



Cardiac Screening Initiative Officer Wellness



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1989



Board Certified in Cardiovascular Disease

- Georgetown University School of Medicine
- Internal Medicine Residency
- Cardiology Fellowship
- 14 Years Service in USAF
 - Cardiologist
 - Flight Surgeon
 - Element Leader
 - Far Forward Critical Care Unit (FFCCU)
 - Operation Enduring Freedom



Police

- Sworn Officer
 - City of Cedar Park
- Central Texas Regional SWAT (CTRS)
 - Medical Director

NO FINANCIAL DISCLOSURES

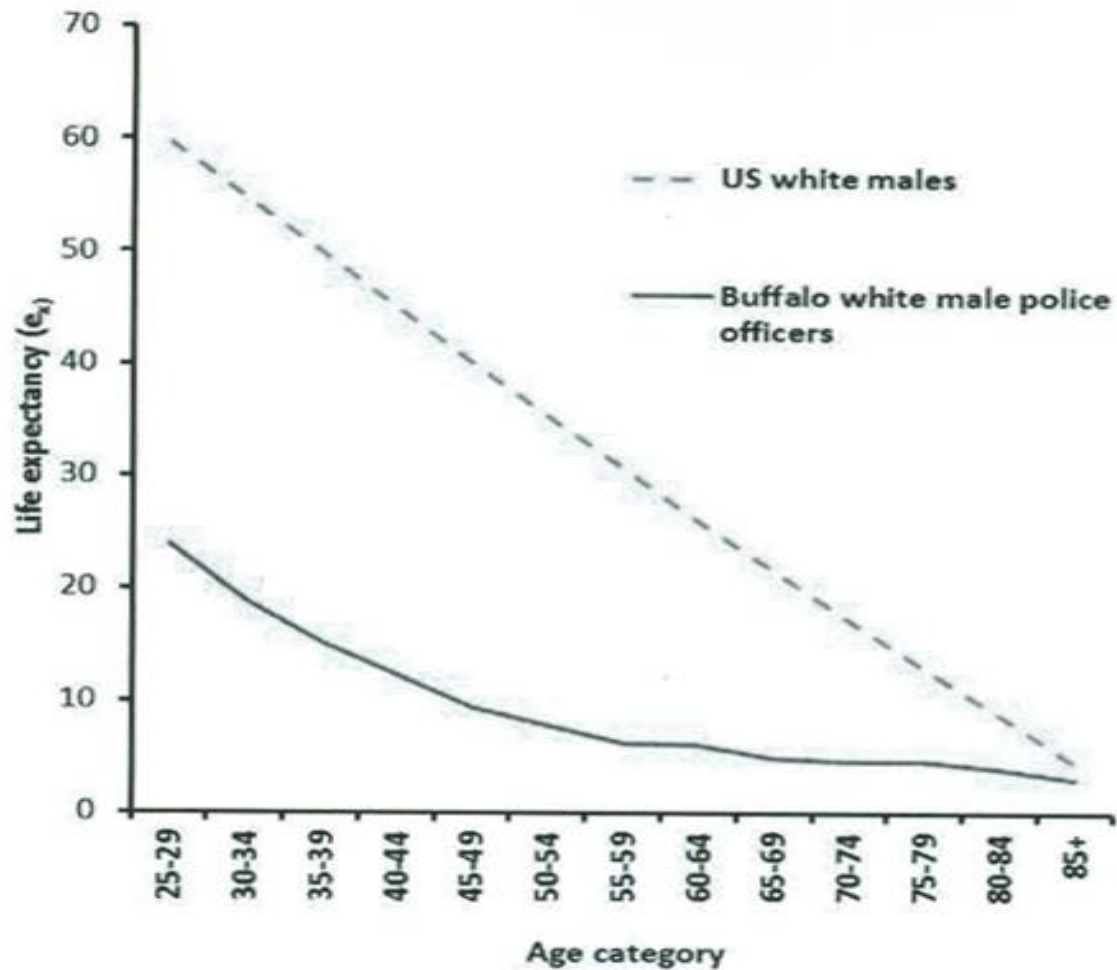






	Law Enforcement	Civilian
Average age of patient with heart attack	49 years	65 years
Heart attacks under age 45	45%	7%
Average Life Expectancy	57 years	79 years

Officer Life Expectancy





1. Police officers live an average of 15 years less than the average American.^[1]

2. Nearly 50% of police officers will die from heart disease within five years of retirement.^[2]

3. Statistically, we are 25 times more likely to die from cardiovascular disease (CVD) than from the action of a suspect.^[3]



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REMEMBERING ALL OF LAW ENFORCEMENT'S HEROES

2014

Line of Duty Deaths: 127

9/11 related illness: 1
Assault: 2
Automobile accident: 26
Drowned: 2
Duty related illness: 3
Fire: 1
Gunfire: 47
Gunfire (Accidental): 2
Heart attack: 19
Motorcycle accident: 4
Struck by vehicle: 5
Vehicle pursuit: 5
Vehicular assault: 10

2015

Line of Duty Deaths: 32

9/11 related illness: 2
Assault: 1
Automobile accident: 9
Gunfire: 6
Gunfire (Accidental): 1
Heart attack: 9
Motorcycle accident: 1
Struck by vehicle: 2
Vehicle pursuit: 1



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Extrapolated over a 24 hour day

2014 – 19 deaths

12h shift – 38

8h shift – 57

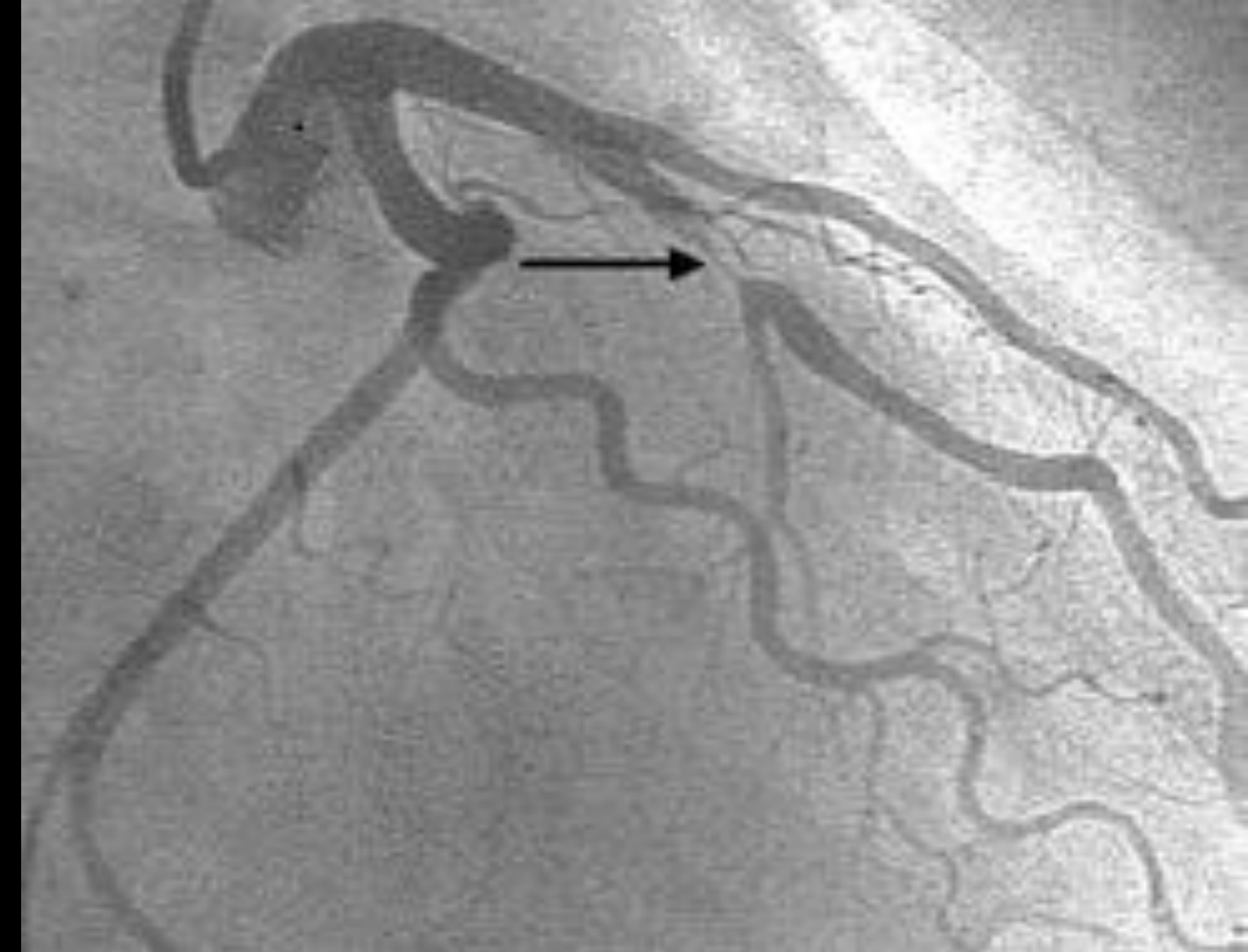
2015 – 9 deaths so far

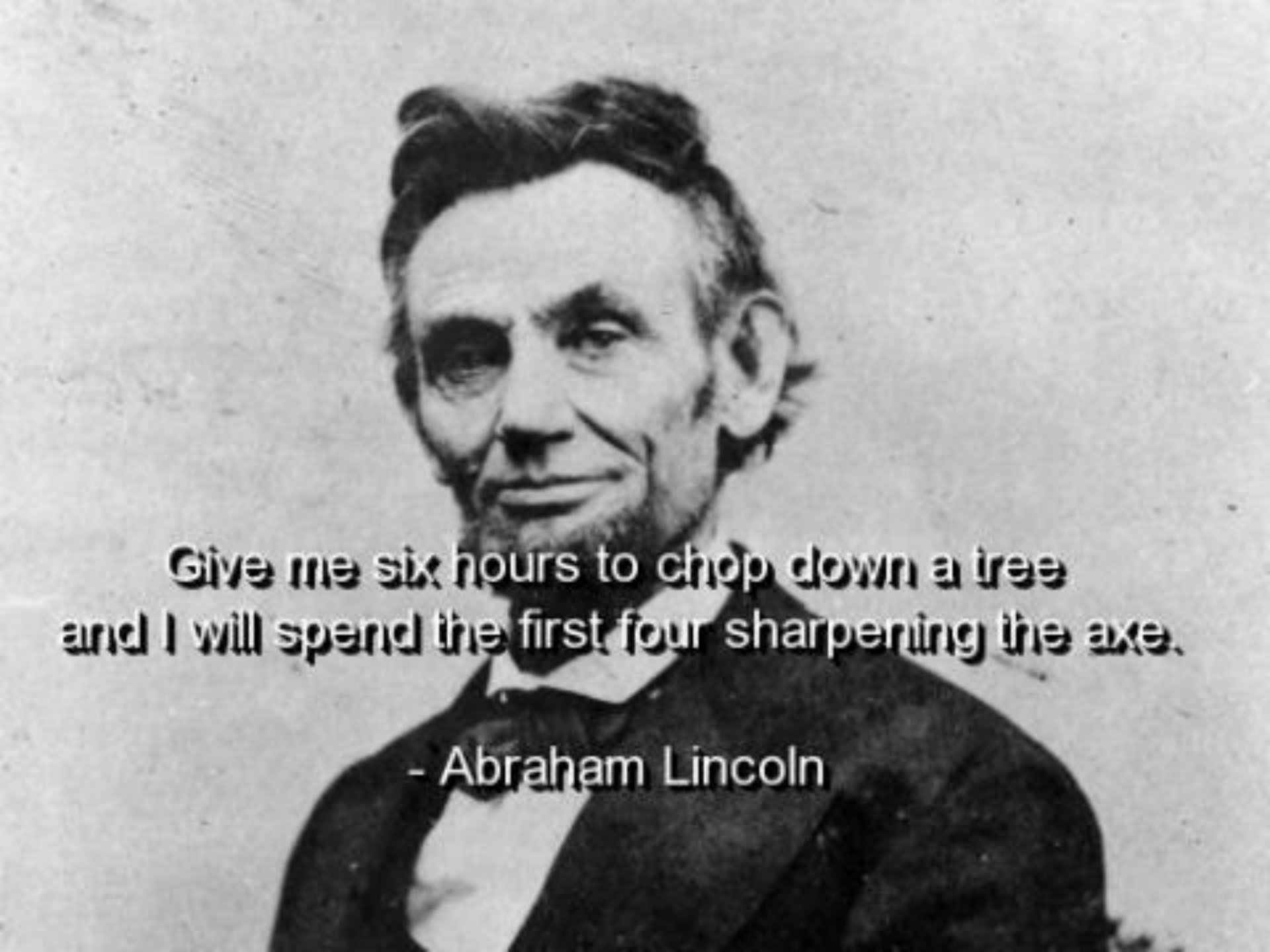
12h shift – 18

8h shift - 27



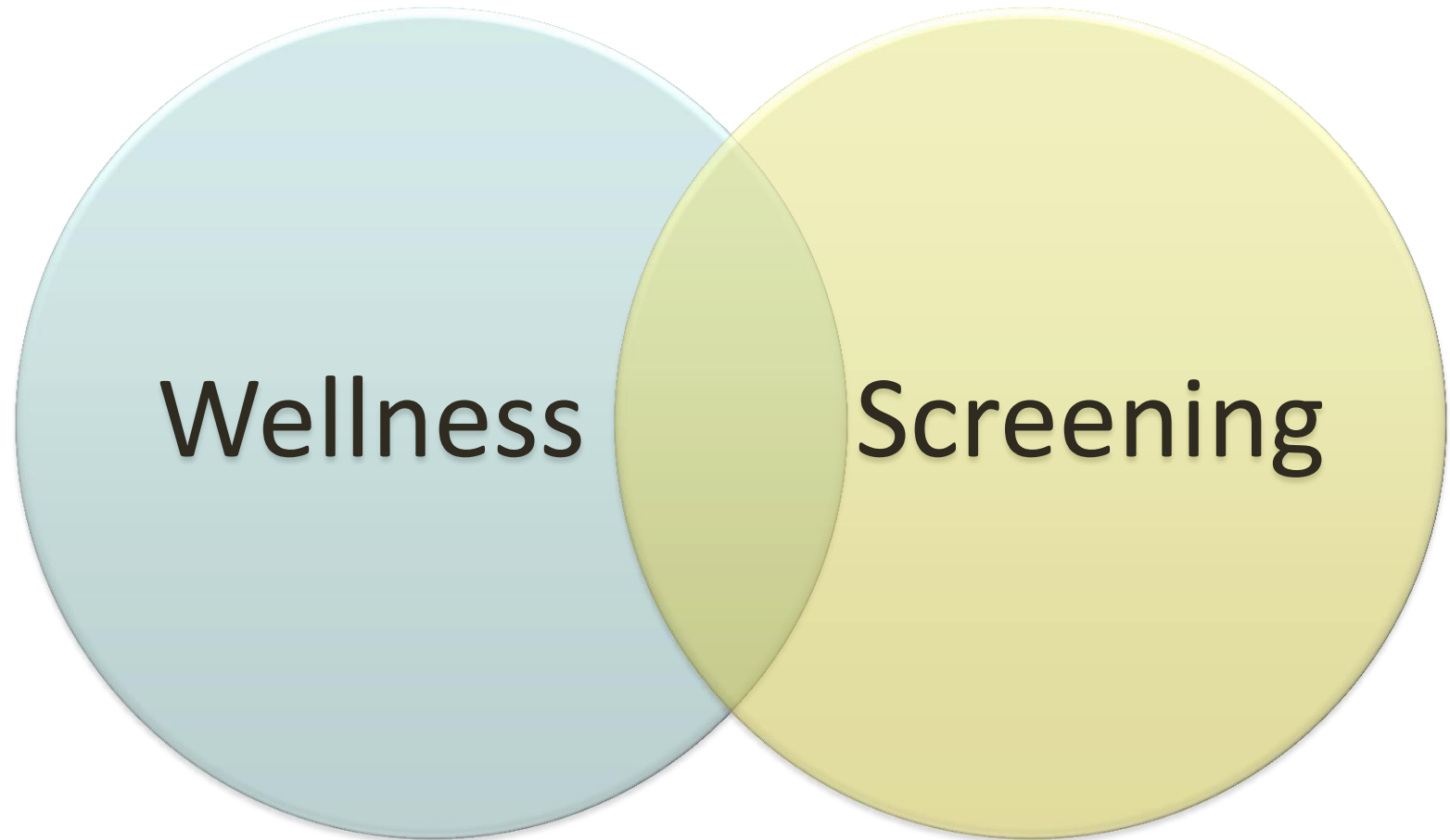
High Risk for heart disease



A black and white portrait of Abraham Lincoln, showing him from the chest up. He has a full beard and is wearing a dark suit with a white shirt and a dark bow tie. The background is a light, textured gray.

**Give me six hours to chop down a tree
and I will spend the first four sharpening the axe.**

- Abraham Lincoln

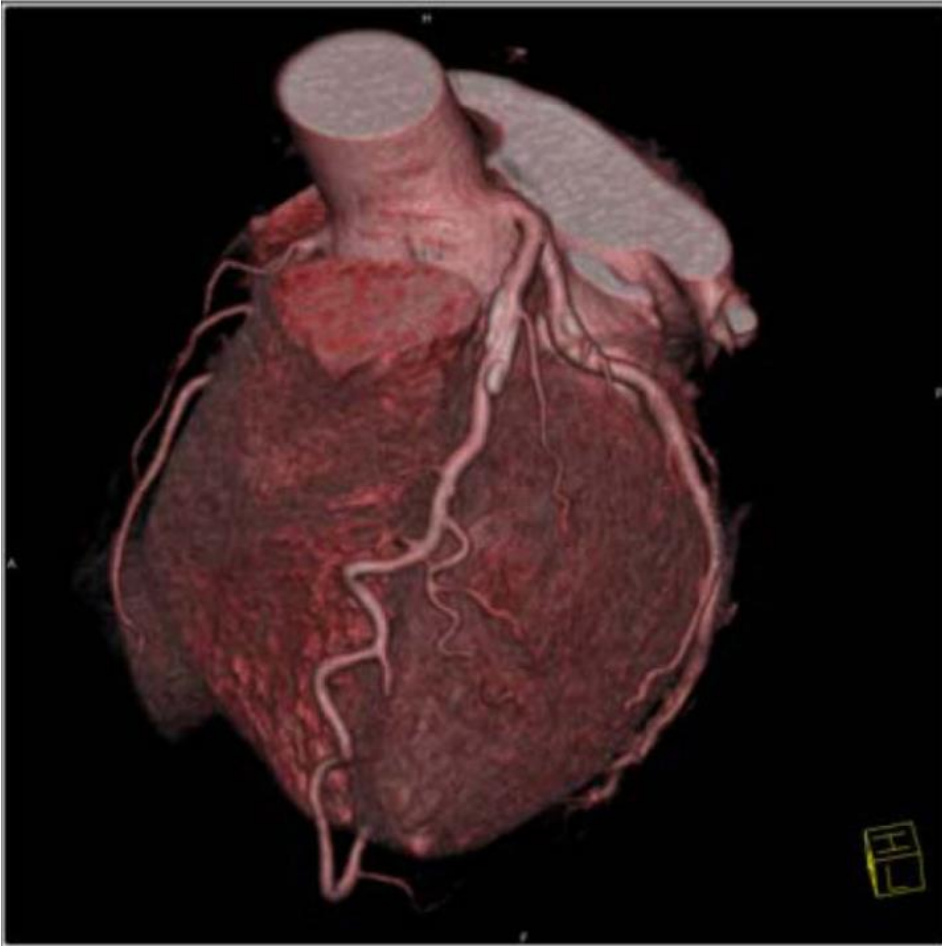


Examination of a group to separate well persons from those who have an undiagnosed pathologic condition or who are at high risk



Screening

Paradigm Shift



Prognostic Paradigm



Diagnostic Paradigm

Traditional Framingham Risk

Risk Assessment Tool for Estimating 10-year Risk of Developing Hard CHD

The Framingham Heart Study asks for the following data to estimate 10-year risk for "hard" coronary heart disease outcomes (myocardial infarction and coronary death) in adults aged 20 and older who do not have heart disease or diabetes.

Age: years

Gender: ☐ Female ☐ Male

Total Cholesterol: mg/dL

HDL Cholesterol: mg/dL

Smoker: ☐ No ☐ Yes

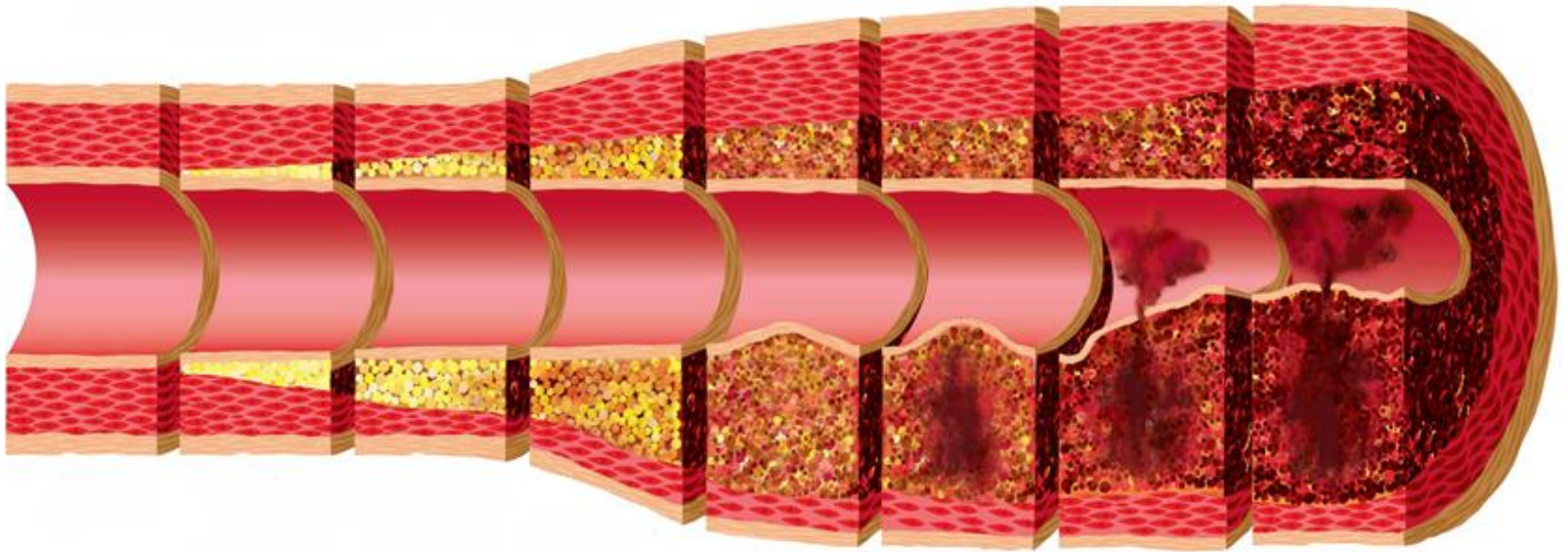
Systolic Blood Pressure: mm Hg

Currently on any medication to treat high blood pressure ☐ No ☐ Yes

Calculate 10-Year Risk

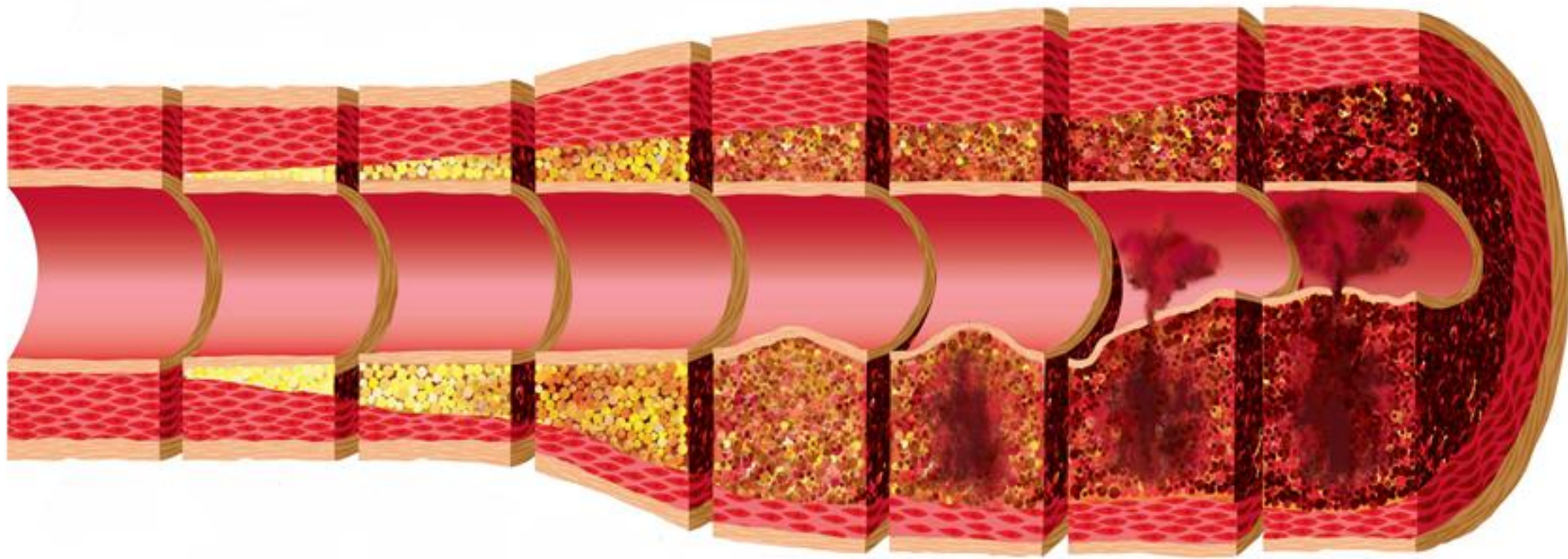
Medscape

Cardiology 101

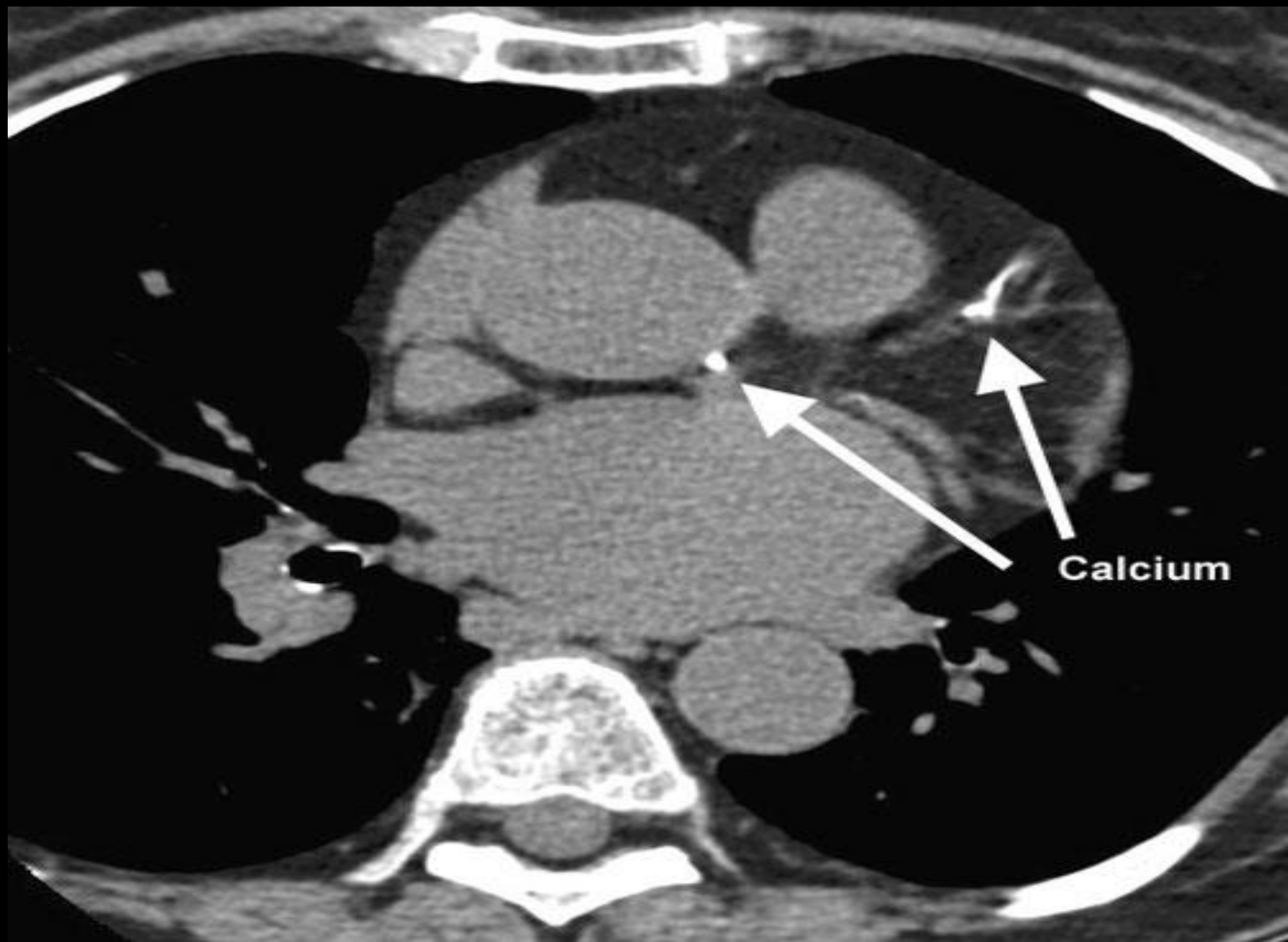




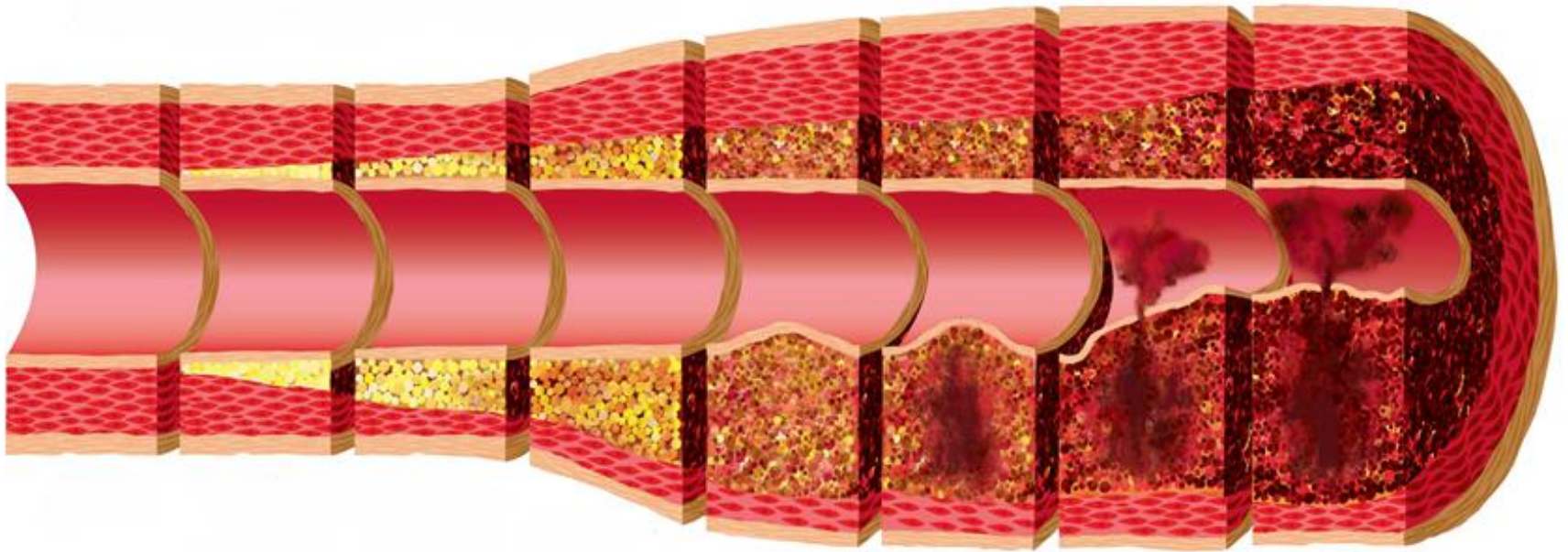
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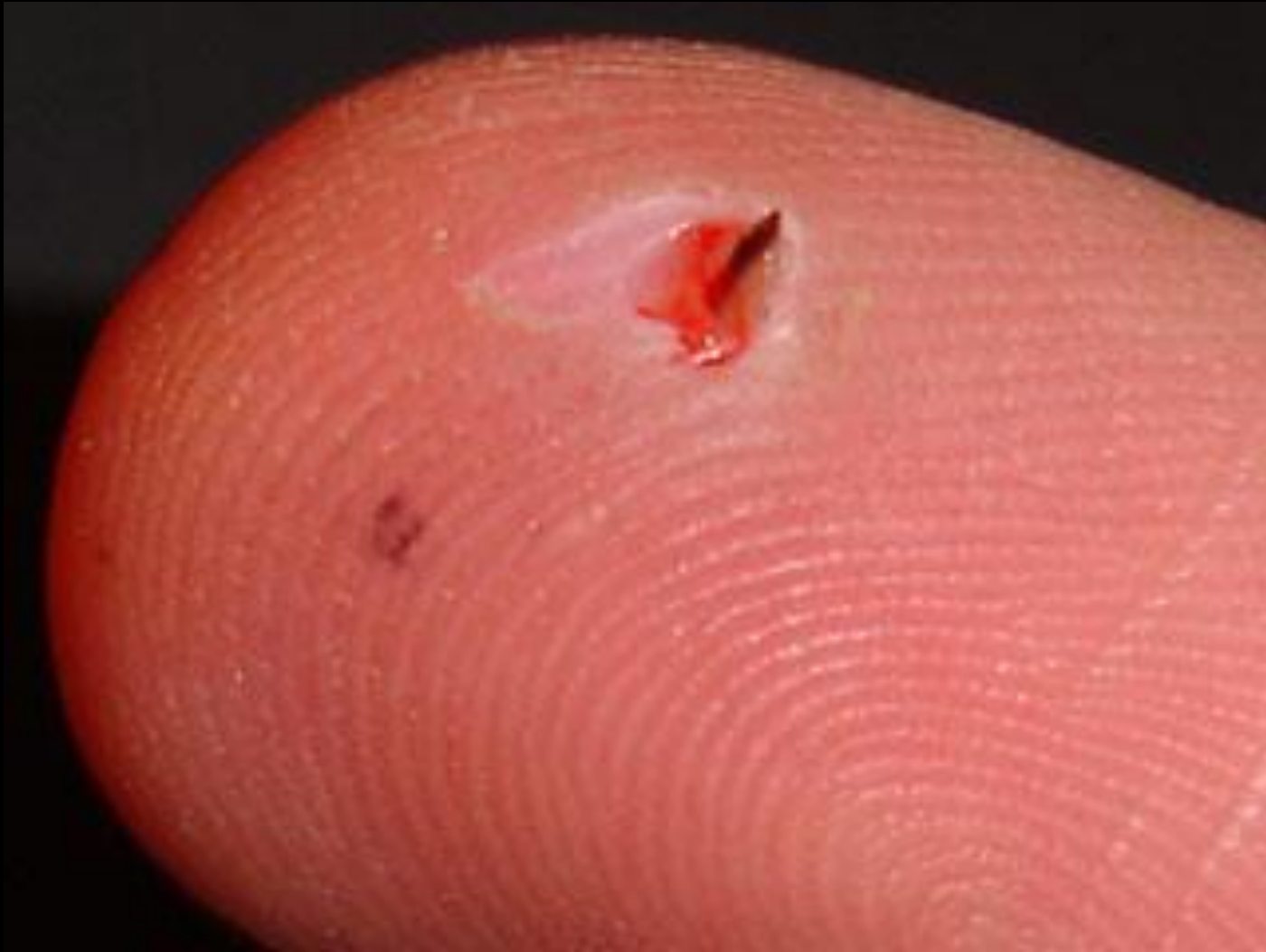






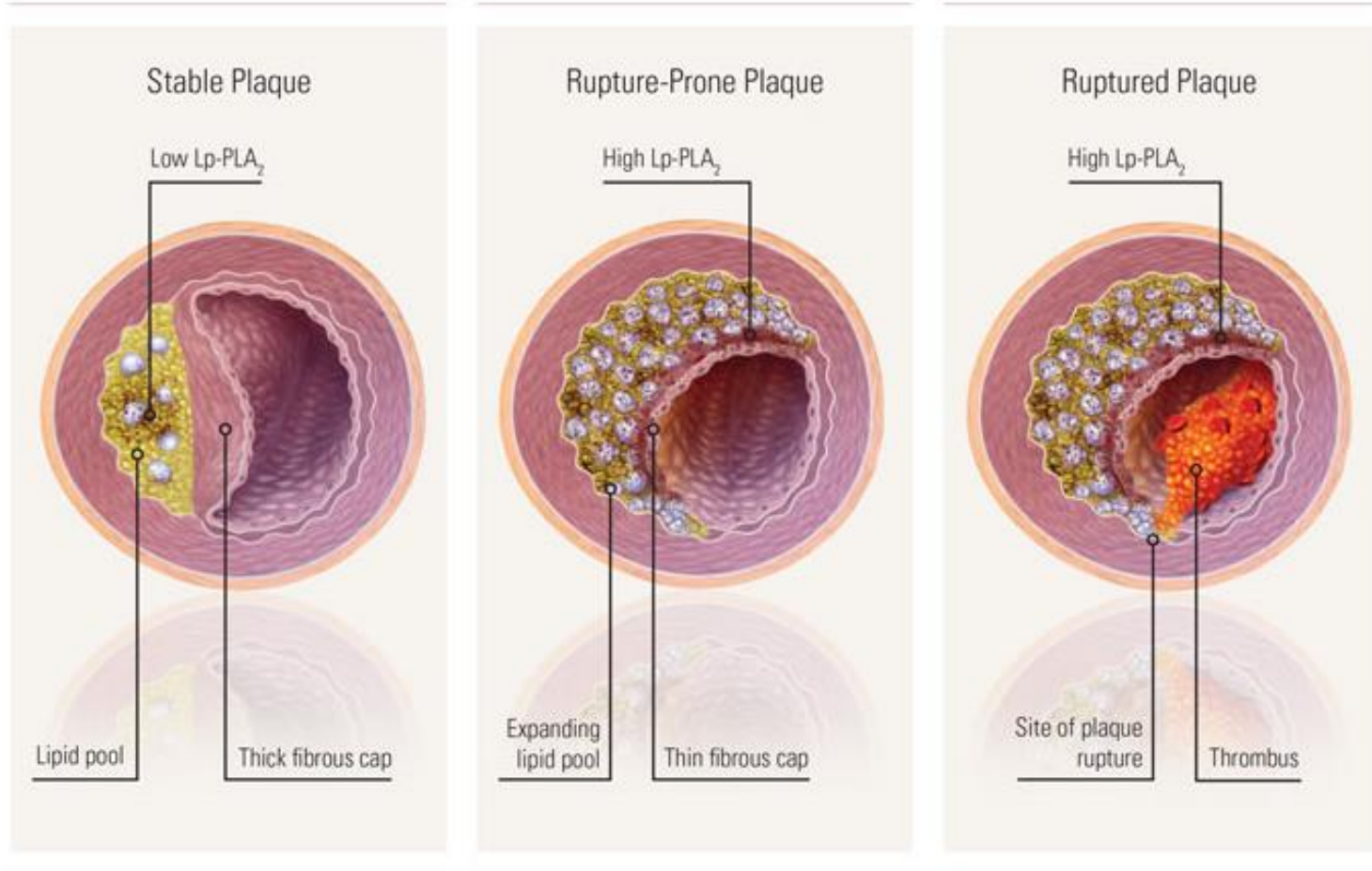
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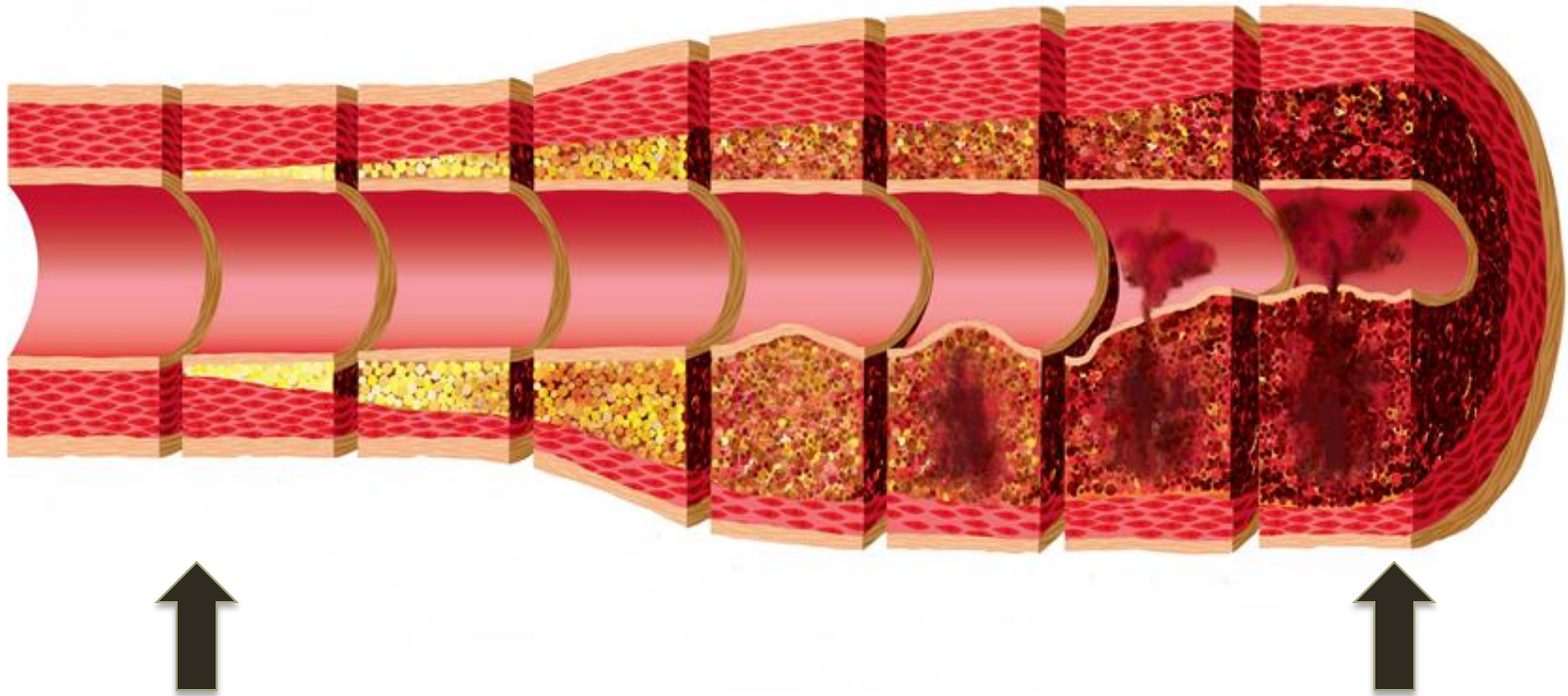


Lp-PLA₂

(Lipoprotein-Associated Phospholipase A₂)



Cardiology 101



Coronary Disease

Calcium Score > 0

$PLA_2 > 200$

Prevalence of Coronary Artery Disease in New York City Police Officers as Predicted by Coronary Artery Calcium Scoring

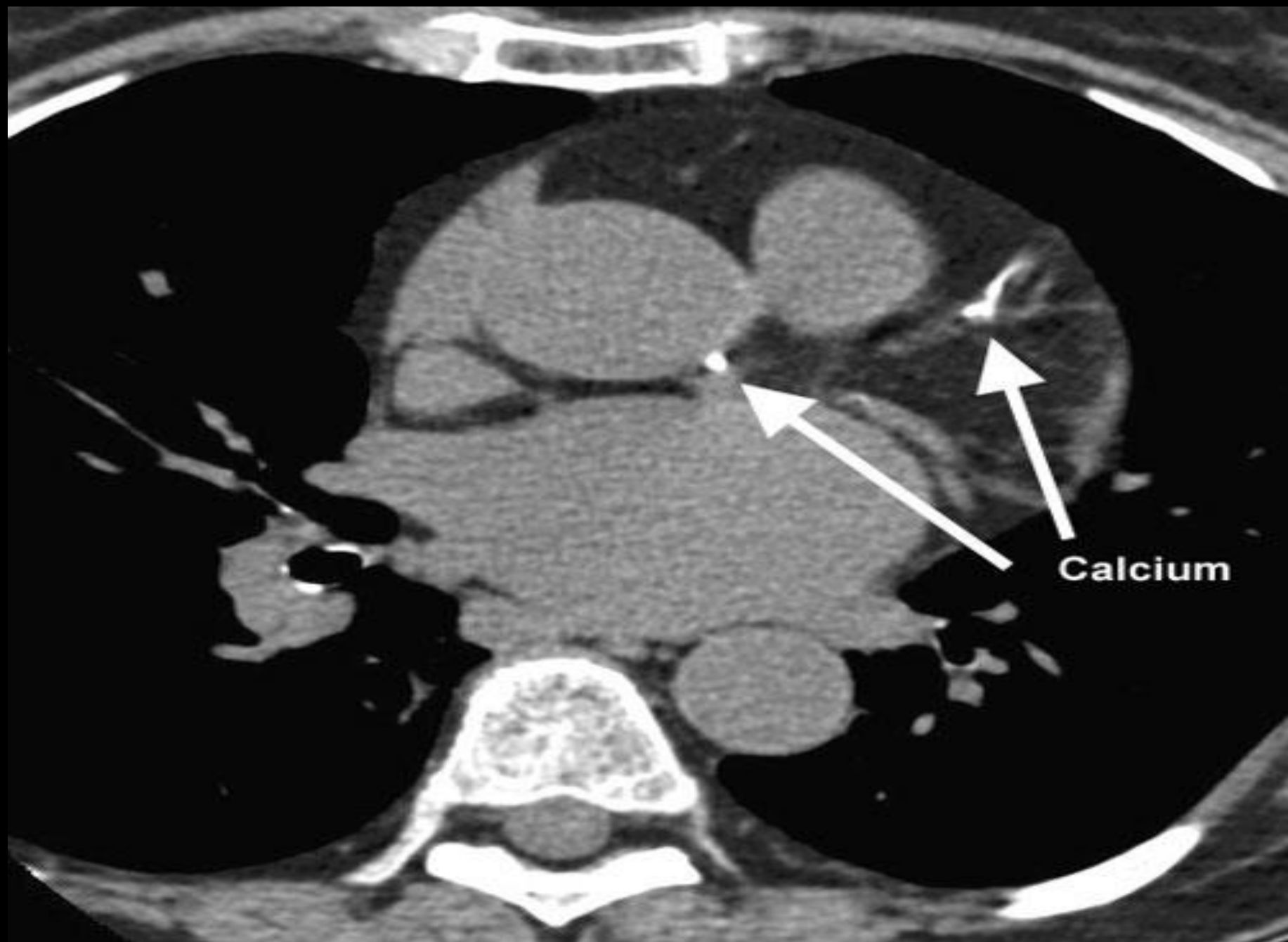
Jia Lin See ; Nikolas Wanahita; Nir N Somekh ; Stephen E Nelson ;
Albert Barrette ; Kenneth Giedd ; Ste

R Bergmann

Beth Israel Med Cntr, New York, NY

2068 NYPD Members of the Service (officers)

- **Coronary Calcium Score**



- There was NO increased prevalence of coronary disease among members of the NYPD as compared to the general population

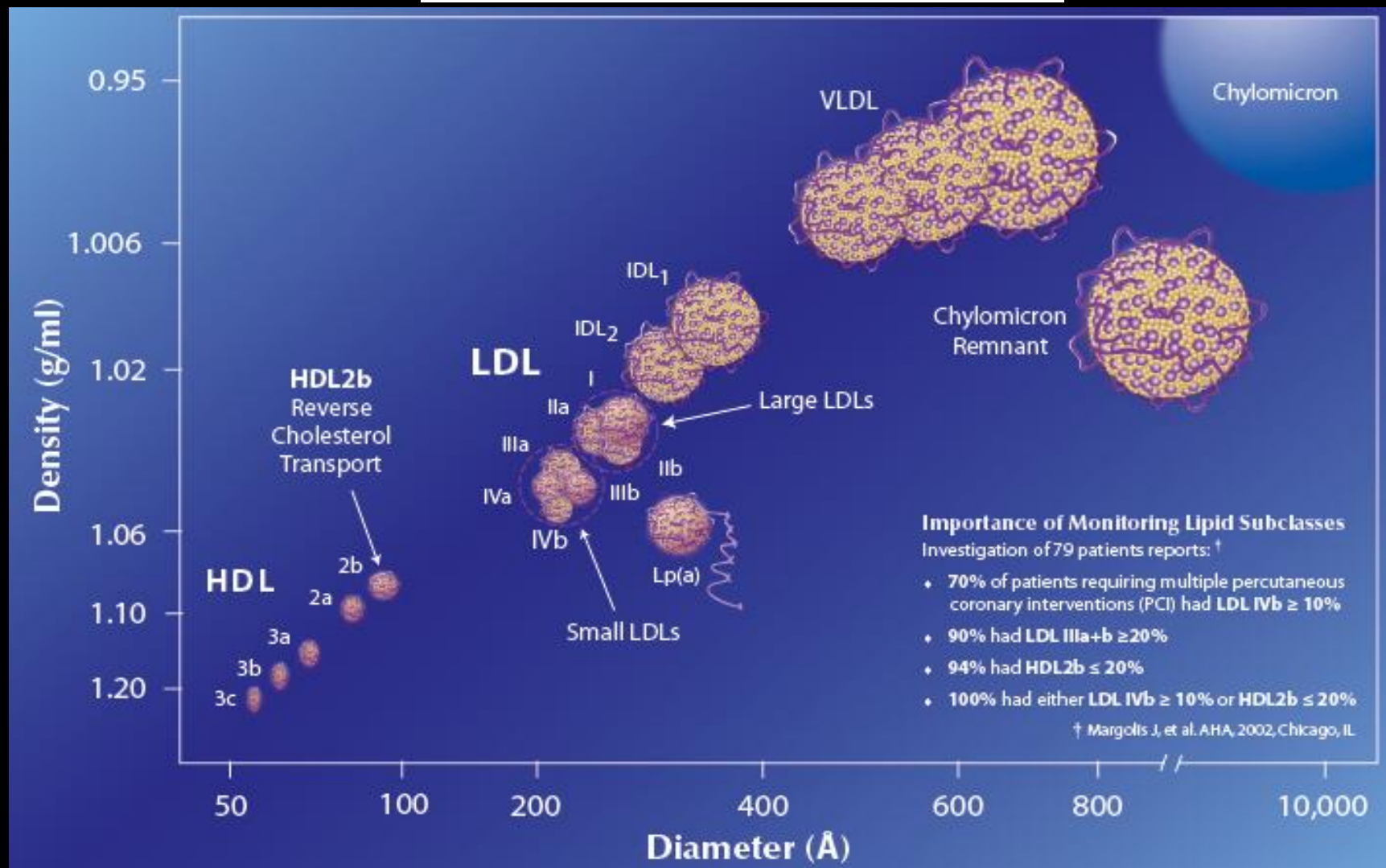


Cardiac Screening Initiative

- 290 Police Volunteers
 - Austin Police
 - Cedar Park Police
 - Treasury Special Agents
 - US Marshall Service

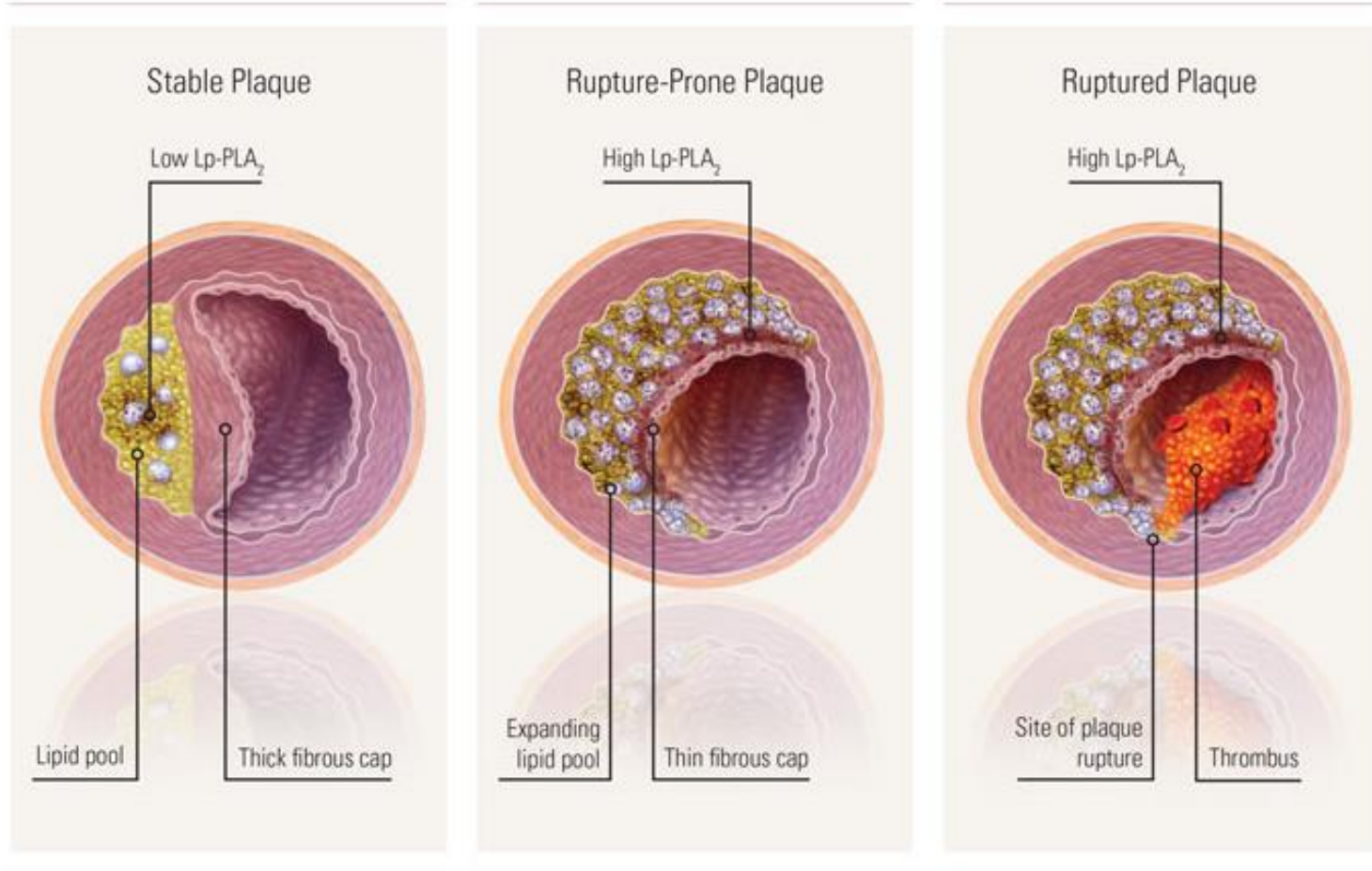




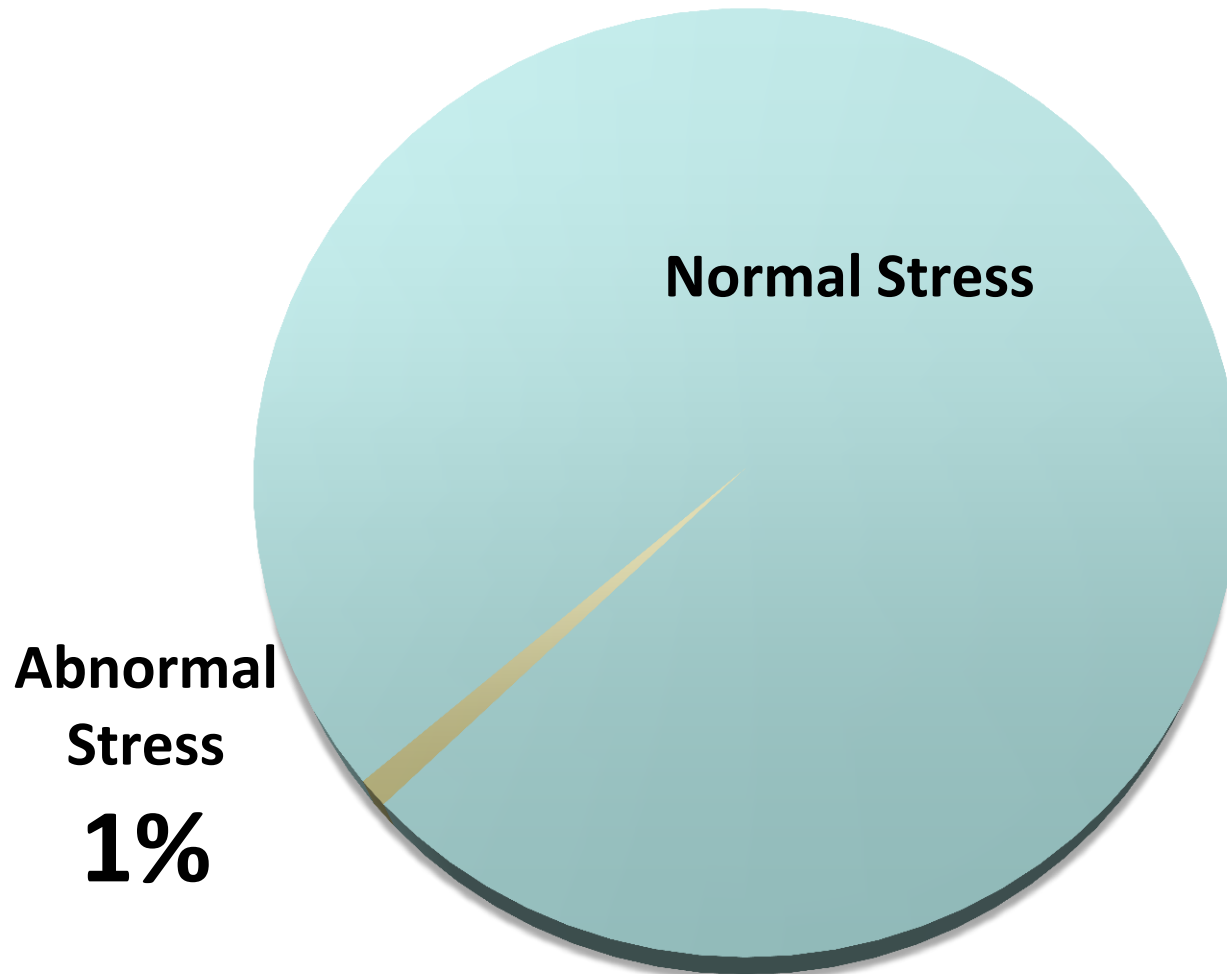


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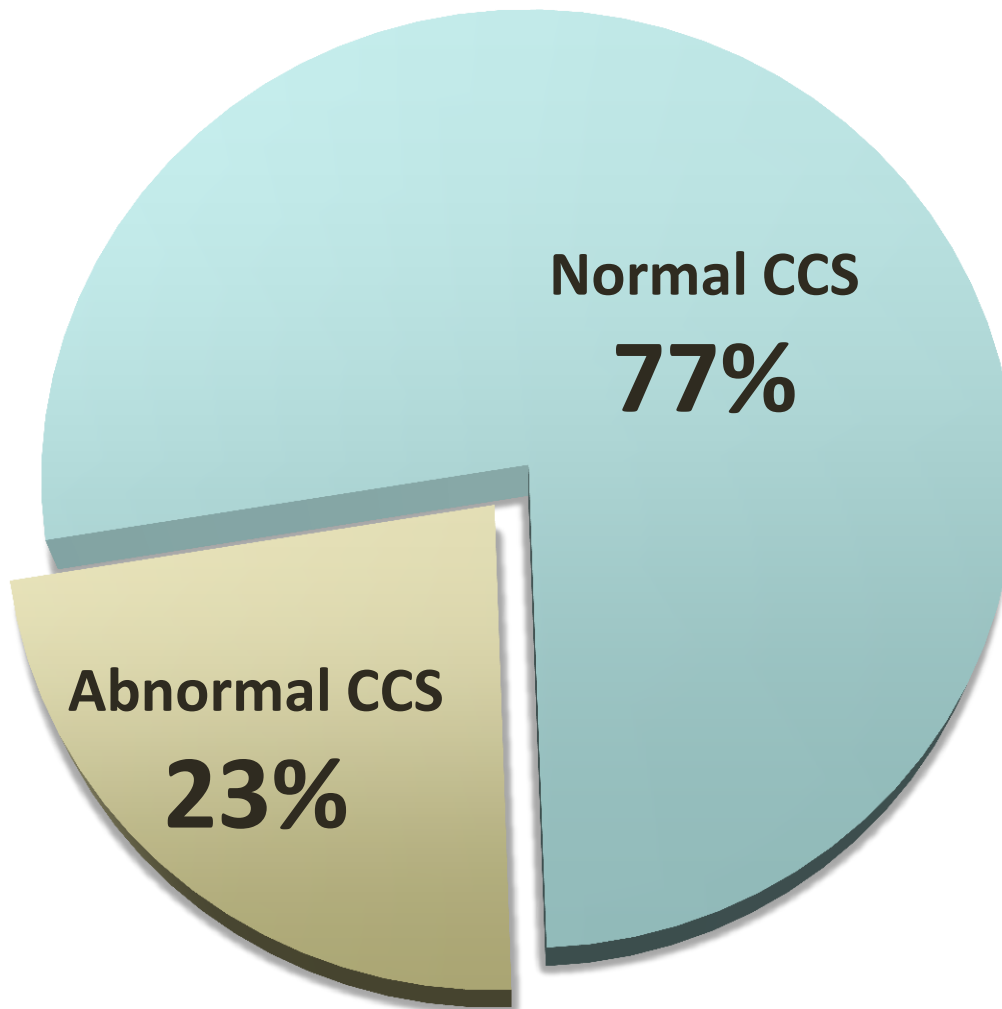
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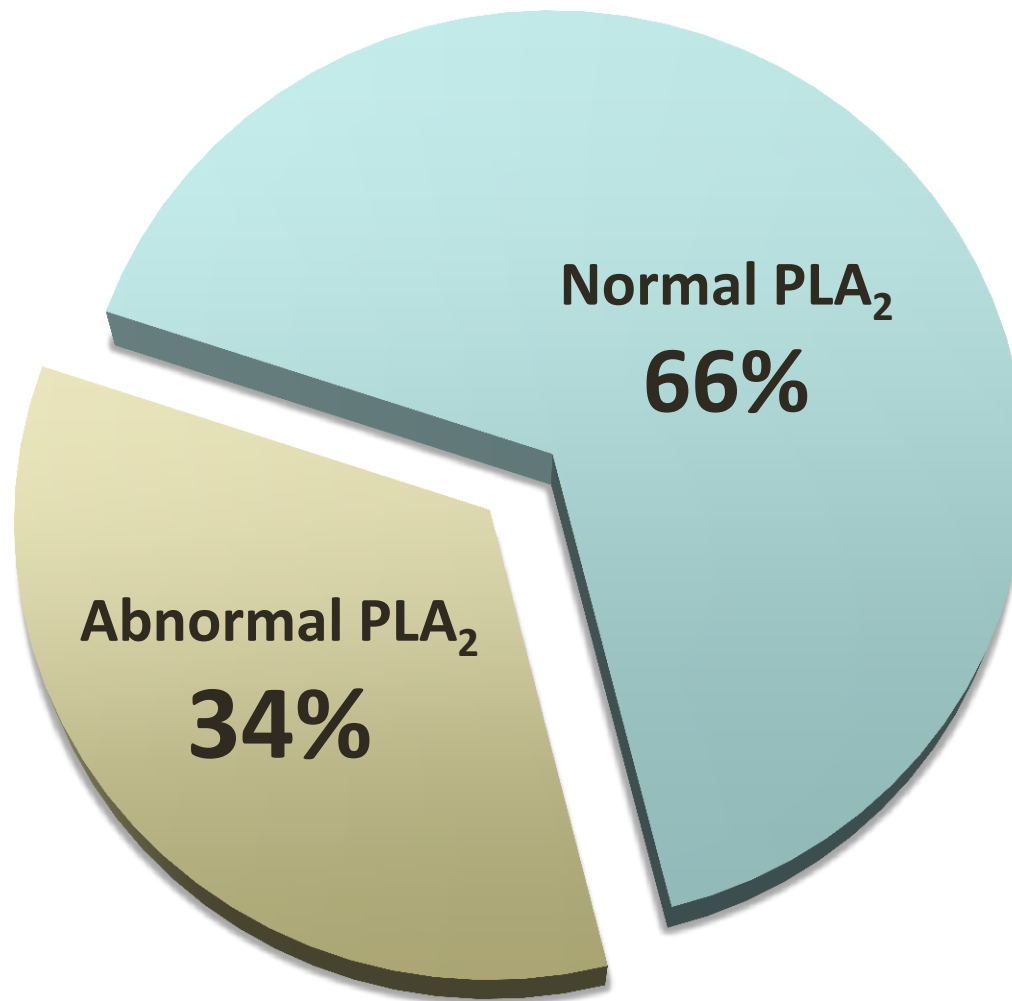
Results of Stress Test



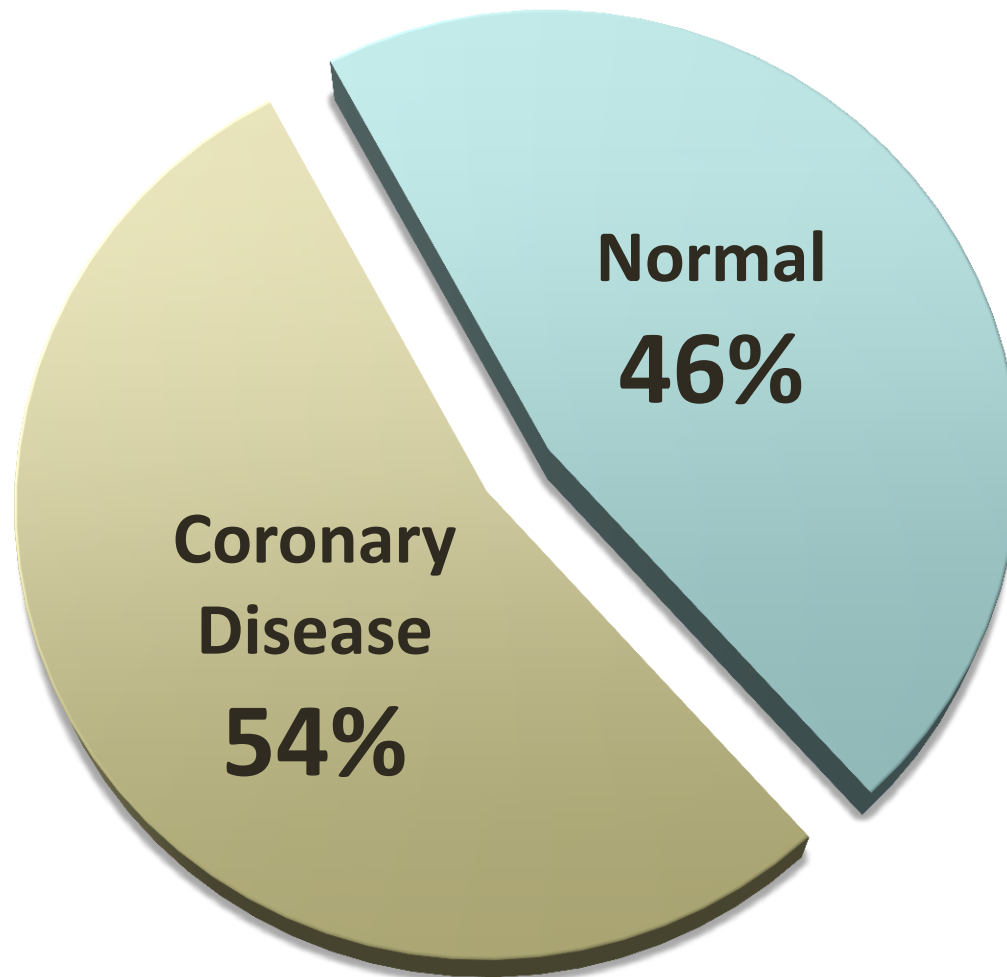
Results of Calcium Score



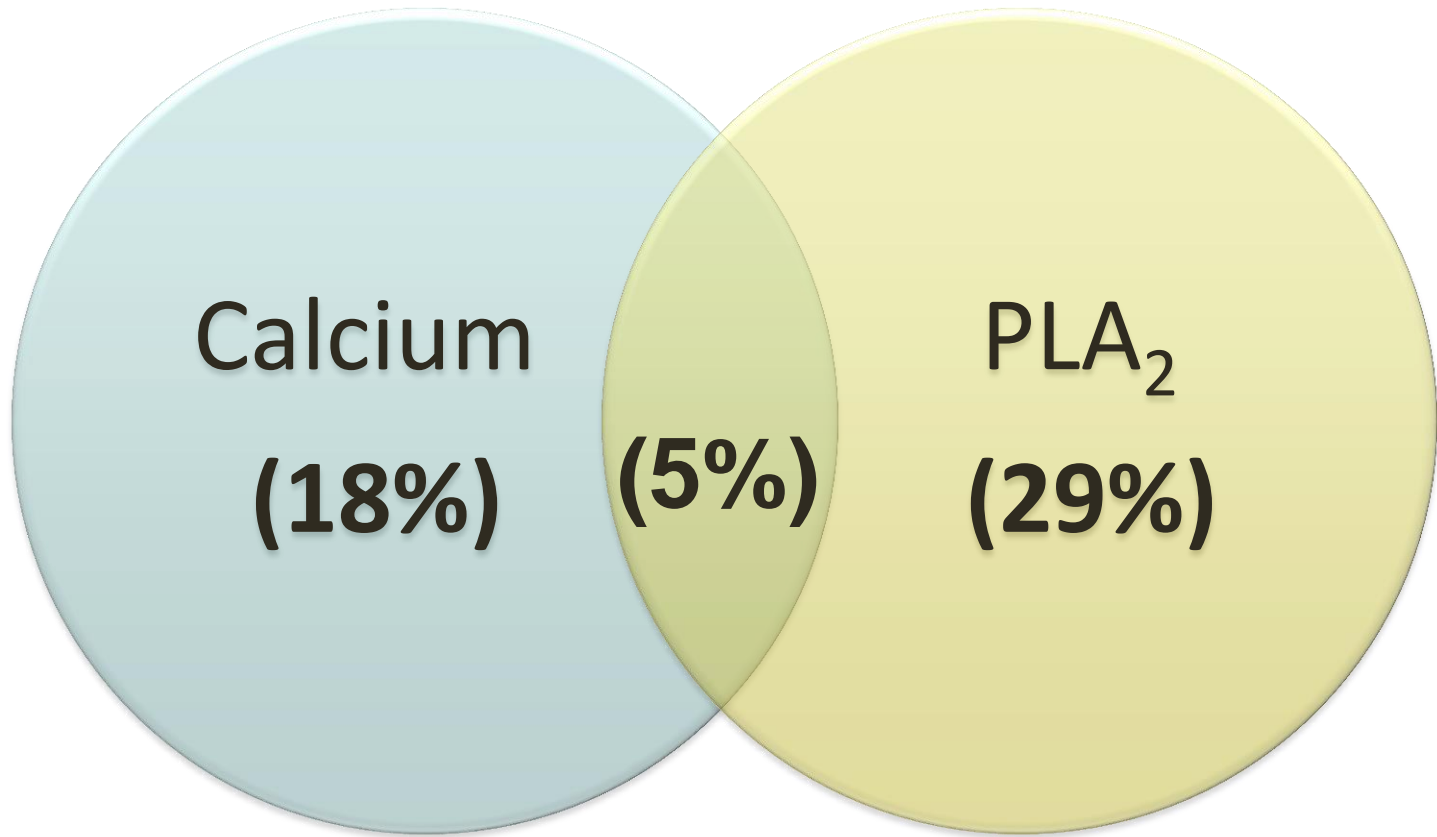
Abnormal PLA₂



Calcium Score + PLA₂



Findings



53.8%

Results

- NO association of Coronary Disease with:
 - Age
 - Gender
 - Cholesterol levels
 - Weight
 - Presence of diabetes
 - Unit

Characteristic	N (%) with disease	N (%) without disease
Admin Role	15 (62.5)	9 (37.5)
Field Role	32 (53.3)	28 (46.7)
Investigative Role	29 (46.8)	33 (53.2)
Female	10 (47.6)	11 (52.4)
Male	67 (53.2)	59 (46.8)
Normal	17 (48.6)	18 (51.4)
Overweight	30 (51.7)	28 (48.3)
Obese	30 (55.6)	24 (44.4)
Hypertensive	32 (55.2)	26 (44.8)
Normotensive	44 (50.6)	43 (49.4)
LDL > 130	36 (52.2)	33 (47.8)
LDL < 130	41 (52.6)	37 (47.4)
LDL > 100	64 (51.6)	60 (48.4)
LDL < 100	13 (56.5)	10 (43.5)
sdLDL-c > 20	63 (52.9)	56 (47.1)
sdLDL-c < 20	13 (48.2)	14 (51.8)
HDL < 50	32 (46.4)	37 (53.6)
HDL > 50	45 (57.7)	33 (42.3)
TG > 150	18 (51.4)	17 (47.6)
TG < 150	59 (52.7)	53 (47.3)

THE Risk Factor...





High Risk for heart disease

Lp-PLA₂ Included in Four Major Guidelines



2010 ACCF/AHA Guideline for Assessment of Cardiovascular Risk in Asymptomatic Adults

- Lp-PLA₂ testing may be considered **in intermediate-risk asymptomatic** adults.



2011 AHA/ASA Guidelines for the Primary Prevention of Stroke

- Measurement of inflammatory markers such as hs-CRP or Lp-PLA₂ in patients without CVD may be considered to identify patients who may be at **increased risk**.



2012 AACE Guidelines for Management of Dyslipidemia and Prevention of Atherosclerosis.

- Test for Lp-PLA₂, which in some studies has demonstrated more specificity than highly sensitive CRP, when it **is necessary to further stratify a patient's CVD risk**.



2012 European Guidelines on CVD Prevention in Clinical Practice - European Society of Cardiology

- Lp-PLA₂ may be measured as a part of a refined risk assessment in patients **at high risk** of a recurrent acute atherothrombotic event. Class IIb.



Uncover hidden risk for
heart attack and stroke

- The only blood test cleared by the FDA to assess the risk for *both heart attack and ischemic stroke*
- Simple blood test, no fasting required prior to draw
- Lp-PLA₂ CPT Code: 83698; the PLAC Test is reimbursed by Medicare, and many insurance providers. There are more than 150 million covered lives in the US.

**The condition of good physical, mental and emotional health,
especially when maintained by an appropriate diet, exercise,
and other lifestyle modifications**



Wellness

80% of Police Officers are Overweight

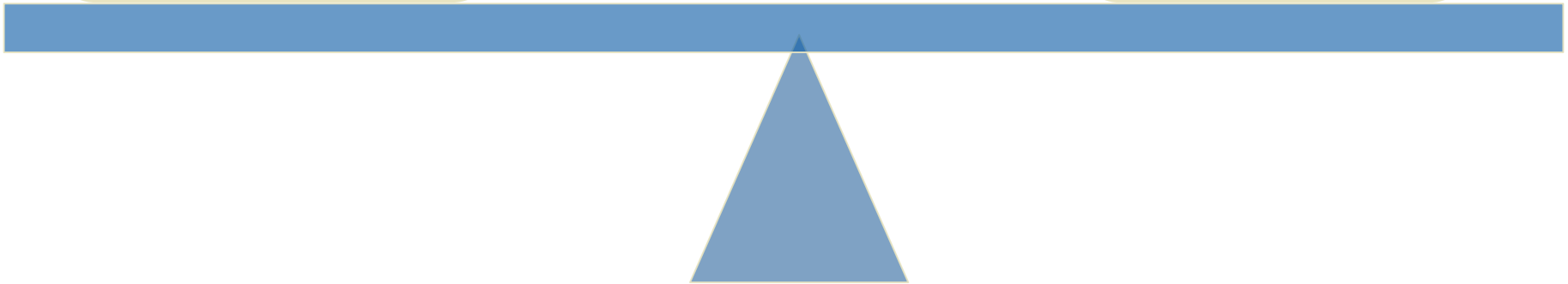


The Police Executive Leadership
Program Class Exercise and Nutrition
Questionnaire, administered by Daniel
E. Shell, Division of Public Safety
Leader- ship, Johns Hopkins University
(2014-2015)

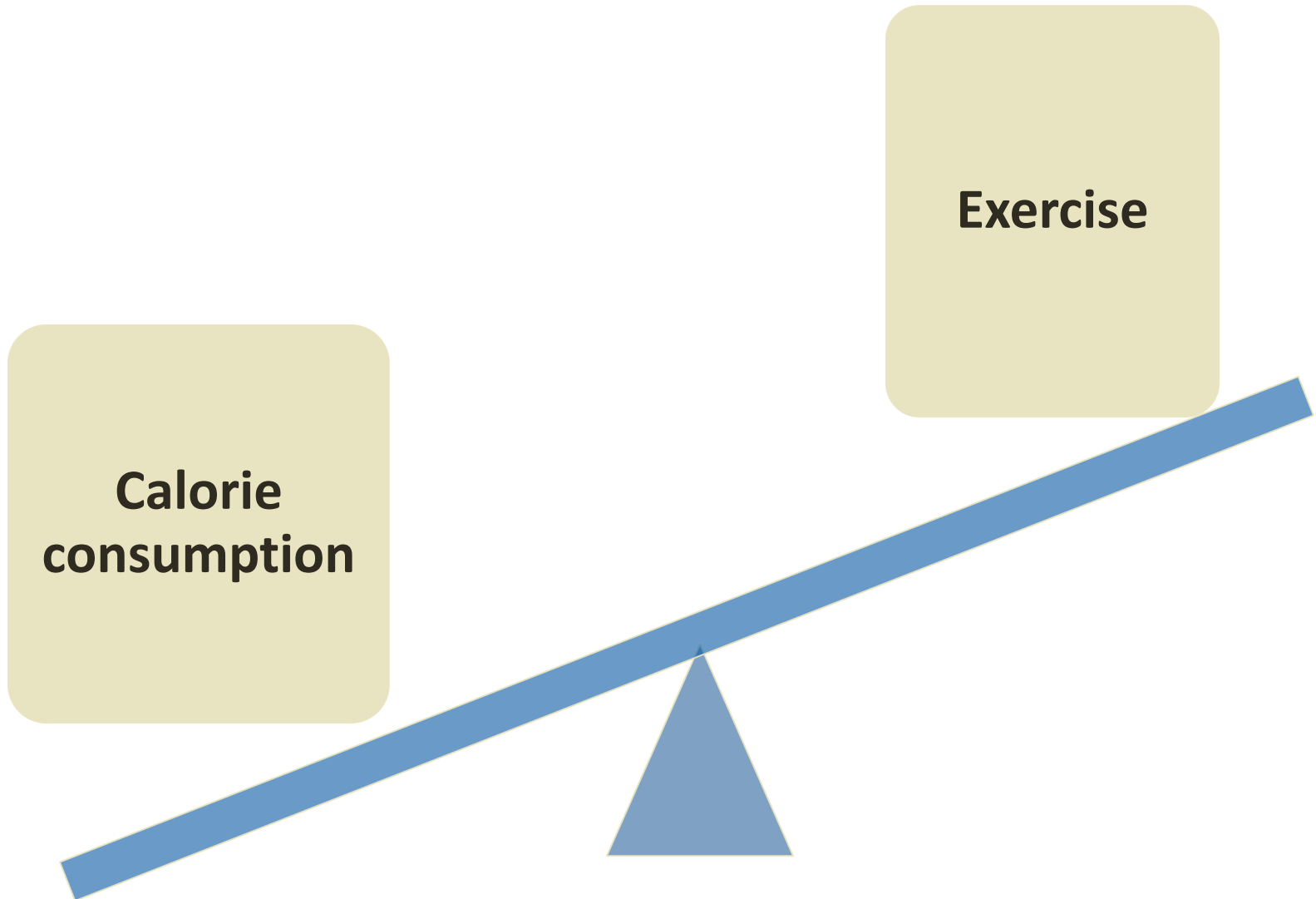
Fact or fiction

**Calorie
consumption
(gluttony)**

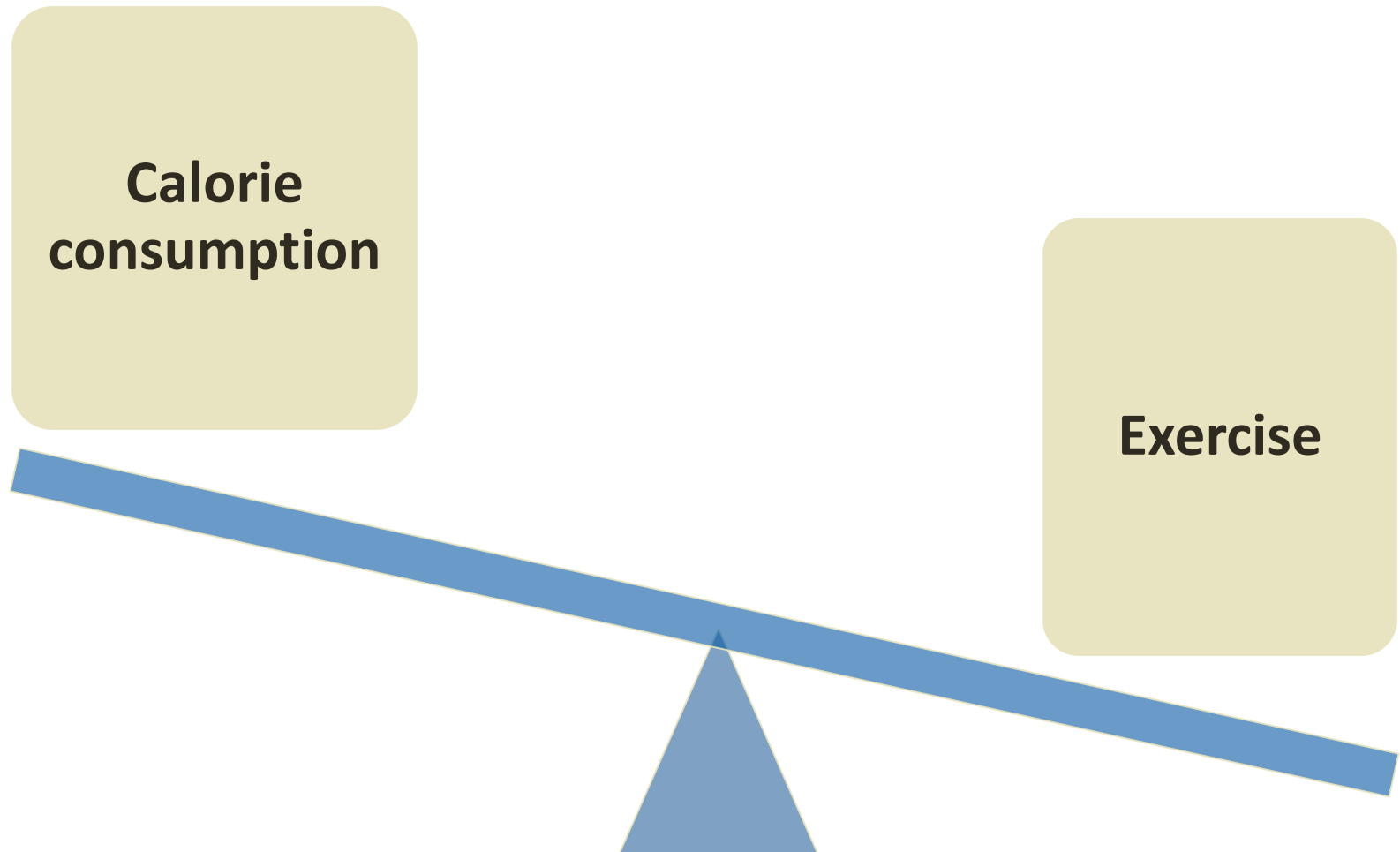
**Exercise
(sloth)**



Weight Gain?



Weight Loss?



A calorie is not a calorie

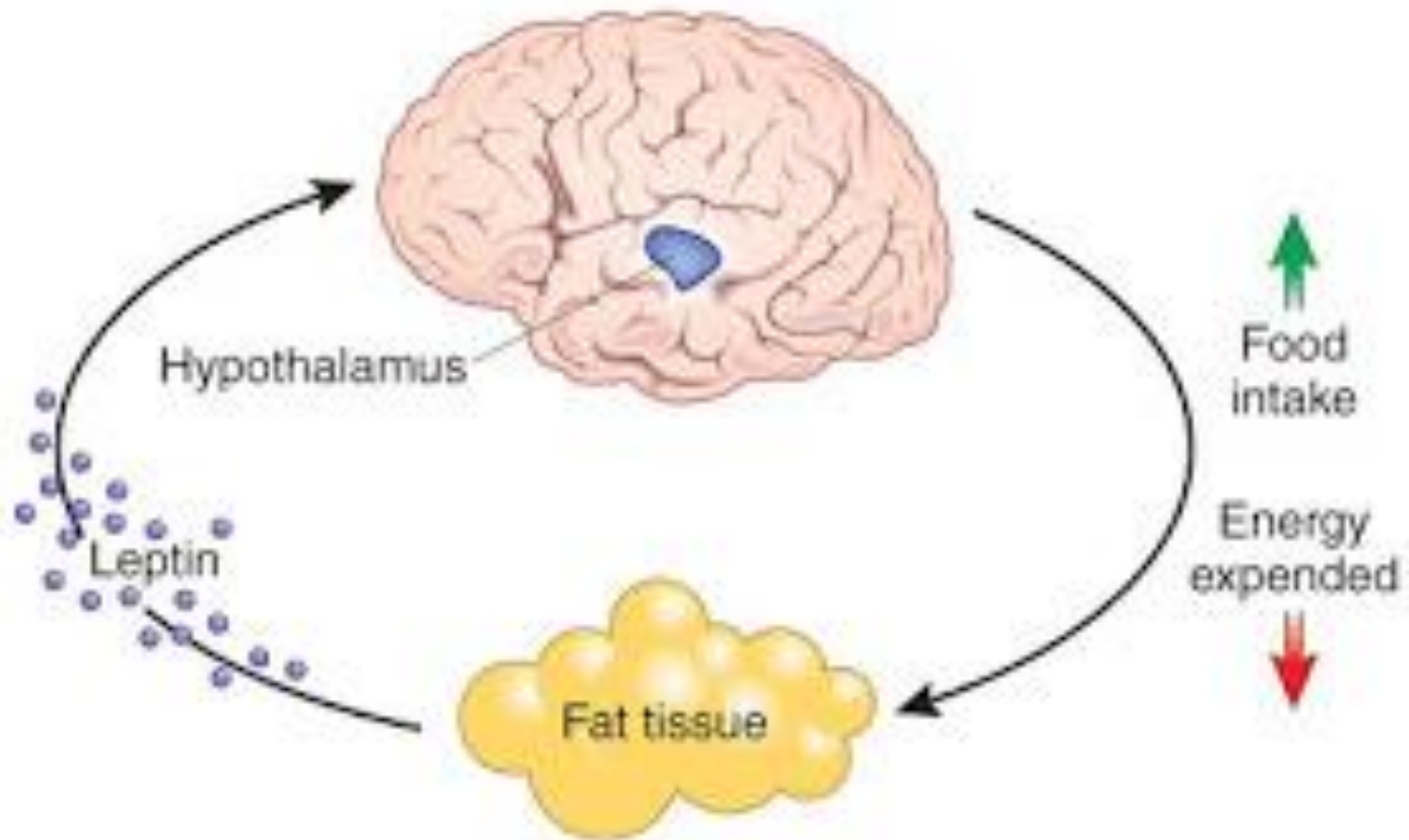


Hungry?



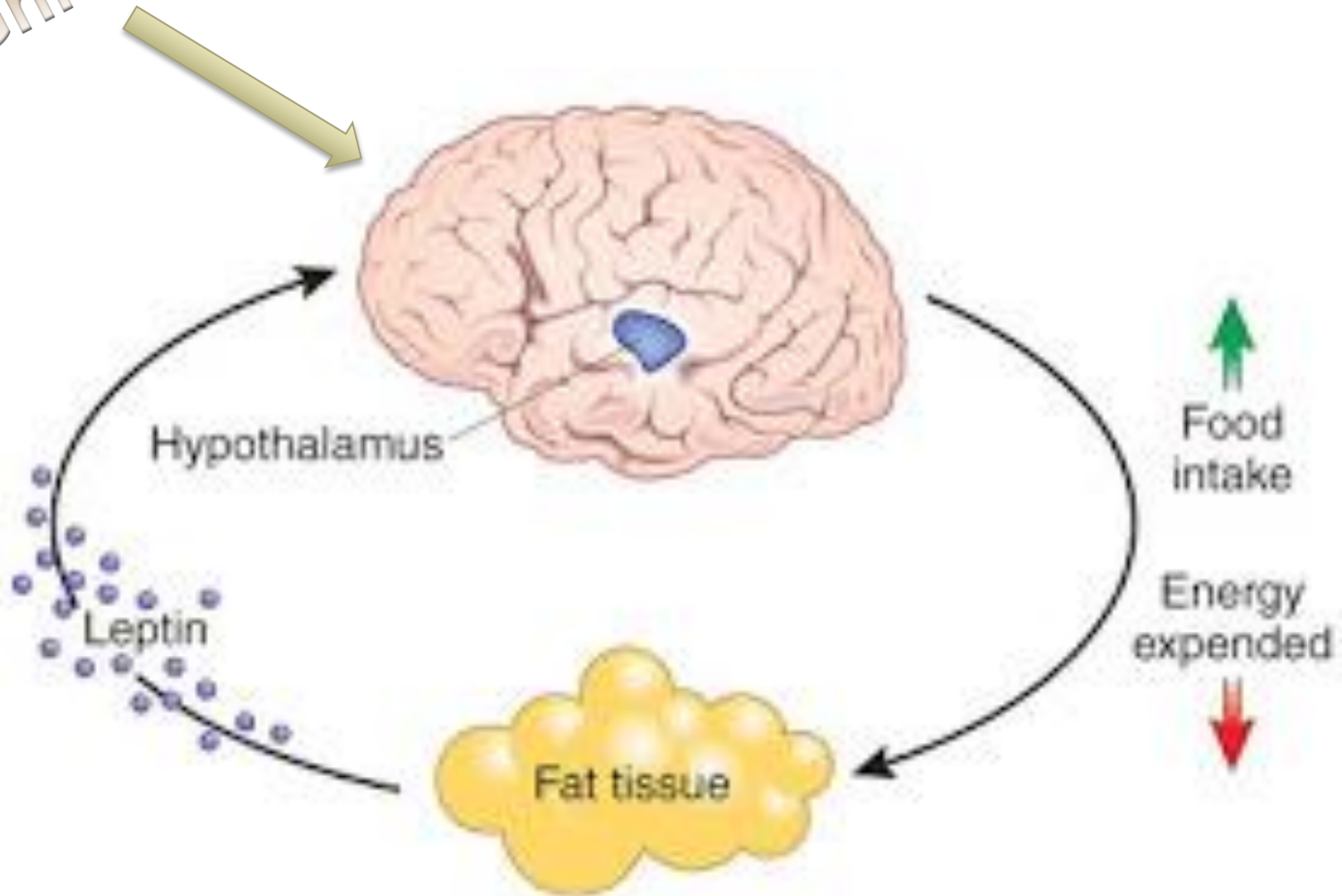
Ghrelin

Physiology

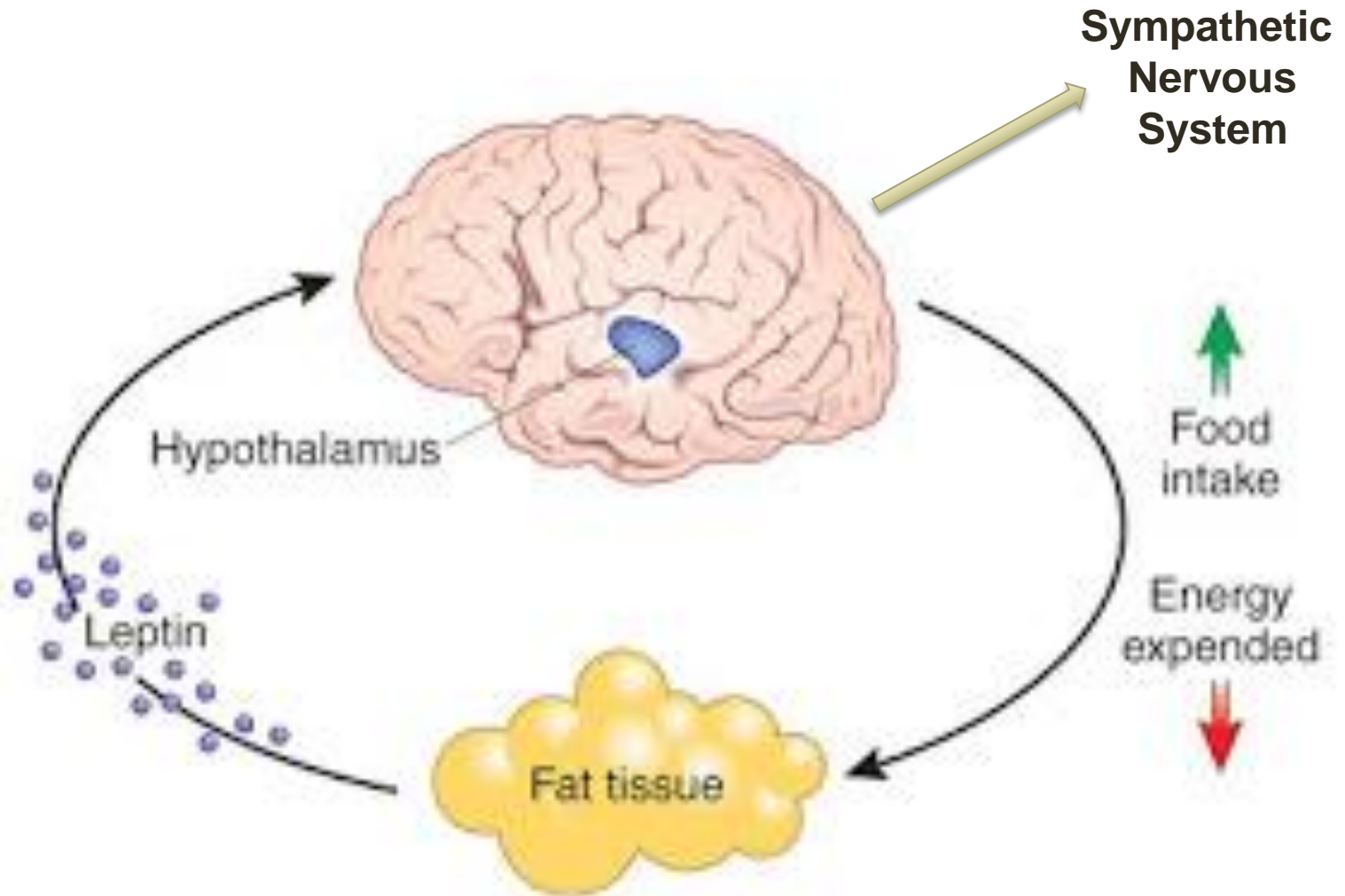


Physiology

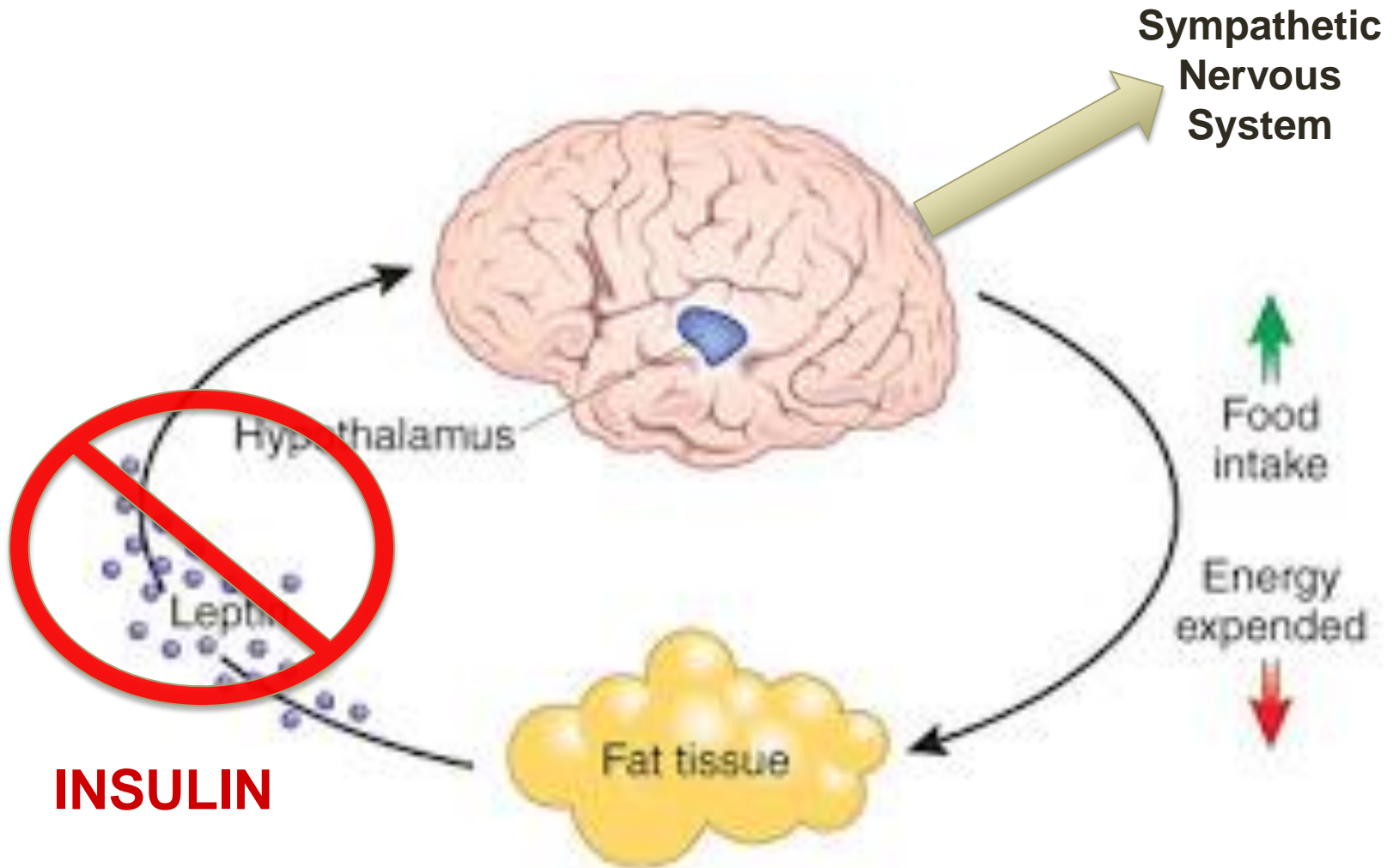
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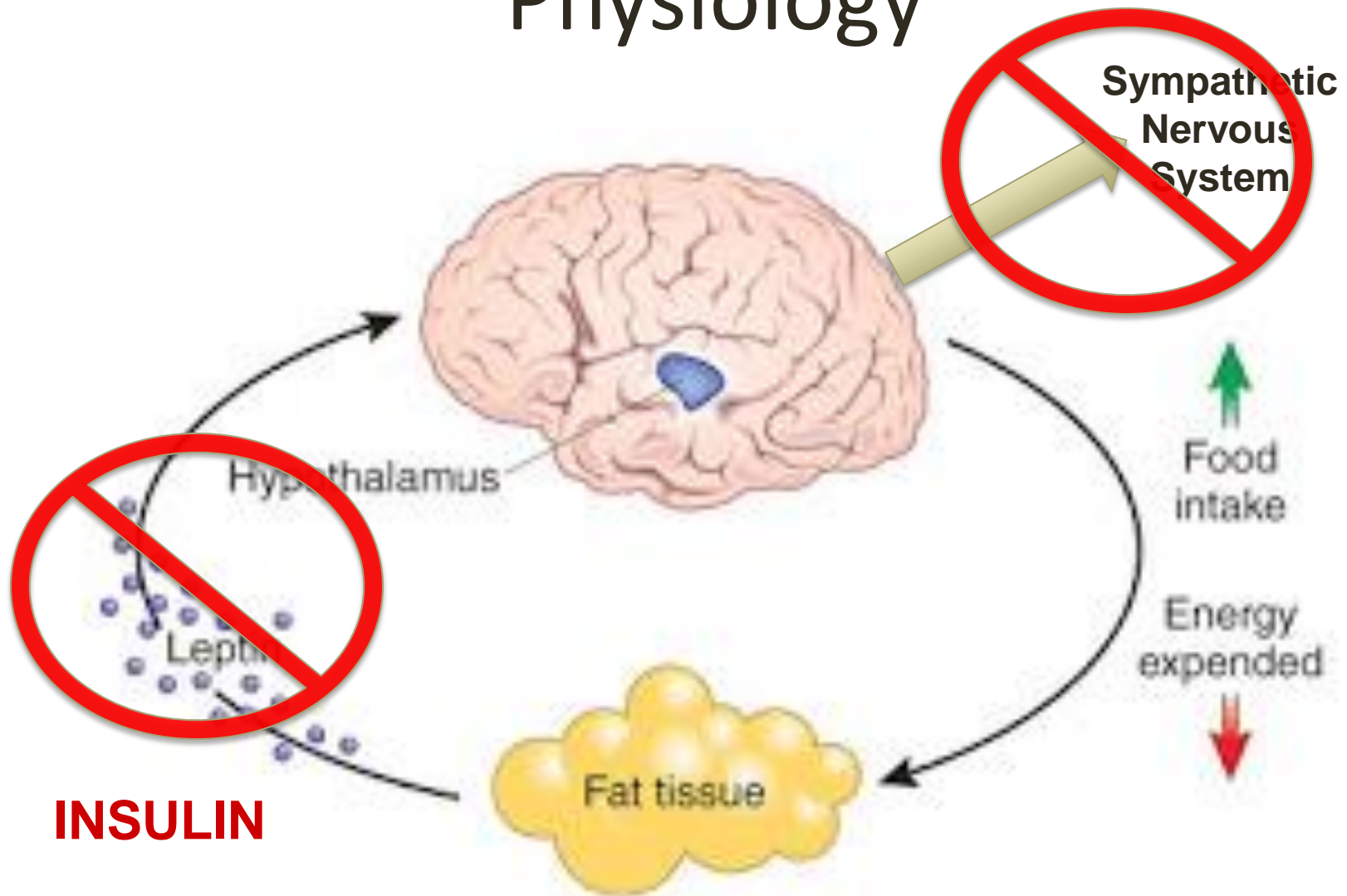
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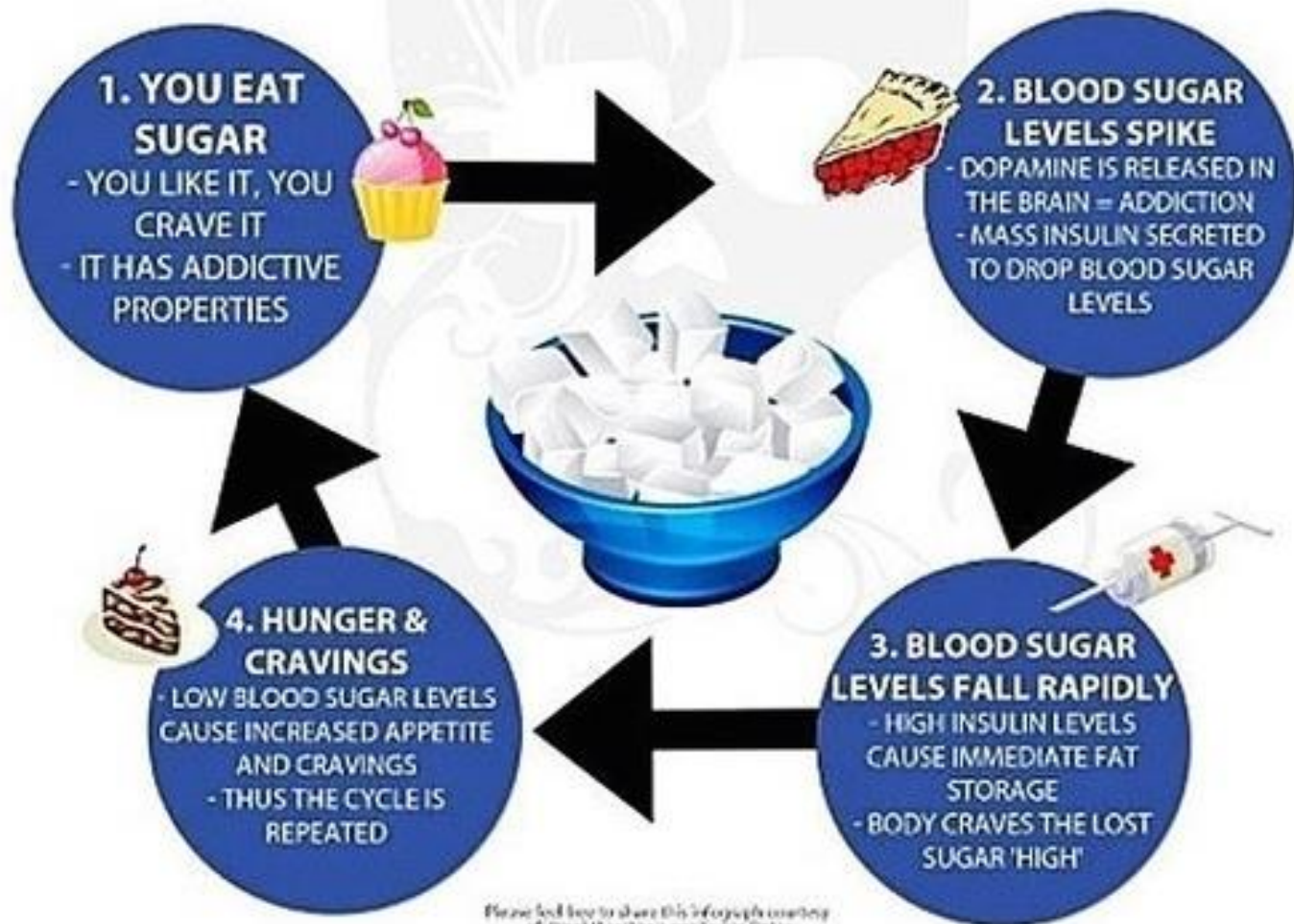
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INSULIN

SUGAR ADDICTION: THE PERPETUAL CYCLE

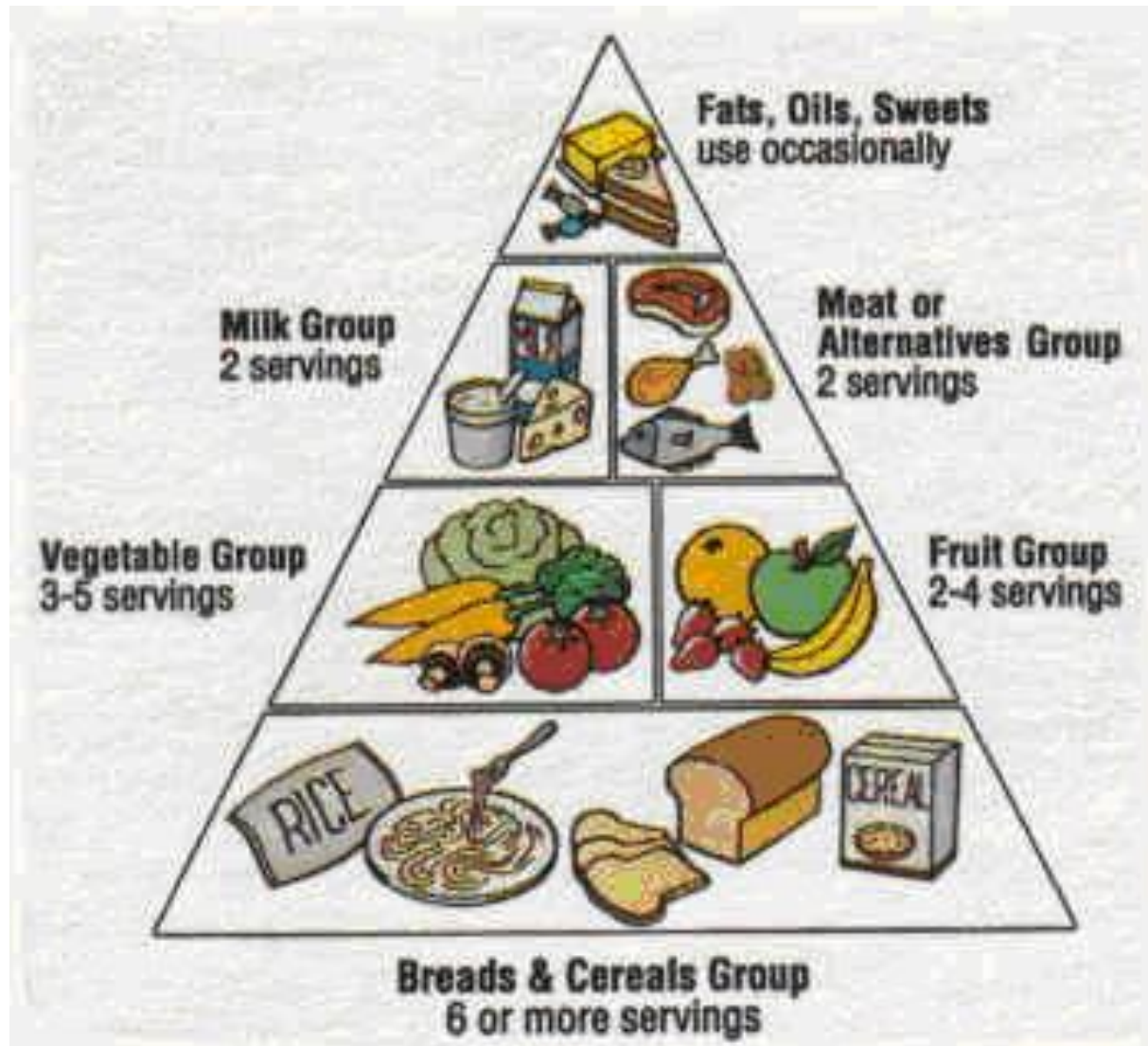






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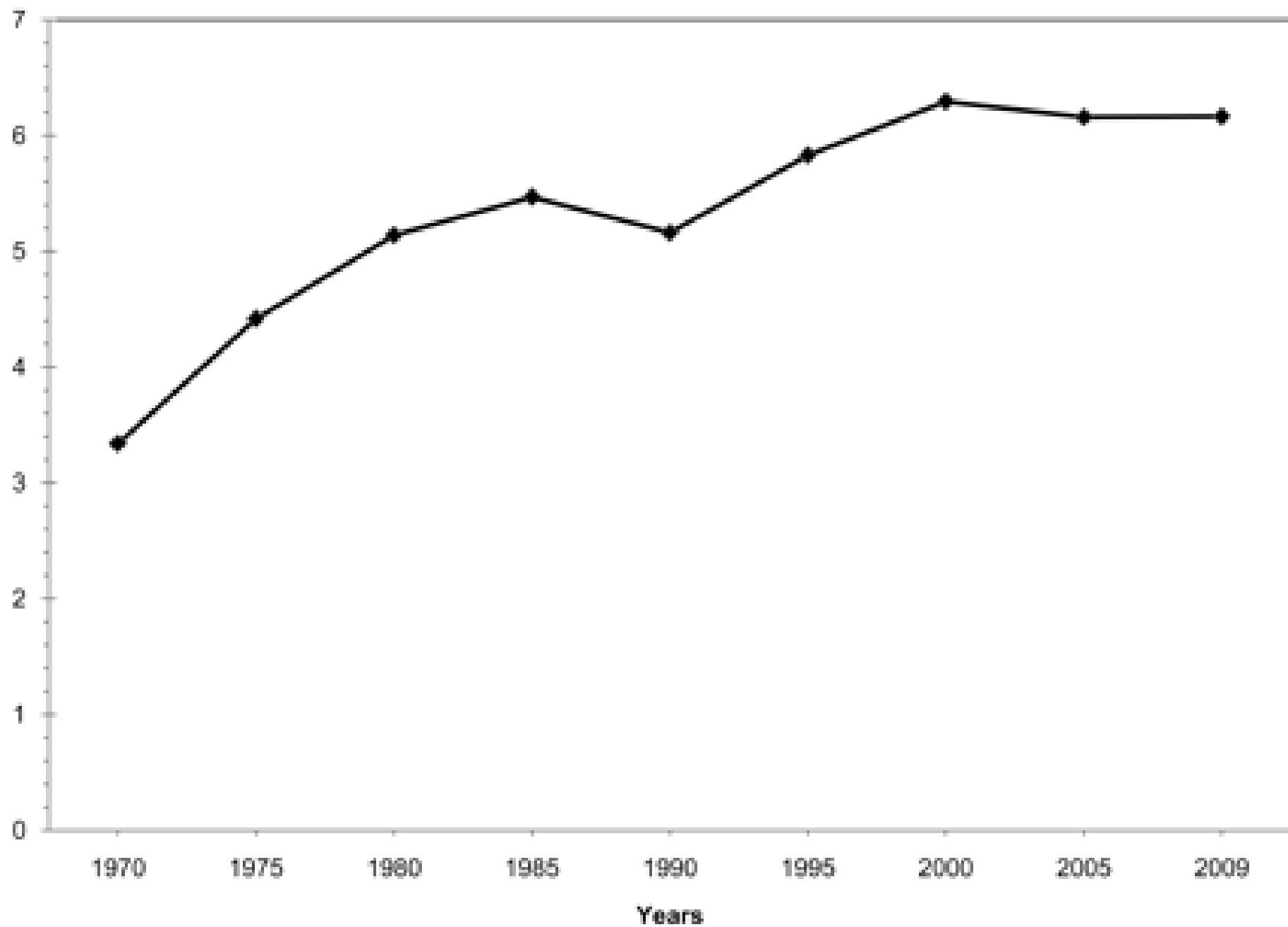








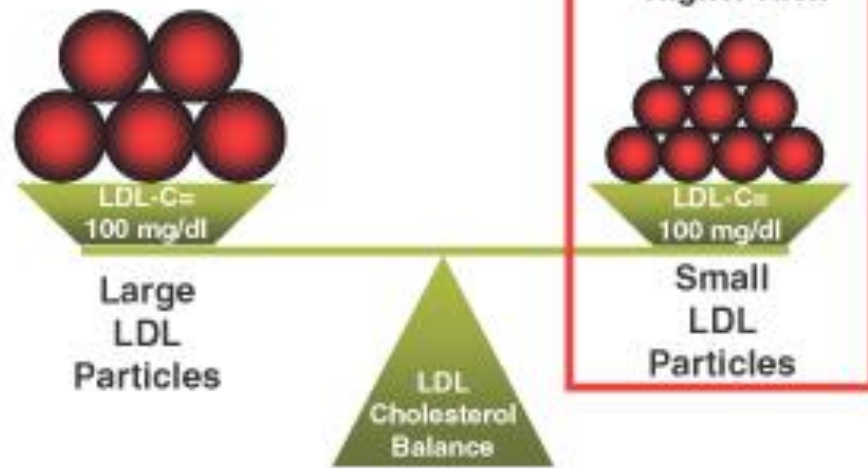
Discharges in Millions



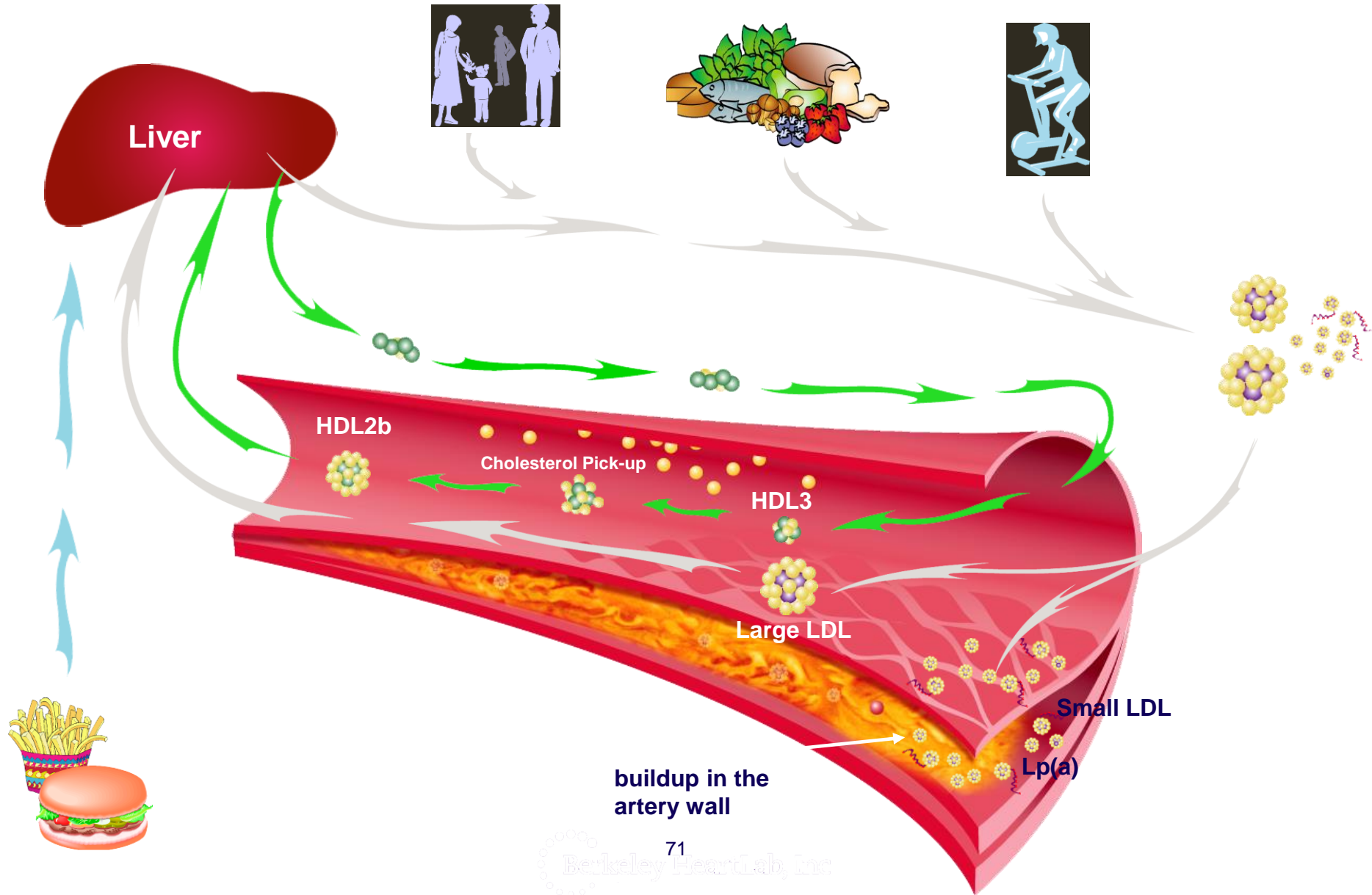


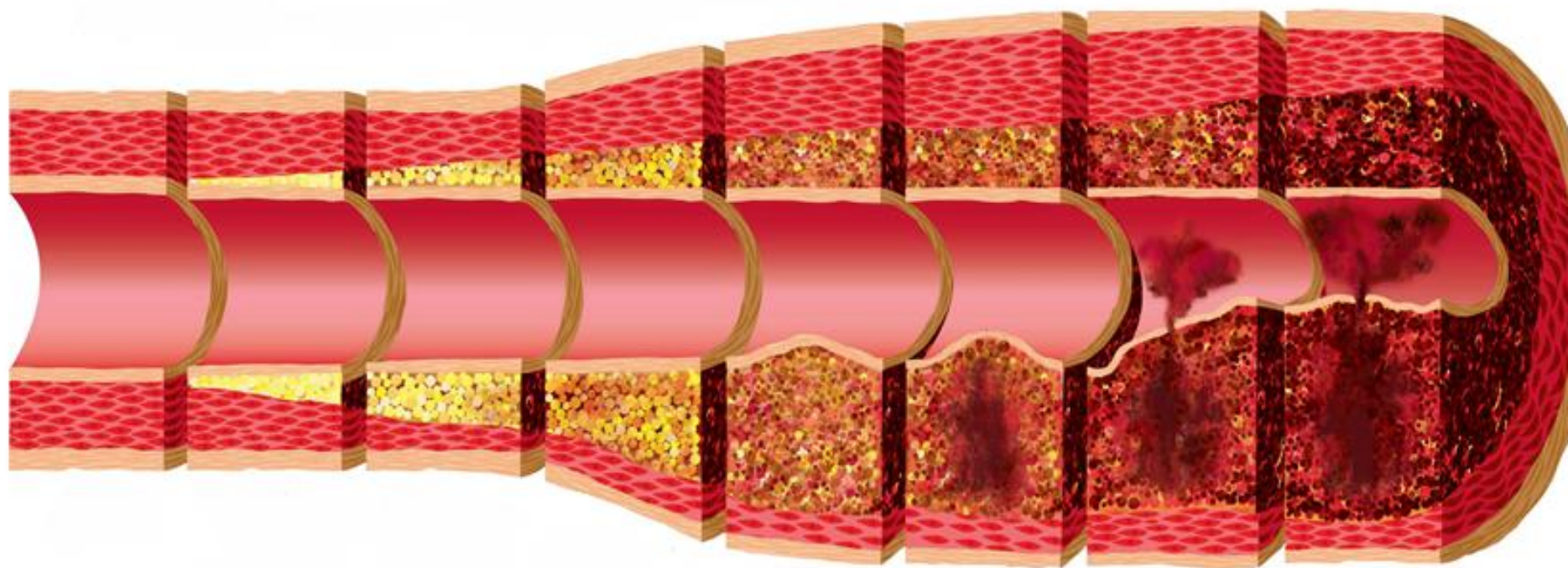
Low fat = High carbohydrate/high sugar

Cardiovascular Risk Tracks With Particles, Not Cholesterol



Plaque Formation





The Solution



Three Legged Stool



Lifestyle Modification



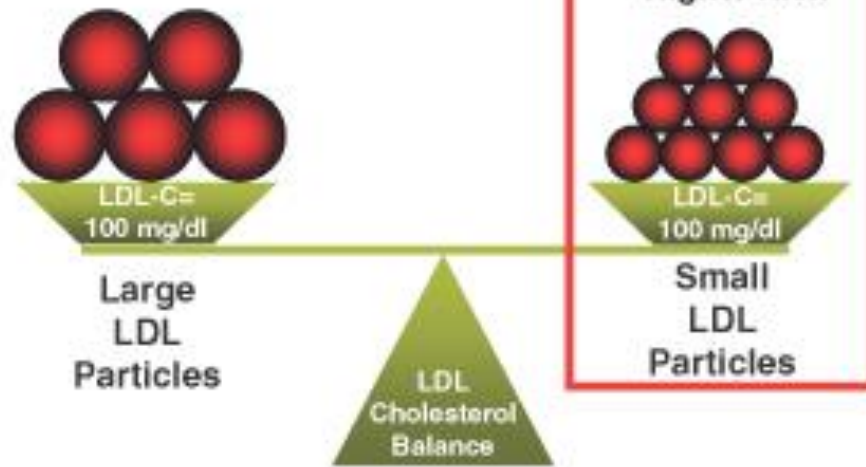
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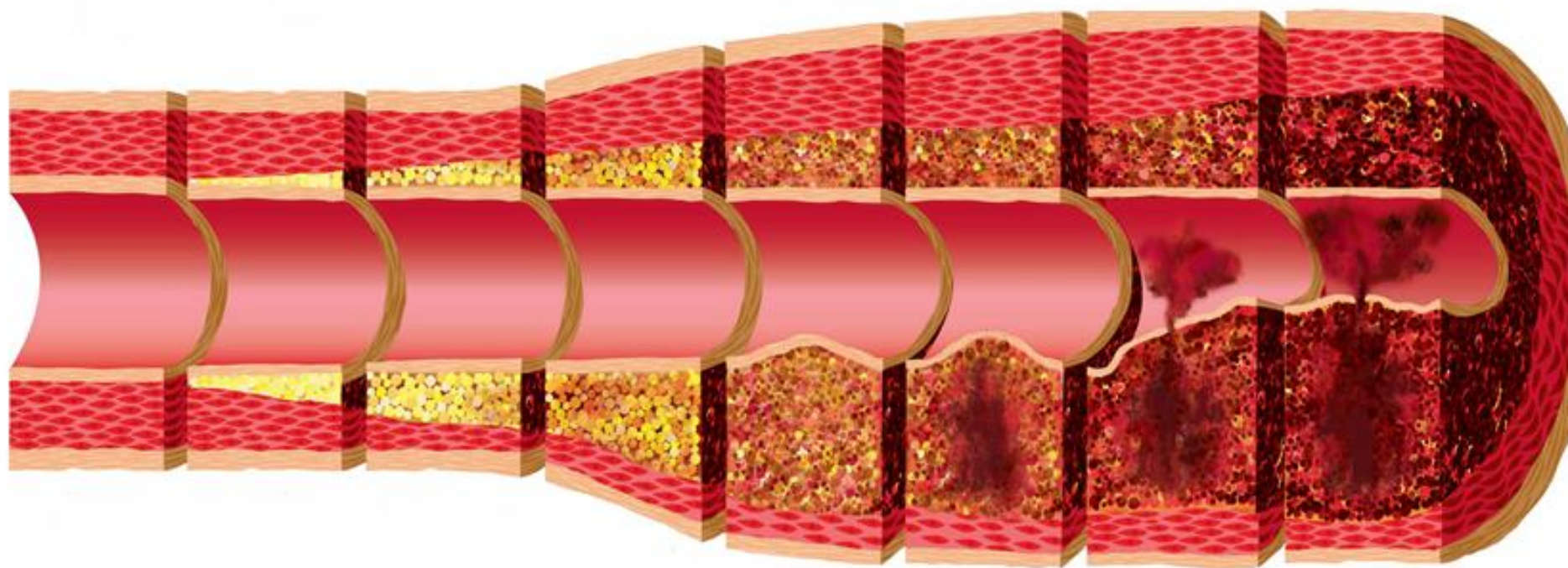


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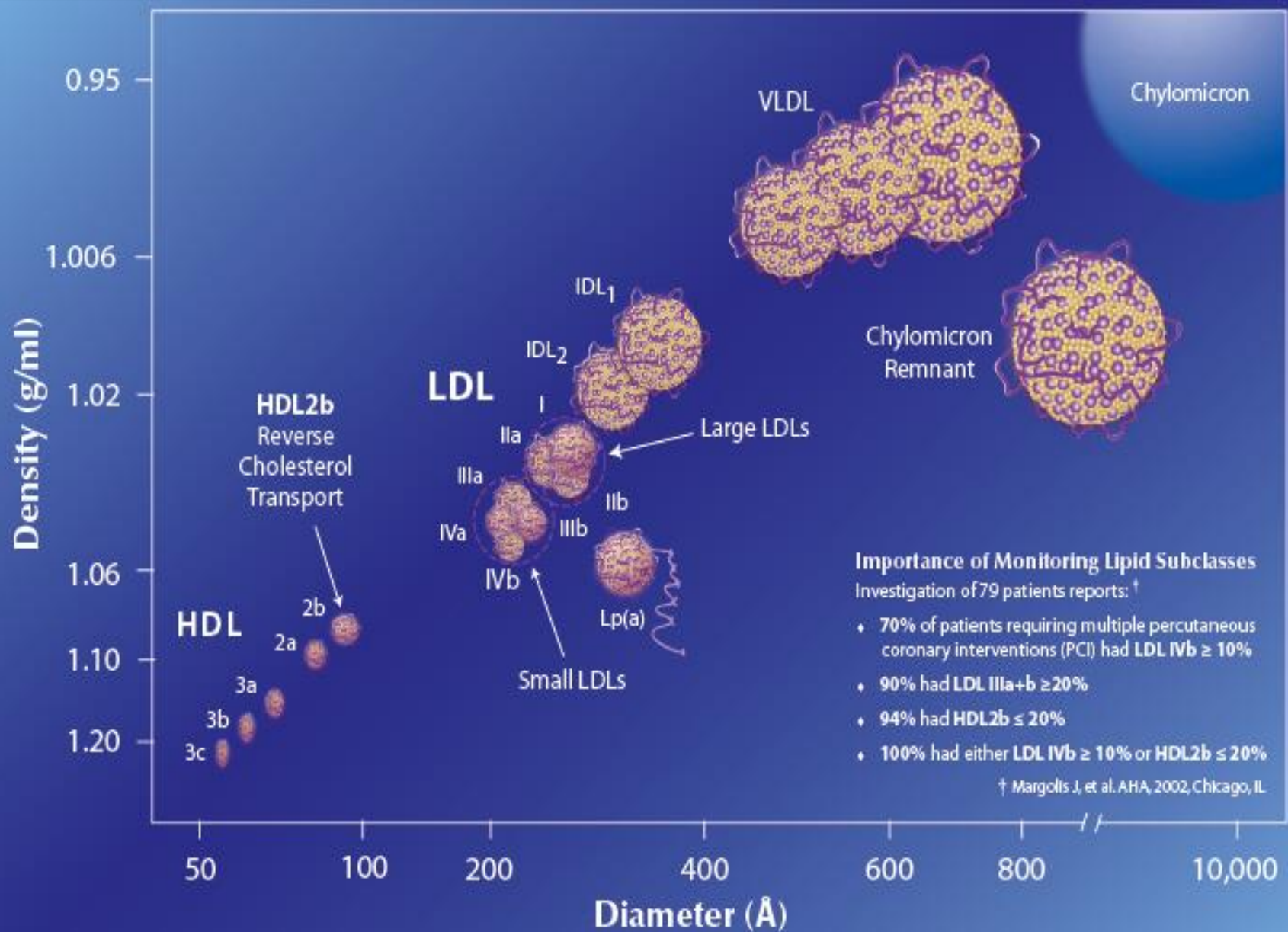


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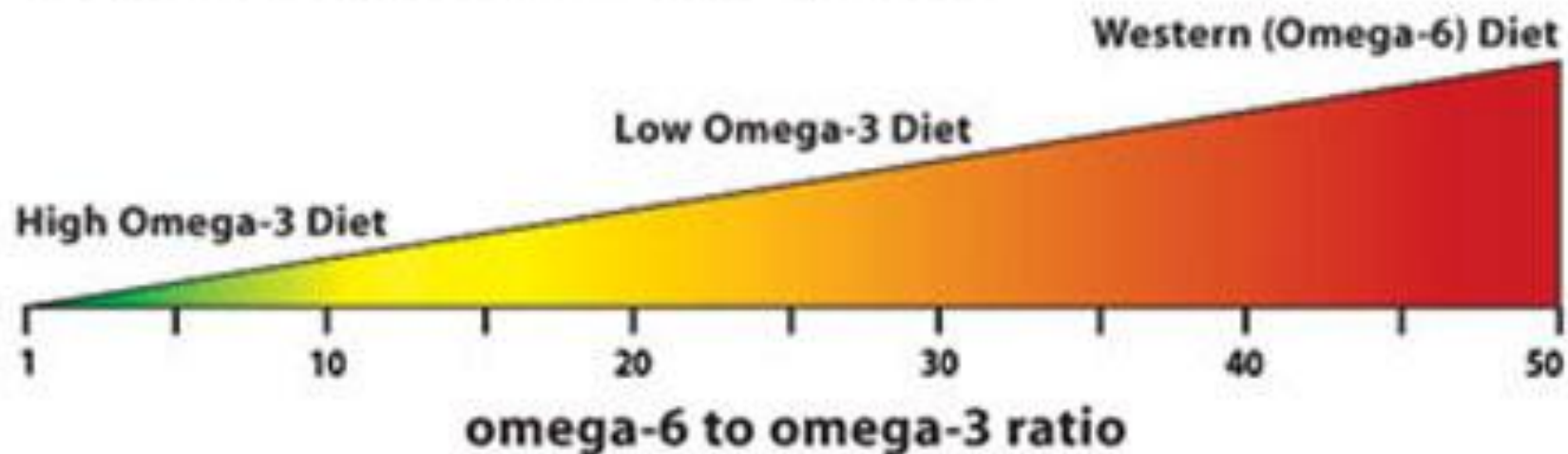


Supplements





Omega 6 to Omega 3 Ratio in Different Populations



 Hunter Gatherer Ancestor Diet

 Gene Smart Diet

 Eskimo diet

 Western diet



VALUE SIZE • VALUE SIZE • VALUE SIZE

NATURE'S BOUNTY

FLUSH FREE

Niacin

Inositol Hexanicotinate

500mg

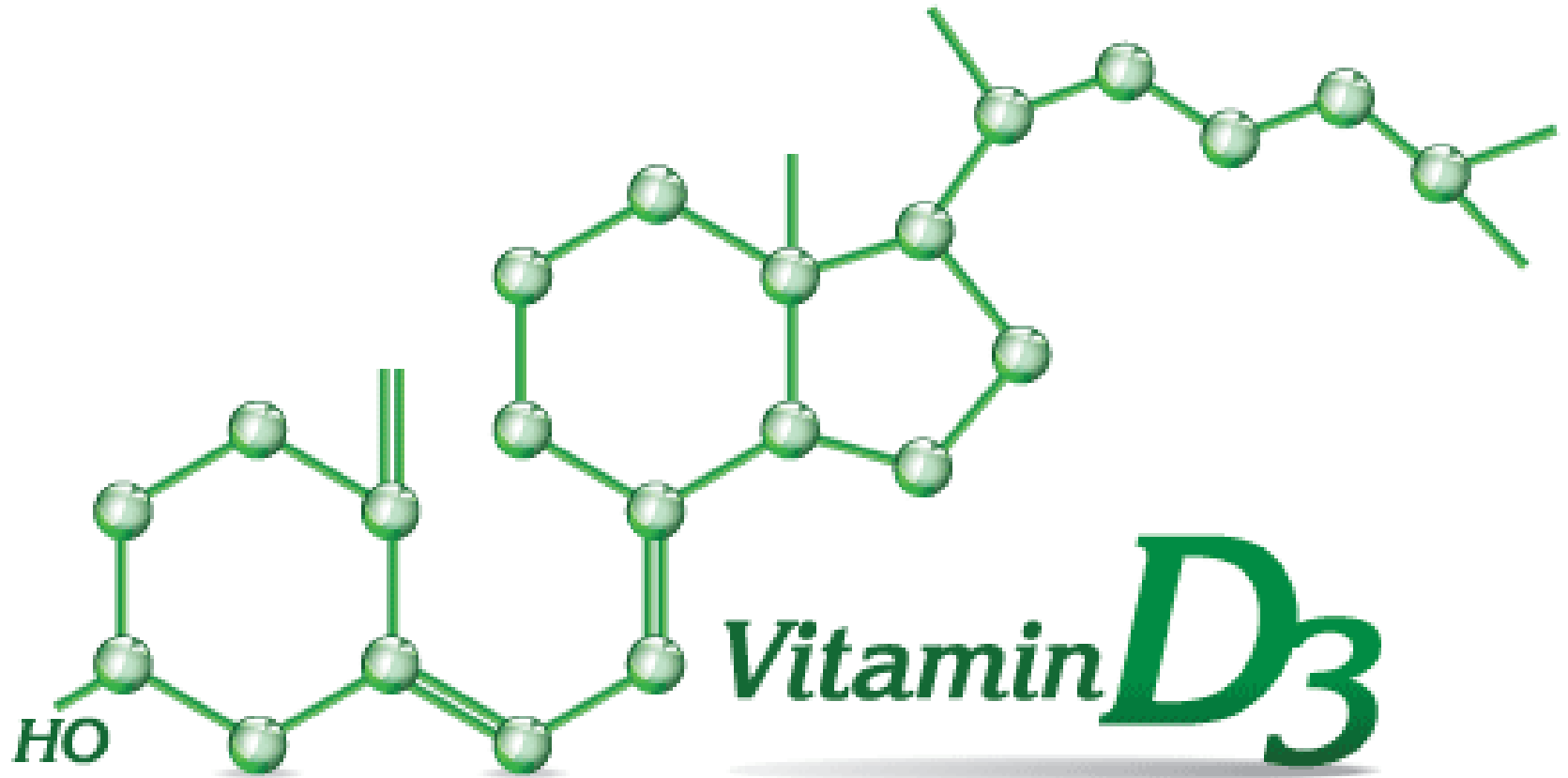
Promotes:

- ♦ Heart Health*
- ♦ Energy Metabolism*
- ♦ Digestive System Health*
- ♦ Nervous System Health*

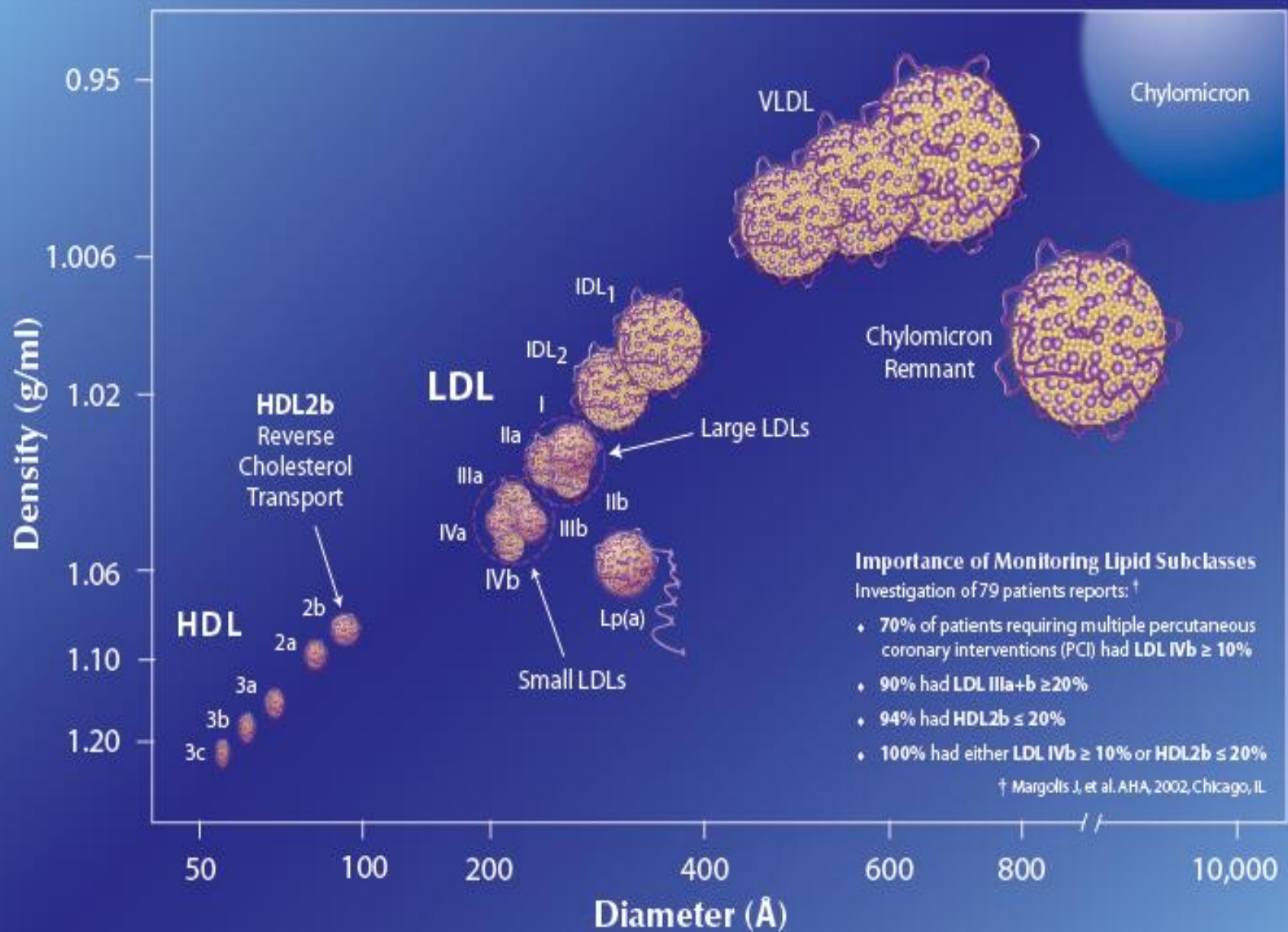


120 capsules

VITAMIN SUPPLEMENT



Vitamin ***D₃***



Medication

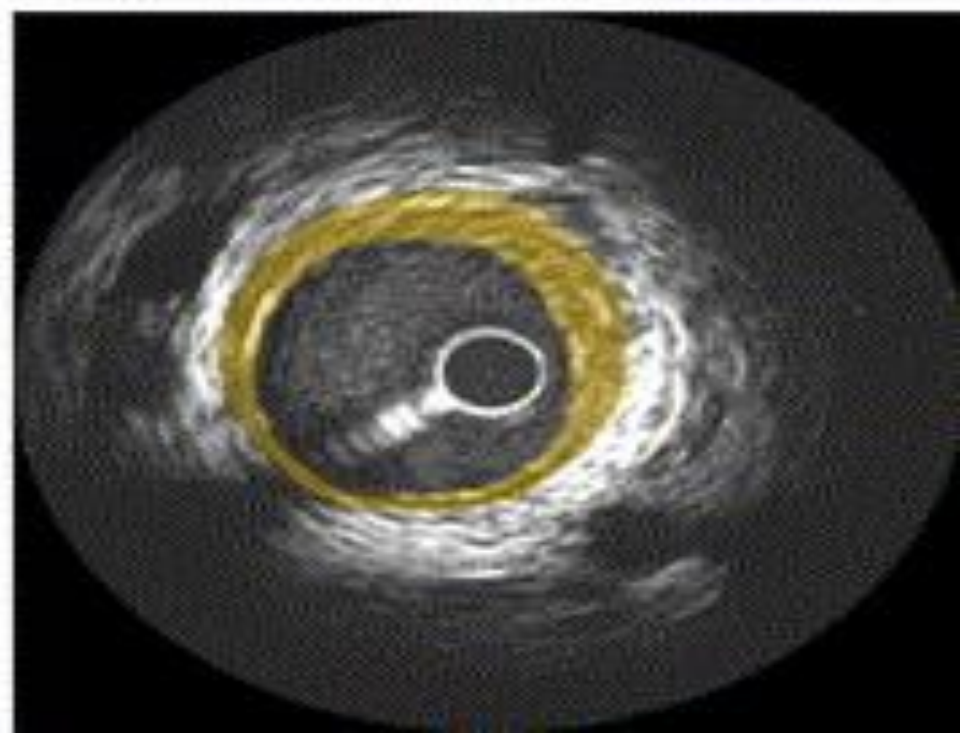
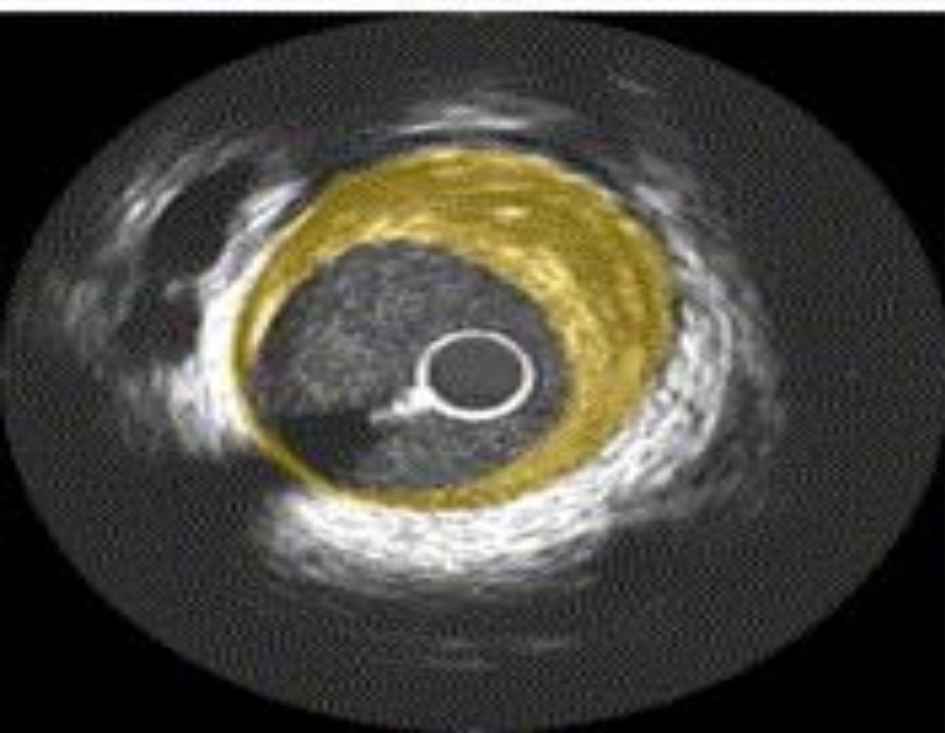


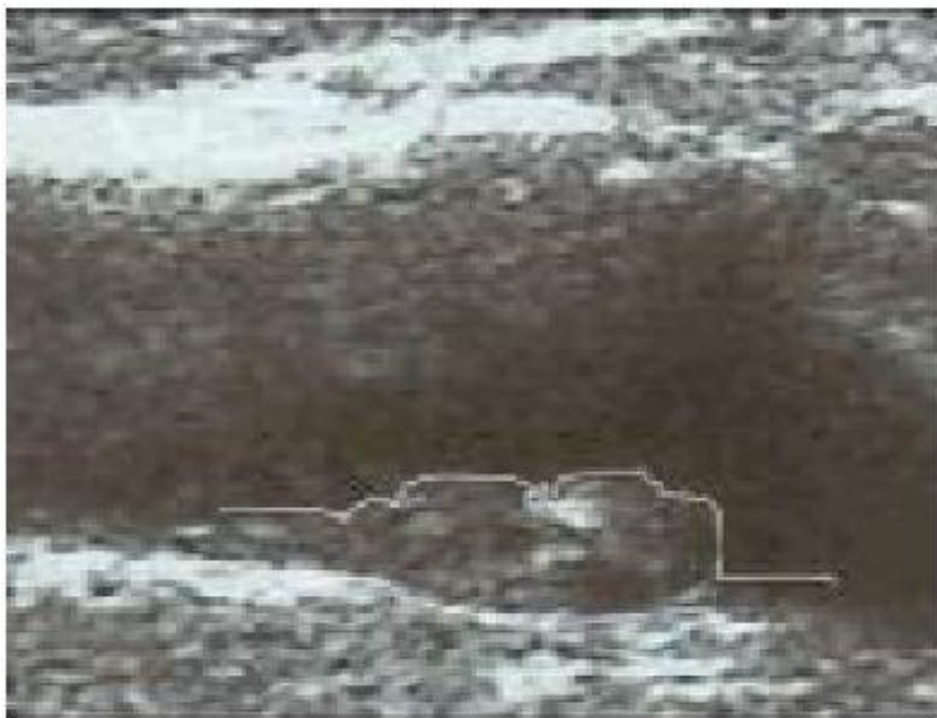


Baseline



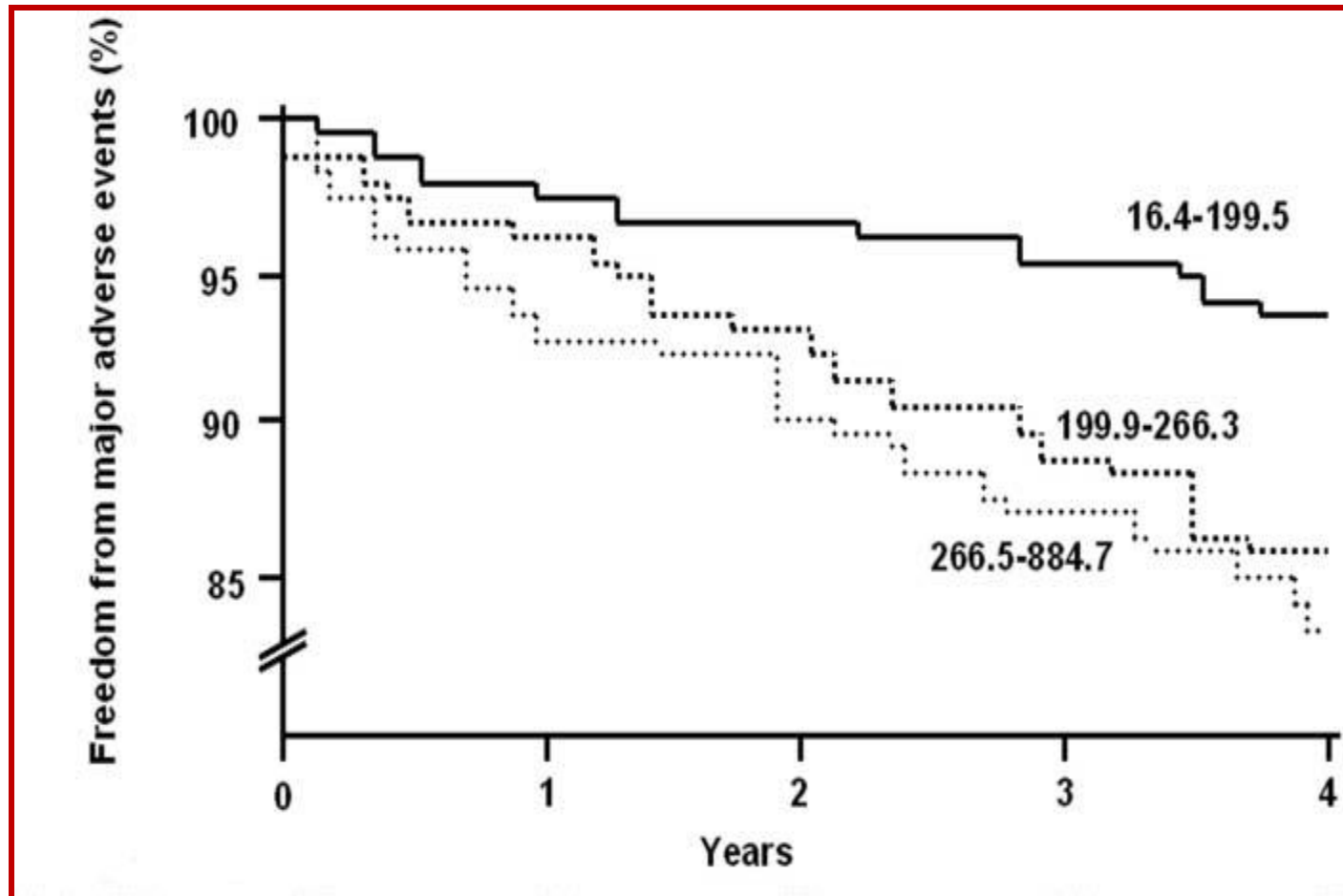
Follow-up





Lp-PLA₂ Predicts Major CV Events in CHD Patients: Mayo Heart Study

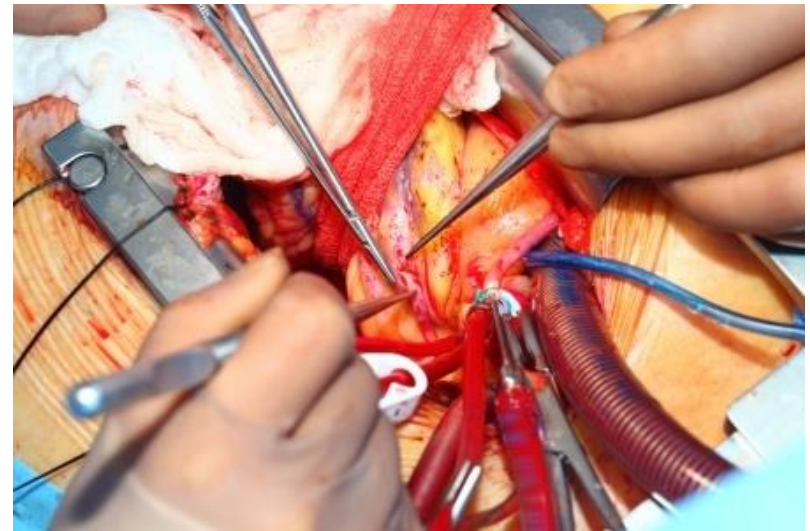
95% of patients with Lp-PLA₂ < 200 ng/ml were Event Free at 4 years





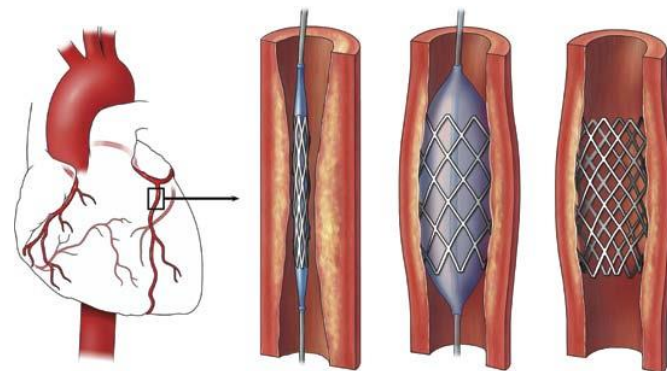
Costs

- Coronary artery bypass grafting (CABG)
 - \$39,407
- Coronary Stent (PCI)
 - \$20,421
- Heart Attack
 - \$6,569
 - CABG
 - PCI



Costs to Treat

- 1000 officers
 - 25% - CABG
 - \$9.8 MM
 - 50% - PCI
 - \$10.3 MM
 - 25% - Heart attack
 - \$6.6 MM
 - MD visits
 - Rx
 - **TOTAL = \$26.7 MM**



Costs to Prevent

- 1000
 - CCS \$50,000
 - Advanced Lipid Panel \$1,500,000
 - Treadmill \$151,000
 - Physician visits \$130,000
 - 5 years - \$650,000
 - Medication/supplements –
 - - \$6 mil
 - **TOTAL = \$ 8.4 MM**



Cost Savings

- \$18,000/officer per 5 years
- Extrapolated over 1500 officers
 - \$27 MM per 5 years



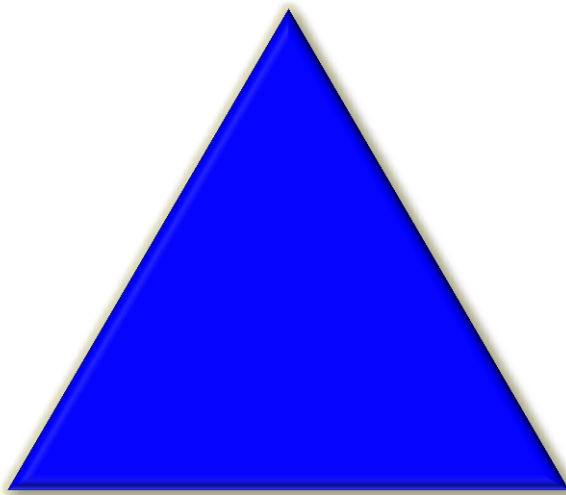
Days Lost

- Bypass Grafting
 - 60-90 days
- Heart attack
 - 7- 14 days
- Stent
 - 7-14 days



Recap

- Police Officers have significant increases
 - CV Events
 - CV Mortality
- Essential to identify those at risk
 - Initiate treatment
 - Reduce Mortality
 - Reduce Morbidity
 - Reduce Costs
 - Keep Officers On the Job



Agency Responsibilities

- Develop Wellness Program
 - Fitness
 - **NUTRITION**
 - Develop Standards
 - Collaboration
 - Executive Staff, Physician, HR manager, Cafeteria staff, Union Leader
 - Training Academy Director, Fitness professionals
- Develop Screening Programs
 - Calcium Score
 - Advanced Lipid Panel/Lp-Pla₂
 - Treadmill test/Fitness Assessment

Agency Responsibilities

- Effectively plan physical fitness and nutrition program
- Hire qualified trainers
- Conduct internal “Marketing”
- Ensure leadership advocacy
- “Stick vs Carrot”
 - Negative vs positive reinforcement
 - Balance?

Academy Responsibilities

- Set the “tone”
- Aggressive Screening prior to entry
- Education
 - Fitness
 - **Nutrition**
- Develop a culture that values wellness
- Develop understanding of future requirements

Officer/Agent Responsibilities

- Education
 - Exercise
 - Nutrition
- Accountability
- Responsibility
 - Advanced blood test
 - Lipid panel
 - Inflammatory markers PLA₂
 - Coronary Calcium Score
 - Exercise Treadmill Test



City or Country



Obesity



Resources

Public Safety Cardiac Foundation

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www.LawOfficer.com/Below100

Questions?

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Incidental Findings

Cardiac Screening Initiative

- Hypertension – 41%
- Overweight – 39%
 - Obese – 37%
- Diabetes – 10%*
- Low Vitamin D₃ – 52%
- Other Illness
 - Lymphoma
 - Lung Cancer
 - Stills Disease (Rheumatologic)
 - Inflammatory Lung disease

* Based on Hgb A1C, Insulin level, or fasting blood glucose