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Chemical Peritonitis

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Changes in the worldwide epidemiology of peritoneal dialysis

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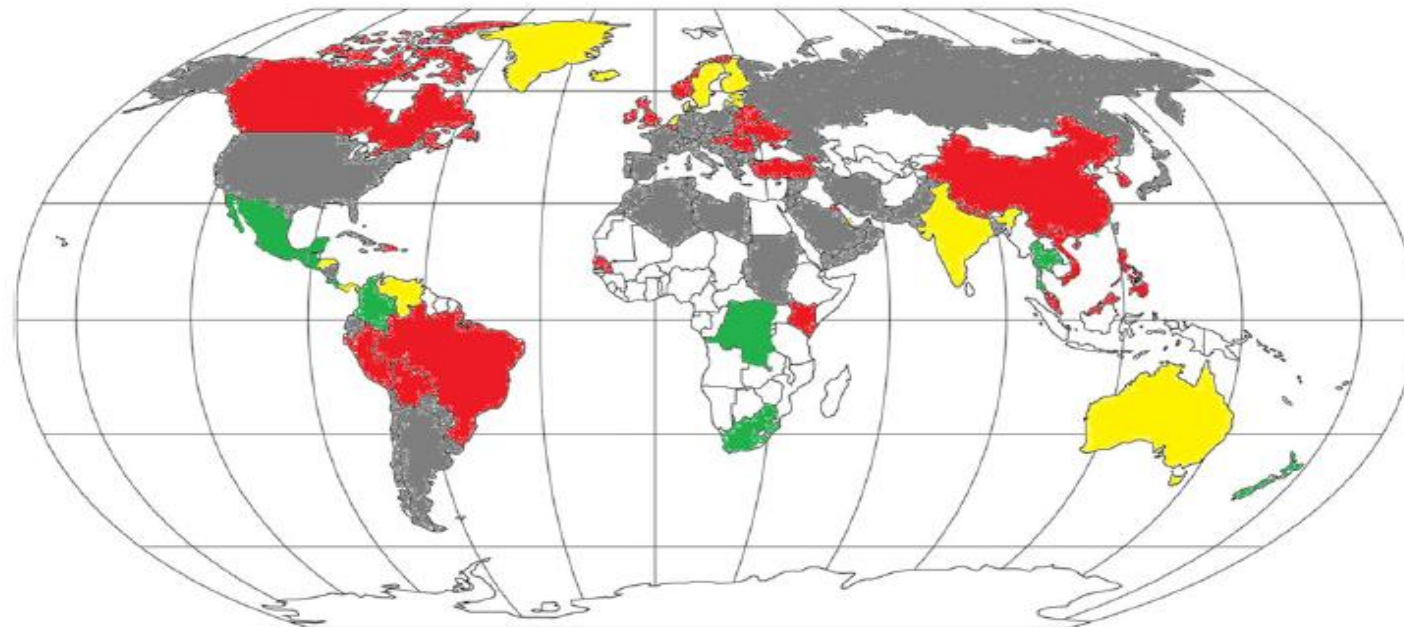
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- ✓ Global burden of chronic kidney disease continues to increase, so does the need for a cost-effective RRT
- ✓ Patient outcomes with peritoneal dialysis are comparable to or better than those with hemodialysis, and PD is more cost-effective.
- ✓ These benefits have not, however, always led to increased utilization of peritoneal dialysis

World distribution of PD for RRT

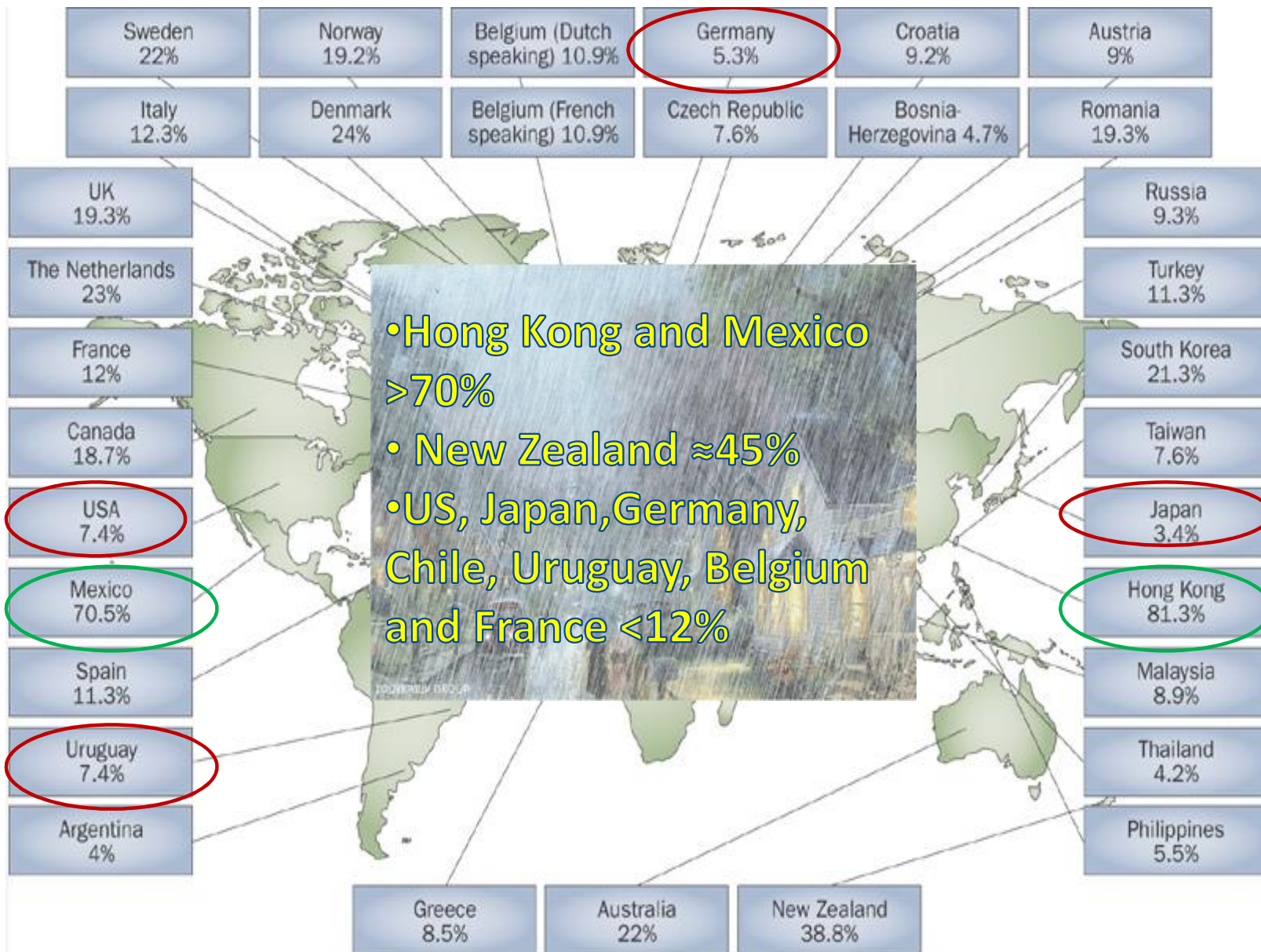
Review of peritoneal dialysis

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Legend	
Green	≥30%
Yellow	20 – 29%
Red	10 – 19%
Grey	< 10%
White	No PD utilization

Fig. 2. Utilization of PD for chronic dialysis (prevalence) across the globe.



Changes in the worldwide epidemiology of peritoneal dialysis

- ✓ Use of this therapy is increasing in some countries, including China, the USA and Thailand, but has proportionally decreased in parts of Europe and in Japan.
- ✓ The variable trends in peritoneal dialysis use reflect the multiple challenges in prescribing this therapy to patients.

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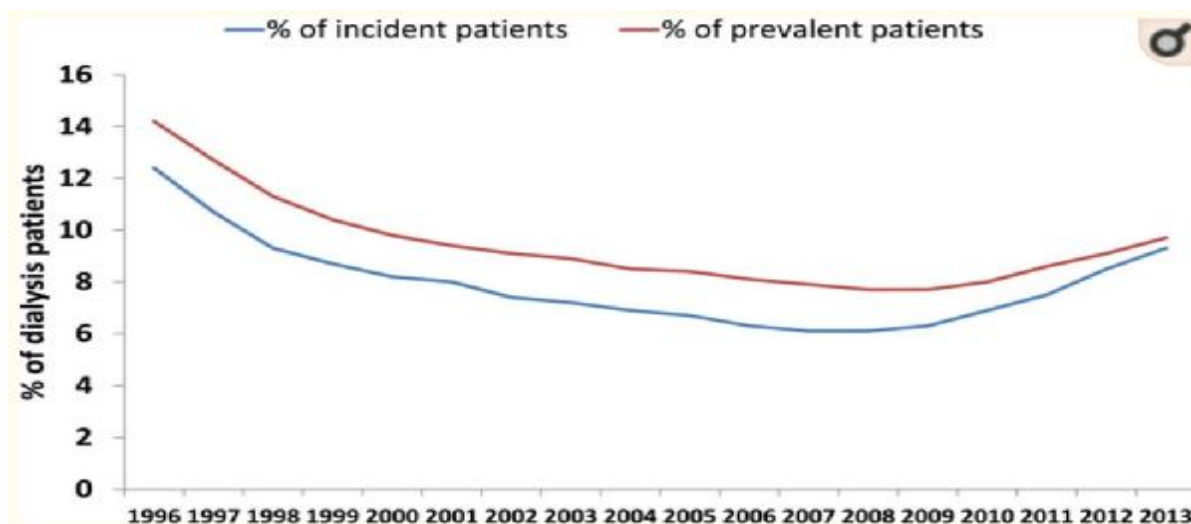


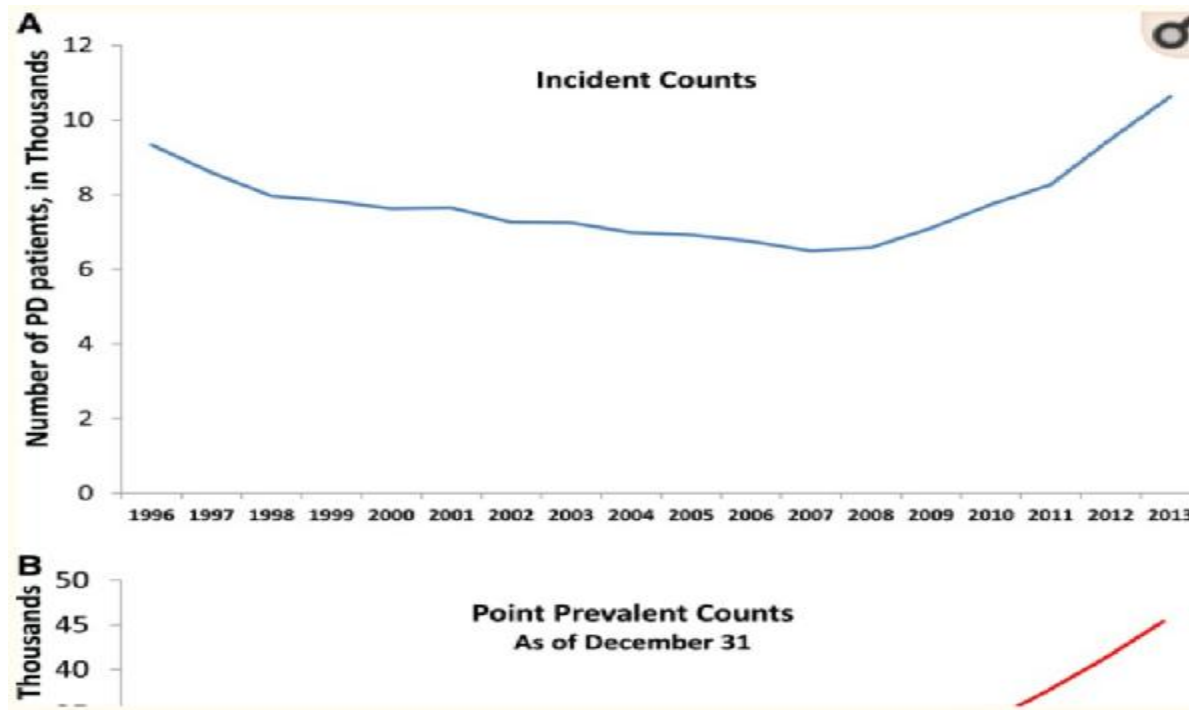
Figure 3.

Secular trends in the proportion of patients undergoing maintenance dialysis treated with PD in the United States (1996–2013). The blue line represents the proportion of all patients undergoing maintenance dialysis treated with PD 90 days from the date of first dialysis and the red line represents the proportion of all patients undergoing maintenance dialysis on December 31 of any calendar year.

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Changes in the worldwide epidemiology of peritoneal dialysis

- ✓ Each country has unique factors that will determine the areas that must be prioritized to improve the availability and effectiveness of peritoneal dialysis.
- ✓ The three main areas that could facilitate such improvement are :

Factors that could improve access to and expertise in peritoneal dialysis

Organization of health care

- ✓ Implementation of PD first or PD favored policies
- ✓ Setting of targets for PD use as a proportion of total dialysis
- ✓ Improvement of infrastructure in rural and developing areas

Financial Incentives

- ✓ Government reimbursement policies
- ✓ Fee-for-service payments to private centers for managing patients on PD
- ✓ Insurance coverage
- ✓ Penalties when targets for PD use are not achieved

Research and education

- ✓ Training and education networks for PD
- ✓ Research aimed at improving the PD technique

PD-First Policy



A GLOBAL OVERVIEW OF THE IMPACT OF PERITONEAL DIALYSIS FIRST OR FAVORED POLICIES: AN OPINION

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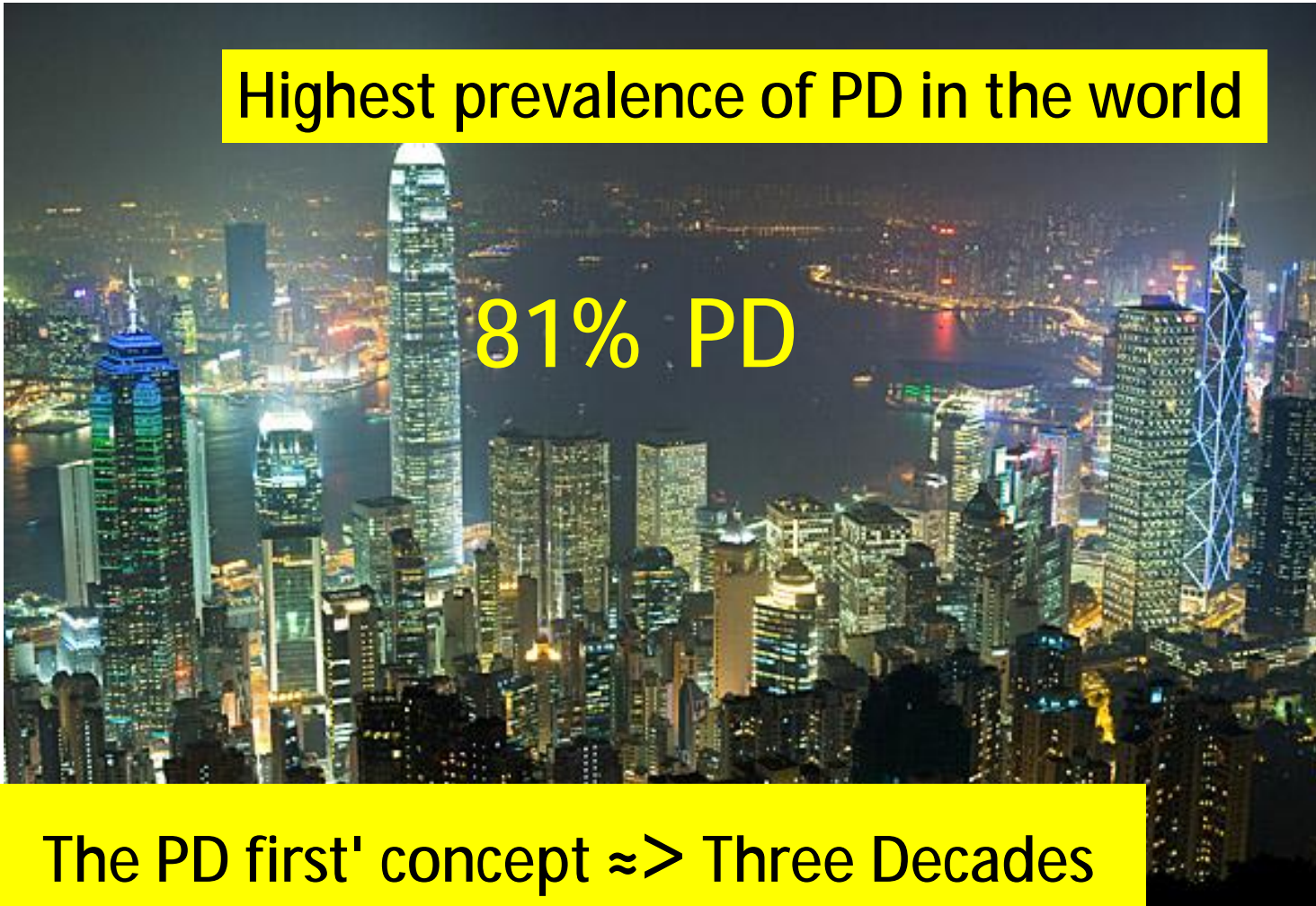
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In Hong Kong

Highest prevalence of PD in the world

81% PD

The PD first' concept \approx Three Decades



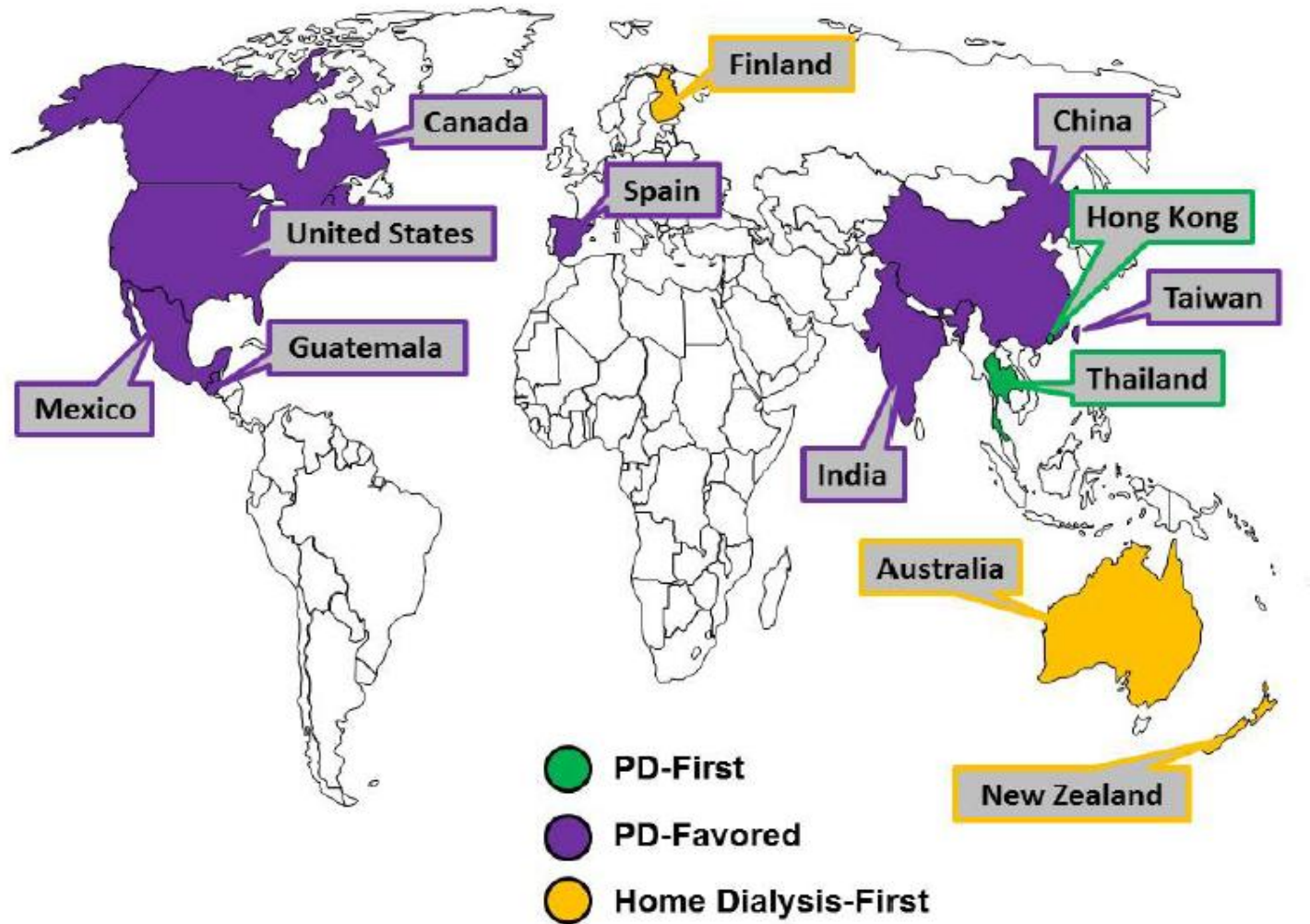


Figure 1 — Geographic summary of country-specific policy types. PD = peritoneal dialysis.

PD FIRST POLICY



Facts about PD First Policy in Thailand

Publication of
PD Technology and Training Center
Srinagarind Hospital, Faculty of Medicine
Khon Kaen University, Khon Kaen, Thailand

Supported by
National Health Security Office of Thailand



Actual process of running PD first policy in Thailand

<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Budgeting
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Formation of the first provider group (Phase I PD hospitals)
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Obtaining cheap PD solution supplies
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Training a new generation of medical personnel
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Learning form the success PD programs in Hong Kong and Singapore
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Setting up PD technology and training centers for problem solving
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Policy management by the national RRT committee
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Setting up regional RRT technology and training centers for quality control

Treatment of ESRD should provide the following

- 1) The best possible patient outcomes
- 2) The maximum medical, social, economic, and psychological rehabilitation
- 3) Few ill effects
- 4) The highest possible quality of life
- 5) Excellent patient compliance
- 6) Maximum opportunity for employment and education
- 7) Maintenance or "repair" of family dynamics
- 8) The least possible stress on patients, families, and the health care team

Quality of Life

“We should place the highest value not on living, but on living well.”

Socrates

Given the similar survival data between HD and PD, quality of life (“living well”) has become increasingly important in patients choice of dialysis

Patients often favor PD due to:

- Ø Flexibility of schedule,
- Ø Ability to perform dialysis at home,
- Ø Ability to dialyze while sleeping

Conventional Center Dialysis



Home Dialysis



Peritoneal Dialysis in 2019

Øs a cost-effective,

ØHome-based therapy,

ØSignificant advantages particularly, regarding quality of life,

ØEarly patient outcome is at least similar to HD
([Waldum-Grevbo et al., 2015](#))

Peritoneal Dialysis in 2019

✓ Despite these benefits, only a small number of dialysis patients receive PD, in Europe about 13% and in the USA about 10%

✓ This discrepancy is in part explained by limitations of PD

Ø Infectious complications, mainly peritonitis,

Ø The PD fluid induced deterioration of the PD membrane

Ø Lead to PD function deterioration and technique failure.

[\(Kramer et al., 2018\)](#)

Peritoneal Dialysis in 2019

- ✓ As with hemodialysis, the uremic toxin and water removal capacity is far below physiological renal function.
- ✓ Patients require strict dietary control and pharmacological treatment, but the vast majority of patients are salt, fluid, and toxin overloaded.
- ✓ Dietary phosphate and sodium contribute to high blood pressure CKD mineral bone disorder, and cardiovascular disease (CVD)
([Ortega and Materson, 2011](#))
- ✓ Mortality rates of both hemodialysis and PD patients are 40-fold higher compared to the age-related healthy population
([de Jager et al., 2009](#))

PD The Most Healthy Start

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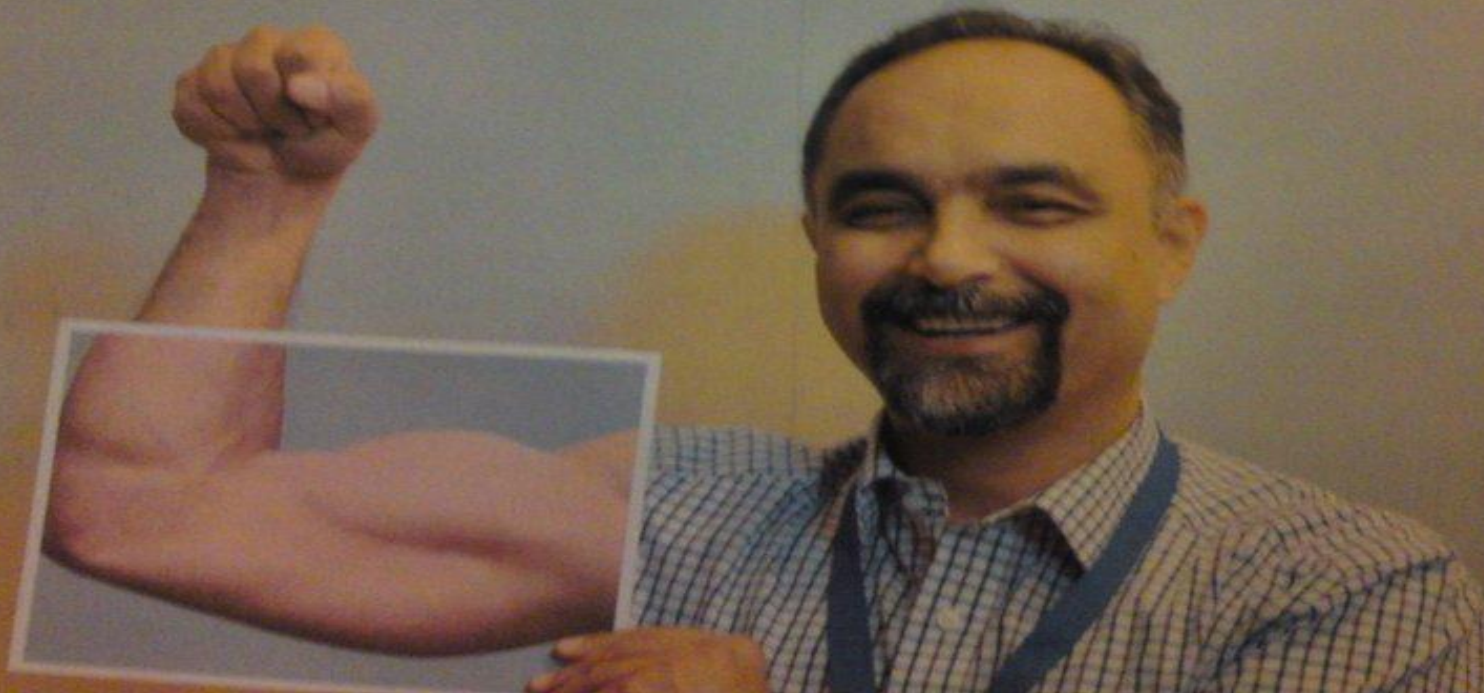
PD Start Strong

Peritoneal dialysis (PD) is associated with clinical benefits that can set up end stage renal disease (ESRD) patients for future success compared to conventional haemodialysis:

- Patients starting on PD have better short-term survival^{1,2}
- PD better preserves residual renal function³
- PD is a strong bridge to transplant^{4,5}

By starting your patients on PD, you will be preparing them for whatever ESRD sends their way.

PD. Stronger than you think.



PD a bridge to kidney transplantation

دیالیز صفاقی پلی برای پیوند کلیه

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PD congress Kish
Jan 2015

پل‌های مطمئن



پلهای ترسناک



پل های خوف آور



پلهای خطرناک



پنهای دل و روده درار



پلهای زور به خود بیار



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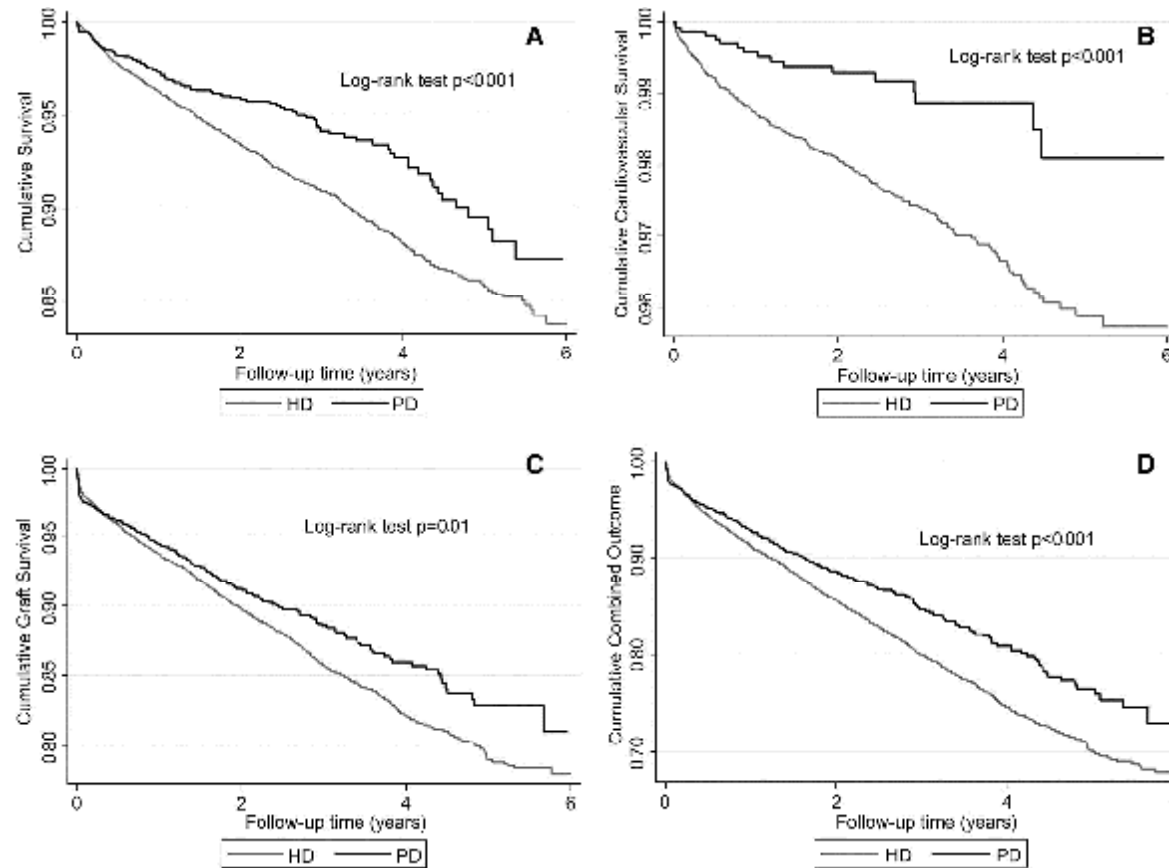
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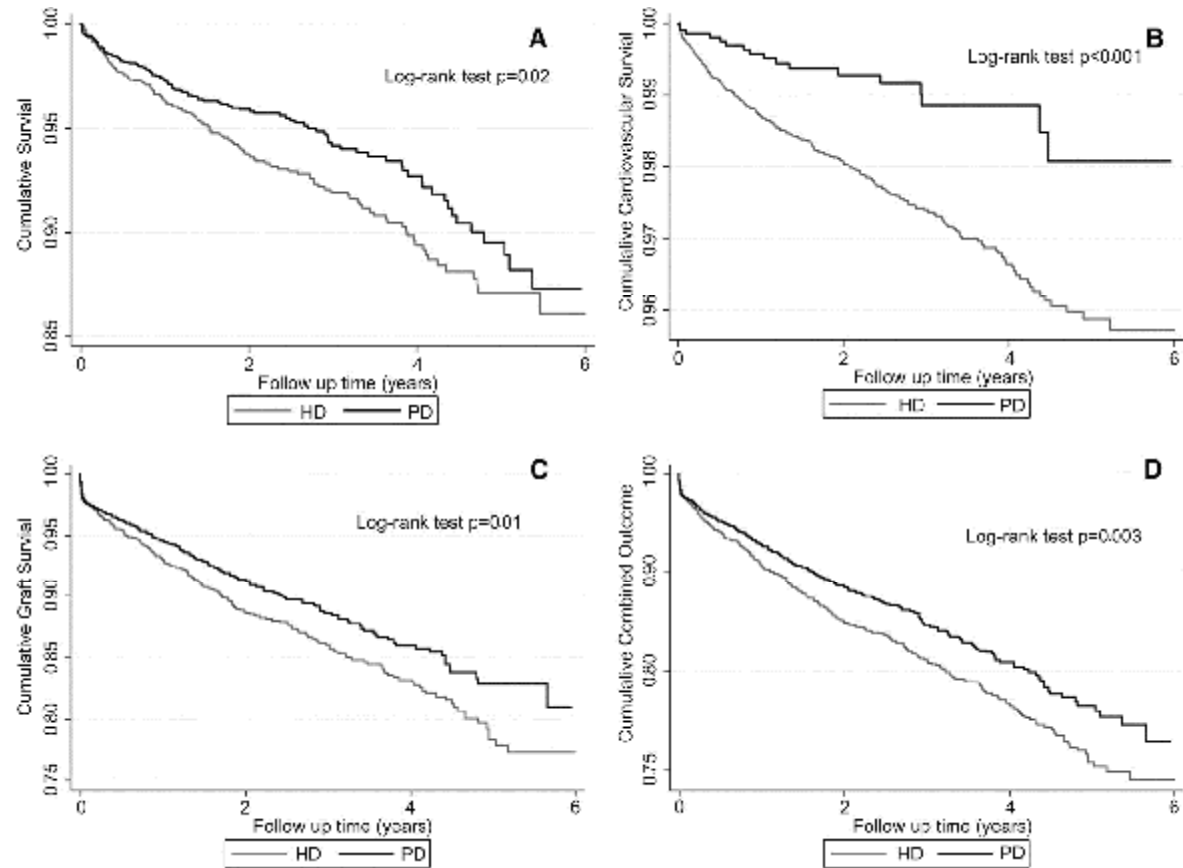
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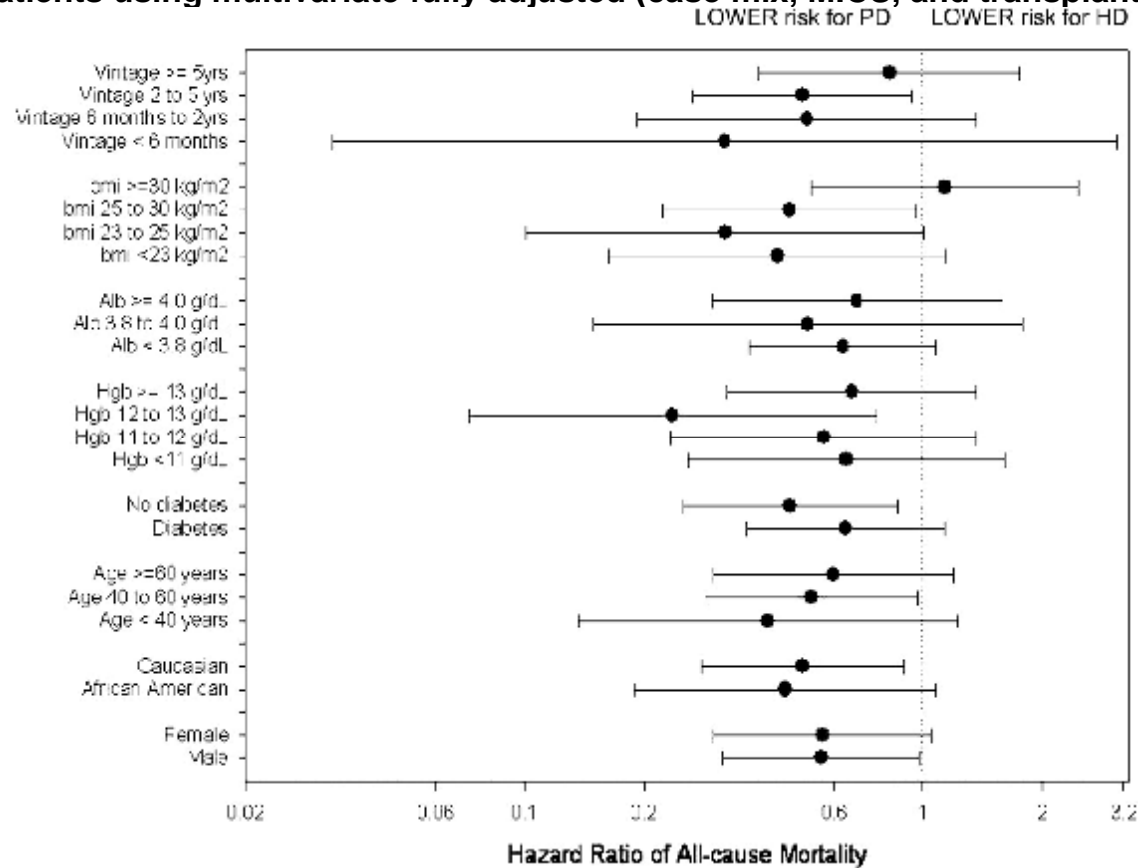
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HR (and 95% CI as error bars) of all-cause mortality of patients treated with PD before transplantation compared with patients treated with HD (reference) in a different subgroup of patients using multivariate fully adjusted (case mix, MICS, and transplant ...



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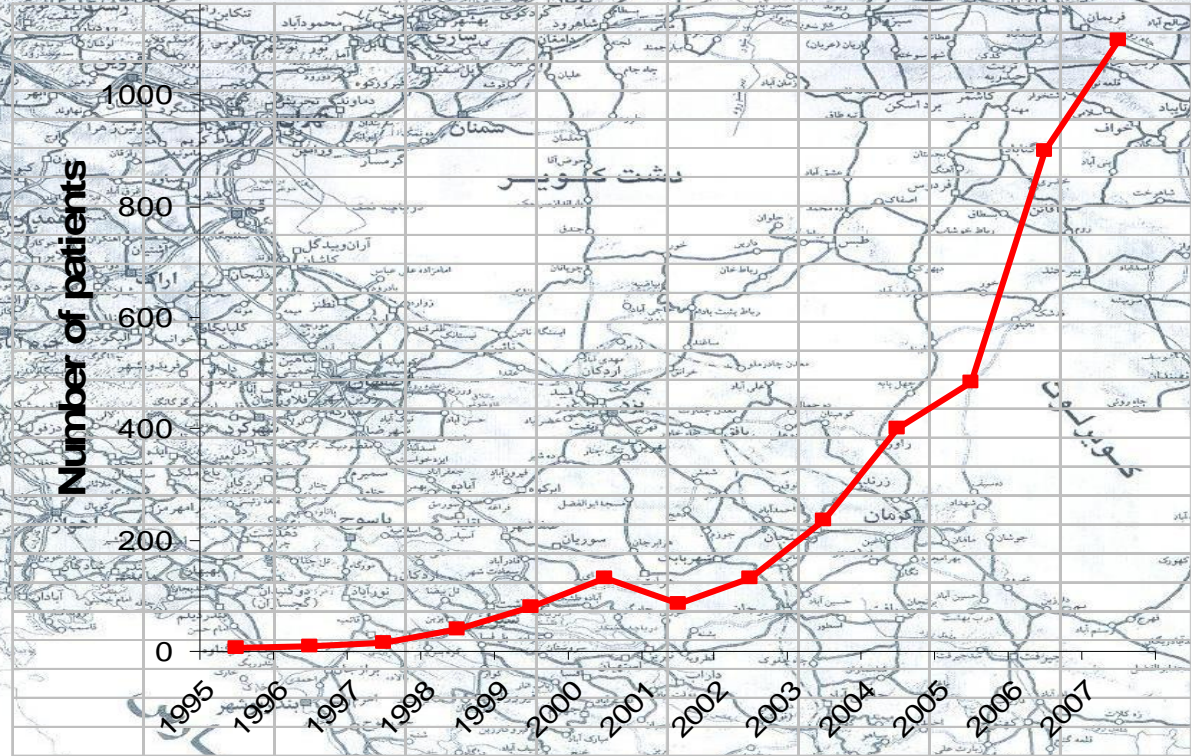
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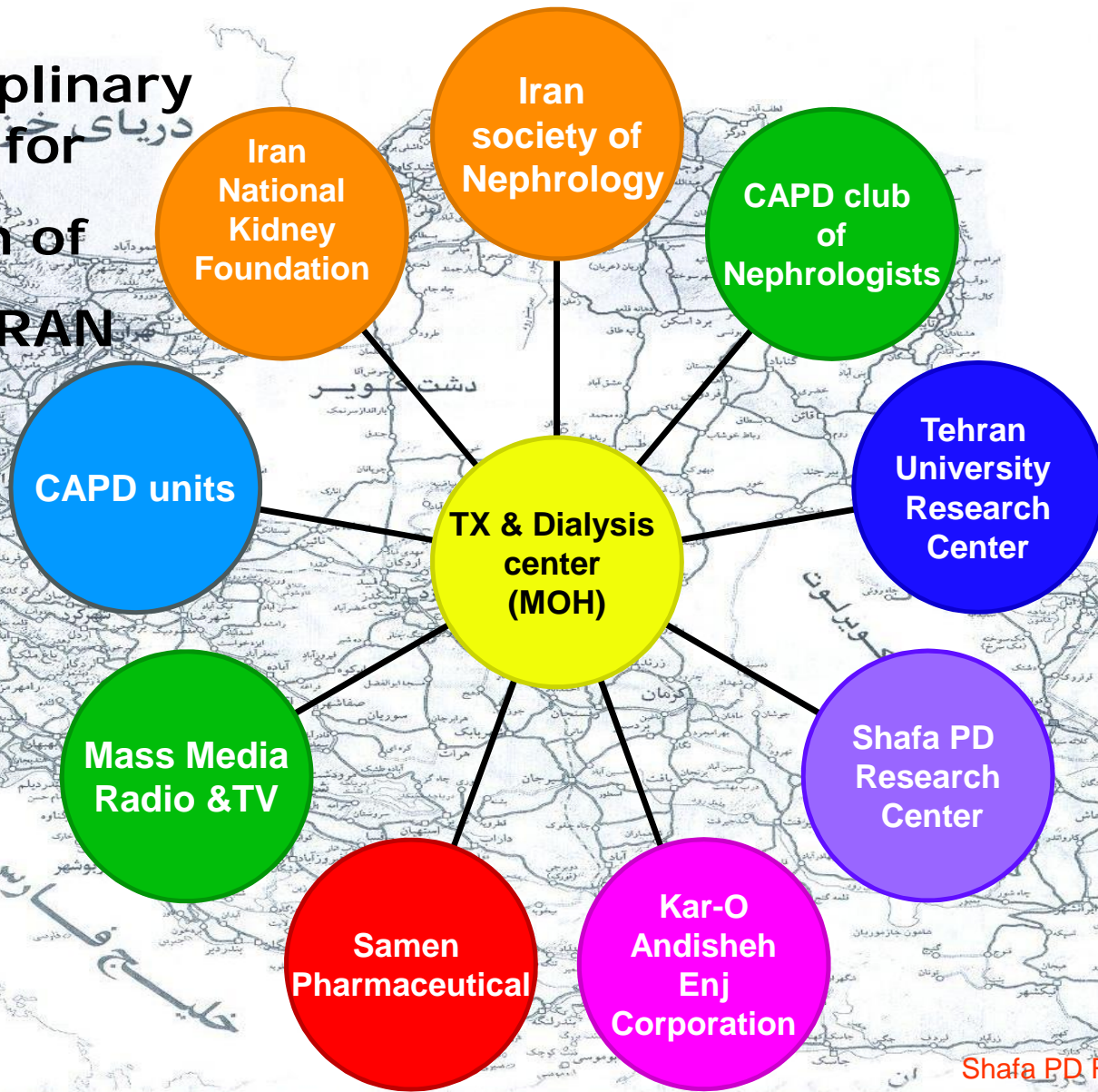
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Growth of PD patient in IRAN (1995-2007)



Multidisciplinary approach for expansion of CAPD in IRAN (2001)



April 2005

Shafa PD Research Center

Interventional Program

**Improvement of
Peritoneal Dialysis
in the Country
(Quantity and Quality)**



A Comprehensive Computerized Registry System Designed for Peritoneal Dialysis

P.Hatamizadeh, I.Najafi

Shafa Peritoneal Dialysis Research Center

2004

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SEVENTEEN YEARS' EXPERIENCE OF PERITONEAL DIALYSIS IN IRAN: FIRST OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE IRANIAN PERITONEAL DIALYSIS REGISTRY

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◆ **Background:** To facilitate planning, national renal baseline serum hemoglobin and albumin were 10.7 g/dL and

International papers by year PD in Iran



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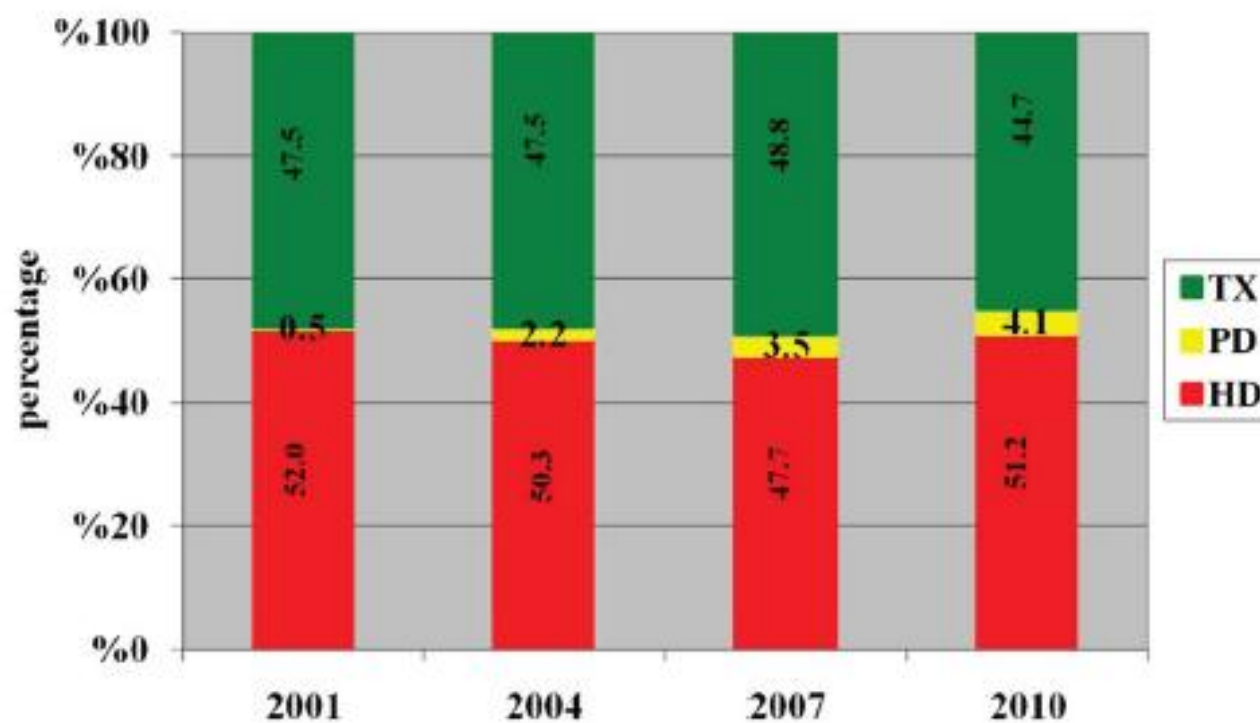
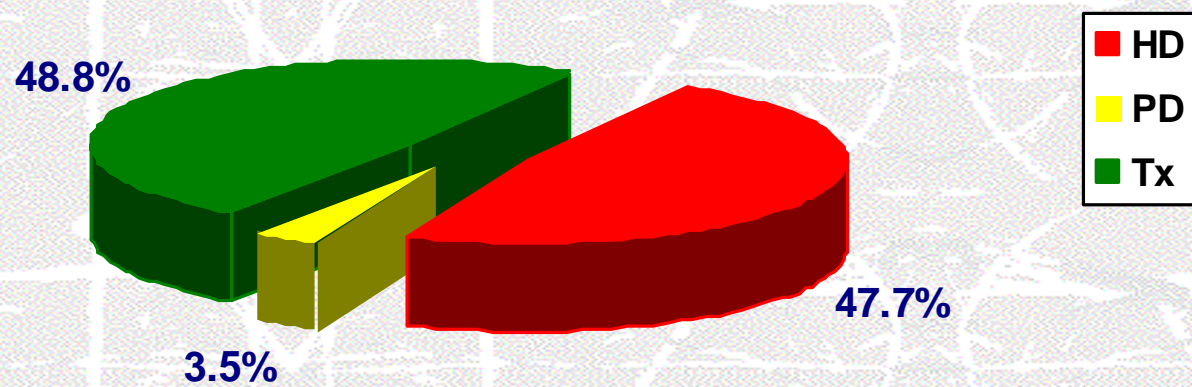


Figure 1 — End-stage renal disease requiring renal replacement therapy in Iran from 2001 to 2010. TX = transplantation; PD = peritoneal dialysis; HD = hemodialysis.

RRT in IRAN 2007

Total of patients : 32686

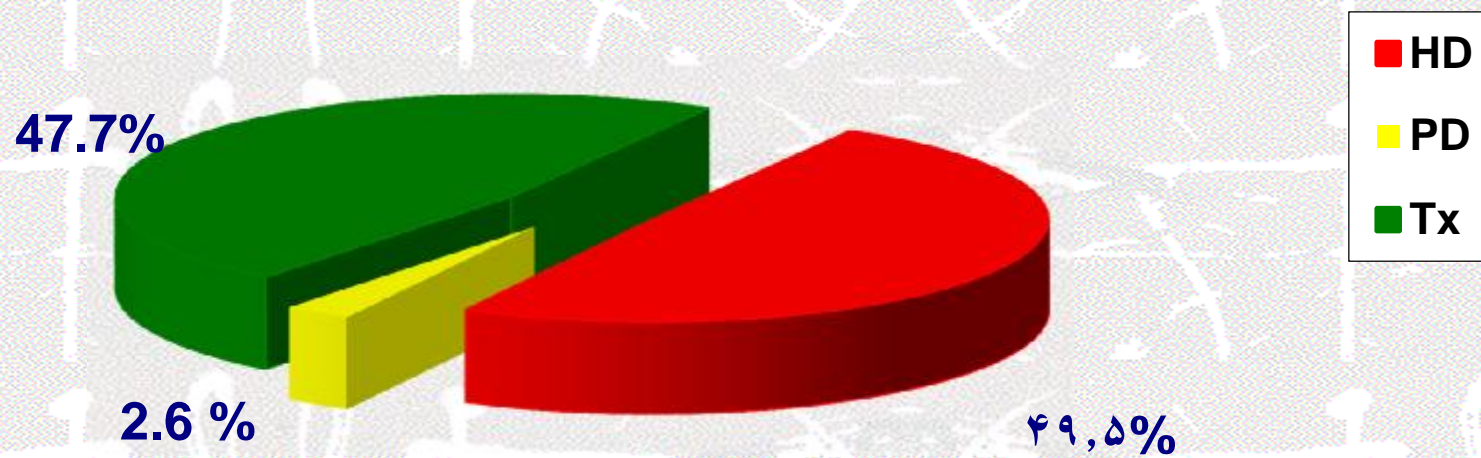


Different ESRD Modalities in IRAN (2011)

Transplant patients	17000
Hemodialysis patients	19500
Peritoneal dialysis patients	1560
Total number of ESRD patients	38060
ESRD Prevalence (PMP)	507.4
PD Penetration/ Dialysis	7.4%
PD Penetration/ ESRD	4.1%
PD Prevalence/PMP	20.8%

RRT in IRAN 2017

Total of patients :64324



PD Numbers in IRAN

(2017)

Transplant patients	32000
Hemodialysis patients	30700
Peritoneal dialysis patients	1624
Total number of ESRD patients	64324
PD Penetration/ Dialysis	5.2%
PD Penetration/ ESRD	2.6%
PD Prevalence/PMP	20.3%

May 2017

IRAN CAPD REGISTRY

Latest Report (2016)

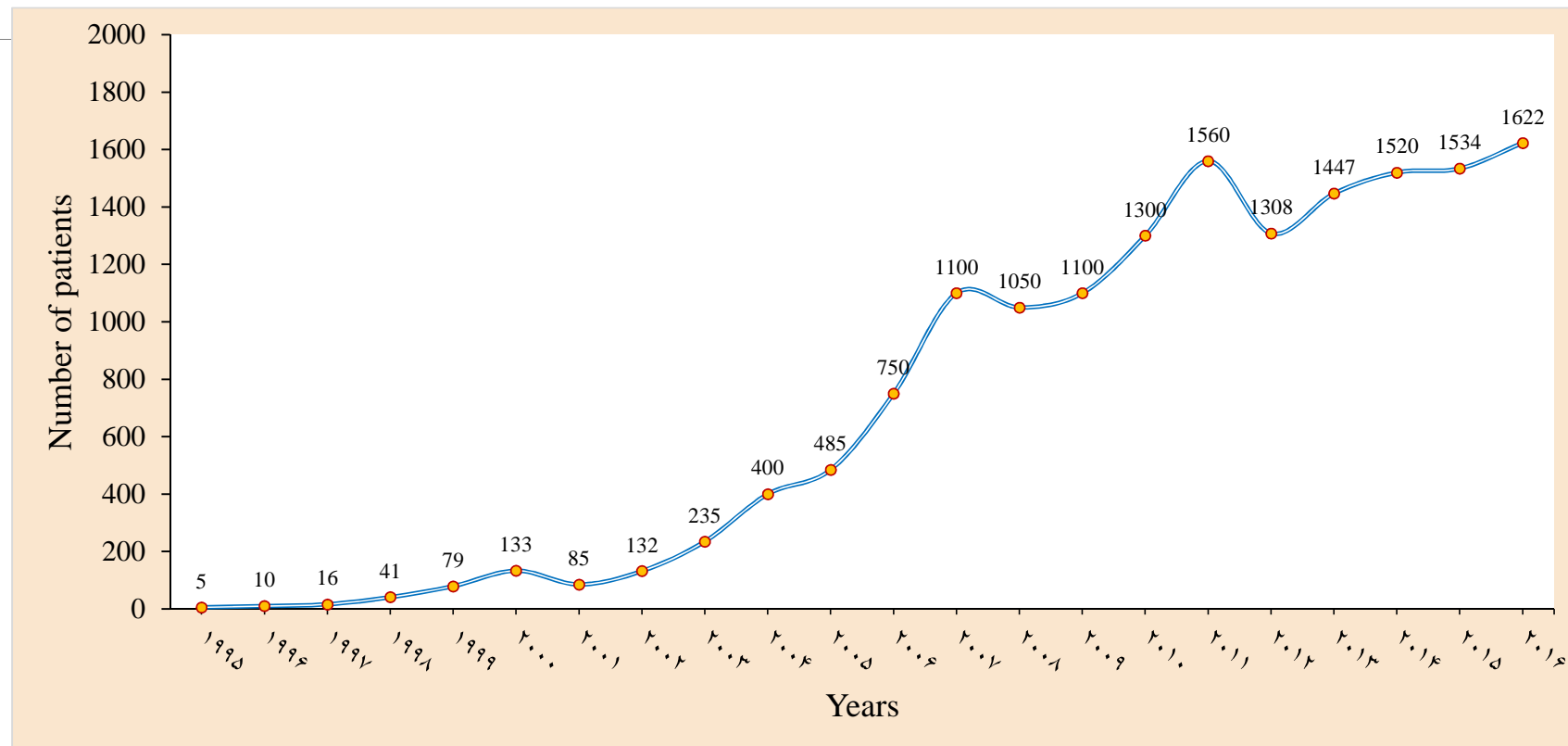
Descriptive Data

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2017

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Growth of PD patient in IRAN (1995-2016)



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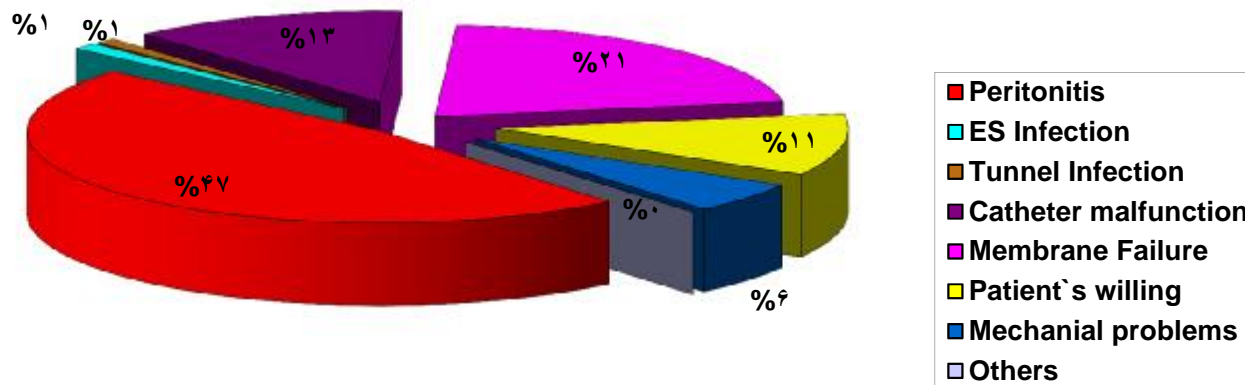
Iran CAPD Registry

Etiology of CKD	Before 2012	After 2012
DM	1285 (35.2)	186 (42.2)
HTN	843 (23.1)	134 (30.4)
Unknown	615 (16.9)	47 (10.7)
GN	248 (6.8)	12 (2.7)
APKD	150 (4.1)	17(4.1)
Stone	102 (2.8)	14 (3.2)
Other	217 (6.0)	16 (3.6)
Reflux	78 (2.1)	9 (2.0)
Familial	92 (2.5)	3 (0.7)
Toxin	16 (0.4)	2 (0.4)
Total	3646 (100.0)	406 (100.0)

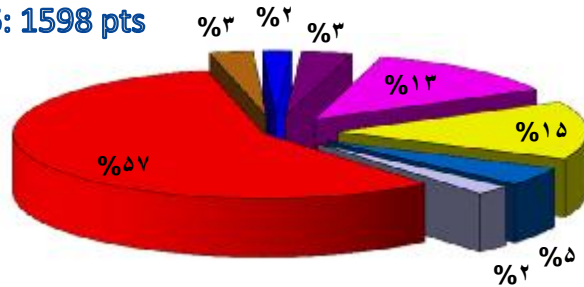
Iran CAPD Registry 2014

(Cause of Drop out N=803)

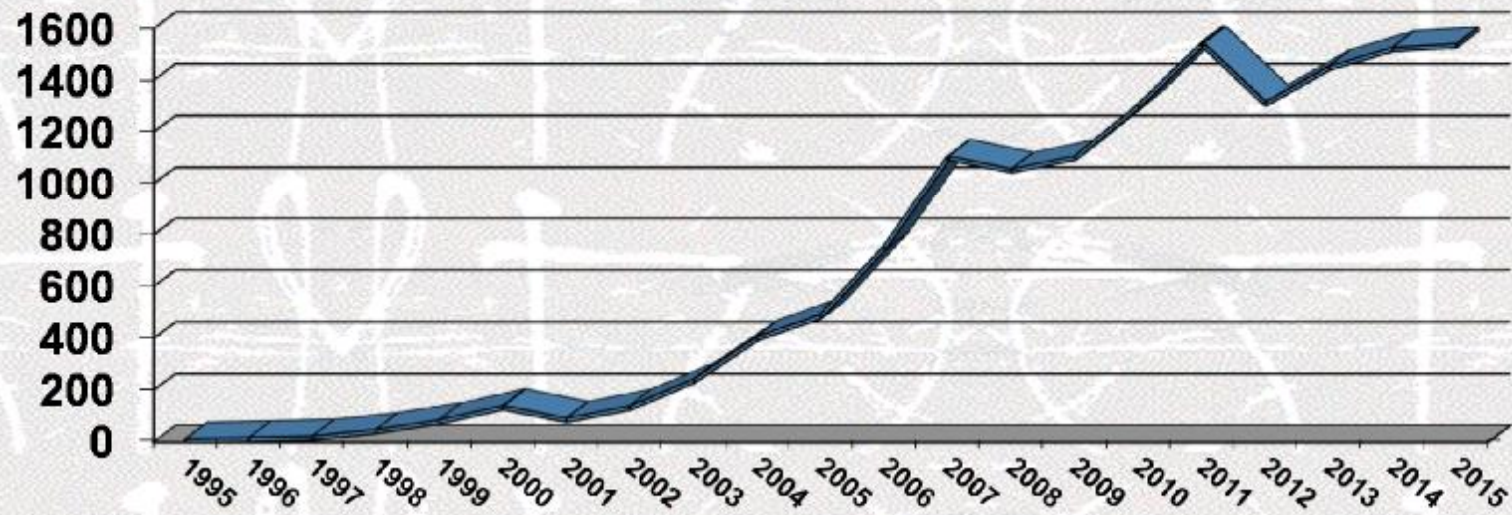
2014: 3395 pts



2006: 1598 pts



Growth of PD patient in IRAN (1995-2014)



sluggish

Fast

Stagnation

September 2015

What is the probable reasons for PD stagnation in the last 7-8 years (2011-2019)

- 1) The Price of a single Glucose base solution has increased %800 something not happening in HD&TX
- 2) The cost of a patient on CAPD, is %20 higher than HD, makes no desire in MOH to expand the program
- 3) Questions regarding the Quality of our solutions?!
- 4) Local production of PD solutions exclusively by one producer with no competitors
- 5) PD continue to be free of charge for nephrologists and nurses with no reimbursement (the law has not get executed)

September 2015

**What is the probable reasons for PD
stagnation in the last 7-8 years (2011-2019)**

**Could it be due to
international sanctions
against Iran?!**

The issue that raise by local producer

PD as a Nauseating Bridges



Due to international sanctions against Iran the availability pattern of our PD solutions
.in market is sometimes make us filling sick

Hope to see

Iran nuclear deal with the 6 world powers

PD as a Safe and Healthy Bridge to TX



Do you ever look at stuff and wonder how it got there?



با شکوه ترین و بزرگترین موقوفه جهان
بارگاه ملکوتی ثامن الحجج امام رئوف حضرت رضا(ع)



Key strategies for facilitating PD utilization

- ✓ Implementation of policies and incentives that favor this modality
- ✓ Production and supply of peritoneal dialysis fluid at a low cost
- ✓ Training for nephrologists to enable increased utilization
- ✓ Ensure that rates of technique failure continue to decline
- ✓ Further growth in PD use is required to enable this modality to become an integral part of renal replacement therapy



PD Solutions

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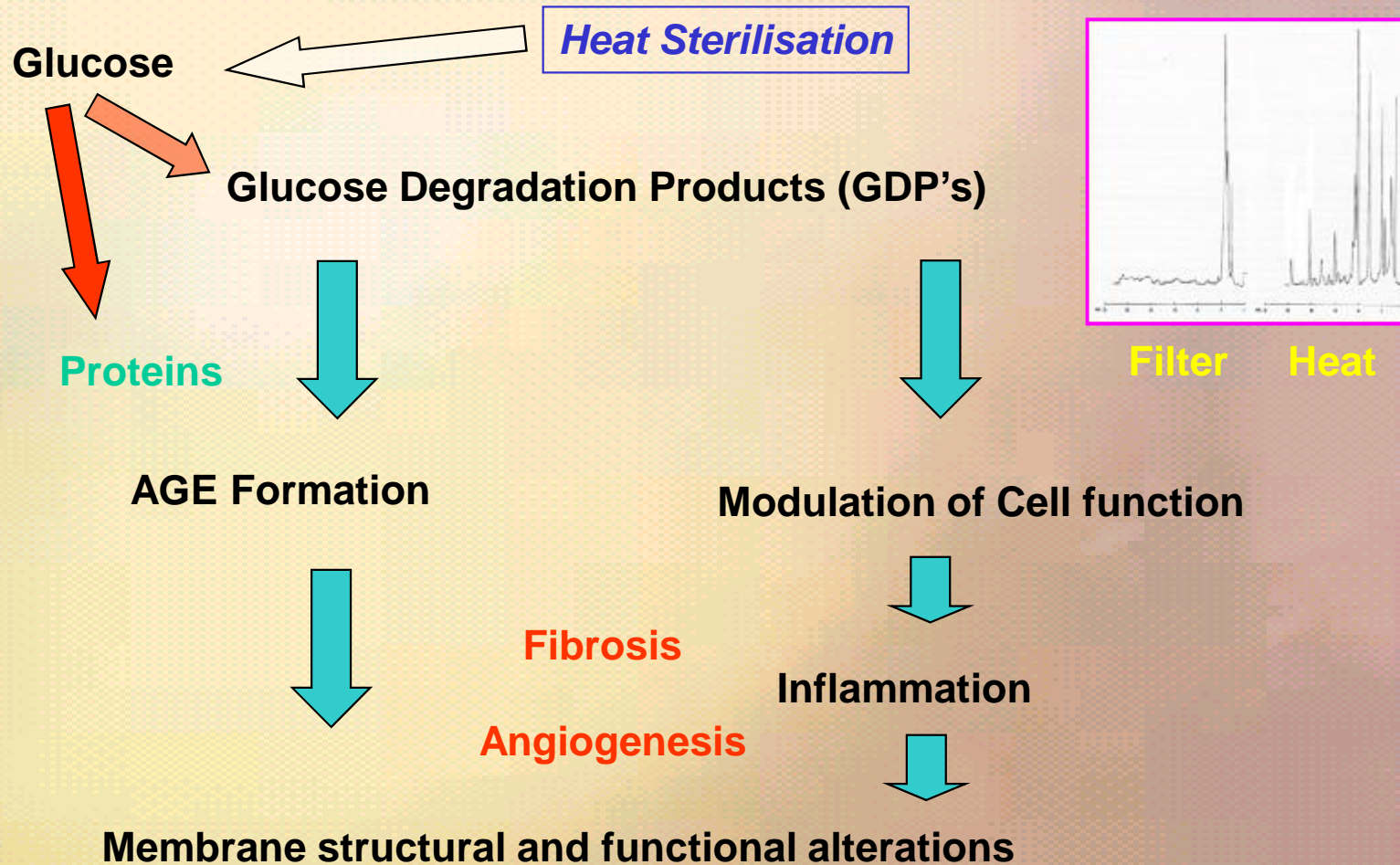
Component of conventional PD solutions

- Glucose(13.6mg/ml, 22.7mg/ml, 38.6mg/ml)
- Sodium 132mmol/L
- Potassium 0mmol/L
- Calcium 1.25-1.75mmol/L
- Magnesium 0.25-0.75mmol/L
- Chloride 102mmol/L
- Lactate 35-40mmol/L
- pH 5.0-5.5

Composition of standard peritoneal dialysis solution

Na	132 mmol/l	
Ca	1,25mmol/l	
Mg	0,5 mmol/l	
Cl	100 mmol/l	
lactate	35 mmol/l	ev.
lactate/bicarbonate		
glucose	1,36-4,25 g/dl	
osmolarity	347-486	
pH	5,2	
GDP (degradation products of glucose)		

How do GDP's impact on peritoneal membrane function



Heat sterilization effect

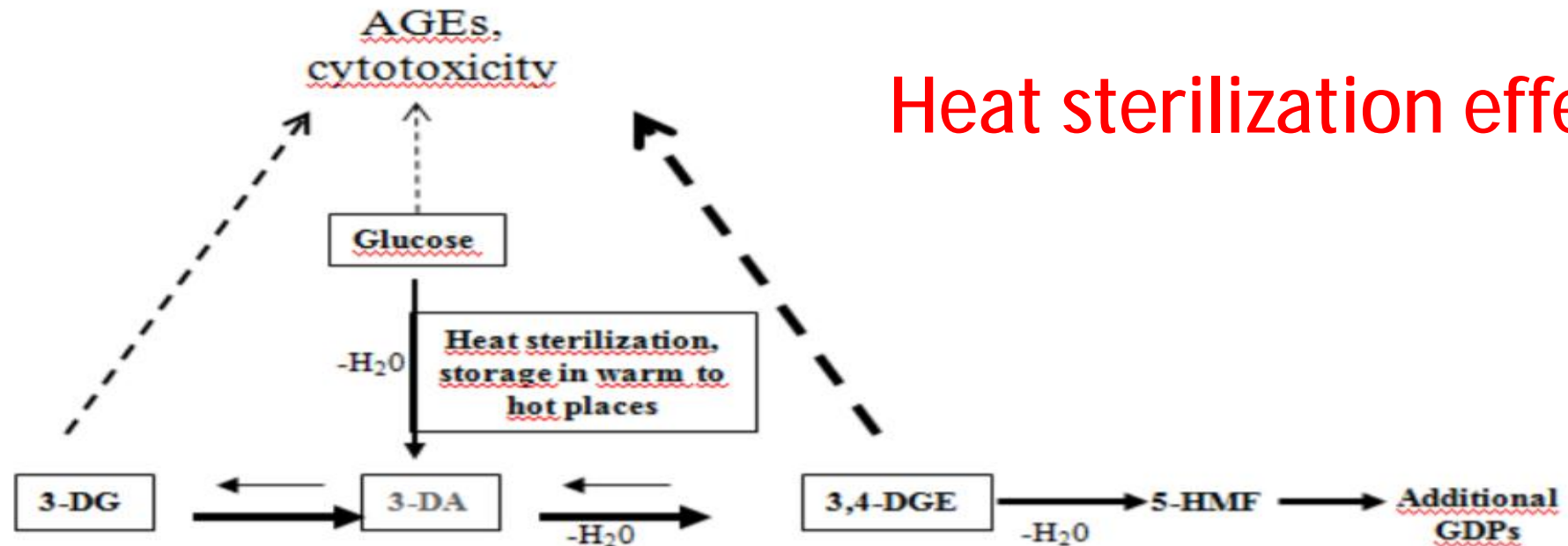
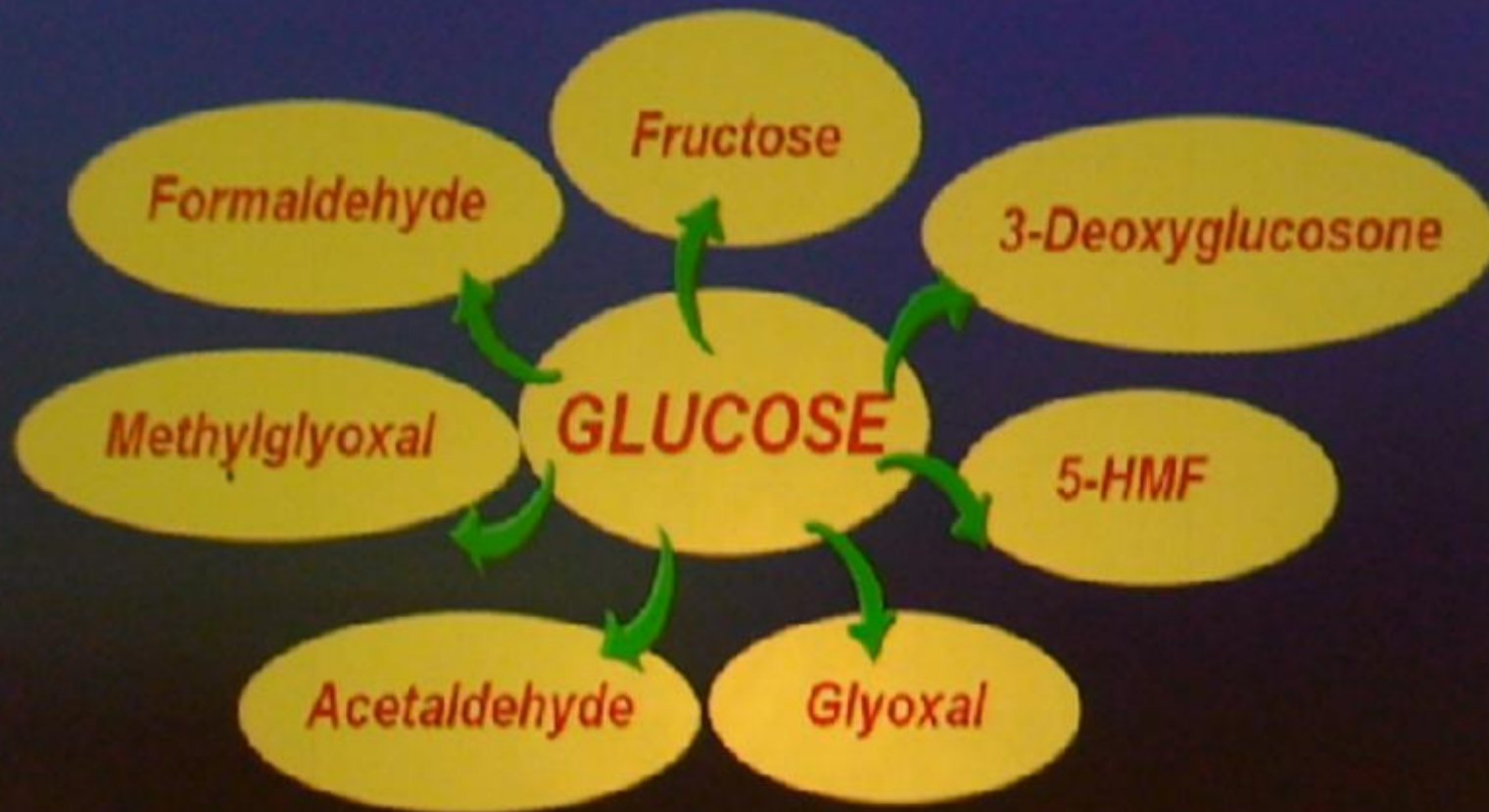
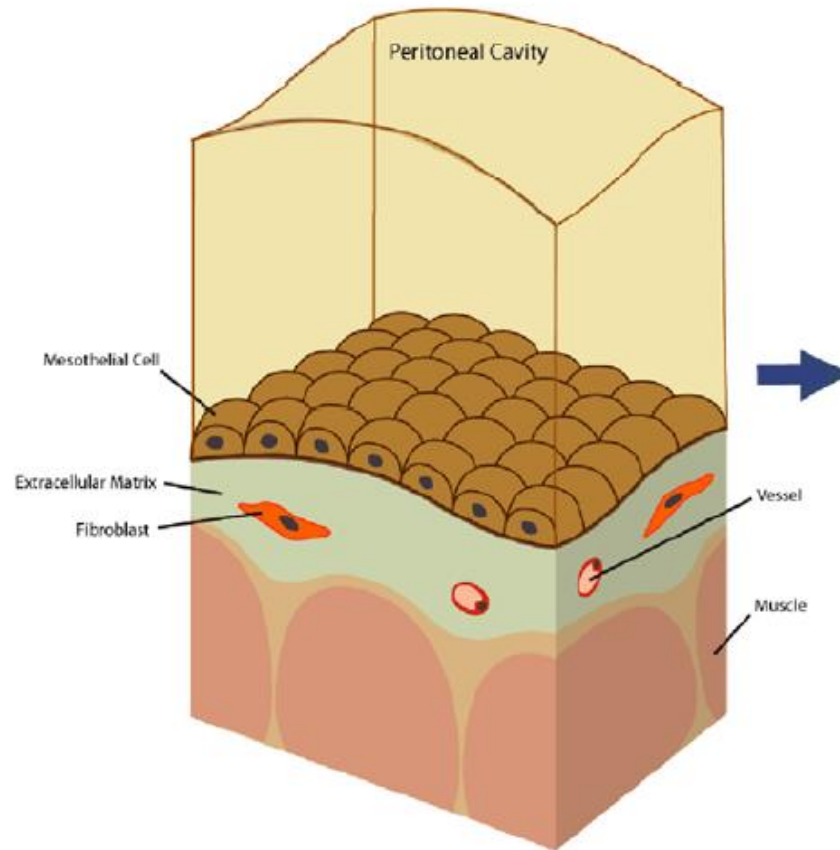


Fig. 2. GDP generation from glucose in PD fluids during heat sterilization and storage. Successive dehydration steps of the glucose molecule lead to initial GDPs and these are subsequently degraded into smaller molecules. There is a temperature-dependent balance between 3-DG, 3-DA and 3,4-DGE. Increasing temperature shifts the equilibrium to the right, towards the most toxic compound, 3,4-DGE. High concentrations of glucose are cytotoxic and lead to AGE formation, but 3-DG and, above all, 3,4-DGE lead to higher cytotoxicity and AGE generation. The thick dashed lines represent the ability to induce biological effects. 3-DG: 3-deoxyglucosone, 3-DA: 3-deoxyaldos-2-ene, 3,4-DGE: 3,4-dideoxyglucosone-3-ene, AGE: advanced glycation products. HMF: hydroxymethylfurfural. Adapted from reference (Ortiz, A. et al. 2006). Additional GDPs include furaldehyde, formaldehyde, acetaldehyde, methylglyoxal, glyoxal.

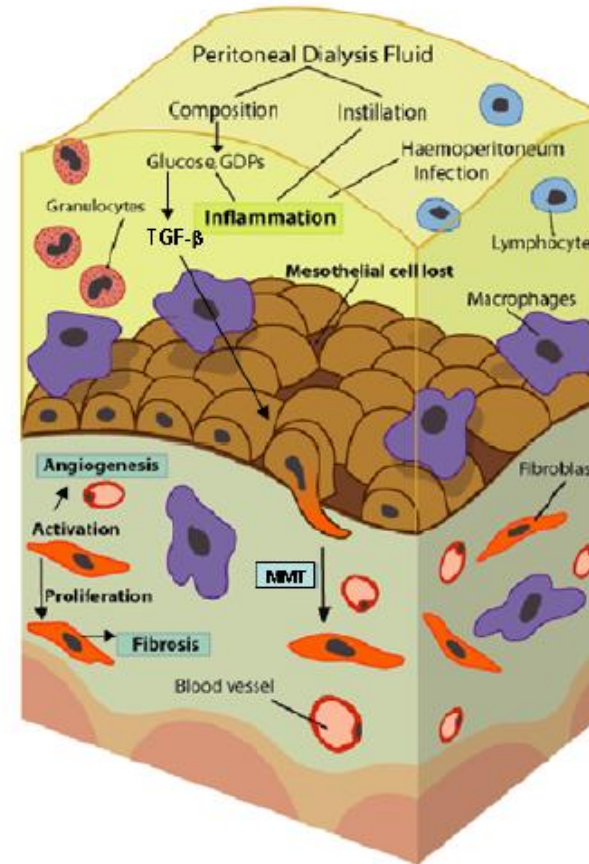
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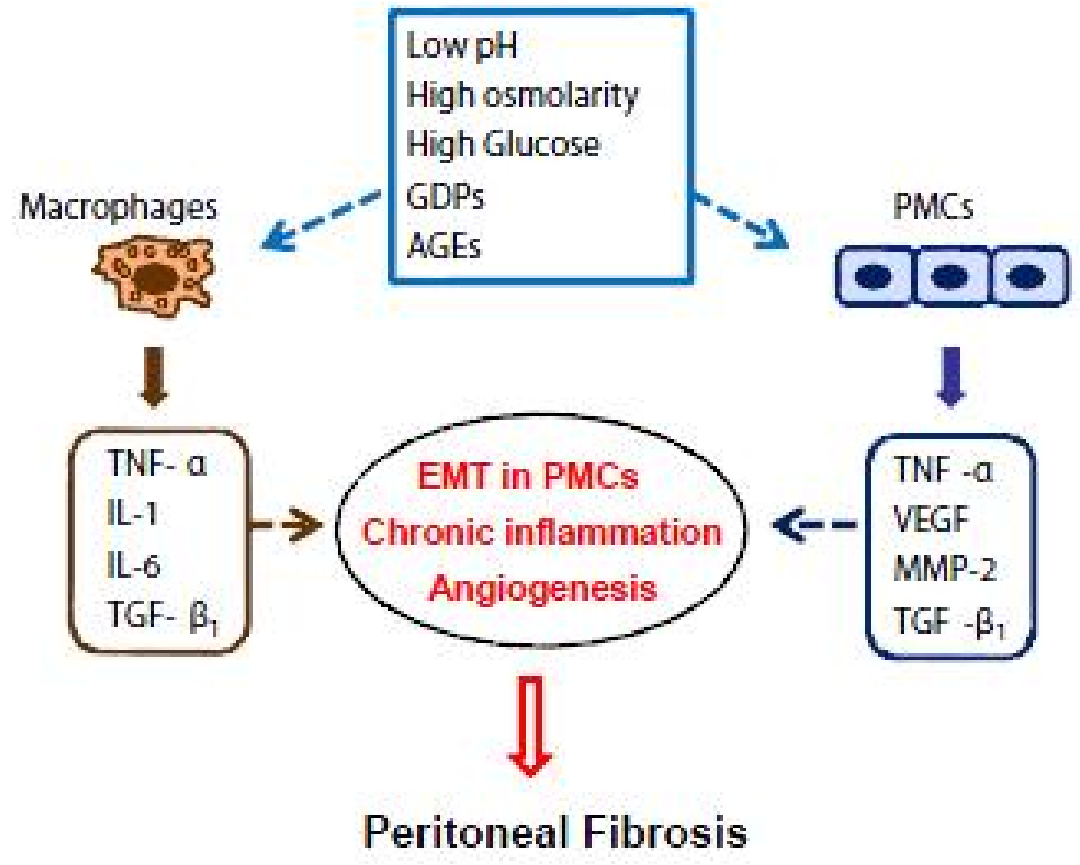


Normal Peritoneum



Peritoneal Dialysis

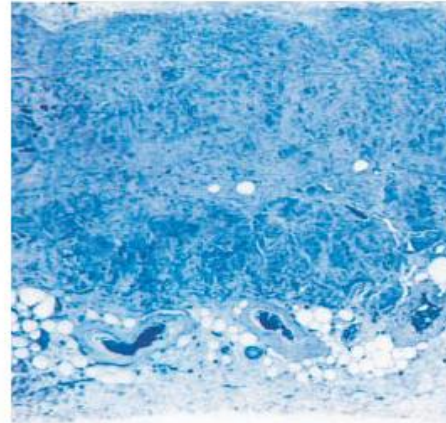




Morphologic Changes in Peritoneal Barrier: Peritoneal Biopsy Registry

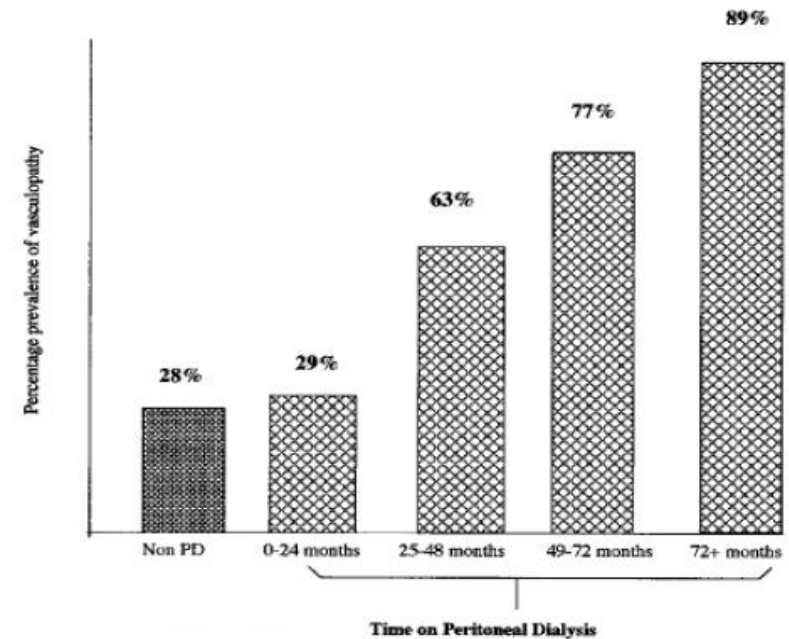


Normal



After 9 years of PD

Compact Sub-mesothelial zone



- Peritoneal Biopsy Registry
- 20 Centers, 63% cases at Cardiff
- 130 PD patients

PD
FRONTIERS IN PD

Williams JD et al: *J Am Soc Nephrol* 2002; 13: 470-479

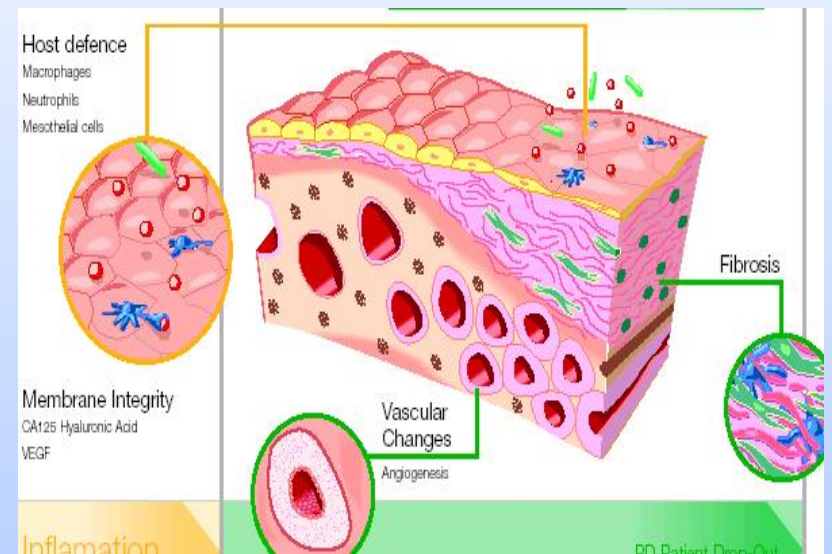
Membrane characteristics change with time on therapy

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2. Vasculopathy
3. Interstitial fibrosis

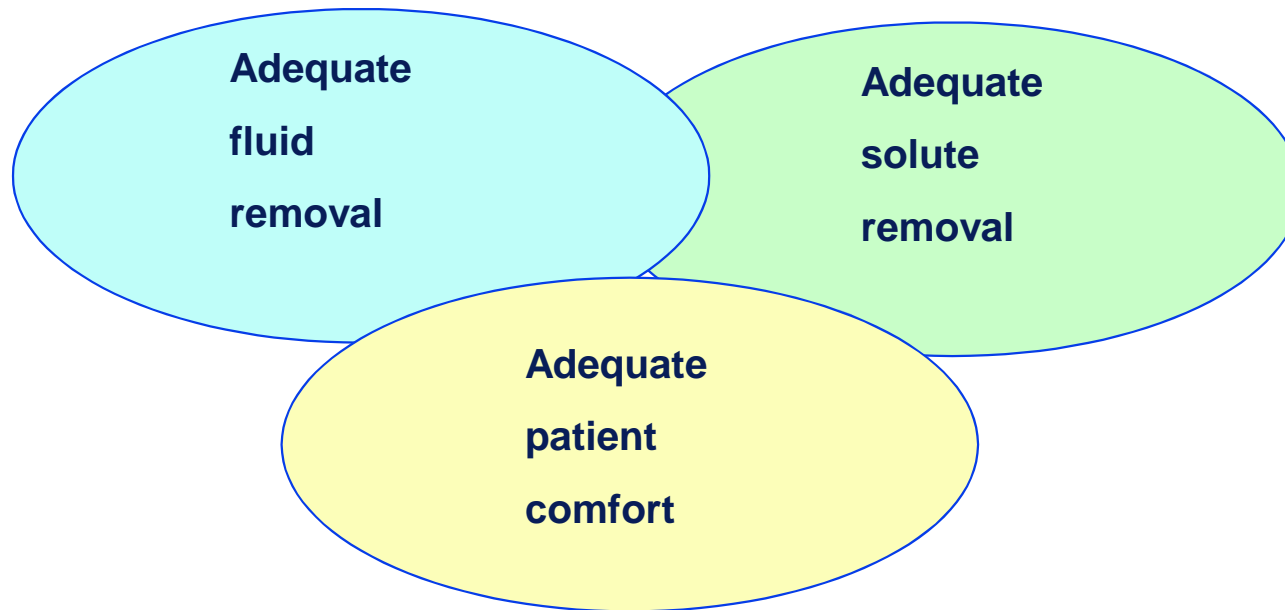
lead to ;

Ø Decreased ultrafiltration capacity

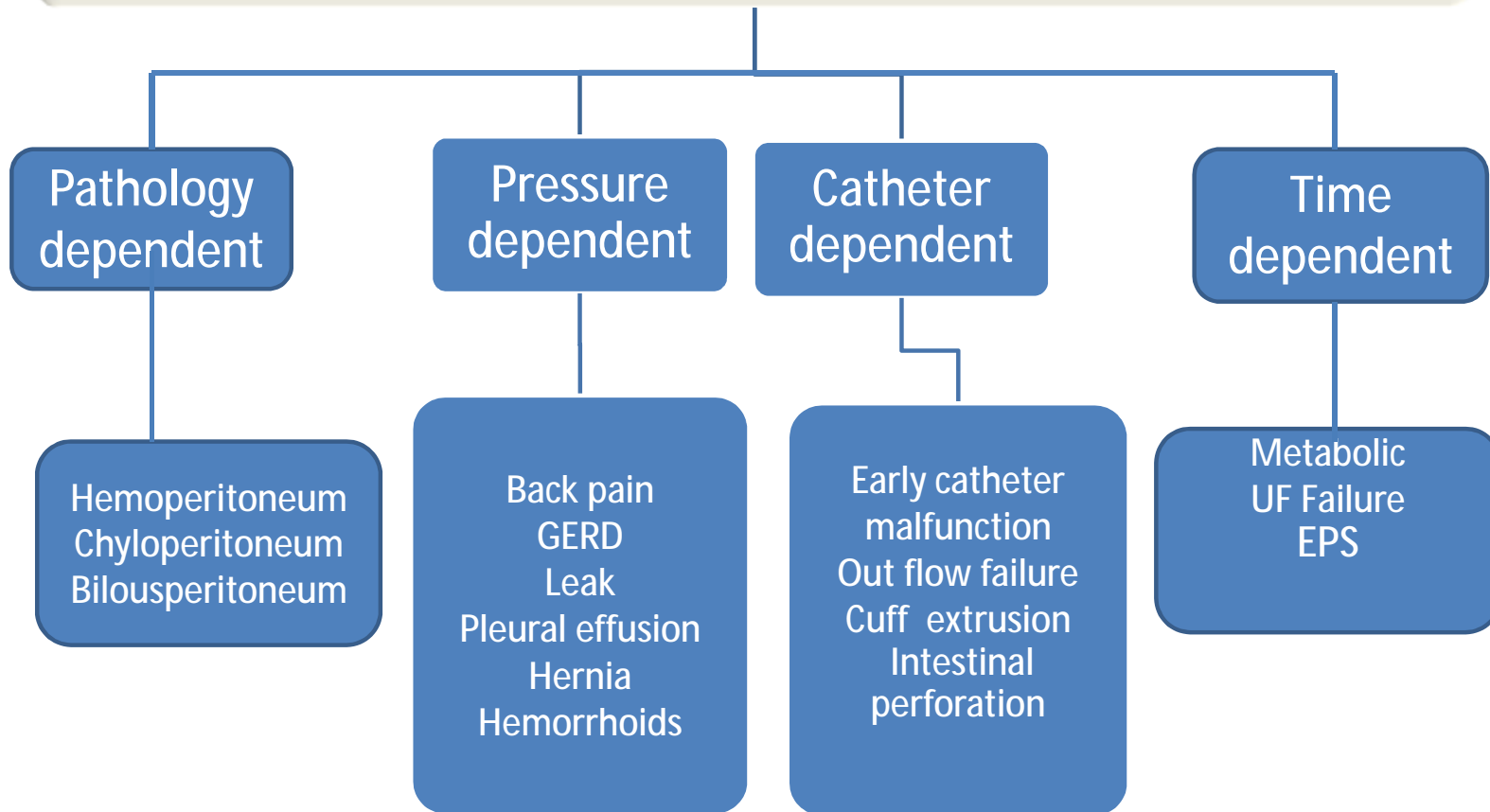
Ø Increase in the transport rate for small solutes



What is Adequacy?



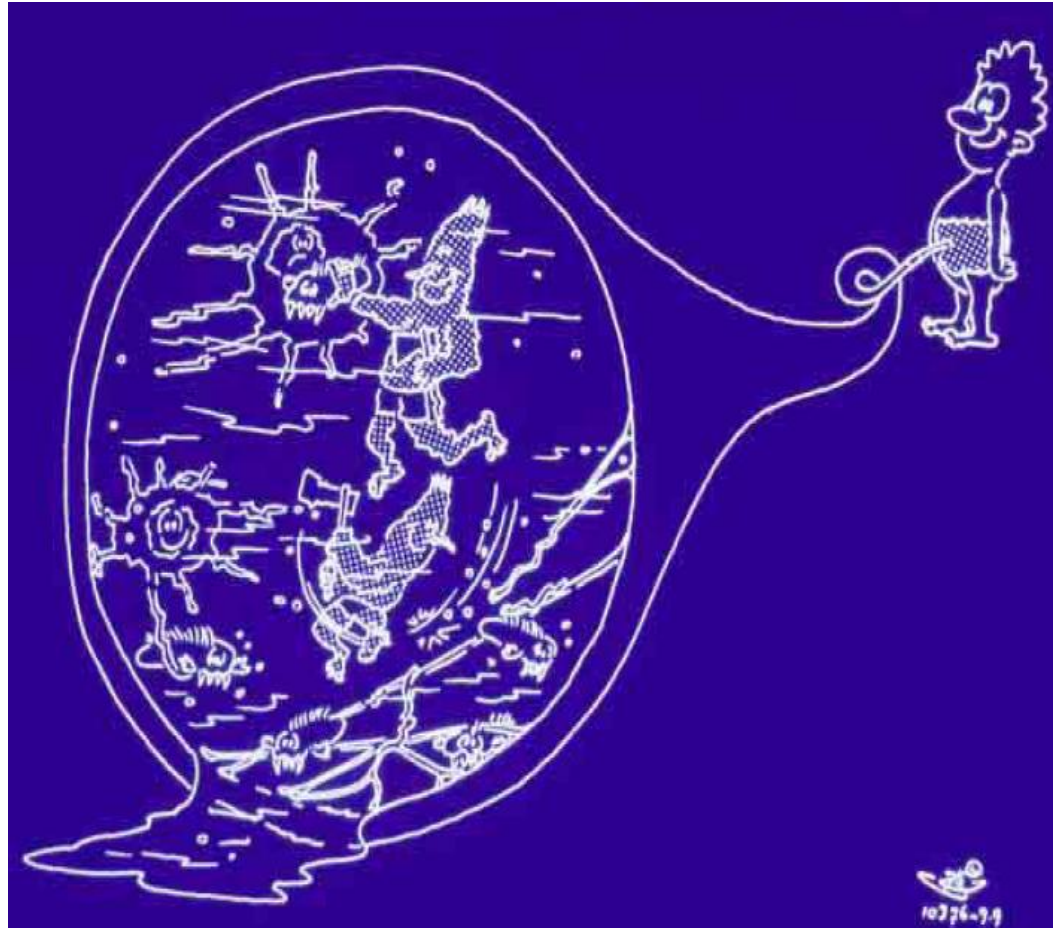
Non-Infectious complications



Biocompatible dialysis fluids for peritoneal dialysis

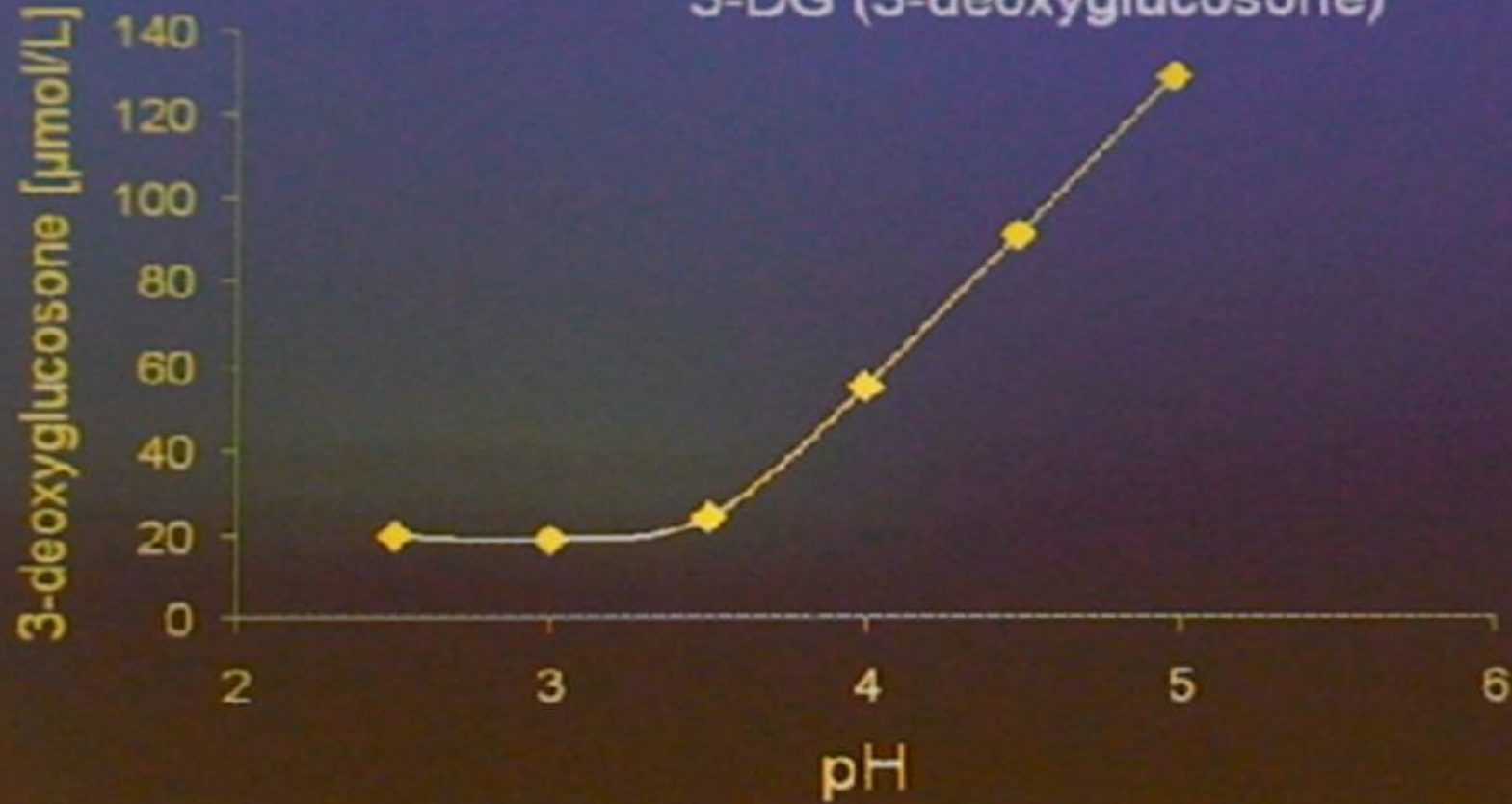
- ✓ The longevity of PD can be limited by membrane injury, which is partly as a result of biologically 'unfriendly' PD solutions, which are acidic and consist of high levels of glucose and toxic GDP.
- ✓ To overcome these hurdles, biocompatible PD solutions (i.e. with a neutral pH and low levels of GDP or with a glucose-alternative like icodextrin) have been manufactured with the aim of providing patient benefit.

Bicarbonate Vs Lactate Solutions



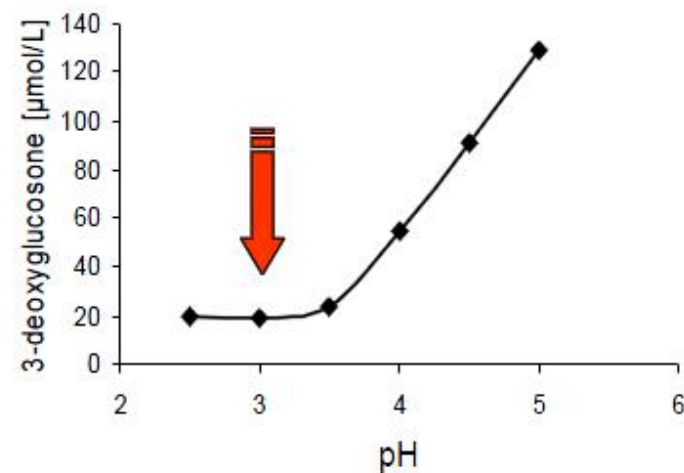
Low pH is an option to reduce GDP formation during heat-sterilisation

pH dependent formation of 3-DG (3-deoxyglucosone)



Methods to reduce the GDP load in PD

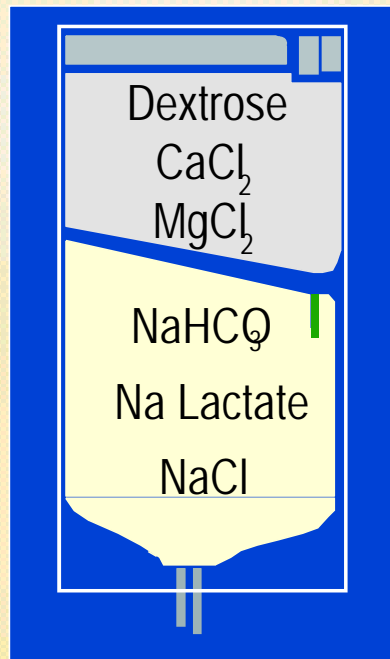
- ① (Filter sterilisation)
- ② Separation of glucose from catalysing substances during heat sterilisation
- ③ Lowering the pH during heat sterilisation



- ④ Increasing the glucose concentration during heat sterilisation

② - ④ can be achieved in multi-chamber bags

Physioneal® Bicarbonate-buffered PD Solution



Product Description

- ∅ Ca and Mg separated from bicarbonate during sterilization to prevent precipitate formation
- ∅ Dextrose separation during sterilization results in very low levels of GDPs
- ∅ pH 7.4



A Natural Solution for a Natural Membrane

Bicarbonate/Lactate PD Solutions



Physioneal[®] offers a:

§ *physiological pH*

§ *physiological bicarbonate concentration*

§ *physiological pCO₂*

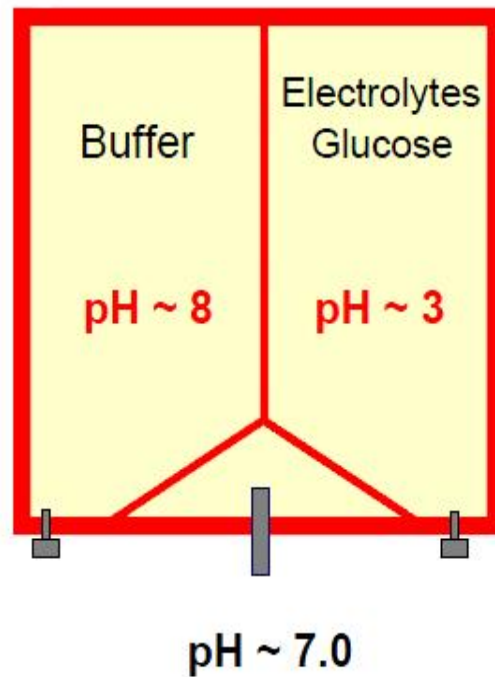
§ *reduced level of GDPs*

*Coles GA., et al., NDT 1998; 13:3165-3171
Mactier RA., et al., KI 1998; 53:1061-1067
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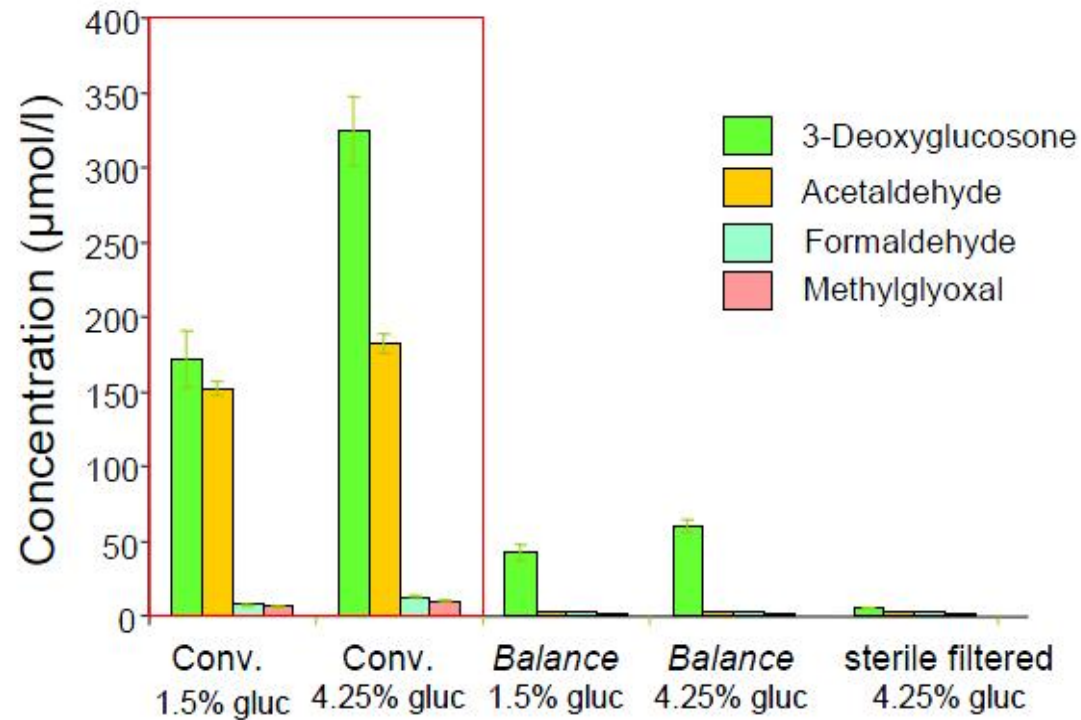


Dual-chambered PD fluid

CAPD *stay•safe* Balance



GDP concentration is substantially reduced in dual-chambered vs. conventional PD fluid



Tauer et al. *BBRC* 2001, 280(5): 1408-1414

PD Solutions

- Osmotic agent
- Buffer
- pH
- Electrolytes
- Biocompatible

New Generation Of PD solutions

Glucose
Solutions

Alternative osmotic
No glucose



Bicarbonate/Lactate

pH 7.4

Low GDPs

pCO₂ FS

Icodextrine

pH 5.5-6.1

Very low GDPs

Iso-osmolar

Amino acids

pH ~6.6

No GDPs

Extraneal™ and GDPs

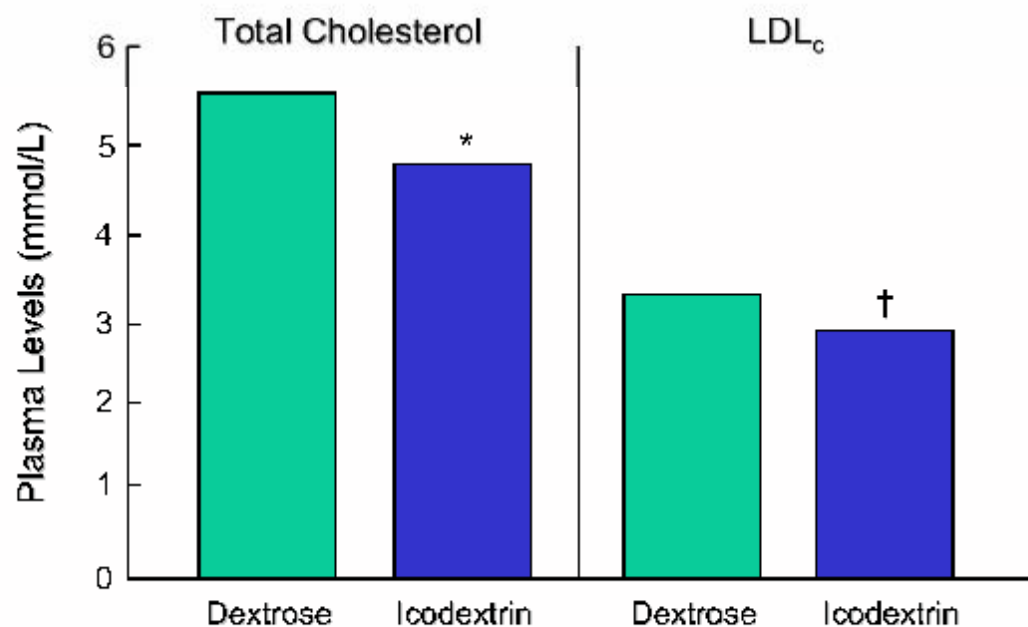
Ueda et al, 2000 *Kidney Int* 58: 2518-2524

	<Concentration (mM)>	
	1.36% Glucose	Extraneal
Glyoxal	6.2 ±0.5	1.7 ±0.2
Methyl-glyoxal	7.8 ±0.6	1.8 ±0.2
3-deoxyglucosone	47.2 ±4.3	3.5 ±0.4
Total reactive carbonyl compounds	64.7 ±8.7	25.7 ±4.1

Extraneal™ contains significantly lower levels of carbonyl stress compounds even versus conventional 1.36% glucose solution



Positive Lipid Profile Icodextrin and Cholesterol



* $P < .001$ vs baseline; † $P = .001$ vs baseline.

Nutrineal[®] Characteristics

- Amino acids as osmotic agent
- No **GLUCOSE**
- No change in dialysis procedures
- More physiologic pH
- Osmolality equivalent to 1.5% glucose
- Clearance equivalent to 1.5% glucose
- 40 mEq/L lactate



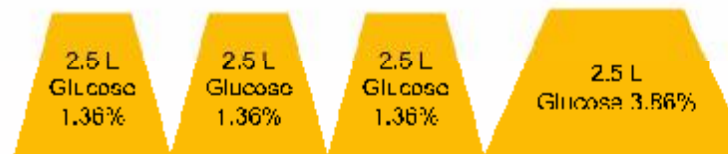
Together, Extraneal and Nutrineal are strongest in reducing glucose load

Example in high average transporter:

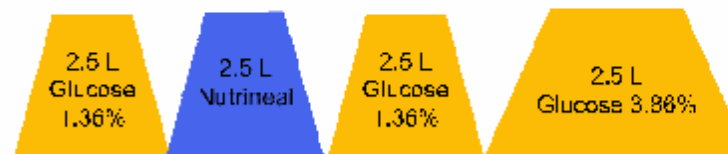
In replacement of a 1.36% glucose bag, Nutrineal reduces carbohydrate exposure by 16%:

Together with Extraneal, Nutrineal reduces glucose load by more than 45%:

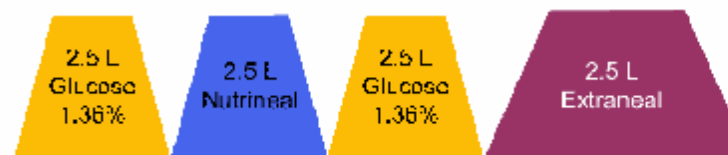
Carbohydrates absorbed = 166 g/day



Carbohydrates absorbed = 139 g/day

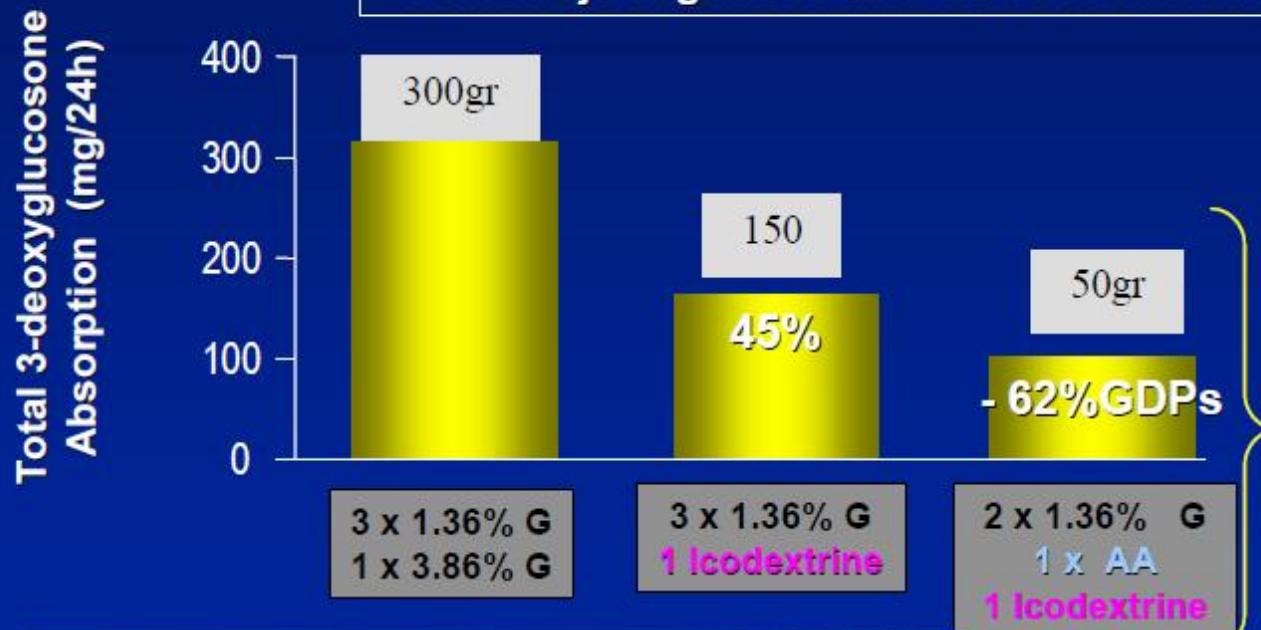


Carbohydrates absorbed = 91 g/day



Glucose and GDPs Levels in the new PD regimens

Percentage of glucose and GDPs reduction (62%)



- 38 Kg/year

Holmes C. Perit Dial Int 20 Supp 5, 2000

Clinical advantages of new dialysis solutions

Physioneal

- Infusion pain
- Peritonitis
- Glycemic control
- Appetite
- Patient acceptance
- No - UF

Extraneal

- Glucose load
- Glycemic control
- UF, control of fluid status
- Dyslipidemia
- Quality of life
- Time on PD

Nutrineal

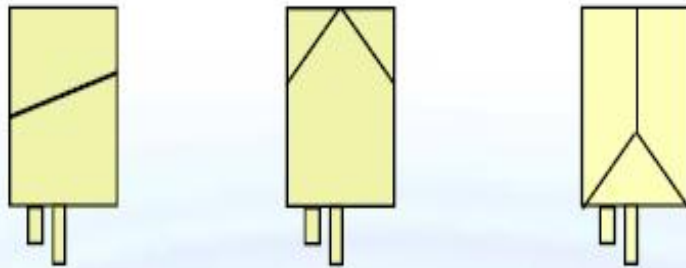
- Glucose load
- Glycemic control
- Protein intake, nutritional status

Pecoits-Filho, et al. *Kidney Int.* 2003;64(suppl 88):S100-S104.

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A New Generation of PD Solutions

Glucose based solutions

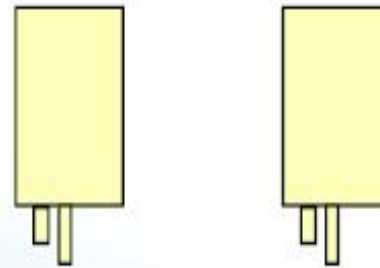


pH 7.0-7.4
Low GDP
HCO₃/lactate

pH ~6.3
V. Low GDP

pH 7.0-7.4
V. Low GDP
HCO₃

Alternative osmotic agents



Extraneal

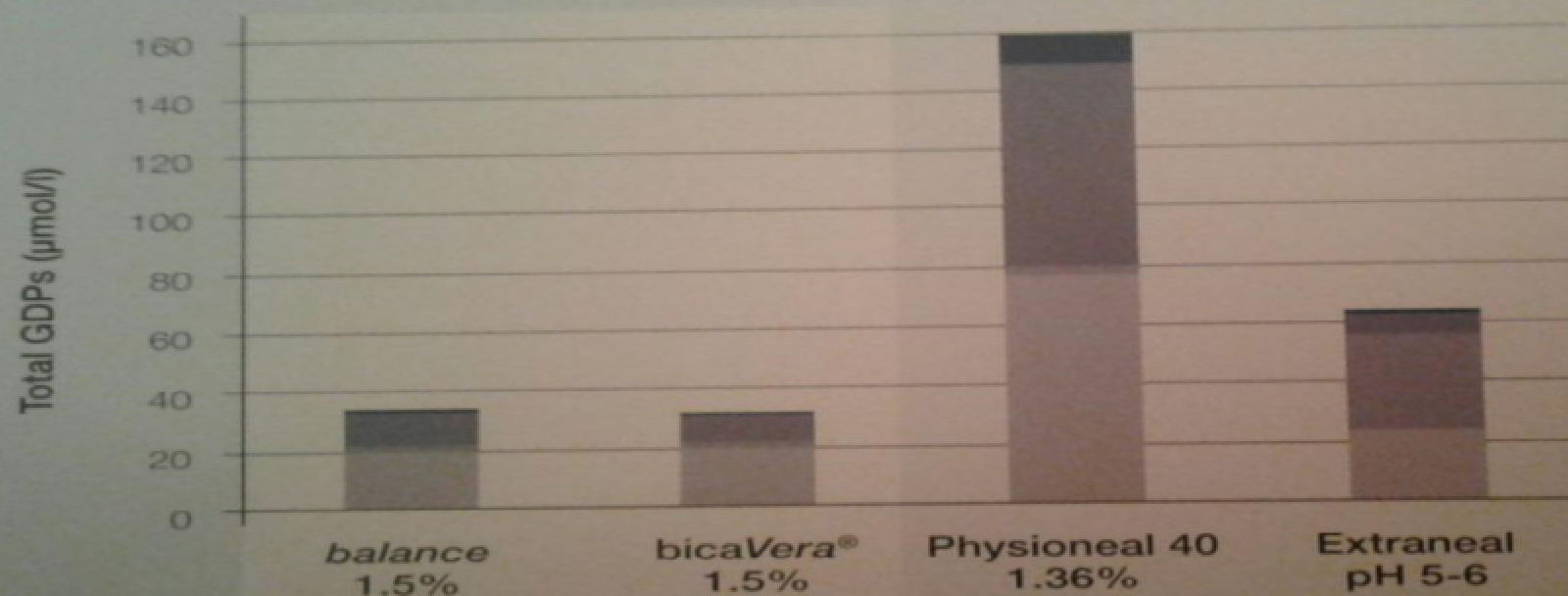
Amino Acids

pH 5.2
Low GDP
Iso-osmolar

pH ~6.7
No GDP
Glucose free

UltraLow GDP PD fluid

GDP concentrations in PD fluids vary significantly



Other GDPs: Formaldehyde, 5-HMF, 2-Furaldehyde, Glyoxal, Methylglyoxal, Glucosone. (Graph adapted from Himmele et al, PDI 2012³).

GDP	Conventional glucose ¹	Biocompatible glucose ^{1,2}	Icodextrin	Aminoacids
3-deoxiglucosone	172-425	10	4-11	<0.2
3,4-DGE ³	10-125	0.2-0.5	3	<0.2
5-HMF	6-15	10 to 19	2	-
Methylglyoxal	2-12	<1	1.5	<0.2
Glyoxal	<3-14	<1	2.5	<0.2
Acetaldehyde	120-420	<2	37	-
Formaldehyde	7-13	<3	9	-

¹ The range represents the values for glucose solutions with concentrations around 1.5 to 4% and measurements made by different authors.

² Excludes Physioneal that has higher values.

³ The wide range observed depends on the concentration of glucose as the time since the sterilization and storage conditions

Ref: (Erixon, M. et al. 2006)

Table 5. GDP content in $\mu\text{mol} / \text{L}$ of different solutions PD

BIOCOMPATIBLE SOLUTIONS

- Ø Improved local host defense ([Mortier et al., 2003](#)),
- Ø Reduced mesothelial damage ([Grossin et al., 2006](#))
- Ø Reduced EMT ([Bajo et al., 2011](#)),
- Ø Less peritoneal GDP and AGE deposition, ([Mortier et al., 2004](#))
- Ø Less TGF- β and VEGF signaling, ([Mortier et al., 2005](#))
- Ø Less submesothelial fibrosis and angiogenesis, ([Rippe, 2009](#))
Altogether resulting in preservation of peritoneal ultrafiltration capacity

BIOCOMPATIBLE SOLUTIONS

- Ø Higher CA125 effluent concentrations ([Haas et al., 2003](#); [Szeto et al., 2007](#)), putative marker of mesothelial cell viability a
- Ø Lower hyaluronic acid and procollagen peptide concentrations, suggesting improved peritoneal membrane integrity ([Williams et al., 2004](#))
- Ø A declining incidence of encapsulating peritoneal sclerosis has been associated with low GDP fluid usage ([Nakao et al., 2017](#))
- Ø Residual renal function, a major predictor of patient outcome, was better preserved ([Kim et al., 2008](#); [Haag-Weber et al., 2010](#); [Johnson et al., 2012b](#))

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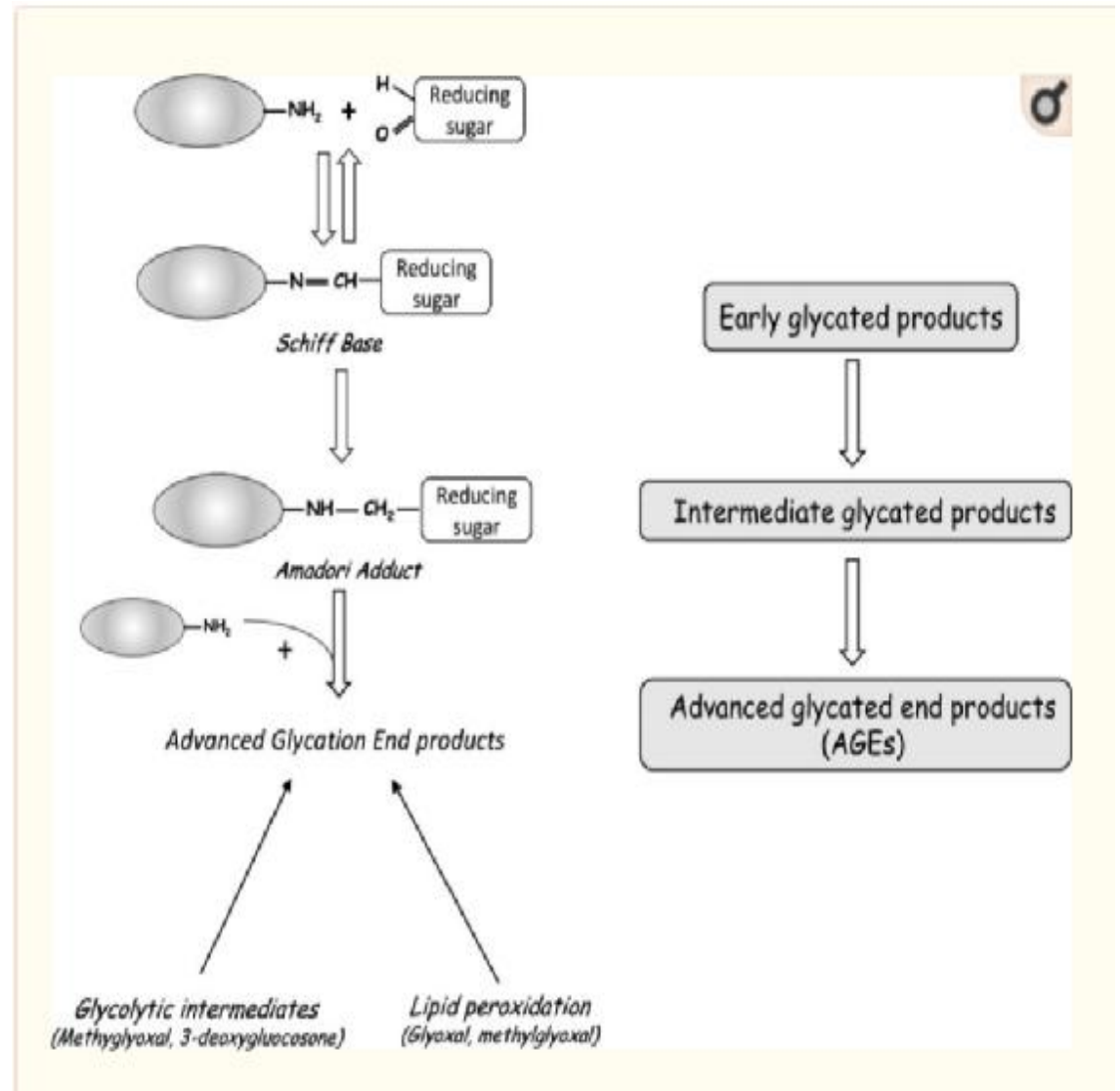
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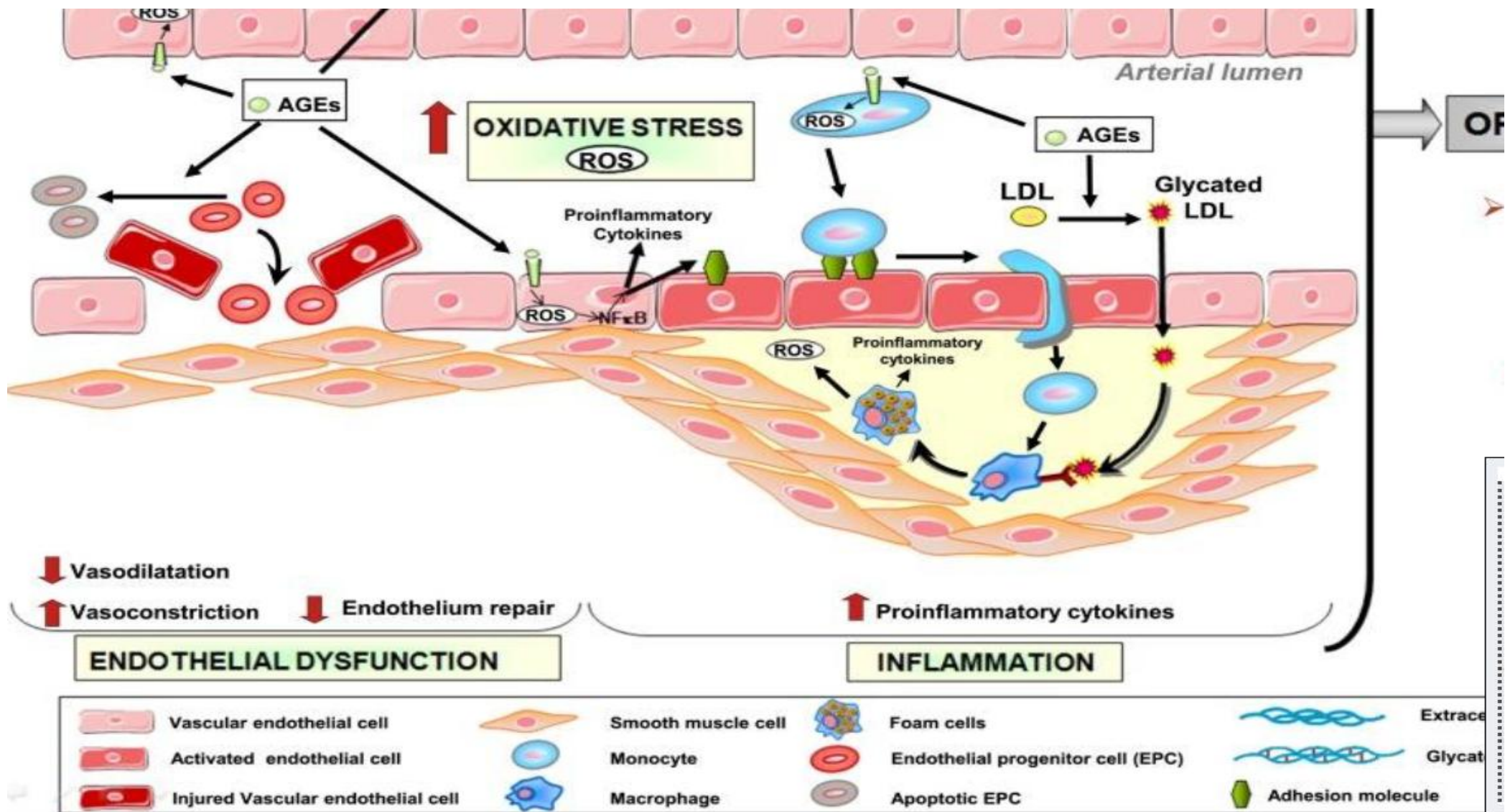
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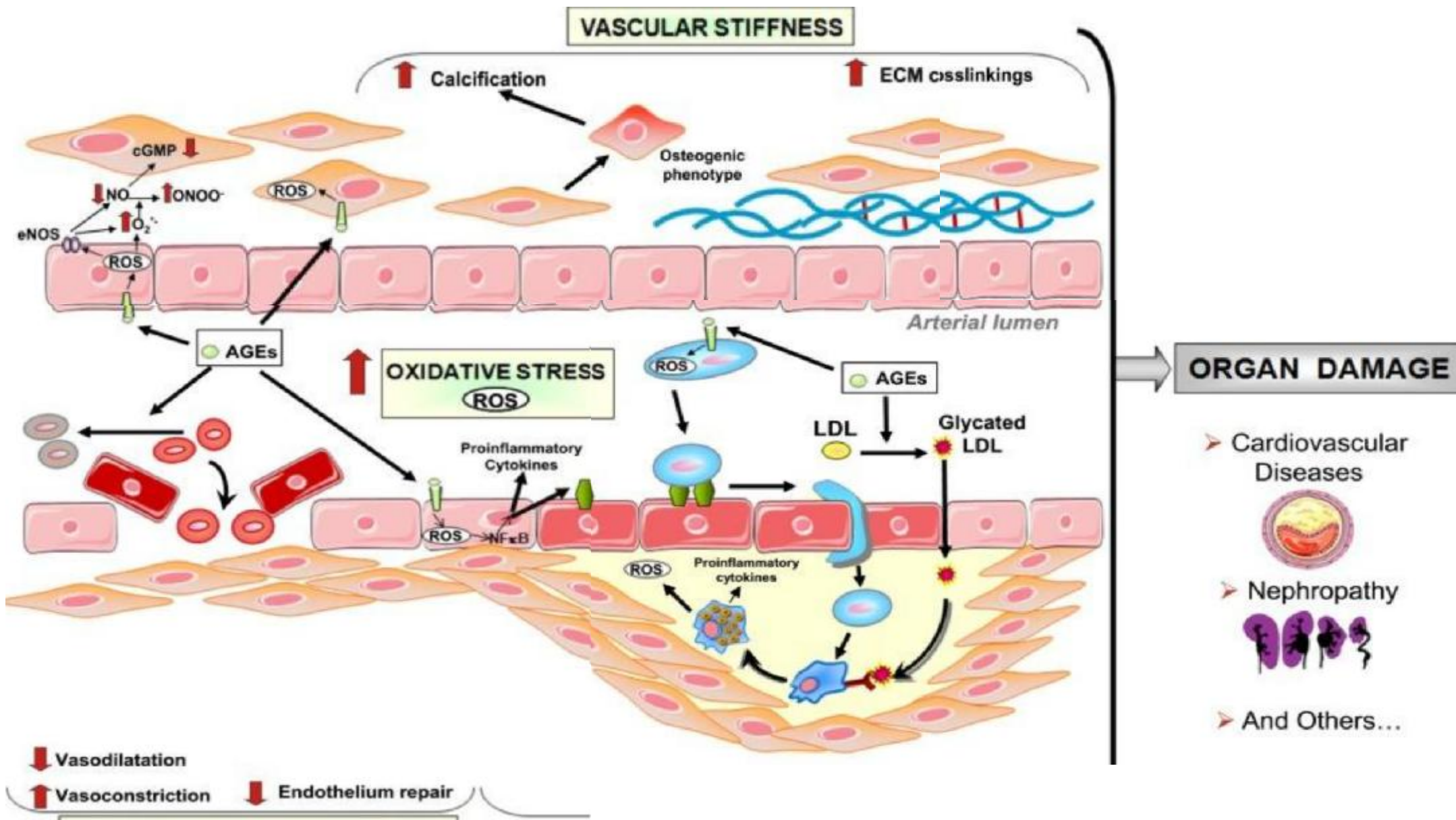
Uremic Toxicity of Advanced Glycation End Products in CKD

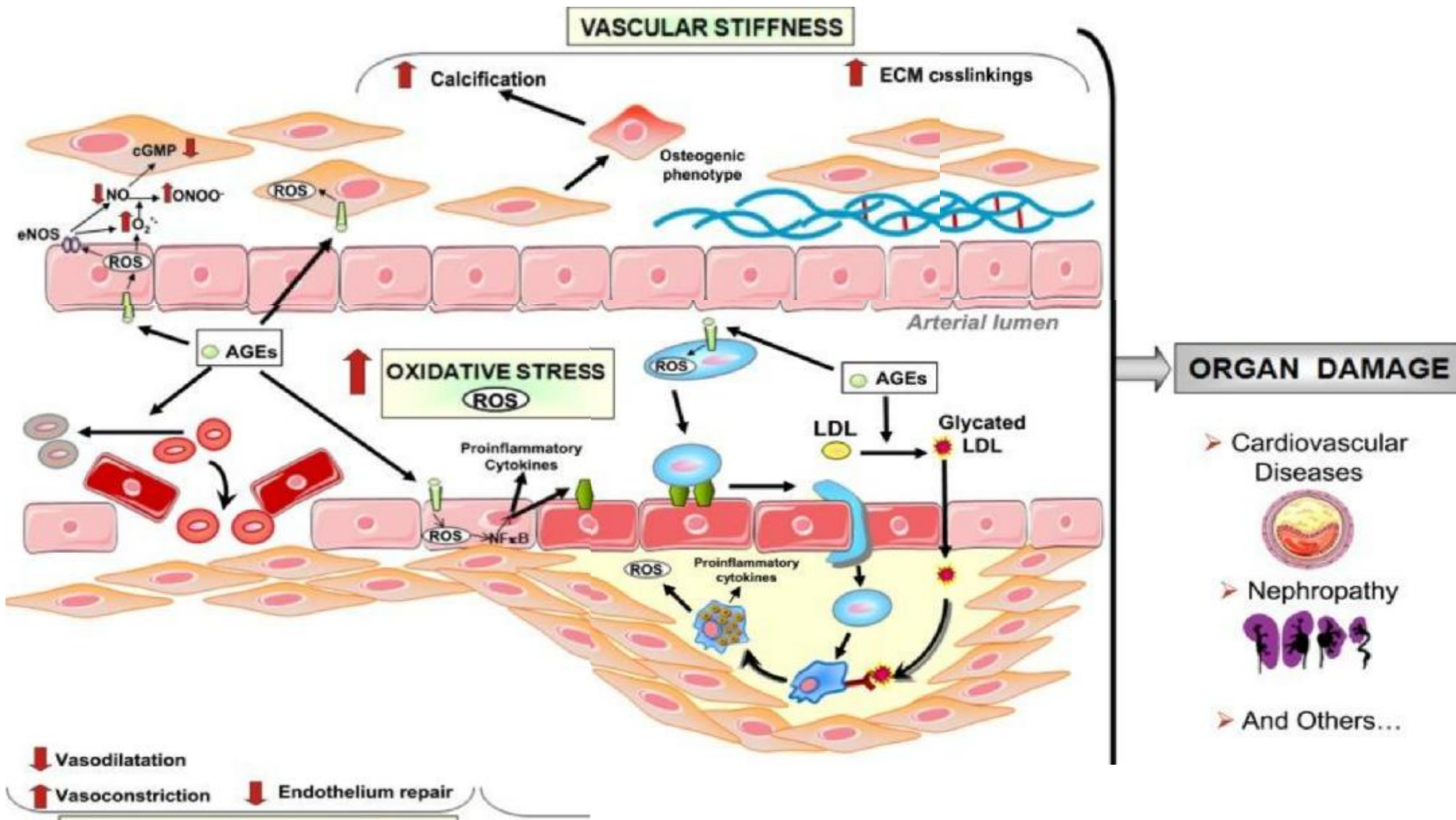
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- ∅ Free amino group from a protein and a carbonyl group from a reducing sugar, **unstable, Schiff base**
- ∅ This base can be rearranged to form a more **stable** intermediate called an **Amadori product**
- ∅ Which in the presence of a transition metal, is oxidized to yield the **final AGE**

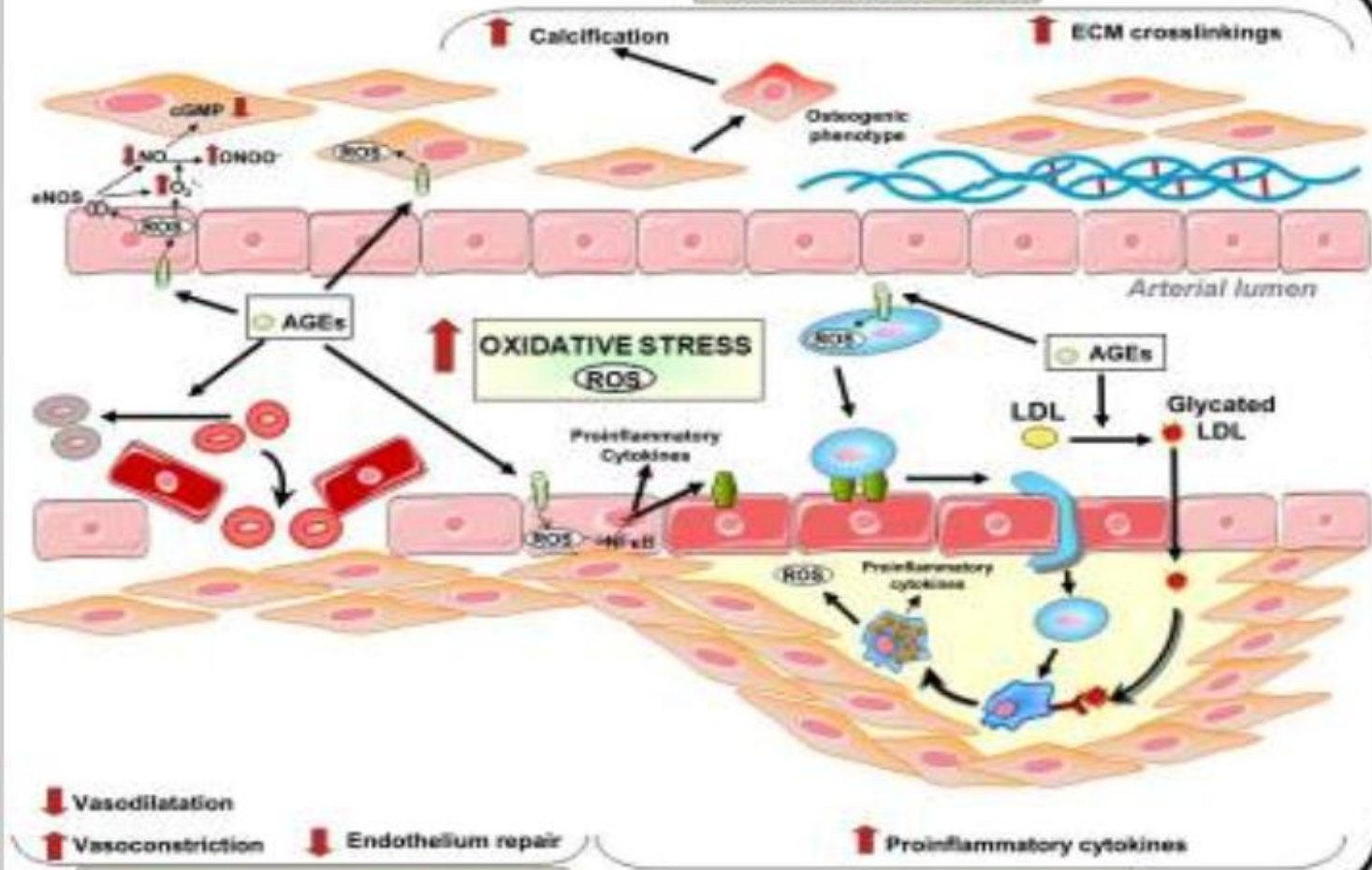








VASCULAR STIFFNESS



Pathophysiologic effects of AGEs. cGMP, cyclic guanosine monophos; eNOS, endothelial NO synthase; EPC, endothelial progenitor cell; O₂⁻, superoxide anion; ONOO⁻, peroxynitrite.

ORGAN DAMAGE

- > Cardiovascular Diseases
- > Nephropathy
- > And Others...

ENDOTHELIAL DYSFUNCTION

INFLAMMATION

Vascular endothelial cell	Smooth muscle cell	Foam cells	Extracellular matrix (ECM)
Activated endothelial cell	Monocyte	Endothelial progenitor cell (EPC)	Glycated ECM
Injured Vascular endothelial cell	Macrophage	Apoptotic EPC	Adhesion molecule
			RAGE

- The oxidative stress induced by reactive oxygen species (ROS) is associated with atherosclerosis and cardiovascular morbidity in patients with CKD.³²
- AGEs increase the levels of ROS³³ through activation of NADPH oxidase³⁴ and mitochondrial pathways
- Circulating AGE levels are correlated with RAGE mRNA expression and oxidative markers, such as protein carbonyl formation, advanced oxidation protein product generation, and lipid peroxidation.³⁶
- Reciprocally, high levels of ROS lead to increased levels of AGEs,³⁷ because another cause of AGE formation in uremia is the increased oxidative stress generated by an imbalance between oxidized glutathione and GSH levels as well as changes in antioxidant systems, such as superoxide dismutase (SOD)/peroxidase.⁵
- Furthermore, AGEs have been shown to increase the oxidation of LDLs³⁹—a key stage in the development of atherosclerosis.⁴⁰ Glycated LDLs are, therefore, more susceptible to oxidation,⁴¹ are less effectively cleared from the circulation, and also, promote the formation of antibodies that bind AGEs localized in the vessel wall, which amplifies the development of vascular inflammation and atherosclerosis.⁴²

The role of Inflammation in PD

- ✓ RAGE ◊ AGE interaction activates transcription factor NF- κ B, which leads to gene expression and the release of proinflammatory molecules, IL-1 α , IL-6, TNF- α
- ✓ Differences in intraperitoneal chronic inflammation, particularly IL-6 production , are associated with peritoneal solute transfer rate, and strongly associated with PD clinical outcomes.

Volume Management

- Volume depletion puts residual kidney function at risk but equally volume excess is detrimental.
- Hypertension is associated with worse survival and there is evidence from bioimpedance data that over-hydration predicts worse survival.
- In anuric patients daily net fluid removal of <750–1000 ml is associated with higher mortality.
- There is evidence that automated PD and icodextrin use can improve the risks associated with fast peritoneal solute transfer rate.

The dialysis patient today

Obesity

Edema

Bone Disease

LVH

High BP

Anemia

Inflammation

Poor lipid profile

Malnutrition

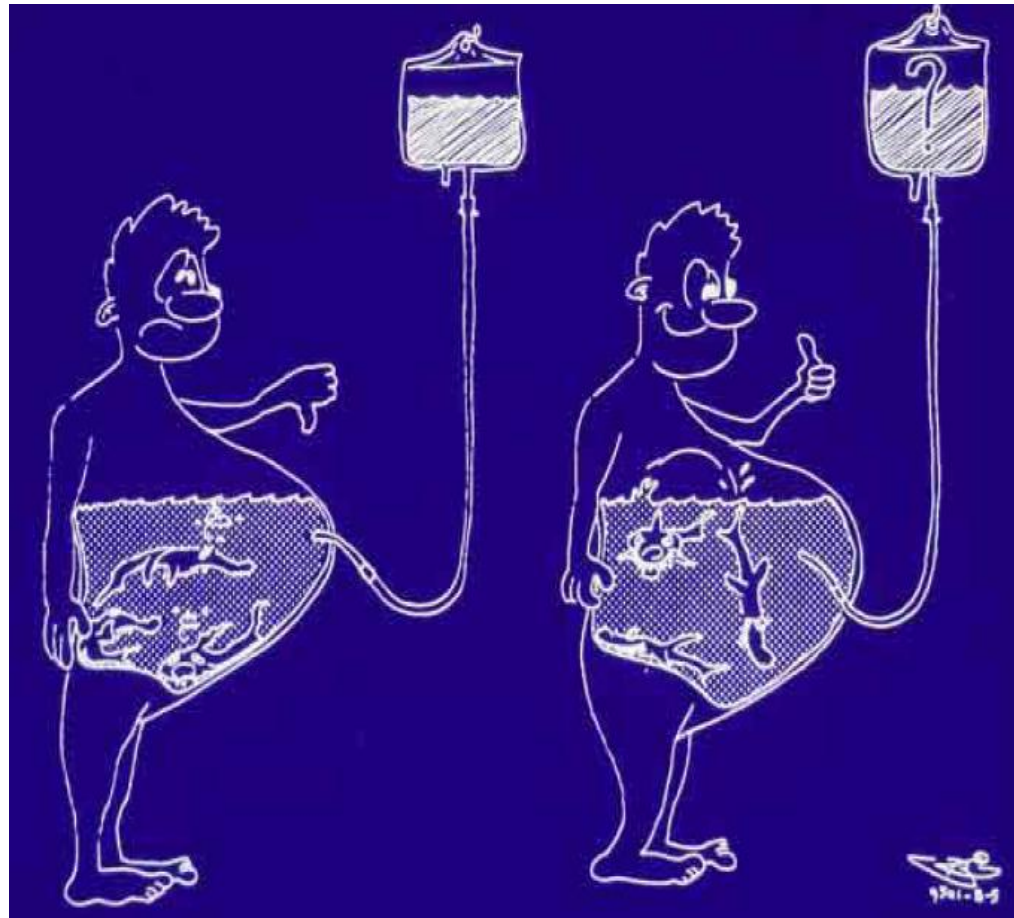
Atherosclerosis

Failing membrane

Kt/V
Inadequacy

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Conventional Vs Biocompatible Solutions



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Thus, in children

inflammation, fibroblast activation, epithelial-mesenchymal transition and marked angiogenesis, which determines the PD membrane transport function could be seen.

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Is the peritoneal dialysis biocompatibility hypothesis dead?

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Abstract

The peritoneal dialysis (PD) biocompatibility hypothesis is that conventional PD solutions with high levels of glucose degradation products (GDPs), glucose and lactate, and low pH cause morphological and functional damage to the peritoneal membrane and that this damage may be attenuated by biocompatible solutions. Functional findings from randomized trials have not supported this hypothesis, and now new data from a large European pediatric peritoneal biopsy study provide a morphologic correlate for this. The implications are discussed.

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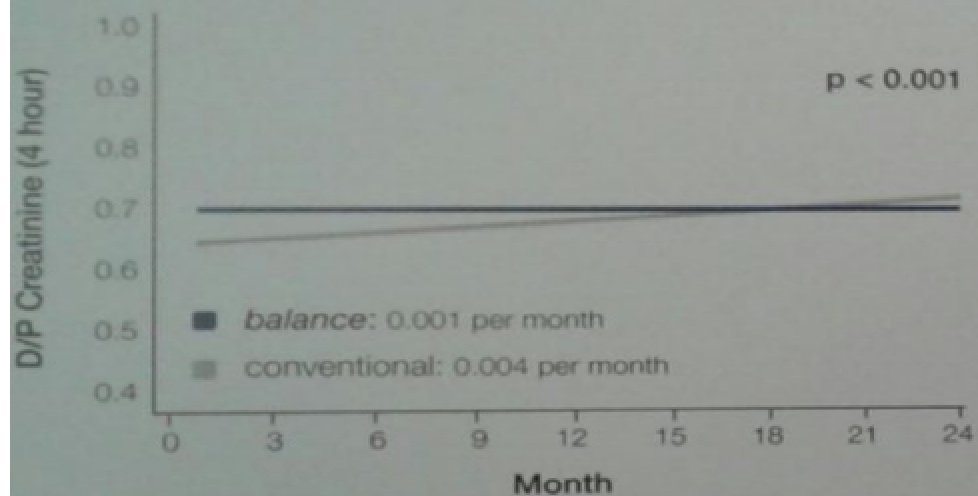
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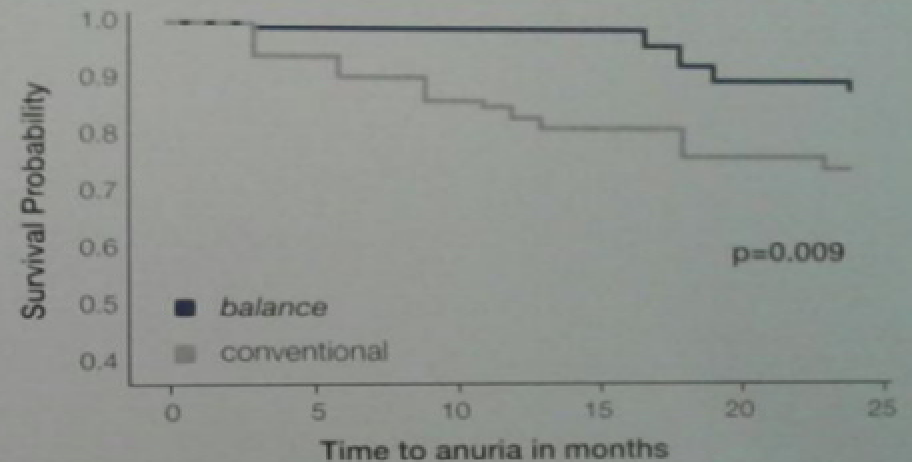
- **Time to anuria,**
- **peritonitis rates,**
- **Severity of peritonitis when it does occur, and**
- **Stability of peritoneal membrane function.**

Balance PD solution

New evidence on UltraLow GDP fluid *balance*



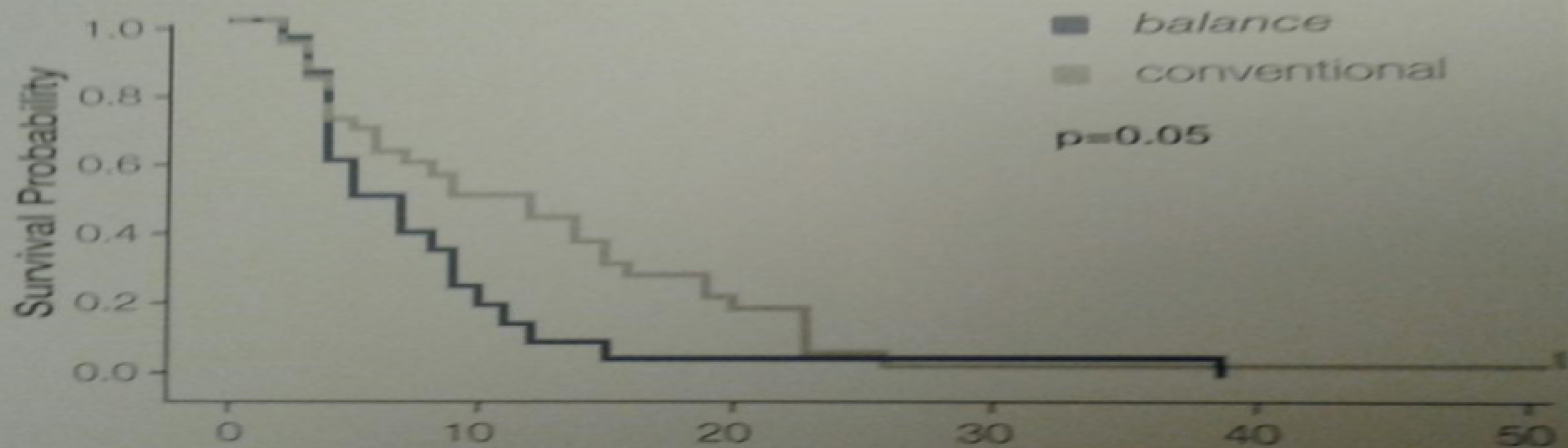
Patients on **balance** better preserved the peritoneal membrane function vs. patients on conventional PD fluid. (Graph adapted from Johnson et al, NDT 2012⁵).



Patients on **balance** better preserved diuresis vs. patients on conventional PD fluid. (Graph adapted from Johnson et al, JASN 2012⁴).

Balance PD solution

Shorter duration of peritonitis-associated hospitalisation



Duration of peritonitis associated hospitalisation days.
(Graph adapted from Johnson et al, PDI 2012⁶).

Associations Between Peritoneal Glucose Exposure, Glucose Degradation Product Exposure, and Peritoneal Membrane Transport Characteristics in Peritoneal Dialysis Patients: Secondary Analysis of the *balANZ* Trial

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Conclusions:

Increases in peritoneal solute transport rate over time were not associated with peritoneal **glucose exposure**, although a strong and positive association with PD solution **glucose degradation product** content was identified.

Effect of Neutral-pH, Low–Glucose Degradation Product Peritoneal Dialysis Solutions on Residual Renal Function, Urine Volume, and Ultrafiltration: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis

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- **Neutral-pH, low-GDP solutions resulted in significantly greater urine volume beyond 6 months and improved preservation of RRF throughout all durations of treatment.** Peritoneal UF and peritoneal small-solute transport were not significantly different with the use of these solutions.

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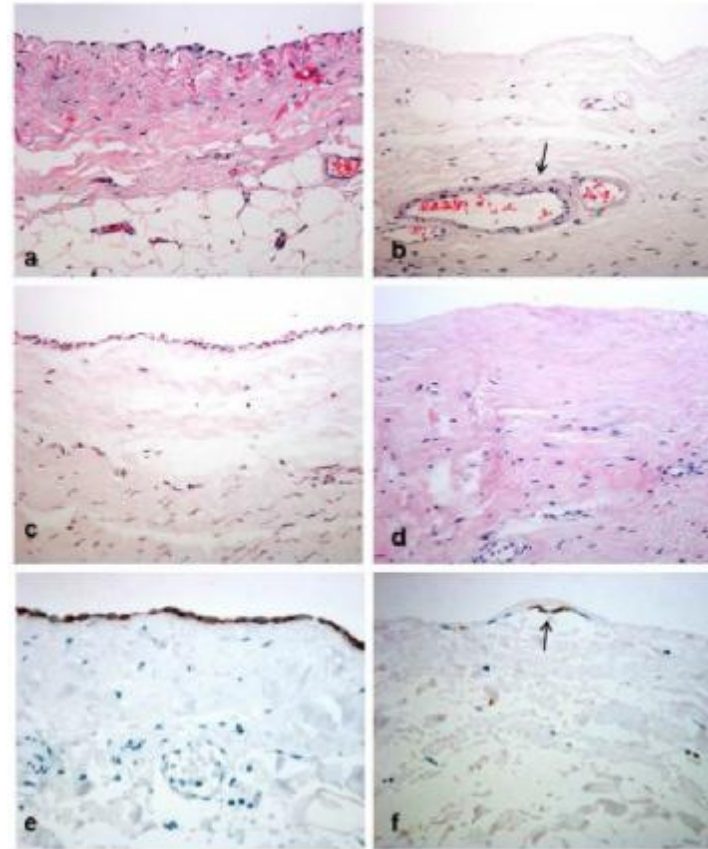
Biocompatible Dialysis Solutions Preserve Peritoneal Mesothelial Cell and Vessel Wall Integrity. A Case-Control Study on Human Biopsies

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In conclusion, the present study offers *in vivo* evidence in **human biopsies** that **biocompatible solutions are better tolerated** by the peritoneum in the medium and long term than conventional solutions.

As a result, we suggest that **PD should be offered with biocompatible solutions**.

- Peritoneal biopsies from patients receiving biocompatible solutions (a,c,e) showed better mesothelial cell preservation, less submesothelial thickness and hyalinizing vasculopathy when compared with patients treated with conventional fluids (b,d,f).
- Grade 1 hyalinizing vasculopathy lesions are seen on image b (arrow).
- A clear contrast among mesothelial cell preservation is evident on all images (a,b,c,d: hematoxylin and eosin, $\times 200$).
- Immunohistochemistry for cytokeratins reveals a modified, superficial mesothelial cell (arrow) that contrasts with the well preserved layer seen on a biocompatible patient



PERITONEAL DIALYSIS IN JAPAN: THE ISSUE OF ENCAPSULATING PERITONEAL SCLEROSIS AND FUTURE CHALLENGES

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Encapsulating peritoneal sclerosis (EPS) is a life-threatening complication of peritoneal dialysis (PD). The overall prevalence of EPS in Japanese PD patients is 2.3%. Among patients on PD for less than 5 years, the rate is 0.9%; among patients on PD for 5 – 10 years, the rate is 3.8%; and among patients on PD for >10 years, it is 11.5%. Thus, the longer the treatment duration, the higher the prevalence of EPS.

KEY WORDS: Challenges; encapsulating peritoneal sclerosis; EPS; Japan.

Encapsulating peritoneal sclerosis (EPS), which was first reported by Gandhi and colleagues in 1980 (1), is a life-threatening complication of peritoneal dialysis (PD). Past surveys had indicated that the prevalence of EPS ranged from 0.4% to 2.8% (2–5). More recent re-

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Conclusion

We found that longer time being on PD, younger age, and higher UFF duration were the risk factors for EPS development.

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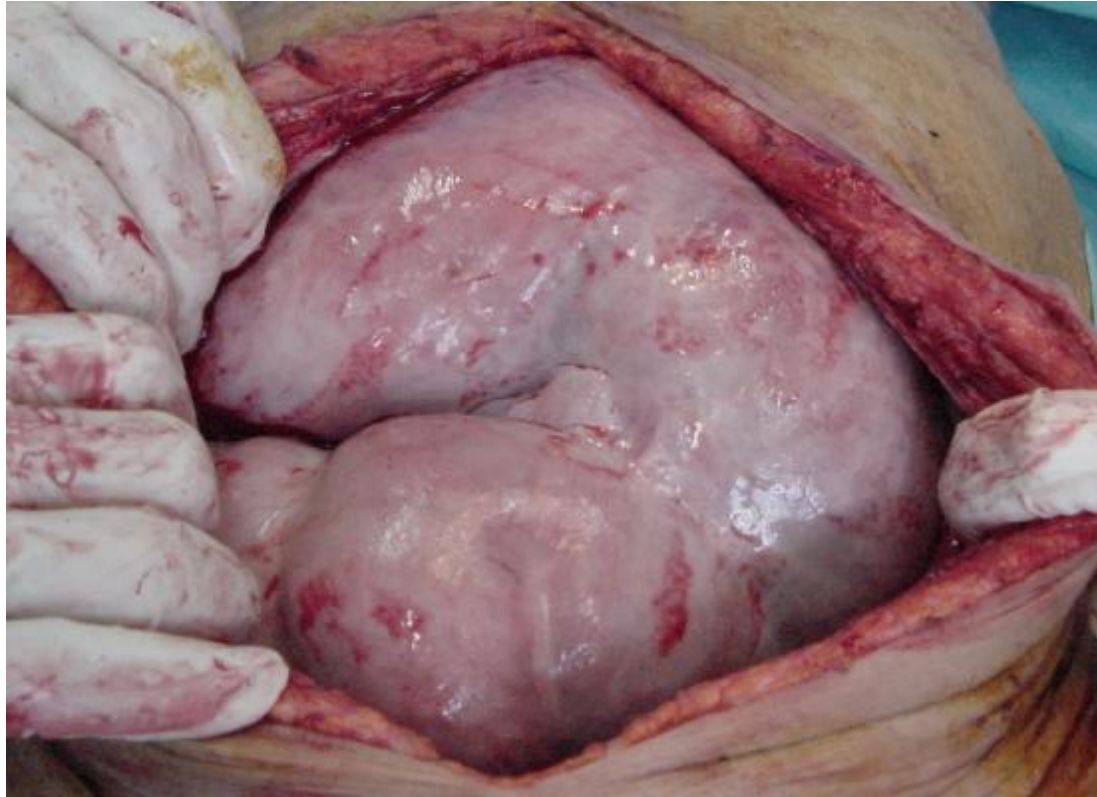
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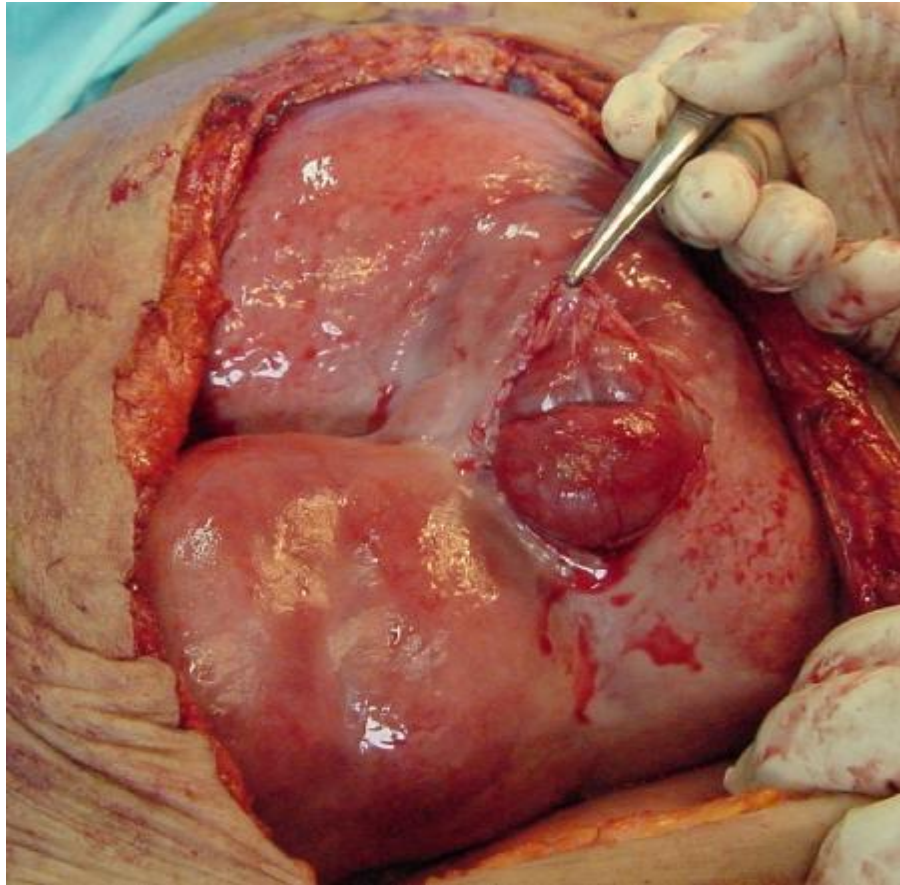
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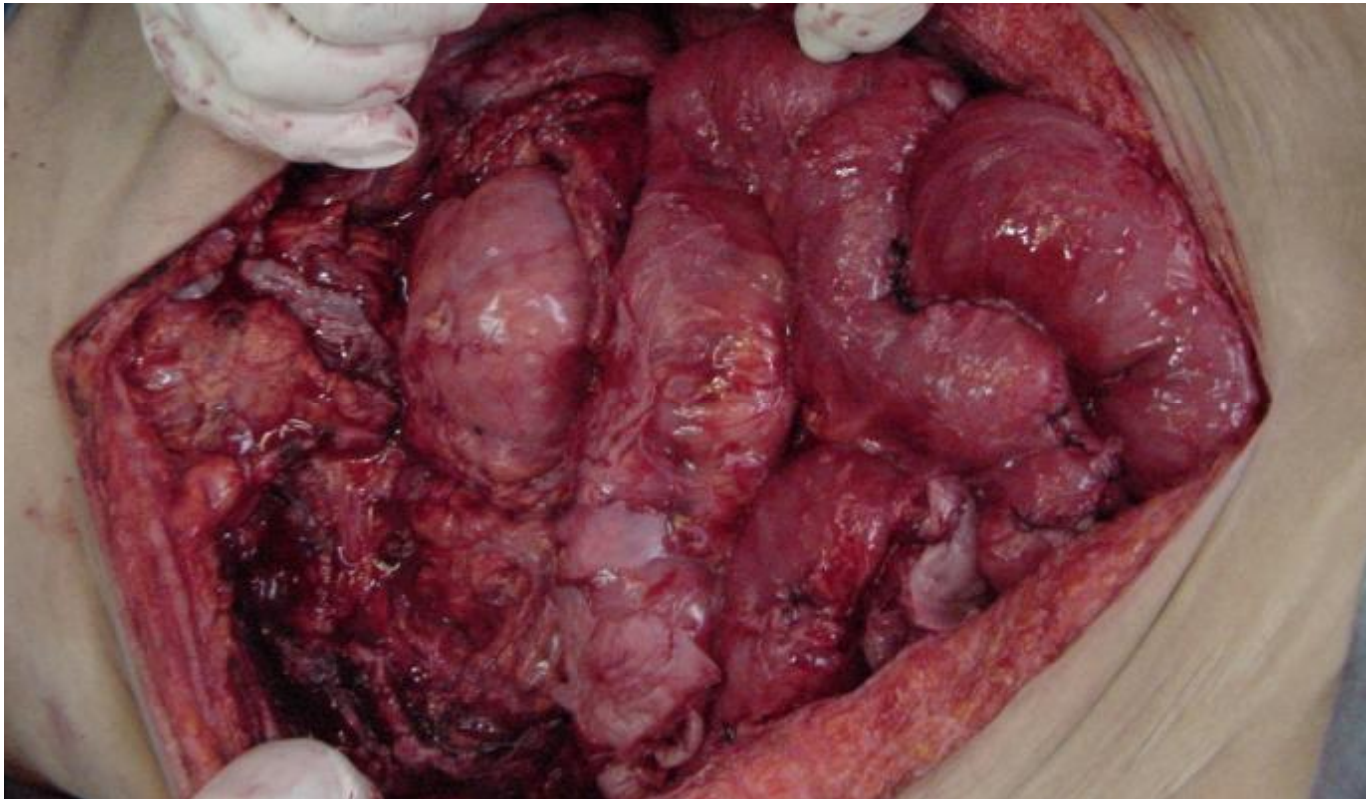
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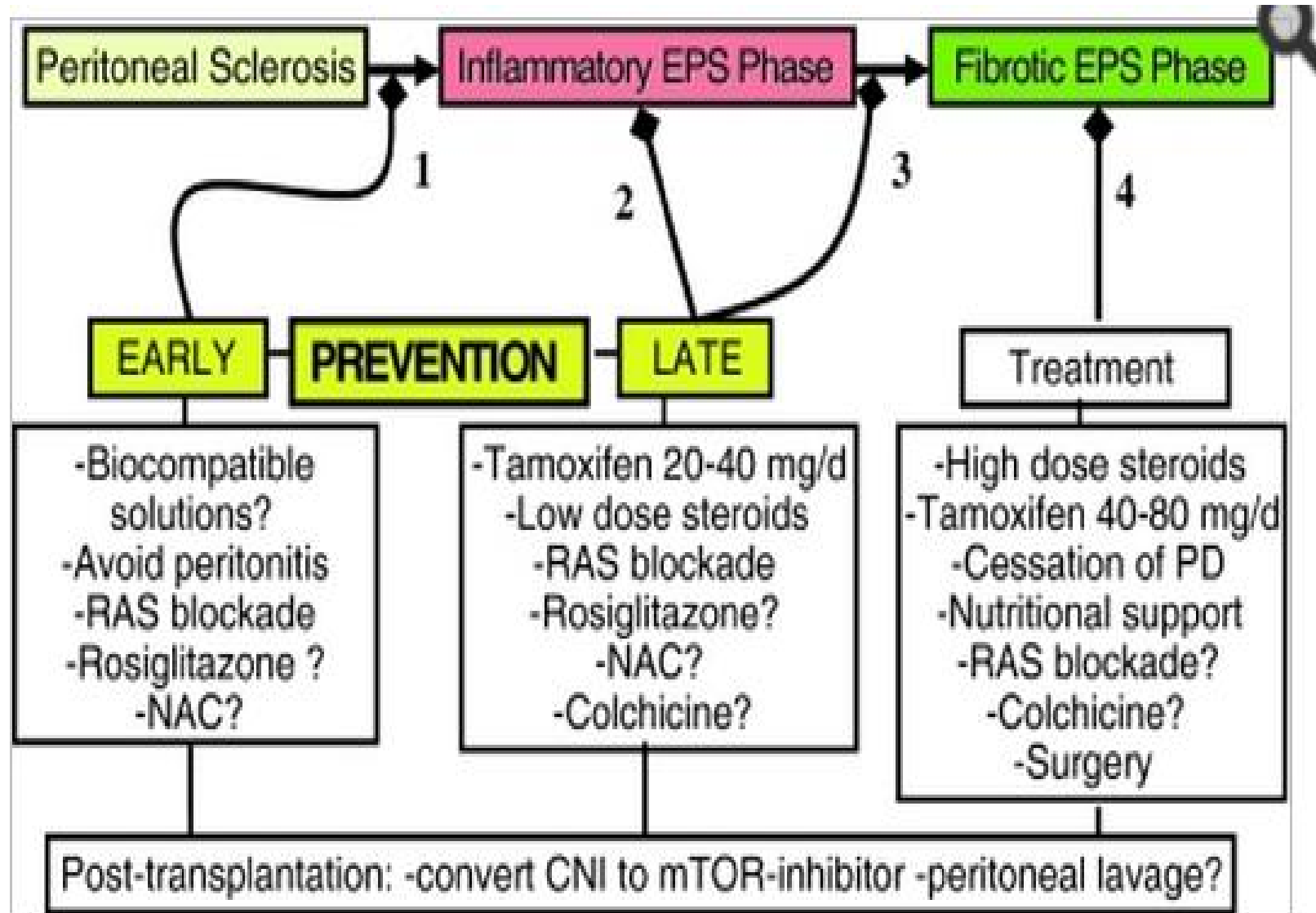


EPS



EPS after surgery





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LENGTH OF TIME ON PERITONEAL DIALYSIS AND ENCAPSULATING PERITONEAL SCLEROSIS — POSITION PAPER FOR ISPD: 2017 UPDATE

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TABLE 1
Studies Examining the Epidemiology of EPS*

Country	Time period	Study design	N	Prevalence	EPS epidemiology Incidence rate (/1,000 patient-yrs)	Risk with time	Reference
Iran	1995–2012	2-center, retrospective, observational cohort	464	8.9%	7	≥4 yrs: 8.6% ≥5 yrs: 10.8% ≥6 yrs: 23.3% ≥7 yrs: 25%	Alatab <i>et al.</i> 2017 (21)
Germany	1997–2015	Single-center, retrospective, observational cohort	745 (catheters)	4% (1995–2000) 0% (2001–2003) 5% (2004–2006) 11% (2007–2009) 15% (2010–2012) 5% (2013–2015) 15% (2010–2012)	NA	NA	Klitzner <i>et al.</i> 2016 (16)
Scotland	2000–2007	Scottish Renal Registry	1,238	2.8%	8.7 (by 2007) 13.6 (by 2014)	1 yr: 1.1% 3 yrs: 3.4% 4 yrs: 8.8% 5 yrs: 6.4% 7 yrs: 22.2%	Petrie <i>et al.</i> 2016 (24)
Italy	1979–2013	Single-center, retrospective, observational cohort	920	2.8%	9.5	<2 yrs: 3% 2–4 yrs: 3% 4–6 yrs: 4% 6–8 yrs: 6% 8–10 yrs: 8% 10–12 yrs: 18% 12–14 yrs: 75% >14 yrs: 67%	Vizzardi <i>et al.</i> 2016 (27)
Japan	1987–2013	Single-center, retrospective, observational cohort	270	4.8%	NA	NA	Yamahata <i>et al.</i> 2015 (33)
Spain	1980–2012	Single-center, retrospective, observational cohort	679	2.9% (overall) 5.6% (1980–1990) 3.9% (1991–2000) 0.2% (2000–2012)	NA	NA	De Sousa-Amarim <i>et al.</i> 2014 (17)
Japan	2008–2012	Multicenter, prospective observational cohort (55 centers)	1,338	1.0%	2.3	<3 yrs: 0.3% 5 yrs: 0.6% 8 yrs: 2.3% >8 yrs: 1.2%	Nakayama <i>et al.</i> 2014 (18)
Korea	2001–2011	Single-center, retrospective, observational cohort	606	1.3%	1.4	NA	Hong <i>et al.</i> 2013 (34)
Italy	1986–2011	Italian Registry of Pediatric Chronic	712 (children)	1.9%	NA	<5 yrs: 0.45% ≥5 yrs: 21.1%	Vidal <i>et al.</i> 2011 (26)

TABLE 1 (cont'd)

Country	Time period	Study design	N	Prevalence	EPS epidemiology Incidence rate (/1,000 patient-yrs)	Risk with time	Reference
USA	1998–2003	Single-center, retrospective, observational cohort	76	18.4% (>5 yrs)	NA	NA	Gayomali <i>et al.</i> 2011 (37)
Netherlands	1 January 1996 – 1 July 2007	Multicenter case-control study	2,022	2.7%	NA	NA	Korte <i>et al.</i> 2011 (29)
USA	1979–2009	Single-center, retrospective, observational cohort	676	1.2%	NA	≥6 yrs: 15% ≥9 yrs: 38%	Bansal <i>et al.</i> 2010 (22)
Canada	1974–2008	Single-center, retrospective, observational cohort	1,966	1.1%	NA	NA	Trigka <i>et al.</i> 2011 (38)
Ireland	1989–2008	Single-center, retrospective, observational cohort	615	1.98%	3.2	≥6 yrs: 20% ≥8 yrs: 100%	Phelan <i>et al.</i> 2010 (25)
Australia and New Zealand	1995–2007	Binational Registry (ANZDATA)	7,618	0.4%	1.8	3 yrs: 0.3% 5 yrs: 0.8% 8 yrs: 3.9%	Johnson <i>et al.</i> 2010 (13)
Slovenia	1983–2003	Single-center, retrospective, observational cohort	423	1.2%	NA	NA	Lindic <i>et al.</i> 2009 (39)
Scotland	2000–2007	Scottish Renal Registry	1,238	1.5%	4.9	<1 yr: 0% 1–2 yrs: 0.6% >2–3 yrs: 2.0% >3–4 yrs: 3.5% >4–5 yrs: 8.1% >5–6 yrs: 8.8% >6 yrs: 5%	Brown <i>et al.</i> 2009 (7)
Turkey	1989–2003	Single-center, retrospective, observational cohort	104 (children)	1.9%	NA	NA	Ekim <i>et al.</i> 2005 (40)
Korea	1981–2002	Multicenter, retrospective observational cohort (7 centers)	4,290	0.79% (center variation 0.28–2.86%)	NA	NA	Kim <i>et al.</i> 2005 (28)
Japan	April 1999–March 2003	Multicenter, prospective observational cohort (57 centers)	1,958	2.5%	NA	3 yrs: 0% 5 yrs: 0.7% 8 yrs: 2.1% 10 yrs: 5.9% 15 yrs: 5.8% >15 yrs: 17.2%	Kawanishi <i>et al.</i> 2004 (11)

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Complication	Centers		
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Catheter Malfunction	20.2%	9.7%	5-20%
Hernia	5.7%	5.27%	10-15%
Hemoperitoneum	6.5%	4.72%	2.2%
Leak	15.2%	10.5%	11%
EPS	2.9%	2.22%	0.7-7.3%

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Risk factors for encapsulating peritoneal sclerosis: Analysis of a 36-year experience in a University Hospital.

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Abstract

AIM: Encapsulating peritoneal sclerosis (EPS) is a rare but serious complication that occurs in peritoneal dialysis (PD) therapy. The present study aimed to identify the risk factors, especially peritonitis and biocompatible PD fluid.

CONCLUSION:

- Both the longer duration of peritonitis and higher D/P Cr, as well as the longer PD duration, were risk factors for EPS development.
- **Use of biocompatible PD fluid contributed to the decrease in EPS development.**

Original Article

Systemic Infusion of Autologous Adipose Tissue-Derived Mesenchymal Stem Cells in Peritoneal Dialysis Patients: Feasibility and Safety

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Conclusion: This study, for the first time, showed the feasibility and safety of AD-MSCs in PD patients and the potentials for positive changes in solute transport

Further studies with larger samples, longer follow-up, and randomized blind control groups to elucidate the most effective route, frequency and dose of MSCs administration, are necessary

Epidemiology

- This entity has a various rate of occurrence between 0.7 to 7.3%.
- The highest frequencies are observed in the Japanese reports, while very low prevalence is seen in United States, Canada, and Europe.
- Its annual incidence in chronic ambulatory peritoneal dialysis (CAPD) patients is 0.37 per 1000 patient years with the male to female ratio of 5:2



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What is the issue?

Peritoneal dialysis is a form of dialysis therapy for people with kidney failure delivered at home. Patients are required to use peritoneal dialysis solutions to perform the dialysis by putting solution in their abdomen. Peritoneal dialysis uses the lining of the abdomen called the “peritoneal membrane” as a filter, across which toxins and fluids are removed from the body. The longevity of peritoneal dialysis can be limited by peritoneal membrane injury, which is partly as a result of biologically 'unfriendly' peritoneal dialysis solutions, which are acidic and consist of high levels of glucose and toxic glucose breakdown products. To overcome these hurdles, biocompatible peritoneal dialysis



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Biocompatible dialysis fluids for peritoneal dialysis

- ✓ The longevity of PD can be limited by membrane injury, which is partly as a result of biologically 'unfriendly' PD solutions, which are acidic and consist of high levels of glucose and toxic GDP.
- ✓ To overcome these hurdles, biocompatible PD solutions (i.e. with a neutral pH and low levels of GDP or with a glucose-alternative like icodextrin) have been manufactured with the aim of providing patient benefit.

Biocompatible dialysis fluids for peritoneal dialysis

- ✓ We identified 42 studies (3262 participants) examining the effects of these solutions on patient outcomes.
- ✓ Neutral pH, low GDP PD solutions resulted in better preservation of a patient's own kidney function including urine output.
- ✓ Patients on (icodextrin) achieved greater fluid removal with their dialysis and were 70% less likely to experience uncontrolled episodes of fluid overload.

Biocompatible dialysis fluids for peritoneal dialysis

- ✓ No significant harms were identified with any of the biocompatible peritoneal dialysis solutions.
- ✓ Many of the studies were limited by small size, short follow-up duration, suboptimal methodological quality, and inconsistent reporting of outcomes.
- ✓ Consequently, the effects of biocompatible peritoneal dialysis solutions on the length of time that a patient is able to either remain on peritoneal dialysis or stay alive are uncertain

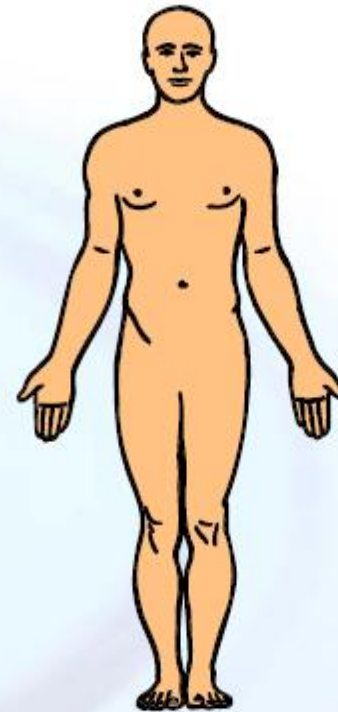
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- Compared with peritoneal dialysis patients treated with conventional peritoneal dialysis solutions, those treated with biocompatible solutions experience important benefits including better preservation of their own kidney function and urine volume with neutral pH, low glucose breakdown product peritoneal dialysis solutions and more effective prevention of fluid overload due to increased dialysis-related fluid removal with icodextrin. Whether these benefits help patients to stay on peritoneal dialysis longer or live longer are uncertain and require further study

Slowing down progression of co-morbidities

Advanced solutions in combination may help to slow down the progression of co-morbidities by:

- Minimising glucose load
- Optimising fluid balance
- Delivering 25% of daily protein needs
- Improving hyperlipidaemia
- Reducing hypertension
- Improving blood sugar control
- Preserving RRF





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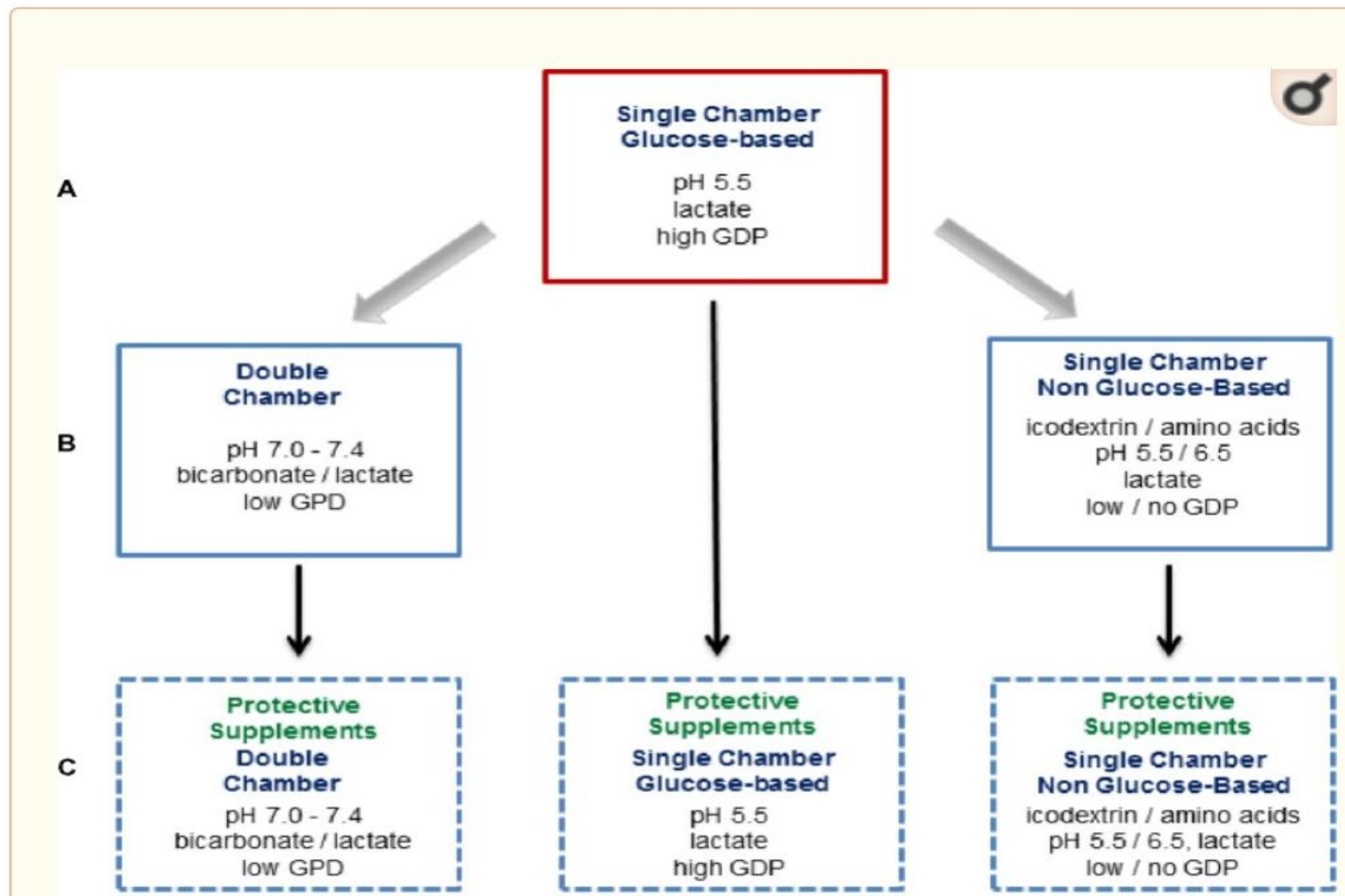
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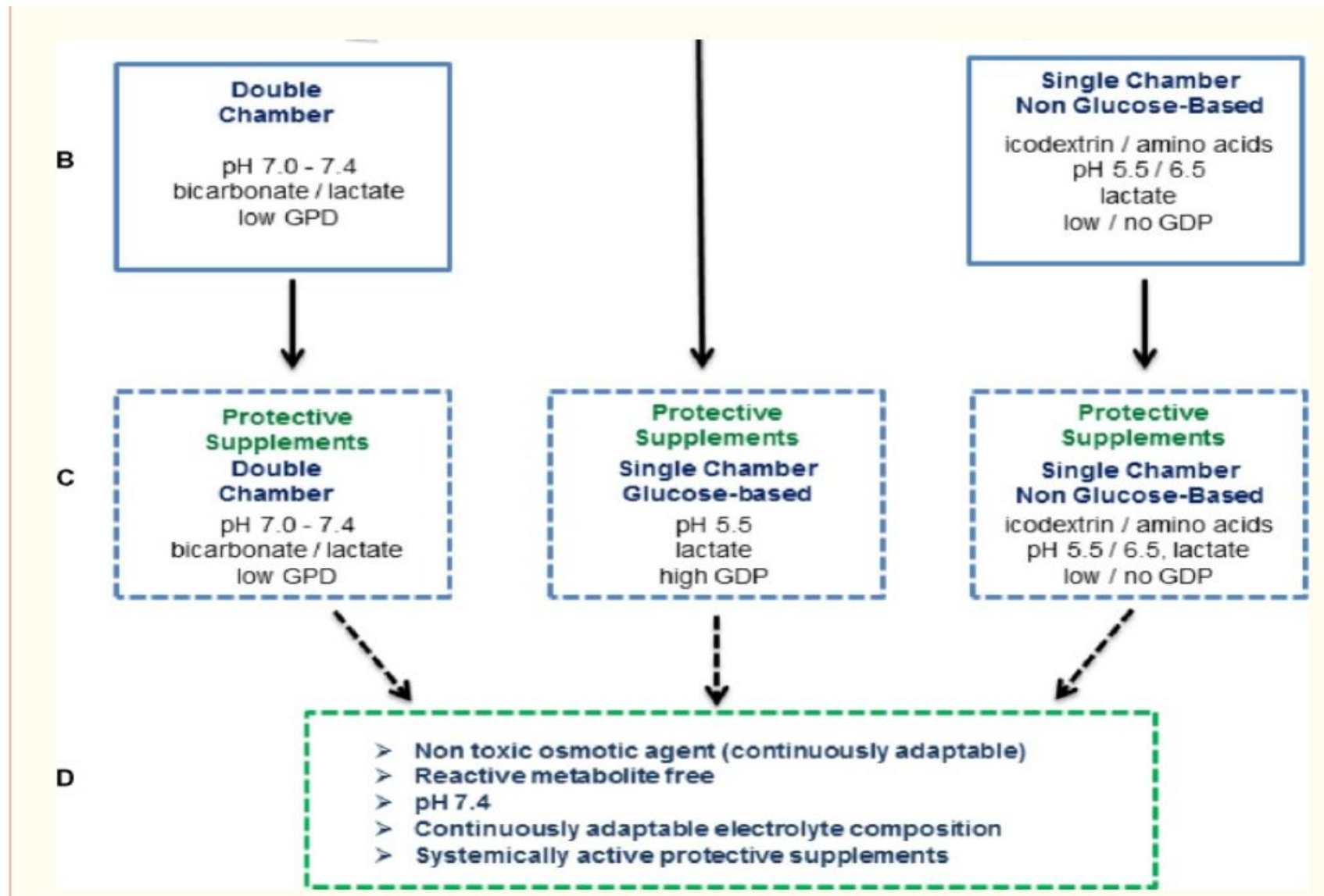
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Biocompatible Peritoneal Dialysis: The Target Is Still Way Off

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Evaluation of taurine as an osmotic agent for peritoneal dialysis solution.

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Ø3.5% taurine-based PD fluid achieved equivalent ultrafiltration as glucose-based PD fluid and induced less mesothelial and fibroblast-like cell proliferation in rats

L-Carnitine is an osmotic agent suitable for peritoneal dialysis

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- Ø L-carnitine has a dose-dependent osmotic effect similar to glucose.
- Ø L-carnitine increased the expression of AQP1, significantly improved viability, and prevented glucose-induced apoptosis.

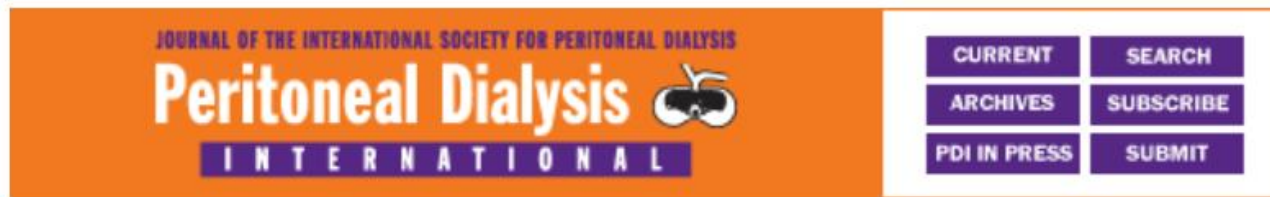
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Effect of an L-Carnitine–Containing Peritoneal Dialysate on Insulin Sensitivity in Patients Treated With CAPD: A 4-Month, Prospective, Multicenter Randomized Trial

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Conclusions

The use of L-carnitine in dialysis solutions may represent a new approach to **improving insulin sensitivity** in nondiabetic peritoneal dialysis patients.



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Hyperbranched Polyglycerol Is an Efficacious and Biocompatible Novel Osmotic Agent in a Rodent Model of Peritoneal Dialysis

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CONCLUSIONS

- A novel HPG-based PD solution can achieve successful UF and waste removal while **reducing peritoneal injury and inflammation**.
- This preliminary study suggests that HPG may be a promising alternative to glucose in the development of **next-generation PD solutions** for patients with end-stage renal disease.



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Hyperbranched polyglycerol is superior to glucose for long-term preservation of peritoneal membrane in a rat model of chronic peritoneal dialysis

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Conclusion

- Present study clearly suggests that HPG is a promising novel osmotic agent for use in PD
- Currently we are investigating the metabolic and pharmacokinetic pathways of HPG in order **to ensure that our novel solution is safe** for long-term use in patients

Original Article

Peritoneal and Systemic Responses of Obese Type II Diabetic Rats to Chronic Exposure to a Hyperbranched Polyglycerol-Based Dialysis Solution

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Conclusions

Compared to **physioneal or icodextrin** solutions, the HPG solution had **less adverse effects** locally on the **PM** and systemically on distant organs (e.g. **kidneys**) and the plasma oxidative status in rats with MetS.

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Ø **It reduced peritoneal thickness**, α SMA expression and angiogenesis.

Ø **Attenuate the IL-17 pathway** expression, transforming growth factor β , IL-6, and the transcription factor retinoic acid receptor-related orphan receptor gamma T

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Ø Thus, intraperitoneal administration of Ala-Gln, a stable dipeptide commonly used in parenteral nutrition, ameliorates PD-induced peritoneal damage in animal models, in part by modulating IL-17 expression.

Ø Hence, Ala-Gln supplementation of dialysate may be a potential strategy to ameliorate peritoneal deterioration during PD.

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Conclusions

- Ø A single dwell of AlaGln-supplemented glucose-based PDF increased peritoneal cell HSP expression and enhanced stimulated *ex-vivo* cytokine release.
- Ø AlaGln attenuated peritoneal effluent inflammatory markers in patients with prior peritonitis.

Primary outcome data

Parameter (unit)	Placebo	AlaGln	Difference AlaGln–placebo	
	Mean ± SD (n)	Mean ± SD (n)	LS mean (95% CI)	P value (1- sided)
	Median (range)	Median (range)		
CA-125 appearance rate (U/min), FAS	253.9 ± 103.1 (38)	302.3 ± 141.7 (39)	46.7 (23.5–69.9)	0.0001
	250.6 (98.6– 555.4)	273.8 (119.9– 764.6)		
CA-125 appearance rate (U/min), PP	253.4 ± 104.5 (37)	303.8 ± 143.3 (38)	48.0 (24.3–71.6)	0.0001
	248.8 (98.6– 555.4)	274.5 (119.9– 764.6)		
Stimulated IL-6 release (1 h) ([log ₁₀] pg/ml), FAS	1.36 ± 0.55 (38)	1.52 ± 0.48 (40)	0.15 (0.04–0.26)	0.0040
	1.25 (0.23– 2.74)	1.47 (0.66– 2.74)		
Stimulated IL-6 release (1 h) ([log ₁₀] pg/ml), PP	1.36 ± 0.56 (37)	1.53 ± 0.49 (39)	0.16 (0.05–0.26)	0.0033
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- ✓ In the intensive care setting, both CSR and patient outcome were shown to deteriorate in parallel with systemic glutamine (Gln) depletion and to improve with Gln supplementation.
- ✓ A recent Cochrane meta-analysis of 53 randomized controlled trials concluded that Gln supplementation reduced infection rate and length of hospital stay in critically ill patients.
- ✓ The relevant cellular processes underlying dysfunctional CSR and impaired host defense in these patients and in patients undergoing PD are likely closely linked by a common pathomechanism, such as injury induced chronic inflammation.

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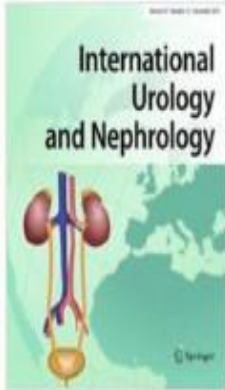
- ✓ We recently demonstrated that Gln depletion during PDF exposure aggravated mesothelial cell injury and suppressed CSR
- ✓ PDF supplementation with Gln or with its stable dipeptide, alanyl-glutamine (AlaGln), restored CSR and enhanced both heat shock protein (HSP) expression and cytoprotection in *in-vitro* and *in-vivo* models of PD
- ✓ As AlaGln is already used clinically for parenteral nutrition, this approach is particularly attractive for translation from bench-to bedside in PD.

A randomized controlled trial of alanyl-glutamine supplementation in peritoneal dialysis fluid to assess impact on biomarkers of peritoneal health

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Conclusions

A novel AlaGln-supplemented PDF, compared with treatment with a dual-chamber PDF, improves important biomarkers of mesothelial cell status, peritoneal immune competence, and systemic inflammation in PD patients



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Effect of bevacizumab, a vascular endothelial growth factor inhibitor, on a rat model of peritoneal sclerosis

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Conclusion

Histopathologically, bevacizumab was proven to attenuate fibrotic process in experimental peritoneal sclerosis model.



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Low-Sodium Versus Standard-Sodium Peritoneal Dialysis Solution in Hypertensive Patients: A Randomized Controlled Trial

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Conclusions

The noninferiority of the low-sodium PD solution for total Kt/V_{urea} could not be proved; however, it showed **beneficial clinical effects on sodium removal and BP**

Increasing sodium removal on peritoneal dialysis: applying dialysis mechanics to the peritoneal dialysis prescription.

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Ø PD prescription can be adapted to promote small pore transport to achieve improved sodium and fluid management. Both adequate dwell volume and dwell time are required for small pore transport.

Ø The dwell volume determines the amount of "wetted" peritoneal membrane being increased in the supine position and optimized at dwell volumes of approximately 1400 ml/m.

Ø Diffusion across the recruited small pores is time-dependent, favored by a long dwell time, and driven by the transmembrane solute gradient.

Ø **In adapted automated PD, sequential short- and longer-dwell exchanges, with small and large dwell volumes, respectively, are used.**

Ø A crossover trial in adults and a pilot study in children suggests that sodium and fluid removal are increased by adapted automated PD, leading to improved blood pressure control when compared with conventional PD.

Pharmacologic therapies targeting AQP1

- Ø Steroids may be efficacious in humans as illustrated by comparing ultrafiltration in patients before and after kidney transplantation.
- Ø Another potential agent is an arylsulfonamide, AqF026, the first pharmacologic agonist of AQP1 that interacts with an intracellular loop involved in the gating of the channel.
- Ø These enhances AQP1-mediated water transport and net ultrafiltration in rodents.

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Key strategies for facilitating PD utilization

- ✓ Implementation of policies and incentives that favor this modality
- ✓ Production and supply of peritoneal dialysis fluid at a low cost
- ✓ Training for nephrologists to enable increased utilization
- ✓ Ensure that rates of technique failure continue to decline
- ✓ Further growth in PD use is required to enable this modality to become an integral part of renal replacement therapy

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ESRD Costs

Total Medicare spending in 2010 rose 6.5 percent, to \$522.8 billion. Expenditures for ESRD rose 8.0 percent, to \$32.9 billion. These numbers include the new Medicare Part D prescription drug benefit, as the USRDS Coordinating Center now receives up-to-date data on Part D use in the ESRD population.

These expenditures cover 488,938 patients in the prevalent Medicare ESRD population, along with 105,436 non-Medicare patients; these latter patients cost an additional estimated \$14.5 billion (data from Table p.a in the Précis).

Medicare HMO costs for ESRD rose to \$3.38 billion in 2010, 71 percent higher than in 2009. This annual increase is the lowest since 2003, when the new Medicare hierarchical payment model, with disease burden risk adjusters, was implemented for Medicare Advantage (HMOs). Fee-for-service Medicare inpatient expenditures per person per year (PPPY) rose nearly 5.3 percent in 2010, down from their 18 percent growth in 2008, while PPPY costs by modality remained nearly stable, rising just 1.4 percent for hemodialysis patients. Interestingly, there were large increases across modalities in 2007–2008, from 8.9 percent for peritoneal dialysis patients to 7.7 percent for both hemodialysis and transplant patients. These year-to-year variations will need more complete assessment — including consideration of cause-specific hospitalizations — to define their exact source. With 2010 the last year before the start of the new bundled prospective payment system, some providers may have reduced expenditures in the months prior to January 1, 2011, in anticipation of the changing incentives.

Recent attention to therapies using erythropoiesis stimulating agents (ESAs) has raised awareness of their costs to the healthcare system. After increasing each year since 1992 (including growth of 11–19 percent in 2002–2004) to reach nearly \$2 billion, Medicare ESA costs were stable in 2004–2008, rose 4.9 percent in 2009, and changed little in 2010. Costs for IV vitamin D rose 12 percent in 2008, 3.7 percent in 2009, and 2.2 percent in 2010, reaching \$519 million. And IV iron costs rose 6.6 percent in 2010, reaching a new high of \$304 million.

The Average Sale Price payment system for injectables was introduced in 2004, as investigations showed that many providers had very profitable discount agreements, accounting for significant margins paid under the Medicare system. The composite rate payment was thus rebased, and the margins generated for injectables were addressed by allowing providers to receive only 6 percent above the sale price, monitored under quarterly reporting to CMS. There have been other

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How novel and original must be each new man's view of the universe — for though the world is so old — and so many books have been written — each object appears wholly undescribed to our experience — each field of thought wholly unexplored — The whole world is an America — a New World.

HENRY DAVID THOREAU
Journals

COSTS OF ESRD
introduction

Overall annual cost of care for

- ✓ In-center Hemodialysis: US\$ 51,252
 - ✓ Satellite Hemodialysis: \$ 42,057
 - ✓ Home/self-care hemodialysis: \$ 29,961
 - ✓ Peritoneal dialysis :\$ 26,959 ($P < 0.001$)
- ✓ After adjustment for the effect of other important predictors of cost, such as comorbidity, these differences persisted.

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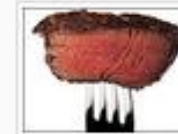
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ØOur final calculations included 46 countries (20 developed and 26 developing)

Table 1. Studies comparing HD and PD costs (arranged according to the country and year of publication)

Source	Country	Year of publication	HD/PD cost ratio	Methodological notes
North America				
McMurry <i>et al.</i> [24]	USA	1997	1.43	CB
Bruns <i>et al.</i> [25]	USA	1998	1.52	CB
Shih <i>et al.</i> [6]	USA	2005	1.2	CB
Berger <i>et al.</i> [26]	USA	2009	1.37	CB
USRDS Annual Report [2]	USA	2012	1.3	CB
BC Renal Council Project [27]	Canada—British Columbia	1994	1.77	CB
Goeree <i>et al.</i> [28]	Canada—Ontario	1995	1.98	CB
Coyte <i>et al.</i> [29]	Canada—Ontario	1996	1.6	CB
Lee <i>et al.</i> [30]	Canada—Alberta	2002	1.9	CB

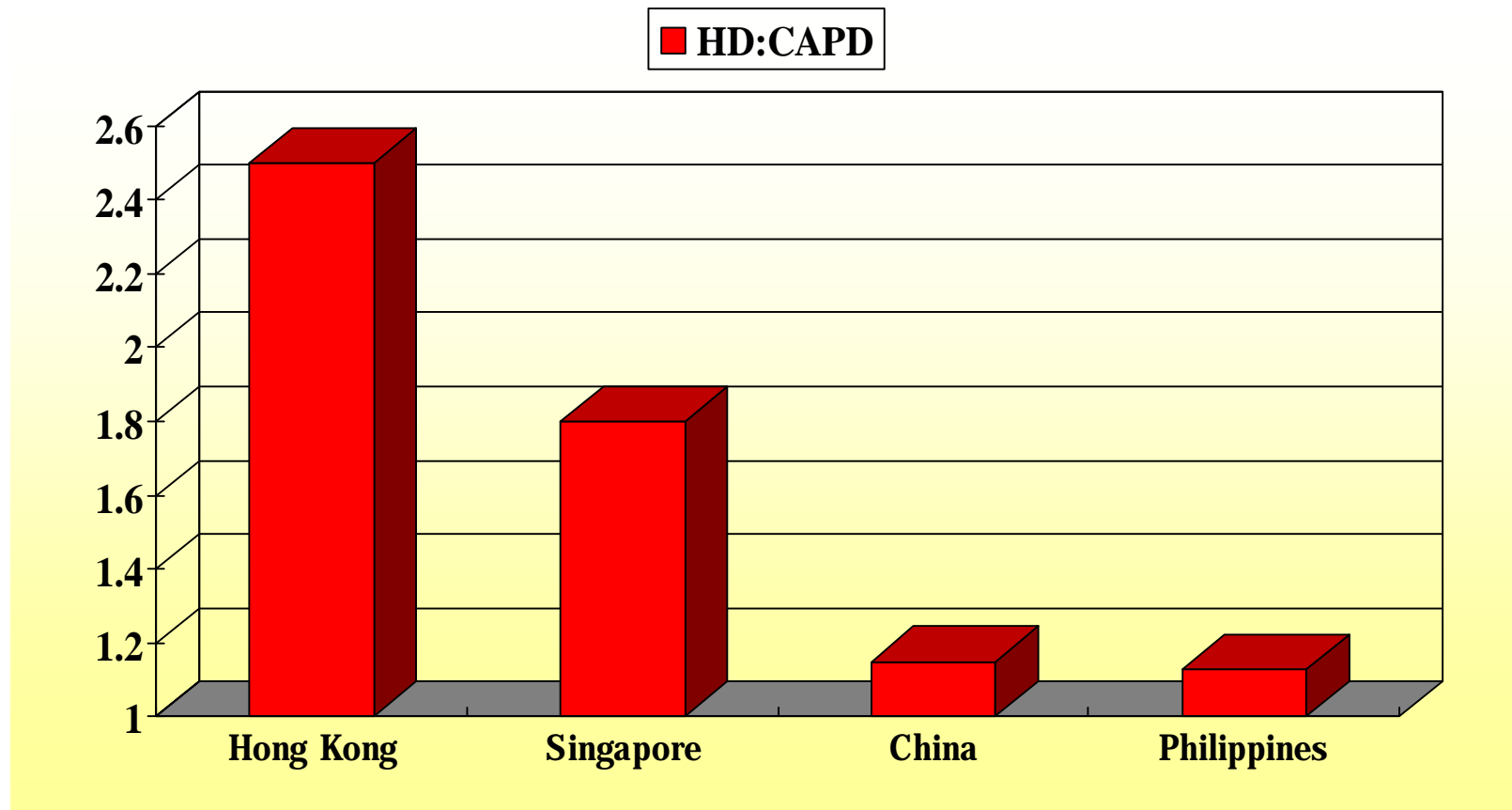
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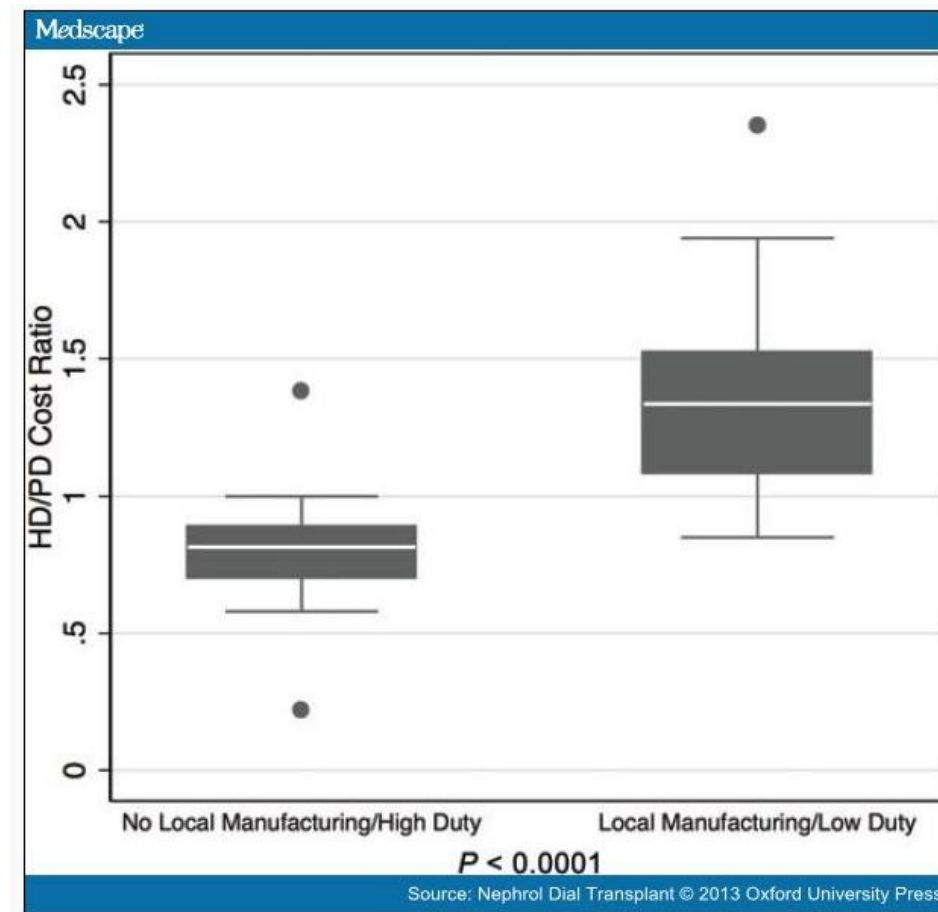
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- Ø Most developed countries can provide PD at a lesser expense to the healthcare system than HD.
- Ø The evidence on developing countries is more mixed, but in most cases PD can be provided at a similar cost where economies of scale have been achieved, either by local production or by low import duties on PD equipment.

Cost Ratio: HD vs PD



The Roll of Local Manufacturing of PD solutions



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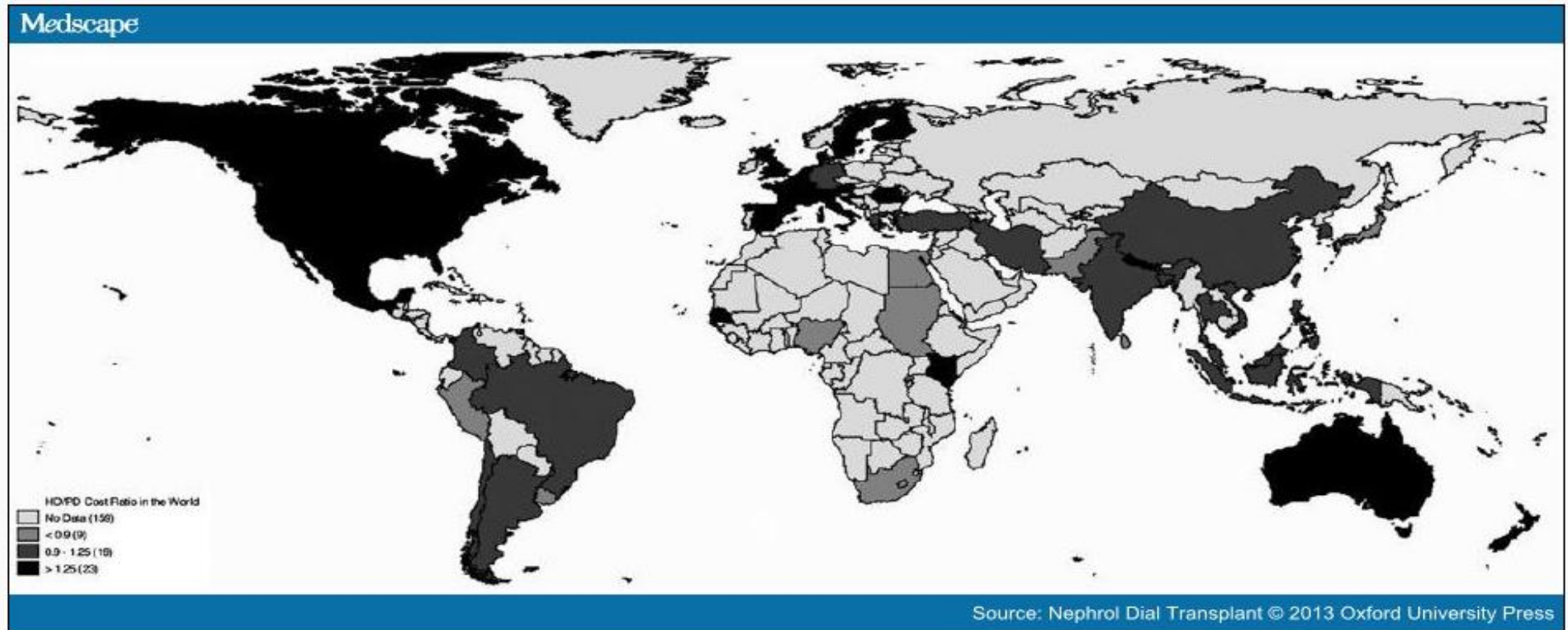


Figure 1.

Map summarizing the HD/PD ratios in 51 countries (survey data included). Countries are placed in three categories: (i) HD/PD ratio ≤ 0.90 . (ii) HD/PD ratio between 0.90 and 1.25. (iii) HD/PD ratio > 1.25 . Map was generated using Stata 12 (StataCorp. 2011. Stata Statistical Software: Release 12. College Station, TX: StataCorp LP.)

Conclusion

PD

is overall more cost-effective than

HD



Economy of RRT Modalities in Iran *(Hemodialysis vs. Peritoneal Dialysis)*

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INTRODUCTION

Health care expenditure in European countries varies between 11% of Gross Domestic Product (GDP) (Germany) and 6% of GDP (Luxemburg) whereas in Iran, this figure sums up to about 4% of the GDP. On the other hand, dialysis costs (in comparison to the total health budget) vary between 36% in France and 19% in Germany, while not more than 0.04% of the general population (on the average) is under dialysis. In previous studies performed by the MOH in Iran, CAPD (with an annual cost of around 70 million Rials) was introduced more expensive than hemodialysis (with an annual cost of around 48 million Rials) in the governmental sector. As this report contradicts completely with the information from other regions of the world, where CAPD is at least 30% less expensive than hemodialysis, we decided to have a second thought on this issue in Iran.

MATERIAL AND METHODS

According to the international guidelines, we have classified all the related expenses into six general categories, summarized as below:

7th EuroPD meeting; Prague, Oct 2005 poster presentation

Economy of RRT Modalities in Iran

(Hemodialysis vs. Peritoneal Dialysis)

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Annual Costs Per Patient (in Rials and US Dollar)	Hemodialysis	CAPD
Hardware & Services	11,927,644	891,694
Physicians & Nurses	11,576,500	4,052,137
Pharmaceuticals	28,632,302	13,898,446
Consumables	32,189,820	71,892,493
Complications	1,190,000	1,173,699
Others	16,315,760	2,025,113
Total (Rials)	101,832,027	93,933,582
Total (US \$)	11,572	10,674

Comment: The extended calculations can be found [here](#).

Convince the Ministry

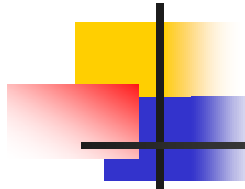


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Source	Country	Year of publication	HD/PD cost ratio	Methodological notes
Abraham <i>et al.</i> [80]	Sri Lanka	2008	0.85	B
Van Bui <i>et al.</i> [17]	Vietnam	2008	Similar cost	B
Naidas <i>et al.</i> [18]	Philippines	1998	1.14	CE
Prodjosudhadi <i>et al.</i> [10]	Indonesia	2006	1.03	B
Morad <i>et al.</i> [81]	Malaysia	2005	1.08	B
Hooi <i>et al.</i> [82]	Malaysia	2005	1.06	CE
Lim <i>et al.</i> [83]	Malaysia	1999	0.81	CE
Teerawattanon <i>et al.</i> [84]	Thailand	2007	1.07	CU
Neil <i>et al.</i> [16]	Thailand	2009	1.13	CB
Li and Chow [4]	Japan	2001	1.09	B
Fukuhara <i>et al.</i> [15]	Japan	2007	0.85	CB
Yu <i>et al.</i> [85]	Hong Kong	2007	2.35	B
Neil <i>et al.</i> [16]	Singapore	2009	1.38	CB
Utas <i>et al.</i> [12]	Turkey	2008	1.16	CB
Erek <i>et al.</i> [13]	Turkey	2004	1.02	CB
Najafi <i>et al.</i> [11]	Iran	2010	1.08	B

PD cost in Iran

✓ The cost of PD comparing HD now in Iran is 20% more expensive.

430,000,000 as compared with 350,000,000
Rials

\$ 12,500 PD vs 10,150 HD

12 years ago it was reversed

PD cost in Iran

Therefore, in the healthcare reform process, cost-effective care of patients on Peritoneal dialysis is of utmost importance to assure its expanding feature

PD - Iran perspective

- ✓ PD remains underutilized as an initial modality in the majority of new end-stage renal disease (ESRD) patients in the Iran.
- ✓ Currently, almost 97% of all incident dialysis patients start in-center HD, a good numbers of them with a central venous catheter.
- ✓ The quality of life, is inferior in HD versus PD

PD - Iran perspective

✓ Although the reasons are not entirely clear, it appears the increased HD utilization has been driven by :

- 1) Ease of HD initiation,
- 2) Physician experience and training,
- 3) Misinformation about contraindications to PD,
- 4) Inadequate pre-ESRD patient education,
- 5) Large in-center HD capacity with prior financial incentives favoring HD,
- 6) Lack of PD related infrastructure to assure successful PD program utilization,
- 7) Questions regarding the quality of local manufactured PD solutions,
- 8) Higher cost of PD comparing HD

PD Infrastructure in Iran

✓ Aside from governmental and healthcare system support, the **key infrastructural features** that allow for successful PD programs include:

- Ø Adequate pre- ESRD CKD education,
- Ø Adequate physician knowledge,
- Ø Nurse training in PD,
- Ø Adequate support staff,
- Ø Adequate size of program,
- Ø Continuous quality monitoring programs

Many of infrastructural are lacking in Iran

Barriers to PD in Iran

The Iran ESRD marketplace has traditionally been better suited to support in-center HD

With reimbursement for dialysis services favoring HD

Ø The dialysis organizations

Ø Policy makers, and other

Ø Stakeholders

Have created the infrastructure to support in-center HD with less of a focus on home modalities

How to increase PD utilization

- Ø PD utilization can be effectively promoted by governments; the implementation of a PD first programme (Hong kong, Thailand, Singapore)
- Ø Encouragement of local manufacturing or production of CAPD bags (India over the last decade)
- Ø Slashing of import duties on CAPD bags (in Nepal and Malaysia).

Governmental Policy

Should be PD-first , favored policy
in Iran

Actual process of running PD first policy in Thailand

<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Budgeting
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Formation of the first provider group (Phase I PD hospitals)
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Obtaining cheap PD solution supplies
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Training a new generation of medical personnel
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Learning form the success PD programs in Hong Kong and Singapore
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Setting up PD technology and training centers for problem solving
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Policy management by the national RRT committee
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Setting up regional RRT technology and training centers for quality control

PD First save a lot of money

- ✓ Currently, the USA spends nearly 18% of its GDP on healthcare
- ✓ Neil *et al.* USA could realize aggregated savings of over USD 1.1 billion in 5 years just on Medicare costs if PD utilization were increased to 15% (from the current 7%).

PD-First Policy





Global overview of PD First policy & Iran perspective

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