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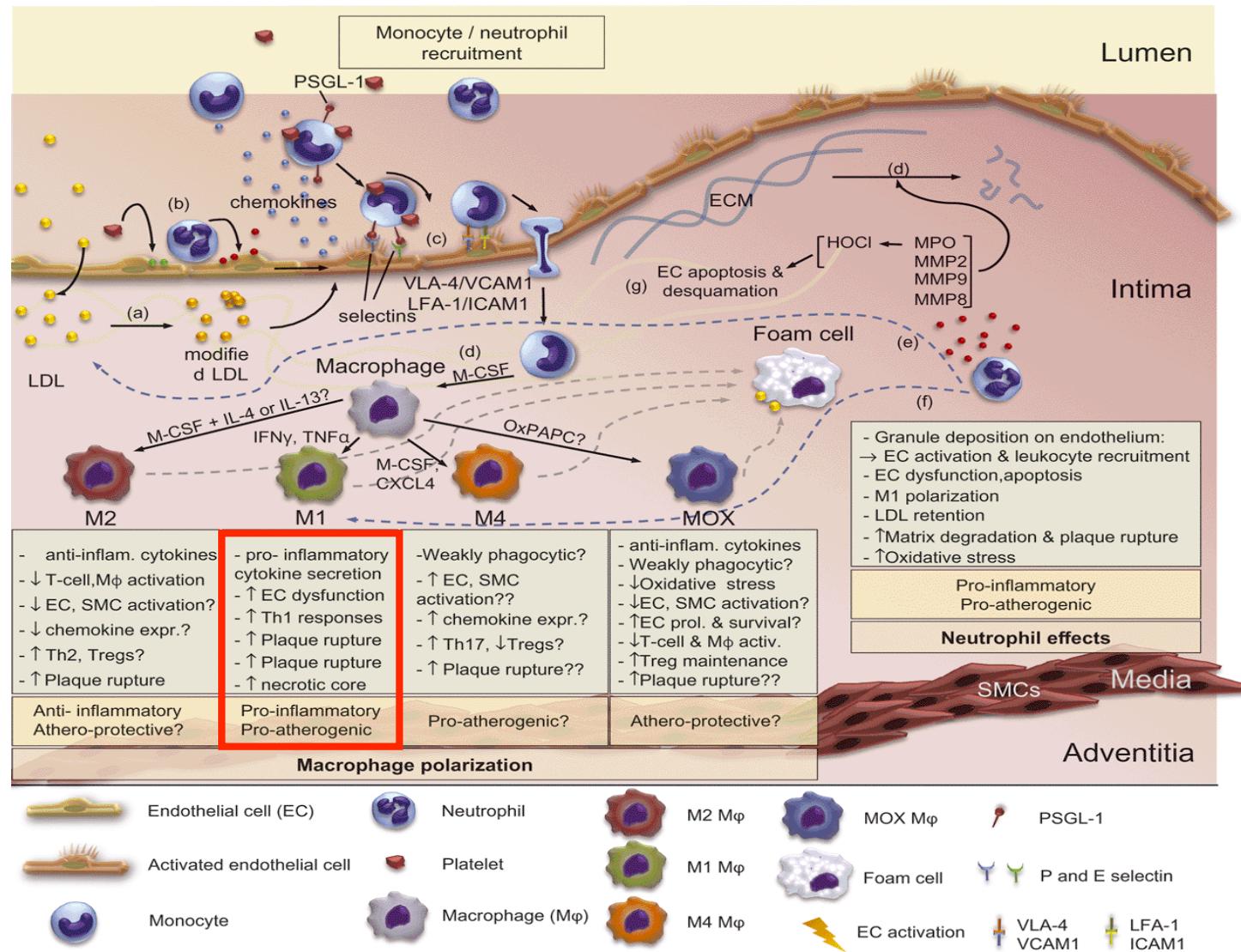
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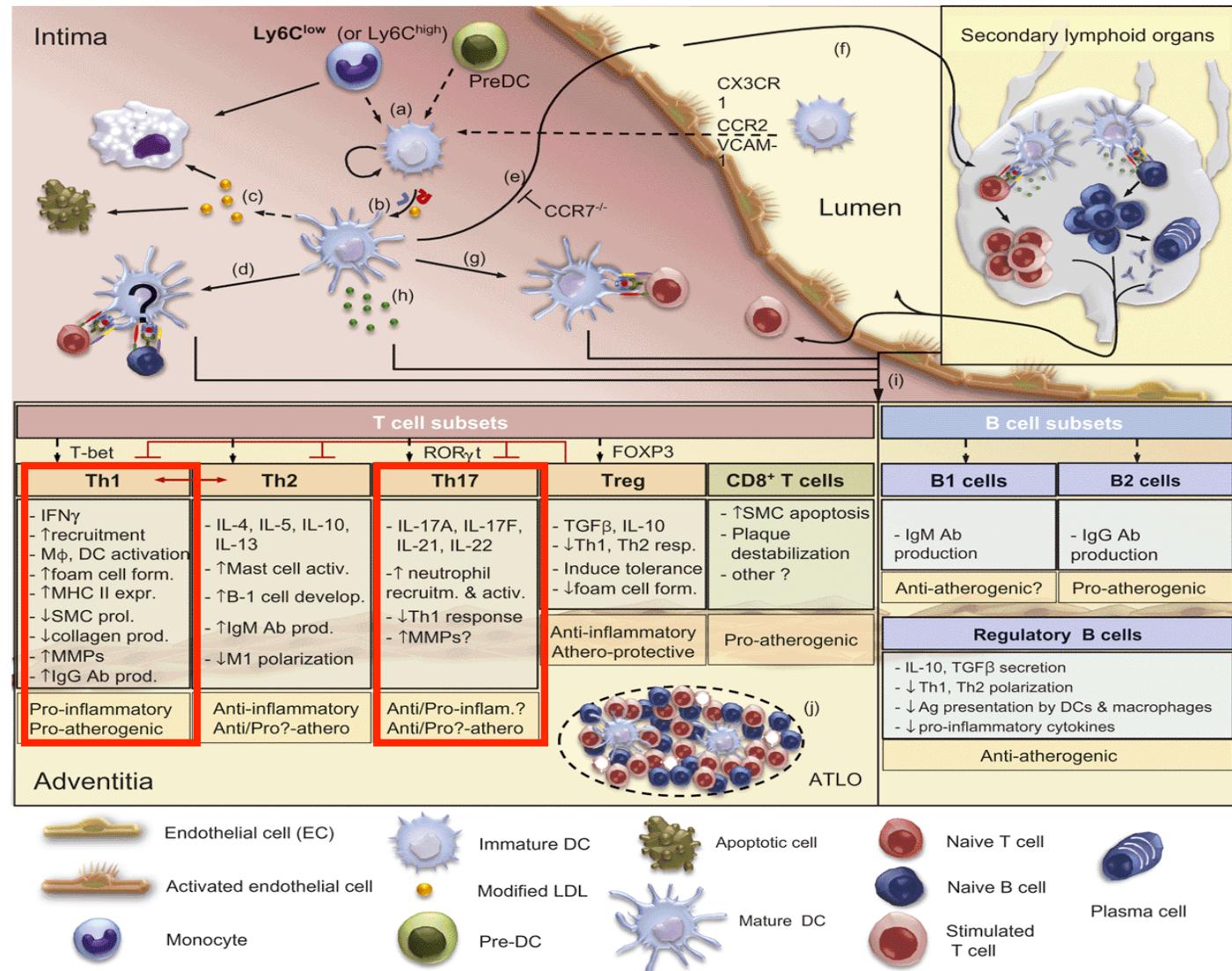
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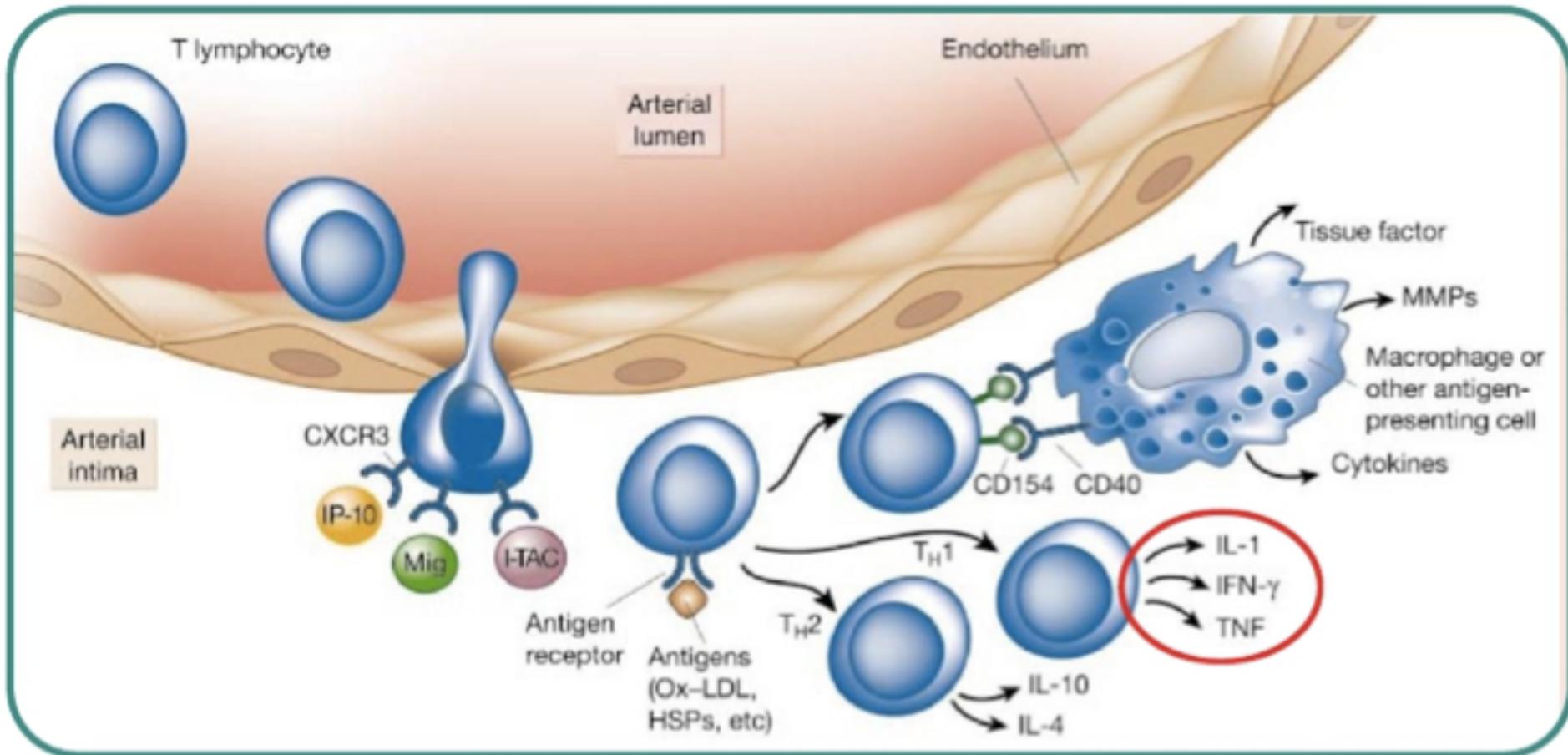


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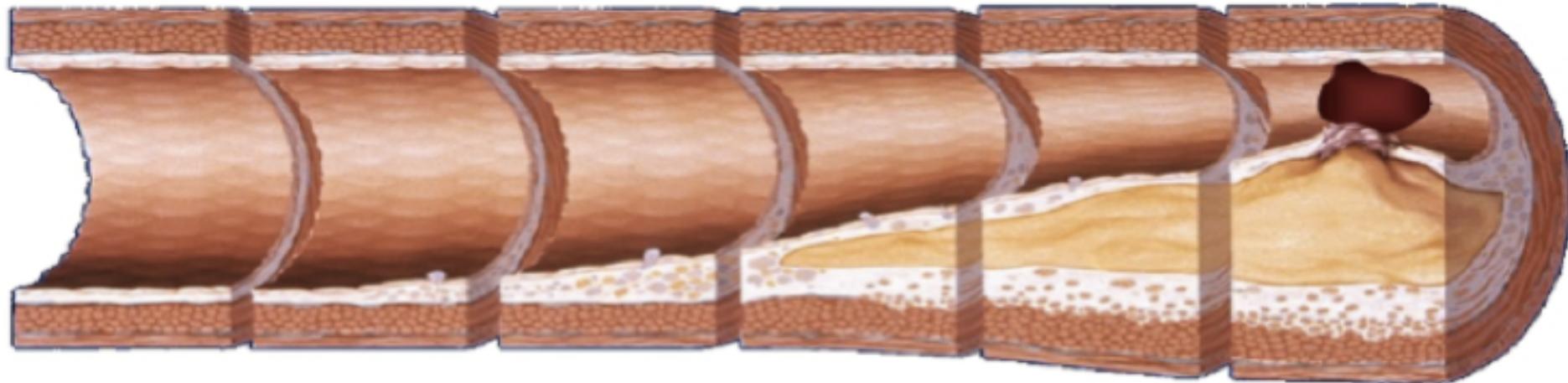
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Importancia de la inflamación en el desarrollo de la Enf. Aterosclerótica



1° & Messenger Inflamm. Chemokines

- IL-1
- TNF- α
- IL-6
- IL-18
- MCP-1

Cellular Adhesion Molecules

- sICAM
- sVCAM
- sSelectins
- sESAM

Acute (& chronic) Phase Reactants

hs-CRP, SAA, Lp-PLA₂, WBC

Plaque Destabilization

- MMPs
- IL-18 / IL-17A
- MPO

Plaque Rupture

- CD40L

Endothelial Fn

- EPCs
- TNF- α

Enfermedades reumáticas inflamatorias crónicas como “Modelo”

ARTRITIS REUMATOIDE



Artritis Psoriásica



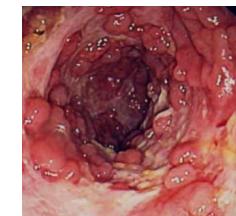
Espondilitis Anquilosante



Lupus Eritematoso Sistémico



Enfermedad Inflamatoria Intestinal



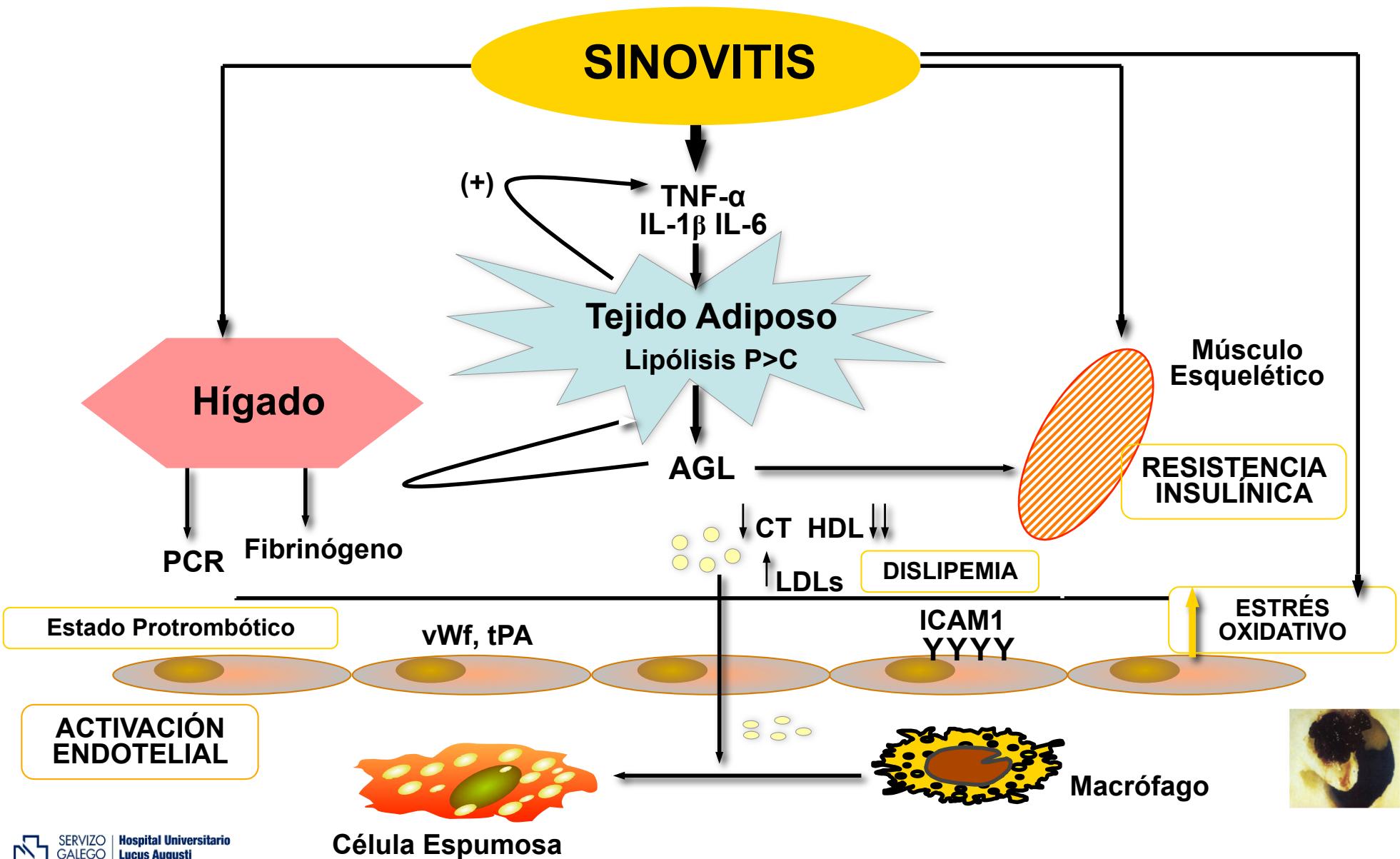
Psoriasis Cutánea



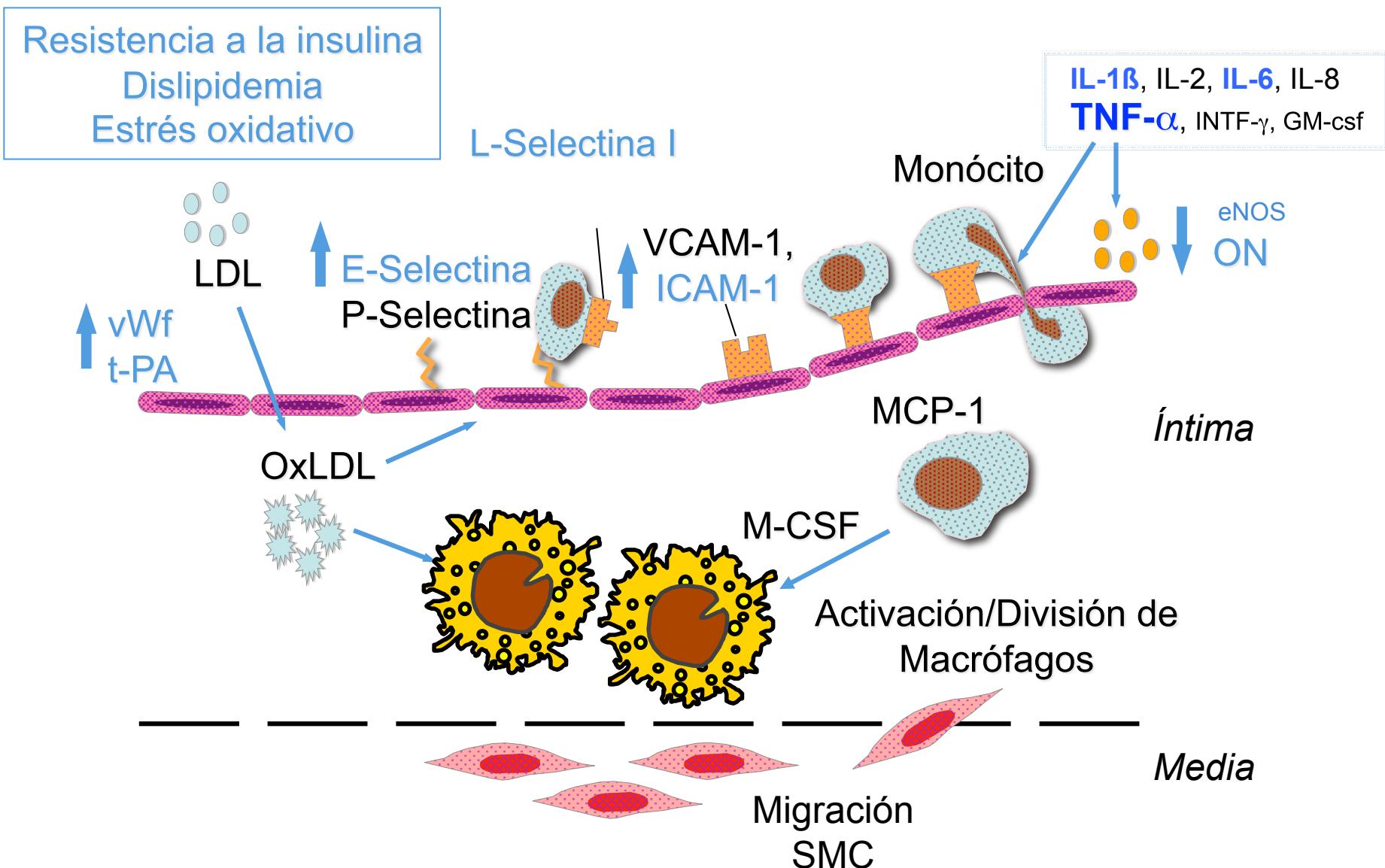
Esclerosis Sistémica



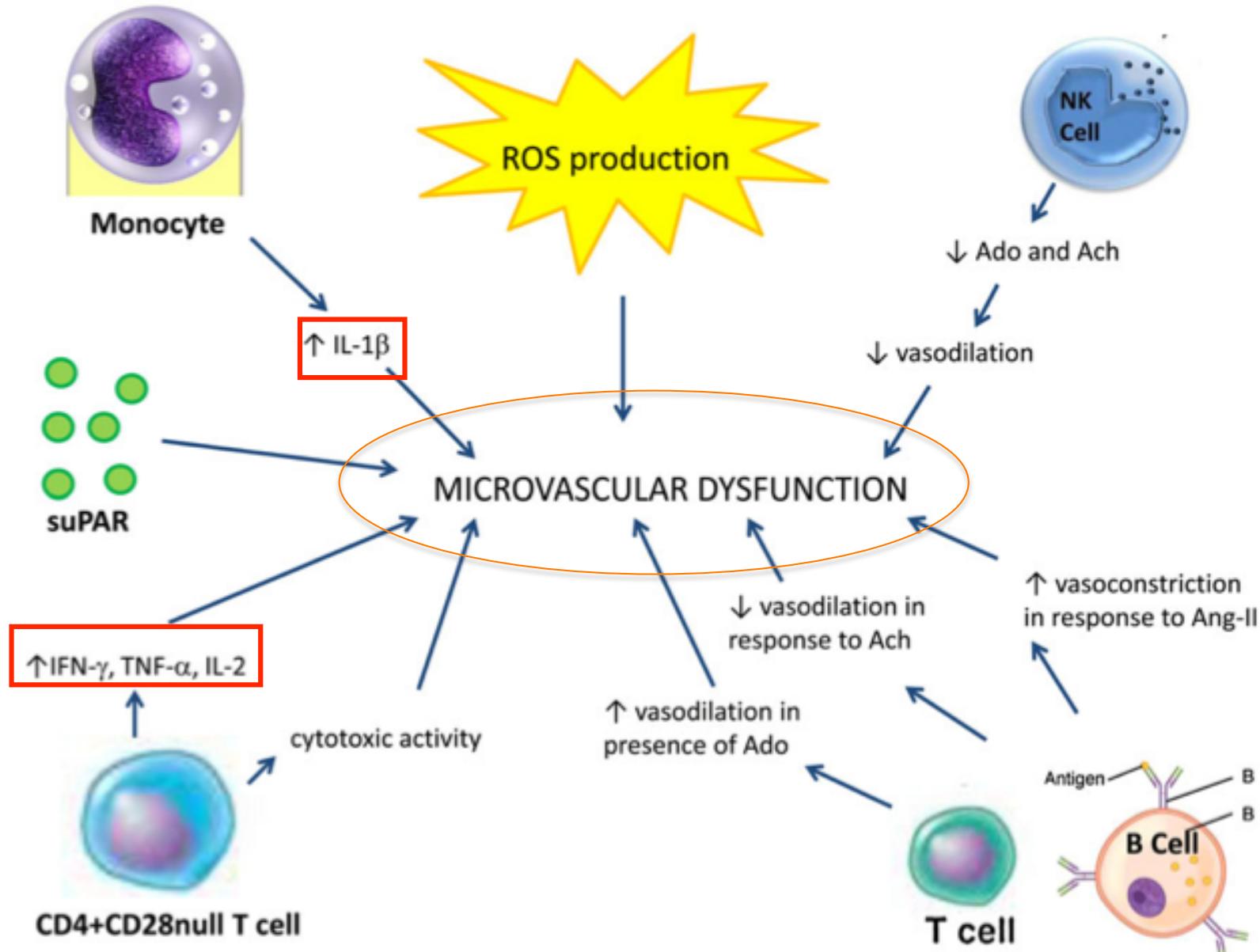
INFLAMACIÓN CRÓNICA EN EIC: ATEROSCLEROSIS ACELERADA



Aterosclerosis Acelerada en EIC

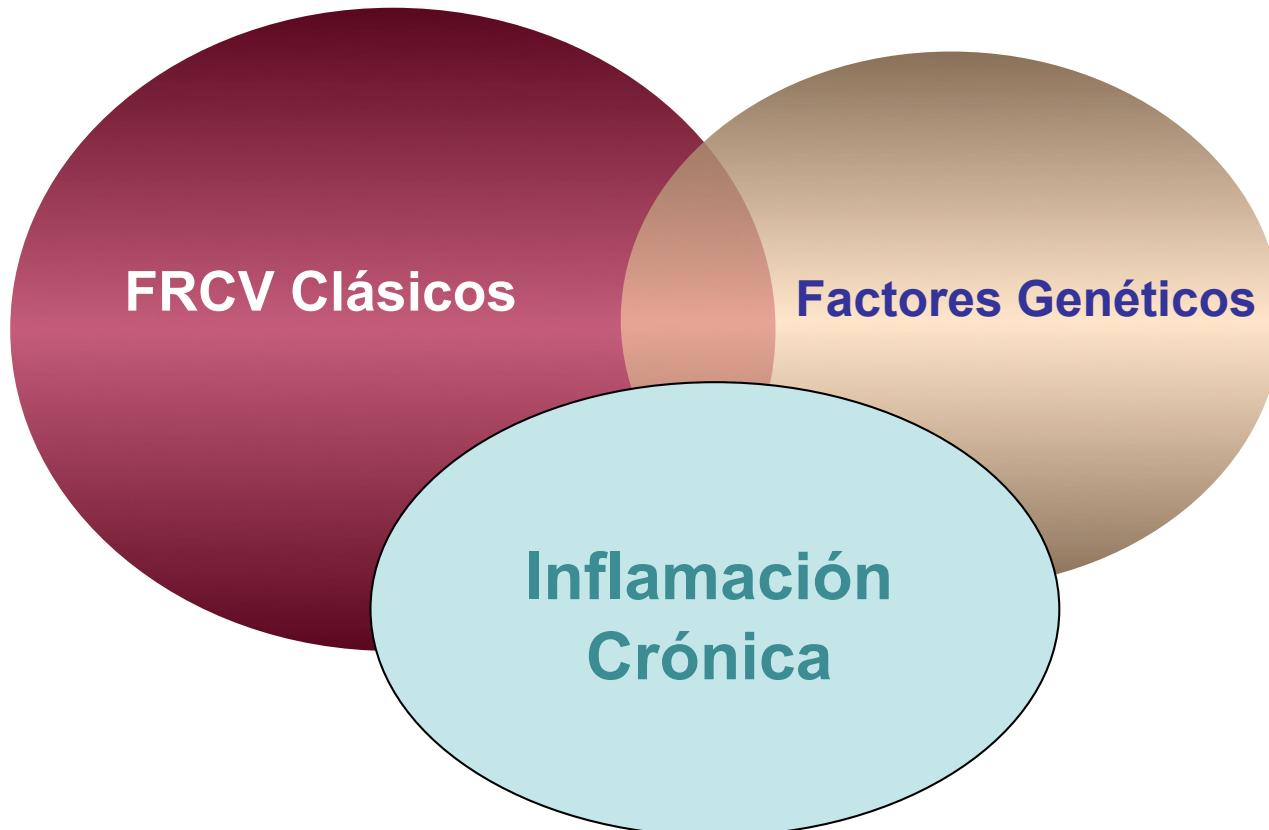


Enfermedad Coronaria Microvascular en EIC



Enfermedad Cardiovascular en EIC

Riesgo CV en EIC: efecto ADITIVO

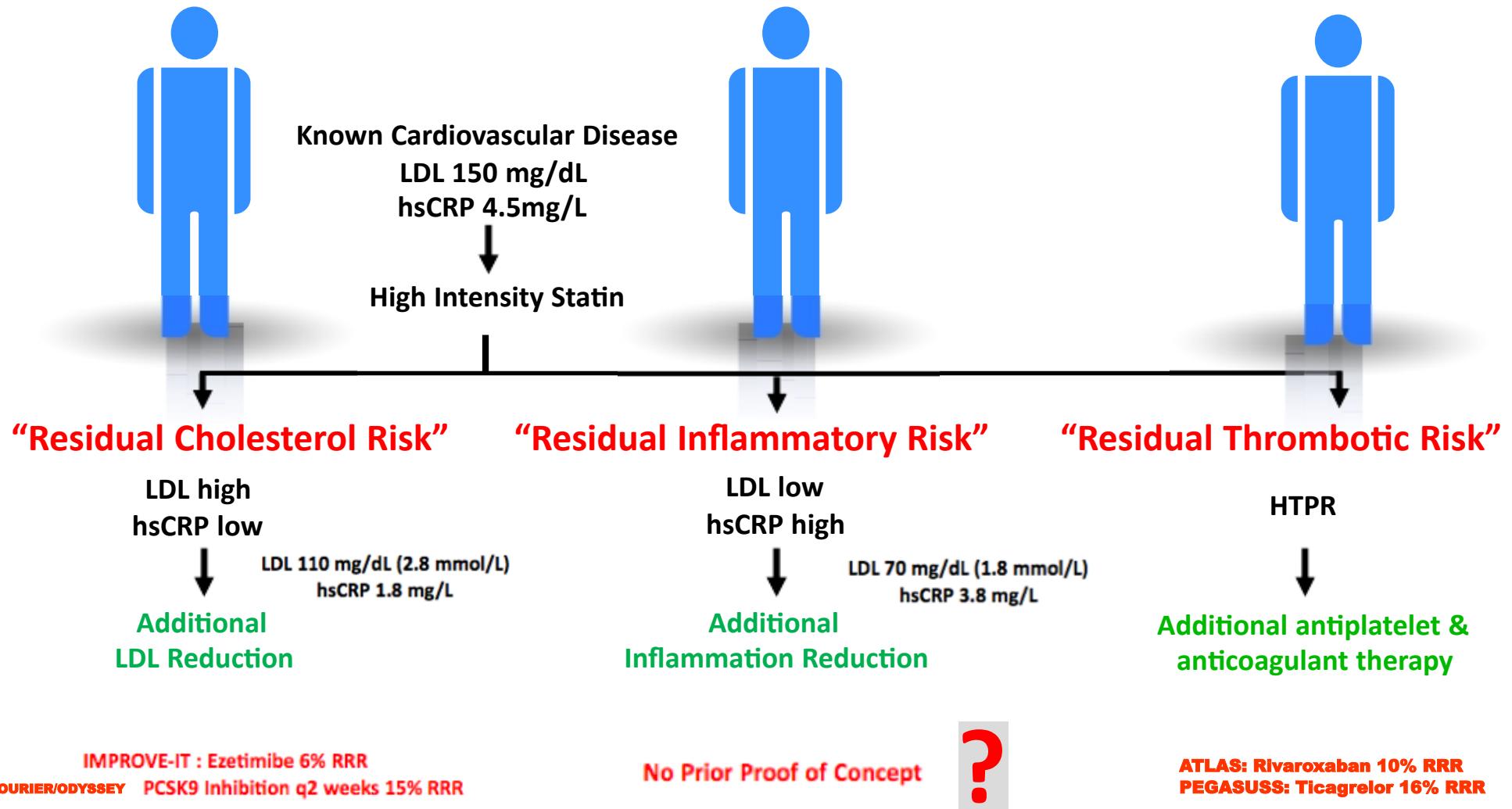


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Riesgo Inflamatorio Residual: Terapia personalizada en C. Isquémica

Teoría inflamatoria en C. Isquémica



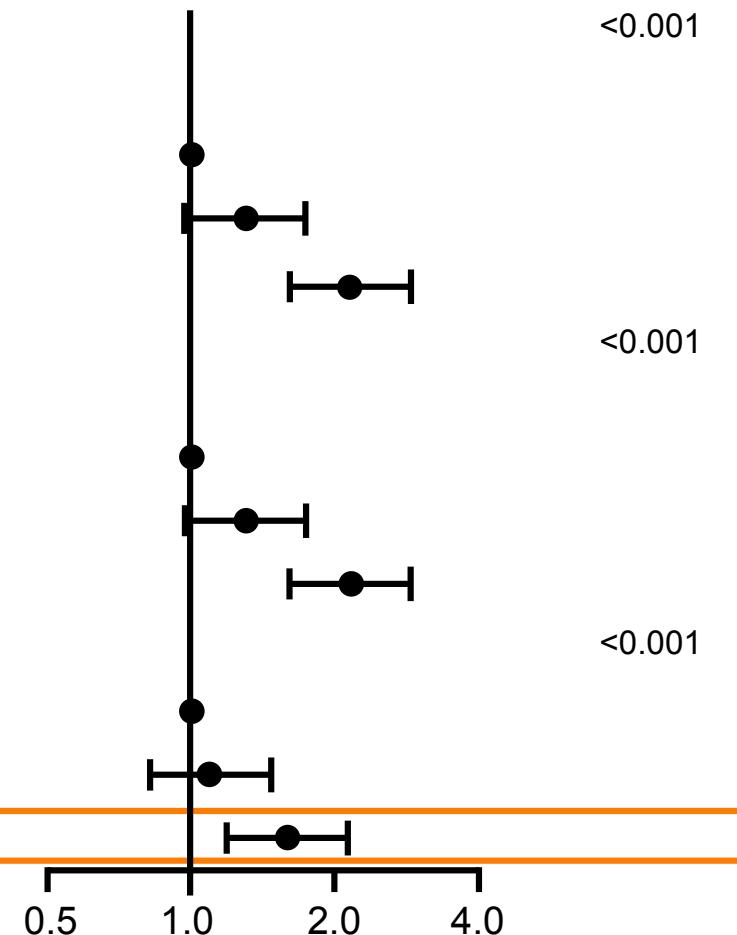
Niveles plasmáticos de PCR como predictores de eventos CV en población general

Ischemic heart disease

CRP level	No. of participants	No. of events	Hazard ratio (95% CI)	P for trend
Adjusted for age, sex and statin use				<0.001
<1 mg/litre	659	50		
1–3 mg/litre	5370	738		
>3 mg/litre	1905	433		
Adjusted for age, sex, statin use and genotype				<0.001
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Multivariable adjusted				<0.001
<1 mg/litre	652	50		
1–3 mg/litre	5294	721		
>3 mg/litre	1842	415		

CRP levels >3 mg/litre predict ischemic heart disease

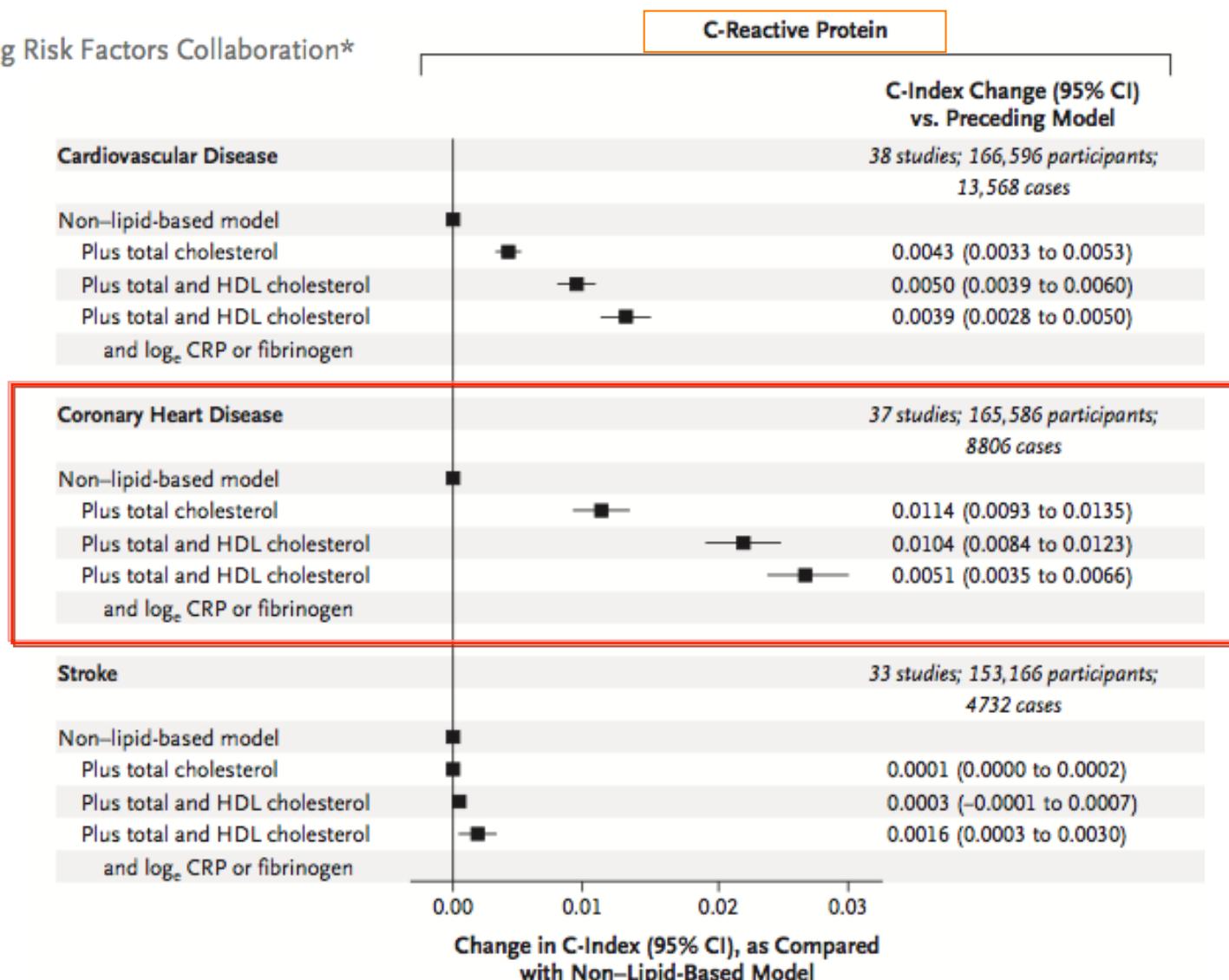
Copenhagen City Heart Study



Zacho J et al. N Engl J Med 2008;359:1897–1908

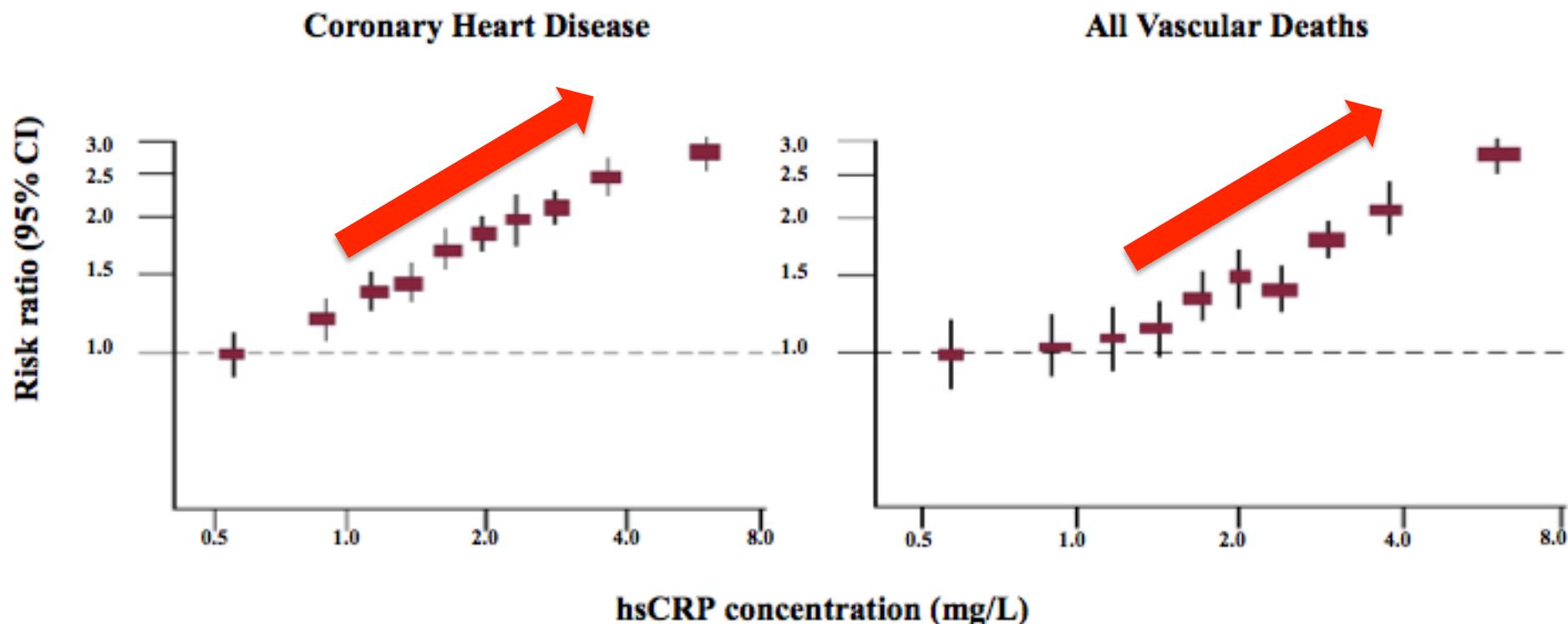
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The Emerging Risk Factors Collaboration*

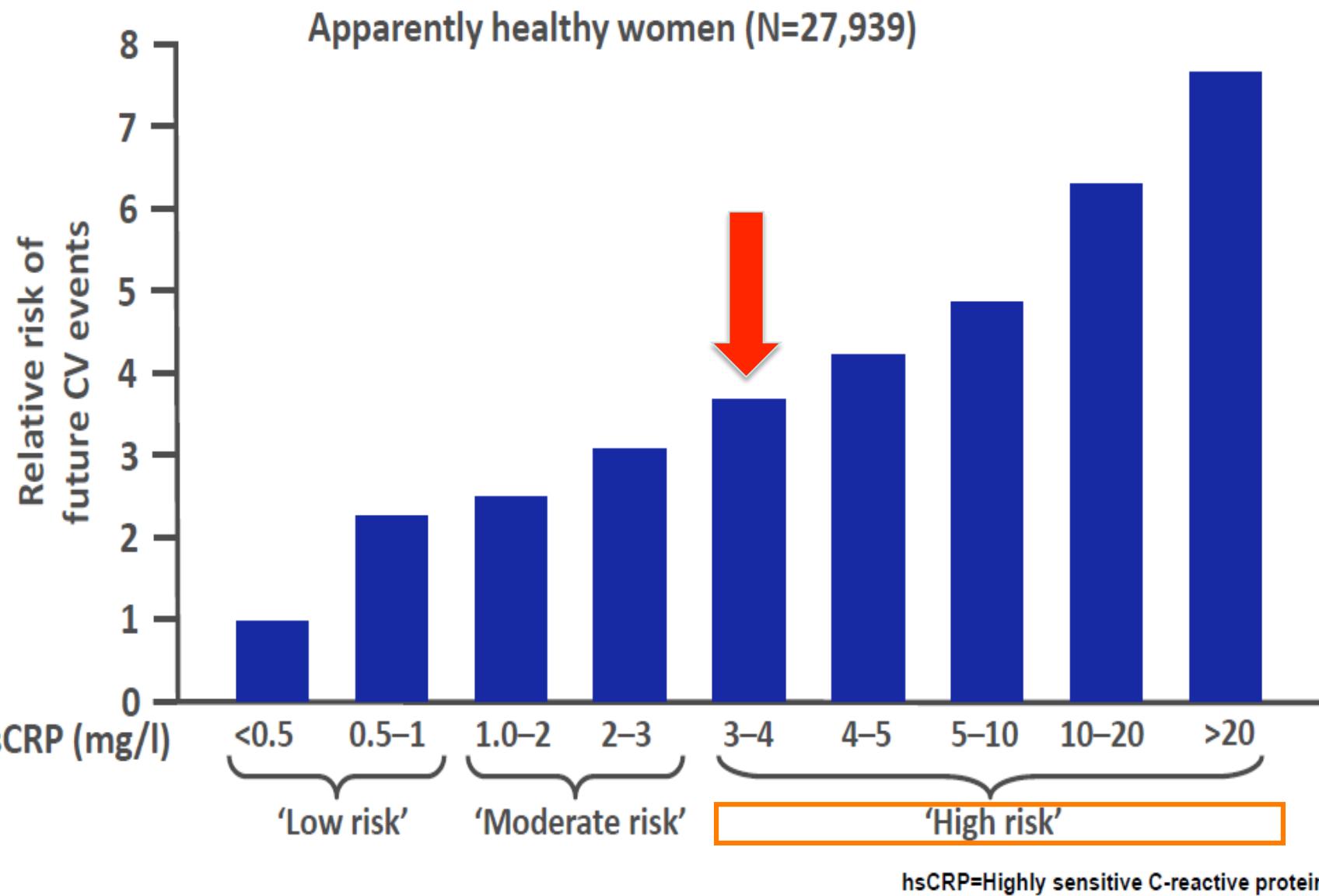


High-sensitivity CRP and risk of cardiovascular events: Meta-analys

Meta-analysis of 54 Prospective Cohort Studies
hsCRP concentration and risk of cardiovascular events : 2010

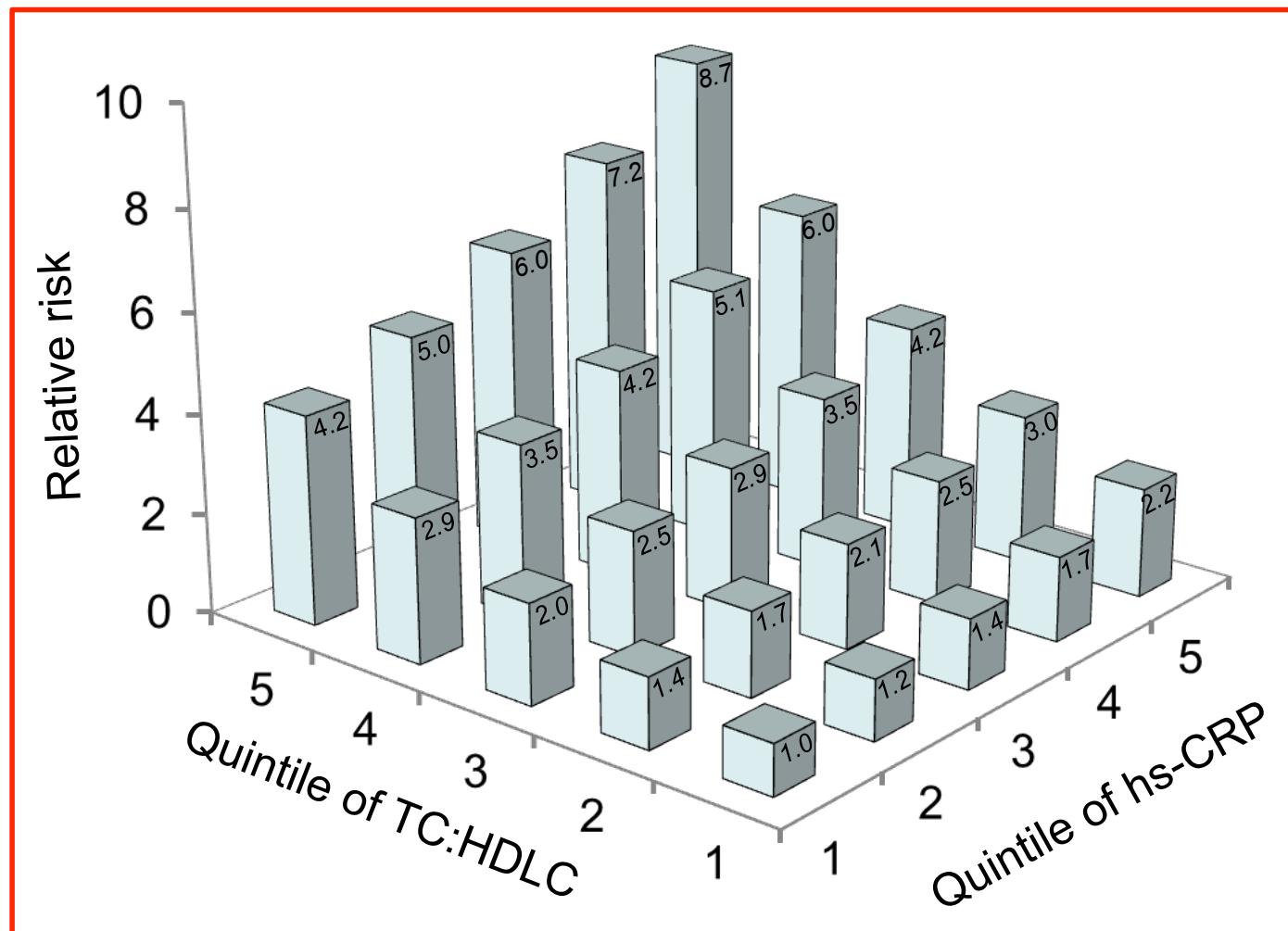


Emerging Risk Factor Collaborators, Lancet January 2010



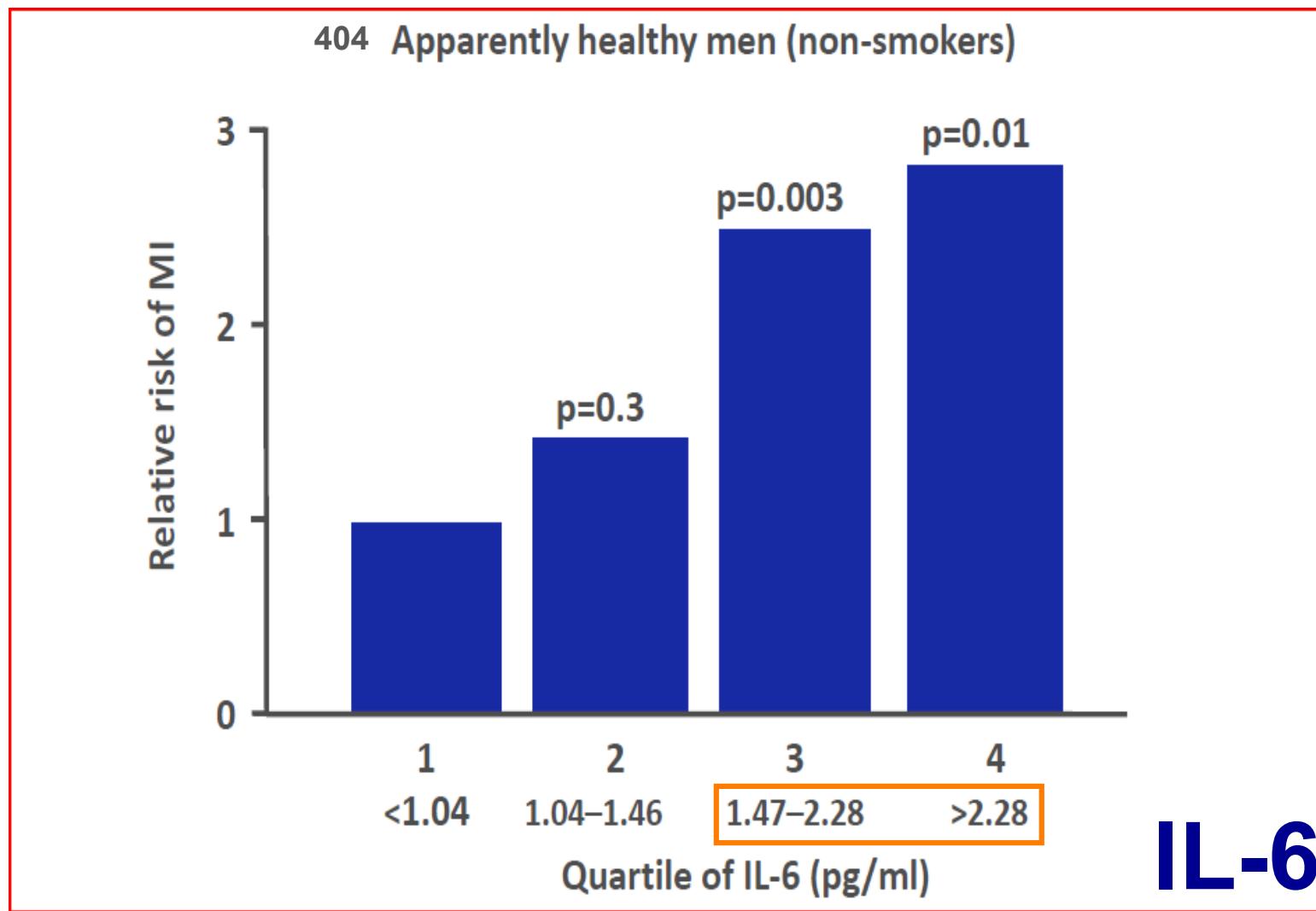
Non-rheumatic individuals: interactive effects of CRP and lipid testing as determinants of CV risk

Combined effect of high CRP levels and high Atherogenic Index increases the risk of cardiovascular disease



Plasma Concentration of Interleukin-6 and the Risk of Future Myocardial Infarction Among Apparently Healthy Men

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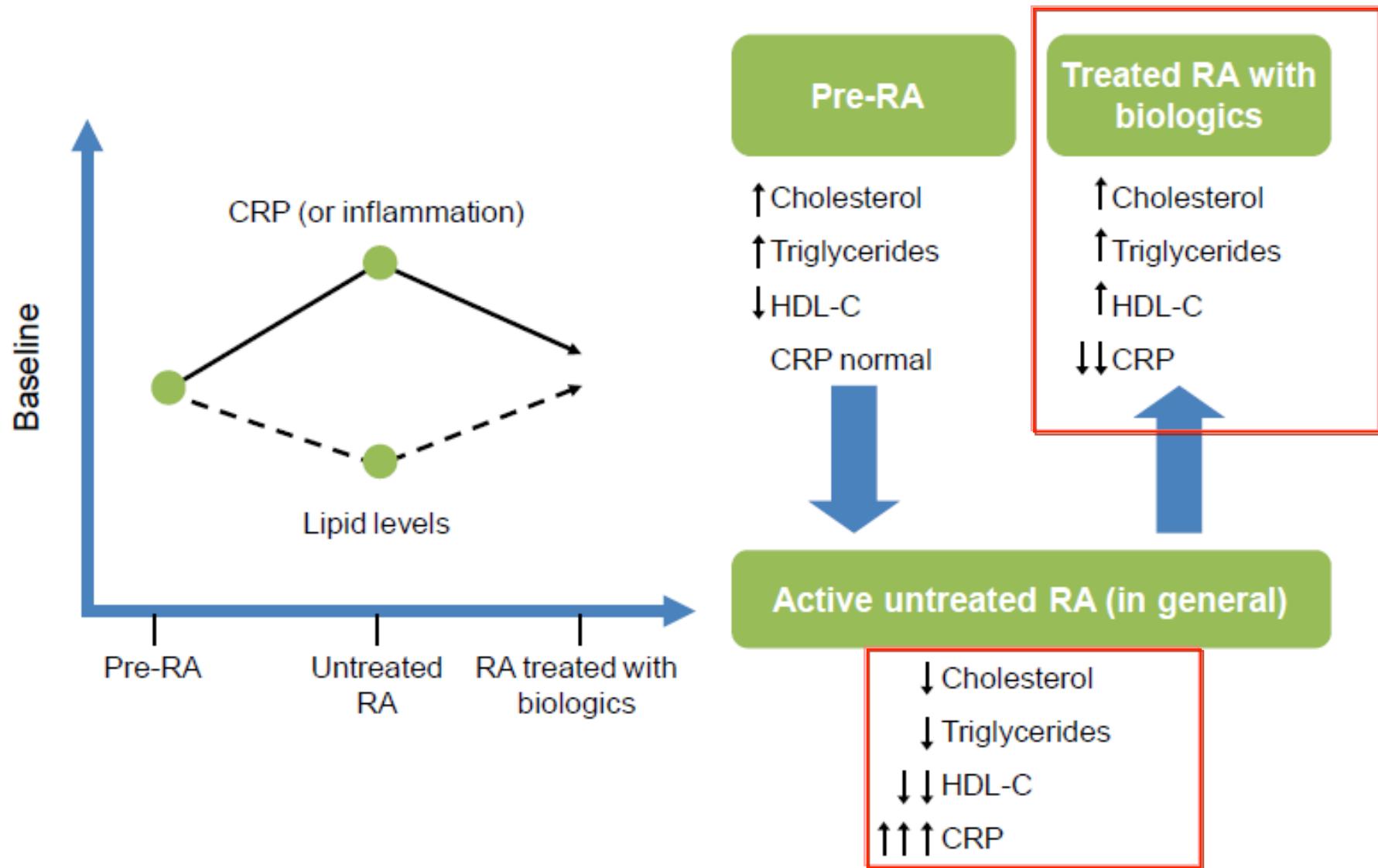
La “Paradoja Lipídica” en AR

Editorial

Inflammation and lipid profile in rheumatoid arthritis: bridging an apparent paradox

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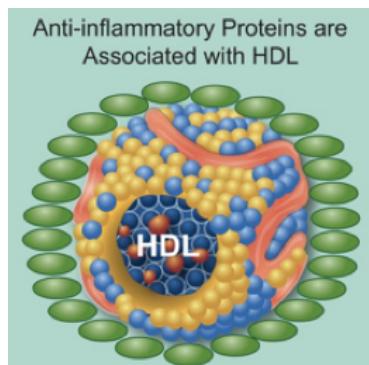
Lípidos e Inflamación en AR



1. Choy E and Sattar N. *Ann Rheum Dis* 2009;68:460–469.
2. Genovese MC, et al. *Arthritis Rheum* 2008;58:2968–2980.
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During an Acute-Phase Reaction, the Composition of HDL Changes Rapidly From Antiatherogenic to

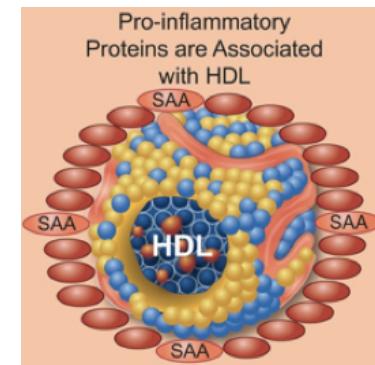
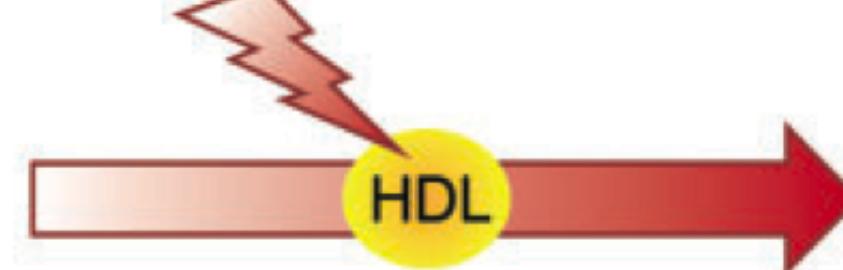
Proinflammatory



Anti-inflammatory/
athero-protective

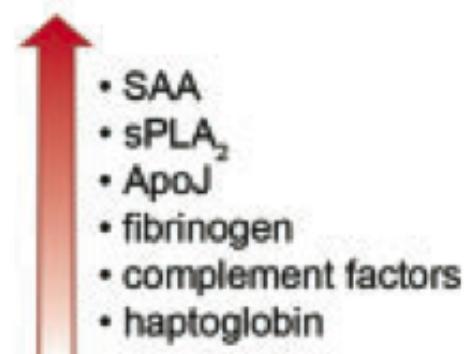
- Inhibits LDL oxidation
- Promotes cholesterol transport and reverse cholesterol efflux
- Increased anti-oxidative capacity
- Downregulates endothelial activation
- Anti-thrombotic properties

Inflammation



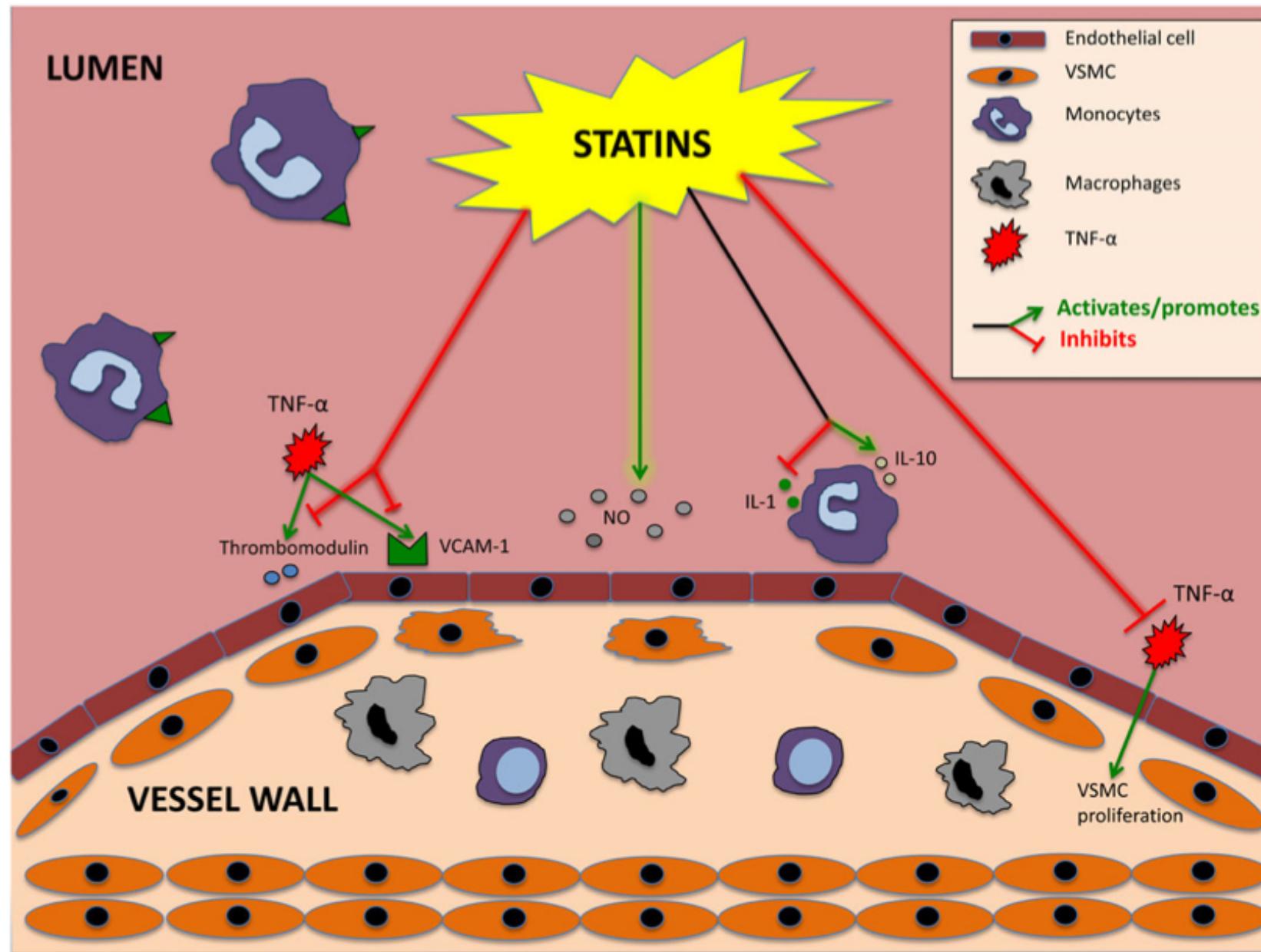
Pro-inflammatory/
atherogenic

Altered HDL sub-particle composition



- Promotes LDL oxidation
- Impaired cholesterol transport and reverse cholesterol efflux
- Reduced anti-oxidative capacity
- Promotes atherosclerotic lesions

Efectos de las estatinas relacionados con citoquinas a nivel de la placa aterosclerótica



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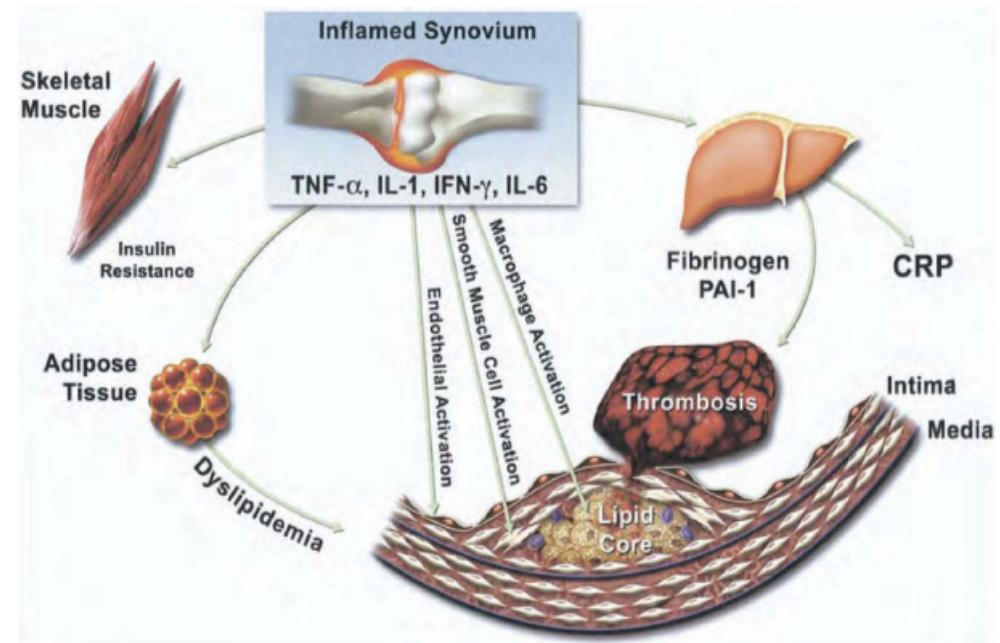
Evidencias Clínicas de Enfermedad CV en AR

La **artritis reumatoide (AR)** es una enfermedad inflamatoria sistémica asociada con aumento de la prevalencia de enfermedad cardíaca y alta mortalidad CV.



La **enfermedad CV** es la causa más común de mortalidad prematura en pacientes con AR, con un **riesgo relativo de cerca de 2**, en comparación con controles de la misma edad.

La mortalidad CV en AR es consecuencia de un proceso de **aterosclerosis acelerada**.



Gonzalez-Gay et al. Semin Arthritis Rheum 2005;35:8-17.

Solomon DH et al. Circulation 2003;107:1303–1307.

Libby P. Am J Med 2008;121:S21–S31.

AR y Eventos Cardiovasculares

529 mujeres con AR
Seguimiento entre 1977- 1996



IAM

Riesgo relativo ajustado para la edad **OR 2,07 (IC 95%: 1,28-3,34)**.
Riesgo relativo ajustado por multivariable **OR 2,00 (IC 95%: 1,23-3,29)**.

Riesgo relativo **AR >10 años OR 3,10 (IC 95%: 1,23-3,29)**.

Accidente
vascular
cerebral

Riesgo relativo ajustado para la edad **OR 1,47 (IC 95%: 0,70-3,08)**.
Riesgo relativo ajustado por multivariable **OR 1,48 (IC 95%: 0,70-3,12)**.

Solomon et al. *Cardiovascular morbidity and mortality in women diagnosed with rheumatoid arthritis*. Circulation 2003;107:1303-07.

603 pacientes diagnosticados con AR entre 1955-1995



IAM / Muerte súbita (MS)

Riesgo relativo ajustado por multivariable (IAM) **OR 2,13 (IC 95%: 1,13-4,03)**.
Riesgo relativo ajustado por multivariable (MS) **OR 1,94 (IC 95%: 1,06-3,55)**.

Maradit-Kremers et al. *Increased unrecognized coronary heart disease and sudden deaths in rheumatoid arthritis: a population-based cohort study*. Arthritis Rheum 2005;52:402-11.

Factores de riesgo para mortalidad cardiovascular (razones de riesgo-RR-ajustadas por edad en el inicio de la enfermedad y sexo) **en 182 pacientes con AR** (10 años seguimiento 1996-2005).

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Mortalidad CV (ajustada FRCV) OR 1,79 (95% IC 1,10-3,21)

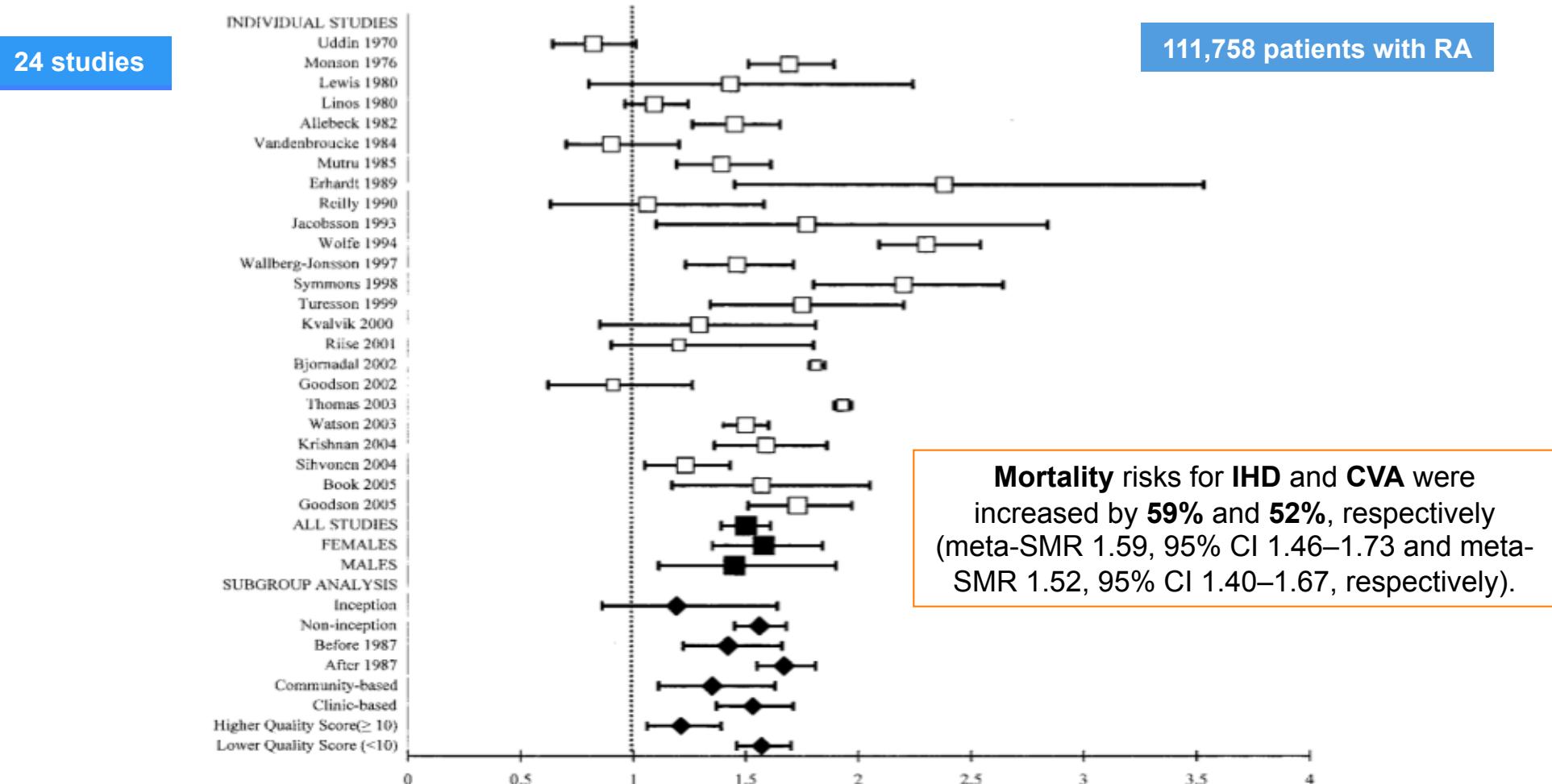
VARIABLE	RR	(IC 95%)	p
PCR promedio (mg/l)	1,14	1,06-1,23	< 0,001
VSG promedio (mm/1h)	1,05	1,01-1,08	0,003
Terapia con metotrexato	0,86	0,28-2,69	0,800
Factores de riesgo cardiovascular			
En 1996	1,78	0,64-4,90	0,266
Durante el seguimiento	1,46	0,52-4,09	0,475
Epitopo compartido HLA-DRB1*04	4,15	1,15-15,0	0,030
HLA-DRB1*0401	1,63	0,54-4,91	0,385
HLA-DRB1*0404	6,65	1,98-22.33	0,002

RA and MACE

Risk of Cardiovascular Mortality in Patients With Rheumatoid Arthritis: A Meta-Analysis of Observational Studies

Arthritis & Rheumatism  AMERICAN COLLEGE OF RHEUMATOLOGY
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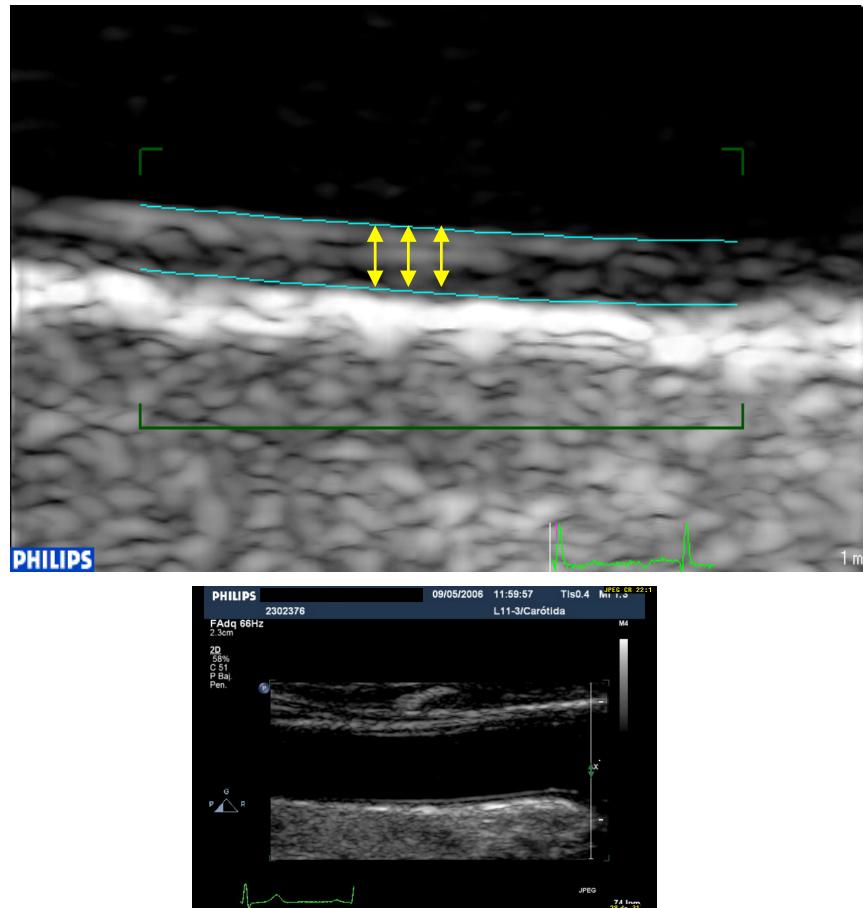
Aterosclerosis Carotídea Subclínica en AR

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	AR	Controles
CIMT	0,779 ± 0,164	0,699 ± 0,129 mm

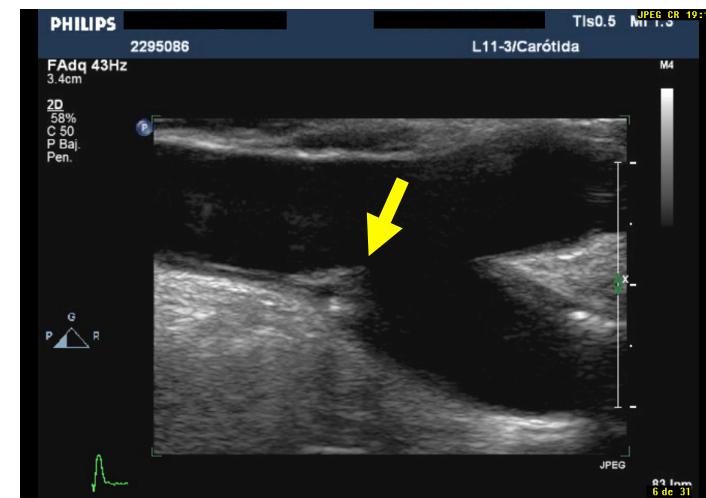
47 pacientes AR larga evolución
sin FRCV ni ECV previa

p = 0,01



p = 0,03

	AR	Controles
Placas carotídeas	34%	15%

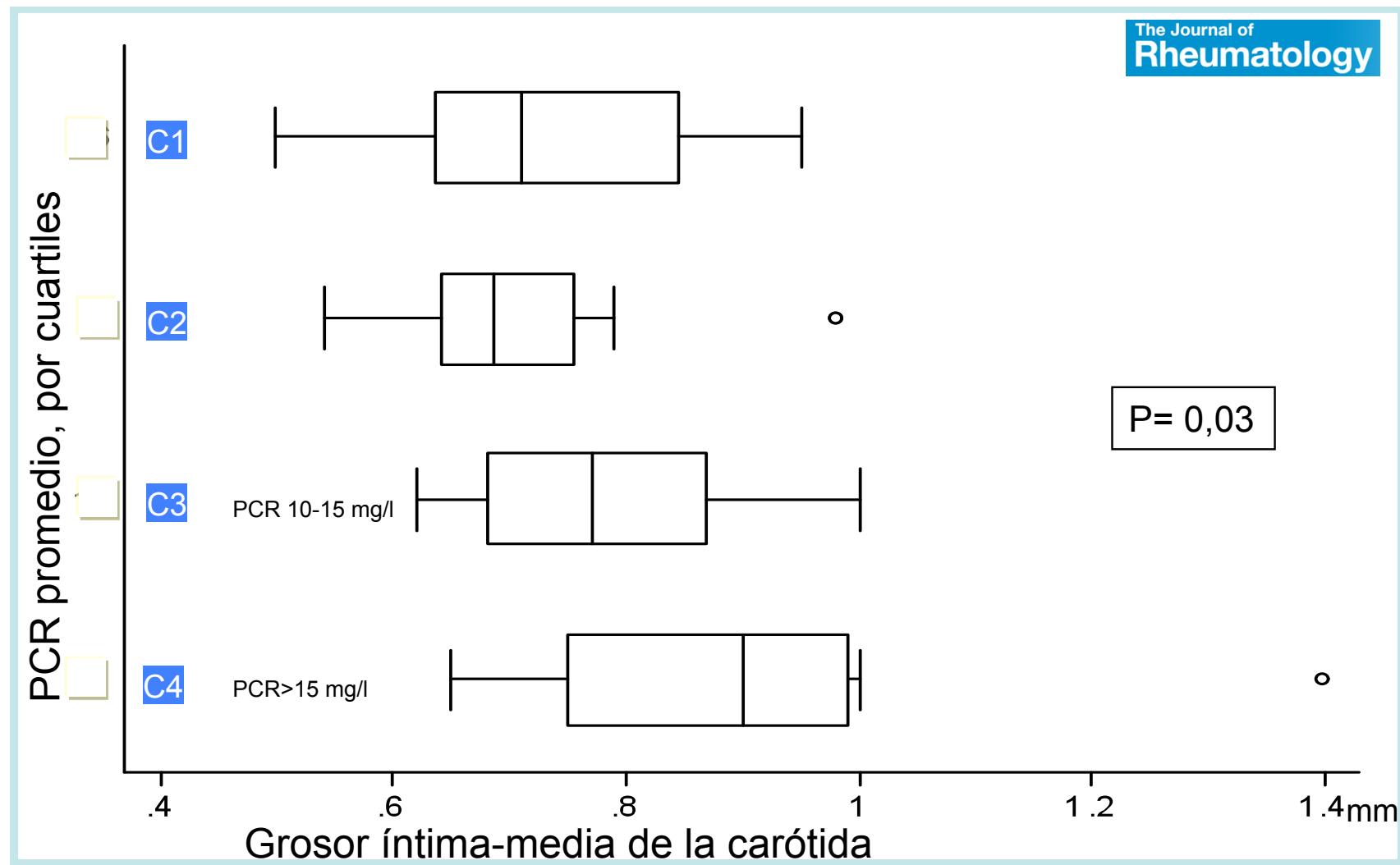


Predictores independientes de aterosclerosis subclínica en pacientes con AR

CIMT	OR (95% CI)	P
Edad >60 años al estudio	6,80 (1,77 to 26,11)	0,005

Placas (+)	OR (95% CI)	P
Duración enf.	1,13 (1,02 to 1,27)	0,024
Edad al estudio	1,40 (1,94 to 2,07)	0,097

Correlación entre los Valores Promedio de PCR y el IMT de la Carótida en 47 Pacientes con AR sin Enfermedad CV Clínicamente Evidente



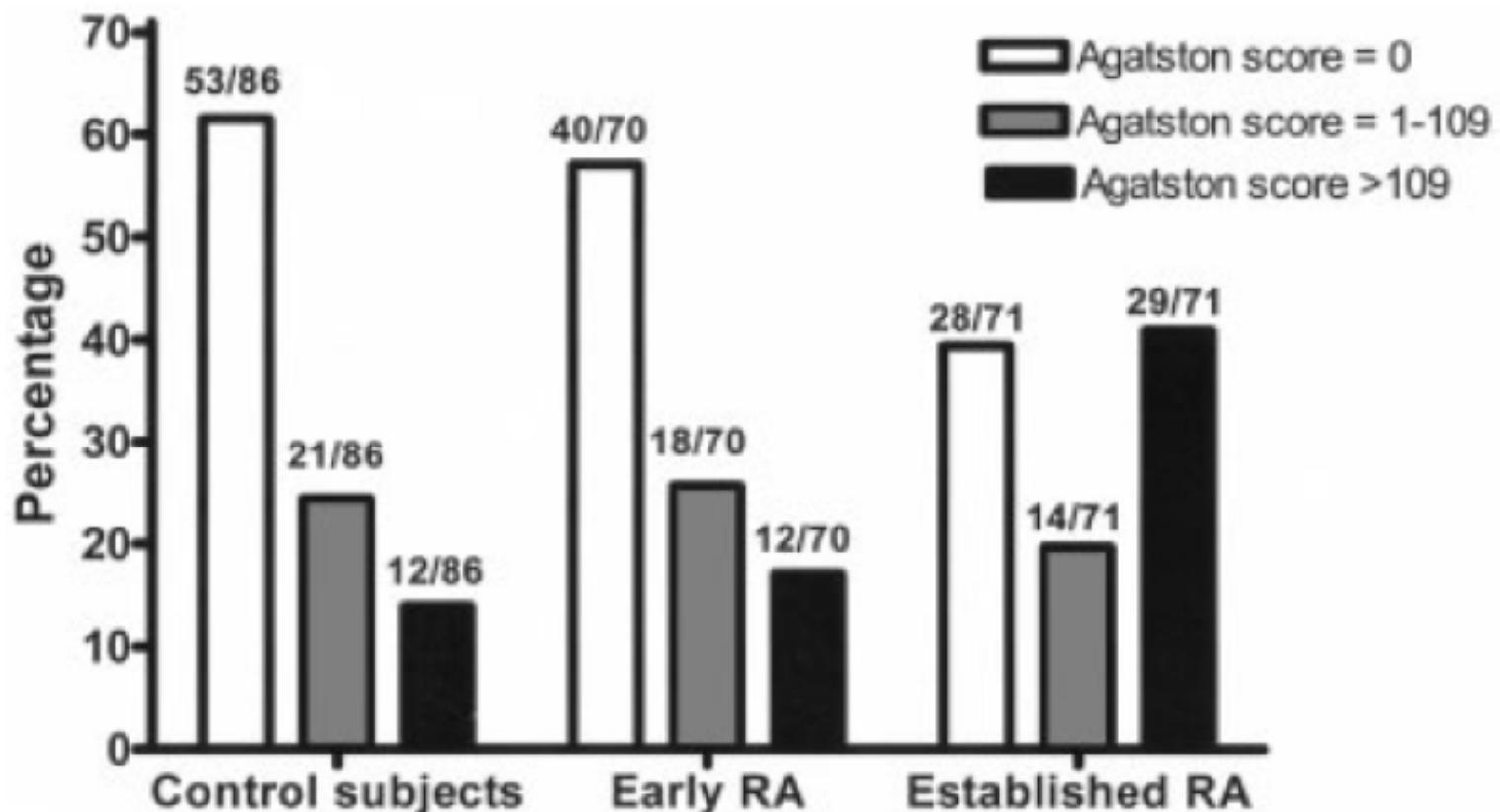
C = Cuartil

RA and CV disease

Coronary Atherosclerosis

CT-scan: Coronary Artery Calcium (CAC) Score
Early RA (n=70); Established RA (n=71); Controls (n=86)

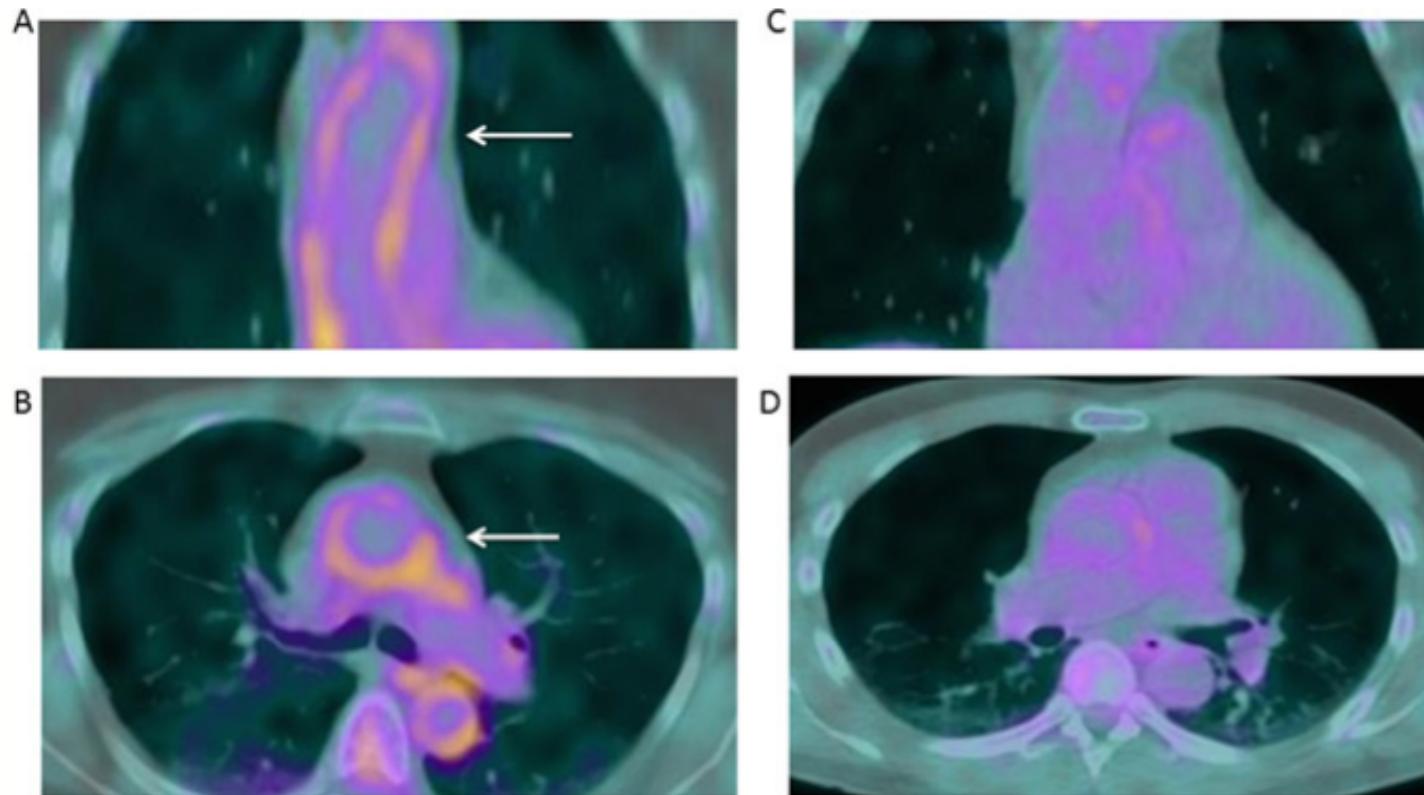
Disease duration



RA and CV disease

Aortic Inflammation

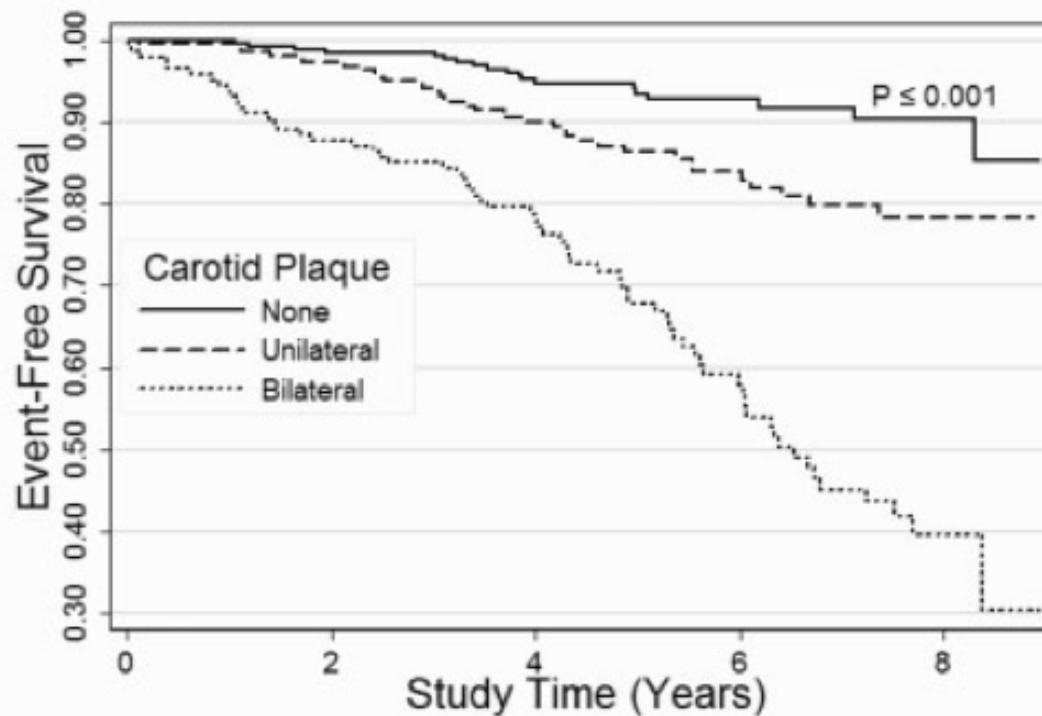
F-FDG-PET/CT-scan. **Ascending Aortic Inflammation in RA patients** without clinical CVD (n=91)



Traditional CV risk factors (HTA/BMI) and RA disease characteristics (rheumatoid nodules and the DAS28 using the C-reactive protein level in anti-CCP antibody-positive individuals) were independently associated with ascending aortic FDG uptake in RA patients without clinical CVD.

Atherosclerosis Carotídea y Predicción de Síndrome Coronario Agudo en AR

599 pacientes AR y sin SCA previo
Seguimiento 3 años



Incident acute coronary syndromes (n = 599)

	Events	Person-years	Rate (95% CI)*
Plaque			
None	17	1,581	1.1 (0.6–1.7)
Unilateral	22	877	2.5 (1.7–3.8)
Bilateral	27	628	4.3 (2.9–6.3)

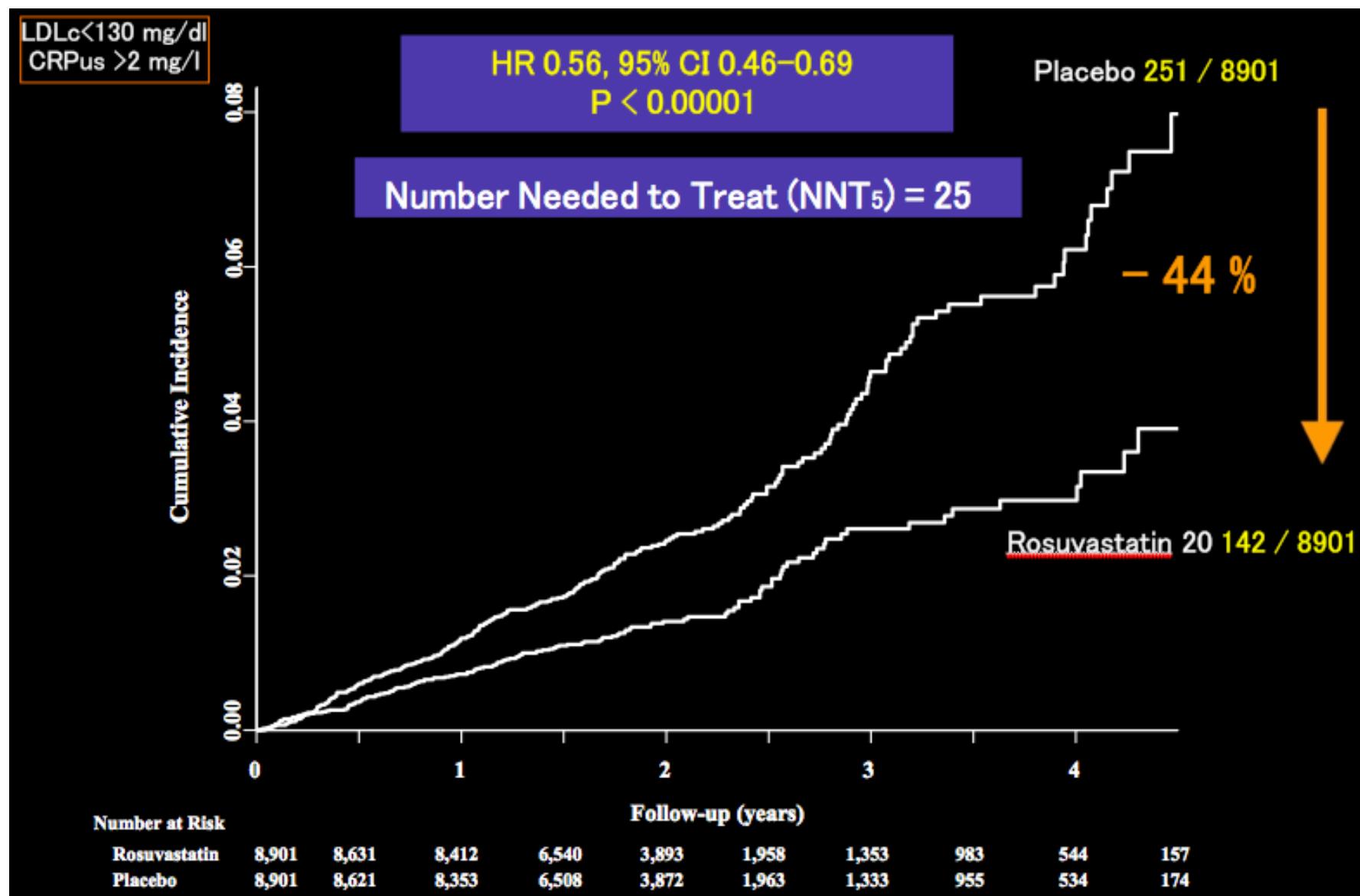
* Per 100 person-years. 95% CI = 95% confidence interval.

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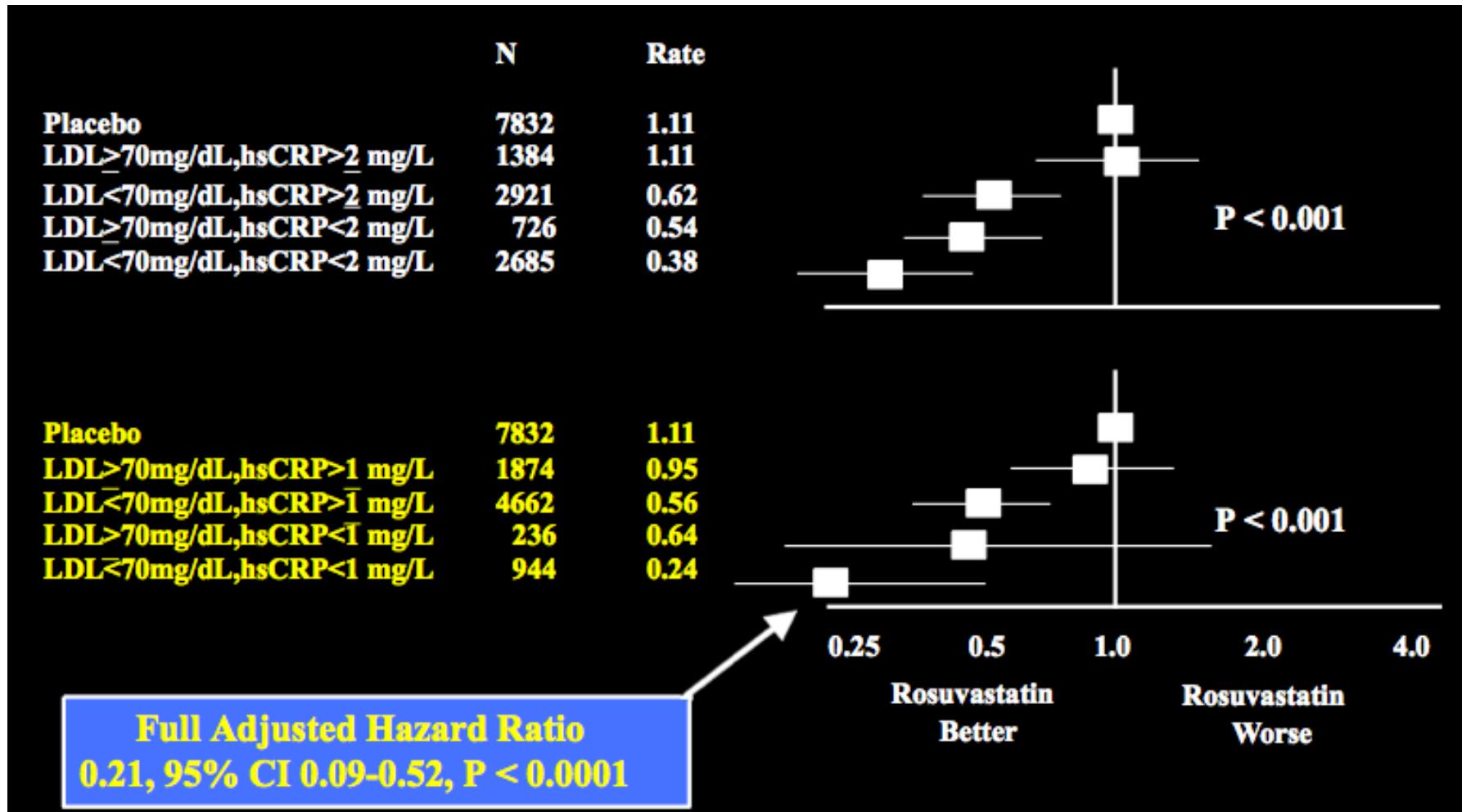
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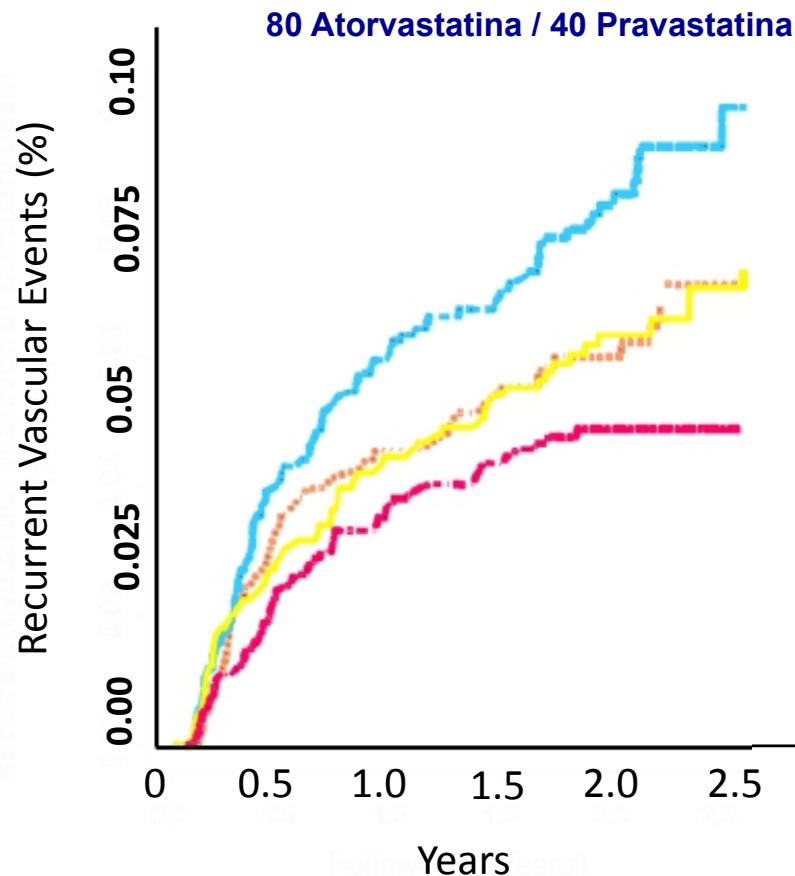
Primary Trial Endpoint : MI, Stroke, UA/Revascularization, CV Death



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LDL reduction, hsCRP reduction or both?





PROVE-IT

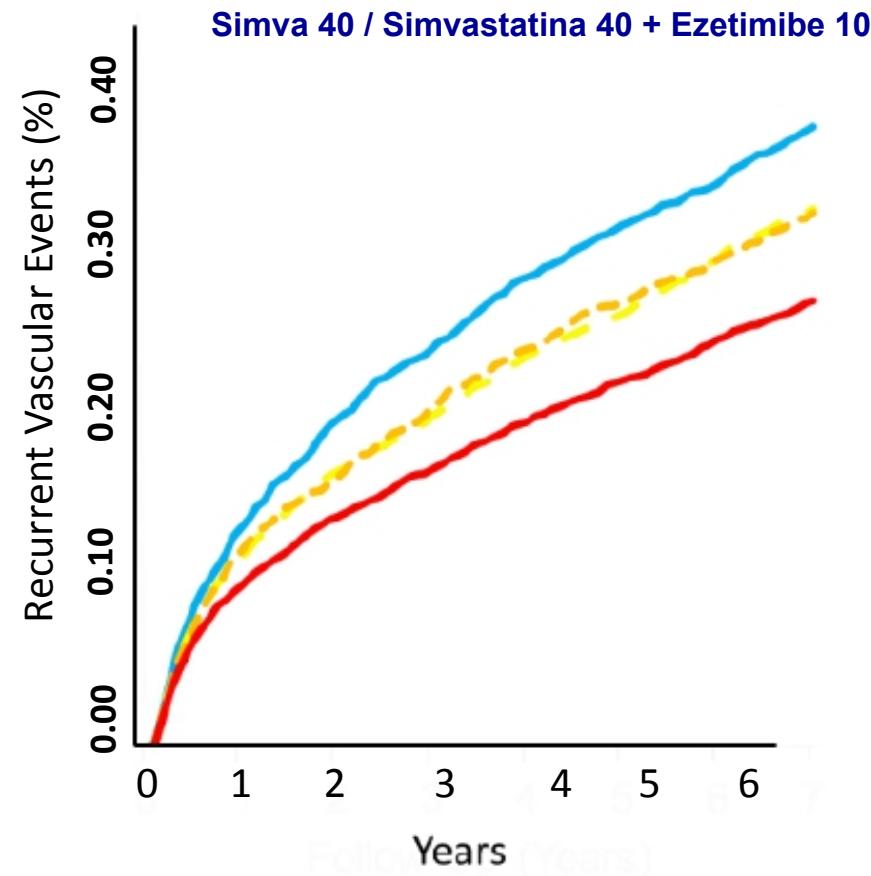
Ridker et al, NEJM 2005;352:20-8

■ LDL >70 mg/dL
hsCRP > 2mg/L ■ LDL <70 mg/dL
hsCRP > 2mg/L

Neither Goal
Achieved

■ LDL > 70 mg/dL
hsCRP < 2mg/L ■ LDL < 70 mg/dL
hsCRP < 2mg/L

LDL Goal
Achieved



IMPROVE-IT

Bohula et al, Circulation 2015;132:1224-33

■ LDL > 70 mg/dL
hsCRP < 2mg/L ■ LDL < 70 mg/dL
hsCRP < 2mg/L

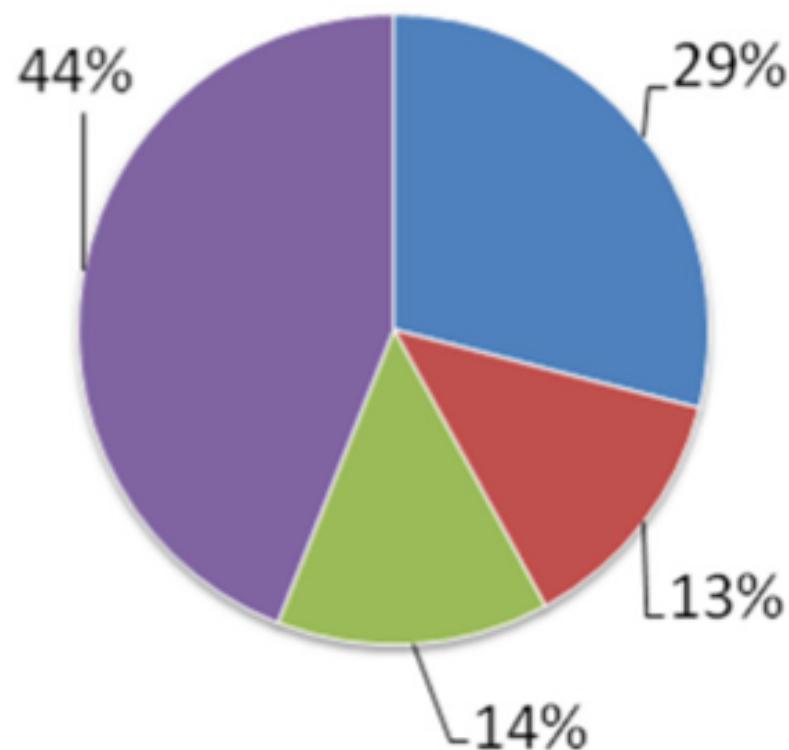
hsCRP Goal
Achieved

■ LDL >70 mg/dL
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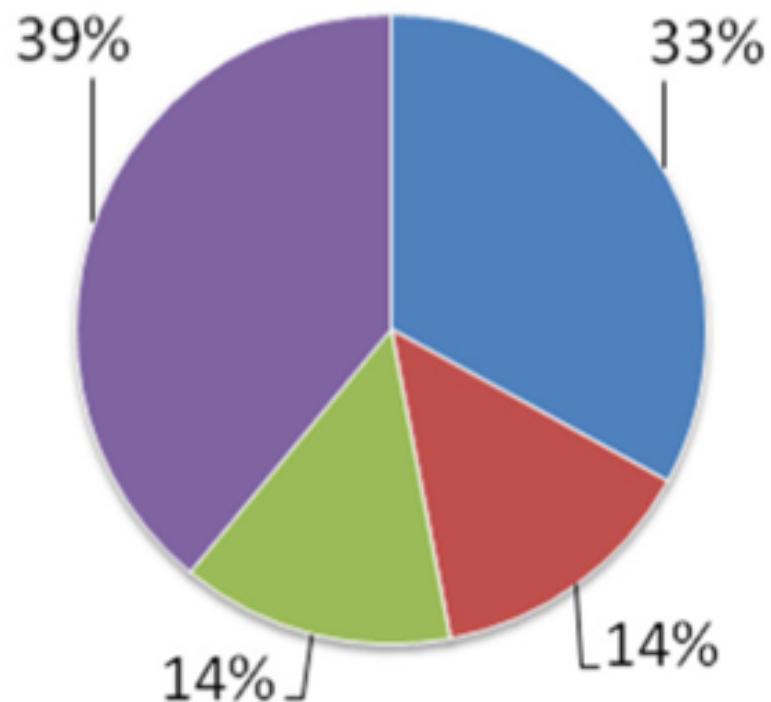
Dual Goals
Achieved

Riesgo Inflamatorio Residual

PROVE-IT



IMPROVE-IT



■ Residual Inflammatory Risk

hsCRP \geq 2 mg/L
LDLC < 70 mg/dL

■ Residual Cholesterol Risk

hsCRP < 2 mg/L
LDLC \geq 70 mg/dL

■ Both

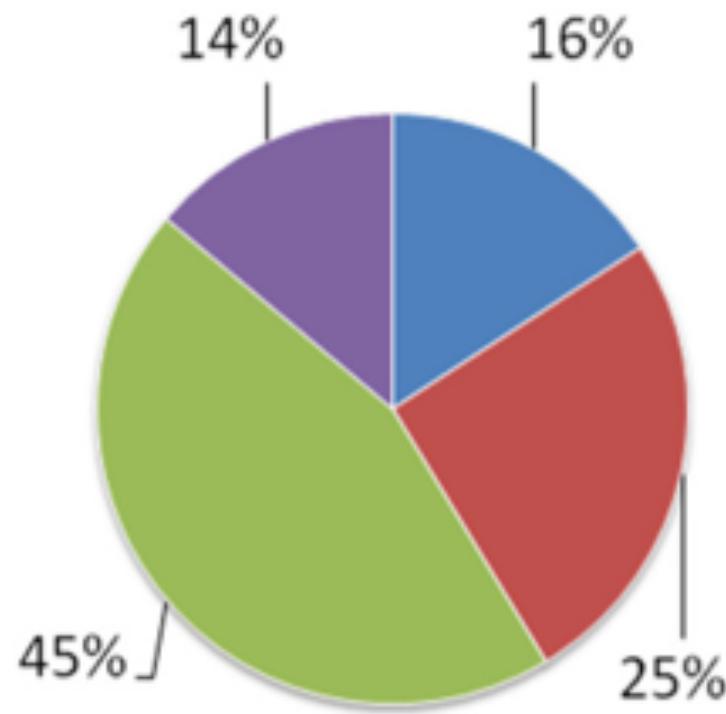
hsCRP \geq 2 mg/L
LDLC \geq 70 mg/dL

■ Neither

hsCRP < 2 mg/L
LDLC < 70 mg/dL

Riesgo Inflamatorio Residual

Registro VIRGO



■ Residual Inflammatory Risk

$\text{hsCRP} \geq 2 \text{ mg/L}$
 $\text{LDLC} < 70 \text{ mg/dL}$

■ Residual Cholesterol Risk

$\text{hsCRP} < 2 \text{ mg/L}$
 $\text{LDLC} \geq 70 \text{ mg/dL}$

■ Both

$\text{hsCRP} \geq 2 \text{ mg/L}$
 $\text{LDLC} \geq 70 \text{ mg/dL}$

■ Neither

$\text{hsCRP} < 2 \text{ mg/L}$
 $\text{LDLC} < 70 \text{ mg/dL}$

Estatinas/AR: Actividad Inflamatoria

116 pacientes
ATORVASTATINA 40mg

Estudio TARA (Atorvastatina en AR)

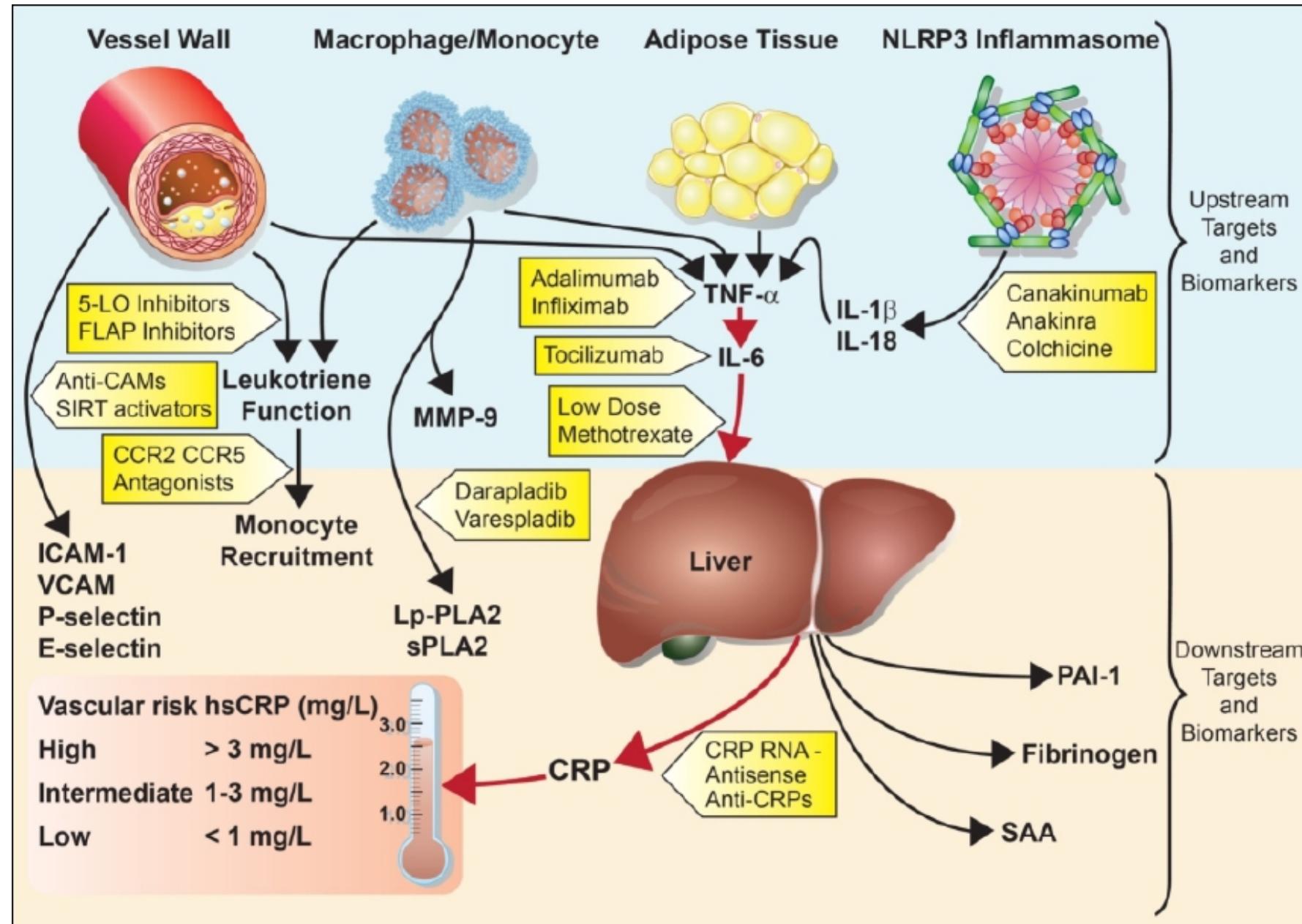
6 meses	Atorvastatina (n=58)	Placebo (n=58)	p
DAS28	-0,52 (-0,75/-0,25)	0,03 (-0,23/0,28)	0,004
PCR (mg/l)	-0,46 (-0,64/-0,28)	0,12 (-0,09/-0,34)	<0,0001
VSG (mm/h)	-5,03 (-8,4/-1,67)	1,91 (-1,61/5,54)	0,005
LDLc (mmol/l)	-1,40 (-1,63/-1,17)	-0,07 (-0,23/0,10)	<0,0001

	Methotrexate status at baseline				Difference	p
	Not taking (n=29)	p	Taking (n=29)	p		
DAS28	-0·40 (-0·74 to -0·06)	0·02	-0·59 (-0·97 to -0·21)	0·004	0·19 (-0·31 to 0·69)	0·46
Erythrocyte sedimentation rate (mm/h)	-4·17 (-6·88 to -1·47)	0·004	-5·90 (-12·28 to 0·49)	0·069	1·72 (-5·06 to 8·51)	0·61
C-reactive protein (log mg/L)	-0·40 (-0·67 to -0·13)	0·006	-0·52 (-0·77 to -0·27)	0·0002	0·12 (-0·24 to 0·49)	0·51

¿Puede el control de la inflamación, en ausencia de una reducción lipídica, disminuir los eventos CVs?



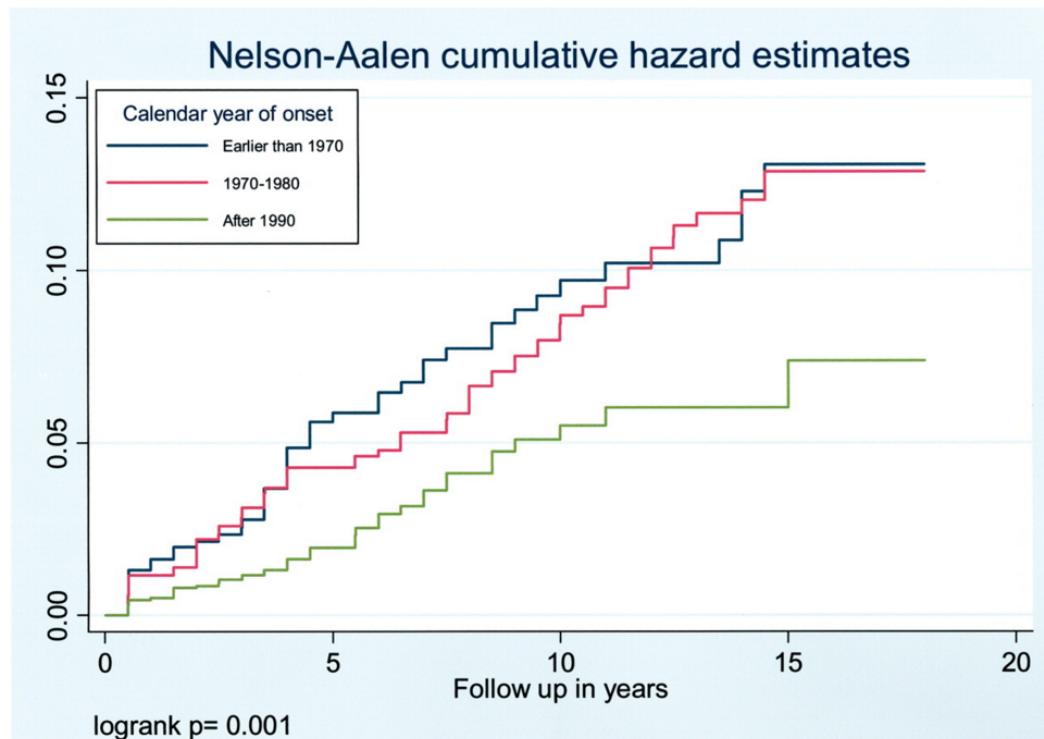
Targeting Inflammatory Pathways for the Treatment of Cardiovascular Disease



Terapia Convencional en AR: Metotrexato

1.240 pacientes con AR (sgto 18 años): Metotrexato proporcionó una reducción de la mortalidad global 60%, por reducción mortalidad CV 60%.

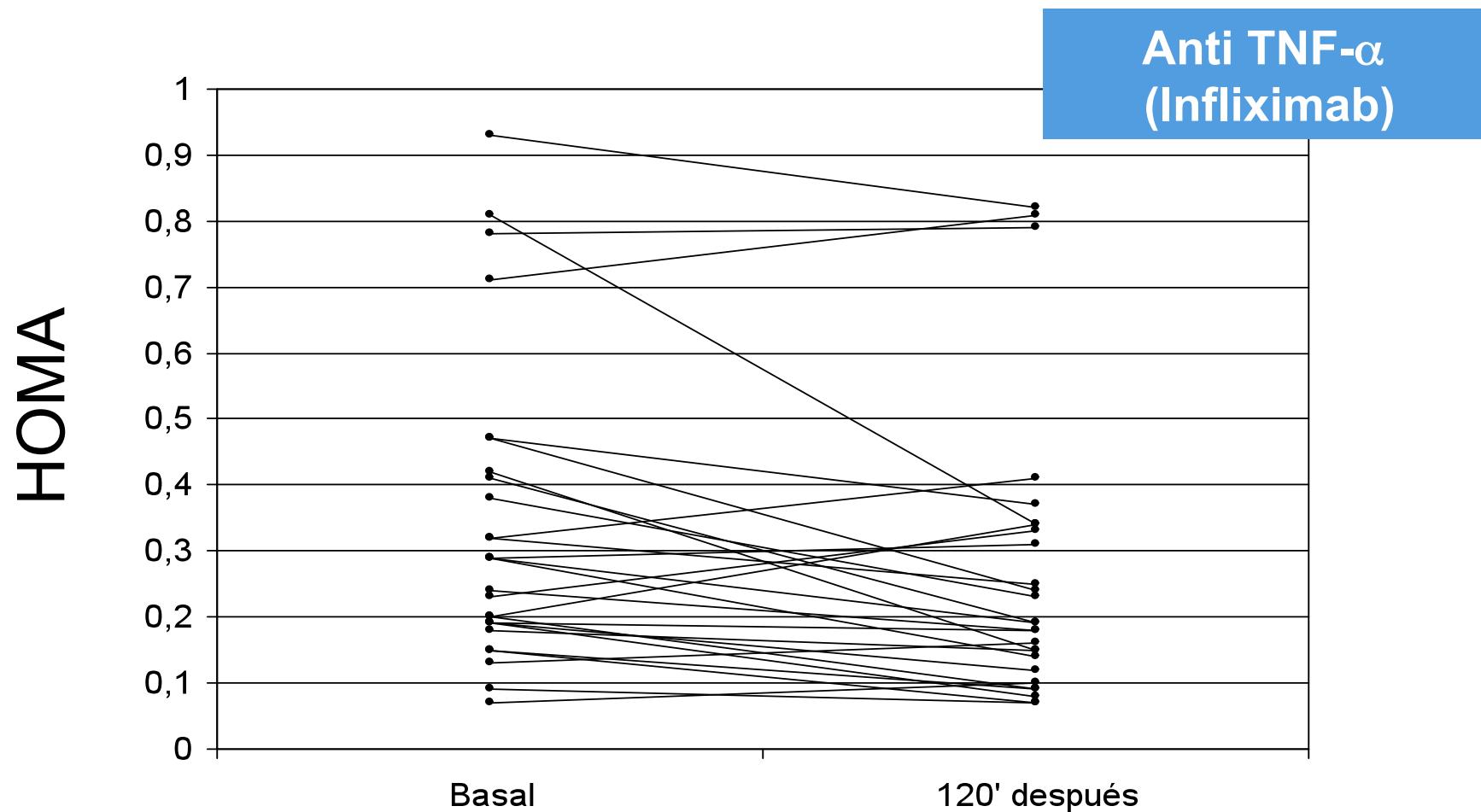
Choi et al. Lancet. 2002; 359:1173-7.



3.862 pacientes con AR
seguidos de 1980 a 1997
Disminución significativa de
infarto agudo del miocardio
con Metotrexato

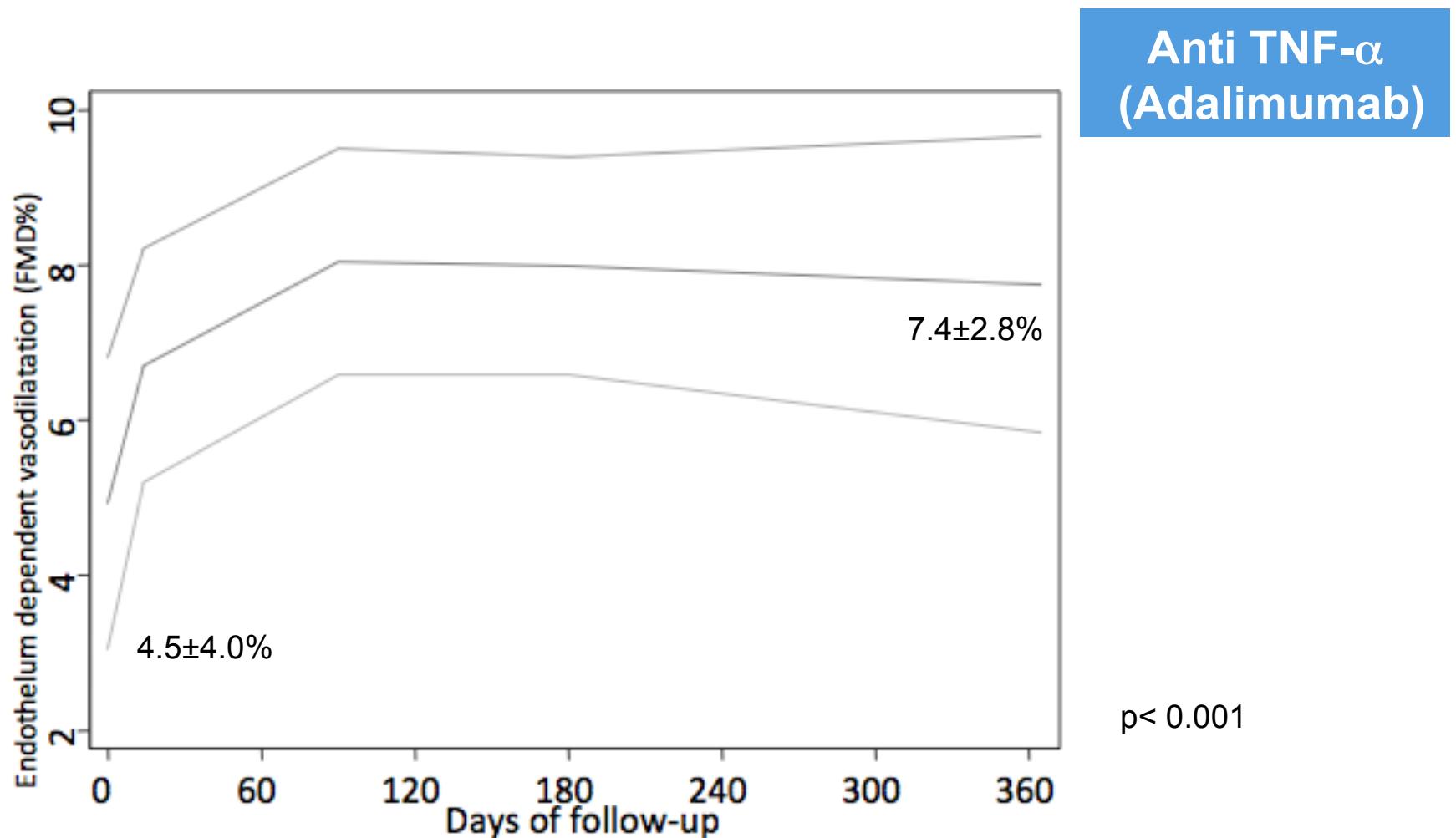
Krishnan et al. Circulation 2004; 110:1774-9.

Anti-TNF- α y Resistencia a la Insulina



Mejora rápida de la resistencia a la insulina después de administración de Infliximab
27 pacientes con AR de larga evolución y en tratamiento crónico
durante 1 año con anti-TNF- α (**INFLIXIMAB**).

Terapia a largo plazo con Adalimumab mejora la Función Endotelial en pacientes con AR refractaria a Metotrexato



34 pacientes con AR refractarios al tto. con Metotrexato que inician tto. con **Adalimumab**:
Efecto activo de adalimumab sobre la función endotelial desde el inicio del tto.

Anti-TNF- α and vascular inflammation in RA



Anti-Tumor Necrosis Factor- α Therapy Reduces Aortic Inflammation and Stiffness in Patients With Rheumatoid Arthritis

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Background—Rheumatoid arthritis (RA) is a systemic inflammatory condition associated with increased cardiovascular risk. This is not fully explained by traditional risk factors, but direct vascular inflammation and aortic stiffening may play a role. We hypothesized that patients with RA exhibit aortic inflammation, which can be reversed with anti-tumor necrosis factor- α therapy and correlates with aortic stiffness reduction.

Methods and Results—Aortic inflammation was quantified in 17 patients with RA, before and after 8 weeks of anti-tumor necrosis factor- α therapy by using ^{18}F -fluorodeoxyglucose positron emission tomography with computed tomography coregistration. Concomitantly, 34 patients with stable cardiovascular disease were imaged as positive controls at baseline. Aortic fluorodeoxyglucose target-to-background ratios (TBRs) and aortic pulse wave velocity were assessed. RA patients had higher baseline aortic TBRs in comparison with patients who have cardiovascular disease (2.02 ± 0.22 versus 1.74 ± 0.22 , $P=0.0001$). Following therapy, aortic TBR fell to 1.90 ± 0.29 , $P=0.03$, and the proportion of inflamed aortic slices (defined as TBR >2.0) decreased from $50 \pm 33\%$ to $33 \pm 27\%$, $P=0.03$. Also, TBR in the most diseased segment of the aorta fell from 2.51 ± 0.33 to 2.05 ± 0.29 , $P<0.0001$. Treatment also reduced aortic pulse wave velocity significantly (from 9.09 ± 1.77 to 8.63 ± 1.42 m/s, $P=0.04$), which correlated with the reduction of aortic TBR ($R=0.60$, $P=0.01$).

Conclusions—This study demonstrates that RA patients have increased aortic ^{18}F -fluorodeoxyglucose uptake in comparison with patients who have stable cardiovascular disease. Anti-tumor necrosis factor- α therapy reduces aortic inflammation in patients with RA, and this effect correlates with the decrease in aortic stiffness. These results suggest that RA patients exhibit a subclinical vasculitis, which provides a mechanism for the increased cardiovascular disease risk seen in RA. (*Circulation*. 2012;126:2473-2480.)

Circulation

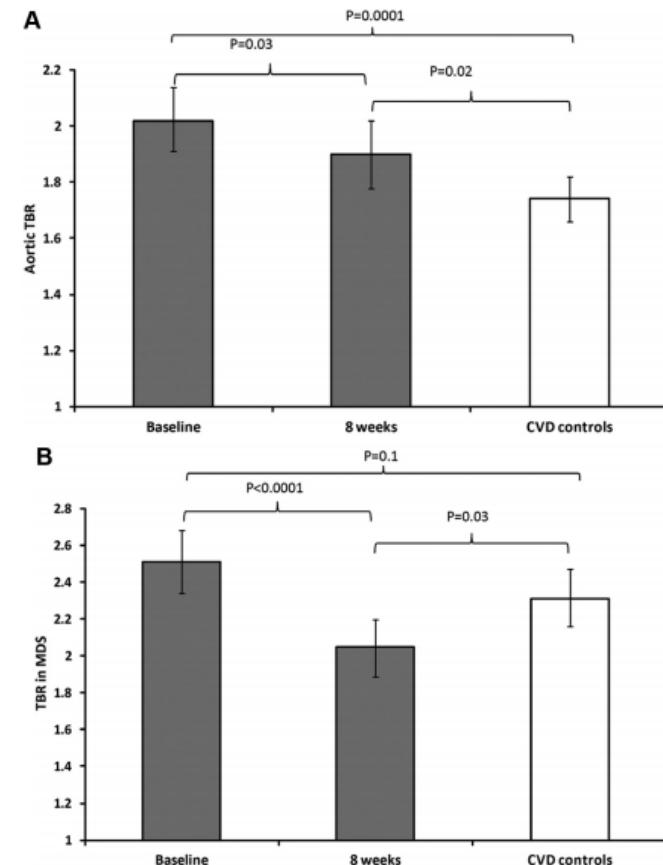
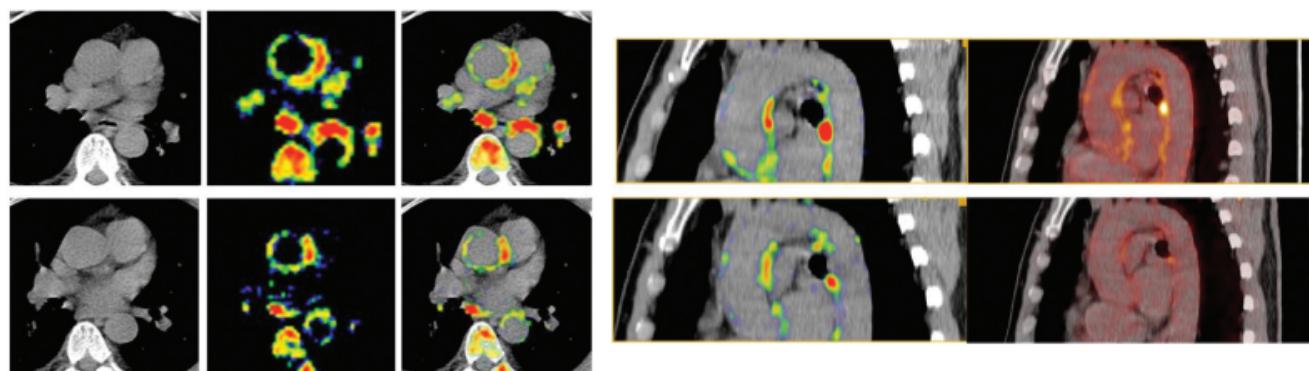


Table 3. The Effect of Anti-TNF- α Therapy on Disease Activity, Inflammatory Markers, and Hemodynamics

	Baseline	8 wk	P
DAS28 score	6.52 ± 0.78	4.38 ± 1.61	<0.0001
CRP, mg/L*	11.0 (4.0–29.0)	3.0 (2.0–10.0)	0.007
ESR, mm/h*	22 (8.5–41.0)	13.0 (7.0–17.0)	0.04
MAP, mm Hg	104 ± 11	104 ± 12	0.9
Augmentation index, %	31 ± 11	33 ± 11	0.4
Brachial PWV, m/s	9.00 ± 1.23	8.56 ± 1.11	0.06
Aortic PWV, m/s	9.09 ± 1.77	8.63 ± 1.42	0.04
Baseline diameter, mm	3.94 ± 0.59	3.91 ± 0.68	0.8
FMD, %	3.54 ± 2.34	6.66 ± 3.17	0.003
GTN response, %	9.53 ± 4.26	8.29 ± 5.63	0.9

British Society of Rheumatology Biologics Register

Reducción de la incidencia de IAM en pacientes con AR respondedores al tratamiento con bloqueadores del TNF- α .

Table 3. Incidence rates of verified first MI in nonresponders and responders to anti-TNF α treatment*

	Nonresponders (n = 1,638)	Responders (n = 5,877)
Person-years	1,815	9,886
No. of reported MIs	17	35
Rate of MIs per 1,000 person-years (95% CI)	9.4 (5.5–15.0)	3.5 (2.5–4.9)
Incidence rate ratio	Referent	0.38 (0.21–0.67)
Incidence rate ratio, adjusted for age and sex	Referent	0.38 (0.22–0.68)
Incidence rate ratio, multivariate analysis†	Referent	0.36 (0.19–0.69)
Incidence rate ratio by sex, multivariate analysis†		
Male patients	Referent	0.31 (0.12–0.81)
Female patients	Referent	0.46 (0.20–1.06)

* 95% CI = 95% confidence interval (see Table 1 for other definitions).

† Adjusted for age, sex, disease severity, body mass index, social deprivation, smoking history, comorbidity, and baseline drug use.

Review-meta-analysis: anti-TNF- α and CV events in RA

Table 1. Characteristics of studies included in the systematic review*

Author, year (ref.)	Source	Therapy comparison	Outcome	N	Disease duration, years	Followup time
St.Clair et al, 2004 (32)	Multinational study	INF vs. MTX	MI	1,040	0.8	54 weeks
Van de Putte et al, 2004 (33)	Multinational study	ADA vs. placebo (previous DMARD)	MI	544	11	26 weeks
Emery et al, 2008 (34)	Multinational study	ETN vs. MTX	Cardiovascular event	542	0.8	52 weeks
Geborek et al, 2002 (12)	Swedish registry	INF, ETN vs. leflunomide	MI	369	14	NR
Wolfe and Michaud, 2004 (15)	American registry	INF, ETN vs. DMARD†	CHF	13,171	15	NR
Jacobsson et al, 2005 (24)	Swedish registry, administrative data	INF, ETN vs. DMARD	Cardiovascular event, MI, CHF, CVA	983	11	4 years
Carmona et al, 2007 (16)	Spanish registry	Anti-TNF α vs. MTX	Cardiovascular event, CHF, CVA, mortality	1,578	NR	5 years
Curtis et al, 2007 (18)	American insurance claims	INF, ETN vs. MTX	CHF	2,121	NR	21 months
Cole et al, 2007 (17)	American veterans	INF, ETN, ADA vs. RA control group	CHF, mortality	203	NR	NR
Dixon et al, 2007 (14)	British registry	INF, ETN, ADA vs. DMARD	MI	10,755	12	1.7 years
Wolfe and Michaud, 2007 (35)	American registry	INF, ETN, ADA vs. RA control group‡	MI	25,343	NR	NR
Jacobsson et al, 2008 (36)	Swedish registry	TNF vs. DMARD	Cardiovascular event, MI, CVA	26,383	NR	NR
Listing et al, 2008 (13)	German registry	INF, ETN, ADA vs. DMARD	CHF	4,248	9	NR
Naranjo et al, 2008 (37)	Multinational study	TNF vs. DMARD	Cardiovascular event, MI, CVA	4,363	11	NR
Setoguchi et al, 2008 (19)	American insurance claims	INF, ETN vs. MTX	CHF	5,593	NR	2.5 years
Solomon et al, 2008 (38)	American registry	TNF vs. DMARD	Cardiovascular event	10,870	7	2 years

Anti-TNF- α therapy was associated with a reduced risk for all **CV events** (RR 0.46), **MI** (RR 0.81), and **CVA** (RR 0.69).

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Tocilizumab improves the proatherothrombotic profile of rheumatoid arthritis patients modulating endothelial dysfunction, NETosis, and inflammation

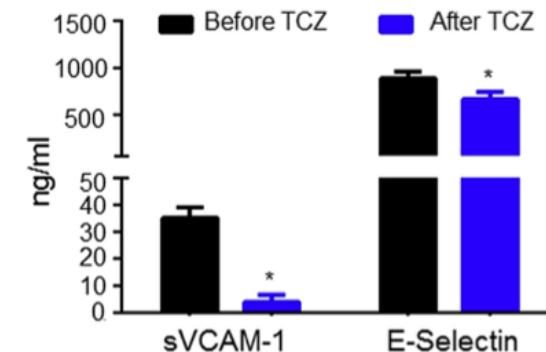
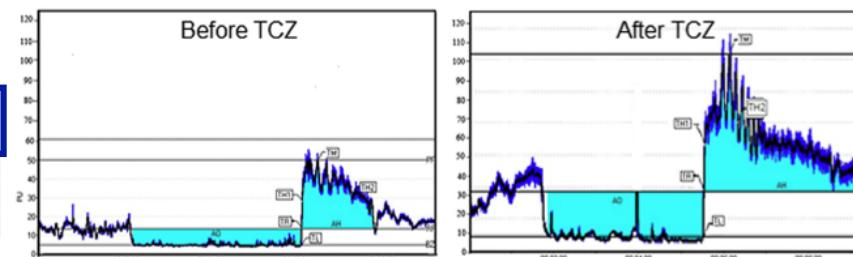
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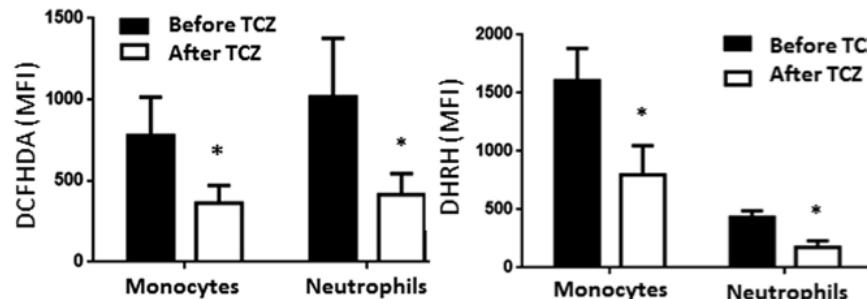
20 pacientes con AR. Tocilizumab 162mg/semana. Sgto 6 meses

Función endotelial

	Before TCZ	After TCZ	p value
PF	71.23 ± 6.06	87.17 ± 10.10*	0.010
AH	2314.03 ± 300.73	3846.54 ± 575.64*	0.041
BZ-PF	1098.23 ± 109.65	1324.37 ± 167.19	0.360
TH1	2.39 ± 0.85	1.48 ± 0.37	0.390
TH2	48.44 ± 9.80	42.11 ± 3.80	0.430



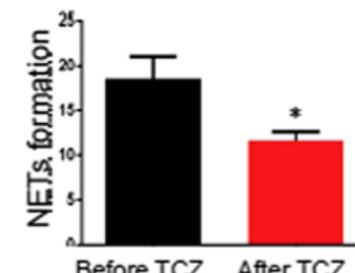
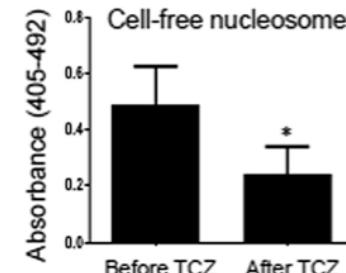
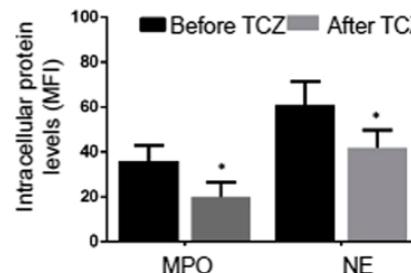
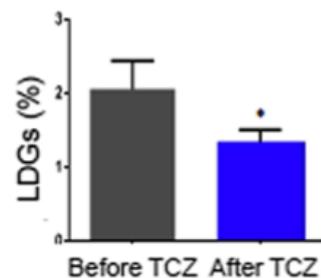
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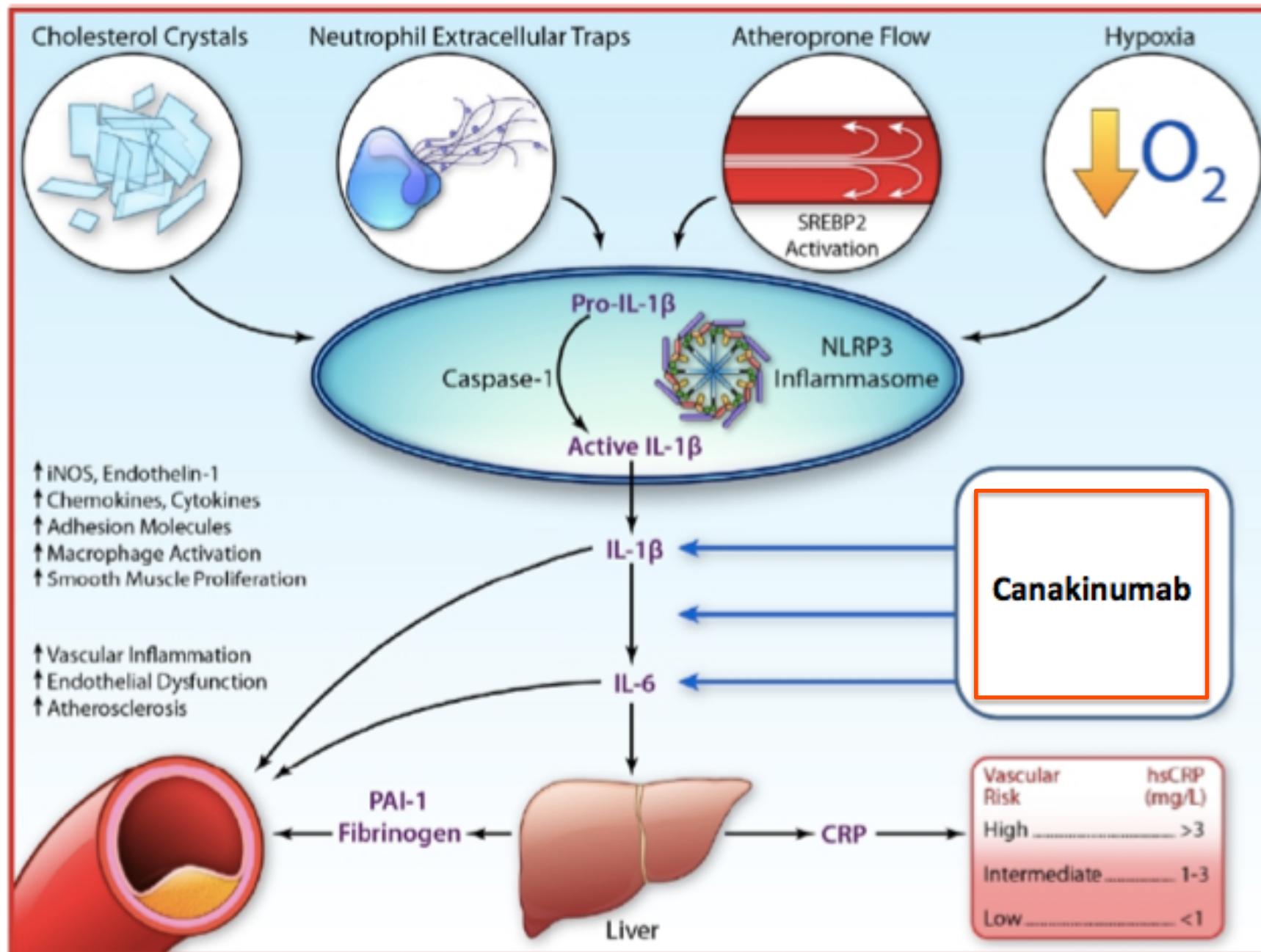
Producción de Peróxidos y peroxinitritos en monocitos y neutrófilos de pacientes con AR antes y después del tto. con TCZ

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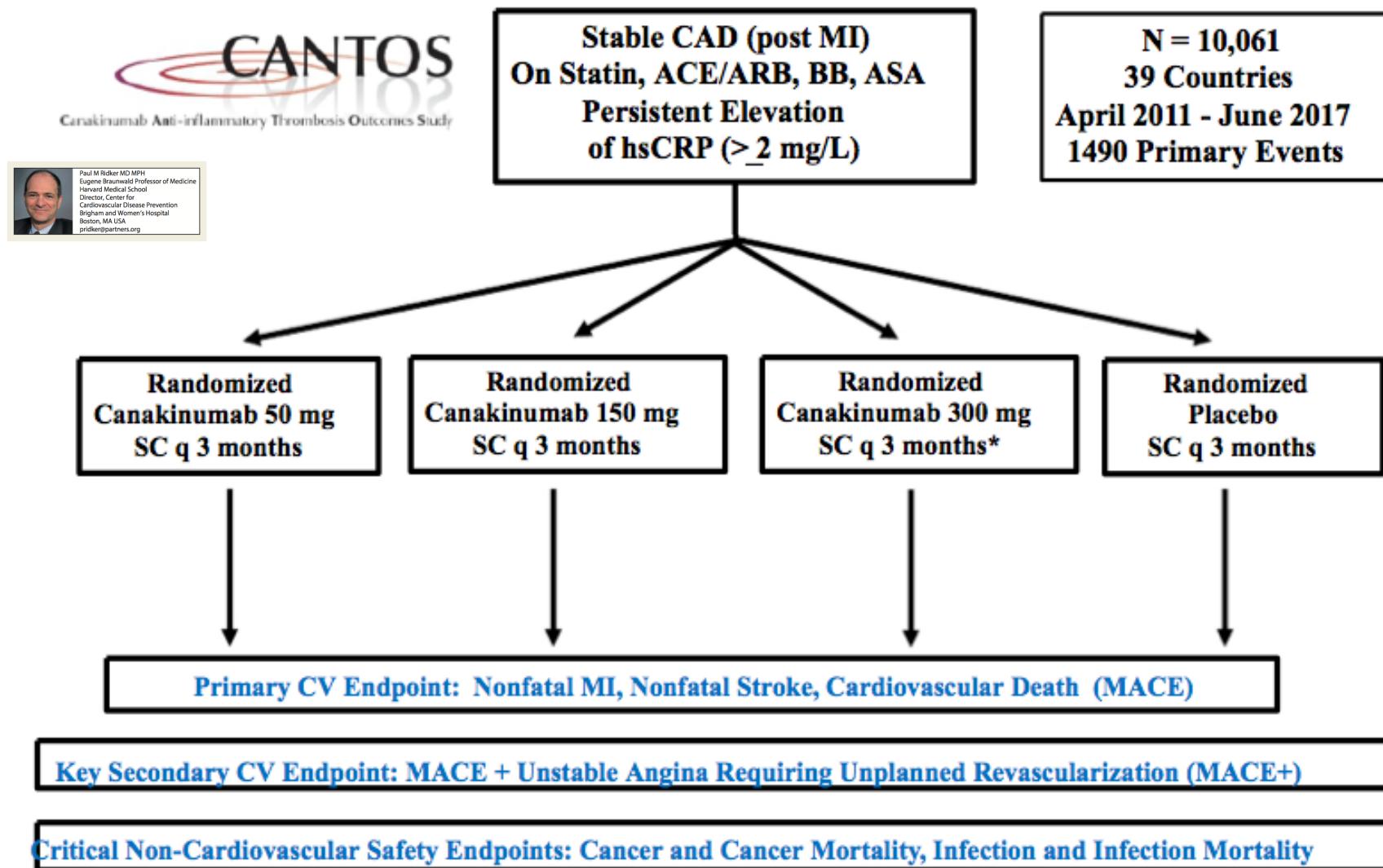
Mejora del estado protrombótico de pacientes con AR tras tto. con TCZ



From CRP to IL-6 to IL-1: Moving Upstream to Identify Novel Targets for Atheroprotection



Canakinumab Anti-Inflammatory Thrombosis Outcomes Study (CANTOS)



Ridker PM. N Engl J Med 2017; 377:1119-1131

Canakinumab Anti-Inflammatory Thrombosis Outcomes Study (CANTOS)

39 countries
> 1000 investigators



17482 Screened

10105 Entered Into Randomization Process

7377 Excluded Prior to Entering Randomization Process

- 146 refused consent
- 71 child-bearing potential
- 44 age out of range
- 251 no documented MI
- 3390 hsCRP < 2 mg/L
- 728 exclusionary concomitant disease
- 1873 tuberculosis risk factors
- 104 infectious disease
- 76 immunocompromised state
- 27 life threatening condition
- 574 withdrew consent
- 137 site closure
- 81 physician decision
- 49 unable to contact
- 7 adverse event
- 11 died
- 139 other reasons

44 Failed Randomization Process

- 41 Invalid randomization
- 3 major GCP violations

10061 Successfully Randomized

3344 placebo

18.1% discontinued study drug
3335 known final vital status
9 unknown final vital status

2170 canakinumab 50mg

16.7% discontinued study drug
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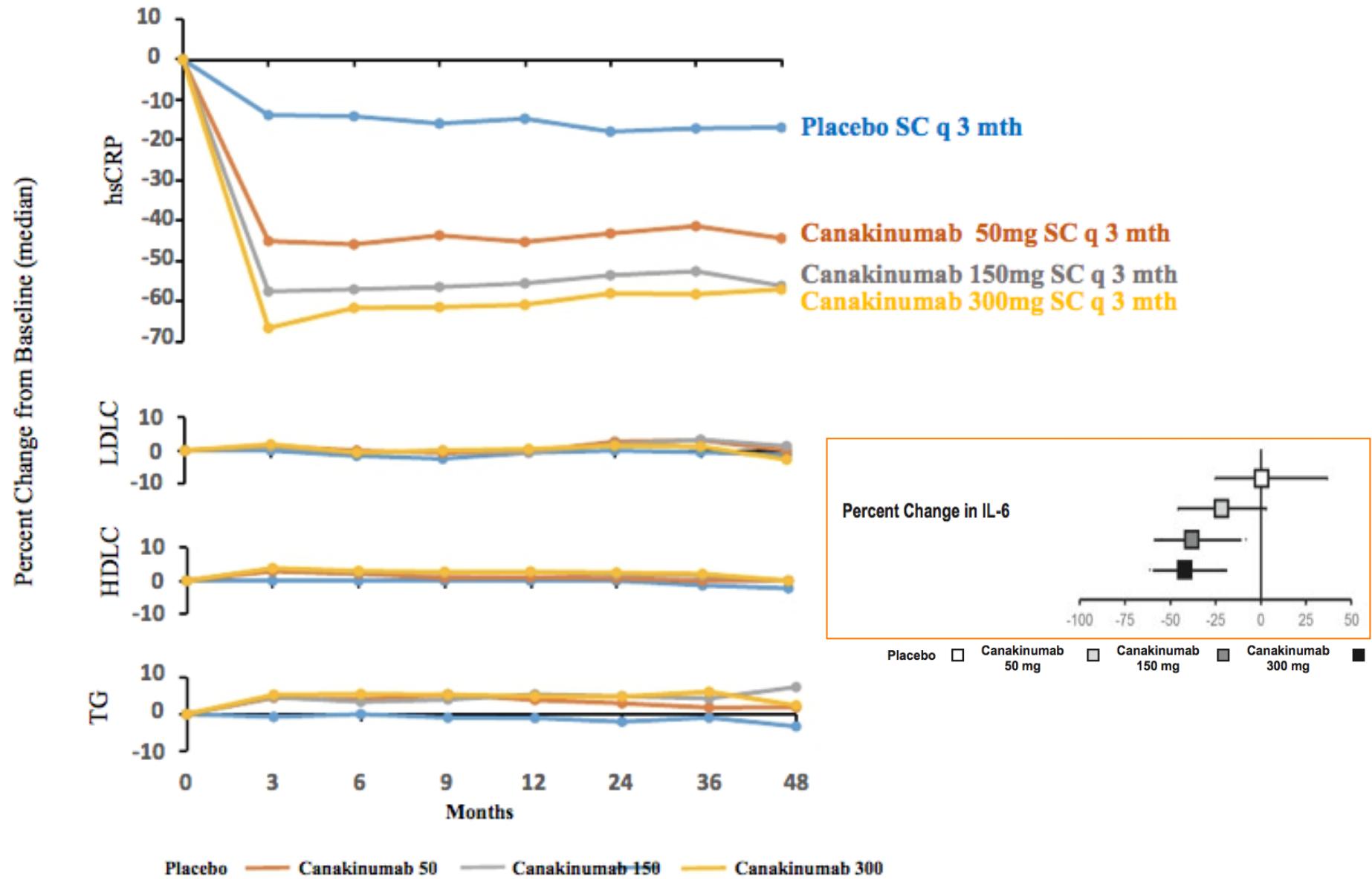
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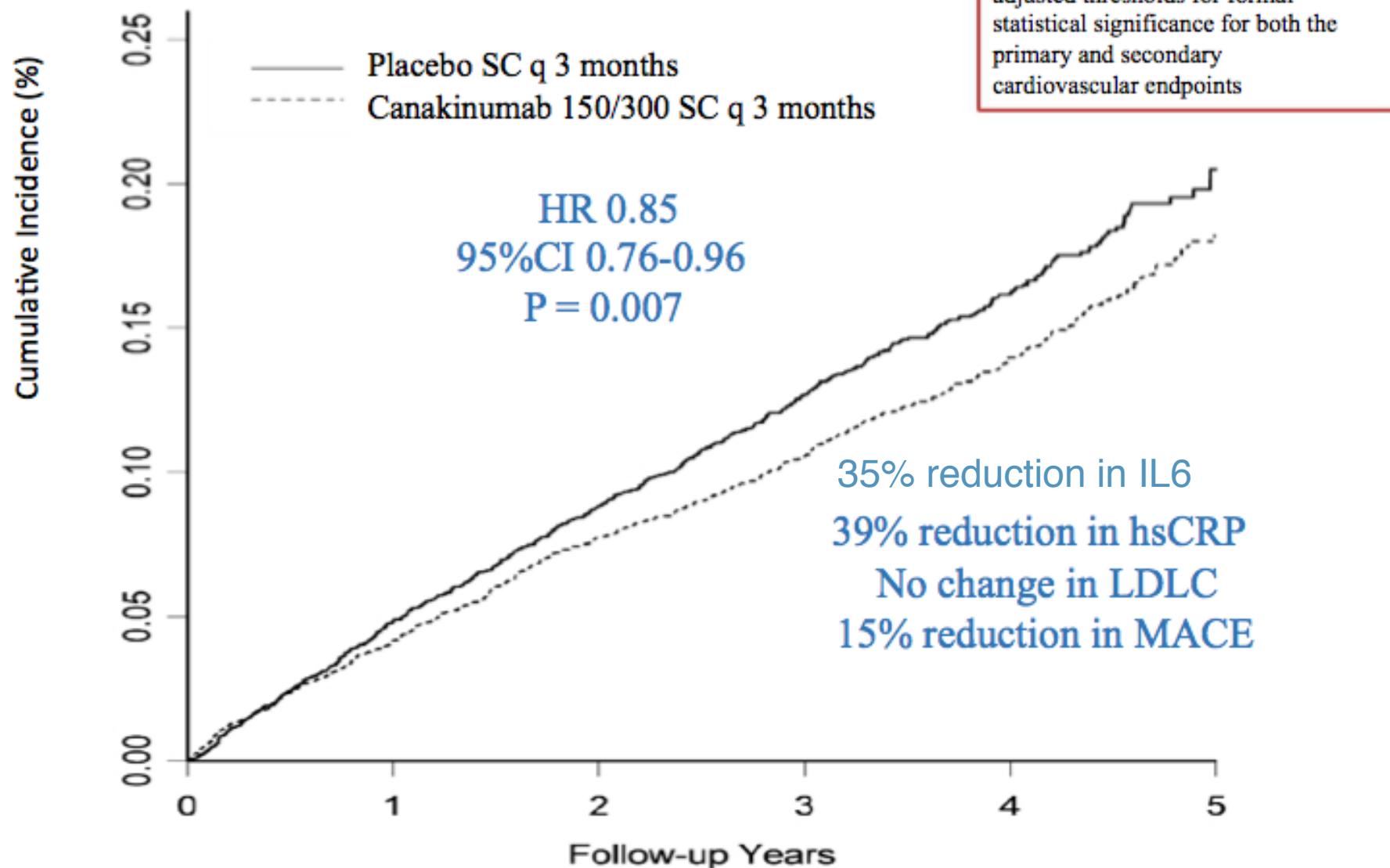
CANTOS - Baseline Clinical Characteristics

Characteristic	Canakinumab SC q 3 months			
	Placebo (N=3347)	50 mg (N=2170)	150 mg (N=2284)	300 mg (N=2263)
Age (years)	61.1	61.1	61.2	61.1
Female (%)	25.9	24.9	25.2	26.8
Current smoker (%)	22.9	24.5	23.4	23.7
Diabetes (%)	39.9	39.4	41.8	39.2
Lipid lowering therapy (%)	93.7	94.0	92.7	93.5
Renin-angiotensin inhibitors (%)	79.8	79.3	79.8	79.6
Prior Revascularization (%)	79.6	80.9	82.2	80.7
LDL cholesterol (mg/dL)	82.8	81.2	82.4	83.5
HDL cholesterol (mg/dL)	44.5	43.7	43.7	44.0
Triglycerides (mg/dL)	139	139	139	138
hsCRP (mg/L)	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.1

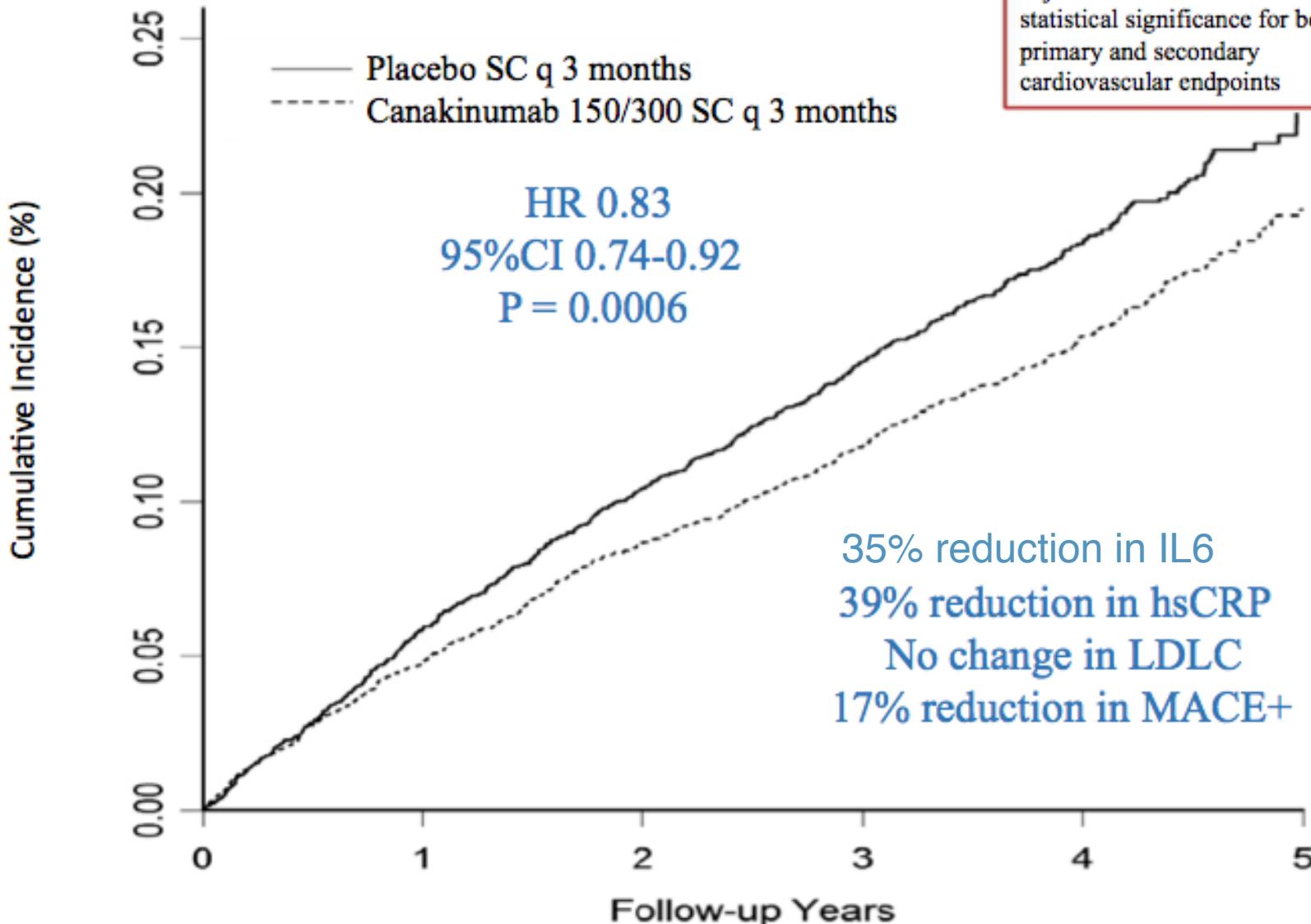
CANTOS: Dose-Dependent Effects on Inflammatory Biomarkers and Lipids (48 Months)



CANTOS: Primary Cardiovascular Endpoint (MACE)



CANTOS: Key Secondary Cardiovascular Endpoint (MACE+)

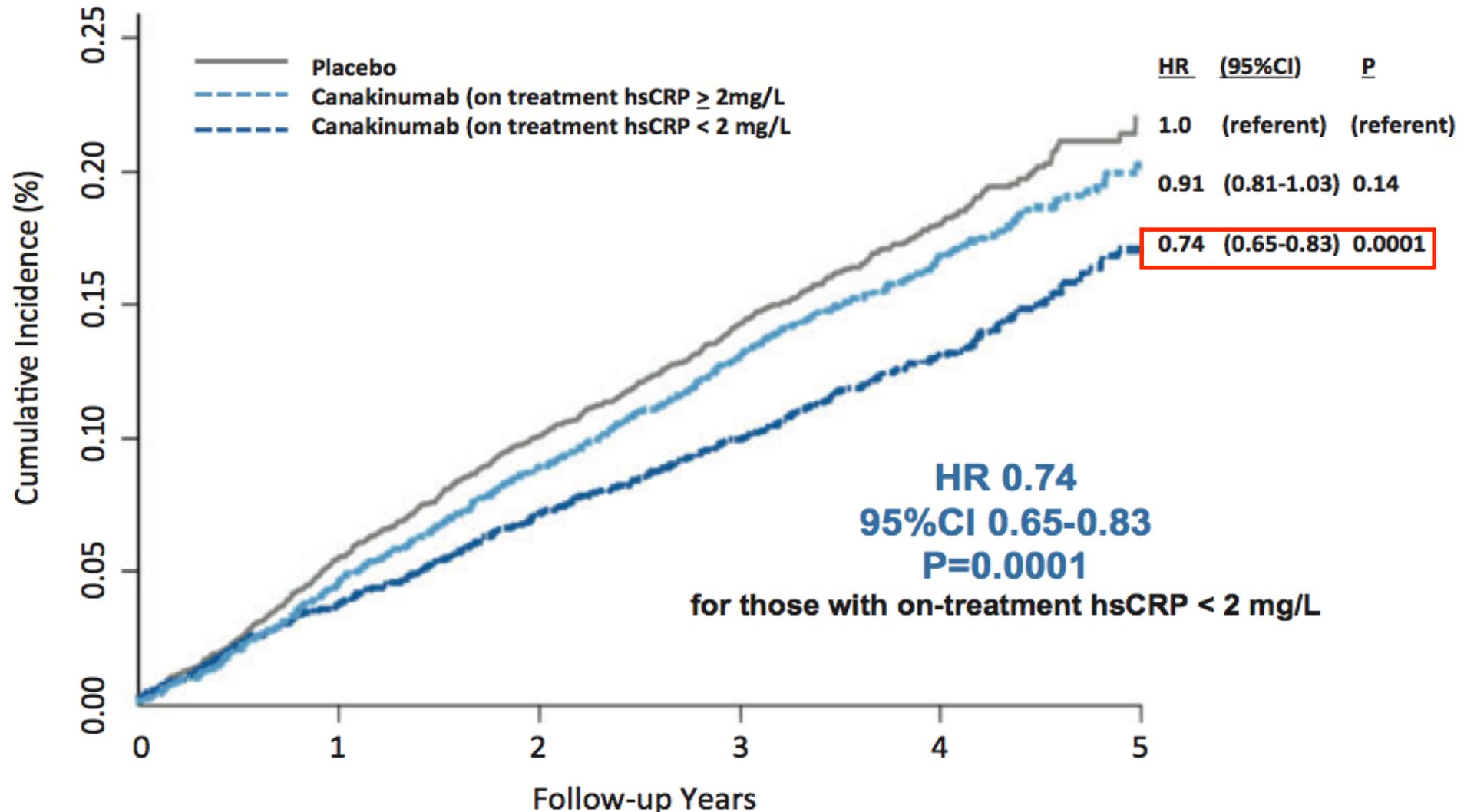


The 150mg group met multiplicity adjusted thresholds for formal statistical significance for both the primary and secondary cardiovascular endpoints

CANTOS: Consistency of HRs Across All Cardiovascular Endpoints

		Canakinumab SC q 3 months			
Endpoint	Placebo (N=3347)	50 mg (N=2170)	150 mg (N=2284)	300 mg (N=2263)	P-trend
Primary	1.00	0.93	0.85	0.86	0.020
Secondary	1.00	0.90	0.83	0.83	0.002
Myocardial Infarction	1.00	0.94	0.76	0.84	0.028
Urgent Revascularization	1.00	0.70	0.64	0.58	0.005
Any Coronary Revascularization	1.00	0.72	0.68	0.70	<0.001
Stroke	1.00	1.01	0.98	0.80	0.17
Cardiac Arrest	1.00	0.72	0.63	0.46	0.035
CV Death	1.00	0.89	0.90	0.94	0.62
All Cause Mortality	1.00	0.94	0.92	0.94	0.39

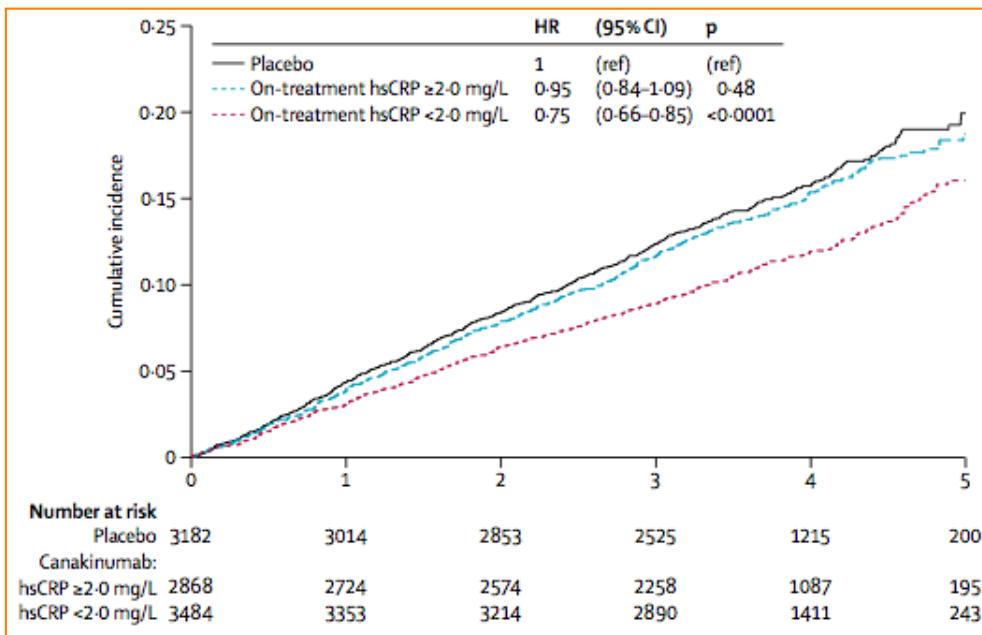
CANTOS: Greater Risk Reduction Among Those With Greater hsCRP Reduction (MACE+)



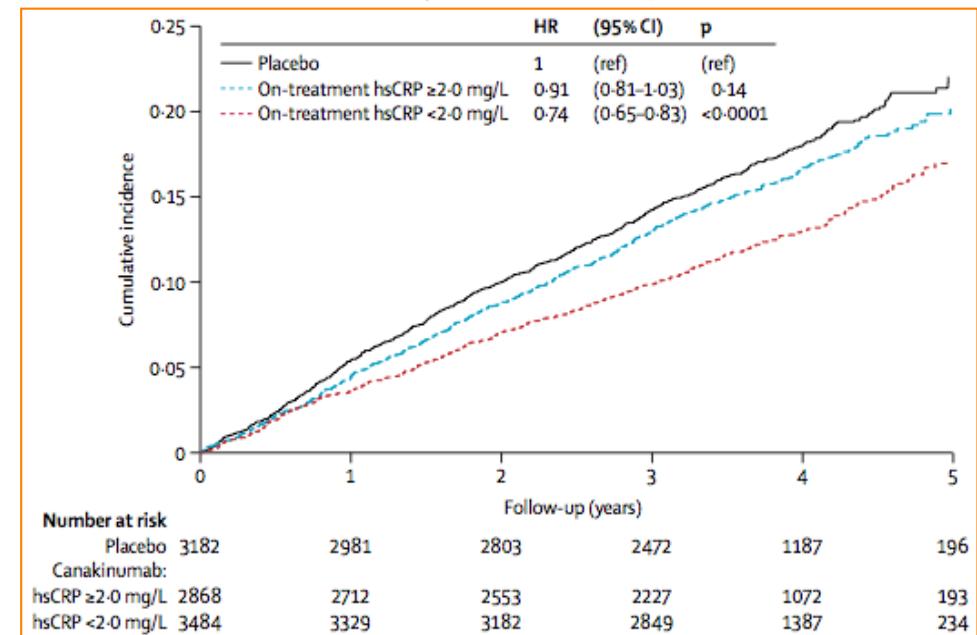
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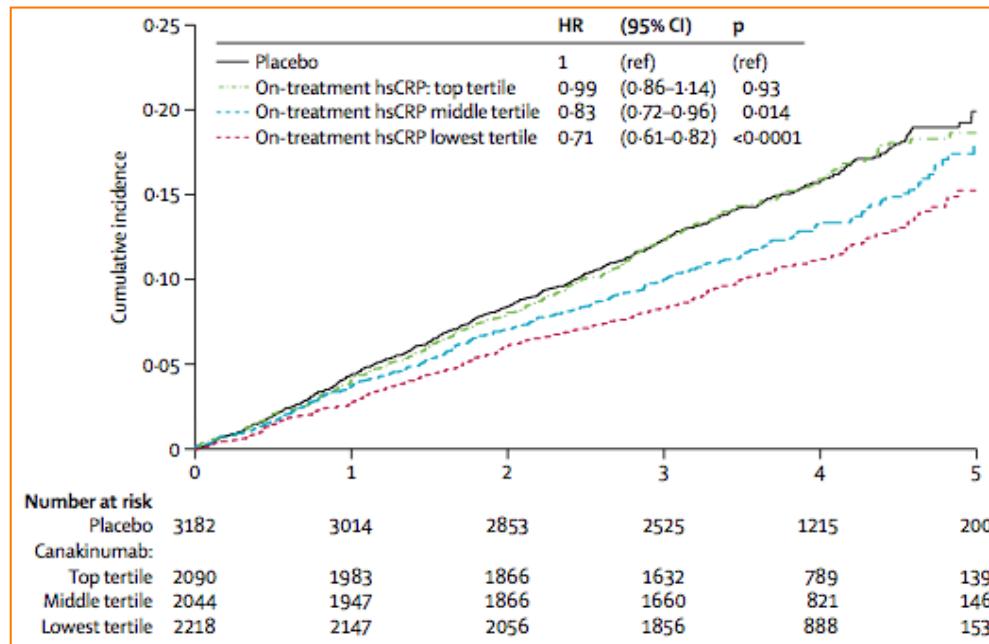
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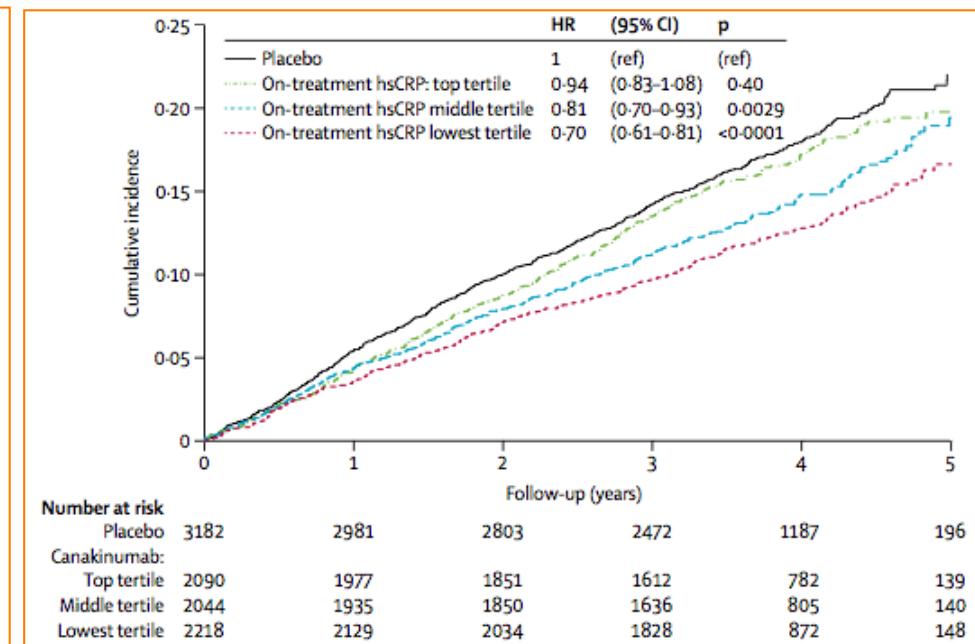
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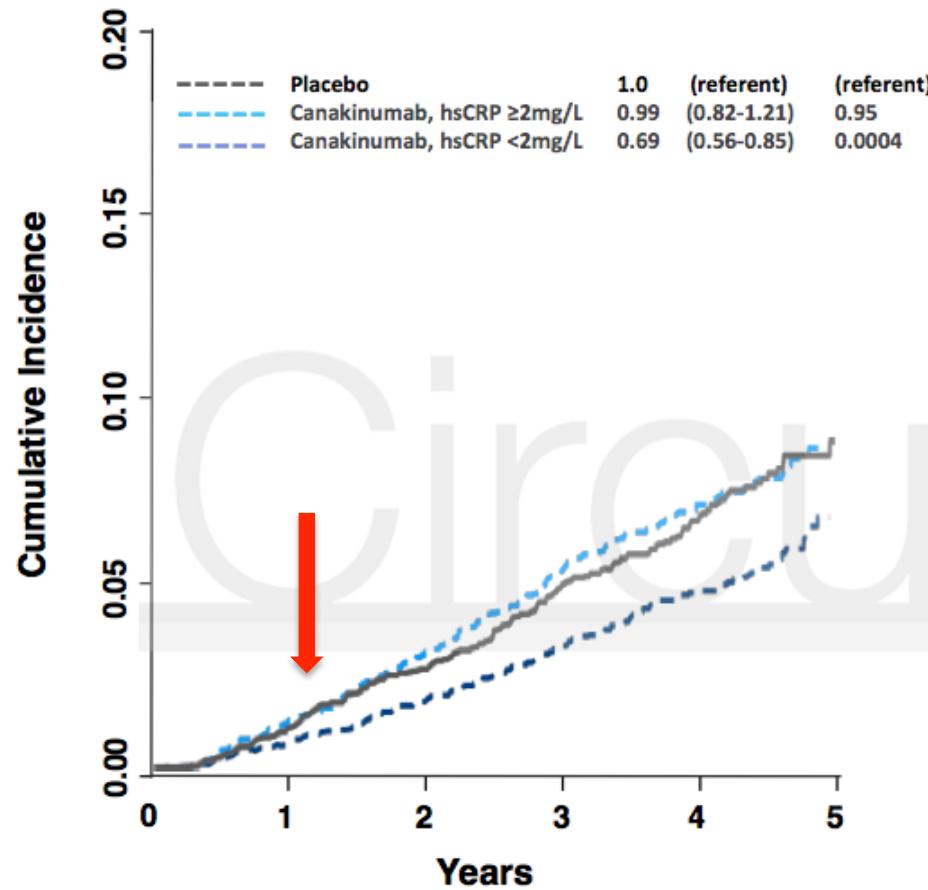
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	Placebo (n=3182)	Canakinumab, hsCRP ≥ 2 mg/L at 3 months (n=2868)	Canakinumab, hsCRP < 2 mg/L at 3 months (n=3484)	p _{trend} across categories
Myocardial infarction, stroke, or death from any cause				
Incidence rate (n)	5.39 (614)	5.38 (553)	3.96 (508)	..
HR ^{adj} (95% CI)	1 (ref)	0.93 (0.83–1.05)	0.73 (0.65–0.82)	..
p value	Ref	0.25	<0.0001	<0.0001
Cardiovascular death				
Incidence rate (n)	1.74 (211)	1.83 (198)	1.22 (164)	..
HR ^{adj} (95% CI)	1 (ref)	0.99 (0.82–1.21)	0.69 (0.56–0.85)	..
p value	Ref	0.95	0.0004	0.0004
All-cause mortality				
Incidence rate (n)	2.79 (338)	3.14 (339)	1.96 (264)	..
HR ^{adj} (95% CI)	1 (ref)	1.05 (0.90–1.22)	0.69 (0.58–0.81)	..
p value	Ref	0.56	<0.0001	<0.0001

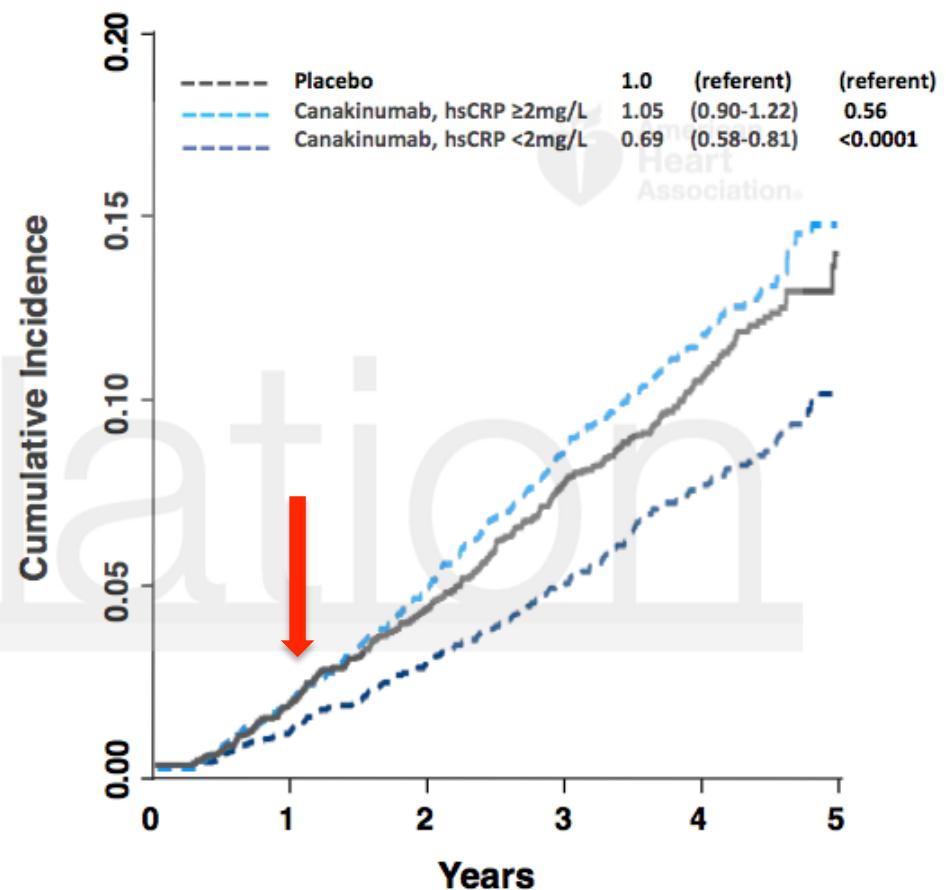
Incidence rates are calculated per 100 person-years of exposure. Covariates included in the adjusted multivariable model include age, sex, smoking status, hypertension, diabetes, body-mass index, baseline concentration of hsCRP, and baseline concentration of LDL cholesterol. HR^{adj}=adjusted hazard ratio. hsCRP=high-sensitivity C-reactive protein.

Table 3: Incidence rates and adjusted hazard ratios for additional prespecified cardiovascular endpoints in CANTOS, according to on-treatment hsCRP concentrations at 3 months, < 2 mg/L or ≥ 2 mg/L

CANTOS - Cardiovascular Mortality

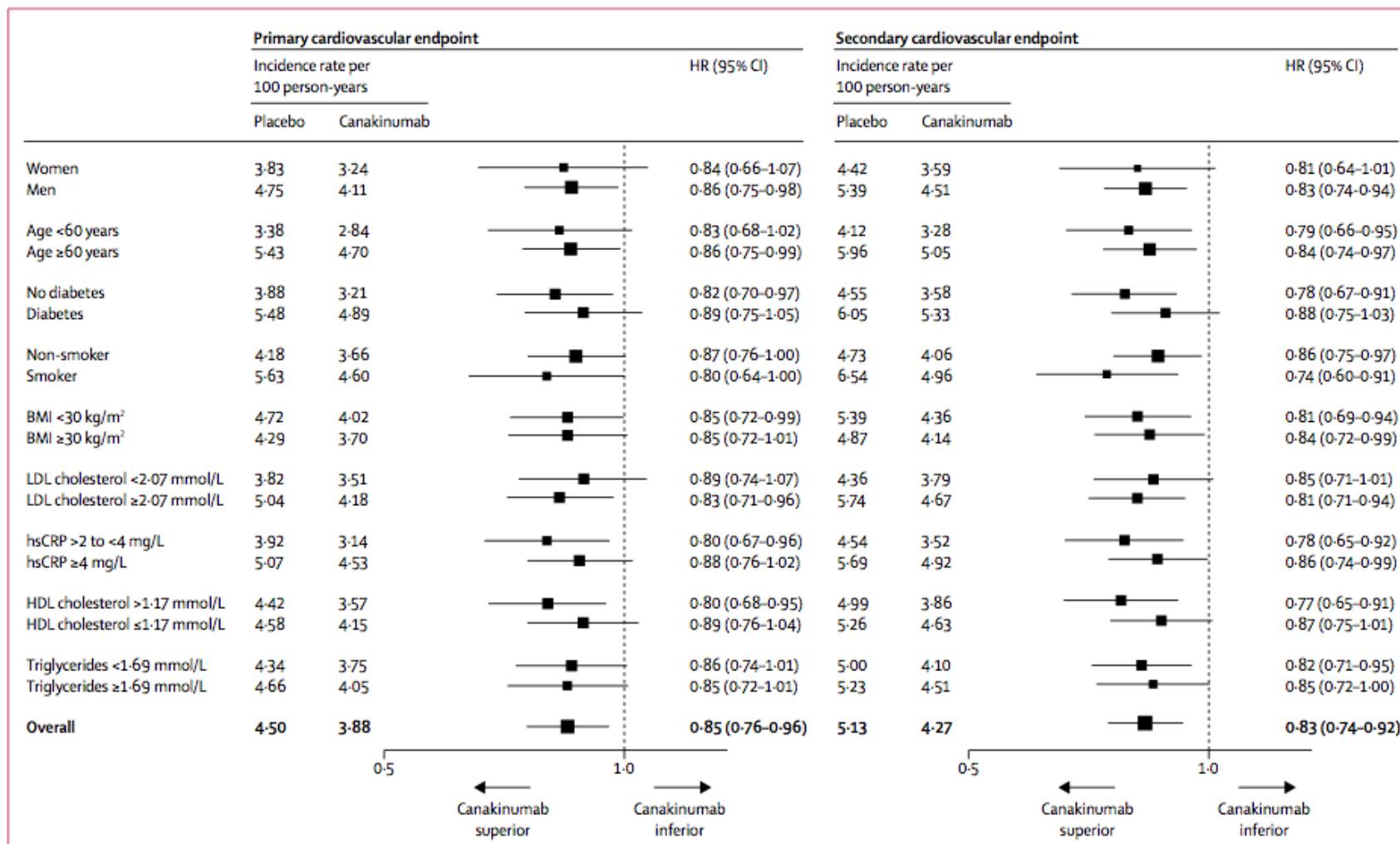


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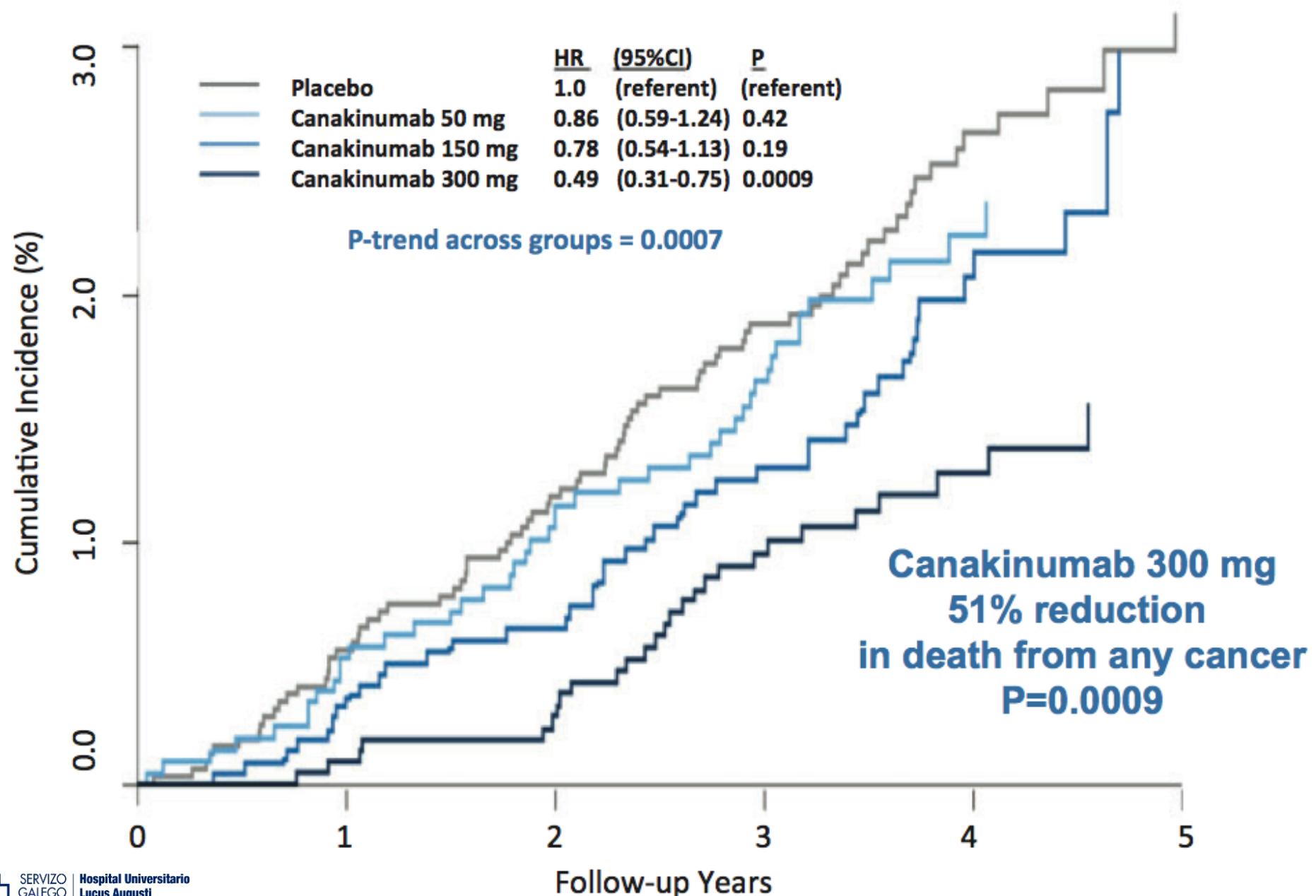


CANTOS: Additional Outcomes (per 100 person years of exposure)

		Canakinumab SC q 3 months			
Adverse Event	Placebo (N=3347)	50 mg (N=2170)	150 mg (N=2284)	300 mg (N=2263)	P-trend
Any SAE	12.0	11.4	11.7	12.3	0.43
Leukopenia	0.24	0.30	0.37	0.52	0.002
Any infection	2.86	3.03	3.13	3.25	0.12
Fatal infection	0.18	0.31	0.28	0.34	0.09/0.02*
Injection site reaction	0.23	0.27	0.28	0.30	0.49
Any Malignancy	1.88	1.85	1.69	1.72	0.31
Fatal Malignancy	0.64	0.55	0.50	0.31	0.0007
Arthritis	3.32	2.15	2.17	2.47	0.002
Osteoarthritis	1.67	1.21	1.12	1.30	0.04
Gout	0.80	0.43	0.35	0.37	0.0001
ALT > 3x normal	1.4	1.9	1.9	2.0	0.19
Bilirubin > 2x normal	0.8	1.0	0.7	0.7	0.34

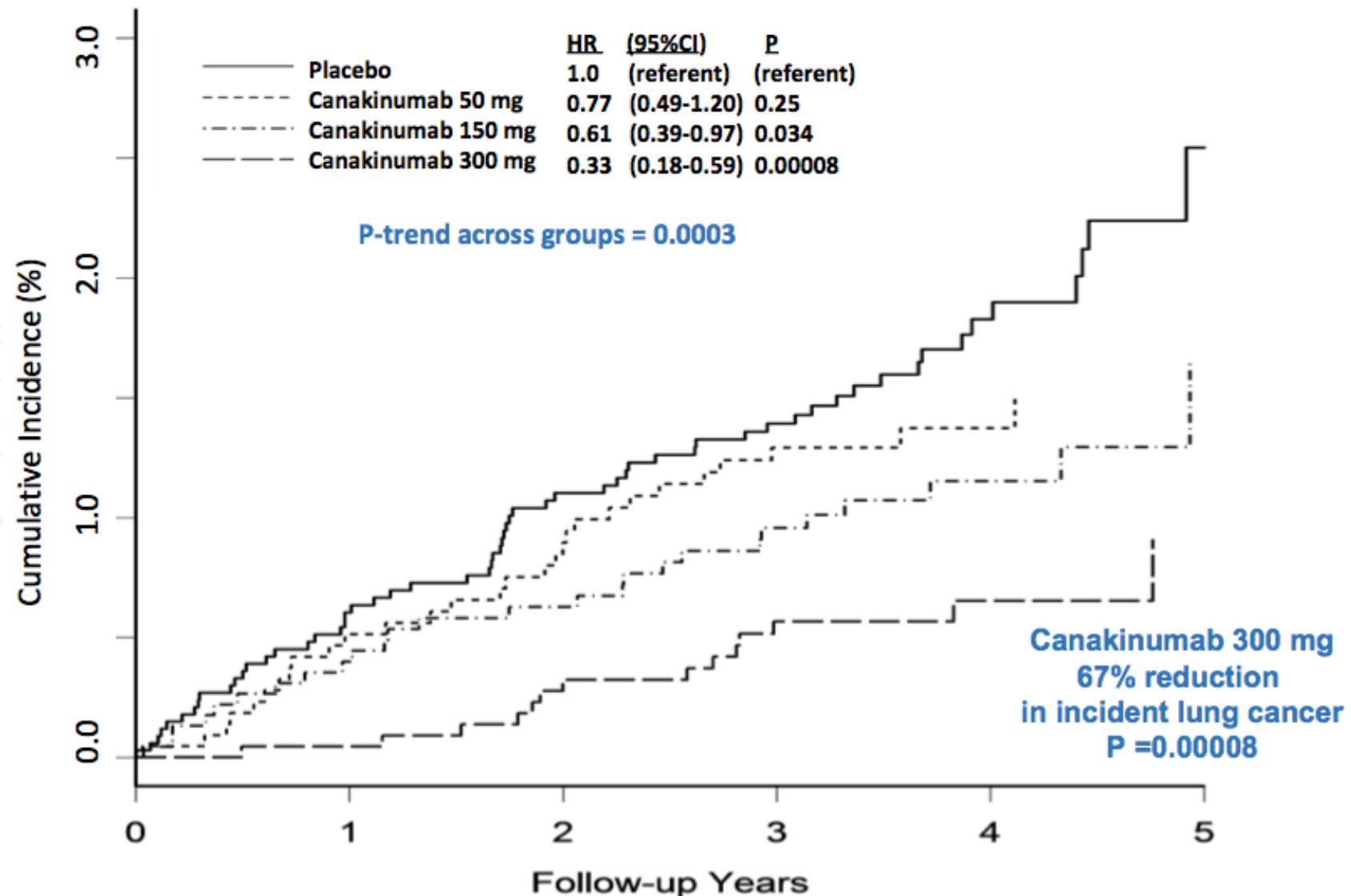
* P-value for combined canakinumab doses vs placebo

CANTOS: Dose-dependent Benefits on All-Cause Cancer Mortality



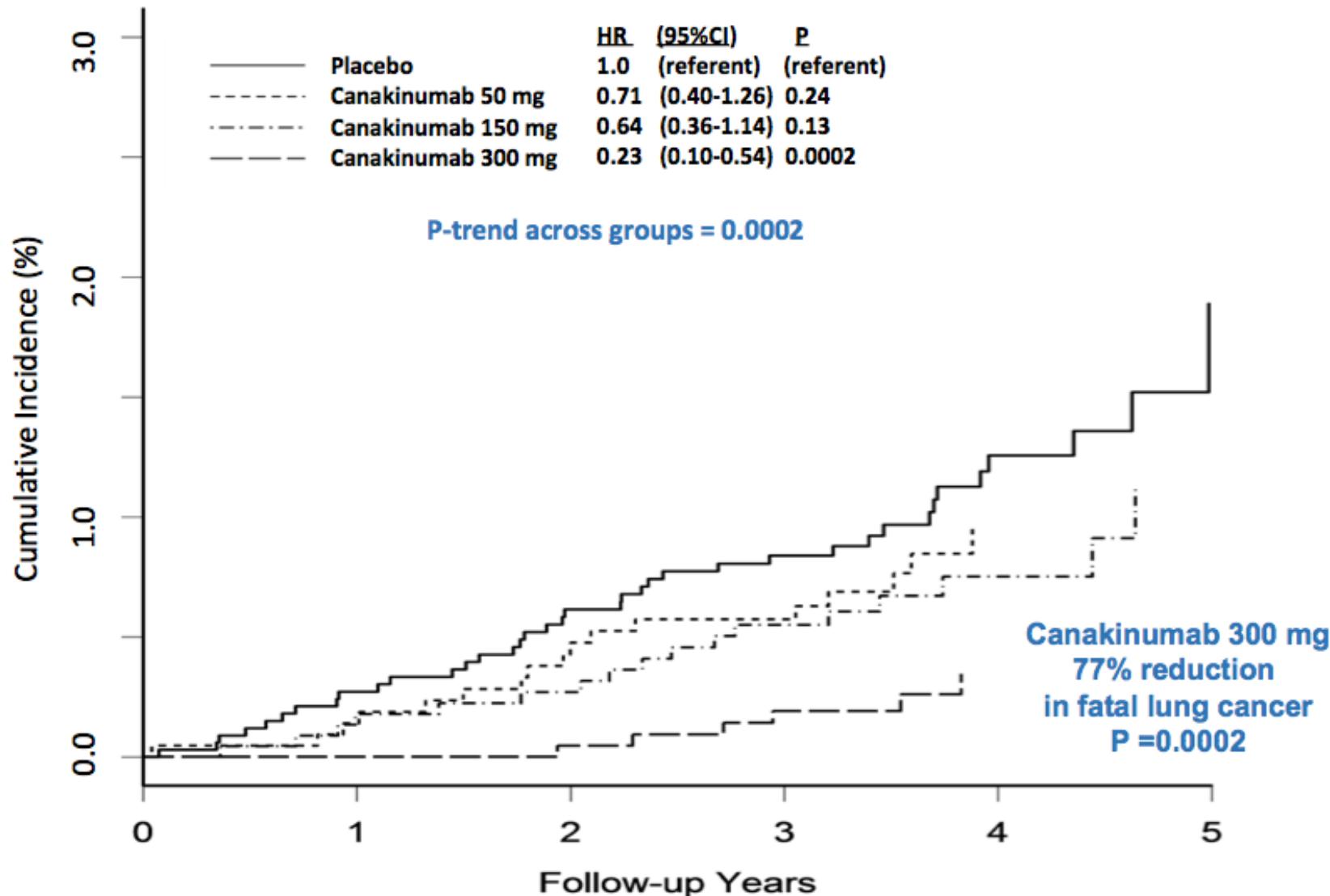
CANTOS: Additional Non-Cardiovascular Clinical Benefits

Incident Lung Cancer



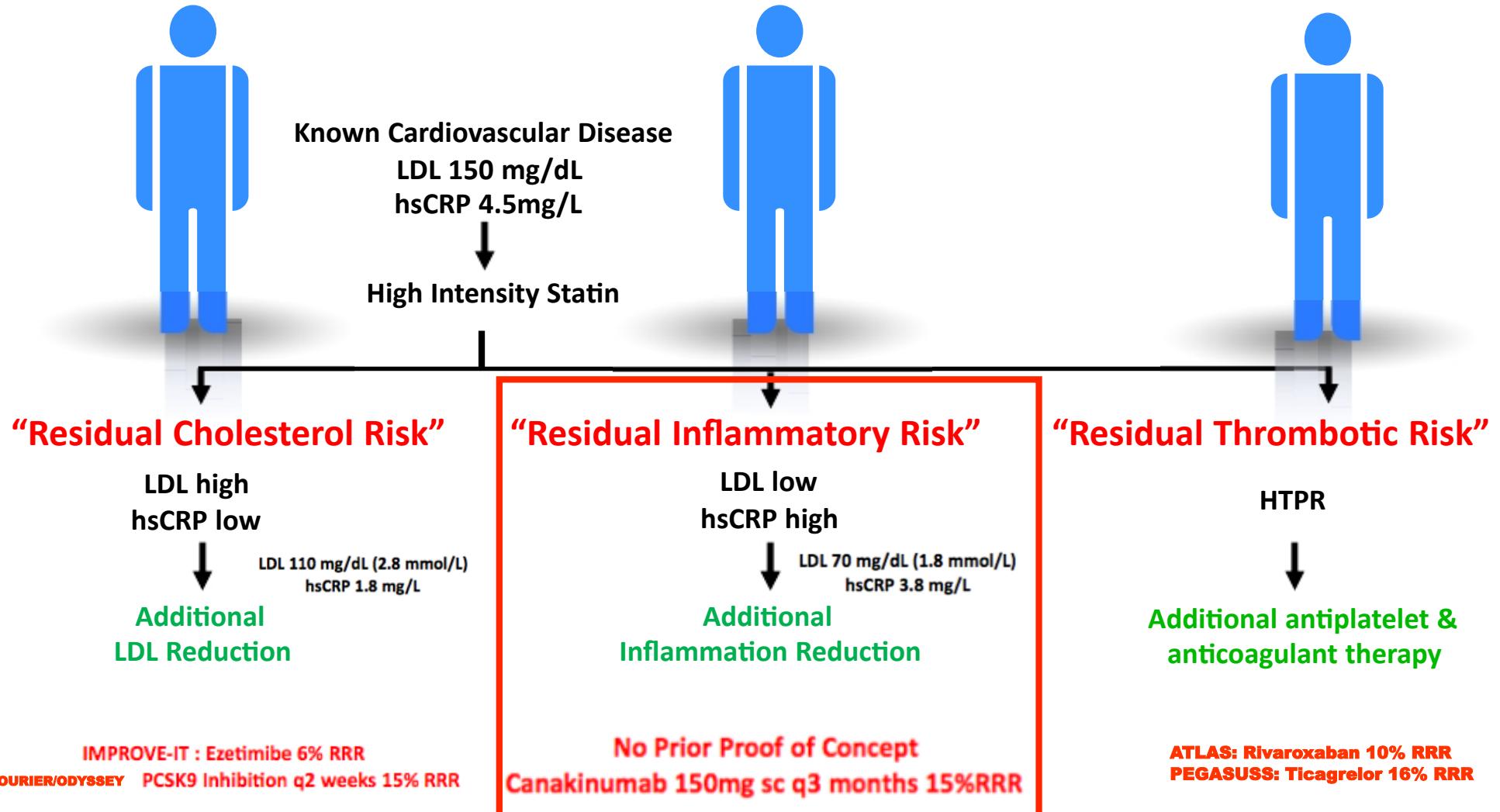
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Fatal Lung Cancer



Riesgo Inflamatorio Residual: Terapia personalizada en C. Isquémica

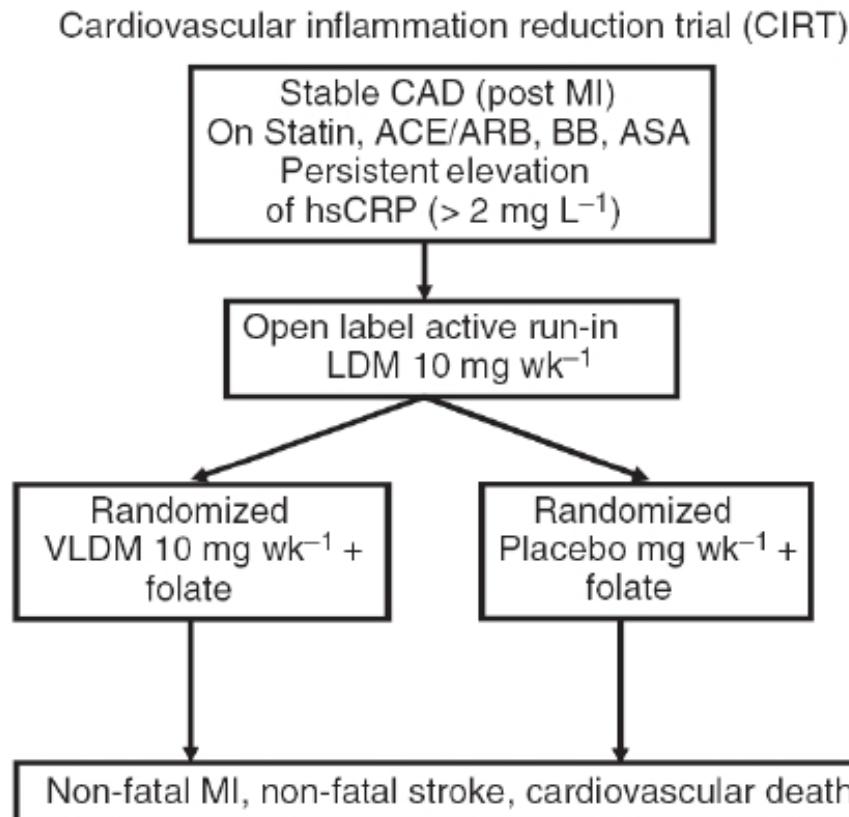
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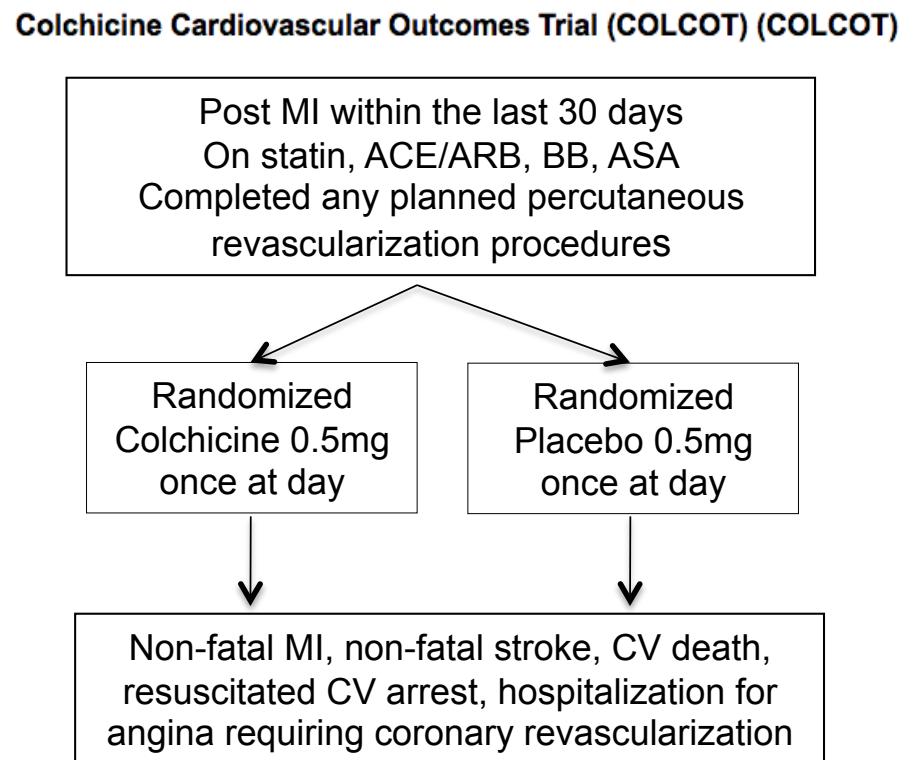
Ongoing trials of inflammation in CAD

[ClinicalTrials.gov](https://www.clinicaltrials.gov)

Methotrexate



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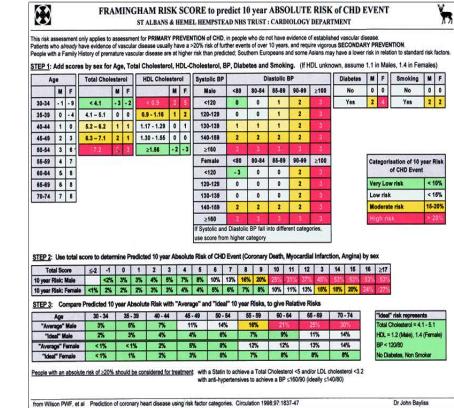
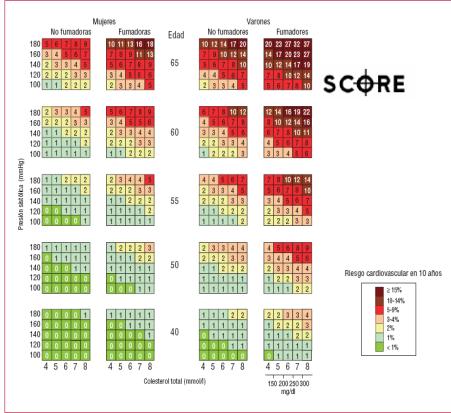


Reducción de la respuesta antiinflamatoria: una nueva aproximación

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Manejo RCV en EIC

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EULAR recommendations for cardiovascular disease risk management in patients with rheumatoid arthritis and other forms of inflammatory joint disorders: 2015/2016 update

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El decálogo de Recomendaciones para el Manejo de RCV en AR y otras Poliartritis Inflamatorias

Table 1 Overarching principles and recommendations

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Overarching principles			
A. Clinicians should be aware of the higher risk for CVD in patients with RA compared with the general population. This may also apply to AS and PsA.			
B. The rheumatologist is responsible for CVD risk management in patients with RA and other IJD.			
C. The use of NSAIDs and corticosteroids should be in accordance with treatment-specific recommendations from EULAR and ASAS			
Recommendations			
1. Disease activity should be controlled optimally in order to lower CVD risk in all patients with RA, AS or PsA	2b-3	B	9.1 (1.3)
2. CVD risk assessment is recommended for all patients with RA, AS or PsA at least once every 5 years and should be reconsidered following major changes in antirheumatic therapy	3-4	C	8.8 (1.1)
3. CVD risk estimation for patients with RA, AS or PsA should be performed according to national guidelines and the SCORE CVD risk prediction model should be used if no national guideline is available	3-4	C-D	8.7 (2.1)
4. TC and HDLc should be used in CVD risk assessment in RA, AS and PsA and lipids should ideally be measured when disease activity is stable or in remission. Non-fasting lipids measurements are also perfectly acceptable	3	C	8.8 (1.2)

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6. Screening for asymptomatic atherosclerotic plaques by use of carotid ultrasound may be considered as part of the CVD risk evaluation in patients with RA	3–4	C–D	5.7 (3.9)
7. Lifestyle recommendations should emphasise the benefits of a healthy diet, regular exercise and smoking cessation for all patients	3	C	9.8 (0.3)
8. CVD risk management should be carried out according to national guidelines in RA, AS or PsA, antihypertensives and statins may be used as in the general population	3–4	C–D	9.2 (1.3)
9. Prescription of NSAIDs in RA and PsA should be with caution, especially for patients with documented CVD or in the presence of CVD risk factors	2a-3	C	8.9 (2.1)
10. Corticosteroids: for prolonged treatment, the glucocorticoid dosage should be kept to a minimum and a glucocorticoid taper should be attempted in case of remission or low disease activity; the reasons to continue glucocorticoid therapy should be regularly checked	3–4	C	9.5 (0.7)

A Venn diagram consisting of two overlapping circles. The left circle is dark red and labeled 'Control Inflammación'. The right circle is light orange and labeled 'Control FRCV clásicos'. The two circles overlap significantly.

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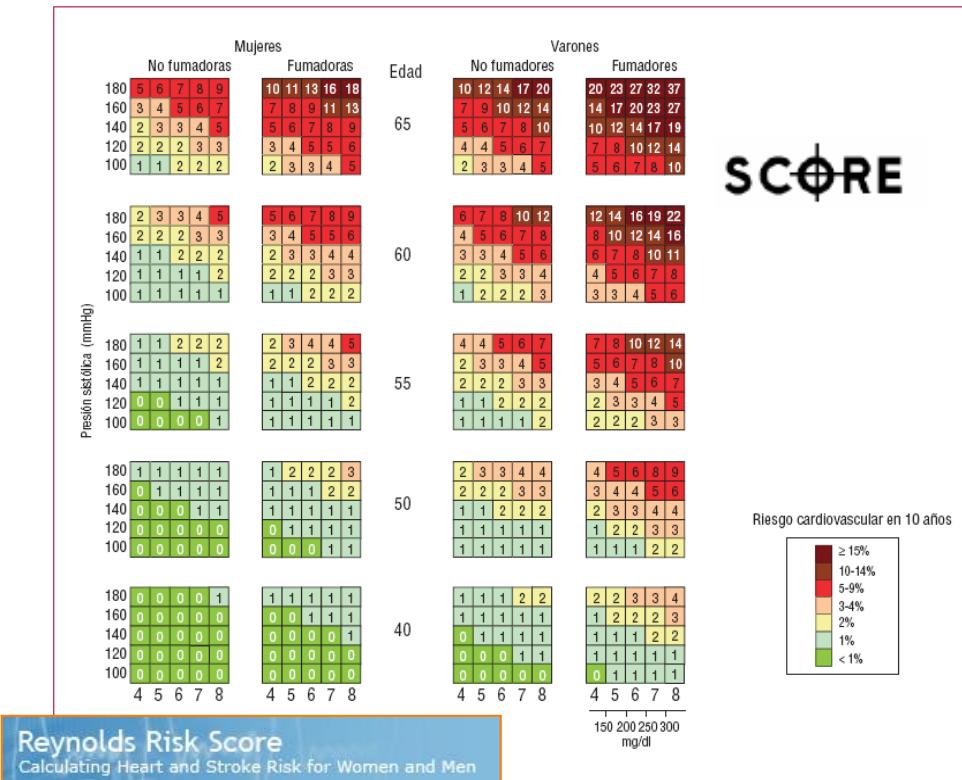


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Recommendations for autoimmune disease

Recommendations	Class ^a	Level ^b	Ref ^c
The use of a 1.5 factor risk multiplier for CV risk in rheumatoid arthritis should be considered, particularly if disease activity is high.	IIa	B	177
The use of a 1.5 risk multiplier for CV risk in immune inflammatory diseases other than rheumatoid arthritis may be considered on a patient-by-patient basis, depending on disease activity/severity.	IIb	C	177

CV risk assessment in the general population



FRAMINGHAM RISK SCORE to predict 10 year ABSOLUTE RISK of CHD EVENT
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This risk assessment only applies to assessment for PRIMARY PREVENTION of CHD, in people who do not have evidence of established vascular disease. Patients who already have evidence of vascular disease usually have a >20% risk of further events over 10 years, and require vigorous SECONDARY PREVENTION. People with a Family History of premature vascular disease are at higher risk than predicted; Southern Europeans and some Asians may have a lower risk in relation to standard risk factors.

STEP 1: Add scores by sex for Age, Total Cholesterol, HDL-Cholesterol, BP, Diabetes and Smoking. (If HDL unknown, assume 1.1 in Males, 1.4 in Females)

Age	Total Cholesterol		HDL Cholesterol		Systolic BP		Diastolic BP		Diabetes		M	F	Smoking				
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Categorisation of 10 year Risk of CHD Event

Very Low risk	< 10%
Low risk	< 15%
Moderate risk	15-20%
High risk	> 20%

If Systolic and Diastolic BP fall into different categories, use score from higher category

STEP 2: Use total score to determine Predicted 10 year Absolute Risk of CHD Event (Coronary Death, Myocardial Infarction, Angina) by sex

Total Score	≤2	-1	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	≥17
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Gender

Male Female

Age

Do you currently smoke? Yes No

Systolic Blood Pressure (SBP) mm/Hg

Total Cholesterol mg/DL (or) mmol/L

HDL or "Good" Cholesterol mg/DL (or) mmol/L

High Sensitivity C-Reactive Protein (hsCRP) mg/L

Did your Mother or Father have a heart attack before age 60 ? Yes No

Calculate 10 year risk

Cardiovascular risk evaluation

Reynolds Risk Score
Calculating Heart and Stroke Risk for Women and Men

Gender Male Female

Age Years (Maximum age must be 80)

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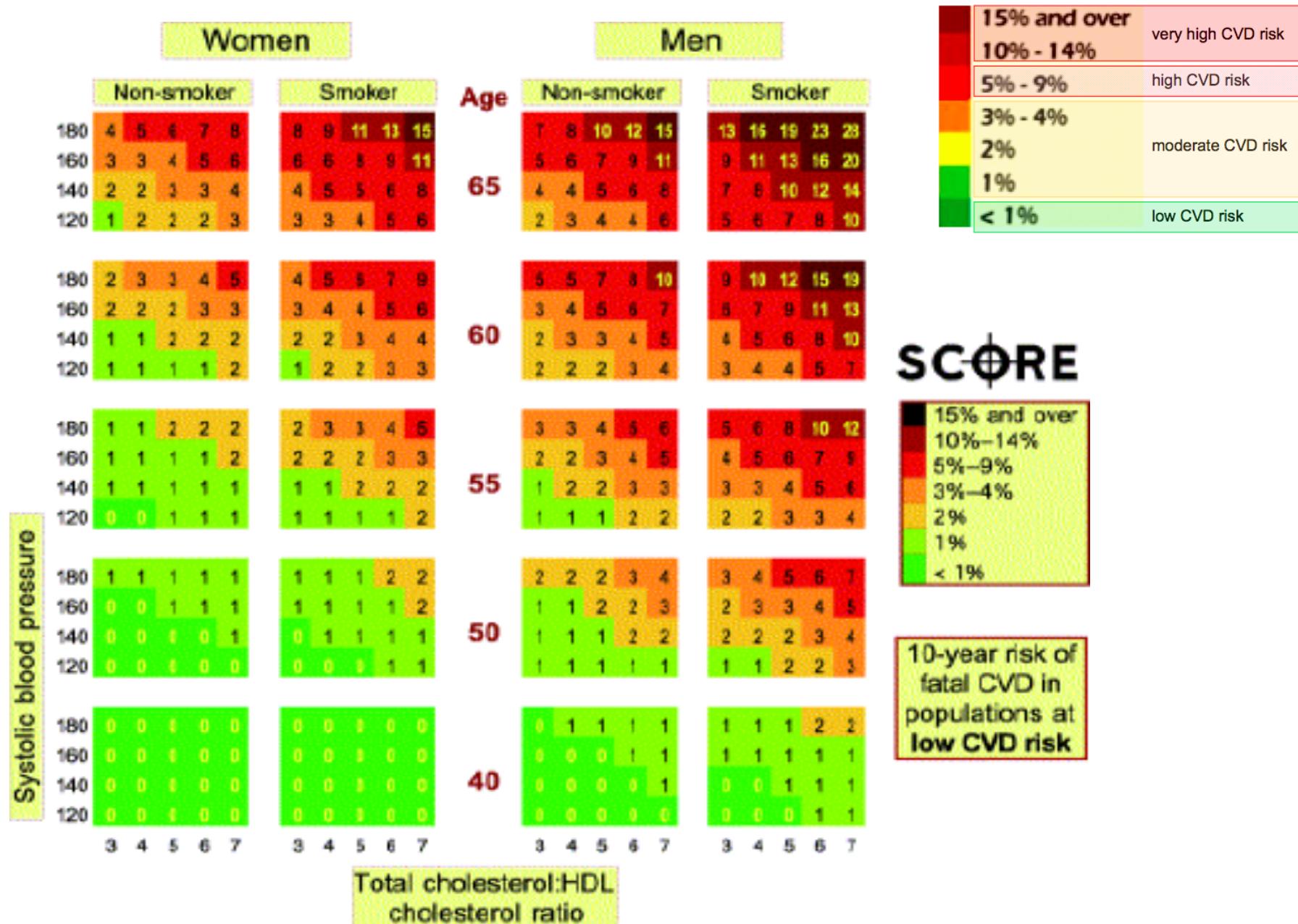
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Cardiovascular risk evaluation

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The Framingham risk score includes: age, sex, total and HDL cholesterol, blood pressure, diabetes, and smoking to derive an estimated risk of developing CHD within 10 years.

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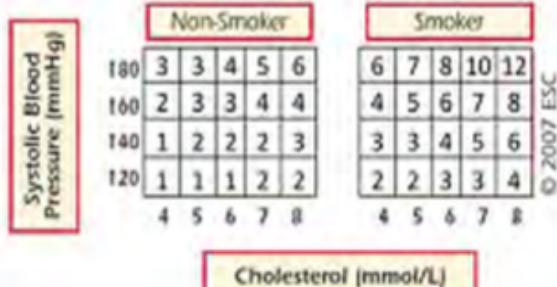


SCORE: Low CV Risk Chart

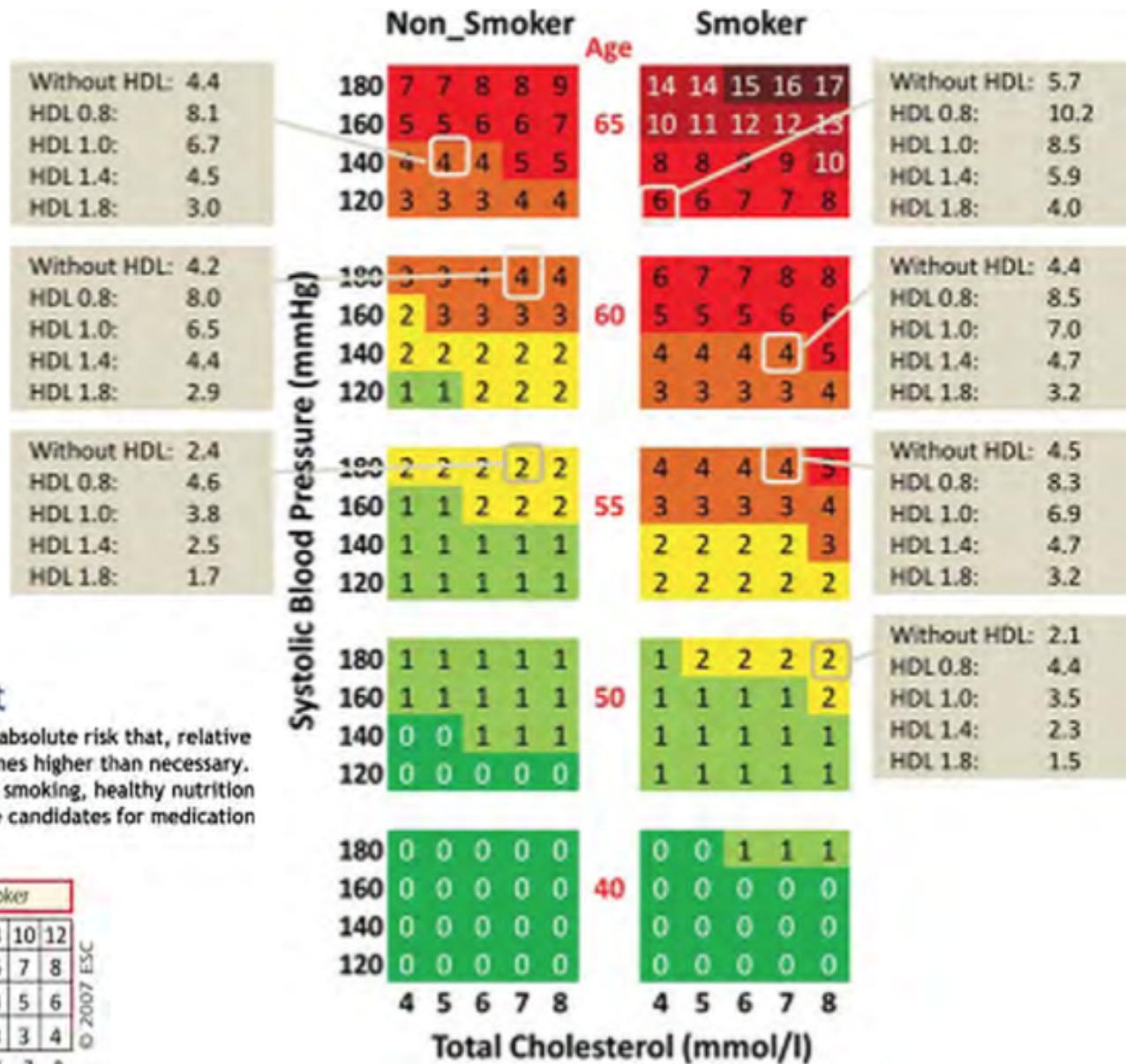
Total Cholesterol / HDL-Colesterol

Relative Risk Chart

This chart may be used to show younger people at low absolute risk that, relative to others in their age group, their risk may be many times higher than necessary. This may help to motivate decisions about avoidance of smoking, healthy nutrition and exercise, as well as flagging those who may become candidates for medication.



Please note that this chart shows RELATIVE not absolute risk. The risks are RELATIVE to 1 in the bottom left. Thus a person in the top right hand box has a risk that is 12 times higher than a person in the bottom left.



Relative CV risk in young patients

ESTRATIFICACIÓN DEL RIESGO CV

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Piepoli MF et al. Eur Heart J. 2016. Aug 27.

Very high-risk	<p>Subjects with any of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Documented CVD, clinical or unequivocal on imaging. Documented clinical CVD includes previous AMI, ACS, coronary revascularization and other arterial revascularization procedures, stroke and TIA, aortic aneurysm and PAD. Unequivocally documented CVD on imaging includes significant plaque on coronary angiography or carotid ultrasound. It does NOT include some increase in continuous imaging parameters such as intima-media thickness of the carotid artery. • DM with target organ damage such as proteinuria or with a major risk factor such as smoking or marked hypercholesterolaemia or marked hypertension. • Severe CKD (GFR <30 mL/min/1.73 m²). • A calculated SCORE ≥10%.
High-risk	<p>Subjects with:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Markedly elevated single risk factors, in particular cholesterol >8 mmol/L (>310 mg/dL) (e.g. in familial hypercholesterolaemia) or BP ≥180/110 mmHg. • Most other people with DM (with the exception of young people with type 1 DM and without major risk factors that may be at low or moderate risk). • Moderate CKD (GFR 30–59 mL/min/1.73 m²). • A calculated SCORE ≥5% and <10%.
Moderate risk	<p>SCORE is ≥1% and <5% at 10 years. Many middle-aged subjects belong to this category.</p>
Low-risk	<p>SCORE <1%.</p>

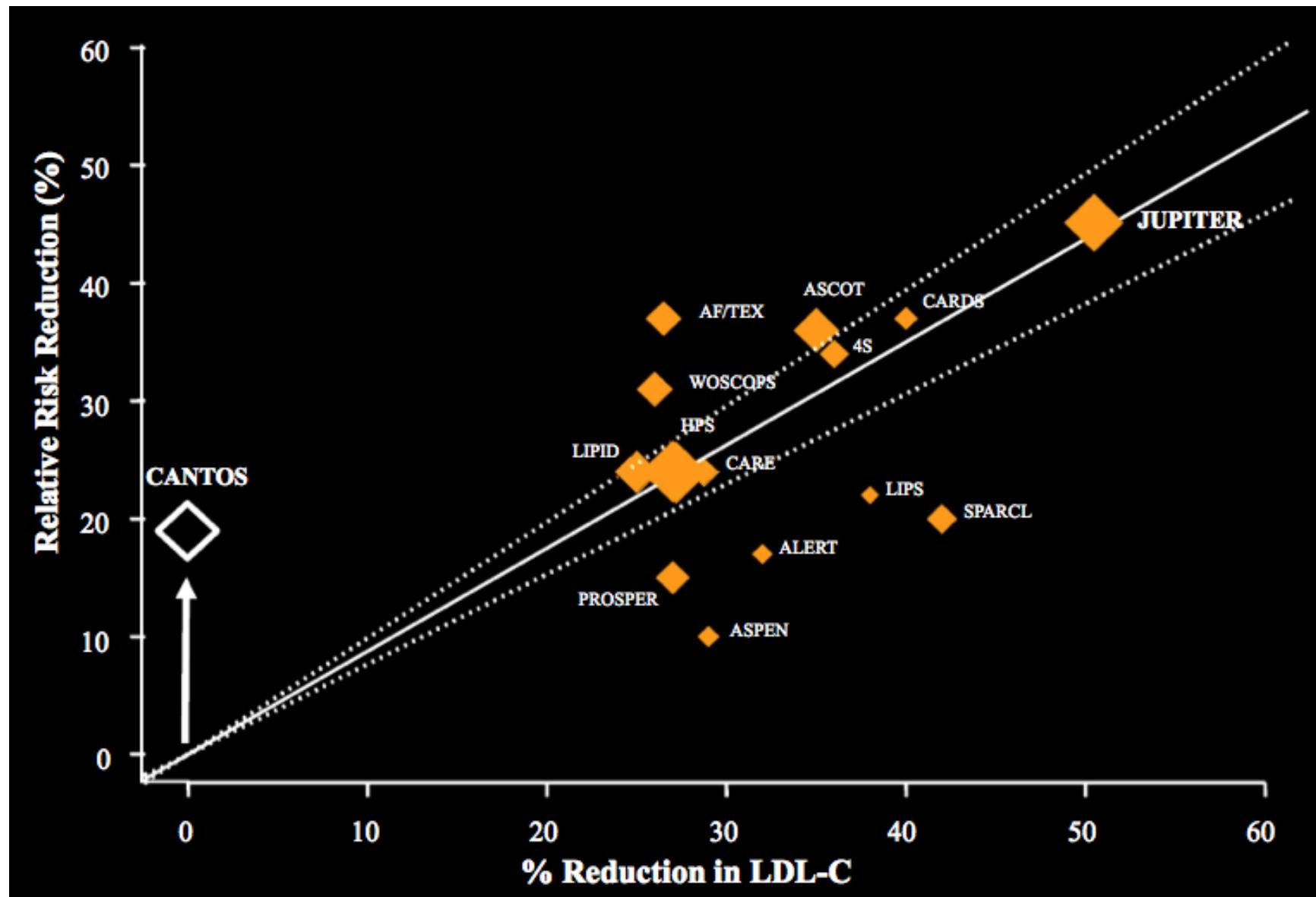
Objetivo de control de Colest-LDL en función del Riesgo CV

Recomendaciones	Clase ^a	Nivel ^b
En personas de MUY ALTO RIESGO cardiovascular (enfermedad cardiovascular establecida, diabetes tipo 2 ó 1 con FRCV ó LOD, ERC severa, SCORE $\geq 10\%$), el objetivo es c-LDL < 70 mg/dL y/o una reducción de c-LDL > 50% si el objetivo no puede alcanzarse.	I	A
En pacientes de RIESGO ALTO (FRCV muy elevado ó SCORE $\geq 5\%$ a $< 10\%$, Diabetes tipo 1 ó 2 sin FRCV ni LOD, ERC moderada, se debe considerar como objetivo un c-LDL < 100 mg/dL .	I	A
En pacientes de RIESGO MODERADO (SCORE $> 1\%$ a $\leq 5\%$) se debe considerar como objetivo un c-LDL < 115 mg/dL .	I	A

^aClase de recomendación. ^bNivel de evidencia. ERC: Enfermedad Renal Crónica.

LOD: Lesión Órgano Diana. FRCV: Factor de Riesgo Cardiovascular. c-LDL: Colesterol unido a lipoproteínas de baja densidad.

“Cuanto más bajo mejor” parece ser cierto tanto para cLDL como para PCRus tanto en prevención primaria como secundaria



Conclusiones

- La inflamación sistémica y local a nivel de la placa de ateroma juega un papel clave en el desarrollo de la enfermedad aterosclerótica.
- La inflamación sistémica crónica se ha relacionado con el aumento del riesgo cardiovascular en población general y en los pacientes con EIC.
- La teoría del “riesgo inflamatorio” CV se demuestra en prevención secundaria (C. Isquémica Crónica). CANTOS
- Es necesario un abordaje global del riesgo CV centrado en el control de los FRCV y la inflamación, sobre todo en pacientes con EIC.

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