



*2018 Clinical Practice Guidelines for  
the Prevention and Management of  
Diabetes in Canada*

**Les éléments essentiels**

# Objectifs

- 1.- Connaitre les particularités des nouvelles lignes directrices de **Diabète Canada 2018**
- 2.- Connaitre **l'algorithme de traitement** du diabète de type 2 en 2018
- 3.- Personnaliser le traitement en **présence** ou **non** de **maladie cardiovasculaire établie** dans le diabète de type 2

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# Les Lignes Directrices de Diabète Canada 2018

- The 2018 guidelines were released on **April 9, 2018** and are housed on the Diabetes Canada website at <http://guidelines.diabetes.ca>
- In addition to the full guidelines, various **tools** and **resources** are present on the website and are updated regularly
- Only medications with **Health Canada Notice of Compliance** granted by September 15, 2017 were included

# IDF *DIABETES ATLAS*

## *Eighth edition 2017*



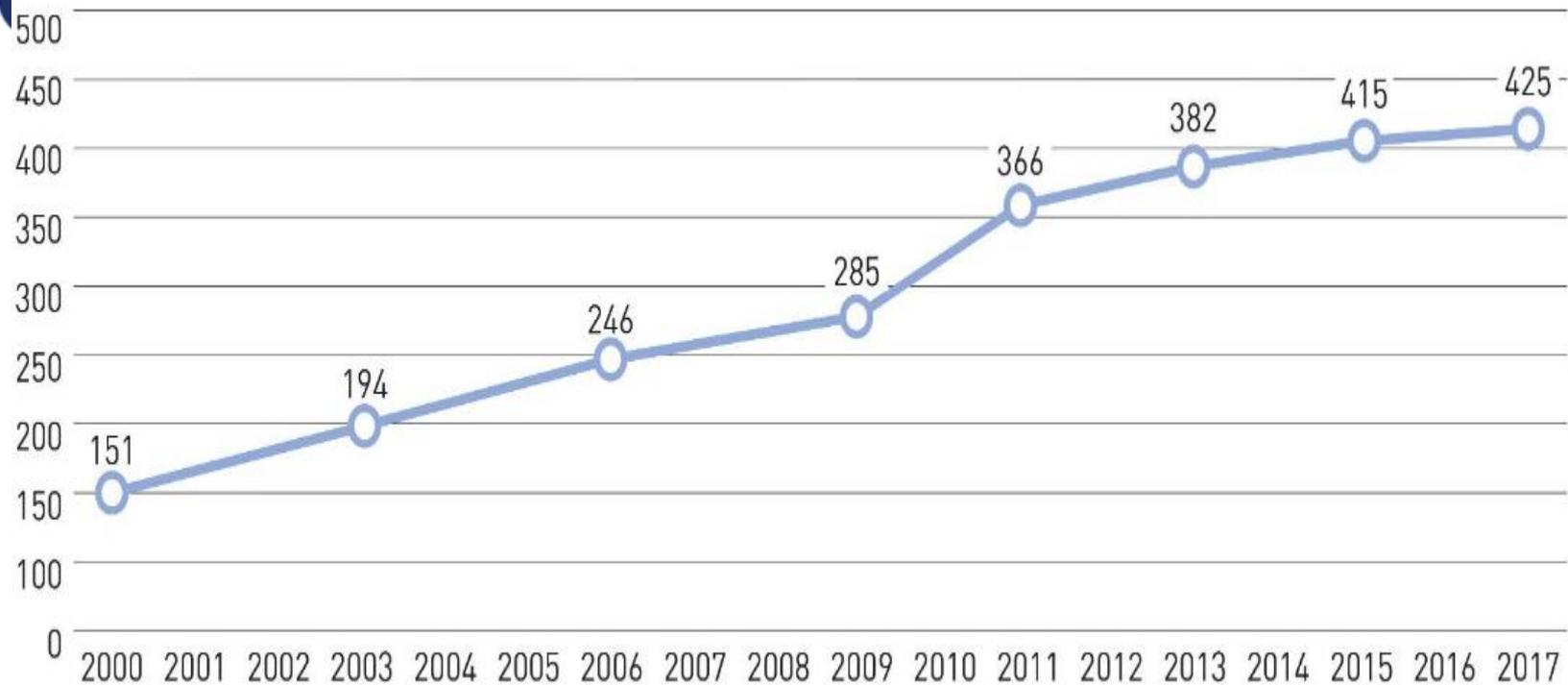
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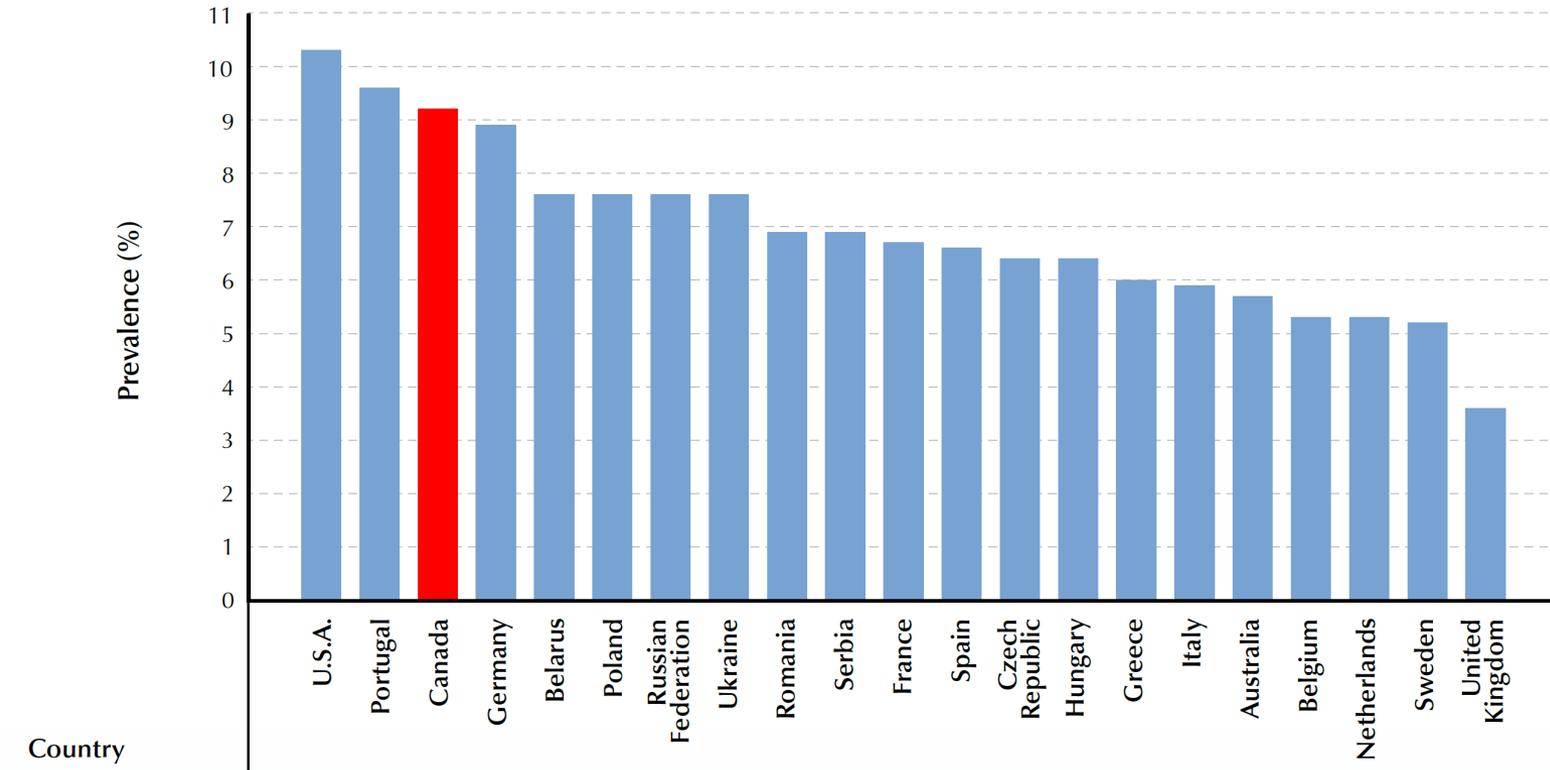
# Diabetes around the world

## DIABETES CANADA

Total number of adults with diabetes (20-79 years)



# Prevalence of Diabetes among Individuals aged 20-79 years, Europe, North America, Oceania, 2010

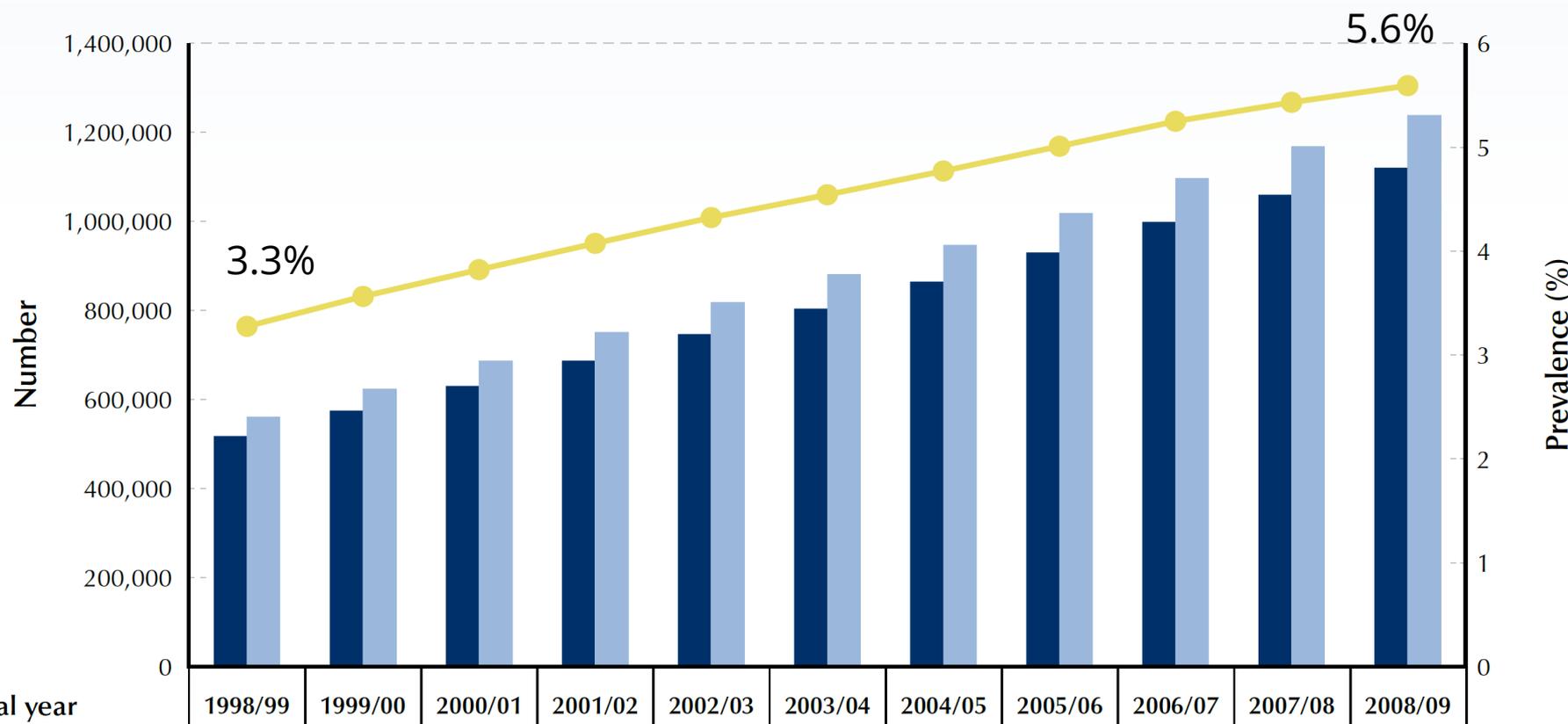


† Standardized to the global population.

Source: Public Health Agency of Canada (2011); adapted from Shaw JE, Sicree RA, Zimmet PZ. Global estimates of the prevalence of diabetes for 2010 and 2030. *Diab Res Clin Pract* 2010;87:4-14.

# Diabetes in Canada: Prevalence of Diagnosed Diabetes 1998/99 to 2008/09

Age-standardized prevalence and number of cases of **diagnosed diabetes** among individuals **aged  $\geq 1$  year**, 1998/99 to 2008/09



# Message Clé Diabète 2018

- L'importance **d'individualiser le traitement** pour la **personne atteinte de diabète** demeure à travers les lignes directrices.



# 2018 Clinical Practice Guidelines

## Screening for Diabetes in Adults

### Chapter 4

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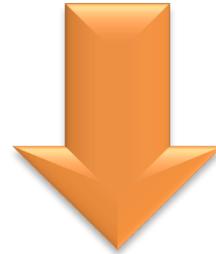
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# Dépistage et Diagnostic du Diabète



# Avons-nous besoin de dépister le Diabète de Type 1 ?



**NON**

Il n'y a pas assez d'évidence provenant  
d'interventions pour prévenir ou retarder l'apparition  
du Diabète de Type 1

# No Safe and Effective Strategies to Prevent Type 1 diabetes at this time

- Type 1 diabetes is a chronic autoimmune condition with destruction of pancreatic beta cells
- Ongoing or completed trials
  - ENDIT<sup>1</sup>: High-dose nicotinamide – Not effective
  - DPT-1<sup>2</sup>: Low-dose insulin in high risk relatives – Not effective overall
  - TRIGR<sup>3</sup>: Exclusion of cow's milk protein to infants until 6-8 months of age – Not effective
- Alternate strategy to use **immunosuppression / modulation** at the time of diagnosis but **significant side effects** and **ethical** considerations

1. Lancet 2004;363:925

2. NEJM 2002;346:1685, Diabetes Care 2005;28:1068

3. JAMA 2014;311:2279

# Diagnosis of Diabetes

**FPG  $\geq 7.0$  mmol/L**

Fasting = no caloric intake for at least 8 hours

or

**A1C  $\geq 6.5\%$  (in adults)**

Using a standardized, validated assay in the absence of factors that affect the accuracy of the A1C and not for suspected type 1 diabetes

or

**2hPG in a 75 g OGTT  $\geq 11.1$  mmol/L**

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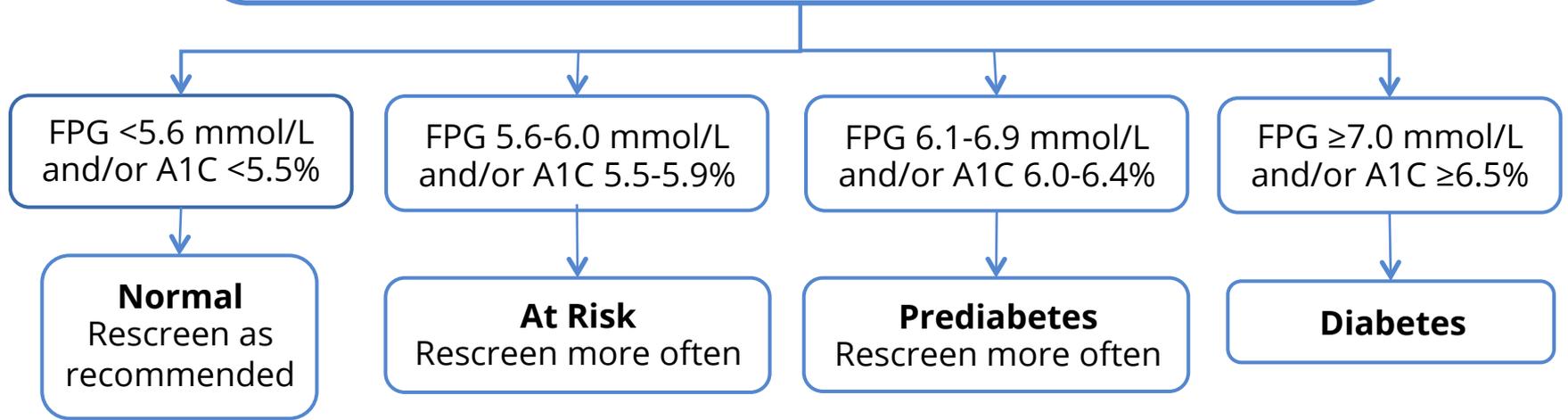
**Random PG  $\geq 11.1$  mmol/L**

Random = any time of the day, without regard to the interval since the last meal

# Dépistage du diabète de type 2 chez les adultes

Screen every **3 years** in individuals **≥40 years of age** or in individuals at high risk\* using a risk calculator.

Screen earlier and/or more frequently (every 6 to 12 months) in people with additional risk factors for diabetes or for those at very high risk\*\* using a risk calculator



If both FPG and A1C are available, but discordant, use the test that appears furthest to the right side of the algorithm.

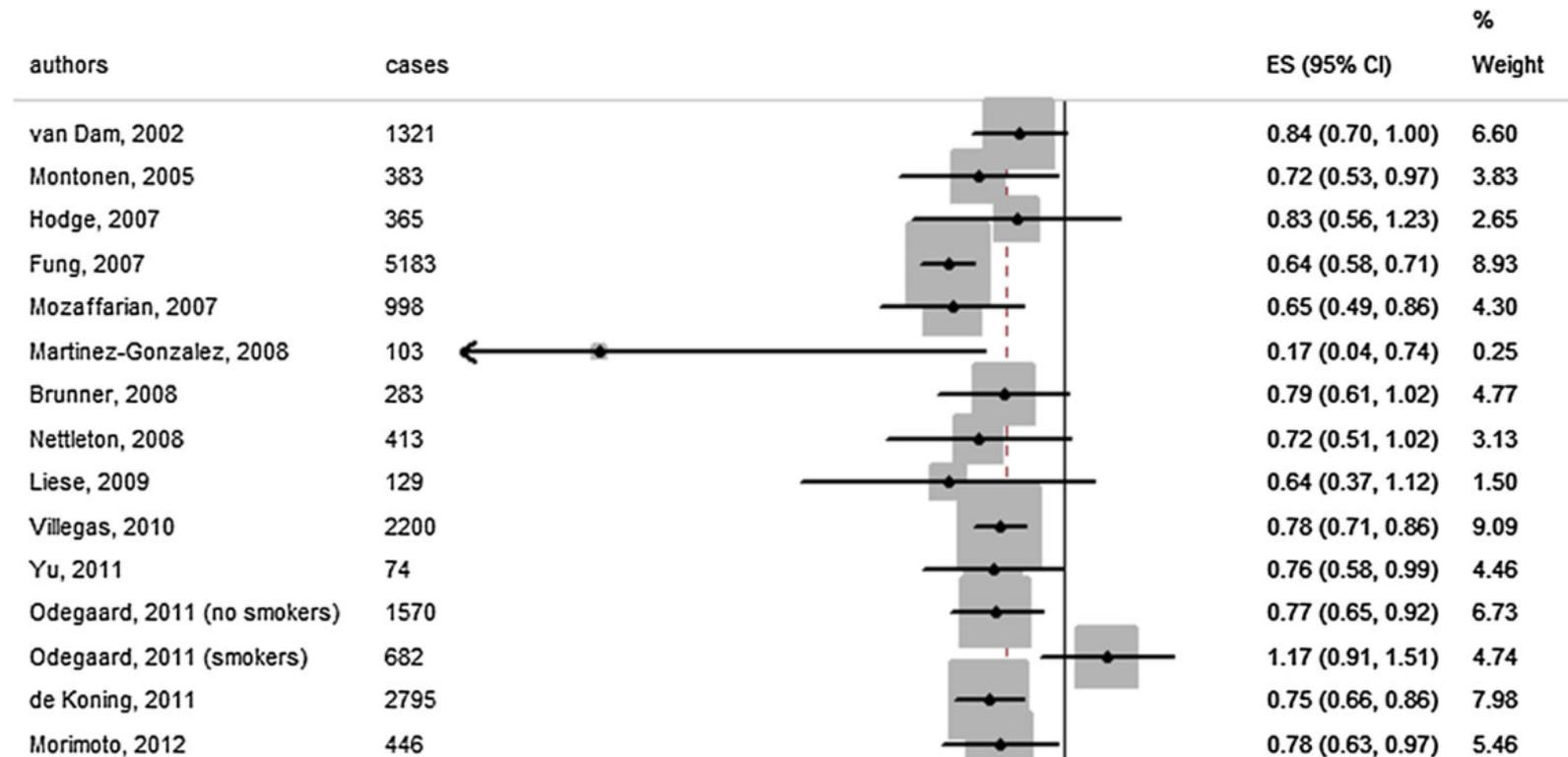
\*Consider 75-g OGTT if 1 risk factors; \*\* Consider 75-g OGTT

# Diagnostic du prédiabète

Tests	Result	Prediabetes category
FPG (mmol/L)	6.1-6.9	IFG
2h PG in a 75g OGTT (mmol/L)	7.8-11.0	IGT
A1C (%)	6.0-6.4	Prediabetes

2hPG, 2-hour plasma glucose; A1C, glycated hemoglobin; FPG, fasting plasma glucose; IFG, impaired fasting glucose; IGT, impaired glucose tolerance; OGTT, oral glucose tolerance test.

# Meta-analysis of healthy dietary patterns and reduced risk of type 2 diabetes



Several healthy diets (Mediterranean, DASH, AHEI) were associated with a 20% reduced risk of future type 2 diabetes

# Recommendation 2

2. In individuals at risk for type 2 diabetes, dietary patterns may be used to reduce the risk of diabetes, specifically:

- **Mediterranean-style** [Grade C, Level 3]
- **DASH (Dietary Approaches to Stop Hypertension)** [Grade C, Level 3]
- **AHEI (Alternate Healthy Eating Index) diet** [Grade C, Level 3]

# Approche globale de la Gestion du Diabète



# ABCDE<sup>3</sup> of Diabetes Care

- **A** • A1C – optimal glycemic control (usually  $\leq 7\%$ )
- **B** • BP – optimal blood pressure control ( $< 130/80$ )
- **C** • Cholesterol – LDL  $< 2.0$  mmol/L or  $> 50\%$  reduction
- **D** • Drugs to protect the heart
  - A – ACEi or ARB | S – Statin | A – ASA if indicated | SGLT2i/GLP-1 RA  
with demonstrated CV benefit if type 2 DM with CVD and A1C not at target
- **E** • Exercise / Healthy Eating
- **S** • Screening for complications
- **S** • Smoking cessation
- **S** • Self-management, stress and other barriers

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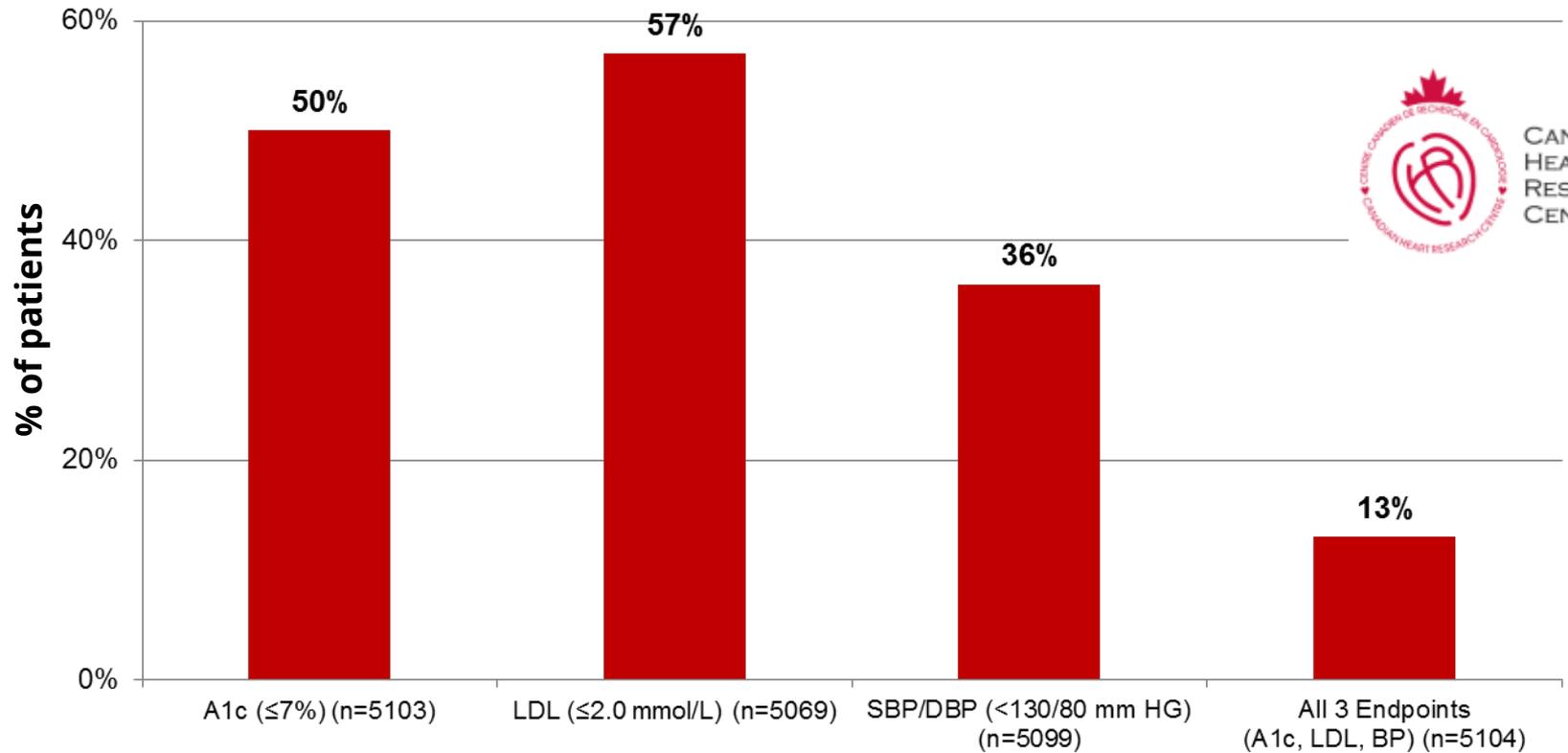
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# Guideline Targets Achieved



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**Pharmacologic Glycemic  
Management of Type 2  
Diabetes**

**Chapter 13**



# Cibles de l'A1C

<b>≤6.5</b>	Adults with type 2 diabetes to reduce the risk of <b>CKD</b> and <b>retinopathy if at low risk of hypoglycemia</b>
<b>≤7.0</b>	<b>MOST ADULTS WITH TYPE 1 OR TYPE 2 DIABETES</b>
<b>7.1</b>  <b>8.5</b>	<b>7.1-8.0%:</b> Functionally dependent* <b>7.1-8.5%:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recurrent severe hypoglycemia and/or hypoglycemia unawareness</li> <li>Limited life expectancy</li> <li>Frail elderly and/or with dementia**</li> </ul>
<b>Avoid higher A1C</b> to minimize risk of symptomatic hyperglycemia and acute and chronic complications	
<b>End of life</b>	A1C measurement not recommended. <b>Avoid symptomatic hyperglycemia and any hypoglycemia</b>

\* Based on class of antihyperglycemic medication(s) utilized and person's characteristics

\*\* see Diabetes in Older People chapter

# Changements Importants

- Mise à jour de **l’algorithme du traitement de l’hyperglycémie** dans le diabète de type 2
- **Informations nouvelles** et **recommandations** sur
  - Les **agents** antihyperglycémiques apparus depuis 2013
  - Les études d’innocuité cardiovasculaire
- Mise à jour du **tableau** et de **l’annexe** les agents antiantihyperglycémiques et la **fonction rénale**

# Pharmacotherapy in Type 2 Diabetes Checklist

- ü **CHOOSE initial therapy based on** glycemia
- ü **START with** metformin +/- **others**
- ü **INDIVIDUALIZE your therapy choice based on characteristics of the** person with diabetes **and the** agent
- ü **REACH TARGET within** 3-6 months **of diagnosis**

# Initial choice of therapy

A1C <1.5% over target



Initiate healthy behavior interventions and **start metformin if not at target in 3 months**

**OR**

**Start metformin with healthy behavior interventions**

A1C  $\geq$  1.5% over target



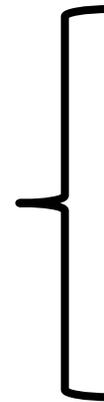
**Start metformin with healthy behavior interventions**

**AND**

**Consider second concurrent agent**

# Initial choice of therapy

Symptomatic  
Hyperglycemia  
and/or  
Metabolic  
Decompensation

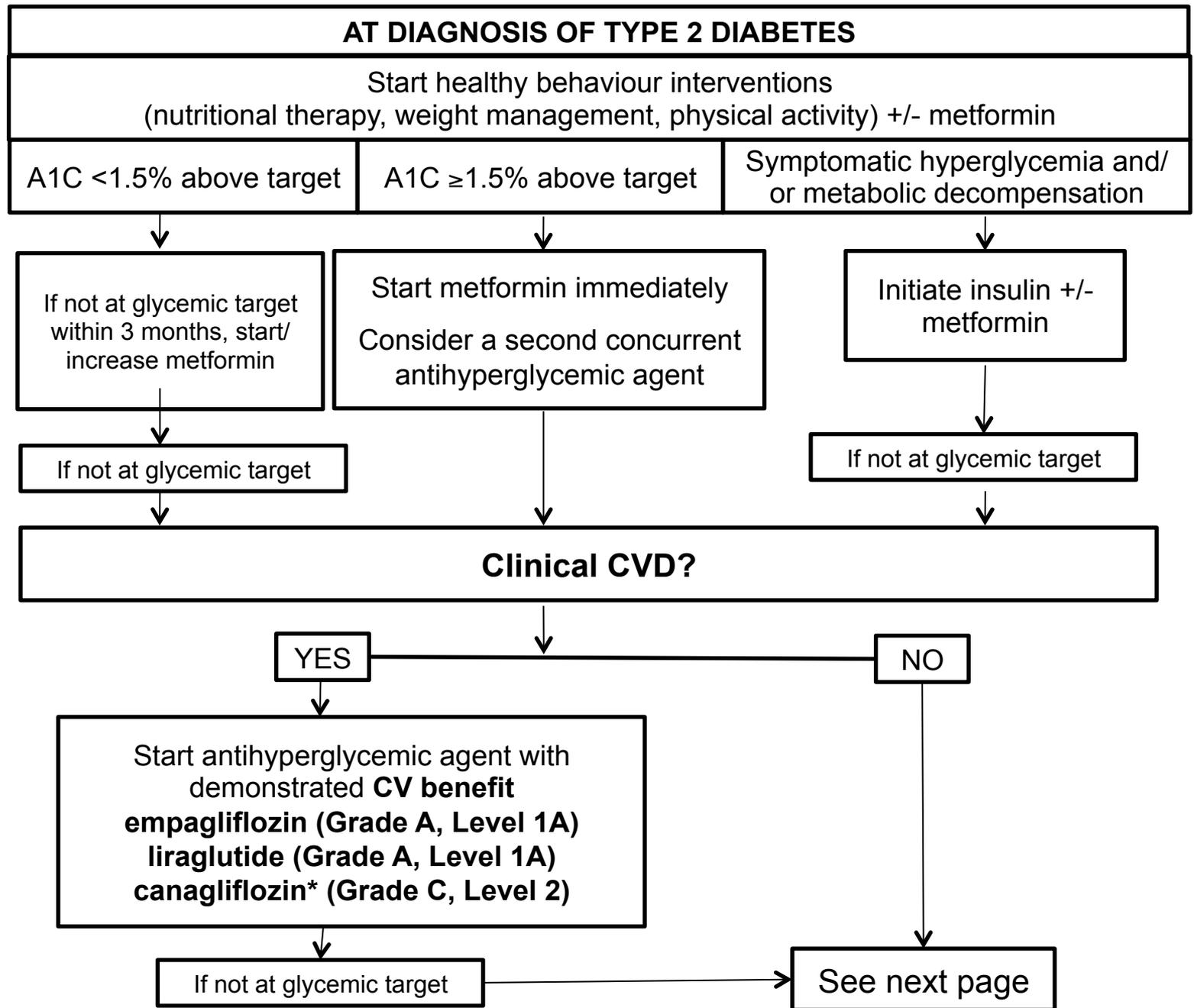


- Polyuria
- Polydipsia
- Weight loss
- Volume depletion



Start INSULIN +/- metformin

**ATTEINDRE LA CIBLE EN  
3-6 MOIS  
APRÈS LE DIAGNOSTIC**



# Qu'est-ce qu'une maladie cardiovasculaire clinique?

- Antécédents d'infarctus du myocarde
- Maladie coronarienne (sténose  $\geq 50\%$  pluritronculaire ou du tronc coronaire gauche, ICP ou PAC)
- Angine instable
- Accident vasculaire cérébral
- Maladie artérielle périphérique occlusive

# In SGLT-2 et ArGLP-1

## Inhibiteurs du SGLT-2 :

Empagliflozine ou **Jardiance**  
co de 10 et 25 mg

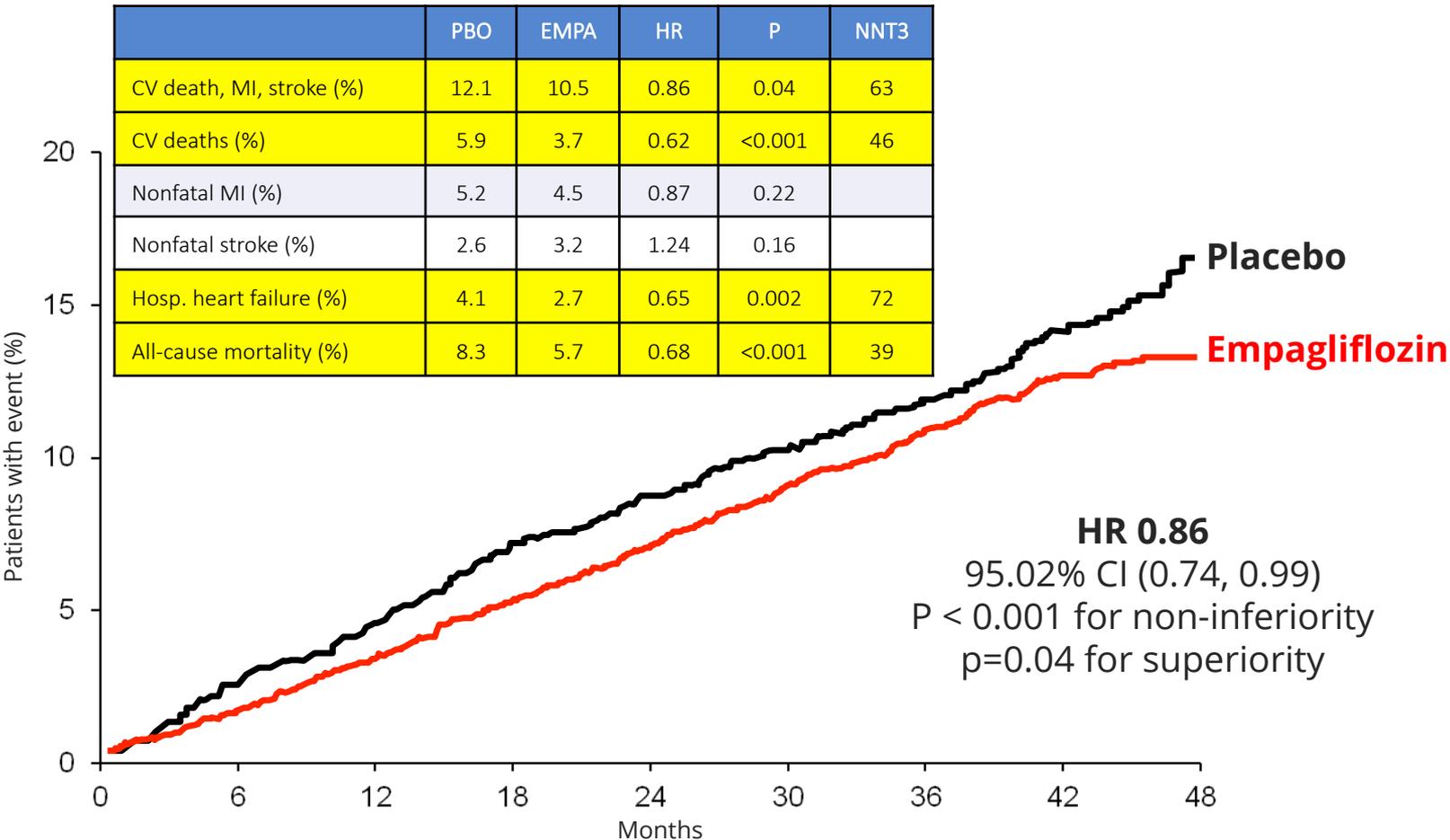
Canagliflozine ou **Invokana**  
co de 100 et 300 mg

## Agonistes du récepteur du GLP-1

Liraglutide ou **Victoza**  
injectable : 0.6 mg/1.2 mg/1.8 mg die

# Empagliflozin reduced CV events

## CV death, non-fatal MI, or non-fatal stroke

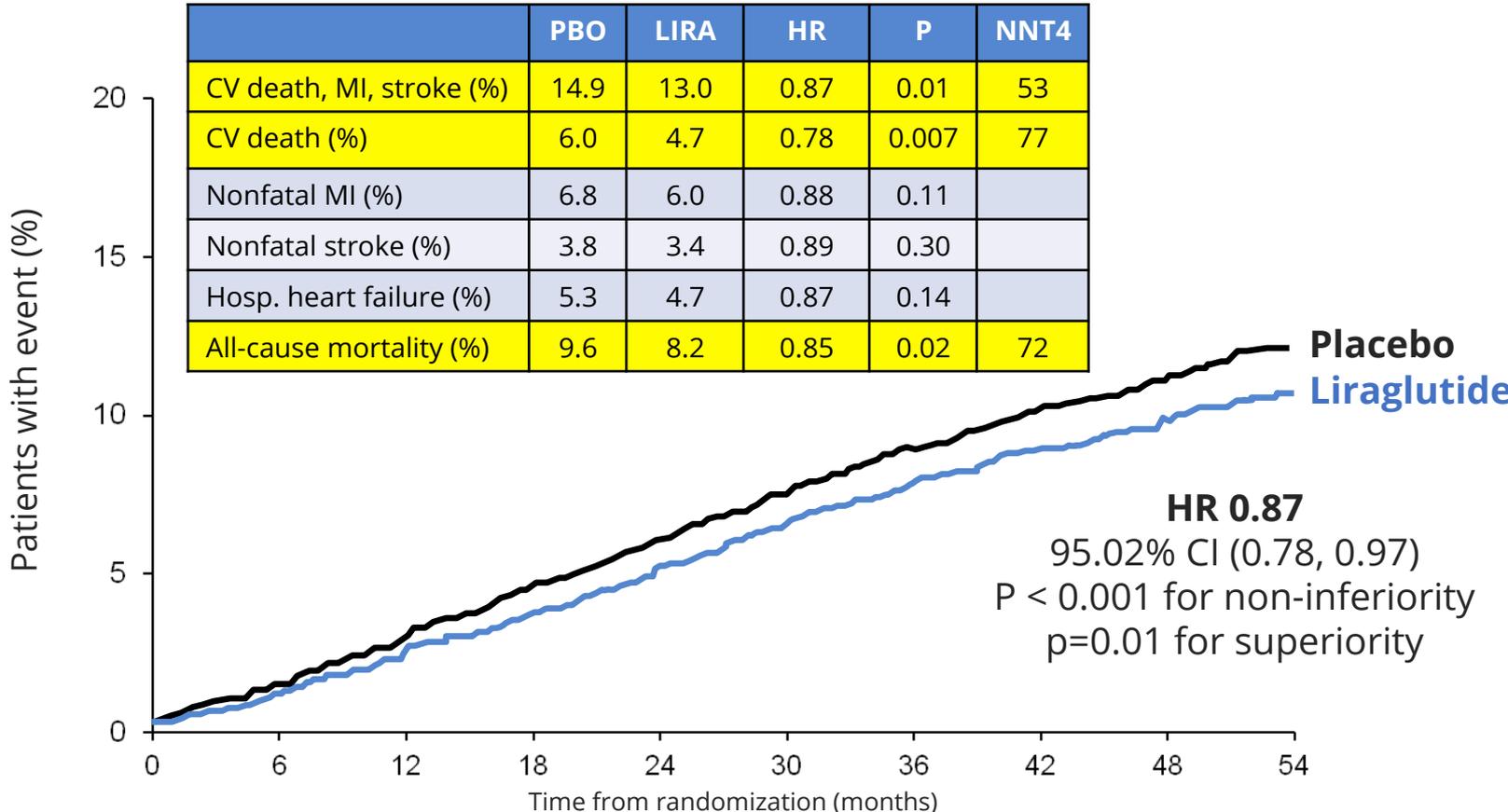


No. of patients

Empagliflozin	4687	4580	4455	4328	3851	2821	2359	1534	370
Placebo	2333	2256	2194	2112	1875	1380	1161	741	166

# Liraglutide reduced CV events

## CV death, non-fatal MI, or non-fatal stroke



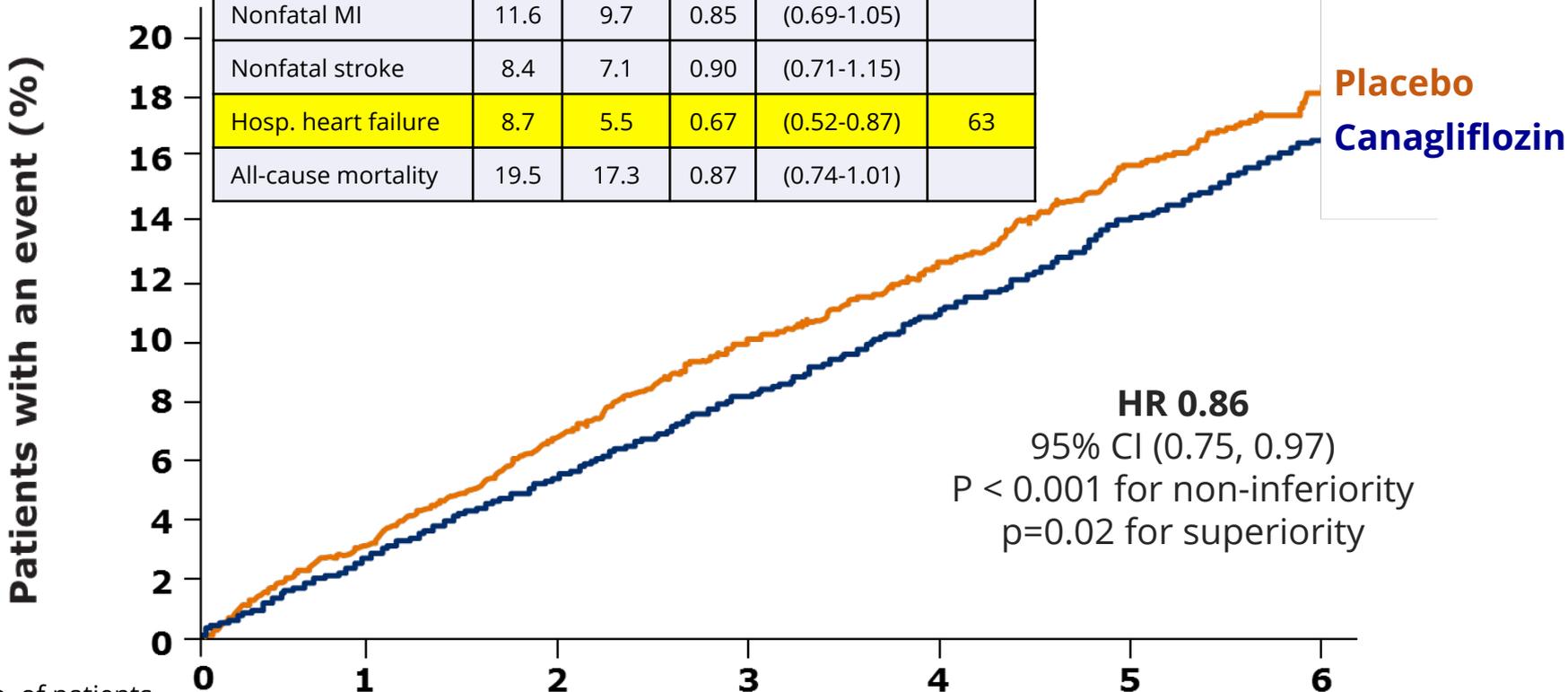
Patients at risk

Liraglutide	4668	4593	4496	4400	4280	4172	4072	3982	1562	424
Placebo	4672	4588	4473	4352	4237	4123	4010	3914	1543	407

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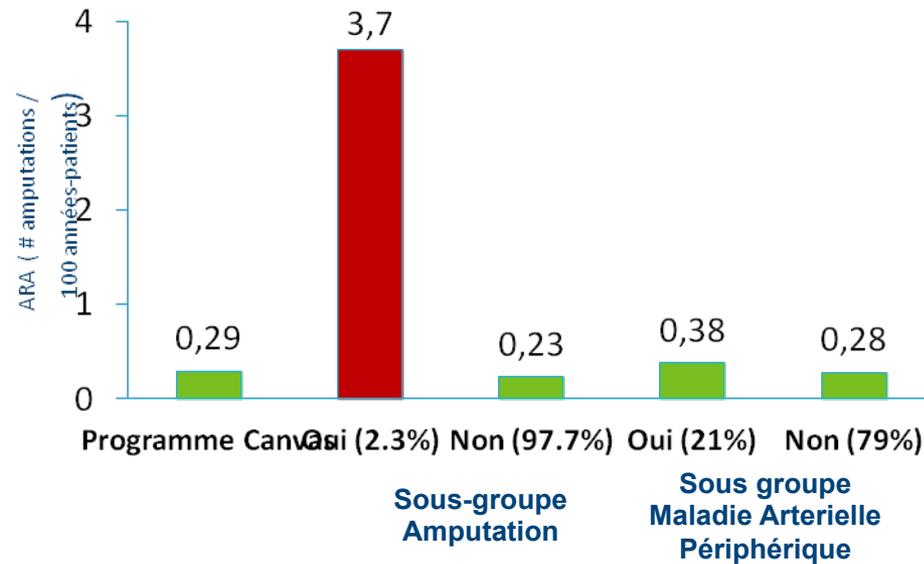
Outcome (per 1000 pt-y)	PBO	CANA	HR	P or 95% CI	NNT 5
CV death, MI, stroke	31.5	26.9	0.86	0.02	44
CV deaths	12.8	11.6	0.87	(0.72-1.06)	
Nonfatal MI	11.6	9.7	0.85	(0.69-1.05)	
Nonfatal stroke	8.4	7.1	0.90	(0.71-1.15)	
Hosp. heart failure	8.7	5.5	0.67	(0.52-0.87)	63
All-cause mortality	19.5	17.3	0.87	(0.74-1.01)	



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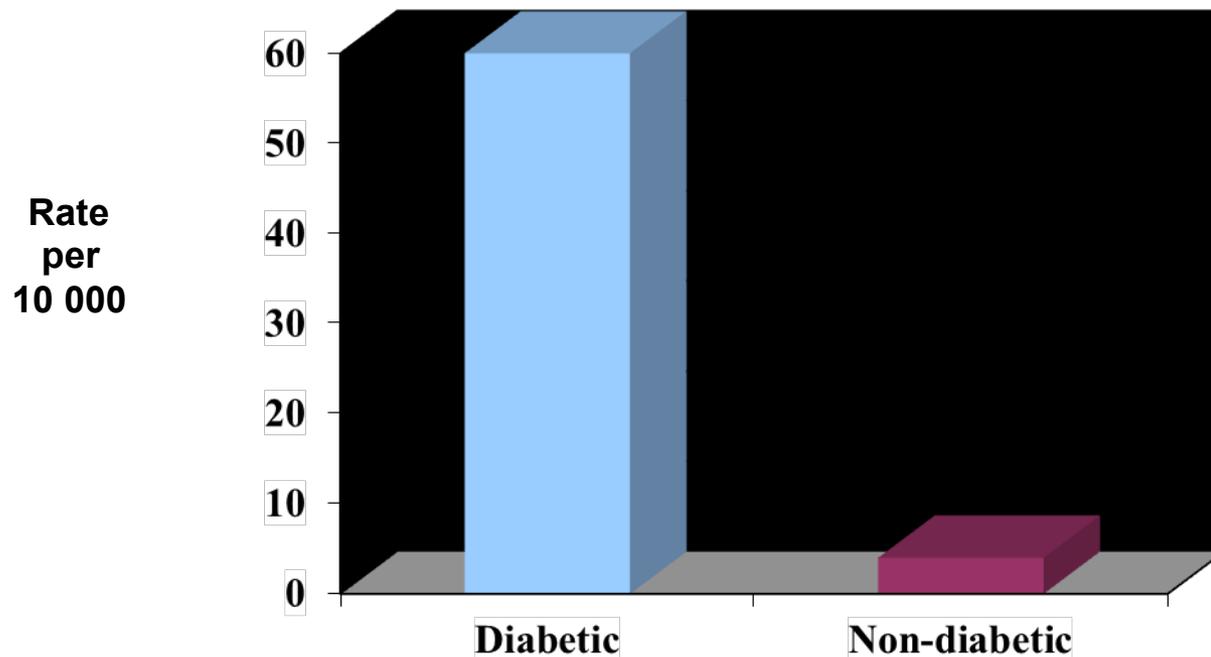
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
Canagliflozin	5795	5566	4343	2555	2460	2363	1661
Placebo	4347	4153	2942	1240	1187	1120	789

# Amputation: augmentation du risque absolu dans le Programme CANVAS et les sous-groupes à risque



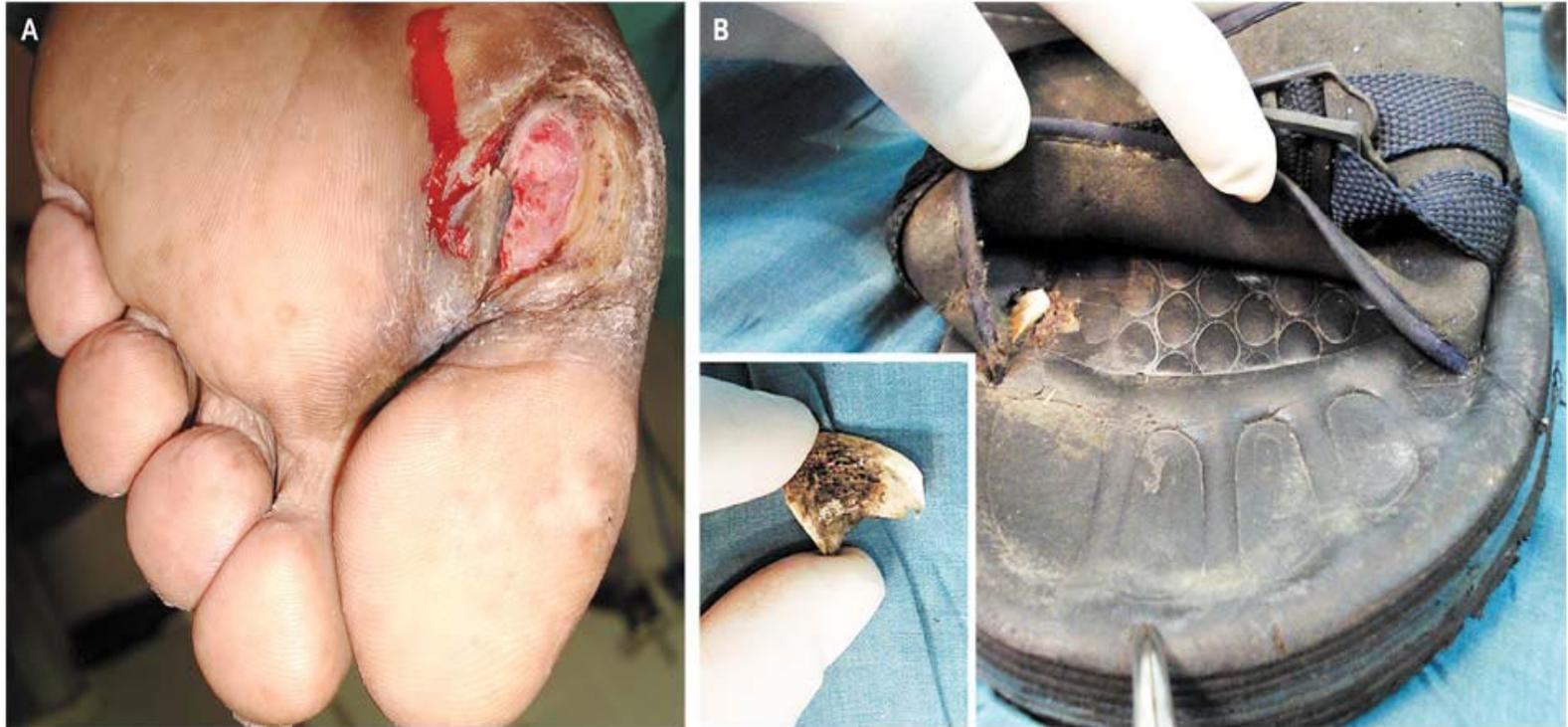
ARA, augmentation du risque absolu.  
Adapté Neal B et al. *N Engl J Med.* 2017 Jun 12. doi: 10.1056/NEJMoa1611925 and supplementary appendix.

# People with diabetes at high risk for amputation



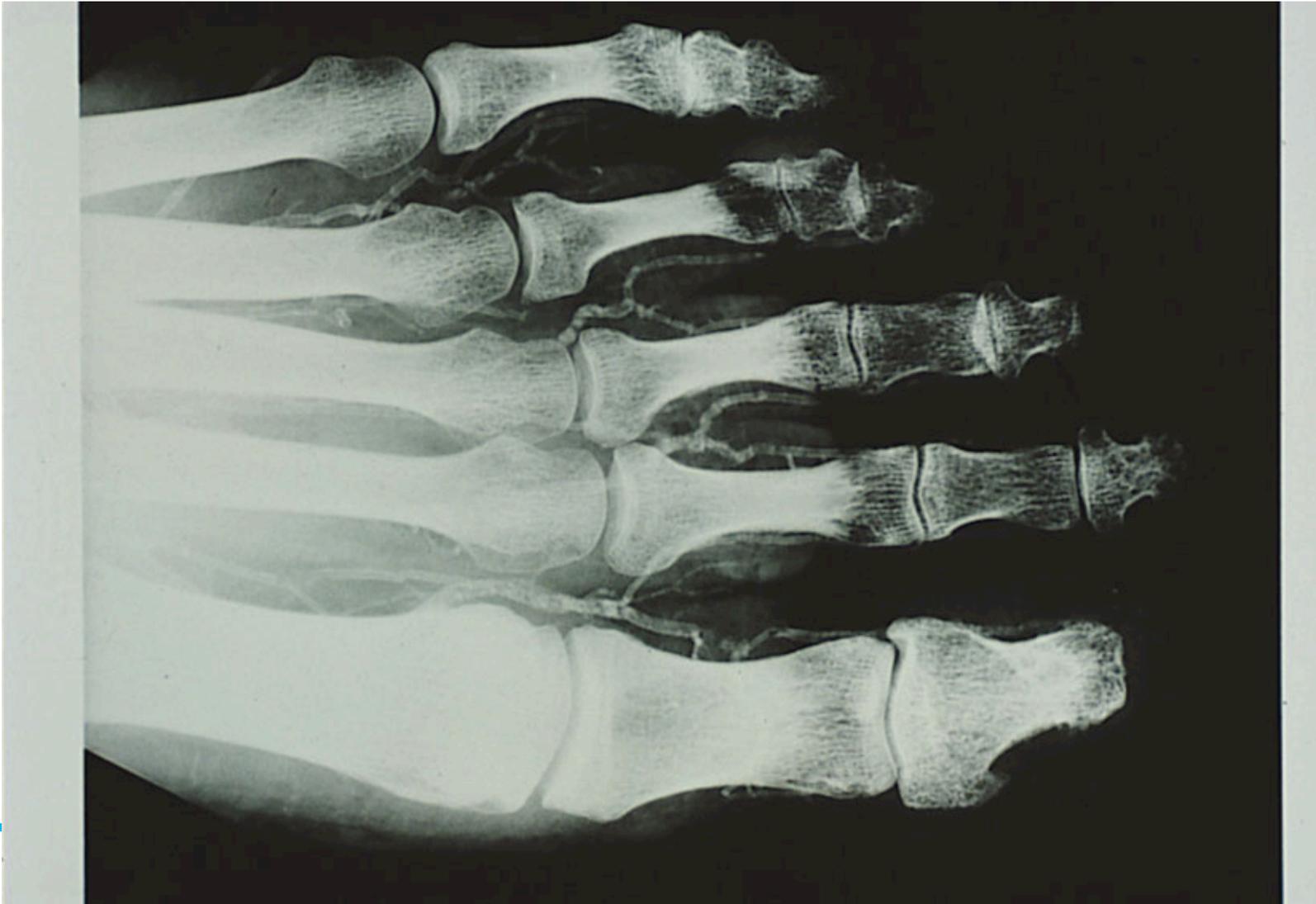
- Vast majority of **all non-traumatic amputations** occur in people with diabetes
- 84 % of amputations among people with diabetes are preceded by a **foot ulcer** (Ref: Pecoraro, 1990)
- Those patients with an **amputation** are at high risk of a **second amputation within 2-3 years** (Ref: Most, 1983).

**61-year-old man with a 15-year history of diabetes and resulting foot neuropathy presented with an ulcer of 3 months' duration overlying the first metatarsal head (Panel A)**



**Teelucksingh S and Naraynsingh V. N Engl J Med 2010;362:e26**







# Maux Perforants Plantaires: les faits

Morbidité :

- \* 8-22% réamputation ipsilatérale/an
- \* 26-44% réamputation controlatérale/an

Mortalité

- \* 30-40% à 1 an
- \* 35-65% à 3 ans
- \* 39-80% à 5 ans

# Canagliflozine et Amputations

## 1.- Pas de causalité prouvée

2.- Histoire naturelle d'une maladie vasculaire périphérique plus sévère (selection bias) ?

3.- Hypoperfusion périphérique plus endommageable chez des sujets à haut risque cardiovasculaire ?

4.- Modification du rapport érythroplasmatique ?

5.- Bad luck ?

6.- Opinion FDA (USA) vs EMA (Europe)

# Grading Criteria Applied ?

<b>Cana</b>	<b>Empa</b>	<b>Lira</b>	
<b>CV death, MI, Stro.</b>	<b>+++</b>	<b>++</b>	<b>+++</b>
CV Deaths	+++	++	-
Hosp. Heart Failure	++++	-	++++
Amputations vs Pla more	equal	equal	



Clinical CVD?

NO

Add additional antihyperglycemic agent best suited to the individual based on the following

CLINICAL CONSIDERATIONS	CHOICE OF AGENT
Avoidance of <b>hypoglycemia</b> and/or <b>weight gain</b> with <b>adequate glycemic efficacy</b>	<b>DPP-4 inhibitor, GLP-1 receptor agonist or SGLT2 inhibitor</b>
Other considerations: Reduced <b>eGFR</b> and/or <b>albuminuria</b> Clinical <b>CVD</b> or CV <b>risk factors</b> Degree of <b>hyperglycemia</b> Other comorbidities ( <b>CHF, hepatic disease</b> ) Planning <b>pregnancy</b> <b>Cost/coverage</b> <b>Patient preference</b>	see <b>Renal Impairment Appendix</b>  See Table Below

# Key Messages

- In people **without clinical CVD in whom A1C target is not achieved** with current therapy, if affordability and access are not barriers, people with type 2 diabetes and their providers who are concerned about **hypoglycemia** and **weight gain** may prefer an **incretin agent (DPP-4 inhibitor or GLP-1 receptor agonist) and/or an SGLT2 inhibitor** to other agents as they improve glycemic control with **a low risk** of **hypoglycemia** and **weight gain**

Add additional antihyperglycemic agent best suited to the individual by prioritizing patient characteristics *(agents listed in alphabetical order by CV outcome data)*:

Class	Effect on CVD Outcomes	Hypo-glycemia	Weight	Relative A1C Lowering when added to metformin	Other therapeutic considerations	Cost
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DPP-4 Inhibitors	alo, saxa, sita: Neutral	Rare	Neutral	↓↓	Caution with saxagliptin in heart failure Rare joint pain	\$\$\$
Insulin	glar: Neutral degludec: noninferior to glar	Yes	↑↑	↓↓↓	No dose ceiling, flexible regimens Requires subcutaneous injection	\$- \$\$\$\$
Thiazolidinediones	Neutral	Rare	↑↑	↓↓	CHF, edema, fractures, rare bladder cancer (pioglitazone), cardiovascular controversy (rosiglitazone), 6-12 weeks for maximal effect	\$\$
α-glucosidase inhibitor (acarbose)		Rare	Neutral	↓	GI side-effects common Requires 3 times daily dosing	\$\$
Insulin secretagogue: Meglitinide		Yes	↑	↓↓	More rapid BG-lowering response Reduced postprandial glycemia with meglitinides but usually requires 3 to 4 times daily dosing.	\$\$
Sulfonylurea		Yes	↑	↓↓	Gliclazide and glimepiride associated with less hypoglycemia than glyburide. Poor durability	\$
Weight loss agent (orlistat)		None	↓	↓	GI side effects Requires 3 times daily dosing	\$\$\$

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If not at glycemic targets

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Add another antihyperglycemic agent from a different class and/or add/intensify insulin regimen  
**Make timely adjustments to attain target A1C within 3-6 months**

# Antihyperglycemic therapy in patients with diabetes with Heart Failure

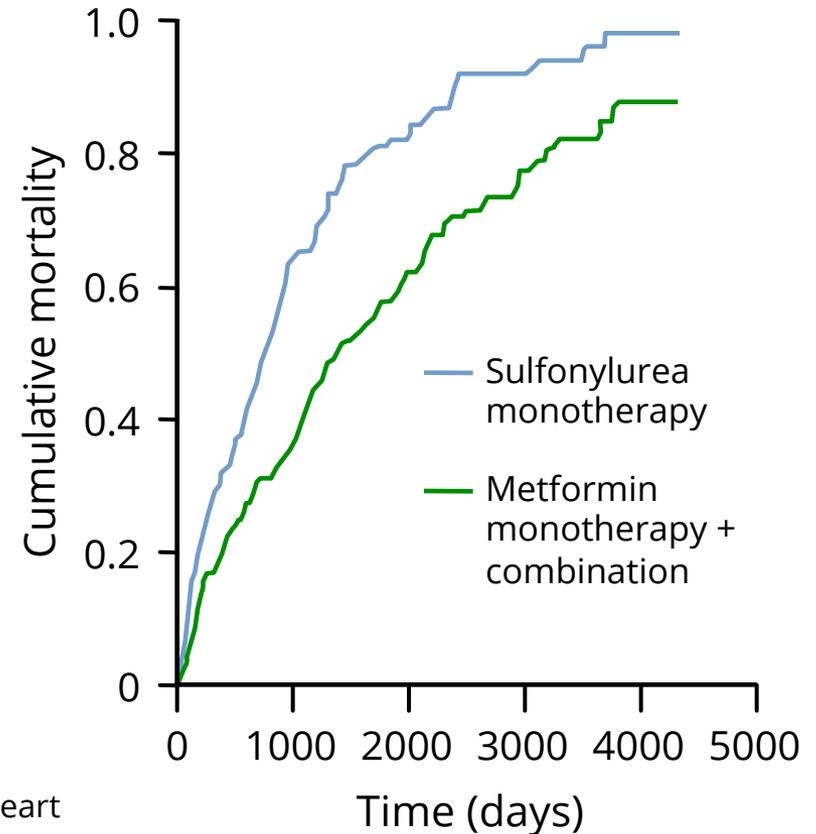
# Metformin Use in Heart Failure Patients

Tayside, Scotland  
(population 400,000)

n=422 with CHF and diabetes

Antihyperglycemic therapy:

- Metformin alone n=68
- SU alone n=217
- Combination n=137



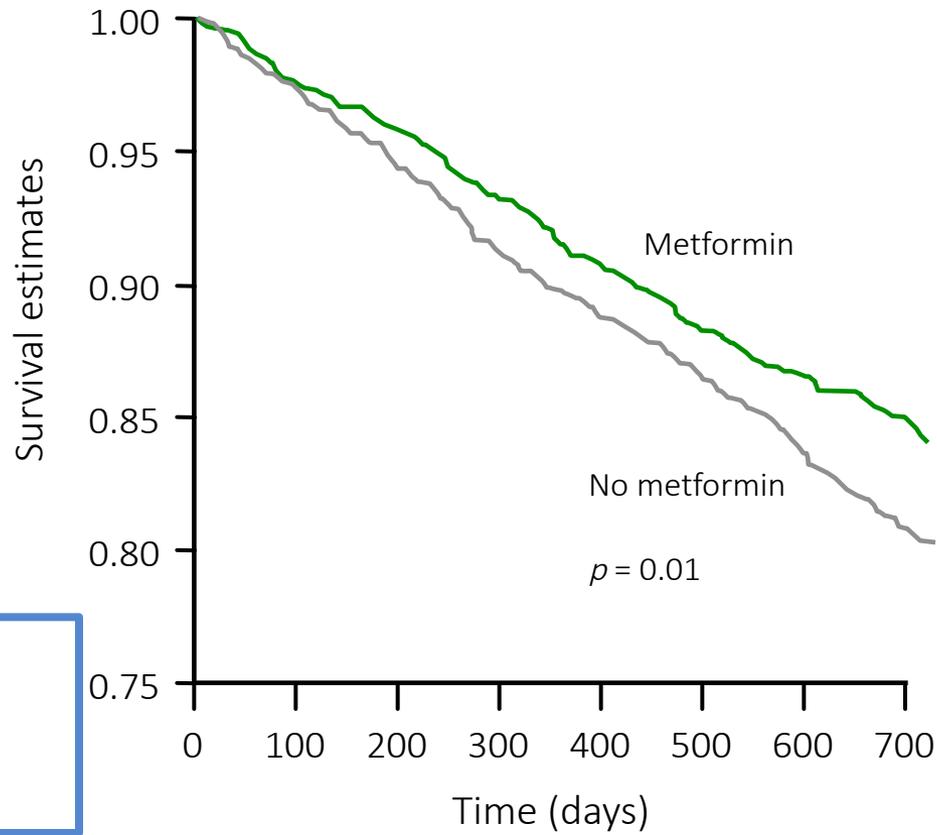
*ACEi*, angiotensin converting enzyme inhibitor; *CHF*, congestive heart failure; *MI*, myocardial infarction; *SU*, sulfonylurea

# Metformin Use in Heart Failure Patients

## Veterans Affairs

- 6,185 with CHF & DM
- Oral antihyperglycemic:
  - With metformin (n=1,561)
  - Without metformin
- Statistically adjusted for co-variables

Death:	0.76 (0.63-0.92)	$p < 0.01$
CHF hospitalization:	0.93 (0.74-1.18)	$p = 0.56$
Total hospitalization:	0.94 (0.83-1.07)	$p = 0.35$



Aguilar D, et al. Circ Heart Fail 2011;4:53-8.  
ACEi, angiotensin converting enzyme inhibitor; CHF, congestive heart failure; MI, myocardial infarction; SU, sulfonylurea

**Use metformin in heart failure patients when eGFR >30 mL/min/1.73 m<sup>2</sup>**

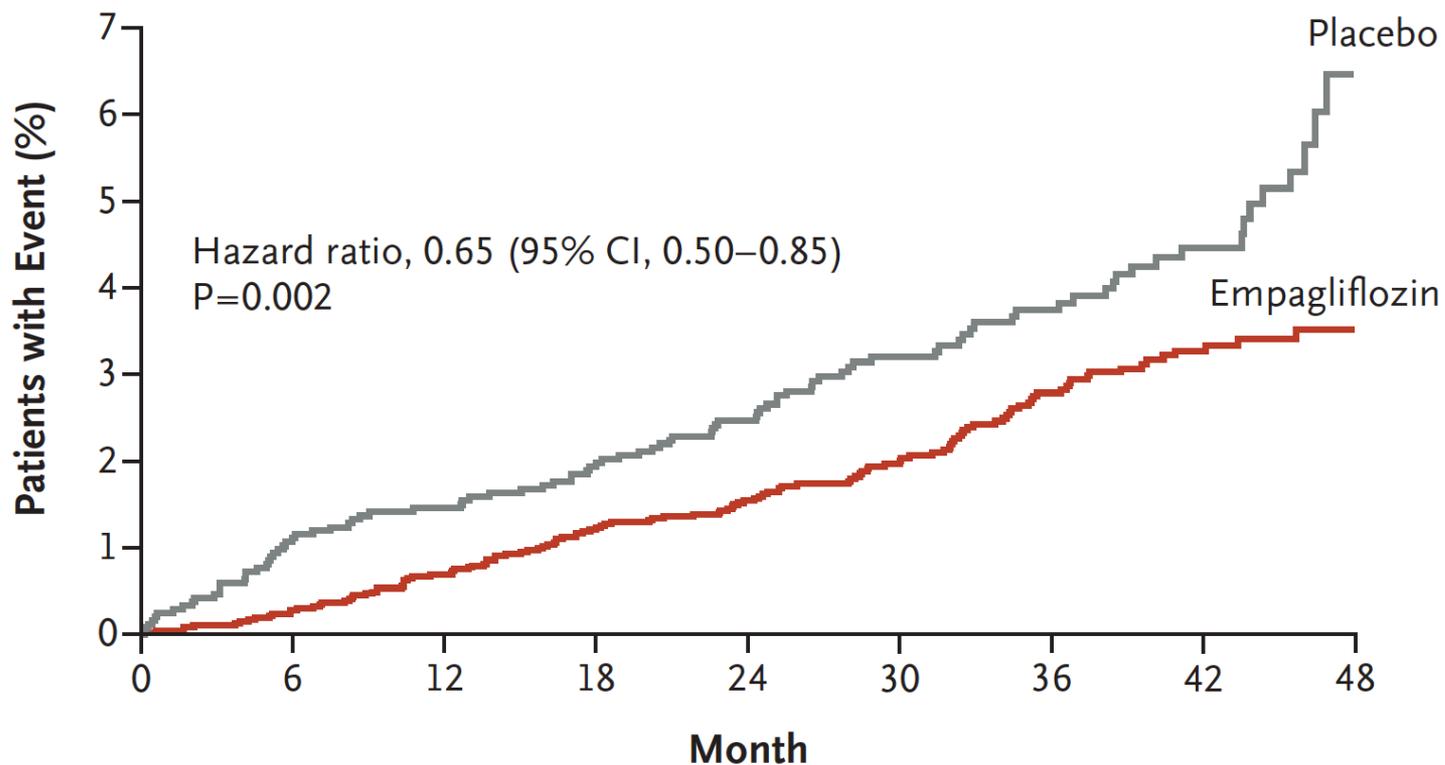
# Hospitalization for Heart Failure: DPP-4 inhibitors

	Study Drug n/N (%)	Placebo n/N (%)	Hazard Ratio	95% CI	P Value
<b>EXAMINE<sup>1</sup></b> (alogliptin vs. placebo)	106/2701 (3.9%)	89/2679 (3.3%)	1.19	0.90, 1.58	0.220
<b>SAVOR-TIMI 53<sup>2</sup></b> (saxagliptin vs. placebo)	289/8280 (3.5%)	228/8212 (2.8%)	1.27	1.07, 1.51	0.007
<b>TECOS<sup>3</sup></b> (sitagliptin vs. placebo)	228/7332 (3.1%)	229/7339 (3.1%)	1.00	0.83, 1.20	0.983

CI = confidence interval

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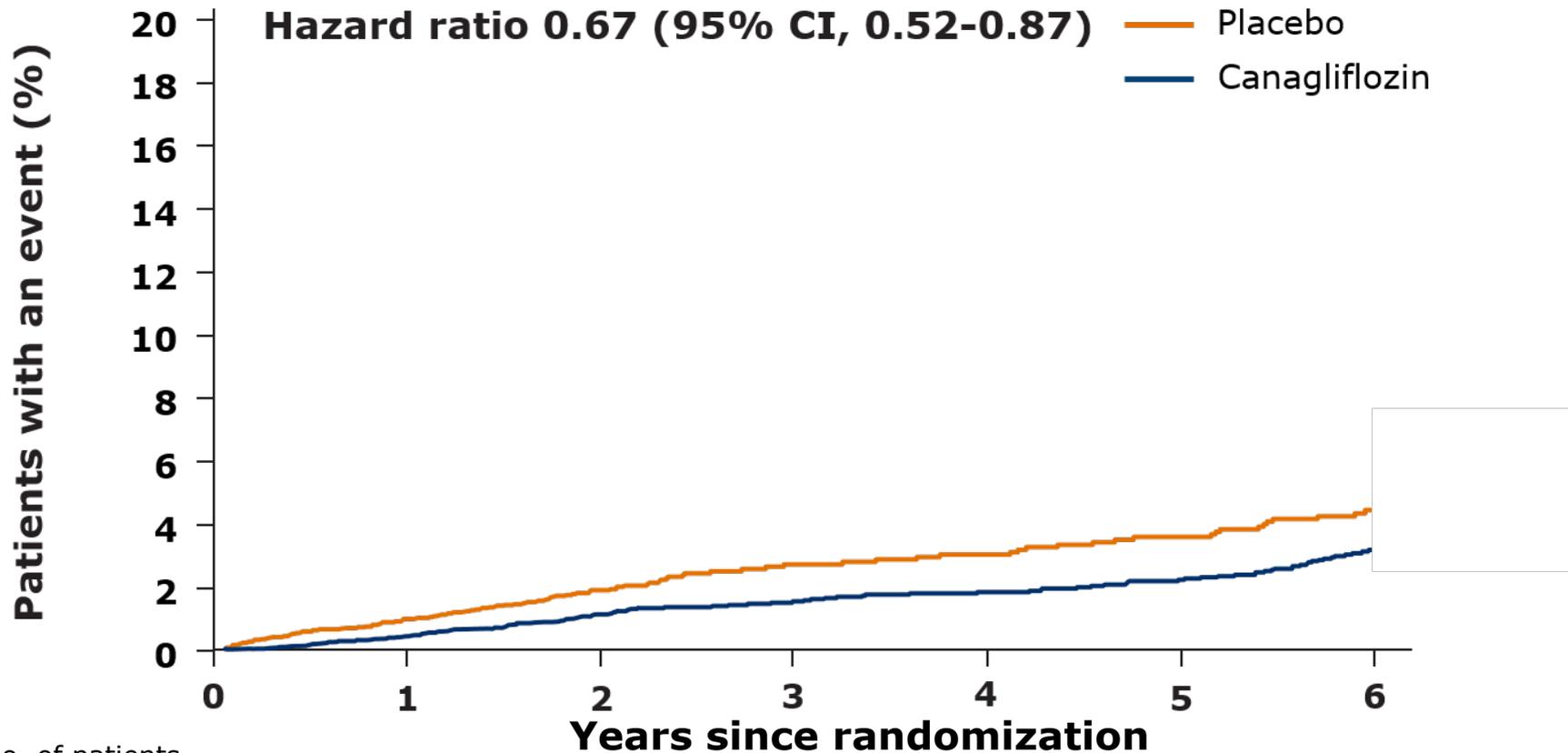
# Empagliflozin reduced hospitalization for heart failure



## No. at Risk

Empagliflozin	4687	4614	4523	4427	3988	2950	2487	1634	395
Placebo	2333	2271	2226	2173	1932	1424	1202	775	168

# Canagliflozin reduced hospitalization for heart failure



No. of patients

Placebo	4347	4198	3011	1274	1236	1180	829
Canagliflozin	5795	5653	4437	2643	2572	2498	1782

# 2018 Clinical Practice Guidelines

## Chronic Kidney Disease in Diabetes

### Chapter 29

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# Key Changes

- Reinforcement of
  - **screening algorithm** for CKD in diabetes
  - **multifaceted cardiovascular risk** reduction in people with diabetes and CKD
  - **sick day medication list**
  - **avoidance of combination** of agents that block the renin angiotensin aldosterone system (RAAS) – i.e., **ACE inhibitors** and **ARBs**

**CKD  
in Diabetes** = **ACR  $\geq$ 2.0 mg/mmol**  
**and / or**  
**eGFR  $<$ 60 mL/min/  
1.73 m<sup>2</sup>**

# Stage of Nephropathy



**Urine dipstick**  
**24 Hour**  
**ACR**

Normal | Microalbuminuria | Overt Nephropathy

Negative | Positive

30 mg/day  
2.0 mg/mmol

300 mg/day  
20.0 mg/mmol

1000 mg/day  
66.7 mg/mmol

# Recommendation 1

1. Individuals with diabetes and heart failure should receive the **same heart failure therapies** as those identified in the evidence-based ***Canadian Cardiovascular Society Heart Failure*** recommendations ([http://www.onlinecjc.ca/article/S0828-282X\(12\)01379-7/pdf](http://www.onlinecjc.ca/article/S0828-282X(12)01379-7/pdf)) [Grade D, Consensus]

# Recommendation 2

2. Unless contraindicated, **metformin may be used** in people with type 2 diabetes and heart failure [Grade C, Level 3]. Metformin **should be temporarily withheld** if renal function **acutely worsens**, and should be **discontinued if renal function significantly and chronically worsens** [Grade D, Consensus]

# Recommendations 3-4

3. For people with NYHA class I-IV, exposure to **TZDs should be avoided** [Grade A, Level 1]
4. **Beta blockers** should be prescribed when **indicated for heart failure with reduced ejection fraction**, as they provide similar benefits in people with or without diabetes [Grade B, Level 2]

# Recommendation 5

5. In adults with type 2 diabetes with **clinical CVD** in whom glycemic targets are not achieved with existing antihyperglycemic medication(s) **and** with **an eGFR >30 mL/min/1.73 m<sup>2</sup>**, an **SGLT2 inhibitor with demonstrated heart failure hospitalization reduction** may be added to **reduce the risk of heart failure hospitalization** [Grade B, Level 2 for empagliflozin; Grade C, Level 2 for canagliflozin]

# Recommendation 7

7. In adults with type 2 diabetes with **clinical CVD** in whom glycemic targets are not achieved with existing antihyperglycemic medication(s) and with **eGFR >30 mL/min/1.73m<sup>2</sup>**, **an antihyperglycemic agent with demonstrated CV outcome benefit should be added** to reduce the risk of:
- a) **major CV events** [Grade A, Level 1A for **empagliflozin**; Grade A, Level 1A for **liraglutide**; Grade C, Level 2 for **canagliflozin**]
  - b) **heart failure hospitalization** [Grade B, Level 2 for **empagliflozin**; Grade C, Level 2 for **canagliflozin**],
  - c) **progression of nephropathy** [Grade B, Level 2 for **empagliflozin**; Grade C, Level 3 for **canagliflozin**]

# Recommendation 8

8. In adults with type 2 diabetes **without clinical CVD** in whom glycemic targets are not achieved with existing antihyperglycemic medication(s), incretin agents (**DPP-4 inhibitors** or **GLP-1 receptor agonists**) and/or **SGLT2 inhibitors** should be considered as add-on medication over insulin secretagogues, insulin and TZDs to improve glycemic control, **if lower risk of hypoglycemia and/or weight gain are priorities** [Grade A, Level 1A]

# Diabetes in Heart Failure Checklist

- ü Treat heart failure in people with diabetes the **SAME** as you would a person without diabetes
- ü **METFORMIN** recommended if eGFR >30 mL/min/1.73 m<sup>2</sup>
- ü If eGFR <60 mL/min, use **Renin Angiotensin Aldosterone** system or **sacubitril/valsartan** blockade carefully
- ü Do **NOT** use **thiazolidinediones**
- ü **Avoid saxagliptin** in patients with heart failure and diabetes

# Diabetes → Increased Risk of Heart Failure Independent of Ischemia

- **Diabetic cardiomyopathy**
- **2 to 4-fold** increase incidence of heart failure in diabetes
- Asymptomatic abnormalities of ventricular systolic and diastolic function, independent of ischemic heart disease or systemic hypertension
- Independent risk factors for heart failure
  - **Elevated A1C**
  - **Albuminuria**

*Underlying ischemic heart disease should be ruled out.*

# Algorithme traitement révisé 2018: DM2

**1<sup>ère</sup> ligne**  
3 mois

**METFORMINE**

**Considérations importantes**  
A1C  
Hypoglycémies  
Optimisation de l'observance thérapeutique  
Poids  
Maladies cardiovasculaires

**2<sup>ème</sup> ligne**  
3-6 mois

**RAMQ**  
Glyburide au préalable

**Assurance privée**

SU      TZD      **DPP4-i**  
(idéalement combo)      GLP1α      Insuline      SGLT-2\*\*

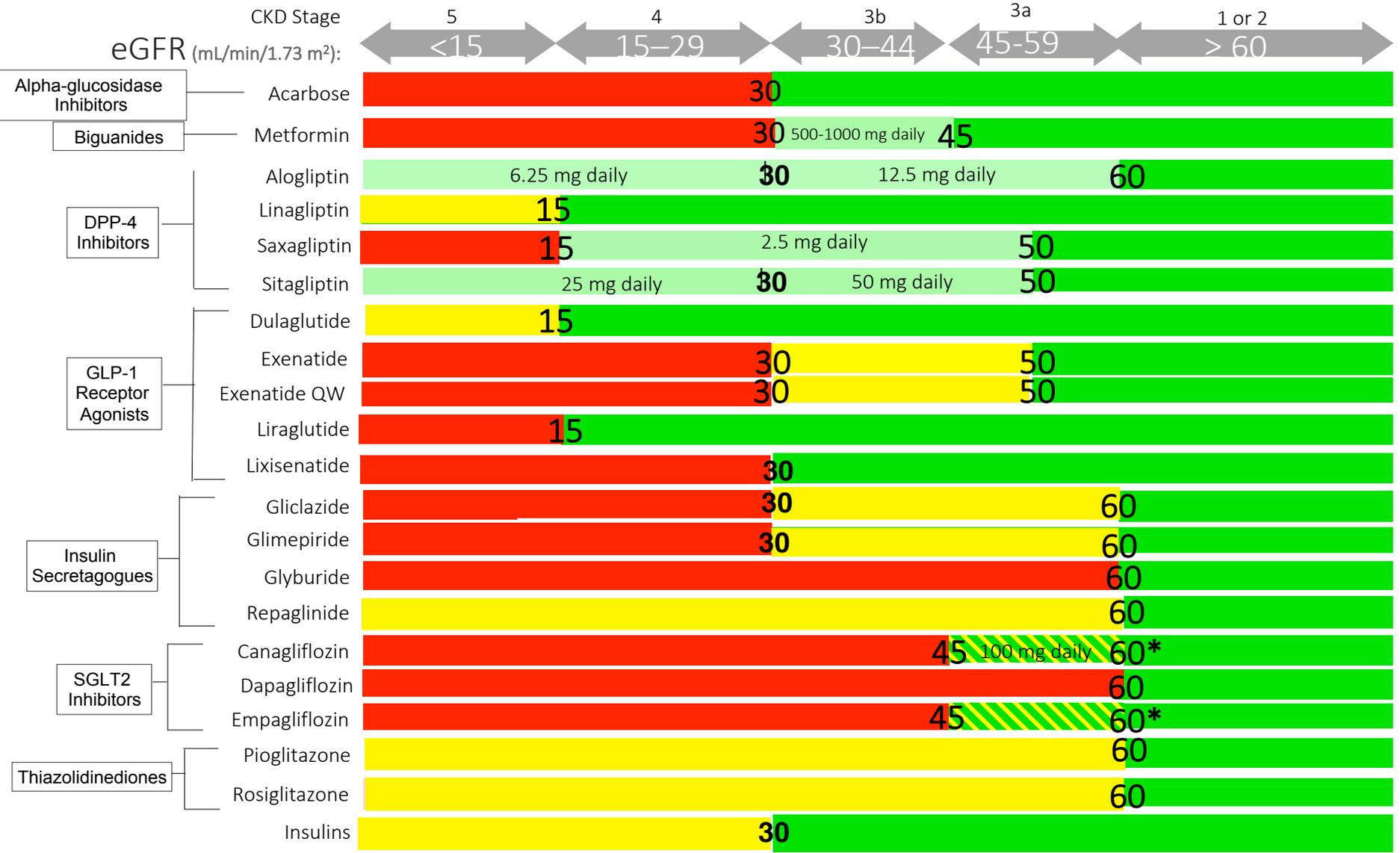
**3<sup>ème</sup> ligne**  
Au bout de 6 mois de bithérapie

TZD	SU	<b>SGLT2</b>	SU	DPP4-i	Insuline
DPP4-i	DPP4-i	<b>SU</b>	TZD	TZD	
GLP1α	GLP1α	<b>Insuline</b>	Insuline	GLP1α	
<b>Insuline</b>	<b>Insuline</b>				

\*Principalement si MCV avérée  
\*\*Précautions SGLT2 : 1. eGFR >60; 2.Faible prédisposition aux infections urogénitales;  
3. Personnes âgées; 4.HBP; 5.Vessie neurogène; 6.Acidoscétose dans certaines situations cliniques;  
7.Maladie vasculaire périphérique; 8.Amputations



# Antihyperglycemic Agents and Renal Function



■ Use alternative agent    
 ■ Dose adjustment required    
 ■ Caution    
 ■ Do not initiate    
 ■ Dose adjustment not required

\*May be considered when indicated for CV and renal protection with eGFR < 60 but >30 ml/min/1.73<sup>2</sup>

# Counsel all Patients About Sick Day Medication List

Visit [guidelines.diabetes.ca](http://guidelines.diabetes.ca) for patient handout

**Instructions for Healthcare Professionals:**

If patients become ill and are unable to maintain adequate fluid intake, or have an acute decline in renal function (e.g. due to gastrointestinal upset or dehydration), they should be instructed to hold medications which will:

**A) Increase risk for a decline in kidney function:**

- Angiotensin-converting enzyme inhibitor
- Angiotensin receptor blockers
- Direct renin inhibitors
- Non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs
- Diuretics
- SGLT2 inhibitors

**B) Have reduced clearance and increase risk for adverse effects:**

- Metformin
- Sulfonylureas (gliclazide, glimepiride, glyburide)

**S** sulfonylureas  
**A** ACE-inhibitors  
**D** diuretics, direct renin inhibitors

**M** metformin  
**A** angiotensin receptor blockers  
**N** non-steroidal anti-inflammatory  
**S** SGLT2 inhibitors

Please complete the following card and give it to your patient.

Patients should be instructed that increased frequency of self blood glucose monitoring will be required and adjustments to their doses of insulin or oral antihyperglycemic agents may be necessary.

**Instructions for Patients**

When you are ill, particularly if you become dehydrated (e.g. vomiting or diarrhea), some medicines could cause your kidney function to worsen or result in side effects.

If you become sick and are unable to drink enough fluid to keep hydrated, you should **STOP** the following medications:

- Blood pressure pills
- Water pills
- Metformin
- Diabetes pills
- Pain medications
- Non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs (see below)

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Please be careful not to take non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs (which are commonly found in pain medications (e.g. Advil) and cold remedies).

Please check with your pharmacist before using over-the-counter medications and discuss all changes in medication with your healthcare professional.

Please increase the number of times you check your blood glucose levels. If they run too high or too low, contact your healthcare professional.

If you have any problems, you can call:

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# Conclusions : nouvelles lignes directrices 2018

- 1.- Emphase sur la **personnalisation** du traitement
- 2.- Algorithme thérapeutique favorisant une prise en charge globale visant une **protection cardiovasculaire et rénale optimales**
- 3.- Algorithme favorisant une **réduction de l'A1c** avec le **moins d'hypoglycémies** possibles et de **prise poids**
- 4.- Beaucoup **d'outils** pour aider la gestion au quotidien du diabète