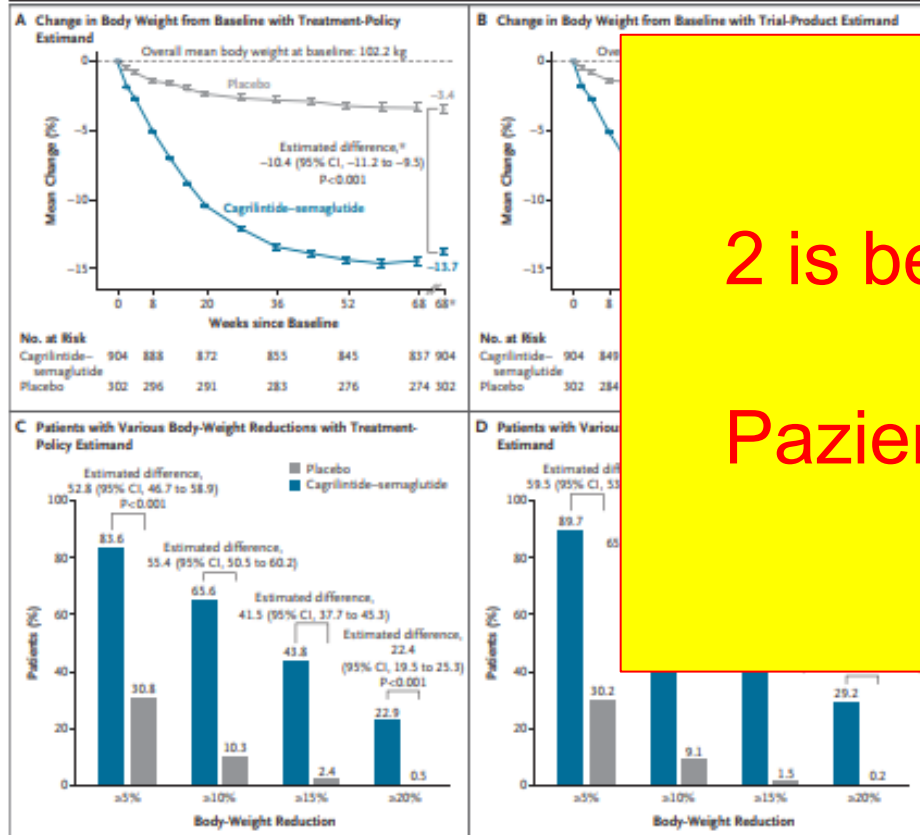
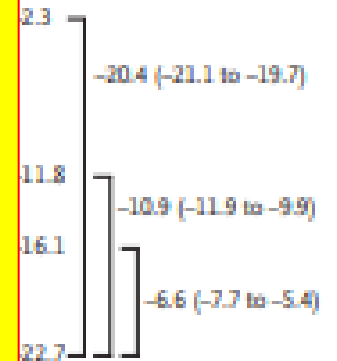
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Figure 1. Effect of Once-Weekly Cagrilintide–Semaglutide, as Compared with Placebo, on Body Weight.

Shown is the observed mean percent change in body weight from baseline to week 68 for the patients in the full analysis population during the in-trial period (Panel A) and during the on-treatment period (Panel B). I bars represent standard errors. Asterisks indicate the estimated means and estimated treatment differences according to the treatment-policy estimand (Panel A) and the trial-product estimand (Panel B). Estimated percentages of patients with body-weight reductions of at least 5%, 10%, 15%, and 20% from baseline at week 68 in the full analysis population are shown according to the treatment-policy estimand (Panel C) and the trial-product estimand (Panel D).

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Paziente diabetico perde meno peso



No. at Risk

Placebo	705	672	619	551	487	452	705
Cagrilintide	302	290	275	262	250	223	302
Semaglutide	302	290	269	253	238	220	302
Cagrilintide–semaglutide	2108	2016	1837	1691	1586	1455	2108

*ed by Novö Nordisk; REDEFINE 1 ClinicalTrials.gov number, NCT05567796.)

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Triple–Hormone-Receptor Agonist Retatrutide for Obesity — A Phase 2 Trial

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ABSTRACT

BACKGROUND

Retatrutide (LY3437943) is an agonist of the glucose-dependent insulinotropic polypeptide, glucagon-like peptide 1, and glucagon receptors. Its dose–response relationships with respect to side effects, safety, and efficacy for the treatment of obesity are not known.

METHODS

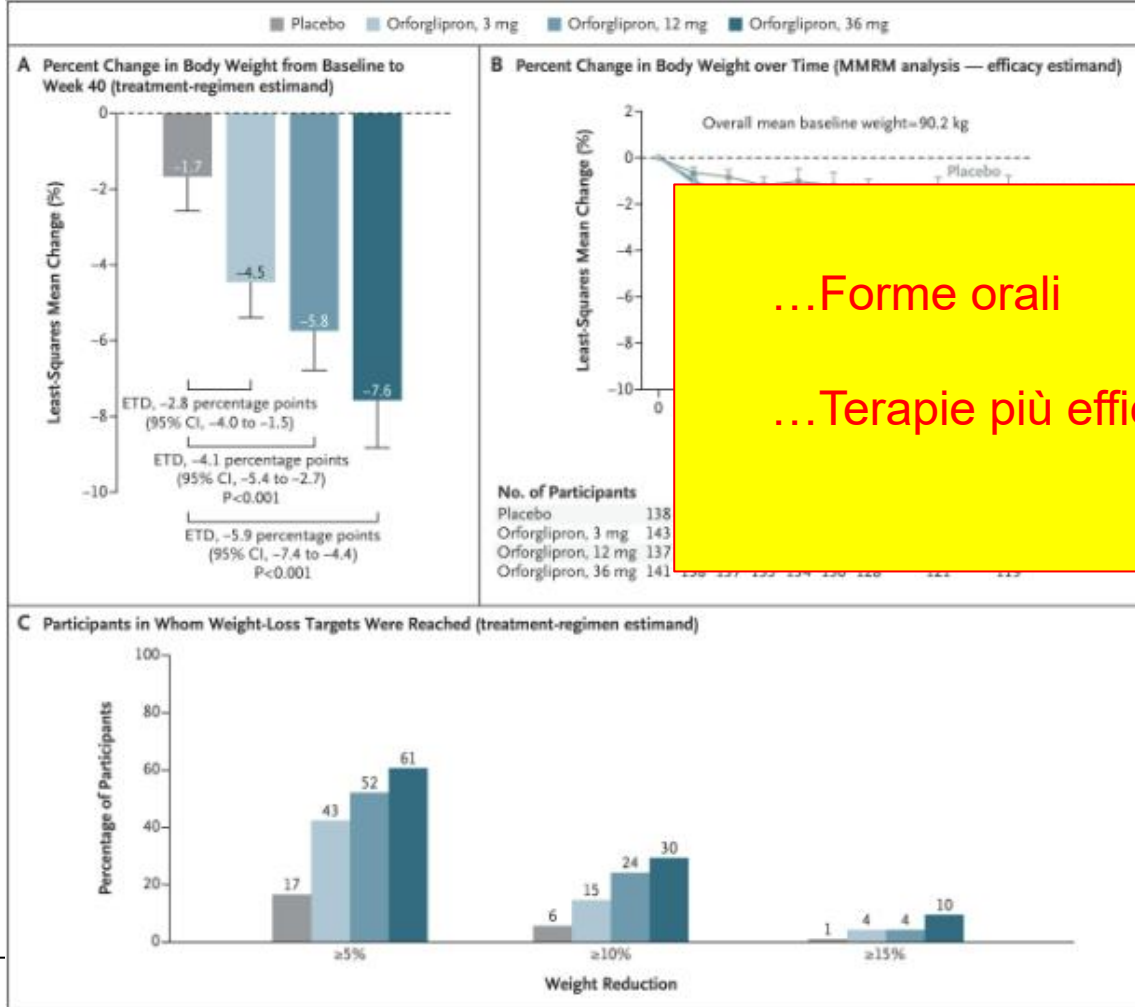
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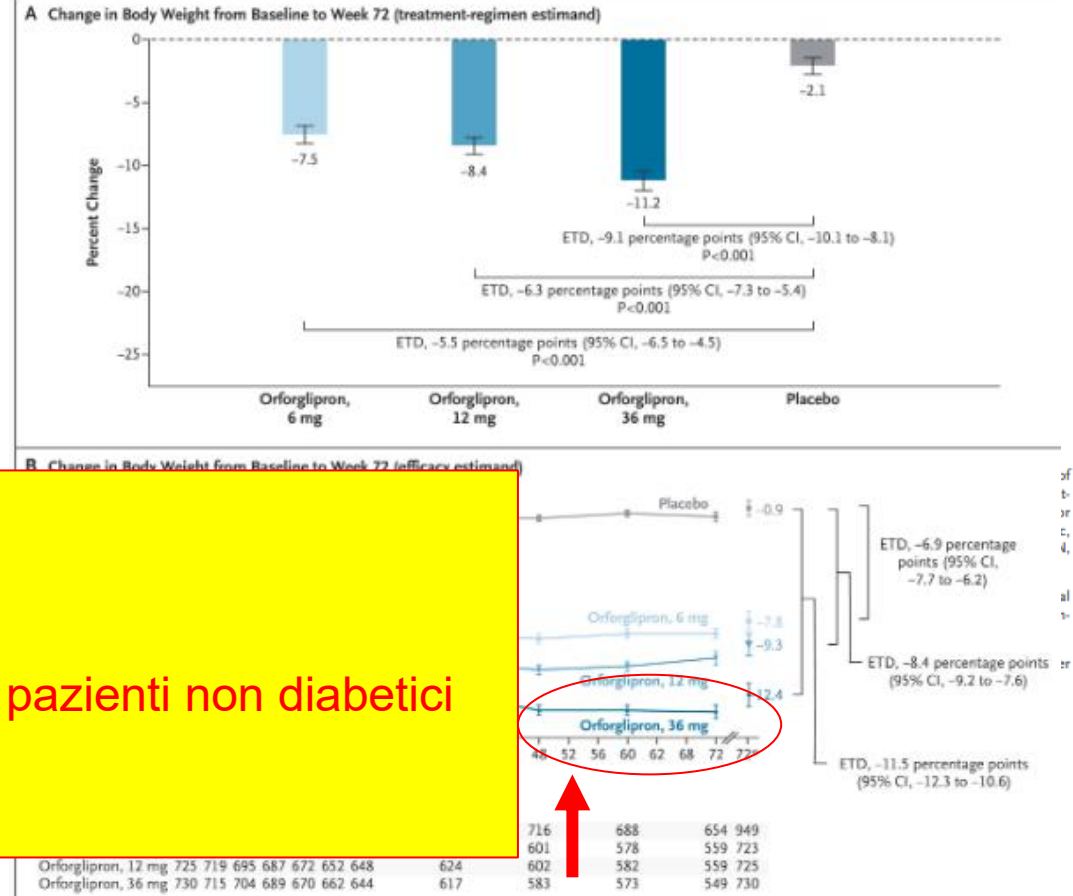
We enrolled 338 adults, 51.8% of whom were men. The least-squares mean percentage change in body weight at 24 weeks in the retatrutide groups was –7.2% in the 1-mg group, –12.9% in the combined 4-mg group, –17.3% in the combined 8-mg group, and –17.5% in the 12-mg group, as compared with –1.6% in the pla-

ORIGINAL ARTICLE

Orforglipron, an Oral Small-Molecule GLP-1 Receptor Agonist, in Early Type 2 Diabetes

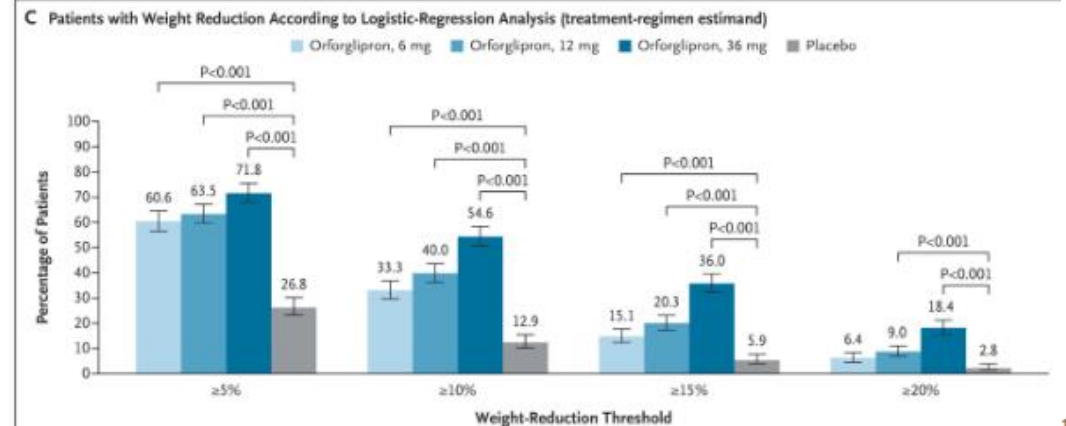
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ClinicalTrials.gov number, NCT05971940.



...Forme orali

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Once-Monthly Maridebart Cafraglutide for the Treatment of Obesity — A Phase 2 Trial

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ABSTRACT

BACKGROUND

Maridebart cafraglutide (known as MariTide) is a long-acting peptide–antibody conjugate that combines glucagon-like peptide-1 receptor agonism and glucose-dependent insulinotropic polypeptide receptor antagonism and that is intended for the treatment of obesity.

METHODS

We conducted a phase 2, double-blind, randomized, placebo-controlled, dose-ranging trial that included 11 groups as two cohorts. Participants with obesity (obesity cohort) were randomly assigned in a 3:3:3:2:2:2:3 ratio to receive maridebart cafraglutide subcutaneously at a dose of 140, 280, or 420 mg every 4 weeks without dose escalation; 420 mg every 8 weeks without dose escalation; 420 mg every 4 weeks with 4-week dose escalation; 420 mg every 4 weeks with 12-week dose escalation; or placebo. Participants with obesity with type 2 diabetes (obesity–diabetes cohort) were randomly assigned in a 1:1:1:1 ratio to receive maridebart cafraglutide at a dose of 140, 280, or 420 mg every 4 weeks (all without dose escalation) or placebo. The primary end point was the percent change in body weight from baseline to week 52.

RESULTS

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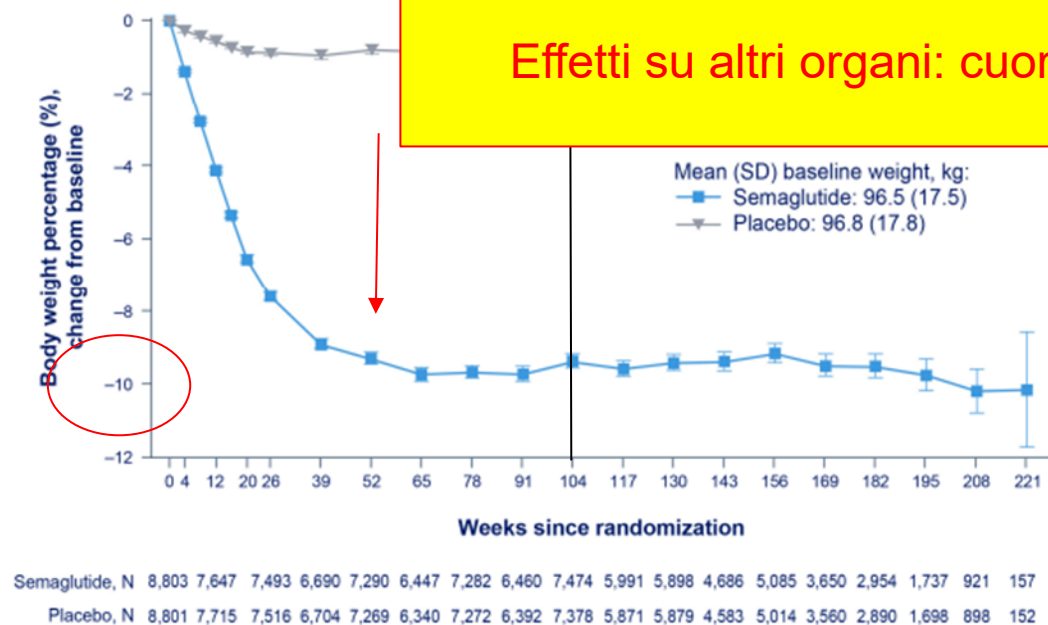
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GLP-1 efficacia secondo modo d'uso

52° settimana

Figure S6. Effect of Semaglutide on Waist Circumference.

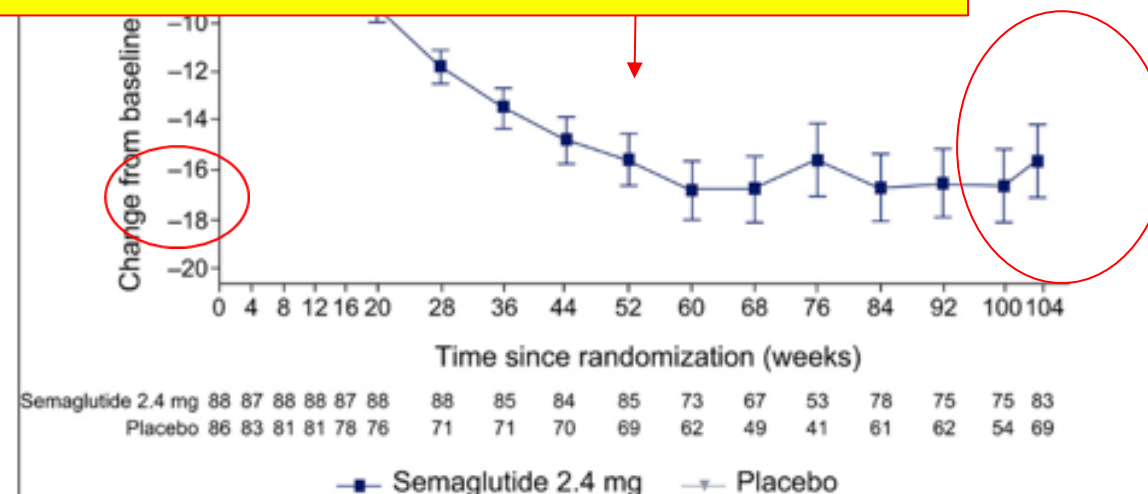
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Sull'endpoint peso l'associazione con il regime è fondamentale

Massima efficacia nel primo anno di utilizzo

Effetti su altri organi: cuore/fegato/polmone



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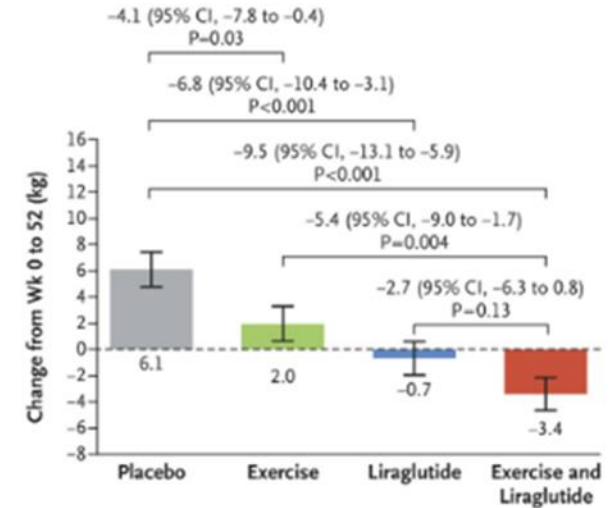
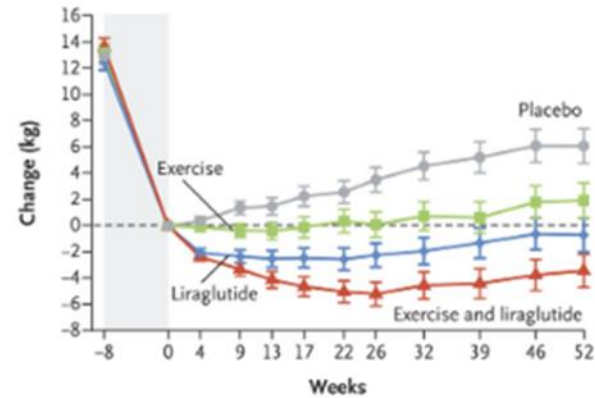
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Healthy Weight Loss Maintenance with Exercise, Liraglutide, or Both Combined

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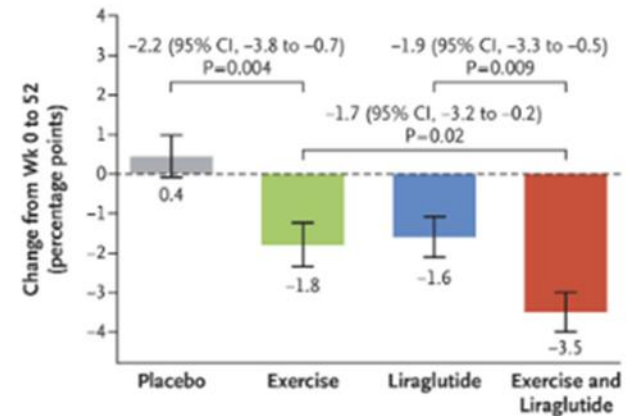
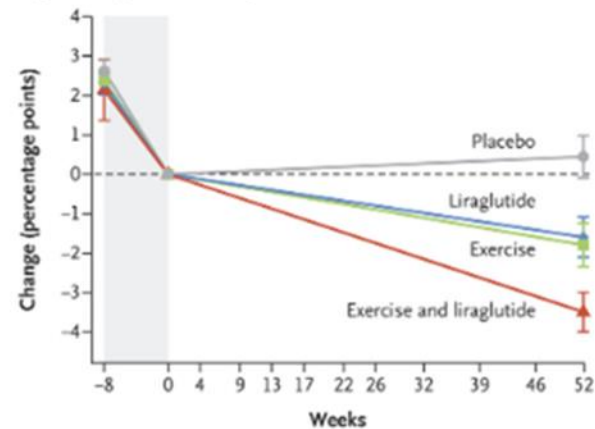
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A Change in Body Weight

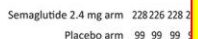


No. of Participants	215	195	187	183	181	178	175	171	169	168	166	No. Who Underwent Randomization	49	48	49	49
												No. Who Completed Trial	40	40	41	45

B Change in Body-Fat Percentage



(A)



GLP-1 RA e agonisti duali: cosa ricordare nella pratica clinica


Finché si usano, funzionano

Effetto massimo nel primo anno


Risultati ottimali con presa a carico nutrizionale strutturata

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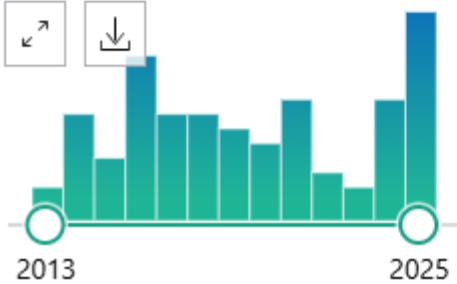
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Effect of **Bimagrumab vs Placebo on Body Fat Mass Among Adults With Type 2 Diabetes and Obesity: A Phase 2 Randomized Clinical Trial.**

Heymsfield SB, Coleman LA, Miller R, Rooks DS, Laurent D, Petricoul O, Praestgaard J, Swan T, Wade T, Perry RG, Goodpaster BH, Roubenoff R.

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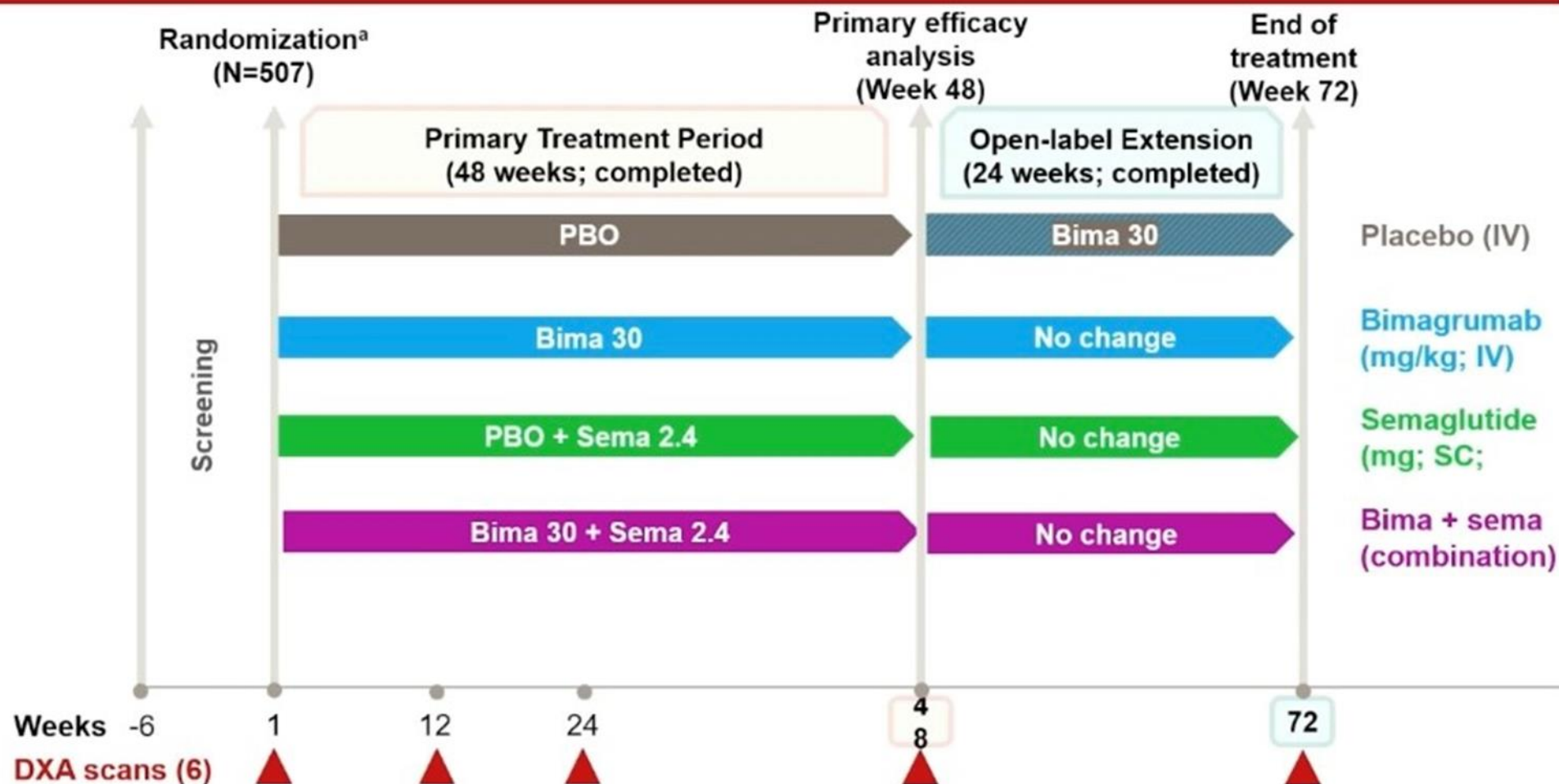
PMID: 33439265 **Free PMC article.** Clinical Trial.

Previous clinical studies suggest that ActRII inhibition with the monoclonal antibody **bimagrumab** also promotes excess adipose tissue loss and improves insulin resistance. **OBJECTIVE:** To evaluate the efficacy

B,

BELIEVE Study Design: Bimagrumab, Semaglutide, and Combination

Phase 2, multicenter, randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled trial



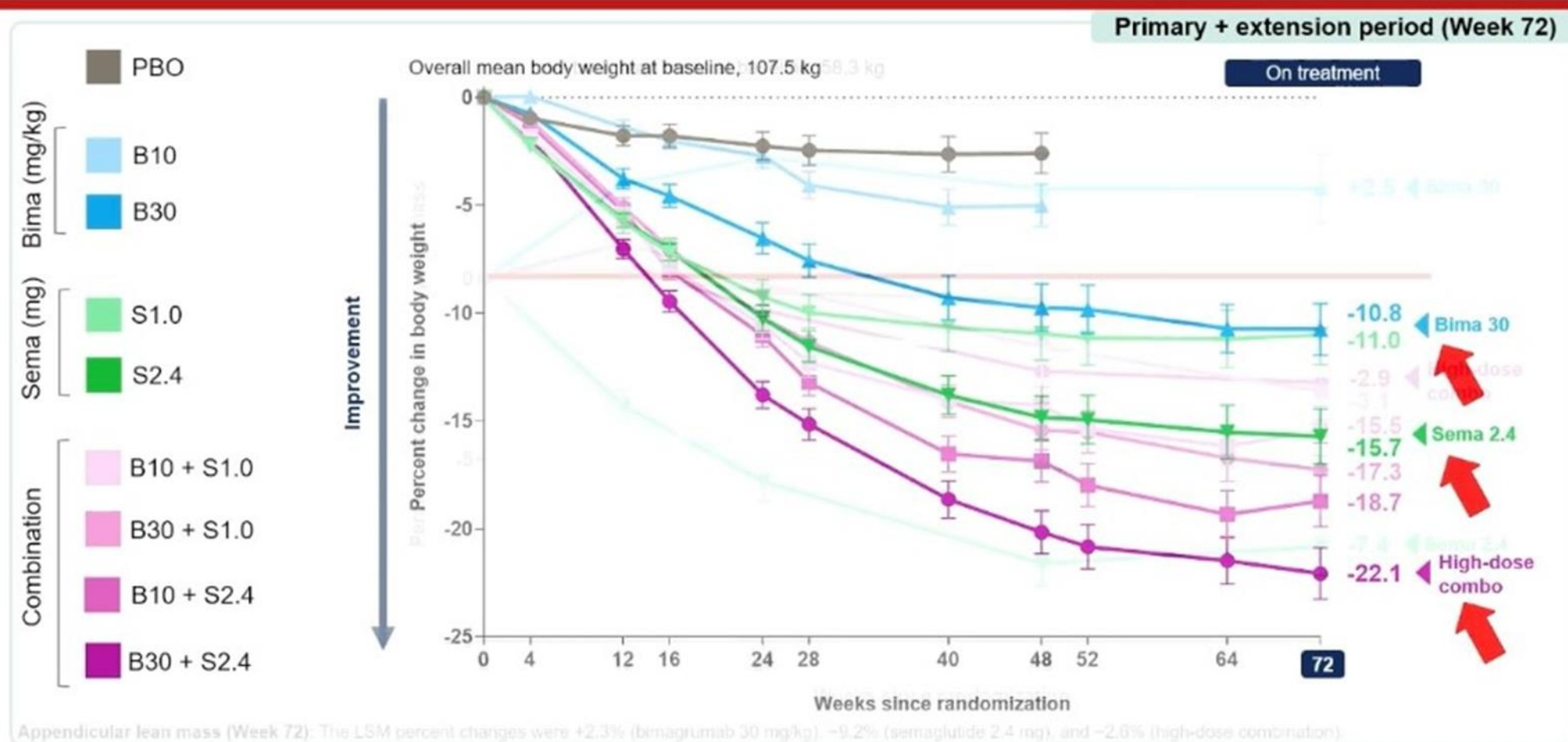
^aRandomization was stratified by sex across the treatment groups.

Abbreviations: Bima, bimagrumab; DXA, dual-energy X-ray absorptiometry; IV, intravenous; N, number of randomized participants; SC subcutaneous; sema, semaglutide.

Body Weight: % Change from Baseline (Week 72)



Combination therapy led to similar or greater weight reduction than semaglutide 2.4 mg



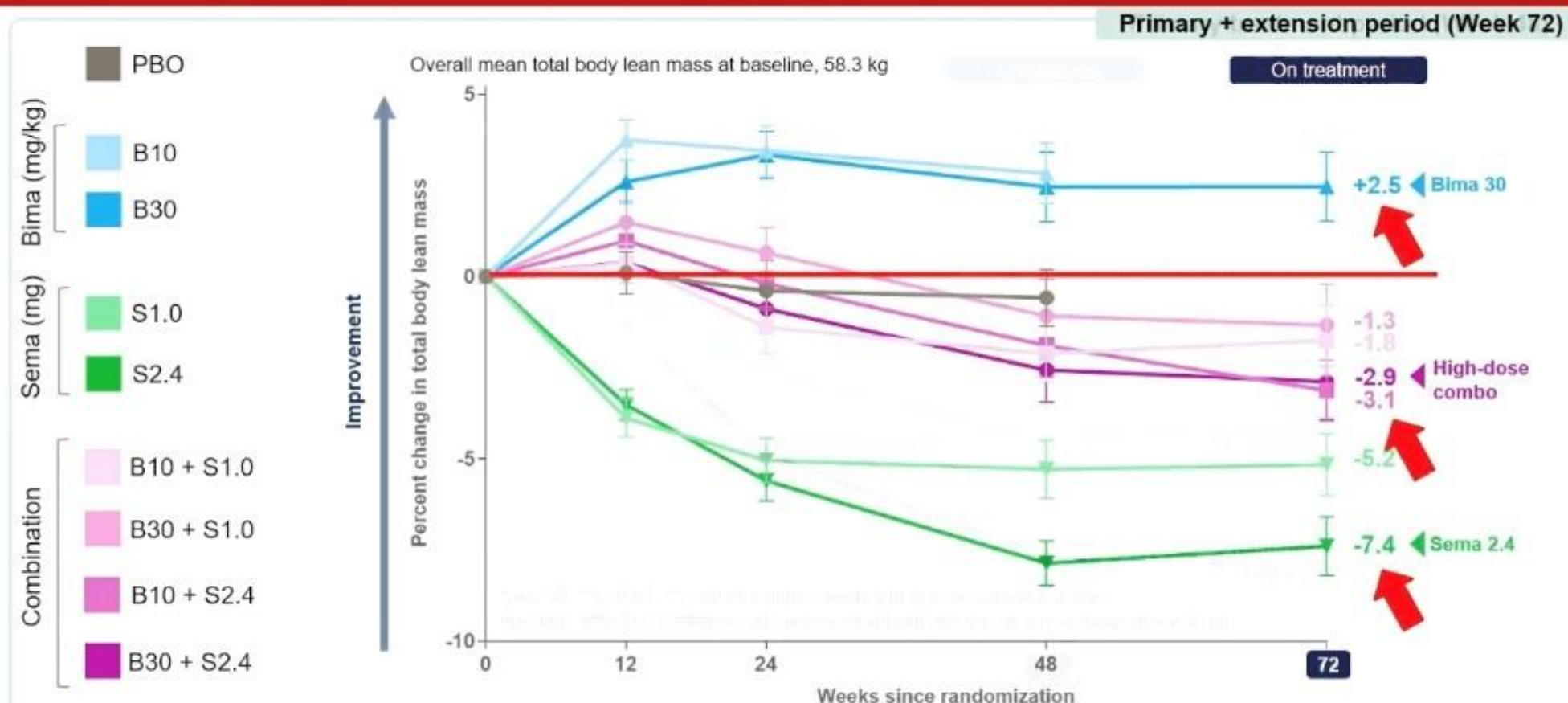
Data are presented as LSM \pm SE. Percent changes are based on mixed model for repeated measures for the efficacy estimand.
Abbreviations: Bima, bimagrumab; combo, combination; LSM, least-squares mean; PBO, placebo; SE, standard error; sema, semaglutide.

Estimated VAT: Percent Change from Baseline (DXA, Week 48)

Total Lean Mass: % Change from Baseline (DXA, Week 72)



Lean mass largely preserved with combination therapy



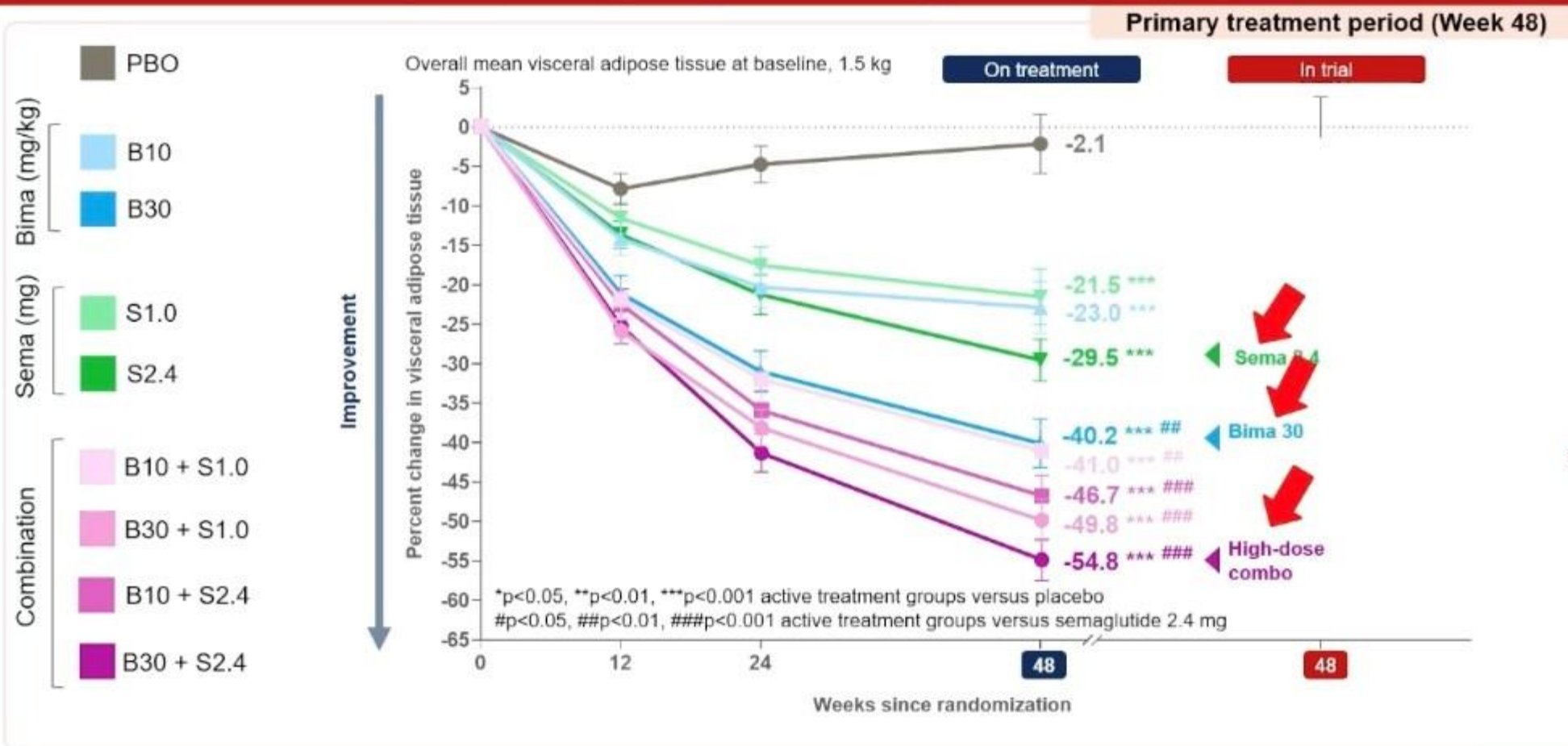
Appendicular lean mass (Week 72): The LSM percent changes were +2.3% (bimagrumab 30 mg/kg), -9.2% (semaglutide 2.4 mg), and -2.6% (high-dose combination).

Data are presented as LSM ± SE. Percent changes are based on a mixed model for repeated measures model for the efficacy estimand.

Abbreviations: Bima, bimagrumab; combo, combination; DXA, dual-energy X-ray absorptiometry; LSM, least-squares mean; PBO, placebo; SE, standard error; sema, semaglutide.

Estimated VAT: Percent Change from Baseline (DXA; Week 48)

Bimagrumab high-dose and combination therapy led to greater reduction in estimated visceral adipose tissue (VAT) than semaglutide 2.4 mg



Data are presented as LSM \pm SE. Percent changes are based on mixed model for repeated measures for the efficacy estimand, and an analysis of covariance model with multiple imputation for the treatment-regimen estimand. Abbreviations: Bima, bimagrumab; LSM, least-squares mean; SE, standard error; sema, semaglutide; VAT, visceral adipose tissue.

Attenzione:

- Trial di fase IIb che valutava bimagrumab da solo o in combinazione con tirzepatide in pazienti con obesità/diabete tipo 2, con l'obiettivo di indagare la perdita di peso e la preservazione della massa muscolare.
- Interrotto da Lilly prima di iniziare l'arruolamento:
- strategic business reasons
- È rimasto attivo un altro studio parallelo in soggetti obesi senza diabete

Take Home Messages

- Ricordiamoci della malnutrizione

Presente/frequente – rilevabile con uno screenig – presa a carico con impatto su morbi-mortalità

Associamo all'alimentazione proteica esercizi di forza a partire da 40 anni per preservare la nostra massa magra

Farmaci incretino-mimetici:

Funzionano- vanno usati correttamente – attenzione alla sospensione

"Ozempic", arriva il generico a basso costo. E Swissmedic lancia l'allarme

Dal 2026, in Canada sarà disponibile il farmaco generico. E sarà acquistabile nelle farmacie online anche dalla Svizzera. Ma rischi sono elevati

