

What's new in type 1 diabetes?

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Topics

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Pathogenesis: Gut microbiome

Original Investigation

Association of Early Exposure of Probiotics and Islet Autoimmunity in the TEDDY Study

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- Infants with high risk HLA genotypes , n=7473, were enrolled.
- USA, Finland, Germany, Sweden
- Follow up until ages 4-10
- Primary outcome = development of islet autoimmunity

Gut Immunity and Type 1 Diabetes: a Mélange of Microbes, Diet, and Host Interactions?

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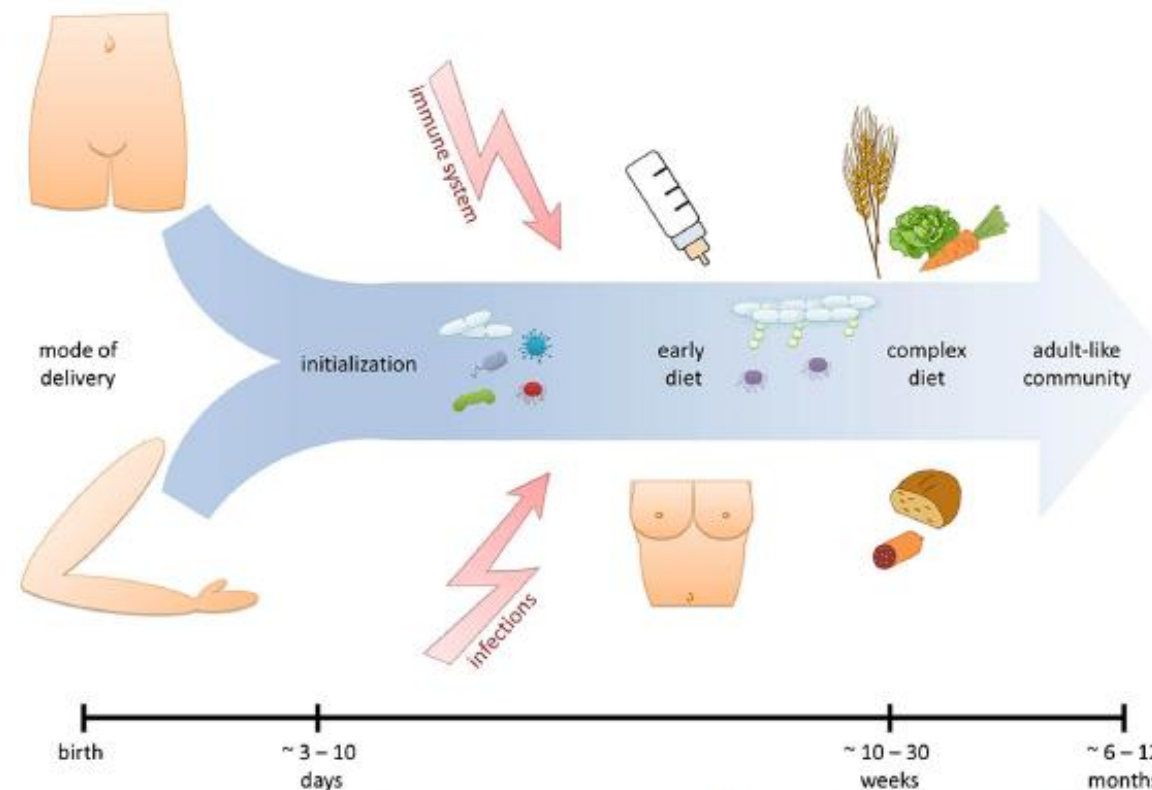
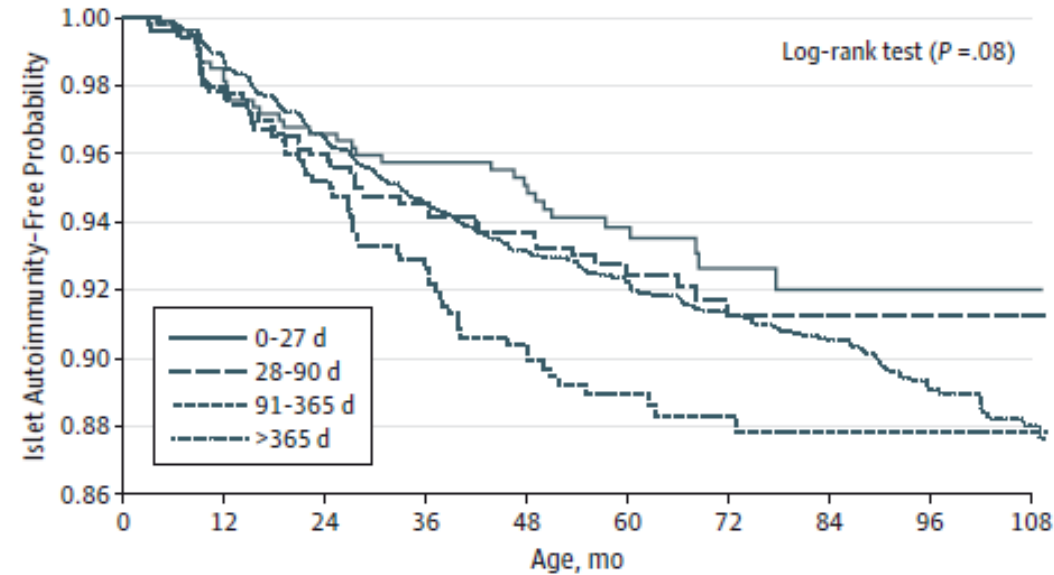


Fig. 1 Microbial waves of succession. Initial colonization occurs shortly after birth. While first colonizers of vaginally delivered babies are related to the vaginal microbiome of the mother, children delivered via C-section host gut microbial communities that are more similar to the mother's skin microbiome. In the first weeks of life, the gut microbial community is strongly influenced by breast or formula

milk feeding. At the time of weaning, the variety of different glycan sources increases rapidly and the gut microbial community shifts towards an adult-like community. The timing of the successional waves depends strongly on the patterns of introduction of dietary components. Here, we provide estimates which can vary strongly between individuals

Figure. Islet Autoimmunity Risk by First Probiotic Exposure Age of the Child

Mainly in HLA
DR3/4 children



| No. at risk | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-----|-----|
| 0-27 d | 540 | 521 | 478 | 438 | 412 | 306 | 184 | 104 | 48 | 5 |
| 28-90 d | 556 | 537 | 493 | 455 | 414 | 318 | 203 | 111 | 56 | 5 |
| 91-365 d | 538 | 519 | 466 | 420 | 389 | 303 | 202 | 132 | 72 | 24 |
| >365 d | 5839 | 5660 | 4972 | 4504 | 4145 | 3426 | 2521 | 1665 | 965 | 341 |

| Variable | No. (%) of Infants | | HR (95% CI) ^a |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|
| | Developed IA (n = 601) | Did Not Develop IA (n = 6872) | |
| Timing of first probiotic exposure, d | | | |
| 0-27 | 34 (5.7) | 506 (7.4) | 0.66 (0.45-0.96) |
| 28-90 | 41 (6.8) | 515 (7.5) | 0.85(0.61-1.19) |
| 91-365 | 57 (9.5) | 481 (7.0) | 1.16 (0.86-1.57) |
| After 1 year or no exposure | 469 (78.0) | 5370 (78.1) | 1 [Reference] |

Pathogenesis: Antibody reversal



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Reversion of β -Cell Autoimmunity Changes Risk of Type 1 Diabetes: TEDDY Study

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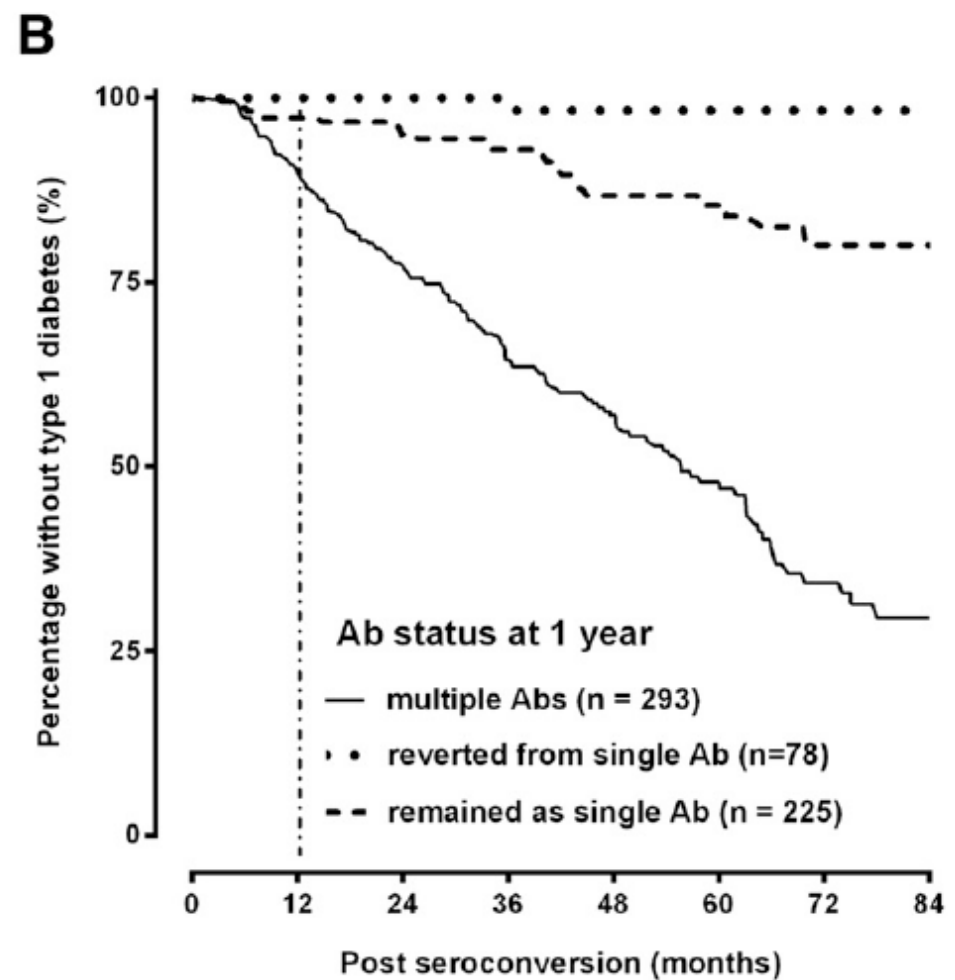
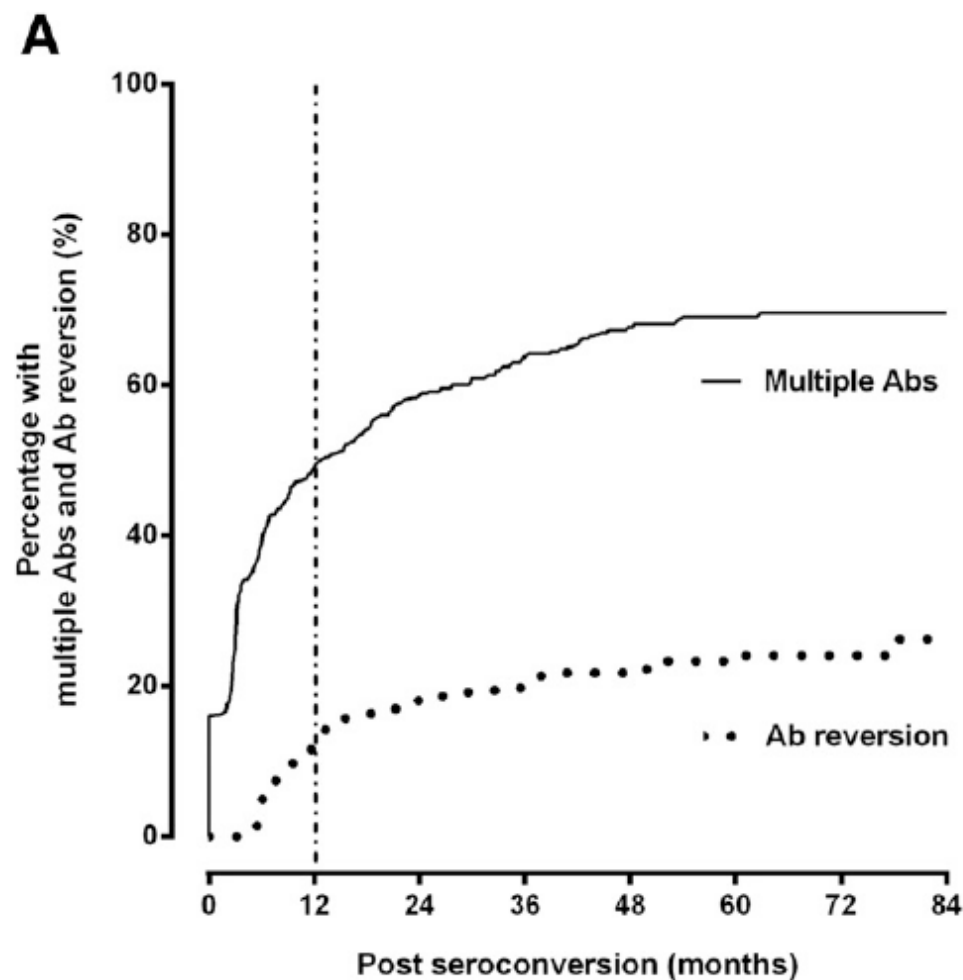


Figure 2—A: Cumulative incidence of development of multiple autoantibodies (Abs) after initial seroconversion and cumulative incidence of autoantibody reversion. B: Risk of progression to type 1 diabetes by autoantibody persistence (single and multiple) and reversion.

Reversion was relatively frequent for autoantibodies to GAD65 (19%) and insulin (29%), but was largely restricted to children who had single autoantibodies (24%) and rare in children who had developed multiple autoantibodies (<1%). Most (85%) reversion of single autoantibodies occurred within 2 years of seroconversion.

Reversion was associated with HLA genotype, age, and decreasing titer. Children who reverted from single autoantibodies to autoantibody negative had, from birth, a risk for type 1 diabetes of 0.14 per 100 person-years; children who never developed autoantibodies, 0.06 per 100 person-years; and, children who remained single-autoantibody positive, 1.8 per 100 person-years.

Pathogenesis: BMI and T1D Development



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Excess BMI in Childhood: A Modifiable Risk Factor for Type 1 Diabetes Development?

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1,117 Children in TrialNet Pathway to Prevention Cohort
Antibody positive relatives of T1D patients

- 1,117 Children in TrialNet Pathway to Prevention Cohort
- Antibody positive relatives of T1D patients
- ceBMI= accumulated excess BMI ($\geq 85^{\text{th}}$ percentile), annualized
- Higher ceBMI \rightarrow increased risk of T1D, adjusting for age, #of antibody, sex
- 1 kg/m² increase in ceBMI \rightarrow 6.3% increase RR of T1D progression
- ceBMI ≥ 0 \rightarrow increase risk by 65%
- Threshold lower in those <12 years, and in female

Therapy: Hybrid Closed-Loop System

Day-and-Night Hybrid Closed-Loop Insulin Delivery in Adolescents With Type 1 Diabetes: A Free-Living, Randomized Clinical Trial

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Table 1—Comparison of glucose control and insulin delivery during closed-loop and control period

| | Closed-loop (<i>n</i> = 12) | Control (<i>n</i> = 12) | <i>P</i> value |
|--|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------|
| Time spent at glucose level (%) | | | |
| 3.9–10.0 mmol/L* | 72 (59–77) | 53 (46–59) | <0.001 |
| >10.0 mmol/L | 26 (21–35) | 43 (38–52) | 0.005 |
| <3.9 mmol/L | 2.9 (1.8–4.8) | 1.7 (0.9–5.1) | 0.87 |
| <2.8 mmol/L | 0.2 (0.0–0.6) | 0.1 (0.0–0.6) | 0.67 |
| AUC _{day} <3.5 mmol/L (mmol/L × min)† | 6.4 (2.8–23.7) | 4.3 (1.8–13.6) | 0.77 |
| Mean glucose (mmol/L) | 8.7 ± 1.1 | 10.1 ± 1.3 | 0.028 |
| Within-day SD of glucose (mmol/L) | 3.5 (3.3–4.2) | 4.0 (3.6–4.6) | 0.21 |
| CV of glucose within day (%) | 41 (40–45) | 39 (38–44) | 0.36 |
| CV of glucose between days (%) | 17 (11–22) | 19 (17–25) | 0.80 |
| Total daily dose (units/day) | 57.3 (45.6–65.2) | 56.6 (44.7–61.3) | 0.55 |
| Total bolus (units/day) | 31.9 (21.2–41.0) | 38.3 (26.4–41.4) | 0.06 |
| Total basal (units/day) | 24.3 (22.8–28.8) | 20.3 (19.1–22.1) | 0.001 |
| CV of basal insulin (%) | 94 (91–103) | 16 (13–26) | <0.001 |

Data are presented as the median (interquartile range) or mean ± SD, unless otherwise indicated. *Primary end point. †AUC_{day}, glucose AUC <3.5 mmol/L/day.

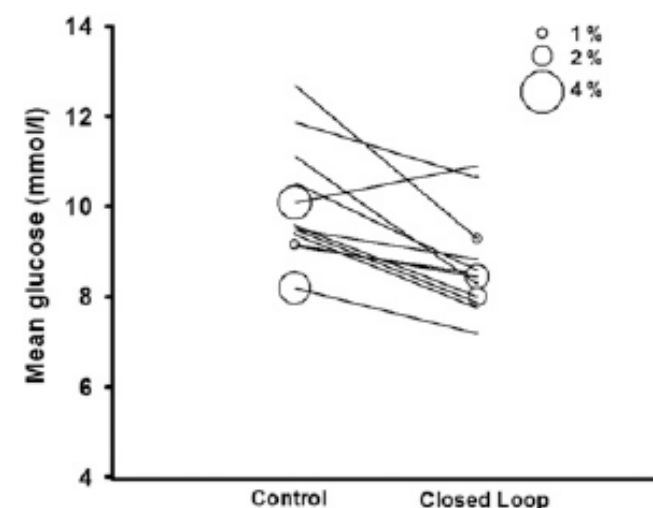
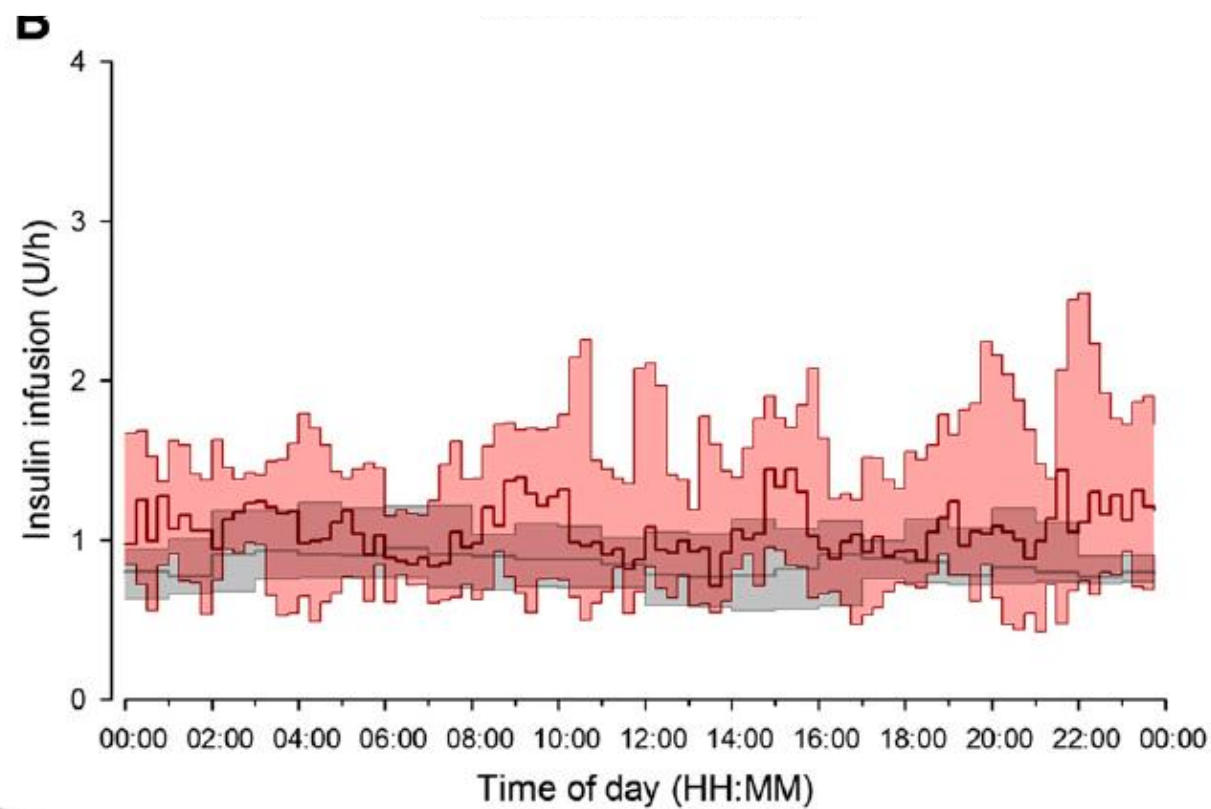
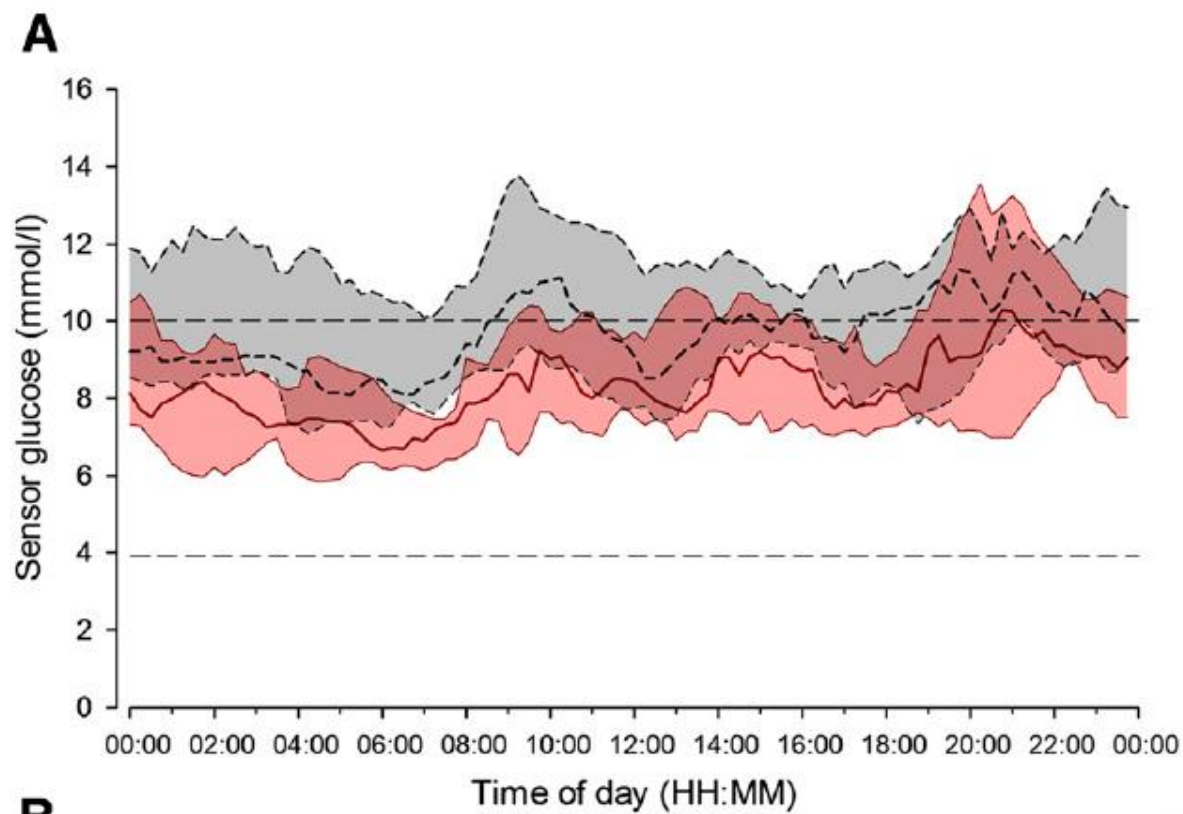


Figure 2—Individual values of mean sensor glucose levels during day-and-night closed-loop study. The size of the bubble indicates the proportion of time spent with low glucose levels <2.8 mmol/L.



Therapy: Glucagon Nasal Powder

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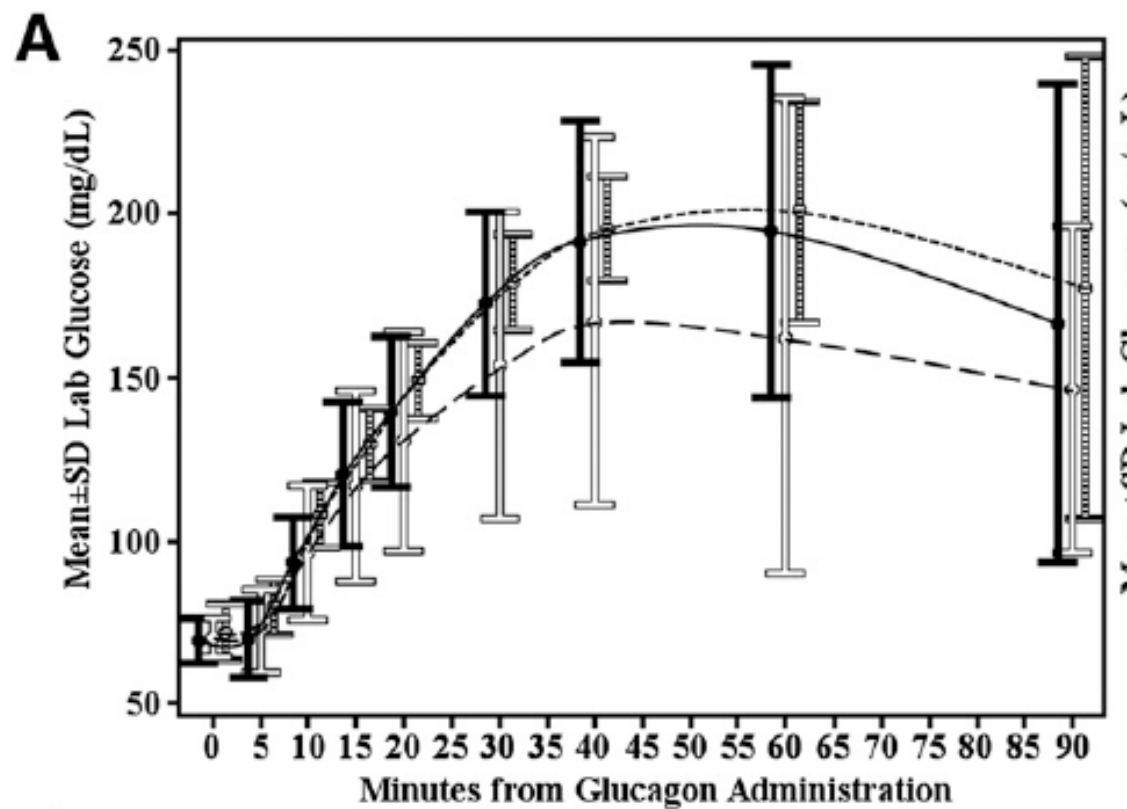


Glucagon Nasal Powder: A Promising Alternative to Intramuscular Glucagon in Youth With Type 1 Diabetes

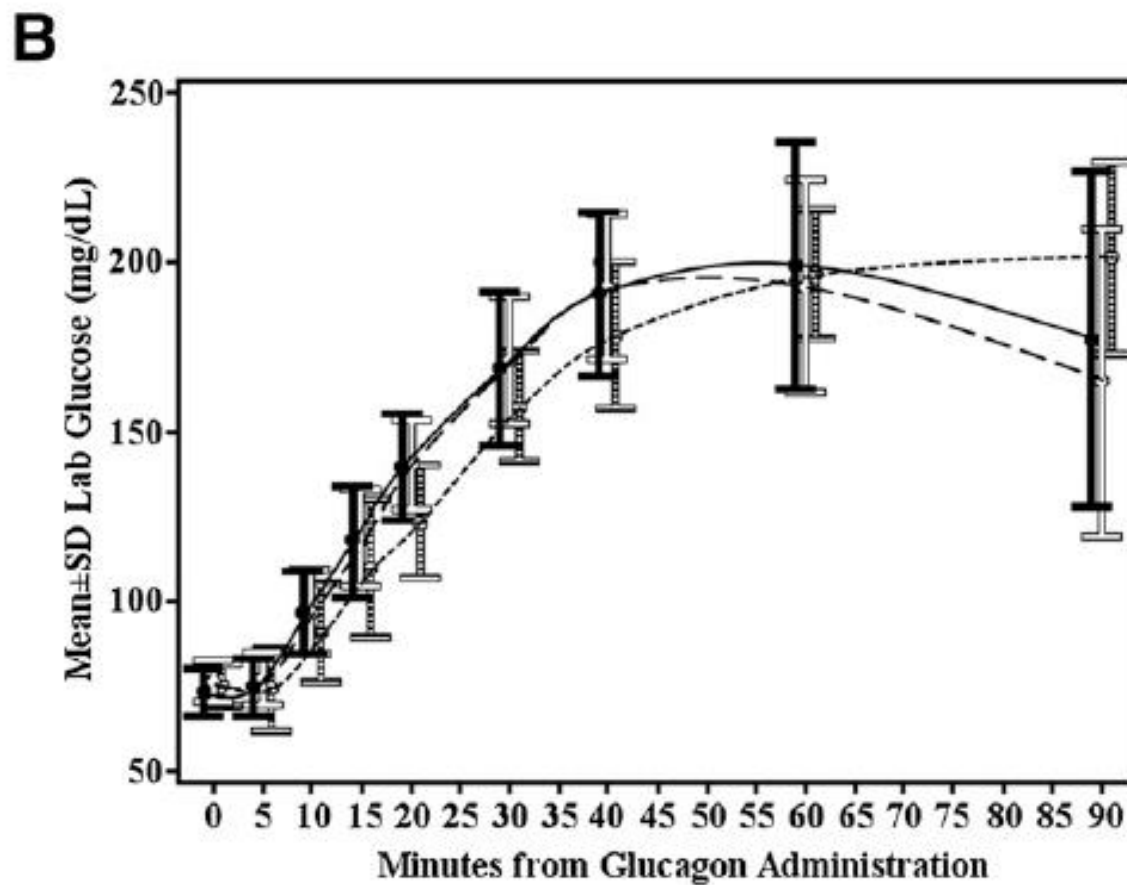
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4- <8 year old



8- <12 year old

— 3 mg intranasal
- - - 2 mg intranasal
... intramuscular

Therapy: Fast Acting Aspart

Fast-Acting Insulin Aspart
Improves Glycemic Control in
Basal-Bolus Treatment for Type 1
Diabetes: Results of a 26-Week
Multicenter, Active-Controlled,
Treat-to-Target, Randomized,
Parallel-Group Trial (Onset 1)

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26 weeks: → Faster Aspart: Iasp: Postmeal faster aspart = 381:380:382

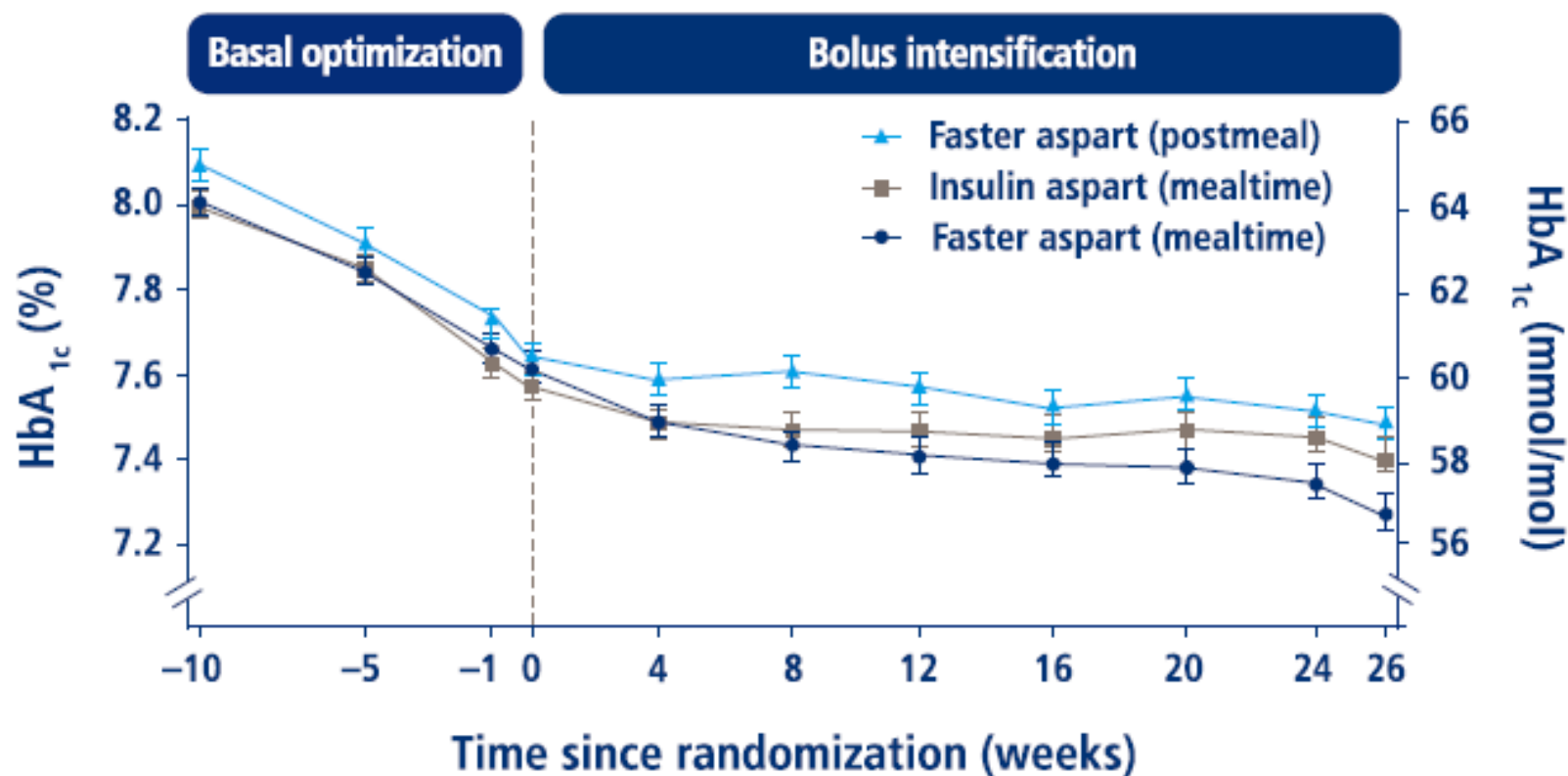
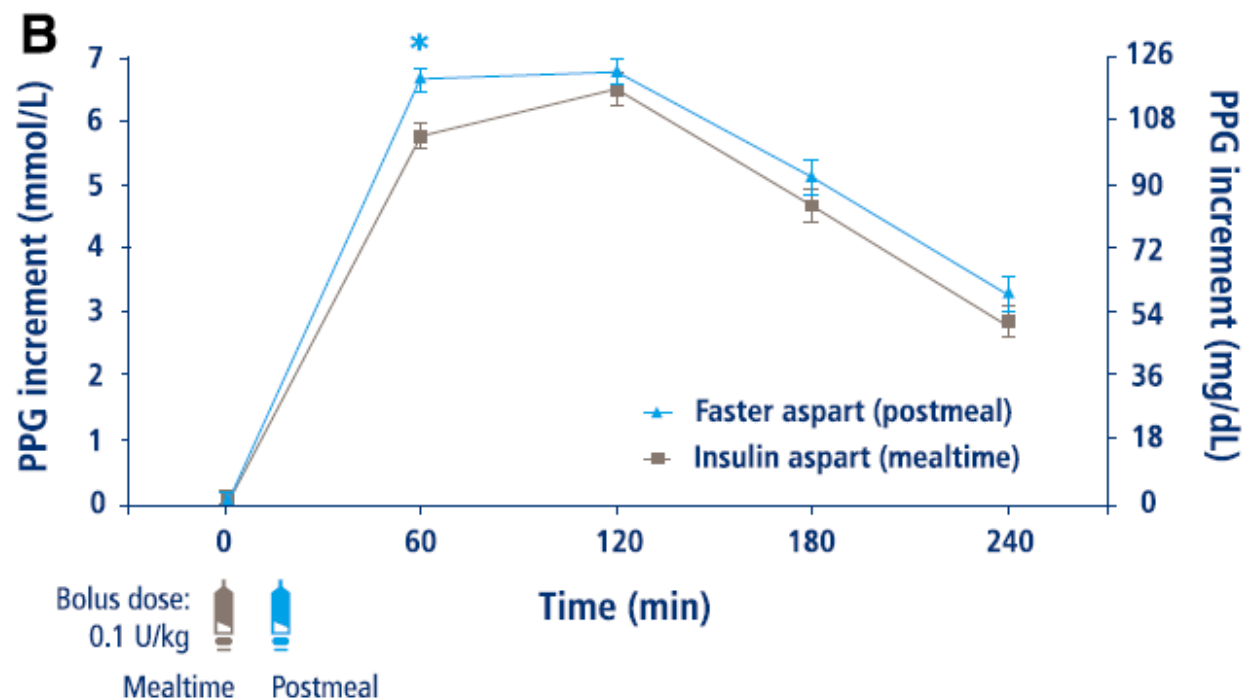
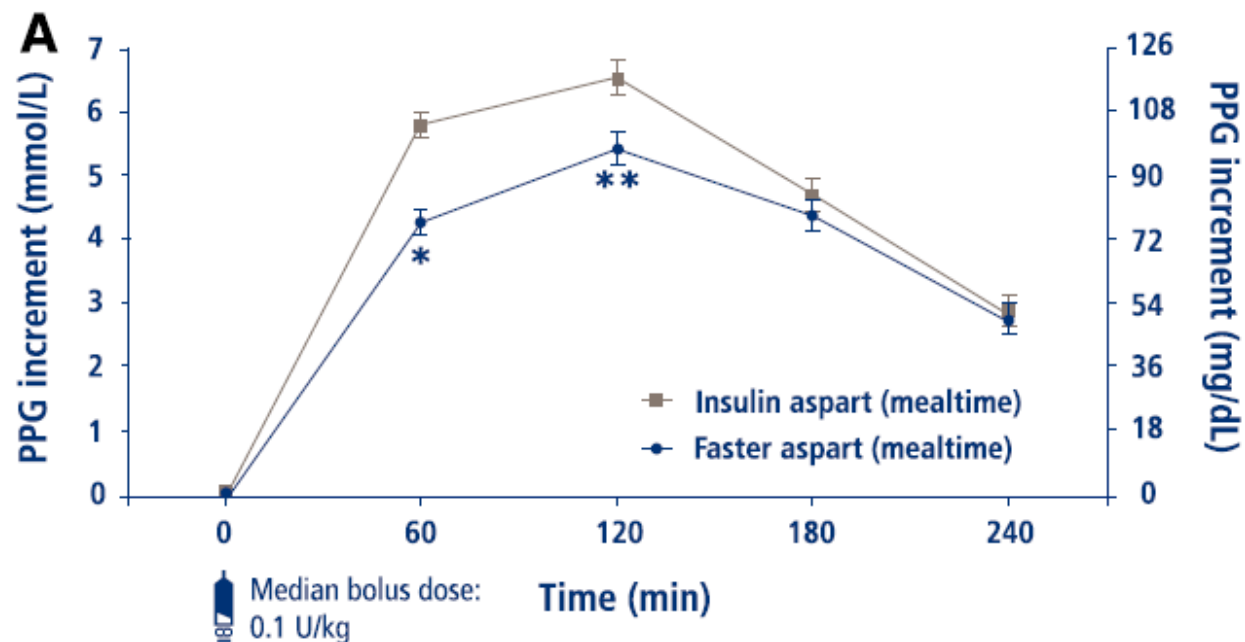


Figure 1—Mean HbA_{1c} over time. During run-in, observed mean HbA_{1c} was reduced from 8.1% (64.9 mmol/mol) to 7.6% (59.9 mmol/mol) for subjects subsequently randomized to receive post-meal faster aspart ($n = 382$), from 8.0% (64.0 mmol/mol) to 7.6% (59.7 mmol/mol) for subjects subsequently randomized to receive mealtime insulin aspart ($n = 380$), and from 8.0% (64.0 mmol/mol) to 7.6% (59.3 mmol/mol) for subjects subsequently randomized to receive mealtime faster aspart ($n = 381$). During the 26-week treatment period, the observed mean HbA_{1c} decreased to 7.5% (58.6 mmol/mol) with postmeal faster aspart, 7.4% (57.6 mmol/mol) with mealtime insulin aspart, and 7.3% (56.4 mmol/mol) with mealtime faster aspart. Error bars: \pm SEM.



- Faster aspart improved HbA1c, non-inferior to IAsp
- Superior PPG control
- Postmeal faster aspart was non-inferior to IAsp

Complications: Hypoglycemia

Diurnal Differences in Risk of Cardiac Arrhythmias During Spontaneous Hypoglycemia in Young People With Type 1 Diabetes

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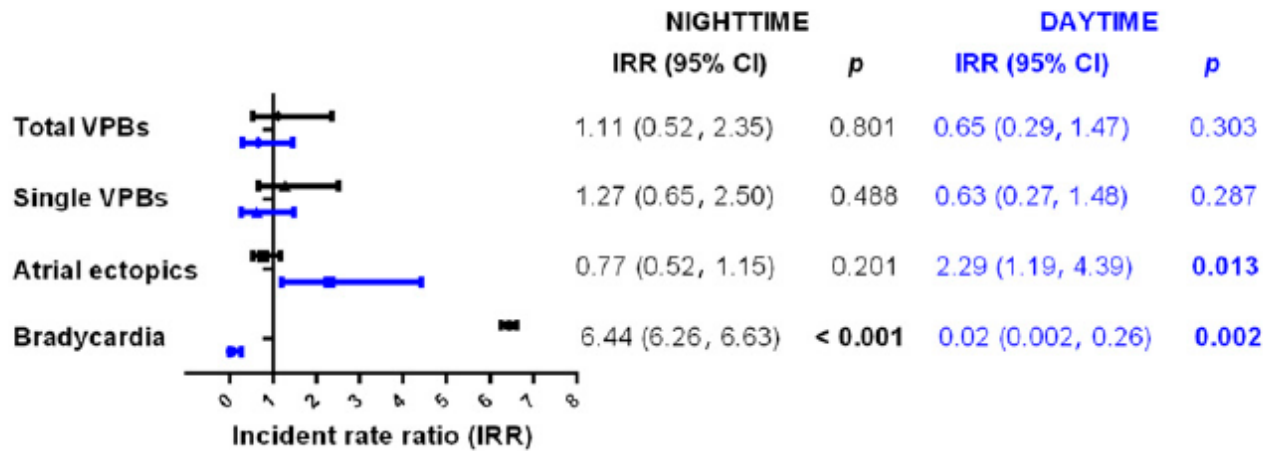


Figure 1—IRRs of distinct types of arrhythmias during hypoglycemia vs. euglycemia. Comparison between nocturnal (2300–0700 h) and daytime episodes. No complex ventricular paroxysmal beats (VPBs) were detected during nocturnal hypoglycemia (see also Table 3), and therefore no IRRs could be calculated for this type of arrhythmia. *P* values indicate significance of difference in arrhythmia rates during hypoglycemia vs. euglycemia. Values in boldface type indicate statistical significance.

- 37 T1D
- 2,395 Hr of ECG and CGM recordings
- 159 Hr of hypoglycemia
- 24% of nocturnal and 51% of daytime were symptomatic
- Nighttime duration was longer 60 vs 44 min
- During nighttime- bradycardia was more common
- Daytime- more atrial ectopy
- Hypoglycemia – both day and night- was associated with prolonged QTc and abnormal T wave

Complications: Musculoskeletal

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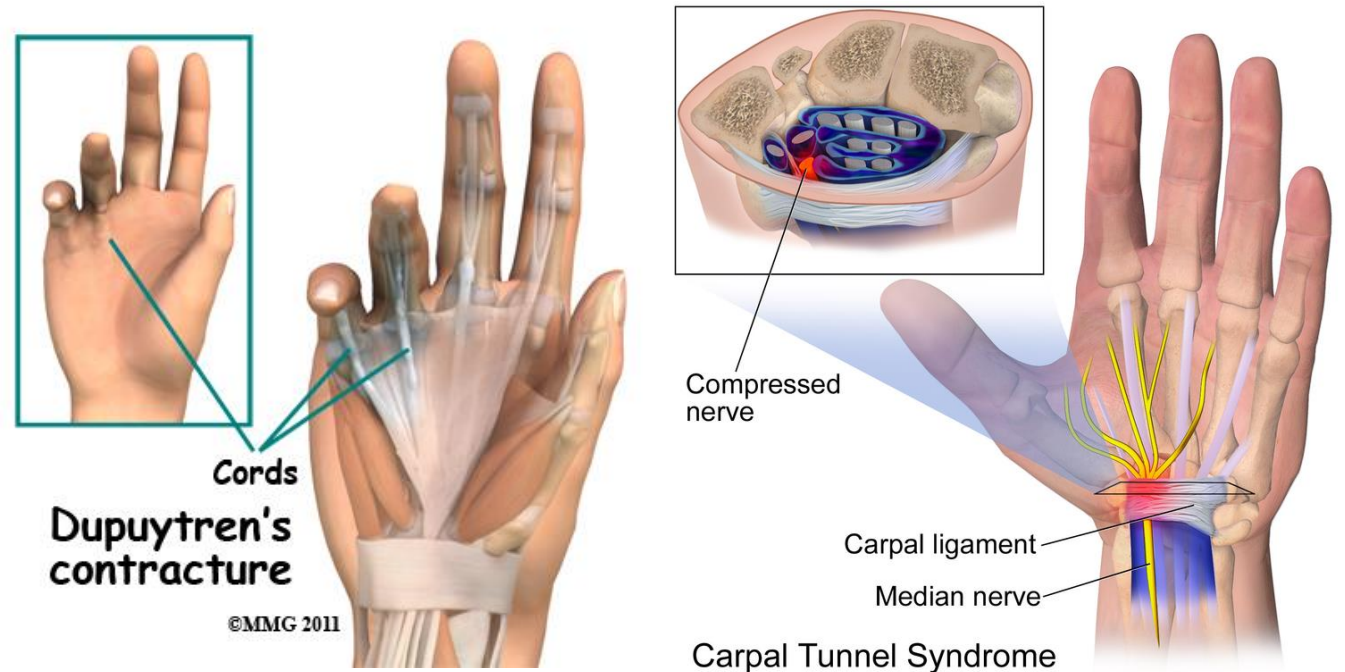
Musculoskeletal Complications in Type 1 Diabetes

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1,217 Patients in EDIC cohort at 18/19 years of follow up (of 23 years)

- **Cheiroarthropathy**
- **Periarticular thickening of skins and limited joint movement**
- Adhesive capsulitis
- Carpal tunnel syndrome
- Flexor tenosynovitis
- Positive prayer sign
- Dupuytren's contracture



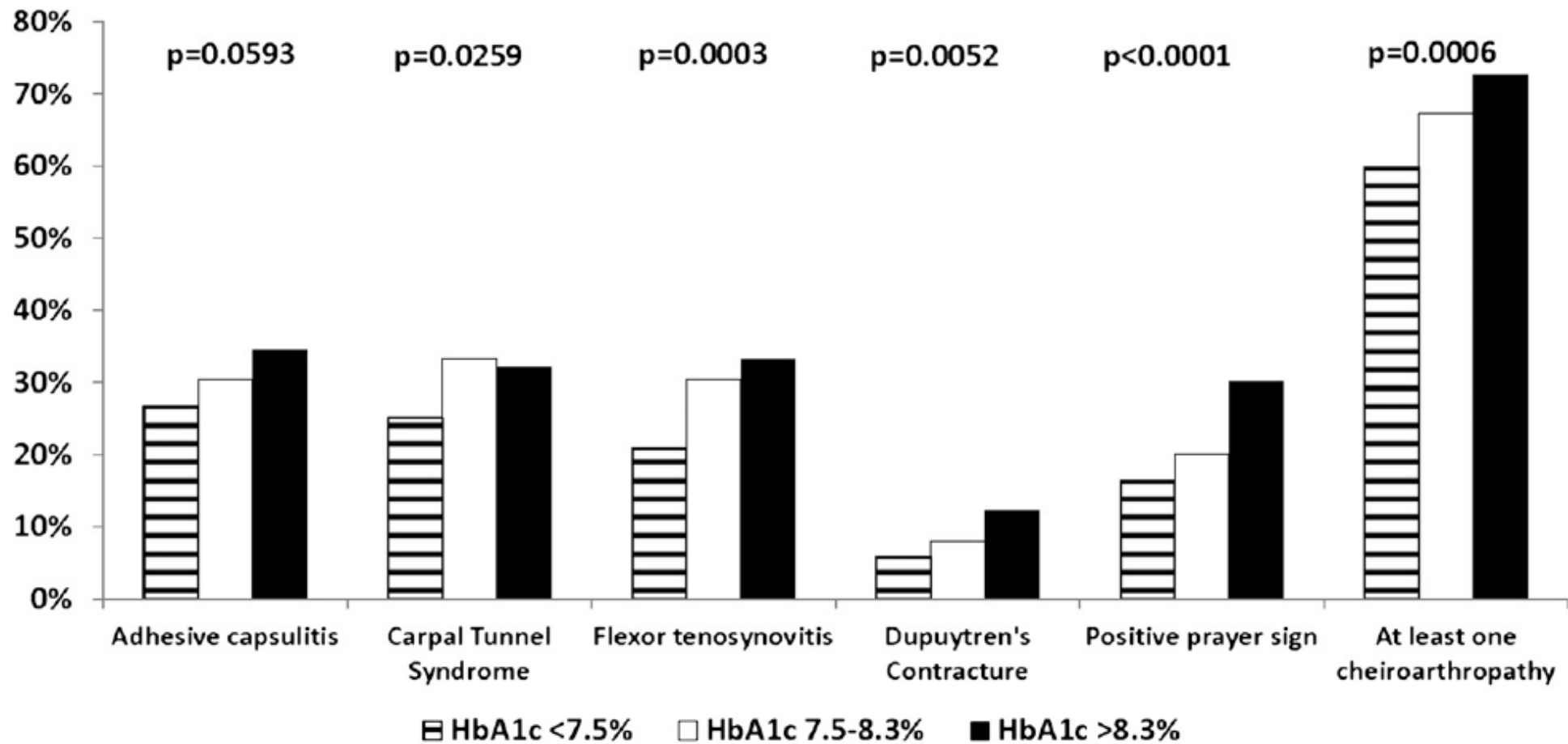


Figure 1—Association of prevalence of cheiroarthropathy by tertiles of time-weighted HbA_{1c} during the DCCT/EDIC (1983–2011). Subjects could report more than one type of cheiroarthropathy. The *P* values estimate the HbA_{1c} group differences calculated using the contingency χ^2 test for categorical variables. Twenty subjects were missing an HbA_{1c} measurement at EDIC year 18.

Cheiroarthropathy= found in 66%

Female, older age, longer DM duration, retinopathy and neuropathy

Complications: Glycemic Variability

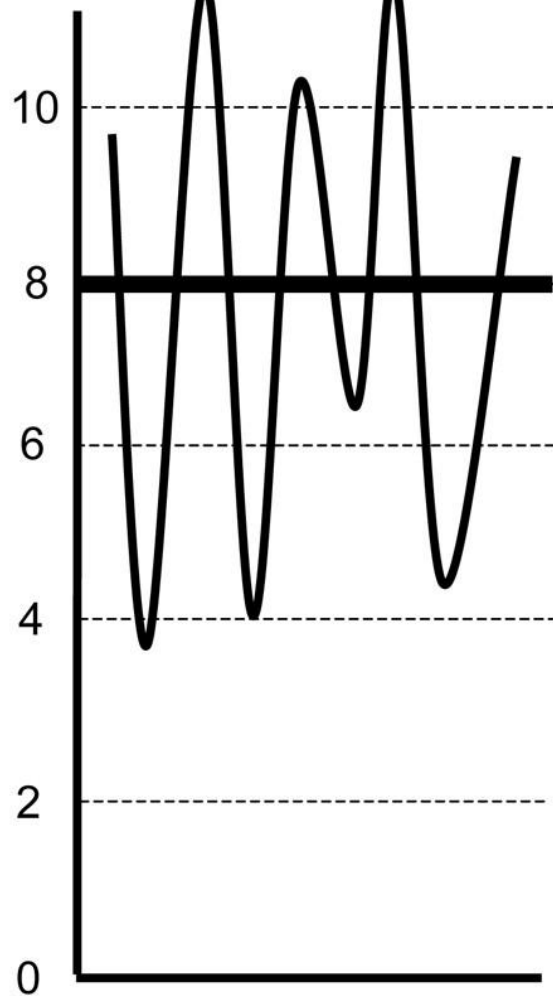
Association of Glycemic Variability
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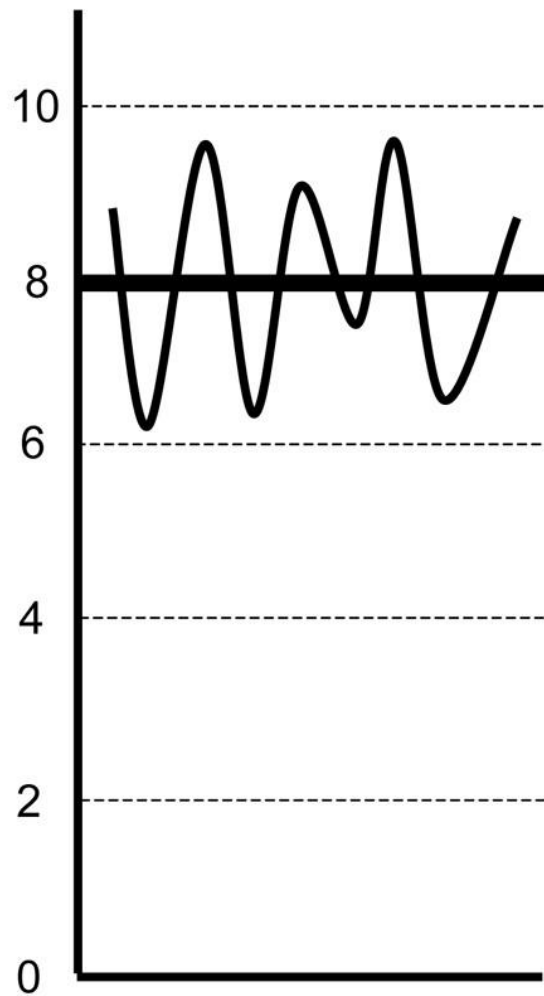
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(a)
(mmol/L)



(b)
(mmol/L)



- Standard deviation (SD)
- Coefficient of Variation (CV)
- MAGE
- M Value

Table 2—Association of measures of glucose variability over a mean of 6.5 years of quarterly follow-up in the DCCT*

| | | Adjusted for mean blood glucose* | | |
|------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|---------|----------|
| | Hazard ratio | 95% CL | Z value | P value† |
| Retinopathy | | | | |
| Within-day | | | | |
| SD | 0.937 | 0.834, 1.054 | −1.08 | 0.28 |
| MAGE | 0.938 | 0.837, 1.050 | −1.11 | 0.27 |
| M-value | 0.804 | 0.582, 1.112 | −1.32 | 0.19 |
| Longitudinal | | | | |
| Total blood glucose variance | 0.951 | 0.844, 1.072 | −0.83 | 0.41 |
| Between-day variance | 0.920 | 0.839, 1.009 | −1.76 | 0.08 |
| Within-day variance | 0.970 | 0.872, 1.080 | −0.55 | 0.59 |
| Mean MAGE | 0.966 | 0.853, 1.095 | −0.54 | 0.60 |
| Mean M-value | 0.972 | 0.792, 1.191 | −0.28 | 0.79 |
| Microalbuminuria | | | | |
| Within-day | | | | |
| SD | 1.021 | 0.842, 1.238 | 0.21 | 0.84 |
| MAGE | 1.01 | 0.834, 1.213 | 0.062 | 0.96 |
| M-value | 0.899 | 0.517, 1.564 | −0.38 | 0.71 |
| Longitudinal | | | | |
| Total blood glucose variance | 1.084 | 0.838, 1.401 | 0.61 | 0.54 |
| Between-day variance | 1.132 | 0.999, 1.283 | 1.95 | 0.06 |
| Within-day variance | 0.904 | 0.698, 1.172 | −0.76 | 0.45 |
| Mean MAGE | 0.812 | 0.621, 1.062 | −1.52 | 0.13 |
| Mean M-value | 2.142 | 1.505, 3.048 | 4.23 | <0.0001 |

| Odds ratio | | | | |
|--|-------|--------------|------|--------|
| Cardiovascular autonomic neuropathy | | | | |
| Within-day | | | | |
| SD | 1.098 | 0.952, 1.268 | 1.29 | 0.20 |
| MAGE | 1.138 | 0.999, 1.298 | 1.93 | 0.06 |
| M-value | 1.336 | 0.953, 1.874 | 1.68 | 0.10 |
| Longitudinal | | | | |
| Total blood glucose variance | 1.357 | 1.114, 1.655 | 3.03 | 0.0025 |
| Between-day variance | 1.221 | 1.052, 1.416 | 2.63 | 0.0087 |
| Within-day variance | 1.132 | 0.946, 1.355 | 1.35 | 0.18 |
| Mean MAGE | 1.155 | 0.925, 1.444 | 1.27 | 0.21 |
| Mean M-value | 1.011 | 0.690, 1.483 | 0.06 | 0.96 |

Complications: Cardiovascular Outcomes

The Diabetes Control and
Complications Trial/Epidemiology
of Diabetes Interventions and
Complications Study at 30 Years:
Overview

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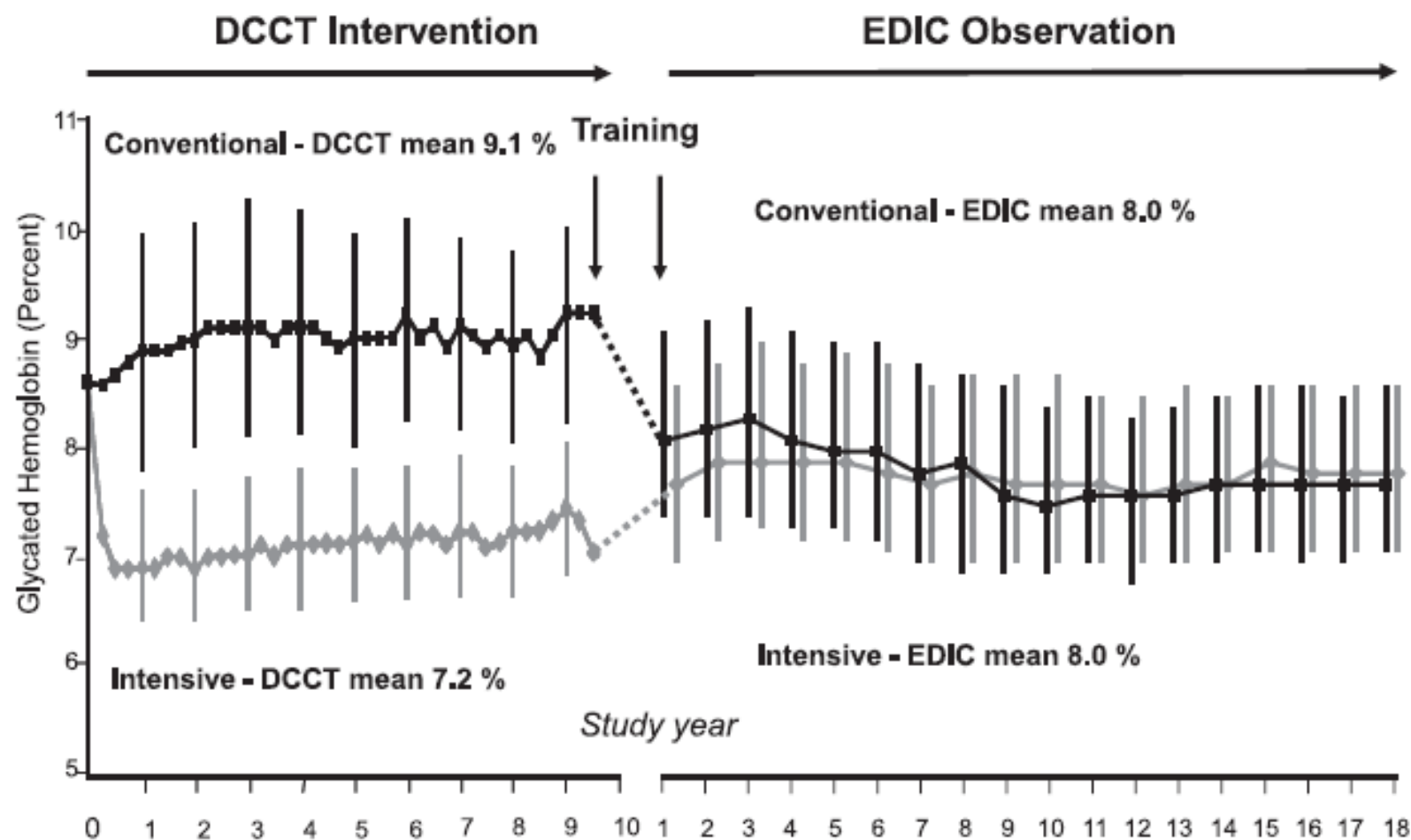


Figure 1—Median HbA_{1c} concentrations during DCCT, the “training” period between DCCT and EDIC, and EDIC. $P < 0.001$ for INT vs. CON during entire DCCT and for the first 3 years during EDIC. Reprinted and modified with permission from Nathan et al. Diabetes Control and Complications Trial/Epidemiology of Diabetes Interventions and Complications study at 30 years: advances and contributions. Diabetes 2013;62:3976–3986.

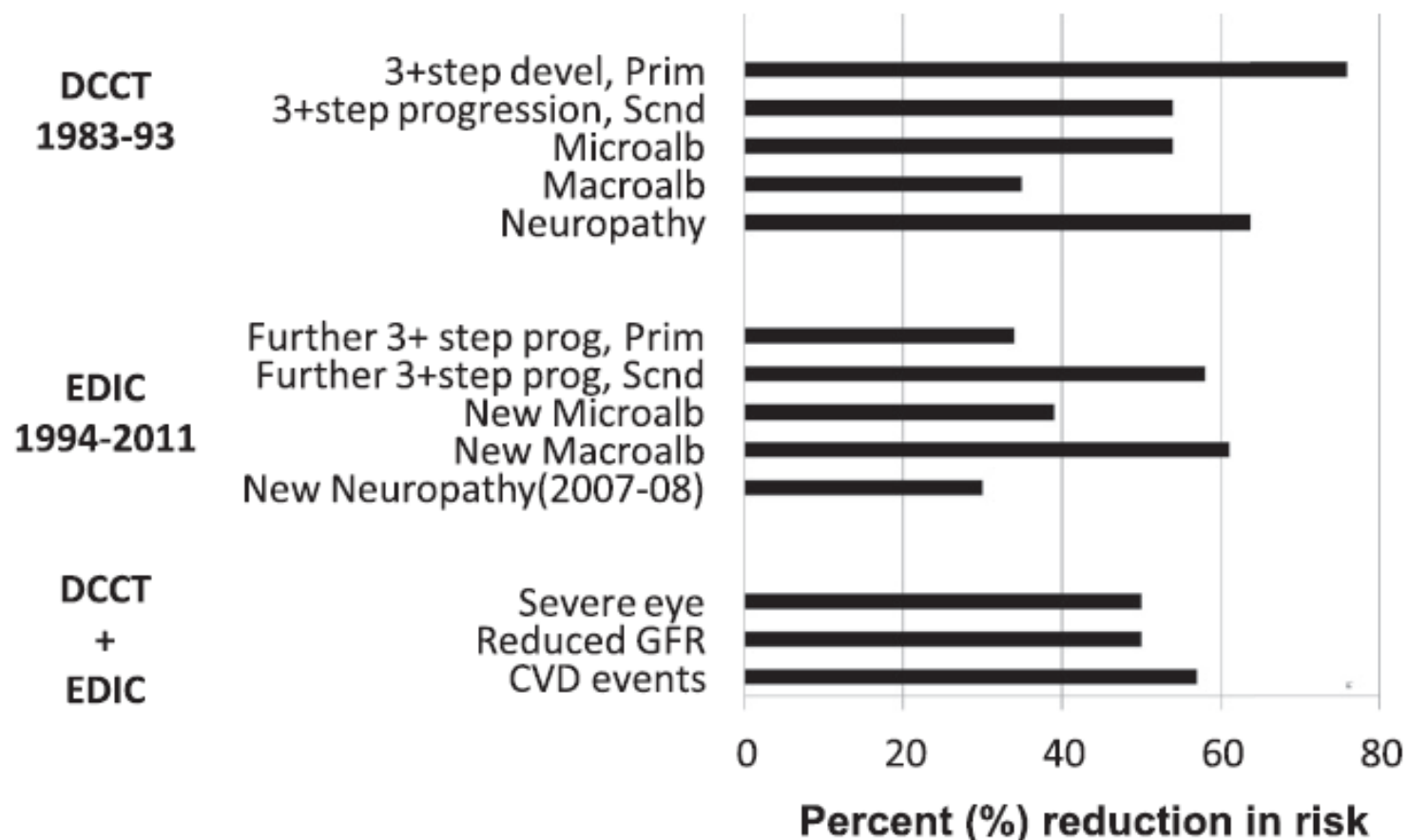


Figure 2—Summary of reduction in major complications with INT compared with CON during DCCT, EDIC, and combined study periods. 3+step devel, Prim: three-step or more development of retinopathy based on Early Treatment of Diabetic Retinopathy scale (ref. 13) in the primary prevention group. Scnd: secondary intervention group. Microalb: microalbuminuria defined as albumin excretion ≥ 40 mg/24 h. Macroalb: macroalbuminuria defined as albumin excretion > 300 mg/24 h. Reduced GFR: estimated GFR < 60 mL/min/1.73 m². CVD events: CVD including myocardial infarctions, stroke, and CVD death. Reprinted with permission from Nathan et al. Diabetes Control and Complications Trial/Epidemiology of Diabetes Interventions and Complications study at 30 years: advances and contributions. Diabetes 2013;62:3976–3986.

Complications: Mortality

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Mortality in Type 1 Diabetes in the DCCT/EDIC Versus the General Population

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Table 1—DCCT/EDIC deaths and death rates by DCCT intensive versus conventional therapy group, primary versus secondary cohort, and sex, with SMRs relative to the U.S. population, along with RMRs comparing two SMRs

| | Observed/expected* | Rate (95% CI)† | SMR (95% CI)‡ | RMR (95% CI)§ | P |
|------------------------|--------------------|----------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------|
| Total (n = 1,441) | 125/114 | 320 (269, 380) | 1.09 (0.92, 1.30) | | |
| Intensive (n = 711) | 51/58 | 263 (200, 345) | 0.88 (0.67, 1.16) | 1.49 (1.04, 2.14) | 0.028 |
| Conventional (n = 730) | 74/56 | 376 (301, 470) | 1.31 (1.05, 1.65) | | |

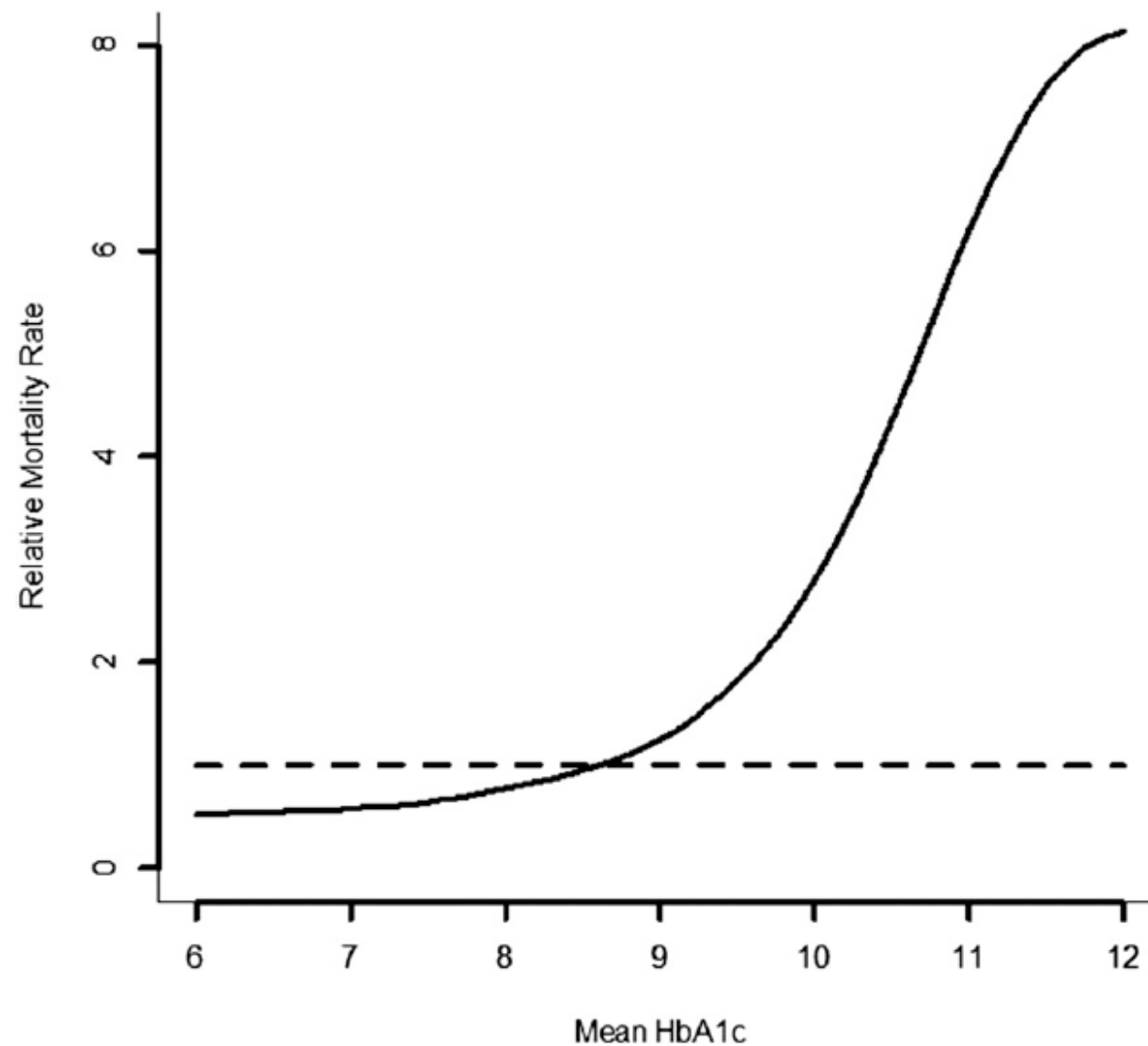


Figure 1—The RMR for the mortality in the combined DCCT/EDIC cohort relative to the age-, sex-, and race-specific risk in the general population as a function of the updated time-dependent mean HbA_{1c} during the DCCT and EDIC from a Poisson regression model. The horizontal dashed line at an RMR of 1.0 represents no difference in risk relative to the general population.

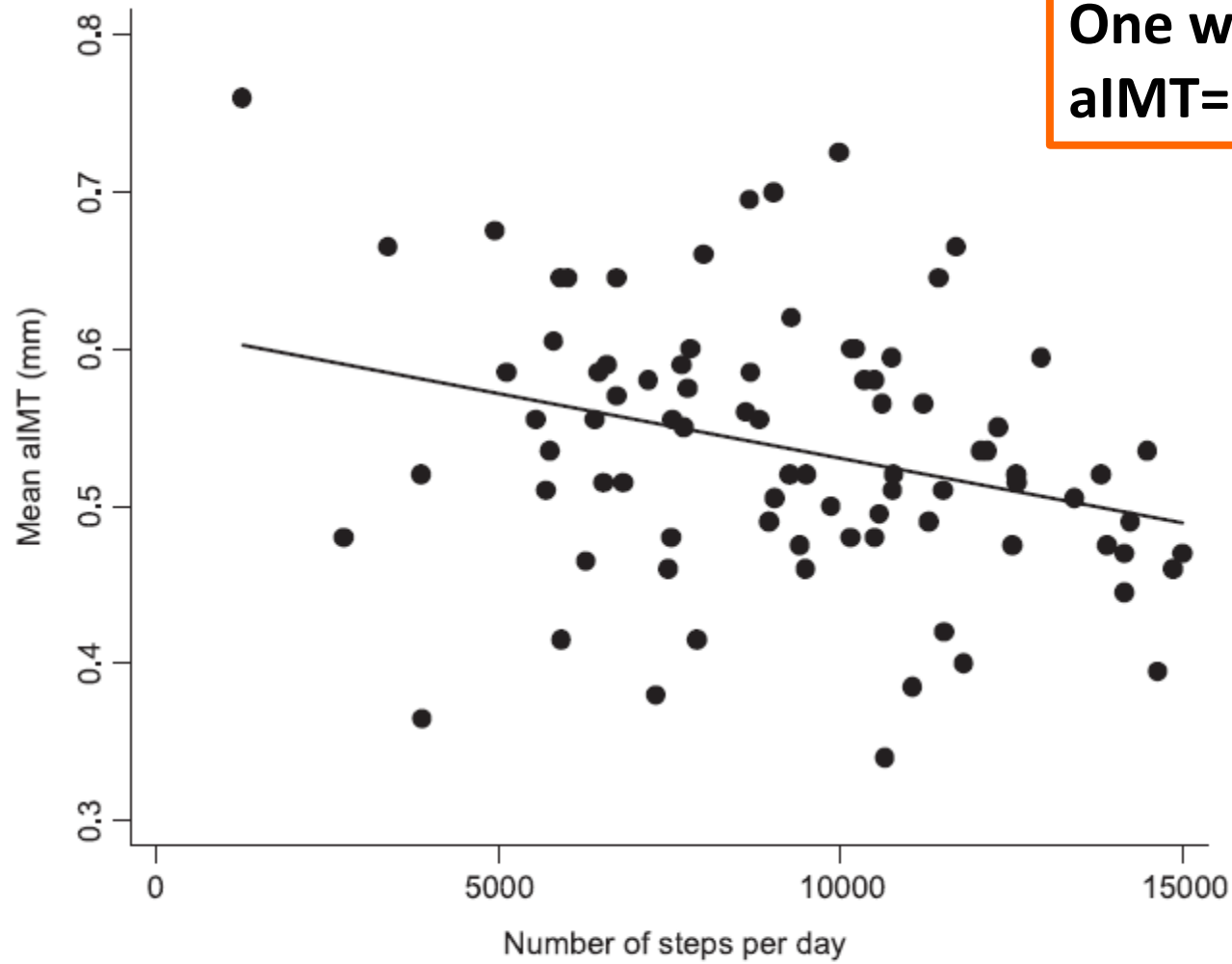
Education and Self-Care: 1000 Steps

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An Extra 1,000 Steps Per Day Relates
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N=90
One weekend monitoring
aIMT= aortic intima media thickness

Figure 1—Mean aIMT related to average steps taken per day ($r = -0.30$, $P = 0.005$) in children with type 1 diabetes.

Education and Self-Care: GoCARB

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- Smartphone application
- Estimated carbohydrate content from photos of plated meals
- 1 week trial

Table 1—CGM and insulin end points

| | GoCARB group (<i>n</i> = 20) | Control group (<i>n</i> = 20) | <i>P</i> value |
|--|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------|
| % Time hyperglycemic (>12 mmol/L) | 15.0 ± 2.0 | 18.2 ± 2.1 | 0.039 |
| % Time hypoglycemic (<3.5 mmol/L) | 2.3 ± 0.8 | 2.6 ± 0.7 | 0.58 |
| % Time in target (3.9–10 mmol/L) | 65.9 ± 2.7 | 63.2 ± 2.8 | 0.19 |
| 180-min postprandial iAUC (mmol/L/min) | 205.9 ± 29.3 | 269.9 ± 39.8 | 0.13 |
| Mean glucose (mmol/L) | 8.7 ± 0.3 | 8.9 ± 0.3 | 0.15 |
| Glucose standard deviation (mmol/L) | 3.0 ± 0.1 | 3.2 ± 0.2 | 0.007 |
| Daily bolus insulin (units/24 h) | 27.5 ± 2.3 | 30.0 ± 2.3 | 0.11 |
| Number of boluses (<i>n</i> /24 h) | 6.8 ± 0.4 | 7.3 ± 0.5 | 0.12 |
| Total daily insulin (units/24 h) | 47.5 ± 3.2 | 50.0 ± 3.2 | 0.14 |

Data presented as mean ± SEM. iAUC, incremental area under the sensor glucose curve.

Education and Self-Care: Mealtime Insulin

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50GM Carb

LFLP- 4g of fat; 9 gm protein

HFHP- 44 gm of fat, 36 gm protein

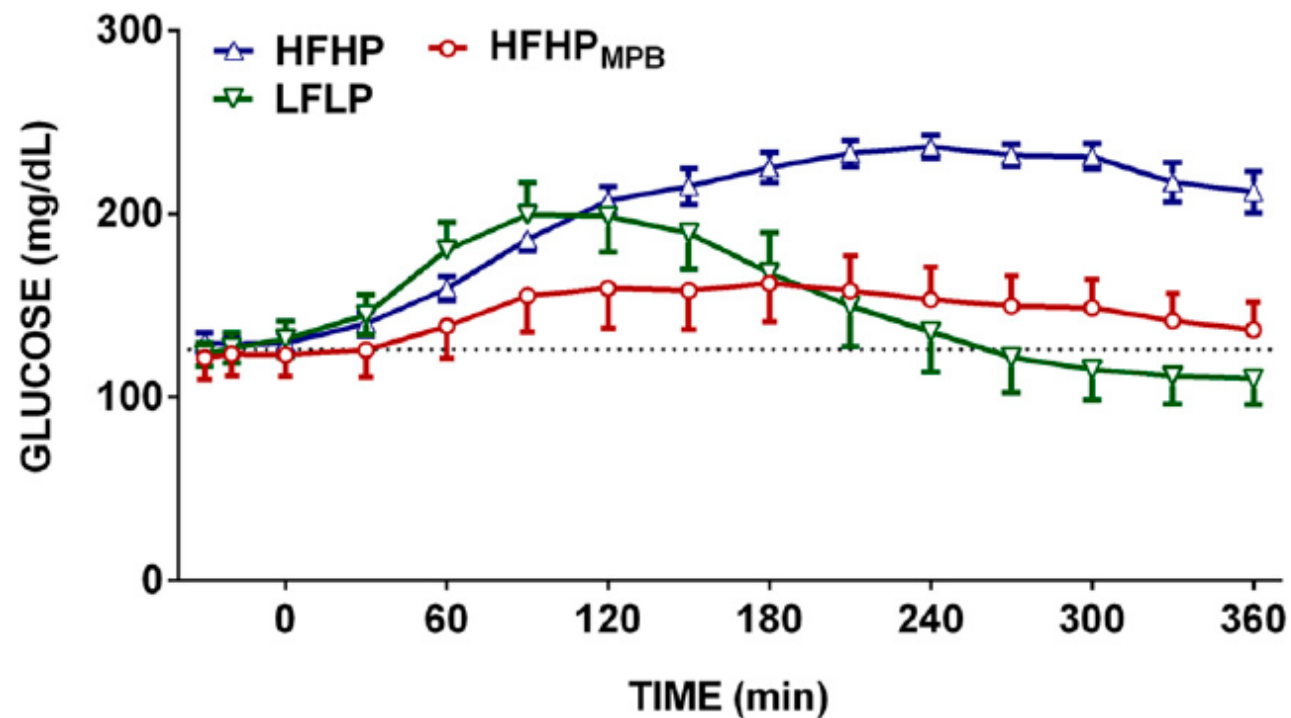


Figure 1—Postprandial plasma glucose response following LFLP and HFHP meals with identical carbohydrate content and insulin dose and an HFHP meal with optimal MPB (HFHP_{MPB}).

With the same insulin dose, the HFHP increased the glucose incremental area under the curve over twofold ($13,320 \pm 2,960$ vs. $27,092 \pm 1,709$ mg/dL · min; $P = 0.0013$). To achieve target glucose control following the HFHP, 65% more insulin was required (range 17%–124%) with a 30%/70% split over 2.4 h.

Education and Self-Care: Health Care Transition

Health Care Transition Preparation and Experiences in a U.S. National Sample of Young Adults With Type 1 Diabetes

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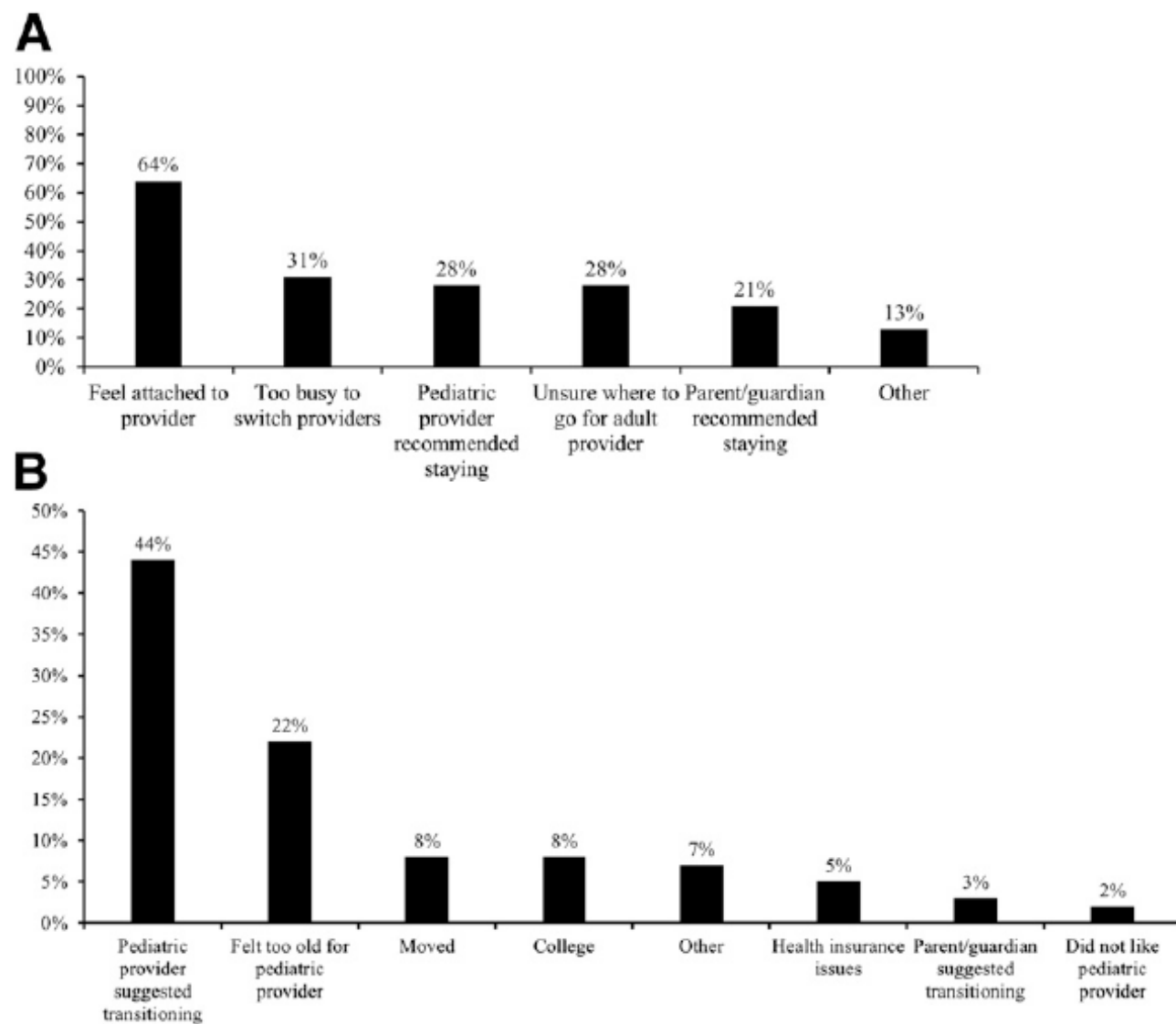
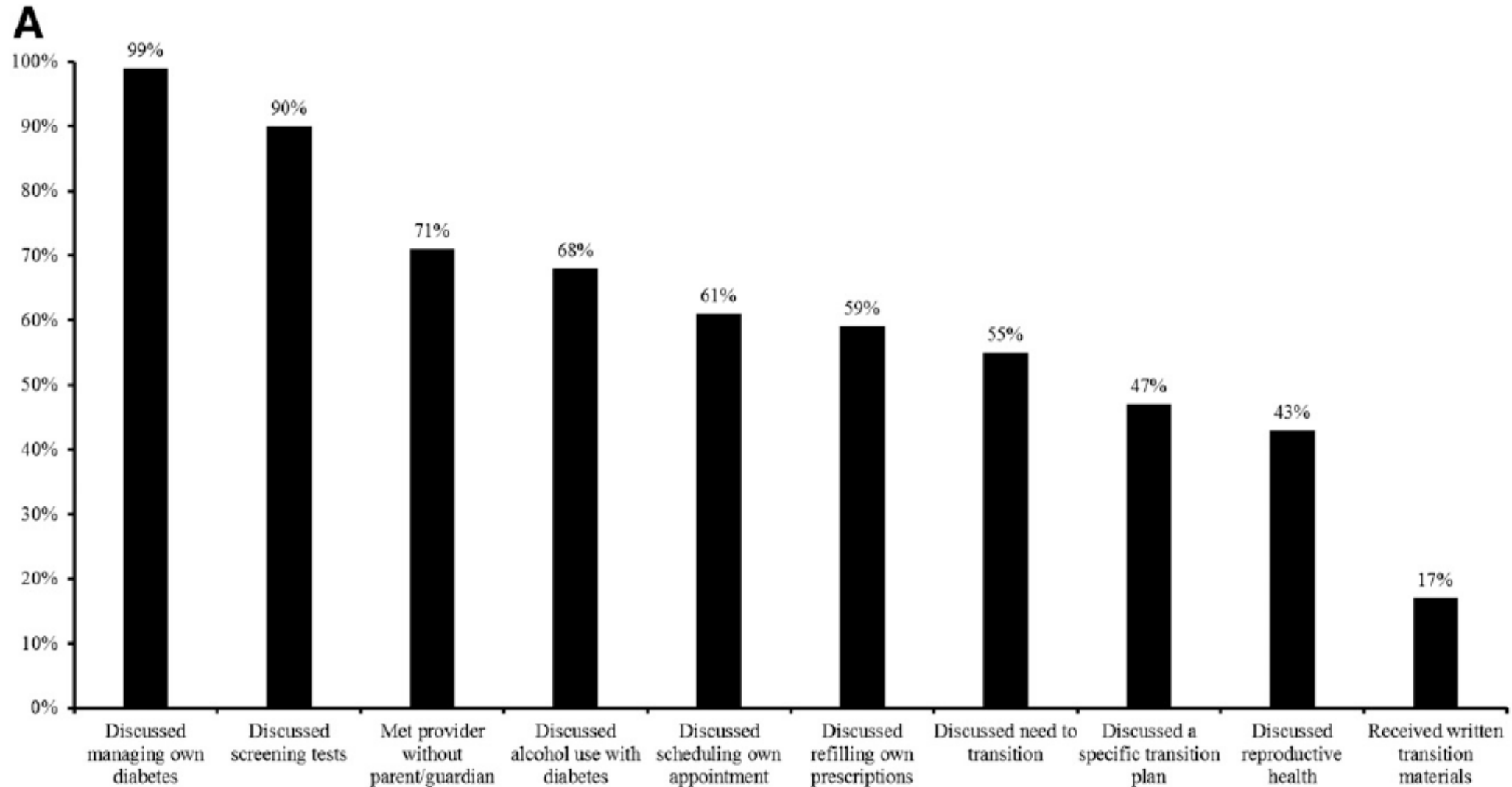


Figure 1—A: Reasons for remaining with the pediatric provider. **B:** Main reason for leaving the pediatric provider.

Transition preparation in those with Pediatric providers



Transition preparation in those with Adult providers

B

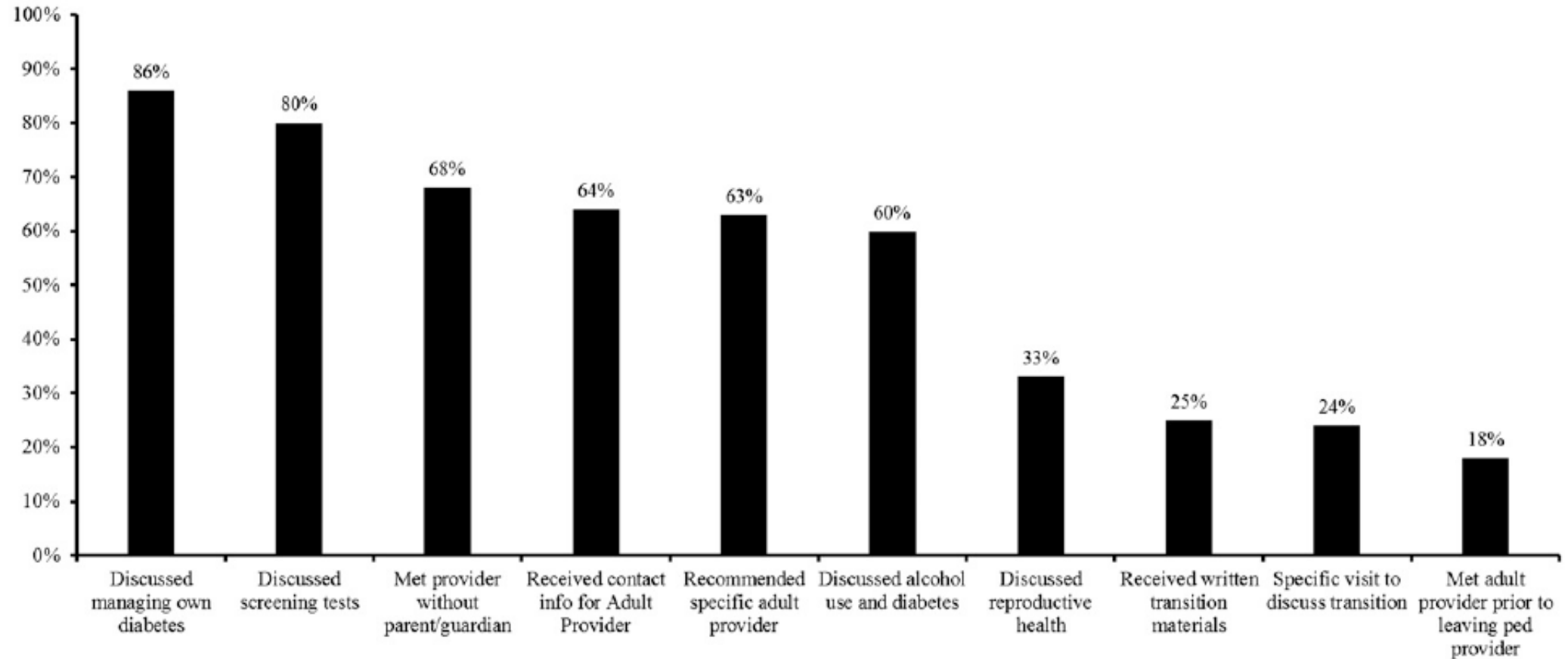


Table 2—Factors associated with a gap of >6 months in care between pediatric and adult providers

| | Total <i>N</i> (%) | Gap in care >6 months <i>n</i> (%) | OR (95% CI) ^a |
|---|-----------------------|--|-----------------------------|
| No. of visits to pediatric provider during 12 months before transition | | | |
| 0–2 visits | 101 (36) | 32 (32) | 3.2 (1.7, 6.1) |
| ≥3 visits | 183 (64) | 25 (14) | 1.0 |
| Participant-reported preparedness to transition ^b | | | |
| Prepared | 197 (66) | 29 (15) | 1.0 |
| Not prepared | 102 (34) | 34 (33) | 3.3 (1.7, 6.3) |

^aORs were calculated from a logistic regression model including the factors of interest (number of visits to pediatric provider during the 12 months before transition and participant-reported preparedness to transition), adjusting for race/ethnicity, insurance status, and occurrence of one or more major life changes in the past year. ^bPrepared to transition was assigned for participants reporting they were mostly or completely prepared to leave their pediatric provider. Not prepared to transition was assigned for participants reporting they were completely/mostly unprepared or neutral.