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# **DIABETES, MENOPAUSIA Y THM**

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# 2016 American Diabetes Association (ADA) Diabetes Guidelines

## Summary Recommendations from NDEI

### 1. Diabetes Diagnosis

#### Criteria for Diabetes Diagnosis: 4 options

**FPG  $\geq$  126 mg/ dL (7.0 mmol/ L)\***

Fasting is defined as no caloric intake for  $\geq$  8 hours

**2-hr PG  $\geq$  200 mg/ dL (11.1 mmol/ L) during OGTT (75-g)\***

Using a glucose load containing the equivalent of 75g anhydrous glucose dissolved in water

**A1C  $\geq$  6.5% (48 mmol/ mol)\***

Performed in a lab using NGSP-certified method and standardized to DCCT assay

**Random PG  $\geq$  200 mg/ dL (11.1 mmol/ L)**

In individuals with symptoms of hyperglycemia or hyperglycemic crisis

\*In the absence of unequivocal hyperglycemia results should be confirmed using repeat testing

- No clear clinical diagnosis? Immediately repeat the same test using a new blood sample.
- Same test with same or similar results? Diagnosis confirmed.
- Different tests above diagnostic threshold? Diagnosis confirmed.
- Discordant results from two separate tests? Repeat the test with a result above diagnostic cut-point.

## Testing for Type 2 Diabetes and Prediabetes in Asymptomatic Adults

Type 2 diabetes screening should be performed in adults of any age who are overweight or obese, and who have one or more diabetes risk factor (See Diabetes Risk Factors)

- Testing should begin at age 45
- If test is normal? Repeat it at least every 3 years (See Diabetes Risk Factors):

Screening for prediabetes can be done using A1C, FPG, or 2-hr PG after 75-g OGTT criteria

- CVD risk factors should be identified and treated
- Testing may be considered in children and adolescents who are overweight or obese and have two or more risk factors for diabetes (See Diabetes Risk Factors)

### Type 2 Diabetes Risk Factors

- Physical inactivity
- First-degree relative with diabetes
- High-risk race/ethnicity
- Women who delivered a baby >9 lb or were diagnosed with GDM
- HDL-C <35 mg/dL ± TG >250 mg/dL
- Hypertension ( $\geq 140/90$  mm Hg or on therapy)
- A1C  $\geq 5.7\%$ , IGT, or IFG on previous testing
- Conditions associated with insulin resistance: severe obesity, acanthosis nigricans, PCOS
- History of CVD

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## Summary Recommendations from NDEI

Categories of Increased Risk for Diabetes (Prediabetes)		
FPG	2-hr PG	A1C
100-125 mg/dL (5.6-6.9 mmol/L) Impaired fasting glucose (IFG)	140-199 mg/dL (7.8-11.0 mmol/L) Impaired glucose tolerance (IGT)	5.7-6.4% (39-46 mmol/mol)
For all tests, risk is continuous, extending below lower limit of range and becoming disproportionately greater at higher ends of range		

## CASO CLINICO

**Paciente de 53 años. Arquitecta. Sedentaria. No fuma.**

**MC: Tuforadas de calor, insomnio y depresión de más de 2 años de evolución, que alteran su calidad de vida.**

**Antecedentes Familiares:**

**Padre fallecido por cáncer de pulmón. Madre con HTA, fallecida por ACV.**

**Antecedentes Personales:**

- HTA tratada con Enalapril 10 mg/día**
- Dislipemia en tratamiento con 10 mg/día de Atorvastatina**
- Diabética tipo 2 diagnosticada a los 48 años, en tratamiento con metformina (1700 mg diarios)**

**- Antecedentes tocoginecológicos:**

**Menarca: 14 años**

**RM: regulares**

**G: 2 PN:2 (el último con DG, no requirió insulina)**

**Menopausia a los 52 años.**

**A los 51 años comenzó con severos sofocos que la despiertan por la noche, que no cedieron con tratamiento no hormonal (intentó isoflavonas, venlafaxina, β- alanina con oxazepam y hasta gabapentin).**

**Examen físico:**

**Peso: 84kg Talla: 1.62 mt IMC: 32.06 Cintura: 107 cm**

**TA 130/80mmHg. Acantosis nigricans grado 2-3.**

**Resto del examen físico normal.**

## **Laboratorio: (datos de relevancia solamente)**

- HbA1C 6.5%
- Glucemia 126 mg%
- Creatinina 1.0 mg/dl
- LDL 120mg/dl
- HDL 35 mg/dl
- Trigliceridos 179 mg/dl
- Colesterol total 201mg/dl
- Albuminuria: negativa

**Trae fondo de ojos: sin retinopatía diabética**

**Trae estudios ginecológicos:**

- Ecografía mamaria y mamografía que informan Bi-rads 2
- Ecografía transvaginal con endometrio de 4 mm

**Ante esta paciente las preguntas que nos hacemos son:**

**1-¿A esta paciente con DM2 y severos síntomas climatéricos que alteran su calidad de vida le indicaría THM?**

**2-De indicarle THM:  
-¿Qué THM le indicaría?**

# **THM: Contraindicaciones**

- Cánceres hormono-dependientes
- Hemorragia genital de origen no determinado
- Enfermedad hepática, renal o cardíaca aguda
- Trombosis venosa profunda o TEV (actual o pasado)
- Historia de enfermedad coronaria arterial o de ACV
- Hipertrigliceridemia >750mg%
- Hipertensión arterial no controlada
- Migrañas con aura
- Porfiria

**Table 4** Tailoring hormone replacement therapy (HRT) in higher-risk cases

Obese	Use non-oral routes to reduce risk of venous thromboembolism
High triglycerides	Use non-oral route
Hypertensive	Consider drospirenone if woman has uterus
Skin allergy	Consider gel, spray or implant
Implants required	Use low dose and sparingly to avoid tachyphylaxis
Diabetes	Is not a contraindication to HRT

**Table 4.** Specific Cautions to Use of Systemic MHT or SERMs<sup>a,b</sup> for Treatment of Menopausal Symptoms

In general, ET should not be used in women with any of the following conditions:

- Undiagnosed abnormal genital bleeding
- Known, suspected, or history of cancer of the breast
- Known or suspected estrogen-dependent neoplasia including endometrial cancer
- Active DVT, pulmonary embolism, or history of these conditions
- Active arterial thromboembolic disease (for example, stroke, MI) or a history of these conditions
- Known anaphylactic reaction or angioedema in response to any ingredient in the medication<sup>c</sup>
- Known liver impairment or disease
- Known protein C, protein S, or antithrombin deficiency, or other known thrombophilic disorders<sup>c</sup>
- Known or suspected pregnancy

Caution should also be exercised in women with:

- Gallbladder disease (oral ET)
- Hypertriglyceridemia ( $>400$  mg/d) (oral ET)
- Diabetes
- Hypoparathyroidism (risk of hypocalcemia)
- Benign meningioma
- Intermediate or high risk of breast cancer
- High risk of heart disease
- Migraine with aura (oral ET)
- Other conditions<sup>d</sup>

Review article

# Managing the menopause: An update

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**Table 1**

Recommendations for HT use (6).

Outcome	Recommendation	Level of Evidence
Prevention of CVD	Do not use	I-A
Menopausal symptoms	Moderate dose HT most effective for VMS therapy	I-A
	Progestin alone	I-A
	Selected Antidepressants/clonidine/gabapentin	I-B
Vaginal dryness	Low dose vaginal estrogen.	I-A
	Progestin not required	III-C
Recurrent UTI/Urgency incontinence	Low dose vaginal estrogen	I-B
		II-1A

**Table 2**

Recommendations for HT use in women with particular conditions (6).

Medical history	Recommendation to use for symptom relief	Level of Evidence <sup>a</sup>
Personal history or high risk of VTE	Do not use oral HT consider transdermal	I-A III-C
Diabetes	Can use HT	I-A
Breast cancer	Uncertainty re risks of HT	I-B
Surgical menopause	Offer HT	I-A
Premature ovarian insufficiency	Offer HT Recommend use to average age of menopause	I-A III-B

<sup>a</sup> I: Evidence obtained from at least one properly randomized controlled trial. II-1: Evidence from well-designed controlled trials without randomization. III: Opinions of respected authorities based on clinical experience, descriptive studies or reports of expert committees. A: There is good evidence to recommend the clinical preventive action. B: There is fair evidence to recommend the clinical preventive action. C: The existing evidence is conflicting and does not allow to make a recommendation for or against use of the clinical preventive action; however, other factors may influence decision-making.

# **Hormone Replacement Therapy Is Associated With Better Glycemic Control in Women With Type 2 Diabetes**

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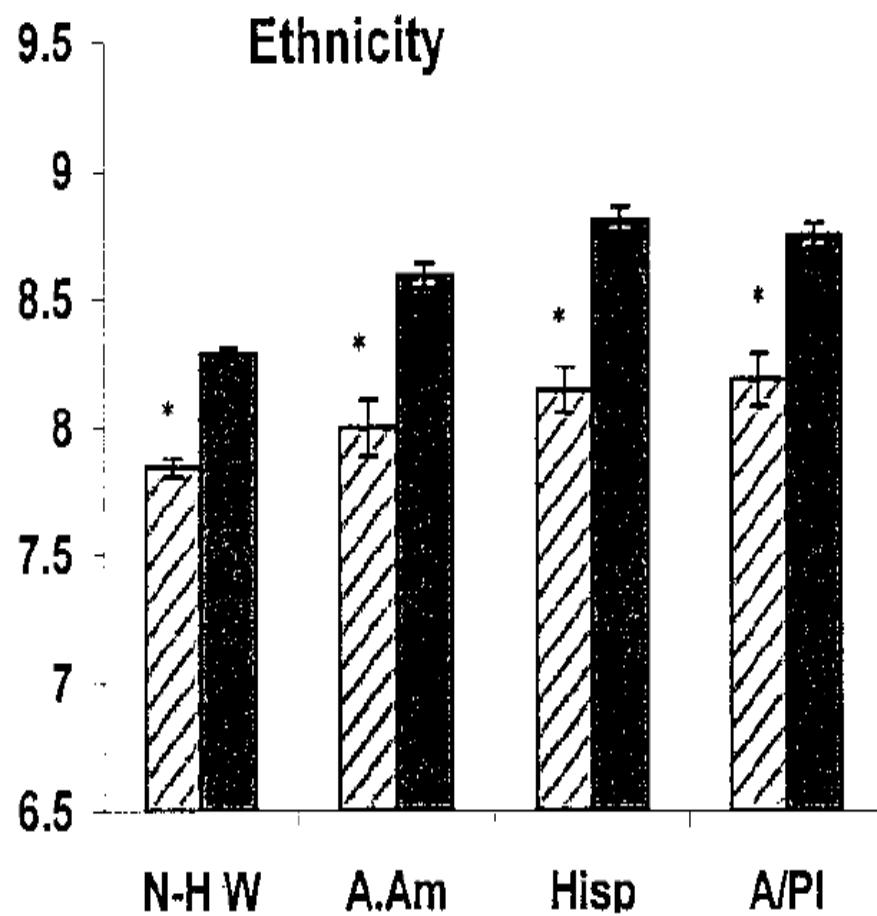
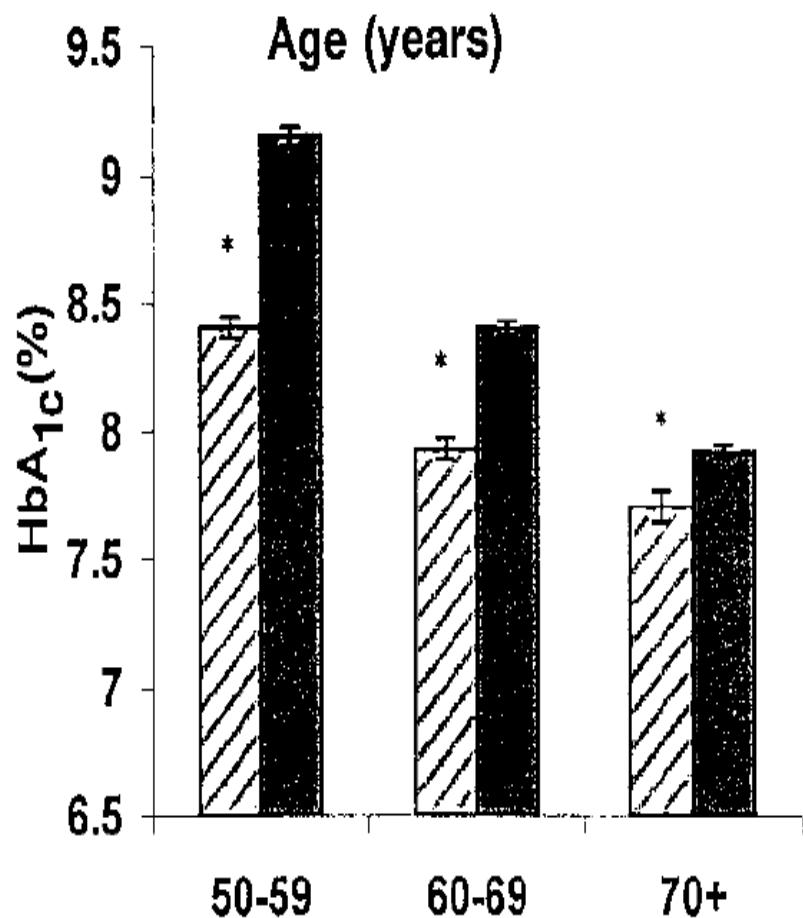
The Northern California Kaiser Permanente Diabetes Registry

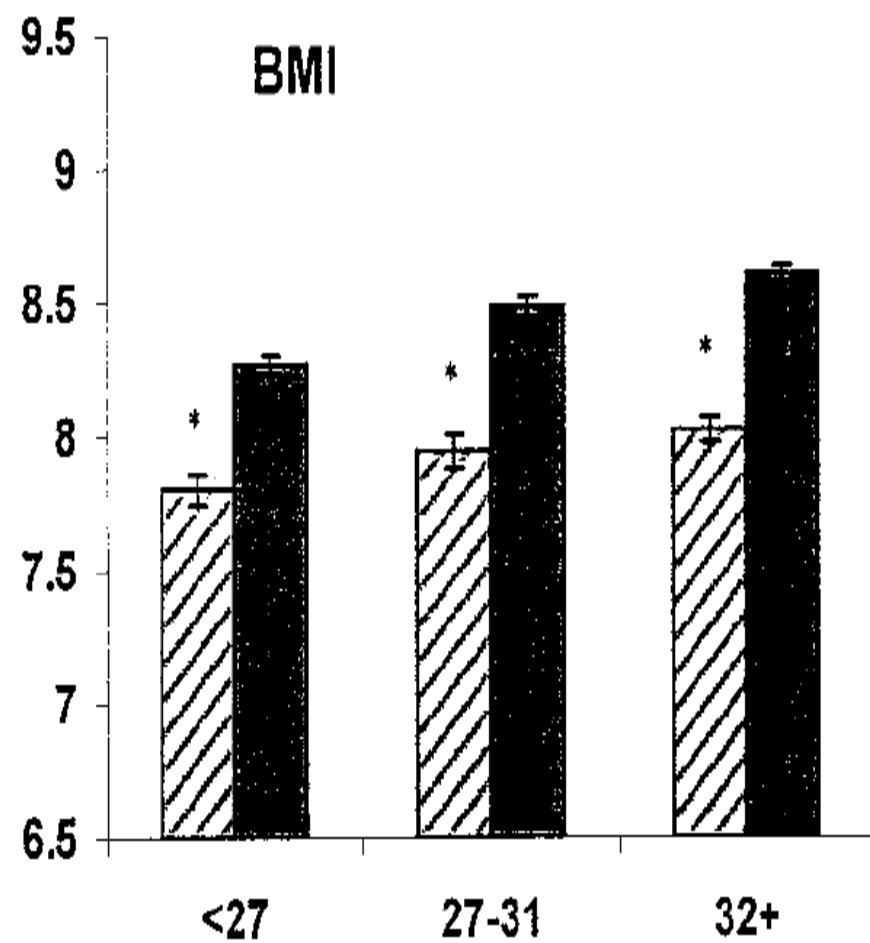
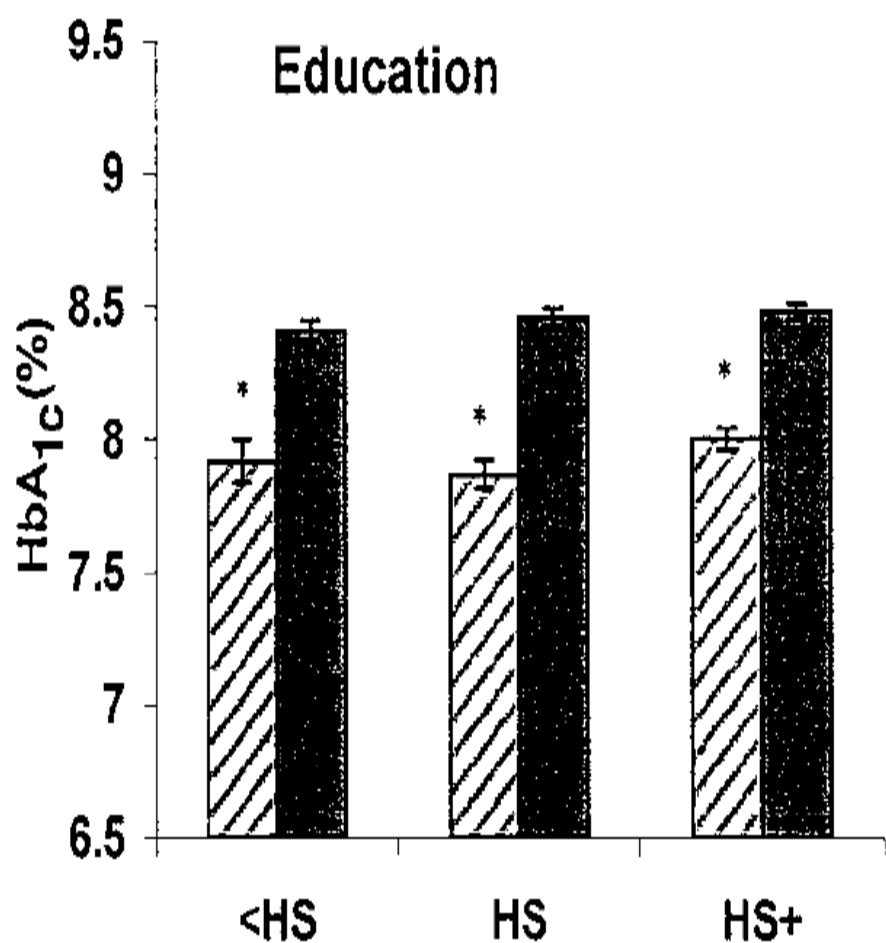
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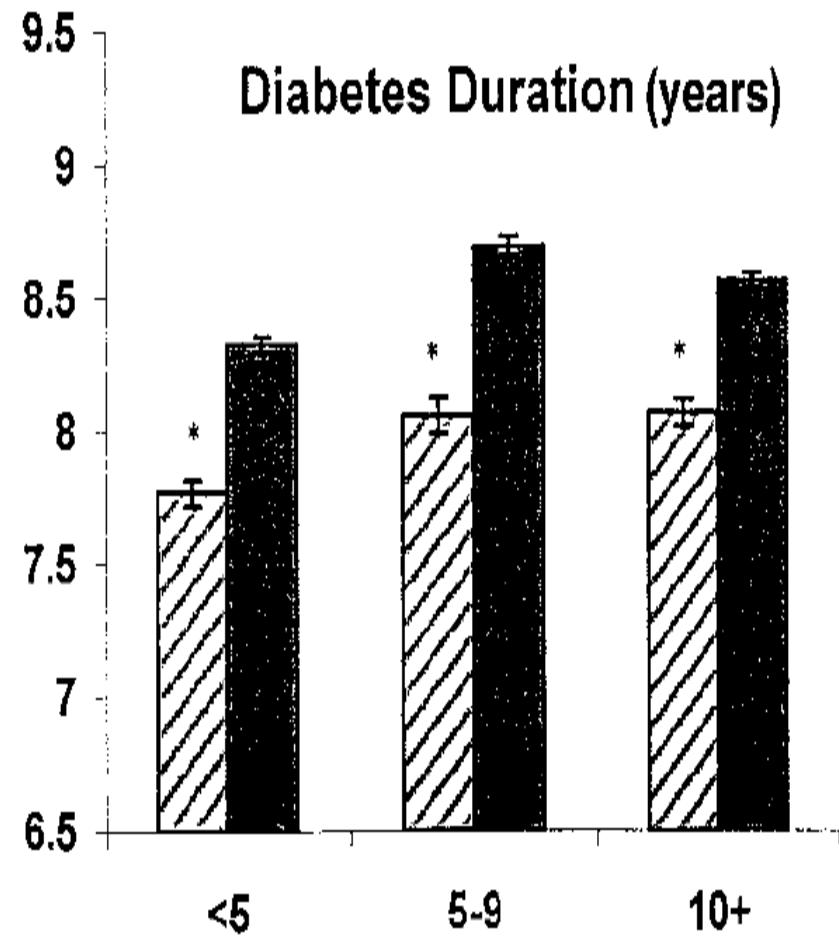
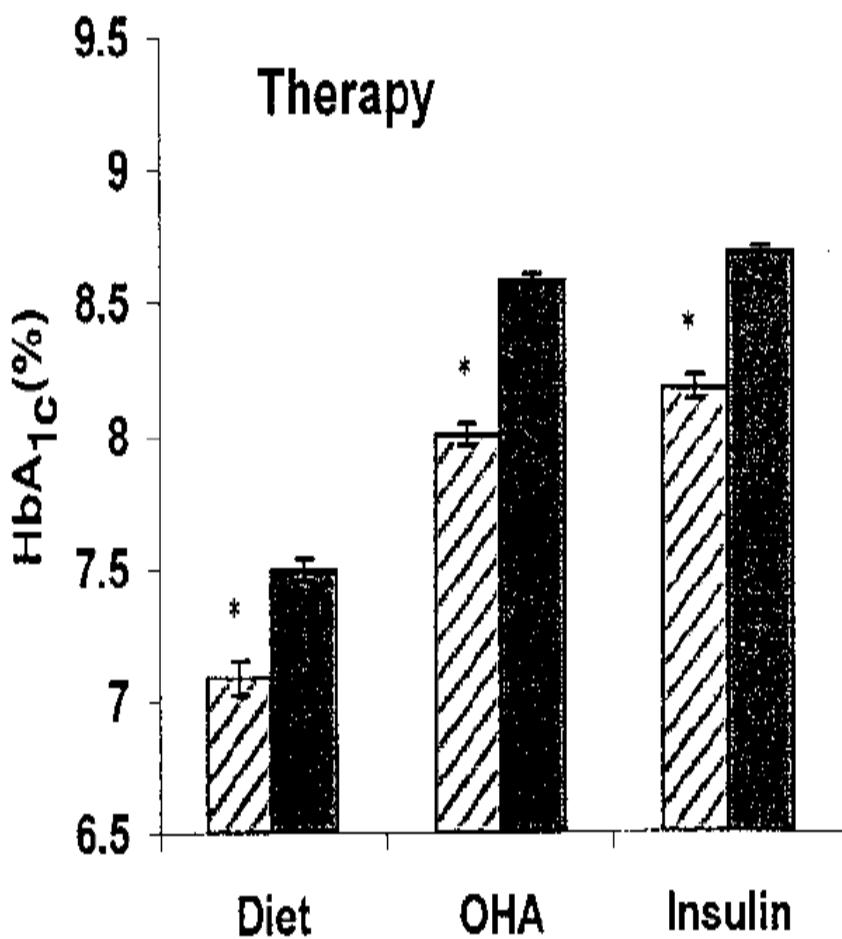
**En una cohorte de 15435 mujeres con DBT2 de  $\geq 50$  años, identificadas por el Northern California Kaiser Permanente Diabetes Registry, se observó que la THM fue significativamente (e independientemente) asociada con mejor control glucémico reflejado por descenso significativo de HbA1c.**

**Table 1—Characteristics of 15,435 women with type 2 diabetes by HRT: the Northern California Kaiser Permanente Diabetes Registry, 1995–1996**

	Women using HRT (n = 3,406)	Women not using HRT (n = 11,583)	P
Age (years)			
Means (SD)	61.2 (7.6)	65.9 (8.8)	0.0001
BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> )			
Crude means (SD)	30.7 (6.5)	30.4 (6.8)	0.01
Age-adjusted means (SE)	30.0 (0.1)	30.6 (0.1)	0.0001
HbA <sub>1c</sub> (%)			
Crude means (SD)	8.1 (1.7)	8.4 (2.0)	0.001
Age-adjusted means (SE)	7.9 (0.03)	8.5 (0.02)	0.0001
Ethnicity (%)			0.001
Non-Hispanic Whites	60.9	53.2	
African-Americans	9.4	15.0	
Hispanics	12.9	12.3	
Asian/Pacific Islanders	9.4	11.5	
Other/unknown	7.4	8.0	
Education (%)			0.001
High school or less	48.2	57.2	
Some college	32.5	27.7	
College	19.3	15.1	
Therapy (%)			0.01
Diet	13.9	12.2	
OHA	51.5	53.4	
Insulin	34.6	34.4	
Diabetes duration (%)			0.001
<5 years	38.0	36.2	
5–9 years	23.9	21.6	
≥10 years	38.1	42.2	
SMBG practice (%)			0.001
Never	19.9	26.4	
<1/week	18.2	17.1	
≥1/week	61.8	56.5	
Smoking (%)			0.001
Current	9.7	8.9	
Former	36.0	31.6	
Never	54.3	59.5	
Exercise (%)	52.4	46.9	0.001
Medication benefit (%)	87.9	83.9	0.001







# **Estrogen Therapy and Risk of Cardiovascular Events Among Women With Type 2 Diabetes**

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**Estudio retrospectivo, caso-control, de 6017 mujeres de 45-80 años DBT 2 que evaluó riesgo de eventos cardiovasculares en usuarias de THM.**

	<b>RR (95%IC)</b>
<b>Nunca Usuarias de THM</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>Actuales usuarias de E</b>	<b>0.48 (0.30-0.78)</b>
<b>Actuales usuarias de E+P</b>	<b>0.43 (0.22-0.85)</b>
<b>Usuarias pasadas de THM</b>	<b>0.88 (0.65-1.19)</b>

ORIGINAL ARTICLE

# Combined estrogen replacement therapy on metabolic control in postmenopausal women with diabetes mellitus



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**Revisión sistemática y meta-análisis de artículos que examinaron el efecto de la THM sobre la incidencia de DM2 y sobre índices metabólicos en mujeres postmenopáusicas con DBT tipo2.**

**Table 2** Study characteristics of combined ERT on diabetic indices in postmenopausal women.

Source	Location	Follow-up (m)	Study design	Estrogen therapy	Age (y)		Case (n)	
					Placebo	ERT	Placebo	ERT
Andersson et al. [27]	Sweden	3	Crossover	E2 (2 mg/d) + NEA (1 mg/d)		59 (5)		25
Sutherland et al. [28]	New Zealand	6	Parallel	CEE (0.625 mg/d) + MPA (2.5 mg/d)	61 (8)	65 (7)	19	28
Kanaya et al. [29]	USA	4.1 y	Parallel	CEE (0.625 mg/d) + MPA (2.5 mg/d)		66.0 (6.3)	353	381
McKenzie et al. [30]	UK	6	Parallel	E2 (1 mg/d) + NE (0.5 mg/d)	61.3 (4.8)	60.7 (5.5)	22	19
Scott et al. [33]	UK	12	Parallel	E2 (2 mg/d) + NEA (1 mg/d)		61 (6)	76	74
Thunell et al. [31]	Sweden	6	Crossover	E2 (2 mg/d) + NEA (1 mg/d)		62 (5.3)		23
Kernohan et al. [32]	UK	3	Parallel	E2 (1 mg/d) + NE (0.5 mg/d)	62.1 (3.8)	62.2 (5.8)	14	14
Lamon-Fava et al. [34]	USA	3.2 y	Parallel	CEE (0.625 mg/d) + MPA (2.5 mg/d)		64 (7)	27	41

Values are shown as mean (standard deviation).

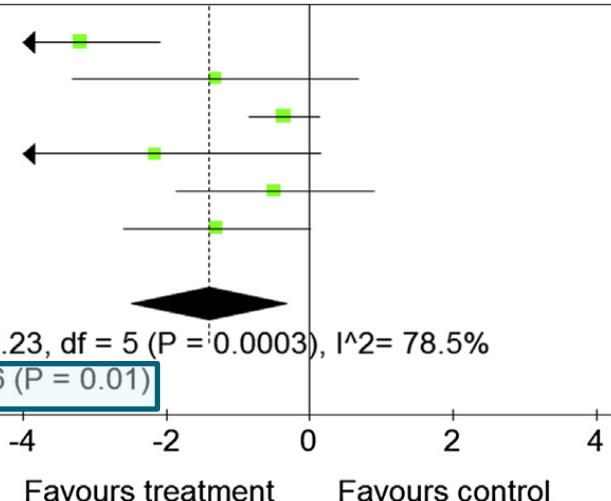
CEE = conjugated equine estrogen; E2 = 17beta-estradiol; MPA = medroxyprogesterone acetate; NE = norethisterone; NEA = norethisterone acetate.

**A**

## Source

- Andersson 1997 [27]  
 Sutherland 2001 [28]  
 Kanaya 2003 [29]  
 McKenzie 2003 [30]  
 Thunell 2006 [31]  
 Kernohan 2007 [32]

Total (95% CI)

Test for heterogeneity:  $\chi^2 = 23.23$ , df = 5 ( $P = 0.0003$ ),  $I^2 = 78.5\%$ Test for overall effect:  $Z = 2.56$  ( $P = 0.01$ )

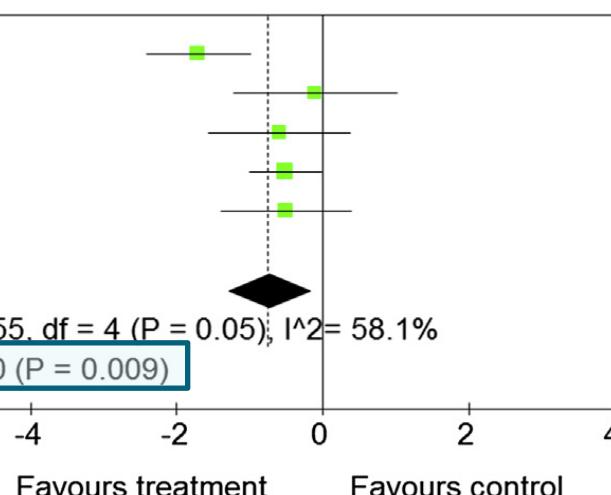
## Glucose Mean Difference (95% CI), mmol/L

**B**

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Total (95% CI)

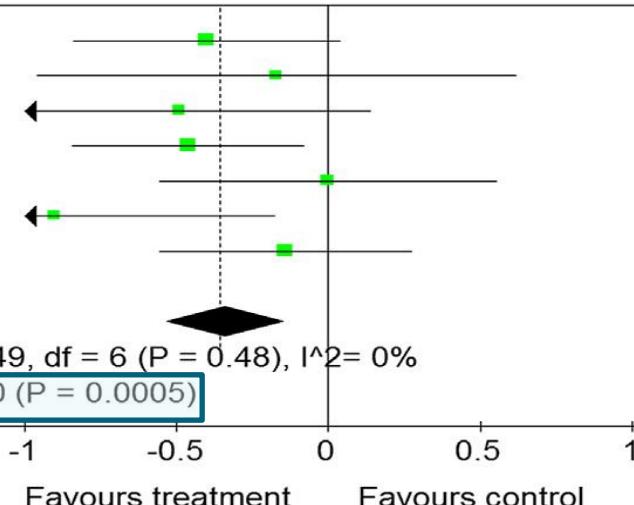
Test for heterogeneity:  $\chi^2 = 9.55$ , df = 4 ( $P = 0.05$ ),  $I^2 = 58.1\%$ Test for overall effect:  $Z = 2.60$  ( $P = 0.009$ )

## HbA1c Mean Difference (95% CI), %

**A**

## Source

- Andersson 1997 [27]  
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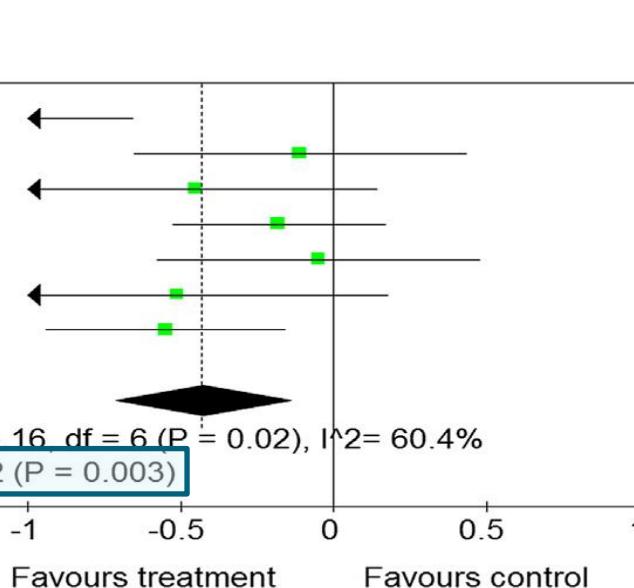


## TC Mean Difference (95% CI), mmol/L

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 McKenzie 2003 [30]  
 Scott 2003 [33]  
 Thunell 2006 [31]  
 Kernohan 2007 [32]  
 Lamon-Fava 2010 [34]



## LDL Mean Difference (95% CI), mmol/L

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Source

BMI Mean Difference  
(95% CI), kg/m<sup>2</sup>

Sutherland 2001 [28]



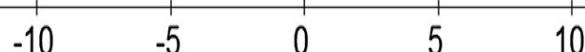
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Scott 2003 [33]

-0.79 [-2.81, 1.23]

Total (95% CI)

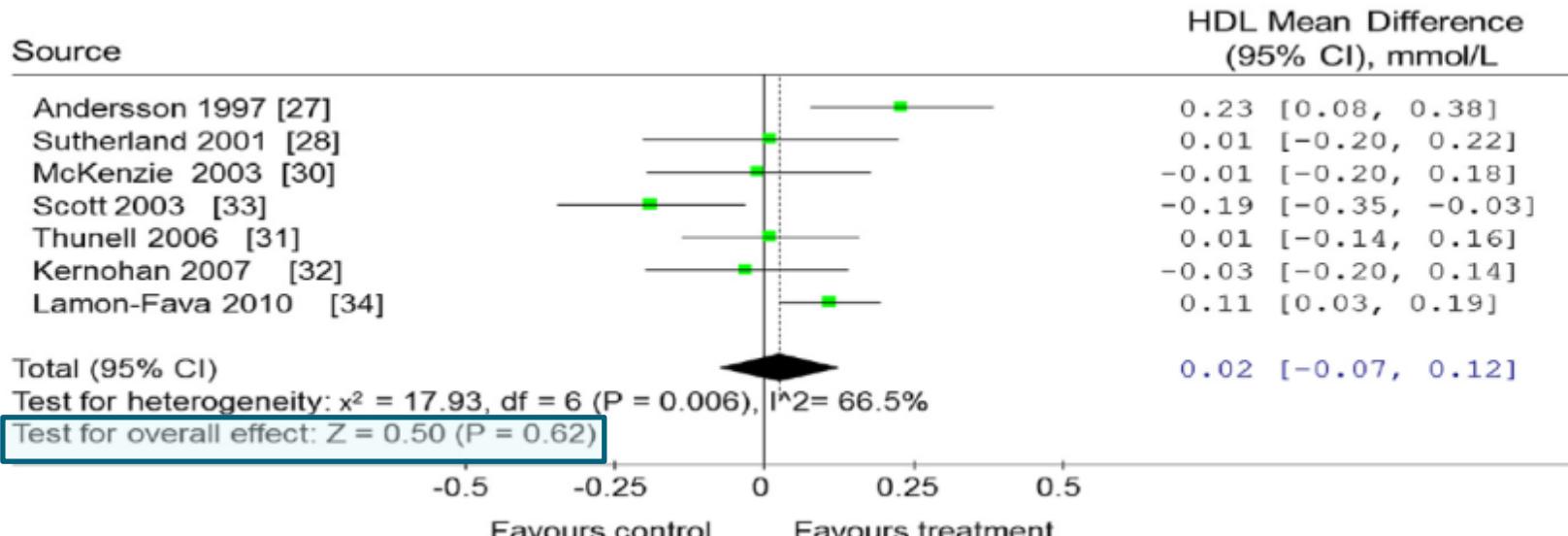
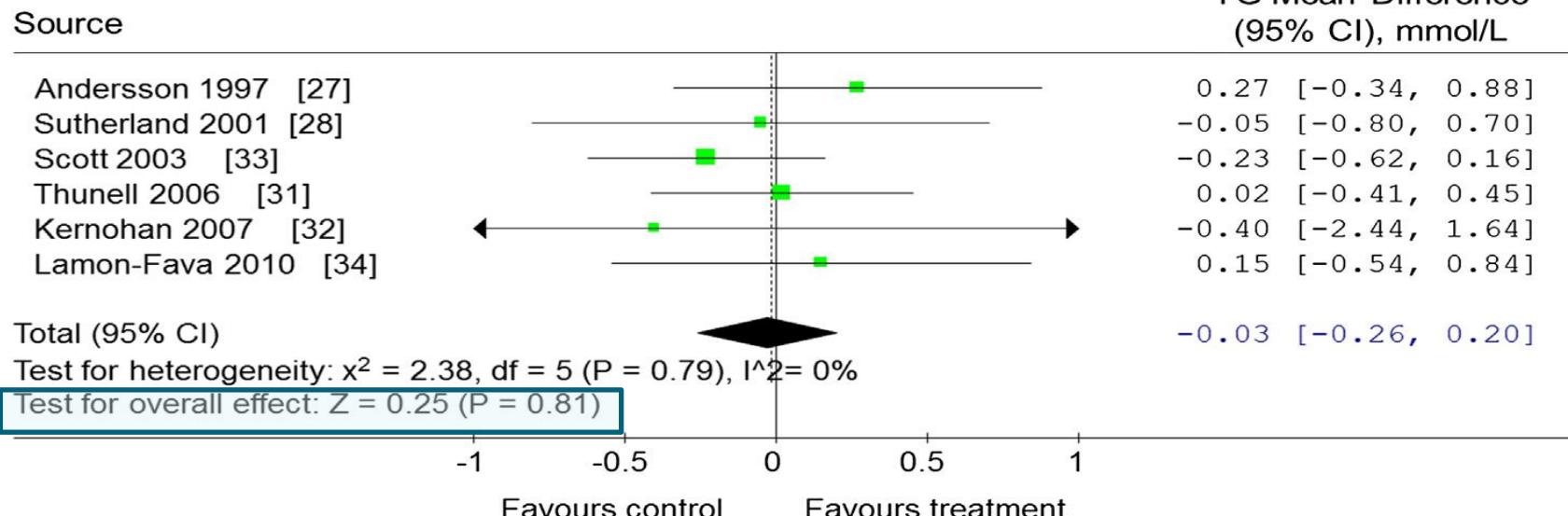
-1.05 [-2.79, 0.69]

Test for heterogeneity:  $\chi^2 = 0.25$ , df = 1 ( $P = 0.62$ ),  $I^2 = 0\%$ Test for overall effect:  $Z = 1.18$  ( $P = 0.24$ )

Favours treatment

Favours control

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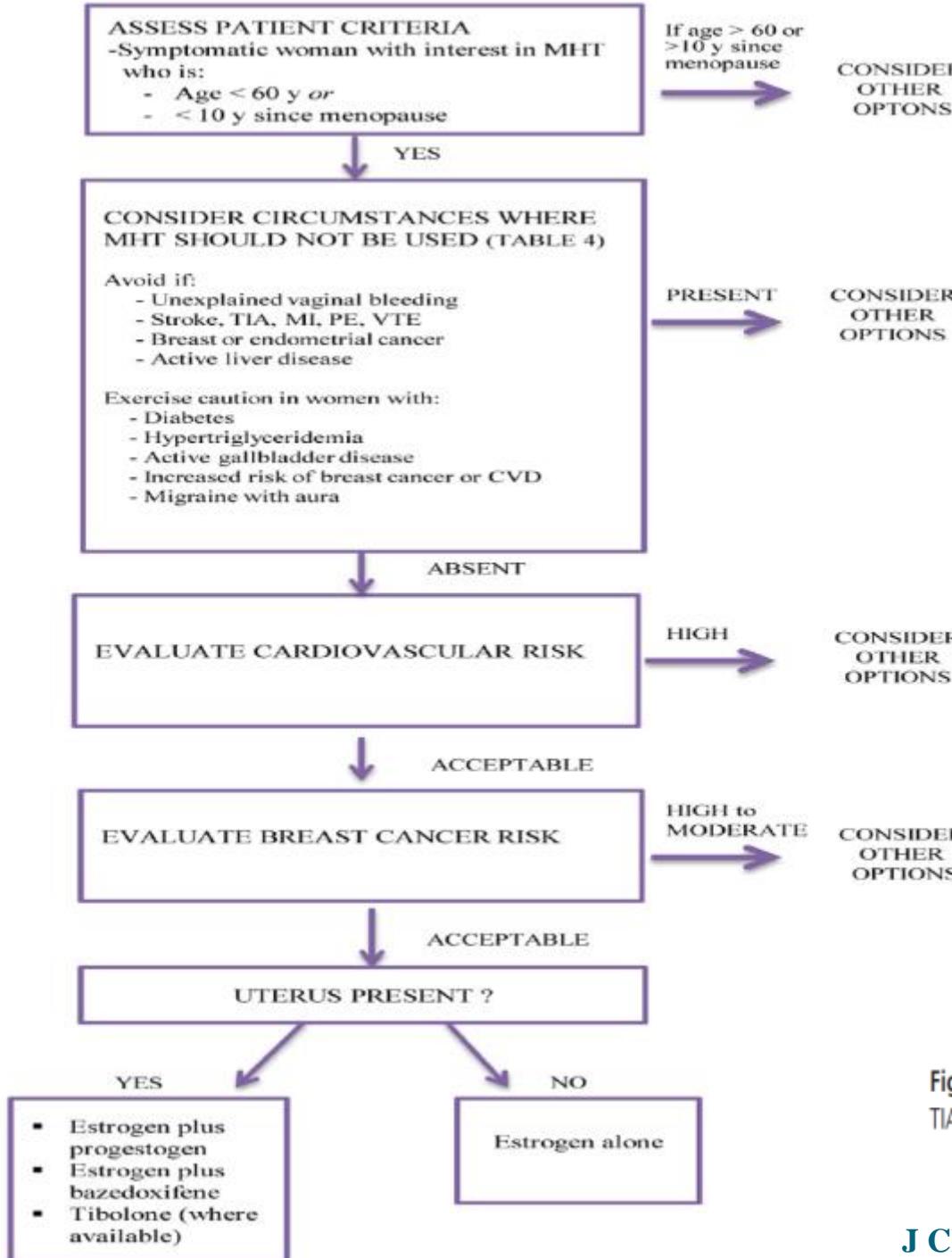
# **Treatment of Symptoms of the Menopause: An Endocrine Society Clinical Practice Guideline**

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***Diabetes.*** Diabetes is considered by the AHA to be a CHD risk equivalent (40), which would suggest that women with diabetes should not take MHT. However, clinical trial evidence of CVD outcomes associated with MHT in women with diabetes is mostly lacking. Some diabetic women were included in RCTs (Heart and Estrogen/Progestin Replacement Study [19%]; WHI [4.4–7.7%]), but these trials were not powered to assess differences in CVD

outcomes. A few short-term RCTs have evaluated glucose control in diabetic women taking a variety of MHT preparations and showed either no effect or improved control (148). The evidence at this time is inadequate to make firm recommendations. An individualized approach to treating menopausal symptoms could be considered, with a low threshold to recommend nonhormonal therapies, particularly in women with concurrent CVD. However, some diabetic women, after careful evaluation of cardiovascular risk, may be candidates for MHT, preferably transdermal estrogen and micronized progesterone or another less metabolically active progestogen.



**Figure 2.** Approach to the patient with VMS contemplating MHT. TIA, transient ischemic attack.

**Ante esta paciente las preguntas que nos hacemos son:**

**1-¿A esta paciente con DM2 y severos  
síntomas climatéricos que alteran su  
calidad le indicaría THM?**

**2-De indicarle THM:  
-¿Qué THM le indicaría?**

# **THM EN MUJERES DIABETICAS**

**A la hora de elegir la THM en mujeres diabéticas se deberá tener en cuenta principalmente el efecto sobre:**

- **El perfil lipídico (recordar que poseen dislipemia)**
- **La presión arterial**
- **La sensibilidad a insulina**
- **Los factores de coagulación e inflamatorios (ACV y TEV son más comunes en mujeres DM)**

# **TERAPIA HORMONAL MENOPAUSICA (THM)**

## **PERFIL LIPIDICO**

**El efecto de la THM sobre los lípidos depende de:**

- **Tipo de estrógeno y de progestágeno**
- **Dosis de estrógeno y de progestágeno**
- **Vía de administración**
- **Forma de administración (cíclica o continua)**

# **TERAPIA HORMONAL MENOPAUSICA (THM)**

## **PERFIL LIPIDICO**

**En términos generales se dice que:**

- **Todos los estrógenos tienen efecto benéfico, en mayor o menor grado, sobre el metabolismo lipídico dependiendo principalmente de la ruta de administración**
- **Los progestágenos tienen efecto deletéreo sobre los lípidos, dependiendo de su androgenicidad**

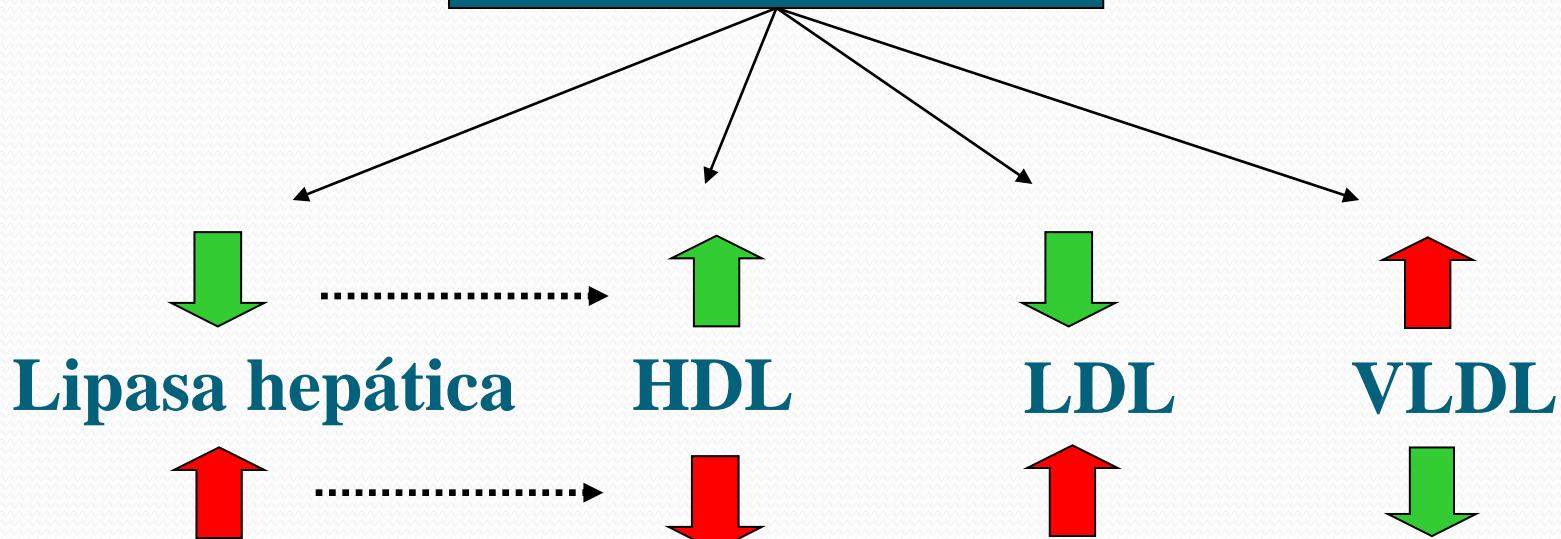
# **TERAPIA HORMONAL MENOPAUSICA (THM)**

## **ENZIMA “LIPASA HEPATICA”**

**Esta enzima se caracteriza por ser sensiblemente regulada por los esteroides sexuales. Sus funciones son:**

- Cataboliza HDLc2
  - Transforma VLDLc en LDLc
  - Transforma IDLc en LDLc
  - Origina partículas más densas de
- } aumentando la LDLc
- ↗ LDLc (LDLc p&d)  
↗ HDLc (HDLc3)

## ESTROGENOS

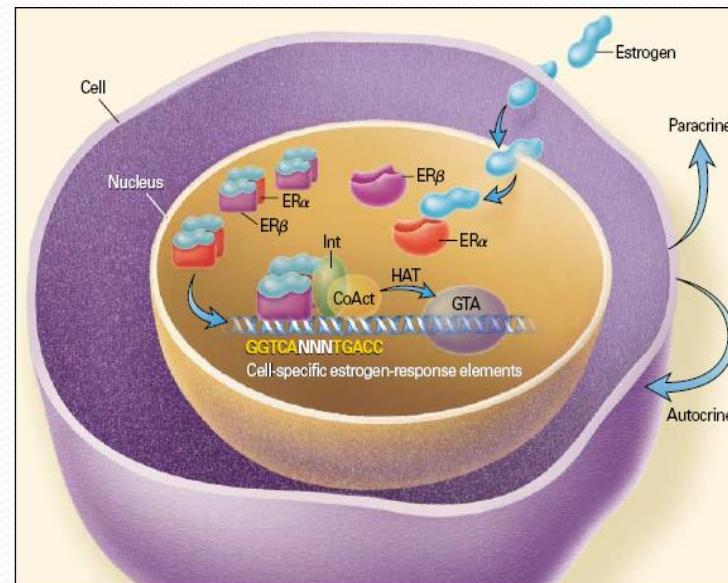


## PROGESTAGENOS

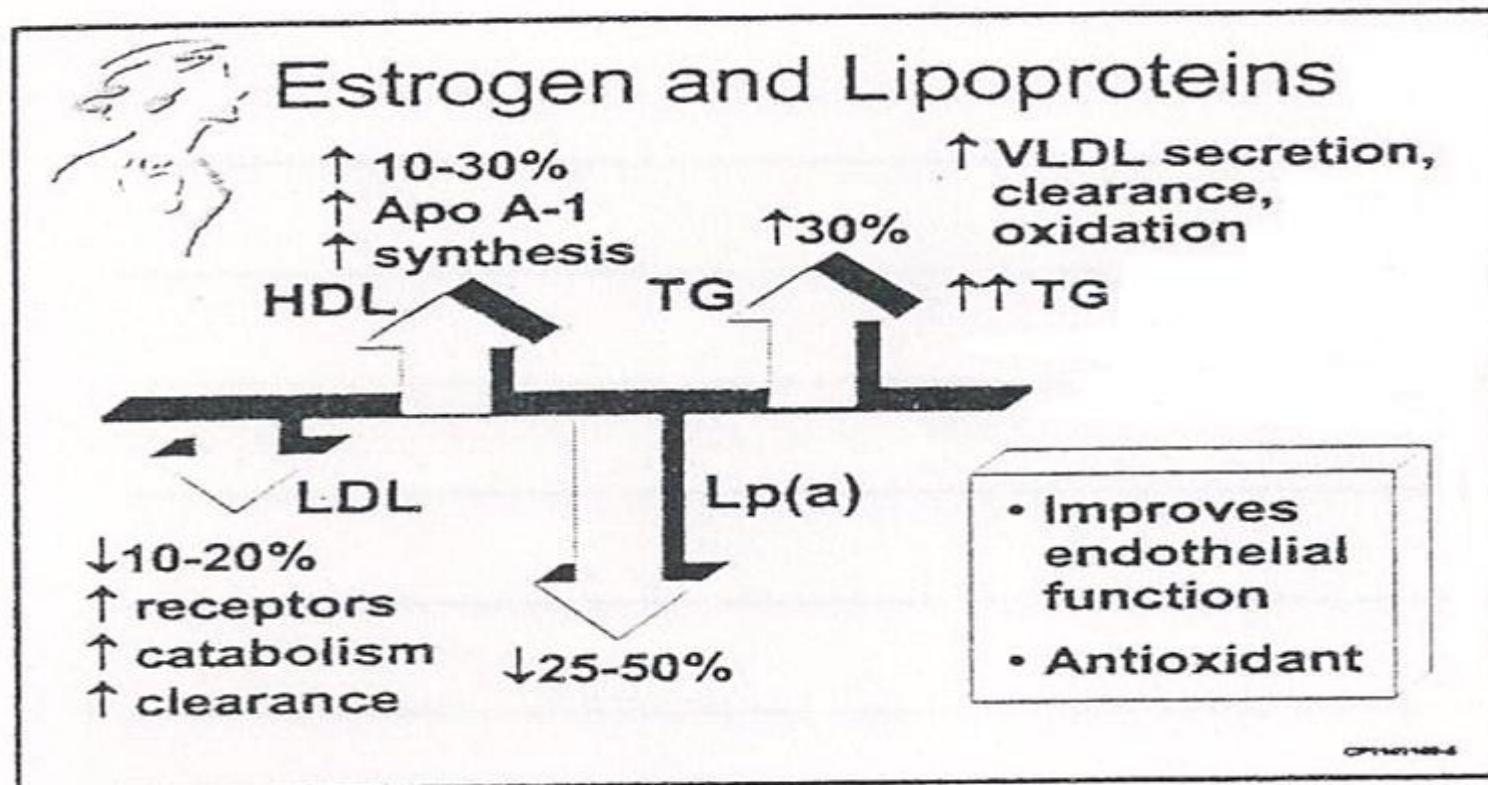
# EFECTO DE ESTROGENOS SOBRE LOS LIPIDOS

“Regulación de la expresión de genes de apoproteínas a nivel hepático a través de ER”

- ↓ Col t
- ↓ LDLc
- ↓ apo B
- ↑ HDLc
- ↑ HDL<sub>2</sub>
- ↑ Apo A<sub>1</sub>



# EFECTO DE ESTROGENOS SOBRE LIPIDOS



# ESTROGENOS

## Vías de administración

### VIA ORAL

- ↓↓ col t
- ↑↑ HLDc
- ↓↓LDLc
- ↑ TG (dosis dependiente)
- ↑VLDL

### VIA NO ORAL

- ↓ col t
- ↑ HLDc
- ↓ LDLc
- No varía o ↓TG
- No varía o ↓ VLDL

**Table 1**

Hormonal effect of the different progestogens used among postmenopausal women.

Pharmacological class	Molecules	Progestogenic activity	Estrogenic activity	Androgenic activity	Anti-androgenic activity	Gluco-corticoid activity	Anti mineralo-corticoid
<b>Micronised progesterone Pregnanes</b>	Micronised progesterone	+	-	-	±	±	+
	Dydrogesterone	+	-	-	-	-	-
	Medrogestone	+	-	-	-	-	-
	Chlormadinone acetate	++	-	-	+	+	-
	Cyproterone acetate	++	-	-	+++	+	-
<b>Norpregnanes</b>	Medroxyprogesterone acetate	+	-	+	-	+	-
	Nomegestrol acetate	+	-	-	+	-	-
	Promegestone	+	-	-	-	+	-
	Trimegestone	+	-	-	±	-	-
	Nestorone	+	-	-	-	-	-
<b>19 Nortestosterone ethinylated</b>							
Estranes	Norethisterone acetate	++	+	+	-	-	-
Gonanes	Levonorgestrel	++	-	+	-	±	-
	Gestodene	++	-	+	-	±	-
<b>19 Nortestosterone non ethinylated</b>	Dienogest	++	-	-	+	-	-
<b>Spironolactone derivatives</b>	Drospirenone	+	-	-	+	-	++
<b>Tibolone</b>	Tibolone	+	+	++	-	-	-

# EFECTO DE PROGESTAGENOS SOBRE LIPIDOS

- ↓HDLc
- ↑LDLc

Estos efectos deletéreos son mayores cuanto mayor actividad androgénica y se evitan con progesterona natural micronizada

Todos los progestágenos tienen la ventaja de ↓ TG y ↓ VLDL

(más cuanto mayor androgenicidad)

# **Effects of estrogen or estrogen/progestin regimens on heart disease risk factors in postmenopausal women. The Interventions (PEPI) Trial.**

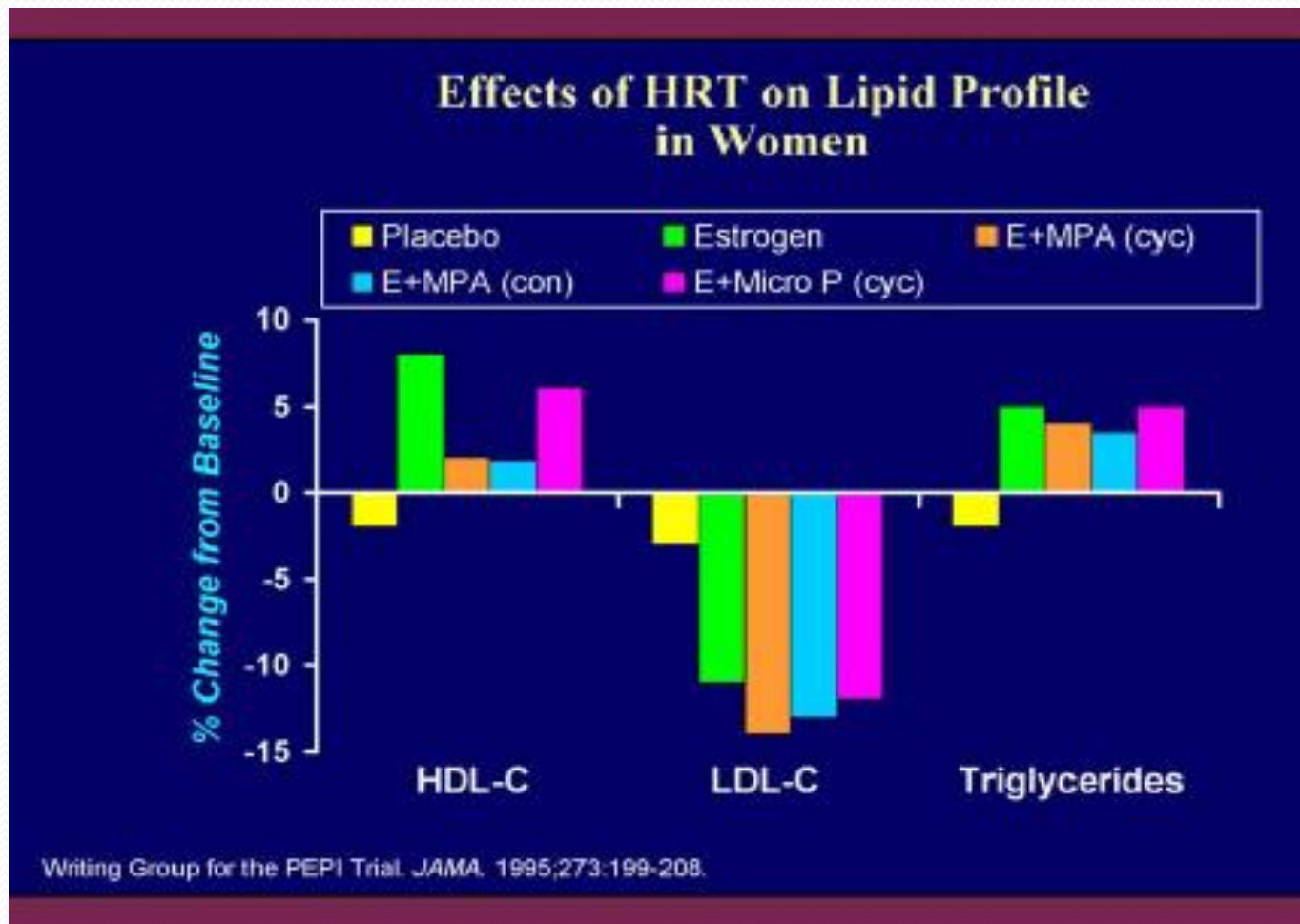
## **The Writing Group for the PEPI Trial.**

**Estudio doble ciego, prospectivo, placebo-control, que se realizó en 7 centros de USA con 875 mujeres postmenopáusicas de 45-64 años seguidas por 3 años que fueron randomizadas a recibir:**

- placebo
- EEC 0.625 mg/día
- EEC asociado a
  - MAP cíclico
  - MAP continuo
  - PM cíclica

**Se compararon niveles lipídicos con intervalos de 6 meses durante los 3 años de seguimiento.**

# POST MENOPAUSAL ESTROGEN/PROGESTIN INTERVENTION STUDY



# Risks and Benefits of Estrogen Plus Progestin in Healthy Postmenopausal Women

Principal Results From the Women's Health Initiative  
Randomized Controlled Trial

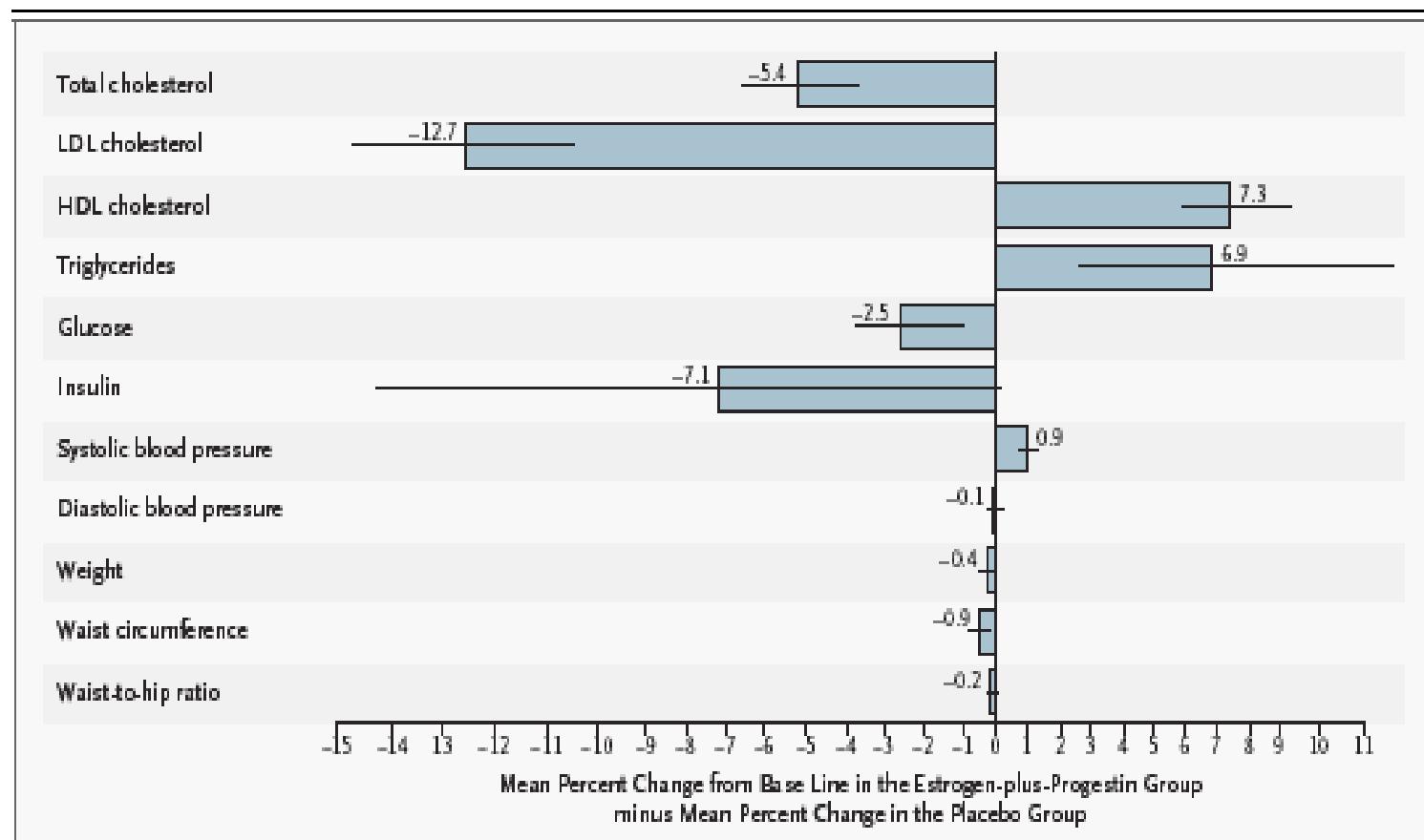
# **WHI E+P**

## **EFECTO DE LA THM SOBRE LIPIDOS**

**El tratamiento con 0.625 mg EEC/2.5 mg MAP provocó en relación al placebo:**

- ↓ Colesterol total -5.4%
- ↓ LDLc de -12.7%
- ↑ HDLc de +7.3%
- ↑ TG de +6.9%

# WOMEN'S HEALTH INITIATIVE (WHI E+P)



# ESTROGENOS

## Vías de administración

### VIA ORAL

- ↓↓ col t
- ↑↑ HLDc
- ↓↓LDLc
- ↑ TG (dosis dependiente)
  - ↑VLDL
- ⊕ SRA-A (dosis dependiente)

### VIA NO ORAL

- ↓ col t
- ↑ HLDc
- ↓ LDLc
- No varía o ↓TG
- No varía o ↓ VLDL
- No ⊕ SRA-A

Table 3 Relative potency of various estrogens concerning several clinical (relief of hot flushes) and metabolic parameters (suppression of follicle stimulating hormone (FSH) levels; increase in the serum levels of high density lipoprotein (HDL) cholesterol, sex hormone-binding globulin (SHBG), corticosteroid-binding globulin (CBG) and angiotensinogen). The values are estimated on a weight basis<sup>12-14</sup>

<i>Estrogen</i>	<i>Hot flushes</i>	<i>FSH</i>	<i>HDL cholesterol</i>	<i>SHBG</i>	<i>CBG</i>	<i>Angiotensinogen</i>
Estradiol-17 $\beta$	100	100	100	100	100	100
Estriol	30	30	20			
Estrone sulfate		90	50	90	70	150
CEE	120	110	150	300	150	500
Equilin sulfate			600	750	600	750
Diethylstilbestrol		340		2 560	2 450	1 950
Ethinylestradiol	12 000	12 000	40 000	50 000	60 000	35 000

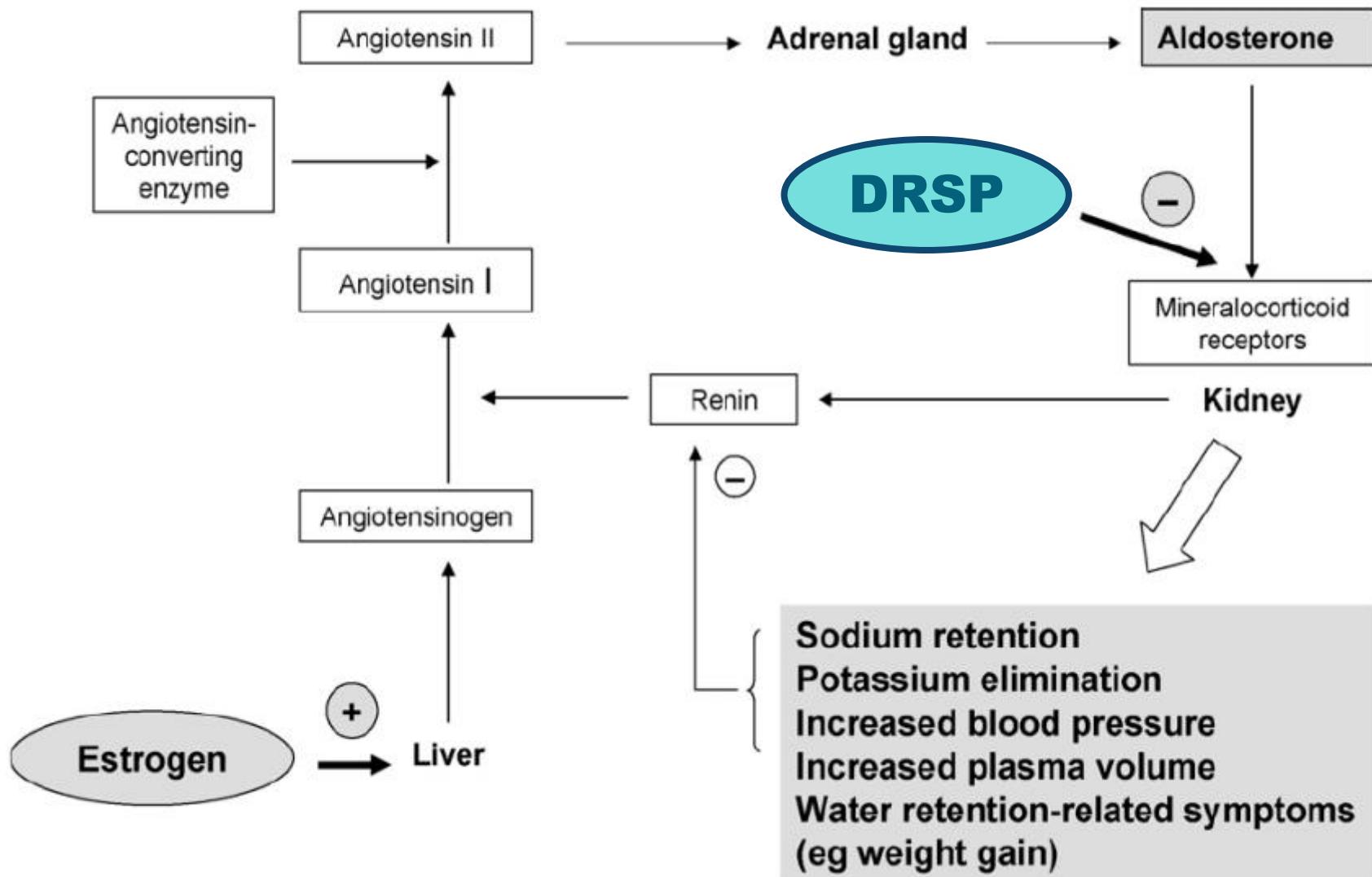
CEE, conjugated equine estrogens

**Table 2: Effect of Postmenopausal Estrogen on Liver Proteins**

<u>Liver Protein Target</u>	<u>ESTROGEN DELIVERY ROUTE</u>				<u>Potential Consequences</u>	<u>Ref. example</u>
	<u>Transdermal</u> $E_2^a$	$E_2^b$	<u>Oral</u> $CEE^c$			
C-reactive protein	No change	↑	↑		Risk for atherosclerosis, ischemic stroke	(56, 190, 407- 409)
<b>Lipoproteins</b>						
LDL	↓ or No change	↓	↓			(83, 407, 408, 410, 411)
HDL	↑ or No change	↑	↑		Anti-atheroma formation	
Serum amyloid A (SAA)	↓		↑		Elevated SAA - can promote atherosclerosis, vascular inflammation - may interfere with HDL function	(195)
Activated protein C resistance	No change	↑	↑		Increased risk for venous thrombosis	(100, 101, 412, 413)
GH-induced IGF-1	No change	↓	↓		Decrease in lean body mass	(409, 414, 415)
<b>Serum binding proteins</b>						
SHBG	No change	↑	↑		Change in bioavailability of estrogens, androgens, corticosteroids, and thyroid hormones	(410, 416, 417)
TBG	No change		↑			
CBG	No change	↑	↑			
Angiotensinogen	No change	↑	↑		Sodium retention, vasoconstriction	(410, 418)

<sup>a</sup> 0.05 or 0.10 mg/day    <sup>b</sup> 1-2 mg/day    <sup>c</sup> 0.625 mg/day

# INFLUENCIA DE THM EN SRA-A



# INSULINA Y ESTROGENOS

Los estrógenos naturales se caracterizan por:

Esto hace que la menopausia en humanos se asocie con:

- 1- aumento del riesgo de DM2*
- 2- reducción de la respuesta pancreática de insulina a la glucosa*

# **ESTROGENOS Y SENSIBILIDAD A LA INSULINA**

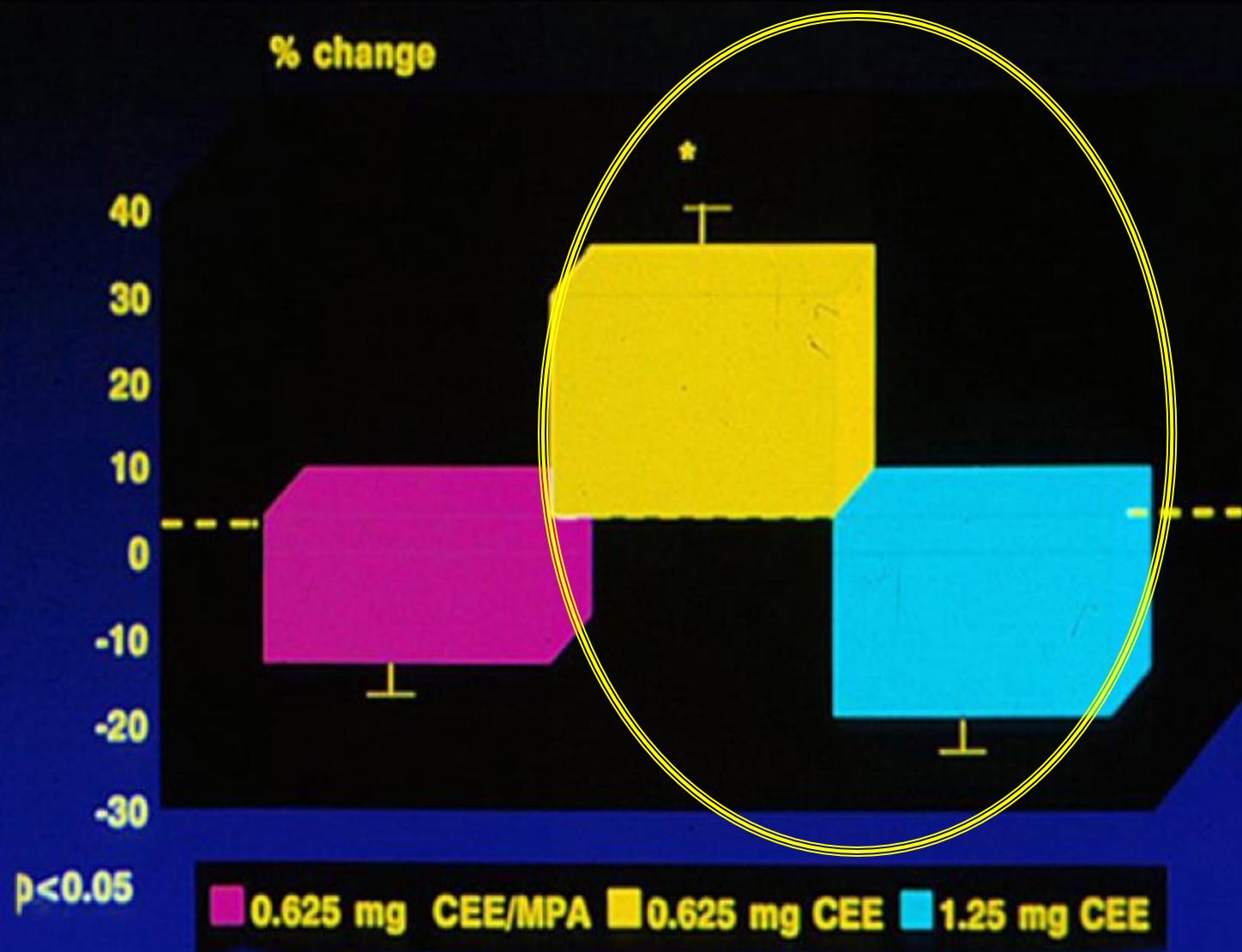
**En 1993 Lindheim y colaboradores observaron el llamado “*efecto bimodal*” del EEC**

- **0.625 mg/día de EEC mejora sensibilidad a insulina en 25%**
- **1.25 mg/día de EEC desciende la sensibilidad a la insulina aproximadamente 24.7% y deteriora la tolerancia a glucosa**

# **ESTROGENOS Y SENSIBILIDAD A LA INSULINA**

- **1994 Lindheim y col. observaron que el uso de parches de 100 µg/día de estradiol tenía efecto benéfico sobre la sensibilidad a insulina**
- **1995 O'Sullivan y col. comparó 1.25 mg/día de EEC con parches de 100 µg/día de estradiol y corroboró los hallazgos previos**

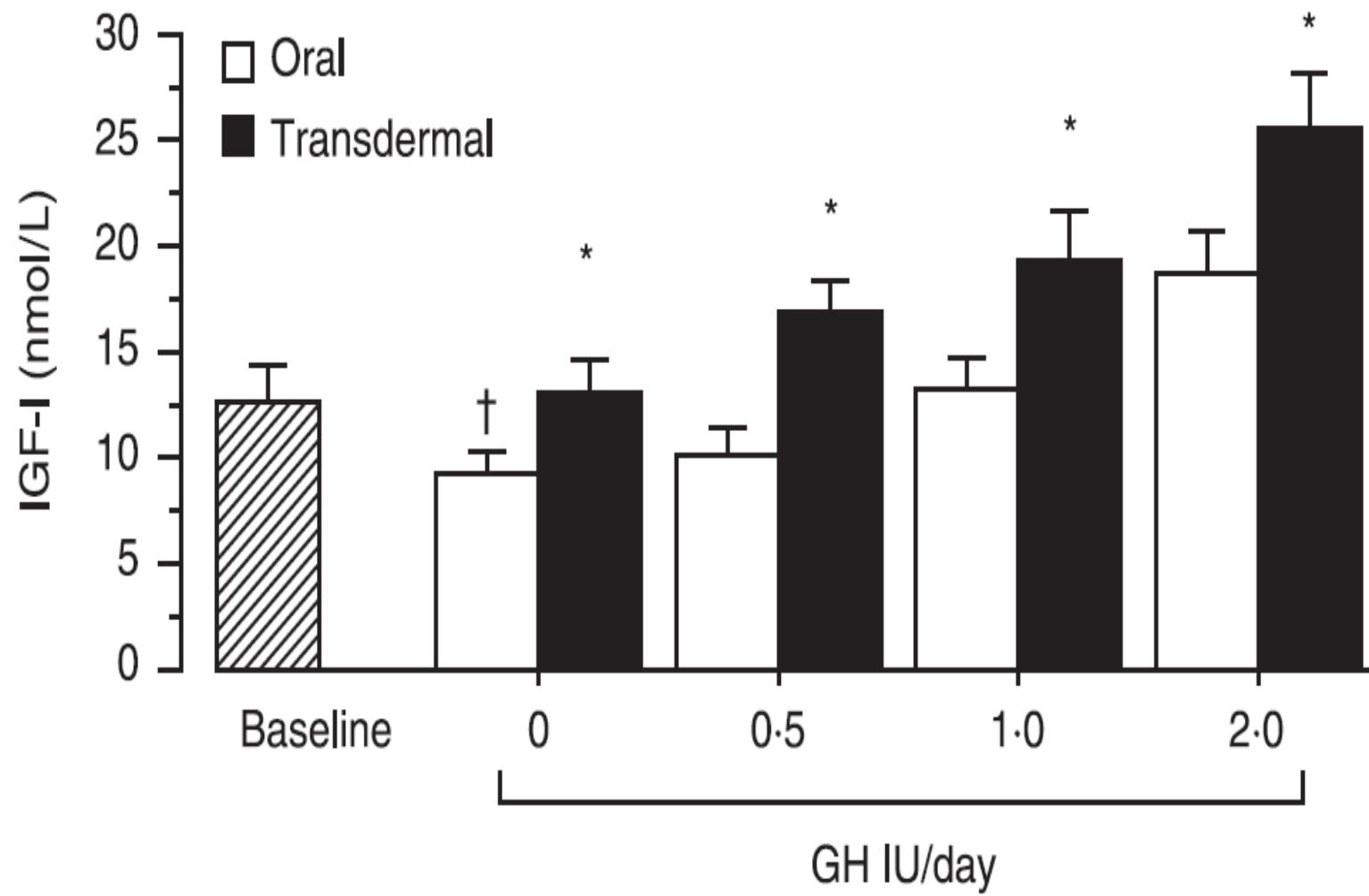
# BIMODAL EFFECT OF ESTROGEN REPLACEMENT ON INSULIN SENSITIVITY



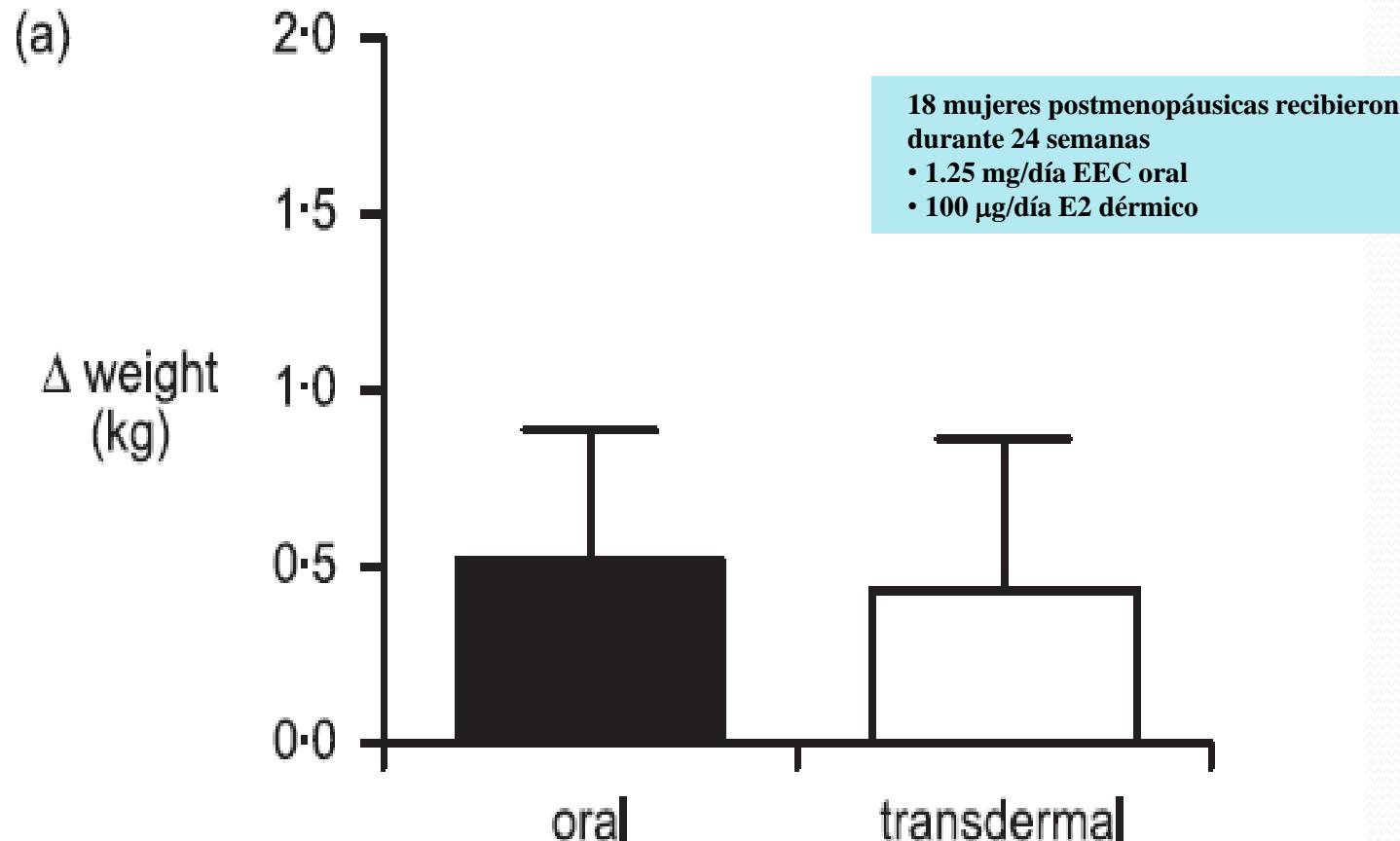
# Modulation of growth hormone action by sex steroids

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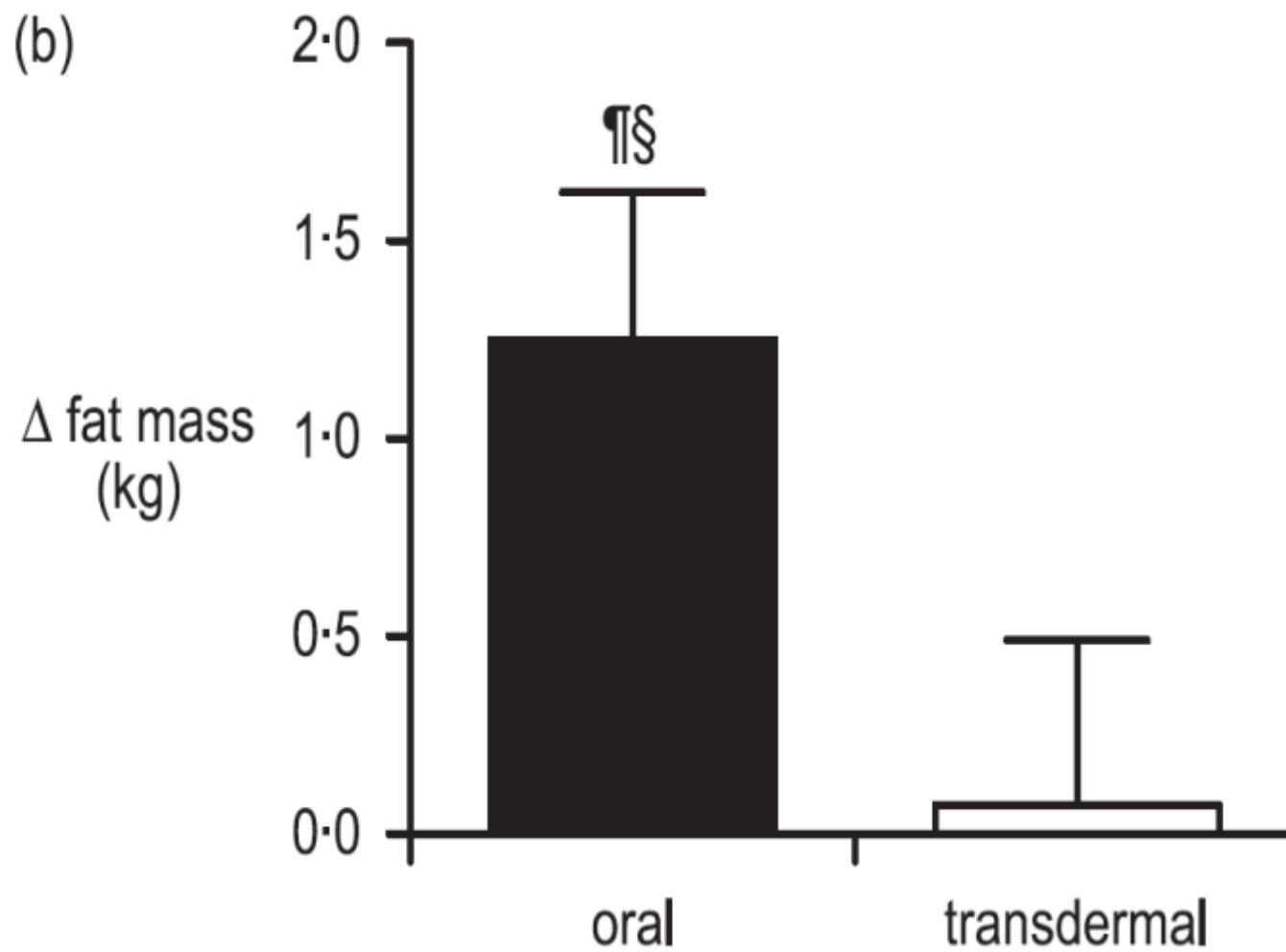
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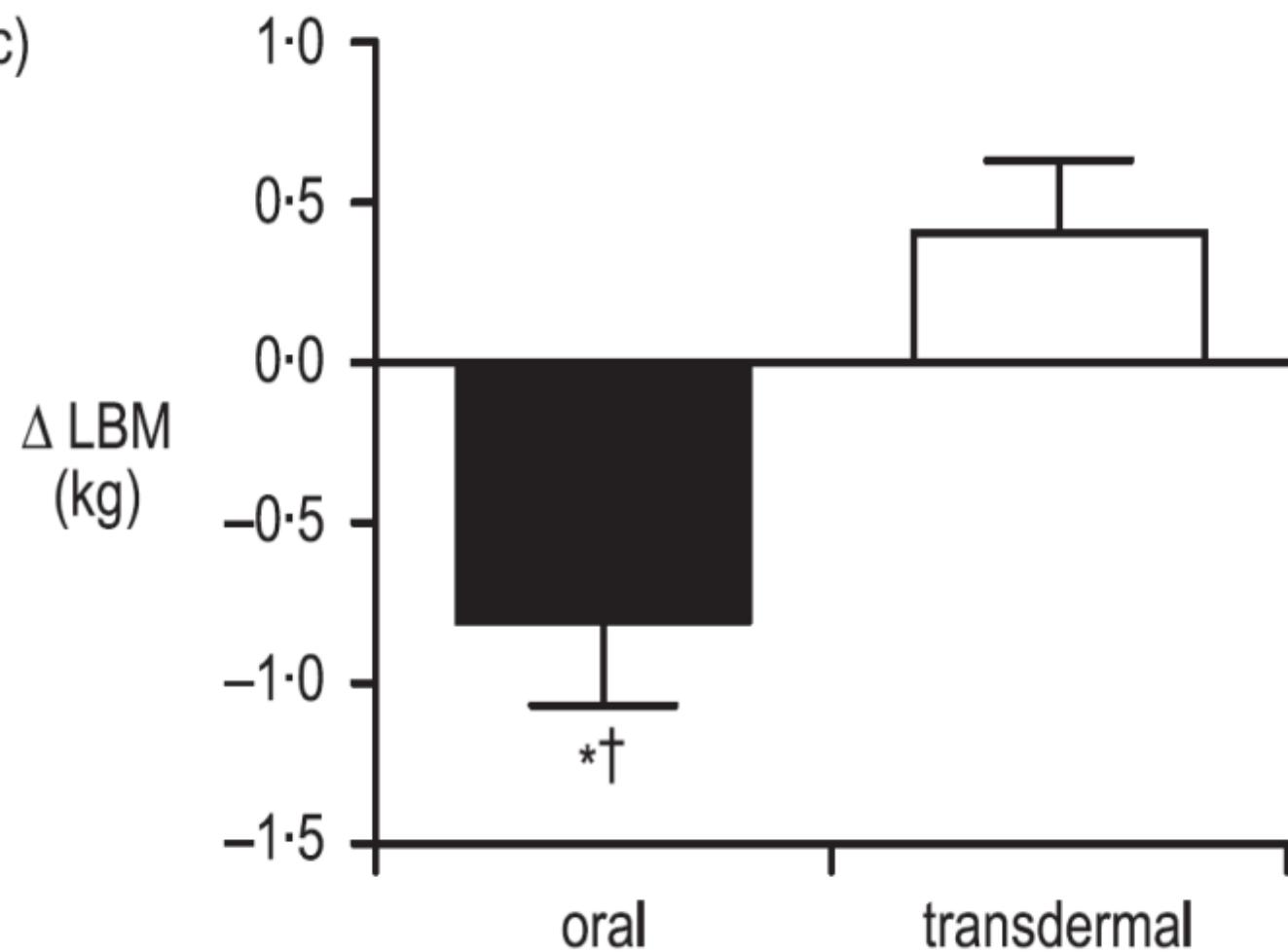
# ESTROGENOS Y PESO CORPORAL

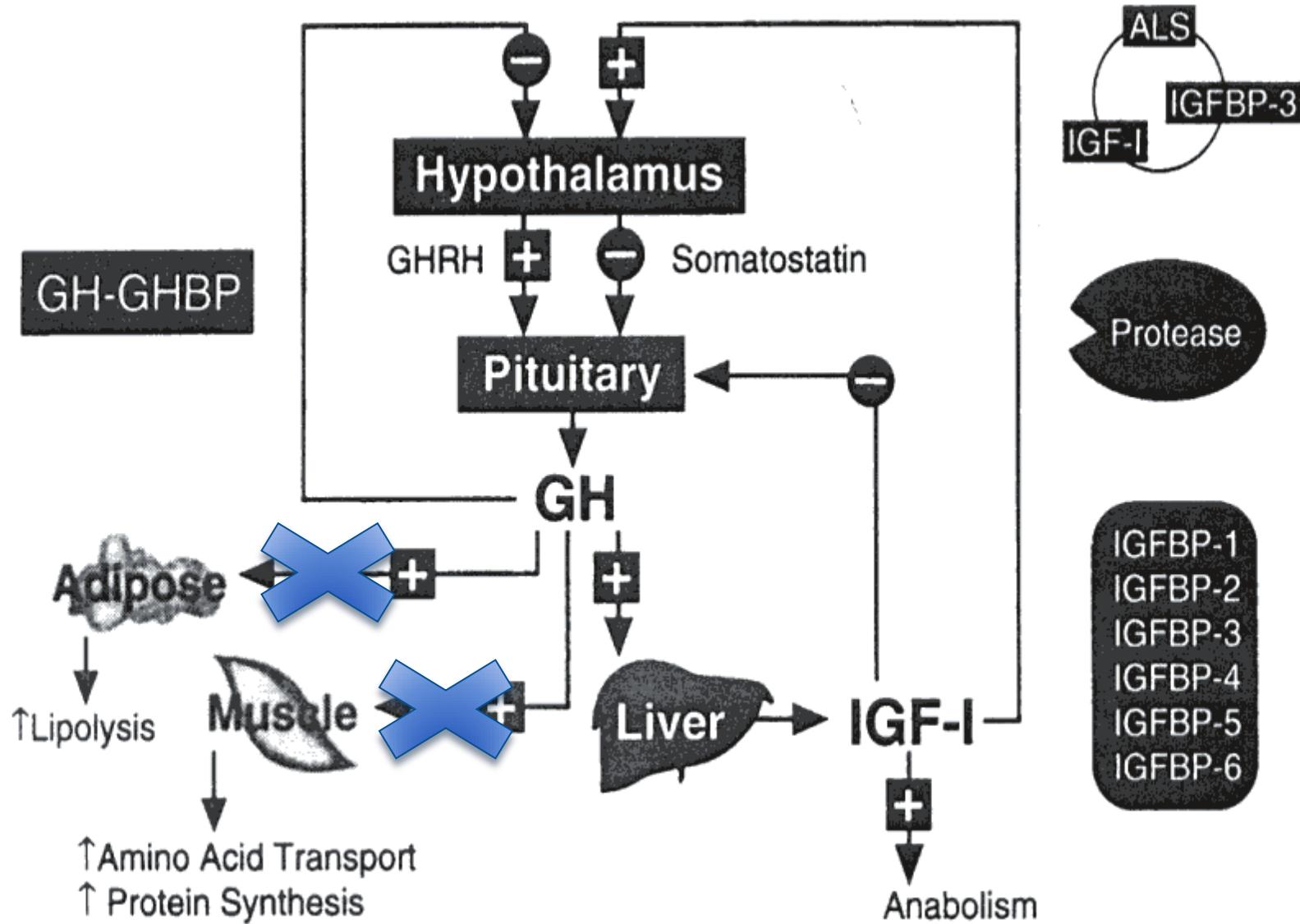


(b)



(c)





# Quantification of the adverse effect of ethinylestradiol containing oral contraceptive pills when used in conjunction with growth hormone replacement in routine practice

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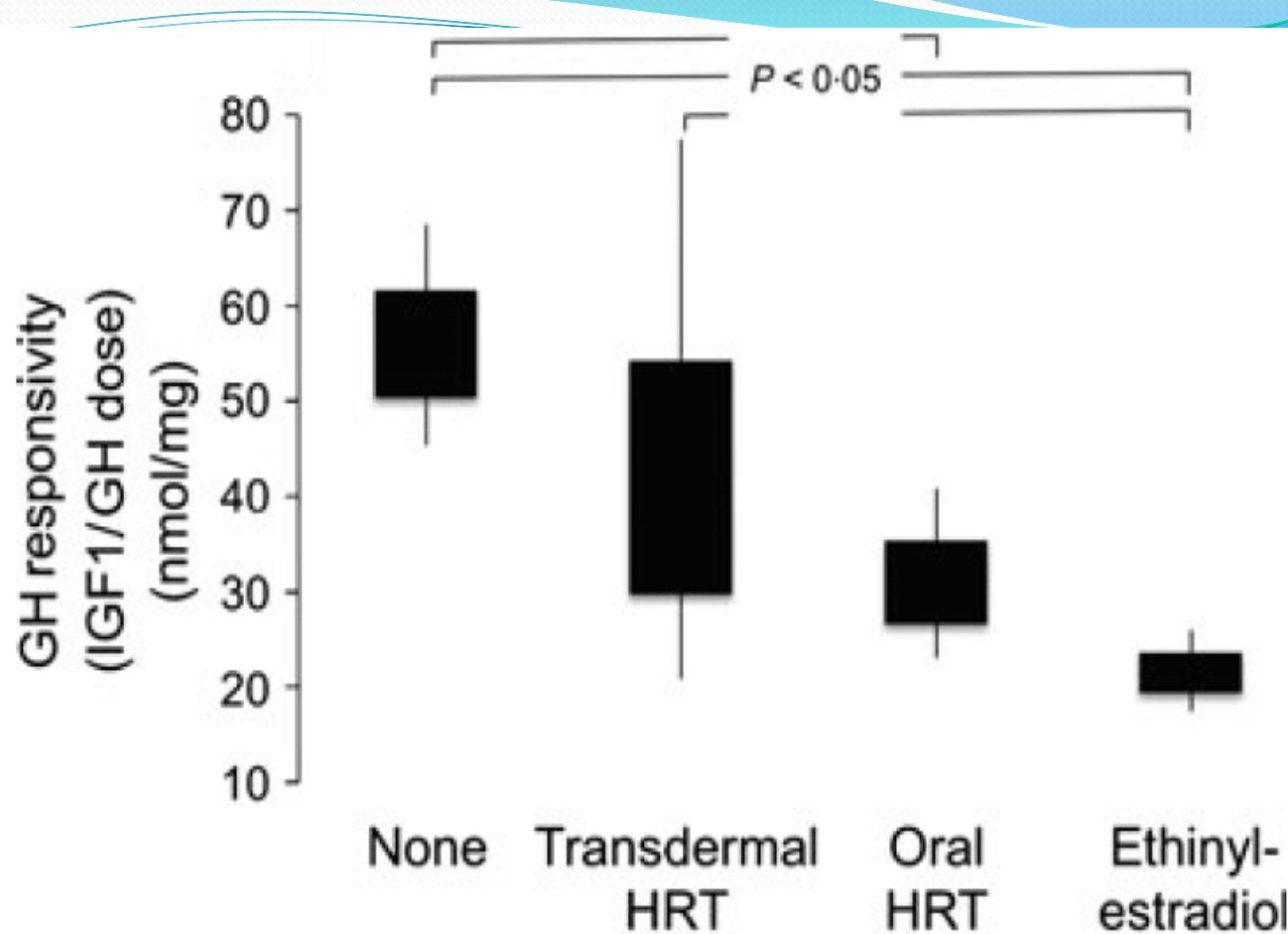
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**Se analizaron 88 mujeres premenopáusicas con déficit combinado de GH y estrógeno, de 18 a 47 años, que fueron atendidas en el Hospital Universitario de Londres para comparar las dosis de GH requeridas según tipo de estrógeno administrado.**

**Table 1.** Clinical data for women receiving growth hormone (GH) treatment grouped according to the type of exogenous oestrogen taken. Data expressed as mean (SD) or number [%]. A single asterisk '\*' shows the frequency distributions with significant group differences ( $P < 0.05$ )

	None (n = 31)	Transdermal HRT (n = 13)	Oral HRT (n = 27)	Ethinylestradiol (n = 29)
Age (years)	31 (9)	33 (9)	31 (9)	28 (7)
Childhood onset	15 [48%]	9 [69%]	13 [48%]	23 [79%]*
Weight (Kgs)	78.7 (21.0)	83.1 (20.8)	75.6 (24.9)	68.7 (18.0)
Isolated growth hormone deficiency	16 [53%]	1 [8%]	1 [4%]	13 [45%]*
Multiple pituitary hormone deficiency	14 [47%]	12 [92%]	26 [96%]	16 [55%]*
Pituitary irradiation	10 [32%]	7 [54%]	17 [63%]	11 [38%]
GH dose (mg/day)	0.58 (0.24)†	0.72 (0.42)†	0.87 (0.52)	1.13 (0.44)‡
Insulin-like growth factor 1 (nmol/l)	32.3 (11.0)	29.8 (15.4)	26.6 (13.5)	23.8 (9.3)
GH responsivity	66.4 (42.1)§	61.4 (49.9)†	40.0 (34.6)¶	24.2 (12.5)‡
GH cost per patient per year	£4,653	£6,258	£8,472	£12,274

†Different from oral HRT and ethinylestradiol. ‡Different from ethinylestradiol. §Different from none. ¶Different from none and transdermal.



**Fig. 1** Dose of growth hormone (GH), Serum IGF-I and GH responsiveness (serum IGF-I concentration divided by GH dose) in women receiving GH treatment group by the type of exogenous oestrogen taken concurrently. Data shown as mean  $\pm$  standard error and 95% confidence intervals.

**Results** The daily dose of GH was significantly higher and the GH responsivity was significantly lower in the EE group compared to those taking no oestrogen and transdermal oestrogen. The additional cost of GH for women using EE compared to transdermal oestradiol was £6016 per patient per year. Effectiveness of GH improved in all women changing from EE to another form of oestrogen.

**Conclusion** Use of oral contraceptive pills containing EE should be avoided in women receiving treatment with GH. Alternative options include oral or transdermal hormone replacement therapy (HRT) preparations for those that require oestrogen replacement or a progesterone-based regimen for contraceptive purposes.

# ESTROGENOS Y SENSIBILIDAD A LA INSULINA

## Vías de administración

### ESTROGENO VIA ORAL

- inhibe la producción hepática de IGFI que provoca
- ↑ GH (empeorando la acción de insulina)
  - ↑ cortisol (↑ CBG)
  - ↑ producción de TG

# **Timing of Estradiol Treatment After Menopause May Determine Benefit or Harm to Insulin Action**

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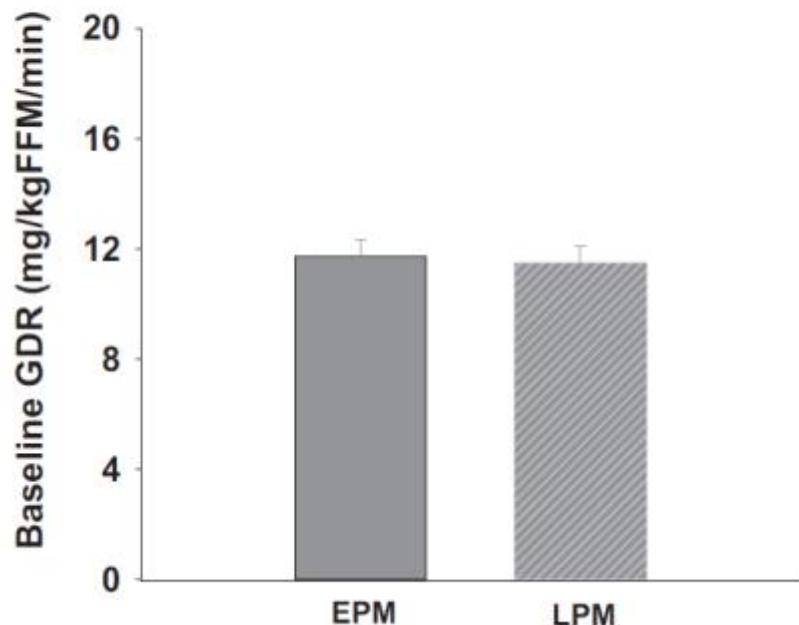
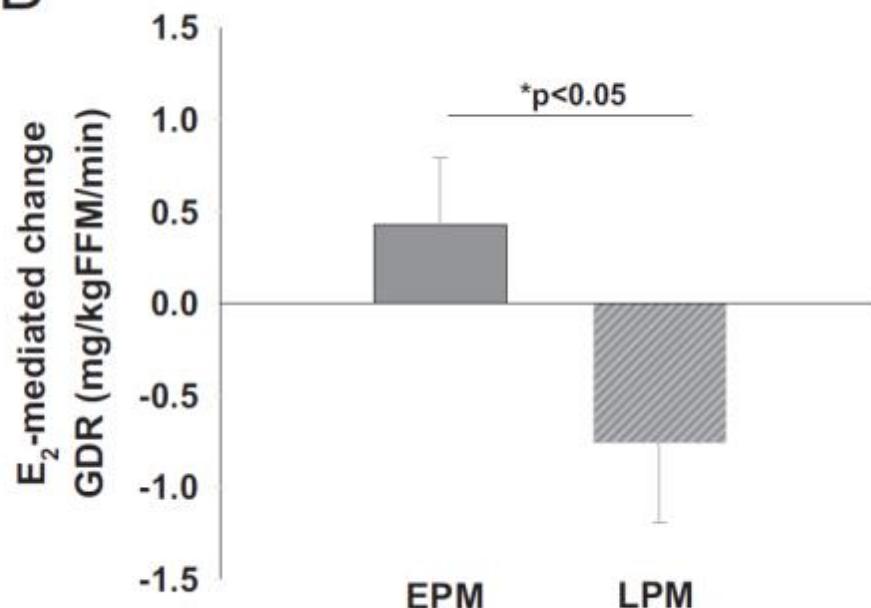
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**Objective:** We hypothesized that the timing of  $E_2$  administration after menopause is an important determinant of its effect on insulin action.

**Design:** We performed a randomized, crossover, placebo-controlled study.

**Participants:** Study participants were early postmenopausal (EPM;  $\leq 6$  years of final menses;  $n = 22$ ) and late postmenopausal (LPM;  $\geq 10$  years since last menses;  $n = 24$ ) women naive to HT.

**Intervention:** Study interventions included short-term (1 week) transdermal  $E_2$  and placebo.

**A****B**

**Figure 1.** Baseline group differences (A, C) and estradiol ( $E_2$ )-mediated changes (B, D) in insulin-stimulated glucose disposal rate (GDR) and insulin-suppressed glycerol (lipolysis  $EC_{50}$ ) in early postmenopausal (EPM;  $\leq 6$  years past menopause) and late postmenopausal (LPM;  $\geq 10$  years past menopause) women (mean  $\pm$  SE).

## **Discussion**

This study is the first to demonstrate that E<sub>2</sub> increases insulin-stimulated glucose disposal when administered to early postmenopausal women (ie, within 6 years of menopause) compared to a decrease when administered to late postmenopausal women (ie, more than 10 years past menopause). These data suggest that the physiologic effect of E<sub>2</sub> on glucoregulatory insulin action (glucose disposal) depends on the timing of treatment relative to menopause. In contrast, the effect of E<sub>2</sub> on antilipolytic insulin action (insulin suppression of lipolysis) did not differ by time since menopause.

**Table 1**

Hormonal effect of the different progestogens used among postmenopausal women.

Pharmacological class	Molecules	Progestogenic activity	Estrogenic activity	Androgenic activity	Anti-androgenic activity	Gluco-corticoid activity	Anti mineralo-corticoid
<b>Micronised progesterone Pregnanes</b>	Micronised progesterone	+	-	-	±	±	+
	Dydrogesterone	+	-	-	-	-	-
	Medrogestone	+	-	-	-	-	-
	Chlormadinone acetate	++	-	-	+	+	-
	Cyproterone acetate	++	-	-	+++	+	-
<b>Norpregnanes</b>	Medroxyprogesterone acetate	+	-	+	-	+	-
	Nomegestrol acetate	+	-	-	+	-	-
	Promegestone	+	-	-	-	+	-
	Trimegestone	+	-	-	±	-	-
	Nestorone	+	-	-	-	-	-
<b>19 Nortestosterone ethinylated</b>							
Estranes	Norethisterone acetate	++	+	+	-	-	-
Gonanes	Levonorgestrel	++	-	+	-	±	-
	Gestodene	++	-	+	-	±	-
<b>19 Nortestosterone non ethinylated</b>	Dienogest	++	-	-	+	-	-
<b>Spironolactone derivatives</b>	Drospirenone	+	-	-	+	-	++
<b>Tibolone</b>	Tibolone	+	+	++	-	-	-

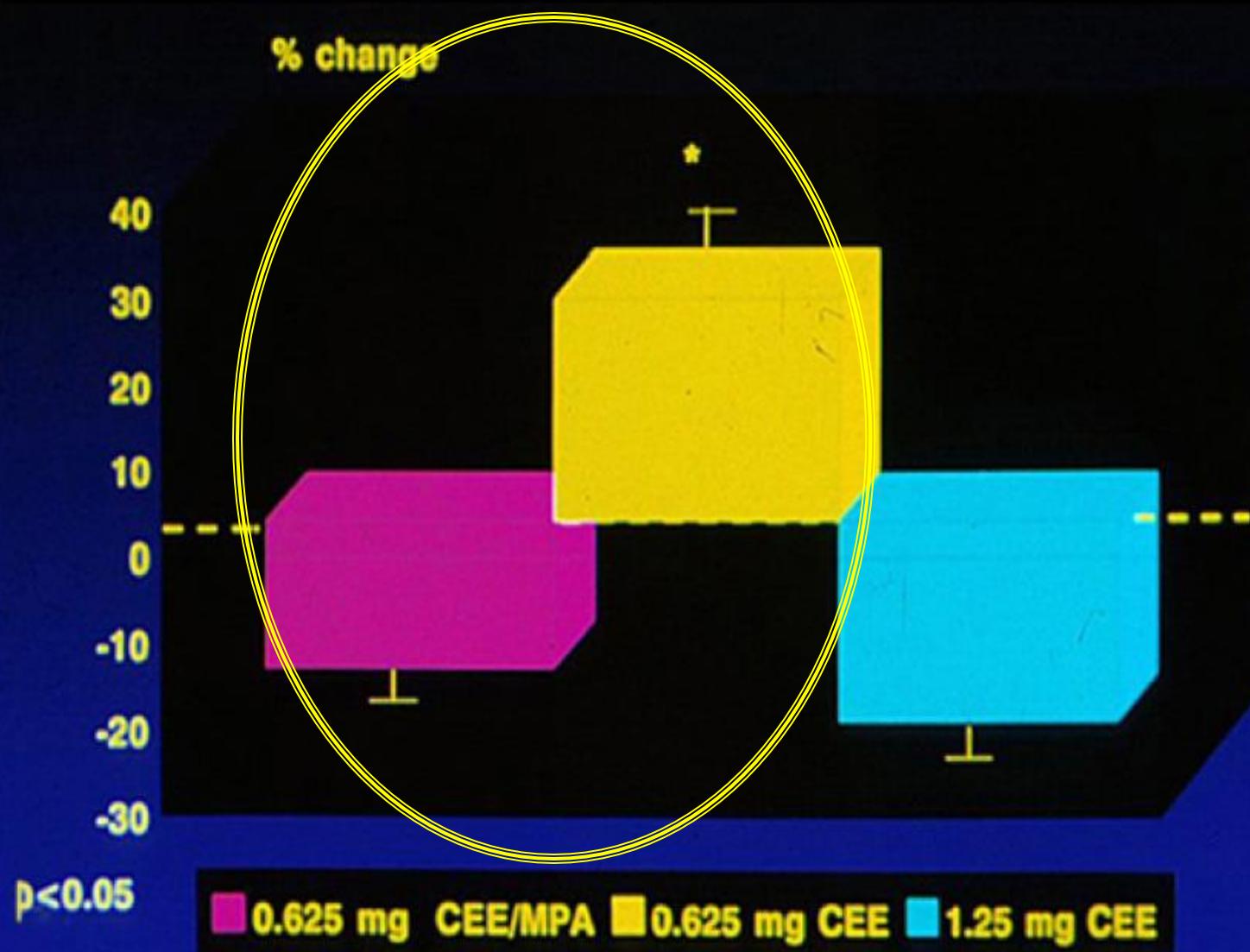
# PROGESTAGENOS Y SENSIBILIDAD A LA INSULINA

## Vías de administración

### GESTAGENOS VIA ORAL

- ↓ sensibilidad a la insulina (peor cuanto más androgénico)
- ↓ clearance hepático de insulina (ideal ruta no oral)
- Los más deletéreos son: LNG, MAP y CPA

# BIMODAL EFFECT OF ESTROGEN REPLACEMENT ON INSULIN SENSITIVITY



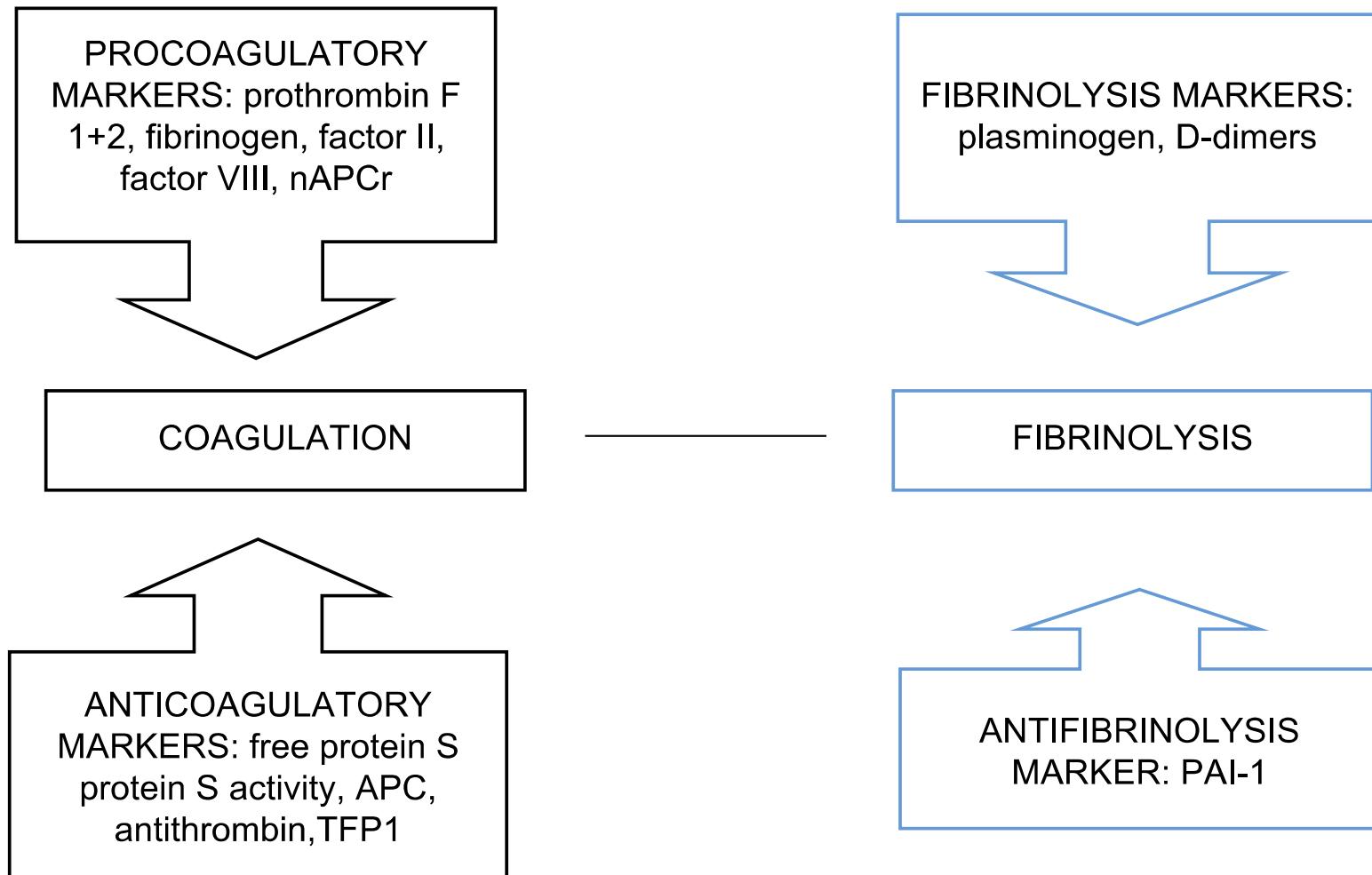


Figure 2 The dynamic balance of haemostasis. Haemostasis is a complex process resulting from a subtle balance between procoagulatory, anticoagulatory, fibrinolysis and antifibrinolysis markers. COCs have multiple effects on this dynamic balance. They alter procoagulant, anticoagulant and fibrinolytic pathways. APC (activated protein C); nAPCr, normalised APC ratio; TFP1, tissue factor pathway inhibition 1; PAI-1: plasminogen activator inhibitor-1.

# FACTORES DE COAGULACION E INFLAMATORIOS

## E VIA ORAL

- ↓ antitrombina III
- ↓ proteína S
- ↑ factor VII, protrombina y fragmento F1 protrombina
- Provoca R adquirida a la proteína C activada

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## E VIA NO ORAL

- Al igual que el estrógeno oral  
↓ fibrinógeno y PAI-1
- No varía antitrombina III, proteína S, factor VII, protrombina ni su fragmento F1
- Menor trombosis que el estrógeno oral

# FACTORES DE COAGULACION E INFLAMATORIOS

## E VIA ORAL

- ↓ ICAM-1
- ↓ VCAM-1
- ↓ Selectinas (E-selectina)
  - ↓ MCP-1
- ↓ Homocisteína
- ↑PCR y MMP-9

## E VIA NO ORAL

- ↓ ICAM-1
- ↓ VCAM-1
- ↓ Selectinas (E-selectina)
  - ↓ MCP-1
- ↓ Homocisteína
- No varía PCR ni MMP-9
- Menor inflamación que estrógeno oral

# Hormone Therapy and Venous Thromboembolism Among Postmenopausal Women

## Impact of the Route of Estrogen Administration and Progestogens: The ESTHER Study

TABLE 2. Impact of Hormone Therapy on VTE Risk by Route of Estrogen Administration and Type of Progestogens

	Cases (n=259)	Controls (n=603)	Crude	Matched OR (95% CI) Adjustment 1	Adjustment 2
Nonuse	146	384	1	1	1
Oral estrogen use	45	39	3.6 (1.5–8.8)	4.0 (1.6–10.1)	4.2 (1.5–11.6)
Transdermal estrogen use	67	180	0.8 (0.4–1.6)	0.8 (0.4–1.8)	0.9 (0.4–2.1)
No progestogens	14	40	...	...	...
Micronized progesterone	19	63	1.0 (0.4–2.3)	0.9 (0.4–2.2)	0.7 (0.3–1.9)
Pregnane derivatives	39	79	1.0 (0.4–2.3)	0.9 (0.4–2.2)	0.9 (0.4–2.3)
Norpregnane derivatives	40*	37†	3.8 (1.6–8.7)	4.0 (1.7–9.4)	3.9 (1.5–10.0)

# FACTORES INFLAMATORIOS Y COAGULACION

El estudio ESTHER reportó un incremento en el RR para el desarrollo de TEV de 3.9 para progestágenos no pregnanos:

***“PROMEGESTONA y ACETATO DE NOMEGESTROL”***

Esto parece deberse a que estos gestágenos:

1. Inducen R a la proteína C activada
2. Aumentan la actividad protrombina
3. Como progestágenos inducen mayor ectasia venosa?

# **Meta-analysis: effect of hormone-replacement therapy on components of the metabolic syndrome in postmenopausal women**

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**Meta-análisis de los estudios randomizados, controlados, de al menos 8 semanas de duración, publicados entre Abril de 1996 y Octubre del 2004, que evaluaron efecto de la THM sobre los distintos componentes del SM en mujeres postmenopáusicas con y sin DM2.**

**Table 1** Results for hormone-replacement therapy (HRT) combined, and for transdermal and oral agents, in women without known diabetes

Outcome	HRT – all agents (%)	Transdermal agents (%)	Oral agents (%)	p for interaction
HOMA-IR	–12.9* (–4.9 to –13.7)	–6.8 (–17 to 3.5)	–13.5* (–18.3 to –8.8)	NS
LDL/HDL	–11.0* (–12.3 to –9.6)	–8.4* (–13.8 to –2.8)	–17.4* (–20.0 to –14.9)	0.004*
Triglycerides	2.1 (–0.6 to 4.8)	–6.5 (–14.7 to 1.8)	6.0* (4.3 to 7.6)	0.004*
Lp(a)	–25.0* (–32.9 to –17.1)	–22.8* (–44.4 to –1.2)	–25.1* (–33.2 to –17.1)	NS
Mean BP	–1.7* (–2.9 to –0.5)	–0.8 (–3.3 to 1.6)	–2.2* (–4.1 to –0.3)	NS
CRP	37.7* (17.4 to 61.3)	2.0 (–23.0 to 34.0)	47.0* (29.0 to 67.0)	0.02*
E-selectin	–17.3* (–22.4 to –12.1)	–6.0 (–19.8 to 7.9)	–18.6* (–23.9 to –13.3)	NS
Fibrinogen	–5.5* (–7.8 to –3.2)	–4.7* (–7.6 to –1.8)	–5.8* (–8.7 to –2.8)	NS
PAI-1 antigen	–25.1* (–33.6 to –15.5)	–3.0 (–23.0 to 35.0)	–27.0* (–38.0 to –22.0)	0.03*
Protein C	–0.8 (–4.2 to 2.6)	–1.2 (–7.4 to 5.1)	–1.7 (–7.0 to 3.7)	NS
Protein S	–4.8 (–10.7 to 1.2)	–2.2 (–9.9 to 5.6)	–8.6* (–13.1 to –4.1)	0.01*

## La THM en mujeres sin DM2 produjo:

- *Reducción de la obesidad abdominal*
- *Descenso de IR*
- *Descenso del número de desechos*
- *Mejoría del descenso de glucemia en ayuno*

“Esto significa que la THM aportó mayor beneficio en las mujeres sin DM2 comparadas con mujeres con DM2”

## La THM en mujeres DM2 sólo provocó:

- *Aumentación de IR*
- *Descenso de glucemia en ayuno*

## **THM comparada con placebo o ausencia de tratamiento:**

- ↑HDLc 5.1%
- ↓LDLc 11%
- ↓relación LDL/HDL 15.7%
- ↓Lp(a) 25%
- ↑TG 2.1% (no significativo)
- Reducción de la grasa abdominal (6.8%)
- Descenso de IR (12.9%)
- Mejoría del perfil lipídico, de moléculas de adhesión y descenso de factores procoagulantes
- Descenso de la T.A.
- Descenso del número de casos nuevos de DM2

# INCIDENCIA DE DM2 Y THM

La menor incidencia de DM2 con THM se debe a:

- Efecto directo sobre páncreas y músculo esquelético:
  - efecto directo sobre células  $\beta$  aumentando secreción de insulina en respuesta a la glucosa
  - aumentando la eliminación de insulina
  - aumentando la sensibilidad a la insulina
- Efecto indirecto: Al disminuir la acumulación de grasa total y principalmente central

# **Effect of climacteric transition and hormone replacement therapy on body weight and body fat distribution**

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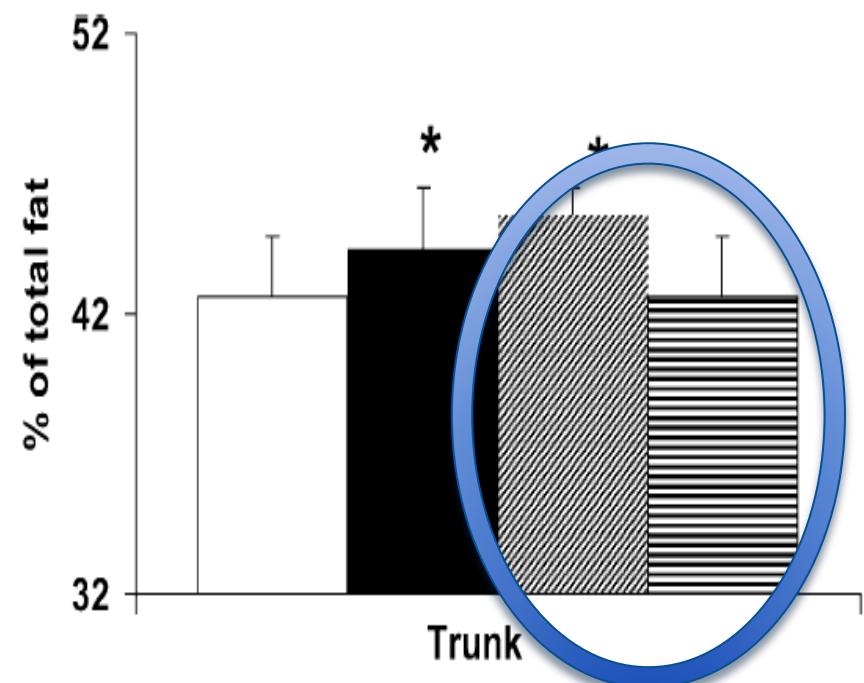
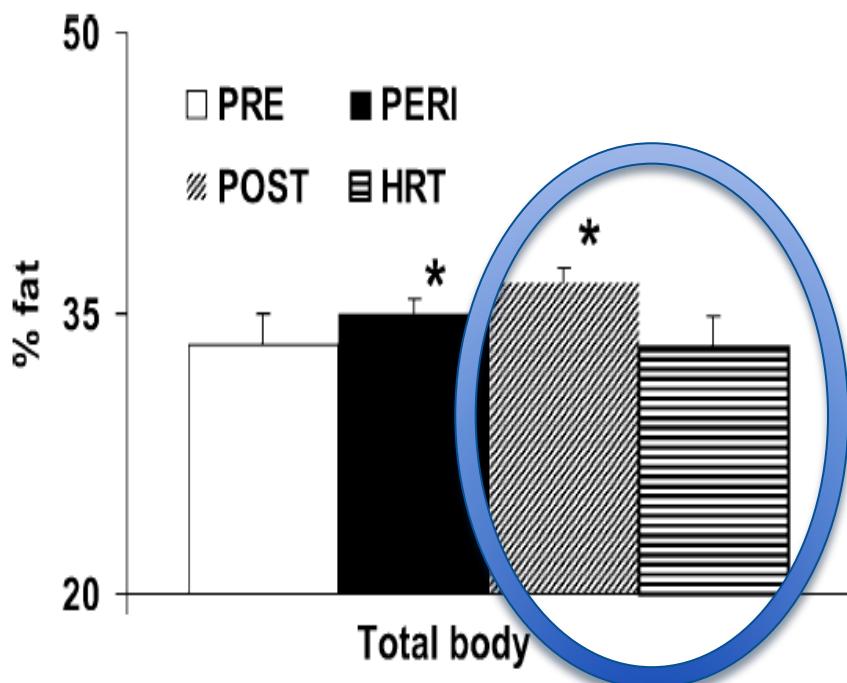
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Table I. Selected characteristics (mean  $\pm$  standard error, range in brackets) in normal cycling (premenopausal), oligomenorrheic (perimenopausal) and postmenopausal women, and postmenopausal women treated with hormone replacement therapy (HRT).

	Premenopause ( $n=540$ )	Perimenopause ( $n=750$ )	Postmenopause ( $n=885$ )	HRT ( $n=354$ )
Age (years)	$42.3 \pm 0.4$ (25–53)	$46.8 \pm 0.2^*$ (39–55)	$53.0 \pm 0.2^*$ (42–70)	$53.0 \pm 0.2^*$ (42–65)
Weight (kg)	$60.9 \pm 0.4$ (43–89)	$63.6 \pm 0.6^*$ (44–90)	$64.3 \pm 0.5^*$ (42–86)	$63.3 \pm 0.5$ (45–82)
Height (cm)	$162.7 \pm 0.3$ (145–187)	$161.8 \pm 0.4$ (145–178)	$161.3 \pm 0.3$ (145–180)	$160.3 \pm 0.3$ (149–186)
Body mass index ( $\text{kg}/\text{m}^2$ )	$23.4 \pm 0.2$ (19.0–29.0)	$24.1 \pm 0.2^*$ (20.5–30.5)	$26.5 \pm 0.2^*$ (19.2–30.9)	$24.5 \pm 0.2$ (20.2–31.0)
Follicle-stimulating hormone (U/l)	$9.3 \pm 3.8$	$27.7 \pm 5.5^*$	$59.7 \pm 3.5^{**}$	–
Estradiol (ng/ml)	$80.3 \pm 10.8$	$45.5 \pm 8.5^*$	$23.5 \pm 6.5^{**}$	–
Cycle length (days)	$30.0 \pm 5.0$	$65.0 \pm 5.0^*$	–	–

\* $p < 0.05$  vs. corresponding premenopause value; \*\* $p < 0.05$  vs. corresponding perimenopause and premenopause values.

# Effect of climacteric transition and hormone replacement therapy on body weight and body fat distribution



**Table 1** Prospective studies of postmenopausal oestrogen hormone replacement therapy (HRT) and oral contraceptive therapy on the incidence of diabetes

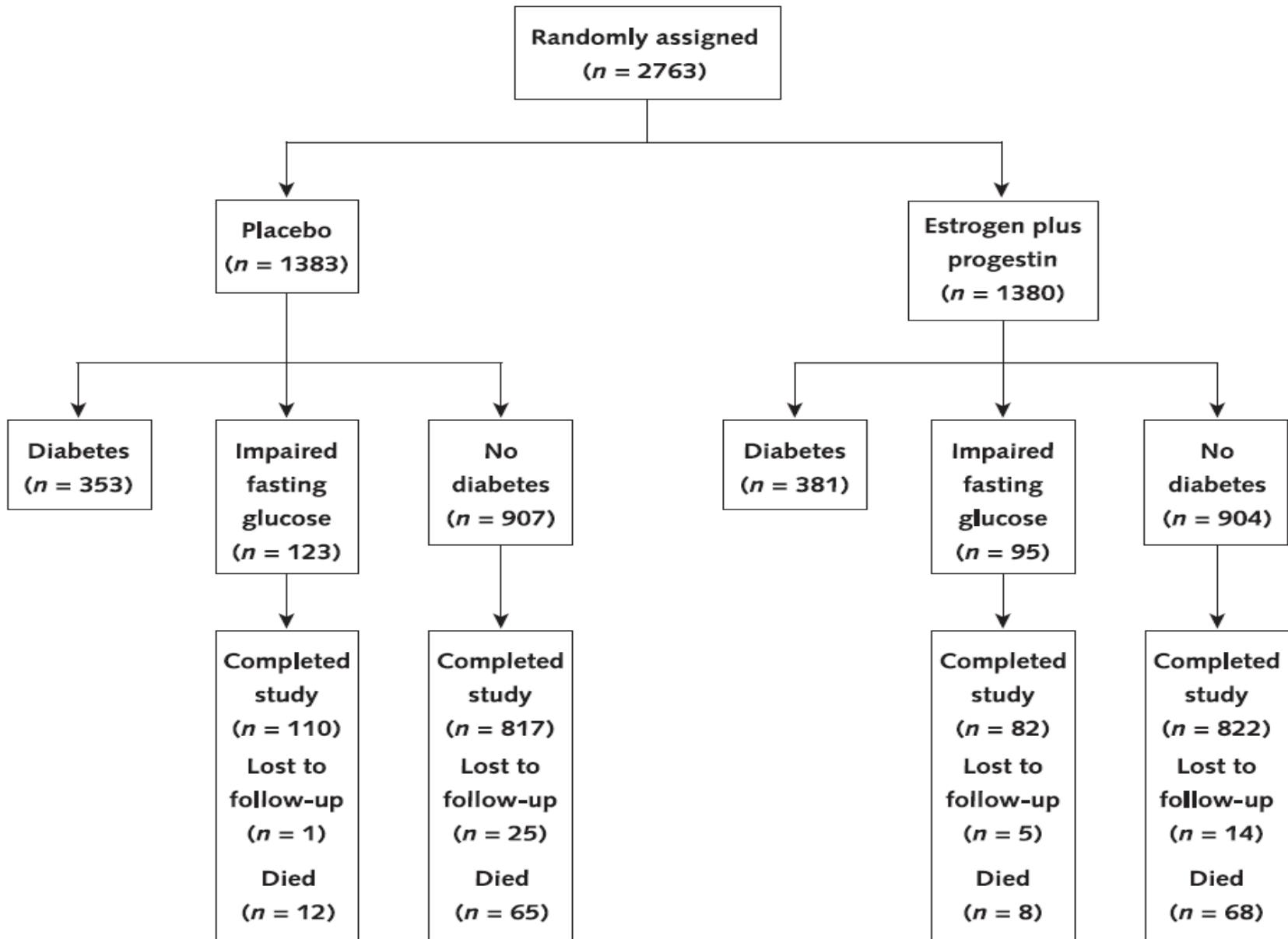
Study	Design	Treatment	Women-years of observation	Current users' relative risk (95% CI)
Nurses' Health Study, Manson et al. 1992 [25]	Observational 12-year follow-up of US occupation-based cohort	Any HRT	422,991	0.80 (0.67–0.96) (age- and BMI-adjusted)
Hammond et al. 1979 [26]	Retrospective observational follow-up of hypo-oestrogenic women in US hospital clinic	Any HRT	3844	0.29 (0.14–0.60) (unadjusted: non-significant after adjustment for weight)
Rancho Bernardo Health and Chronic Diseases Study, Gabal et al. 1997 [27]	Observational 11.5-year follow-up of US community-based cohort	HRT	9752	0.83 (0.43–1.63) (age-adjusted), 1.12 (0.56–1.37) (age- and BMI-adjusted)
STRONG Heart Study, Zhang et al. 2002 [28]	Observational 4-year follow-up of Native American communities cohort	Any HRT	3428	0.66 (0.39–1.12) (unadjusted), 1.11 (0.62–1.97) (adjusted)
Heart Estrogen Replacement Study, Kanaya et al. 2003 [5]	Randomised placebo-controlled trial of HRT in secondary prevention of cardiovascular disease in US postmenopausal women, with 5.7 years' follow-up	0.625 mg/day conjugated equine oestrogens plus 2.5 mg/day medroxyprogesterone acetate	15,749	0.65 (0.48–0.89)
Women's Health Initiative, Margolis et al. 2004 [6]	Randomised placebo-controlled trial of HRT in primary prevention of cardiovascular disease in US postmenopausal women, with 5.2 years' follow-up	0.625 mg/day conjugated equine oestrogens plus 2.5 mg/day medroxyprogesterone acetate	81,333	0.79 (0.67–0.94)

# Glycemic Effects of Postmenopausal Hormone Therapy: The Heart and Estrogen/progestin Replacement Study

A Randomized, Double-Blind, Placebo-Controlled Trial

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**El objetivo del estudio fue evaluar efecto de la THM sobre glucemia en ayuno e incidencia de DM2. Se realizó determinación de glucemia basal y a 1- 4 años del estudio.**



**Table 3. Effect of Treatment Assignment on Fasting Serum Glucose Level\***

Diabetes Status	Participants	Visit	Fasting Serum Glucose Level		Between-Group Difference (95% CI)
			Hormone Therapy Group	Placebo Group	
	<i>n</i>		←———— mg/dL —————→		
Normal	1811	Baseline	94.2 ± 7.7	94.6 ± 7.4	0.3 (-0.4 to 1.0)
		Year 1	94.3 ± 10.0	96.7 ± 10.3	2.4 (1.4 to 3.3)
		End of trial	96.3 ± 14.5	98.7 ± 14.5	2.4 (1.0 to 3.8)
Impaired fasting glucose	218	Baseline	115.6 ± 4.5	115.1 ± 4.1	-0.5 (-1.6 to 0.7)
		Year 1	111.9 ± 15.2	115.2 ± 30.2	3.3 (-3.5 to 10.2)
		End of trial	112.4 ± 20.3	125.8 ± 42.5	13.4 (3.3 to 23.4)
Diabetes	734	Baseline	152.7 ± 48.7	157.5 ± 48.2	4.7 (-2.3 to 11.7)
		Year 1	154.9 ± 58.0	170.4 ± 64.1	15.6 (6.4 to 24.8)
		End of trial	153.7 ± 57.9	165.1 ± 63.2	11.4 (1.7 to 21.0)
Overall	2763	Baseline	111.9 ± 36.9	112.4 ± 36.8	0.6 (-2.2 to 3.3)
		Year 1	111.9 ± 41.1	117.0 ± 46.7	5.1 (1.7 to 8.5)
		End of trial	112.4 ± 40.8	117.2 ± 45.4	4.8 (1.4 to 8.3)

\* Values with plus/minus signs are means ± SD. To convert mg/dL to mmol/L, multiply by 0.0555.

# **INCIDENCIA DE DM2 A LOS 4 AÑOS DEL SEGUIMIENTO:**

**De 2029 mujeres del HERS con enfermedad cardiovascular previa pero sin DM2 al basal desarrollaron la enfermedad:**

- **6.2% en mujeres con THM**
  - **9.5% en mujeres con placebo**
- } p=0.006

**HERS reveló reducción del 35% de incidencia de DM2 en las mujeres asignadas a THM en comparación con las que recibieron placebo**

# **Effect of oestrogen plus progestin on the incidence of diabetes in postmenopausal women: results from the Women's Health Initiative Hormone Trial**

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**El objetivo del estudio fue evaluar los efectos de la THM (E/P) sobre la incidencia de DM2 y valorar la IR en mujeres del WHI. Se determinó glucemia, insulina y HOMA.**

**Table 2.** Baseline and follow-up measurements in non-diabetic women randomised to oestrogen plus progesterone or placebo in the Women's Health Initiative<sup>a</sup>

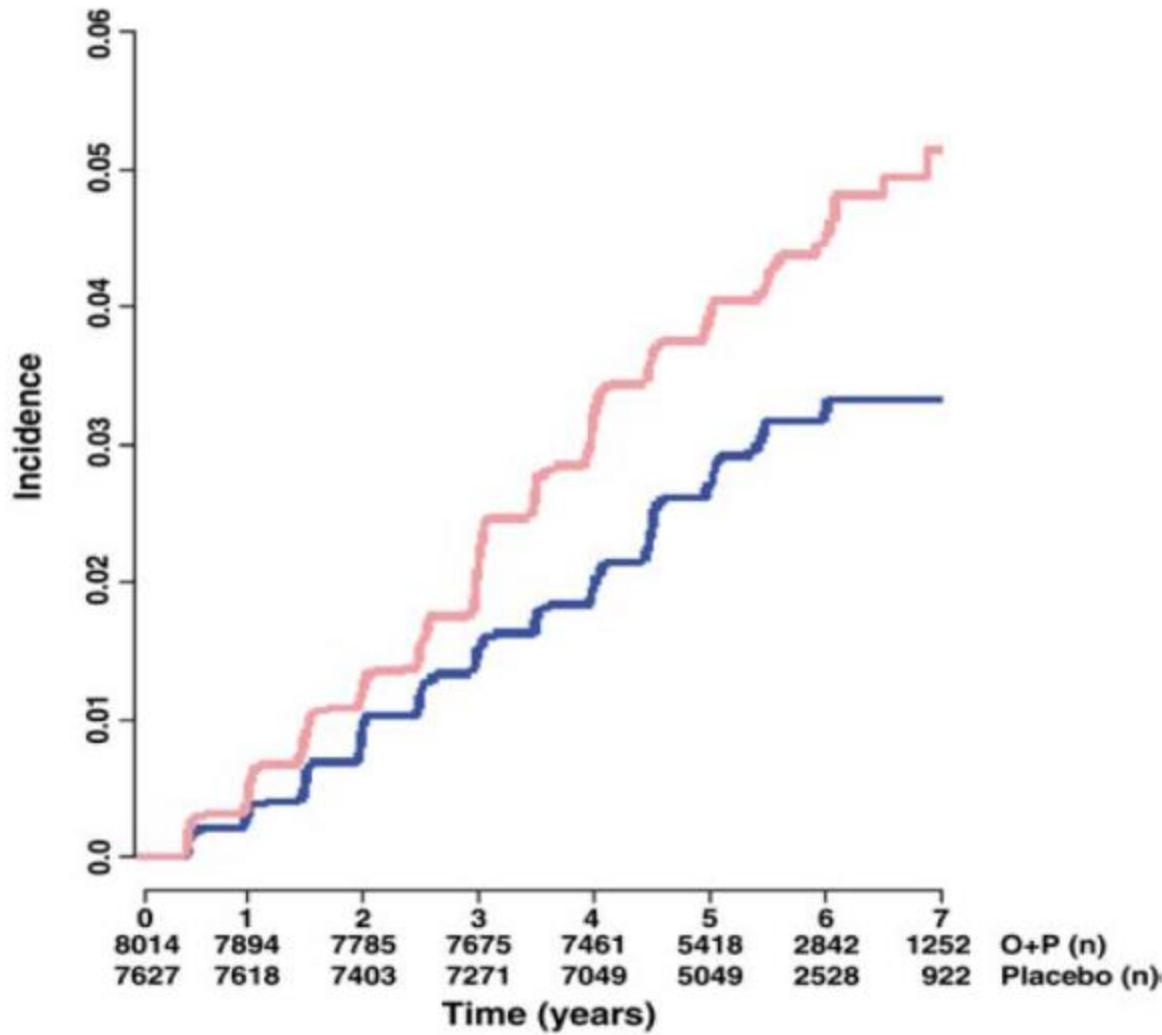
	Oestrogen + Progestin			Placebo			Difference	(SE)	<i>p</i> value <sup>b</sup>
	<i>n</i>	Mean	(SD)	<i>n</i>	Mean	(SD)			
<b>Glucose (mmol/l)</b>									
Baseline	699	5.33	(0.71)	660	5.35	(0.99)	-0.02	(0.05)	0.63
Year 1 to baseline	635	-0.12	(0.64)	592	-0.01	(0.70)	-0.11	(0.04)	<0.01
Year 3 to baseline	547	-0.12	(0.62)	507	-0.04	(0.92)	-0.08	(0.05)	0.15
<b>Insulin (mU/l)</b>									
Baseline	672	11.20	(5.65)	643	10.63	(5.70)	0.57	(0.35)	0.11
Year 1 to baseline	603	-0.33	(5.80)	564	0.32	(4.27)	-0.65	(0.34)	0.05
Year 3 to baseline	496	0.76	(5.82)	472	1.63	(6.36)	-0.87	(0.43)	0.04
<b>HOMA-IR</b>									
Baseline	672	2.73	(1.59)	642	2.63	(1.97)	0.10	(0.11)	0.37
Year 1 to baseline	602	-0.16	(1.48)	562	0.05	(1.52)	-0.22	(0.10)	0.03
Year 3 to baseline	496	0.12	(1.57)	472	0.35	(2.00)	-0.23	(0.13)	0.08

# **INCIDENCIA DE DM2 A LOS 5.2 AÑOS DEL SEGUIMIENTO:**

**Se observó desarrollo de DM2 en el:**

- **3.5% de mujeres con THM**
  - **4.2% de mujeres con placebo**
- } **p=0.004**

**WHI E-P reveló reducción del 21% en la incidencia de DM2  
en las mujeres randomizadas a THM en comparación con las  
mujeres que recibieron placebo**



**Fig. 1.** Diabetes incidence by treatment arm (Oestrogen Plus Progestin [O+P] versus Placebo). Hazard ratio (95% CI), 0.79 (0.67–0.93). Blue line: Oestrogen Plus Progestin; red line: Placebo

# **Menopausal hormone therapy and new-onset diabetes in the French Etude Epidemiologique de Femmes de la Mutuelle Générale de l'Education Nationale (E3N) cohort**

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**El objetivo del estudio fue investigar la asociación entre el uso de THM y el nuevo comienzo de DM2 en el estudio prospectivo francés de epidemiología de las mujeres (iniciado en 1990 y con 15 años de seguimiento).**

# **INCIDENCIA DE DM2 EN FRANCIA:**

**De un total de 63.624 mujeres postmenopáusicas del estudio epidemiológico de mujeres (E3N), 1220 nuevos casos de DM2 fueron identificados:**

- **702/45.394 (1.5%) en mujeres con THM**
- **518/18.230 (2.8%) en mujeres con placebo**

**Se observó un menor riesgo de nuevo comienzo de DM2 entre usuarias de THM en comparación con las que nunca usaron THM, con RR de 0.82**

## POSITION STATEMENT

Estrogen and progestogen use in postmenopausal women: 2010 position statement of The North American Menopause Society

### DIABETES:

*“El meta-análisis de los datos publicados sugiere que la THM se asocia con mejoría de la insulinorresistencia en las mujeres postmenopáusicas”*

*“Mujeres postmenopáusicas con DBT2 que usan THM pueden requerir menores dosis de medicaciones para su control glucémico”*

## **POSITION STATEMENT**

### **The 2012 Hormone Therapy Position Statement of The North American Menopause Society**

#### **DIABETES:**

**“A pesar que los grandes estudios clínicos randomizados demuestran que la THM reduce la incidencia de nuevos casos de DM2, “NO SE RECOMIENDA” su uso para prevención de DBT mellitus en mujeres peri o postmenopáusicas”**

# POSITION STATEMENT

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## DIABETES:

*Estrógenos transdérmicos ofrecen ventajas sobre estrógenos orales, ya que:*

- *No aumentan TG*
- *No aumentan factores trombóticos*
- *No activa factores inflamatorios ni de coagulación*
- *No se asocian con aumento de tensión arterial*
- *Mas aún, mejora la sensibilidad a la insulina*

**Ante esta paciente (< de 60 años de edad y con menos de 10 años desde su menopausia) que presenta:**

- DM2
- Síntomas climatéricos “severos” que le alteran su calidad de vida
- No posee contraindicaciones para el uso de TH
- Que no respondió previamente a tratamientos no hormonales

**Se le indica:**

**THM con elección de estrógenos transdérmicos asociados a progesterona natural micronizada vaginal**

## **Box 1**

Suggested protocol for monitoring diabetic women on HRT.

- Blood pressure checks—six monthly.
- HbA<sub>1c</sub>—six monthly.
- Lipid profiles—annually.
- Liver function tests—annually.
- Fundoscopy—annually.
- Screening for microvascular disease—annually.
- DXA scan—for women at risk of osteoporosis.

*Note:* Any abnormal uterine bleeding whilst on HRT must be fully investigated to rule out endometrial neoplasia.

Adapted from Perera and co-worker [49].



# MUCHAS GRACIAS !!

