

# **SINFONIA 2.0** **PER IL DIABETE:** *prove d'orchestra*

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## **Scompenso cardiaco sintomatico e asintomatico**

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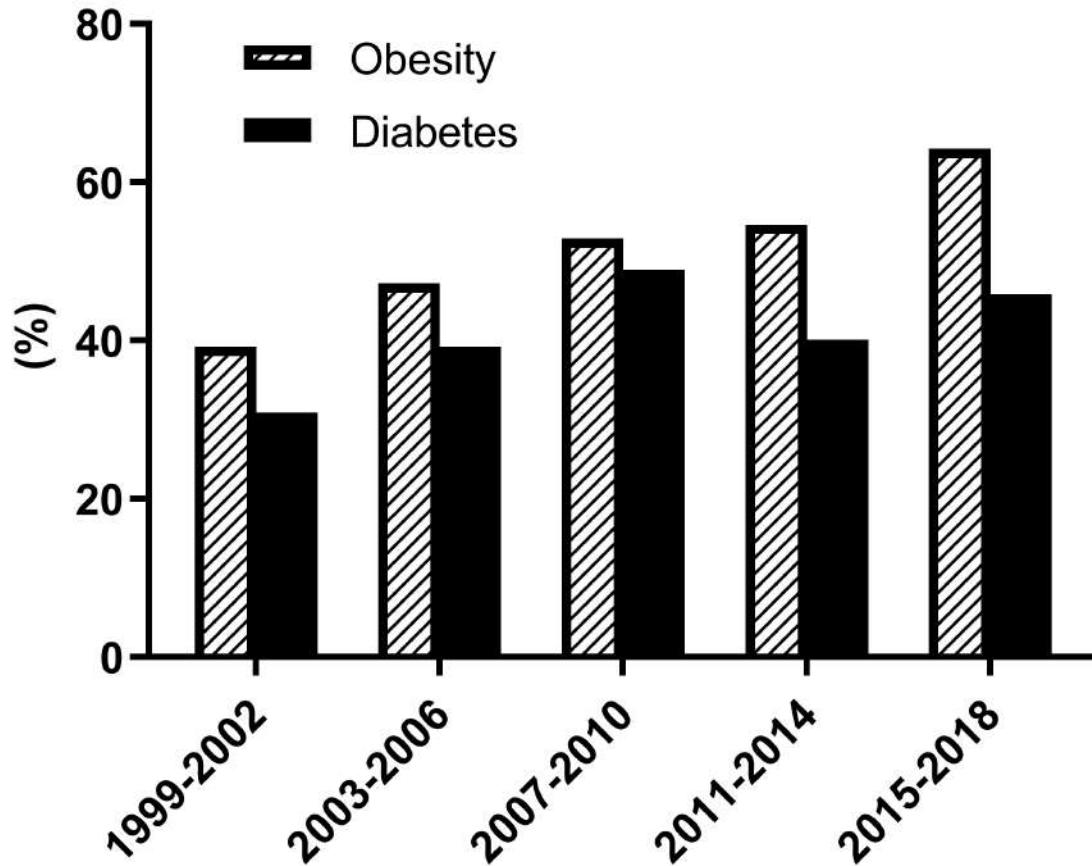
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# Topics

- **Relevance**
- **Natural history:** RFs, organ damage, symptoms
- **Action:** screening, therapy

## Trend in HF in US NHANES 1999-2018

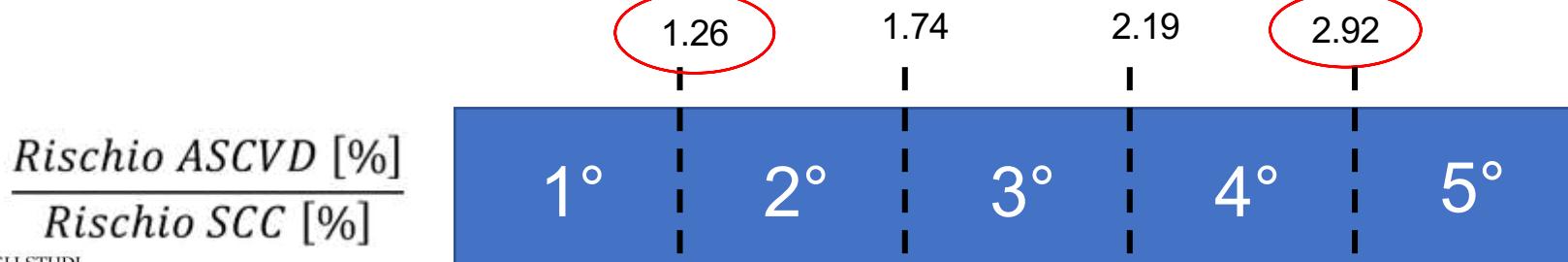


- Stable prevalence 3-4%
- **Increasing proportion of obesity and T2DM**
- Little improvement in BP
- Little improvement in HbA1c
- Improvement in the lipid profile up to 2010

# Stima del rischio di SCC e di ASCVD nel T2DM in prevenzione CVD primaria

<b>Rischio medio di SCC (QDiabetes) e di ASCVD a 10 anni</b>			
N	1089	F = 532	M = 557
QDIABETES [%]	10.54 ± 7.45	10.77 ± 7.62	10.33 ± 7.29
ASCVD [%]	20.83 ± 13.84	17.50 ± 13.41	24.01 ± 13.50

- Suddivisione in quintili in base al rapporto tra rischio ASCVD e SCC di ogni soggetto



# Natural history of HF

## STAGE A

High risk for HF

- Obesity
- Hypertension
- Hyperlipidemia
- DKD
- CAD
- Sex
- SDOH

# HF: classification

Type of HF	HFrEF	HFmrEF	HFpEF
CRITERIA	Symptoms ± Signs <sup>a</sup>	Symptoms ± Signs <sup>a</sup>	Symptoms ± Signs <sup>a</sup>
1	LVEF $\leq$ 40%	LVEF 41–49% <sup>b</sup>	LVEF $\geq$ 50%
2	—	—	Objective evidence of cardiac structural and/or functional abnormalities consistent with the presence of LV diastolic dysfunction/raised LV filling pressures, including raised natriuretic peptides <sup>c</sup>
3	EF <40%	EF 41-49%	EF $\geq$ 50%

McDonagh TA et al. 2021 ESC HF Guidelines

# Signs and symptoms

## Classical

Dyspnea

Orthopnea

Reduced tolerance to physical exercise

Weakness

Ankle edema

## Less frequent

Night cough

Breath shortness

Body weight reduction

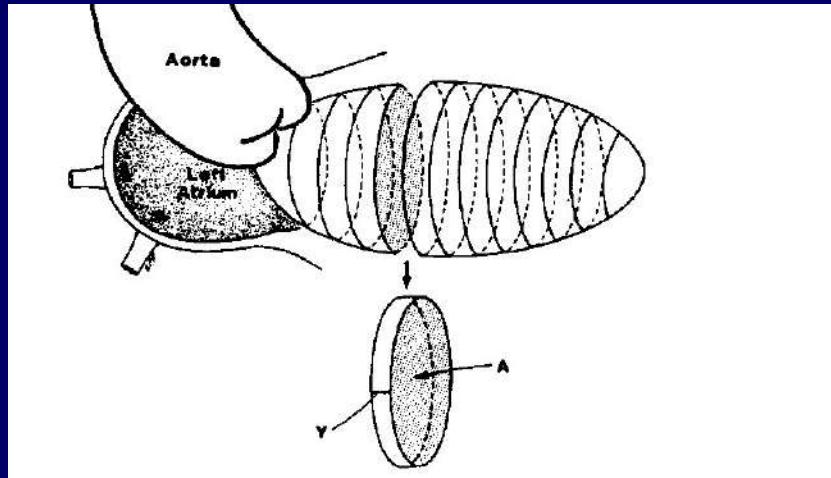
Confusion/depression

Palpitations

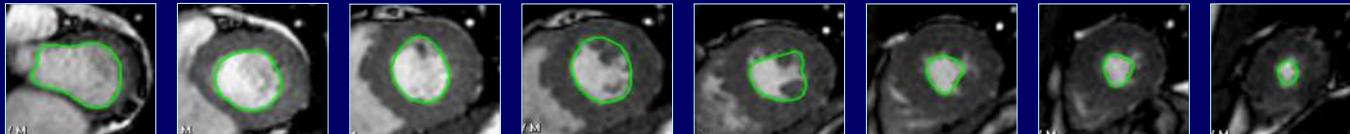
Dizziness

Bendopnea

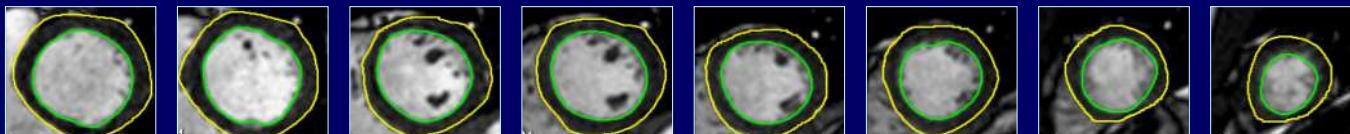
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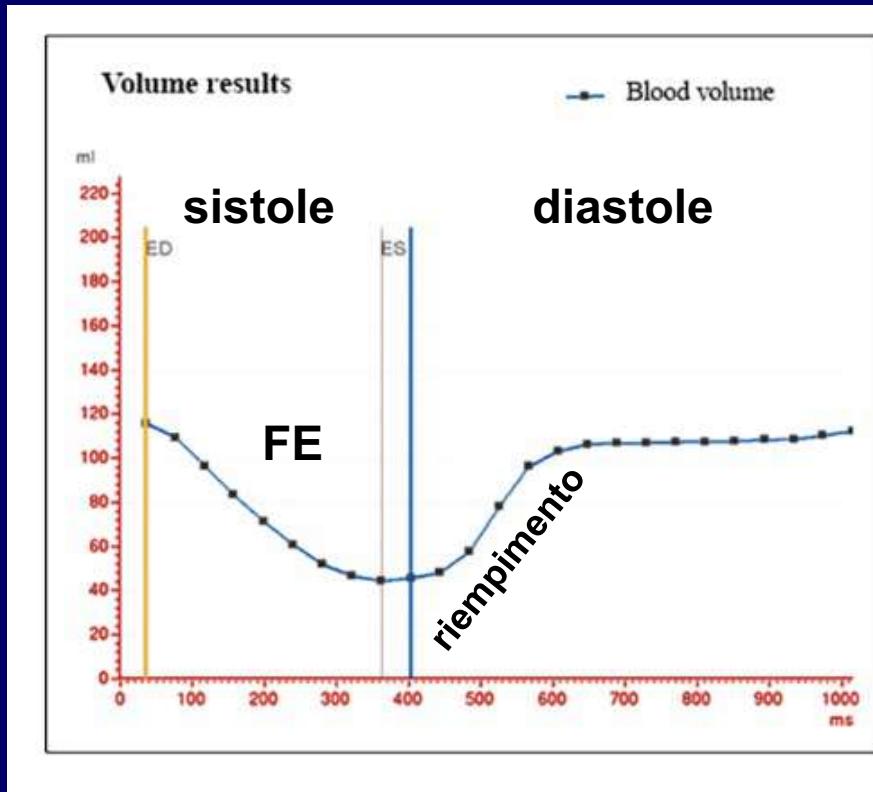


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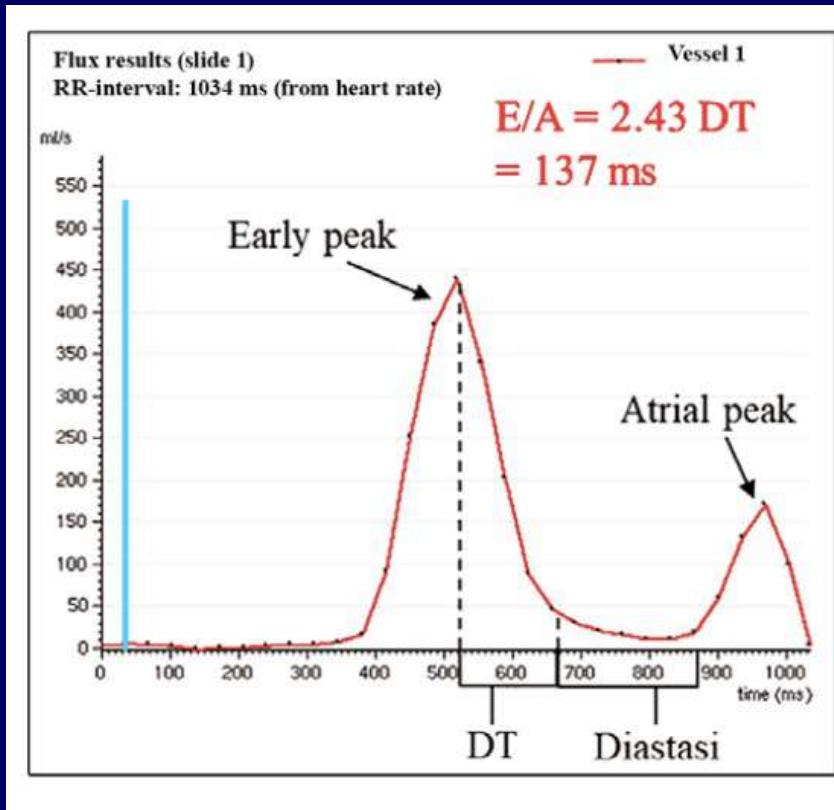
# Volumi

Healthy volunteer



# Flussi

## Healthy volunteer





# Global longitudinal strain (GLS)



- ❖ Longitudinal
- ❖ Radial
- ❖ Circumferential

EF

Diastolic function

Filling pressure

Cardiac geometry

# Abnormal Left Ventricular Energy Metabolism in Obese Men With Preserved Systolic and Diastolic Functions Is Associated With Insulin Resistance

Table 2—Morphologic parameters and functional features of study subjects stratified for quartiles of BMI ( $\text{kg}/\text{m}^2$ )

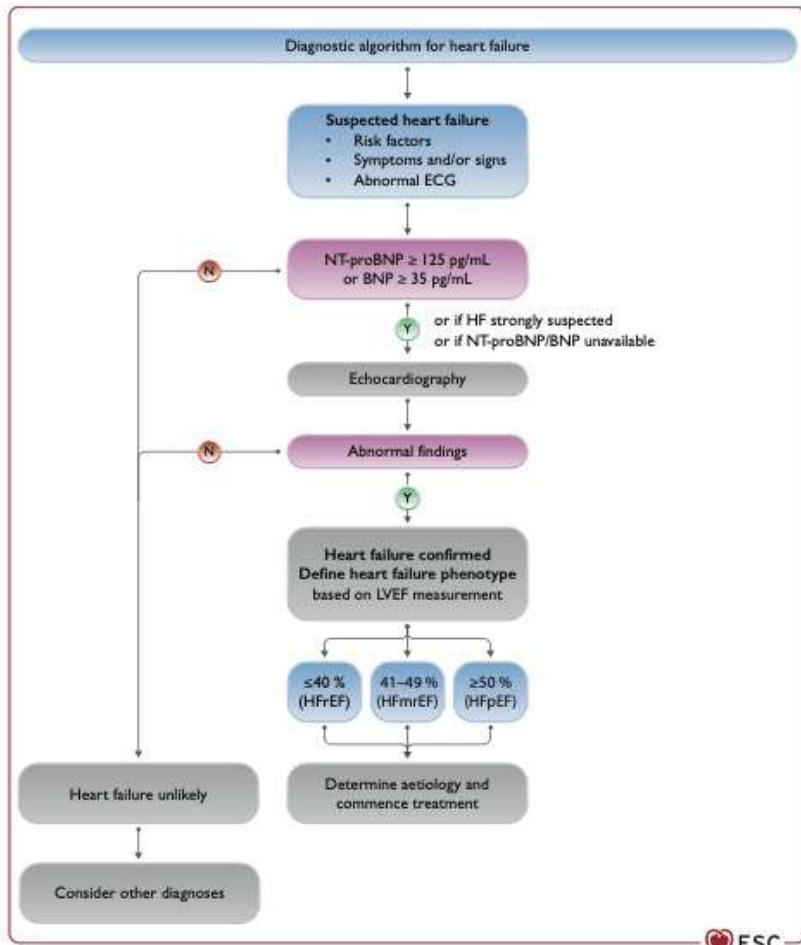
	Quartile I	Quartile II	Quartile III	Quartile IV
Heart rate (beats/min)	$21.7 \pm 1.3$ (18.5–23.2) $63 \pm 13$	$24.6 \pm 0.7$ (23.3–25.5) $63 \pm 9$	$26.9 \pm 0.9$ (25.5–29.0) $63 \pm 10$	$32.0 \pm 1.7$ (30.0–35.3) $65 \pm 9$
Morphologic features				
End diastolic volume (ml)	$143 \pm 22$	$141 \pm 21$	$148 \pm 33$	$144 \pm 28$
End systolic volume (ml)	$56 \pm 14$	$55 \pm 13$	$56 \pm 16$	$51 \pm 14$
End diastolic wall mass (g)	$138 \pm 24$	$133 \pm 21$	$145 \pm 17$	$157 \pm 19^*$
End diastolic wall mass/volume ratio (g/ml)	$0.97 \pm 0.16$	$0.94 \pm 0.10$	$1.02 \pm 0.18$	$1.12 \pm 0.19^*$
Systolic function				
Stroke volume (ml)	$87 \pm 13$	$86 \pm 11$	$92 \pm 19$	$93 \pm 16$
Cardiac output (l/min)	$5.4 \pm 1.4$	$5.4 \pm 0.9$	$5.6 \pm 1.0$	$6.0 \pm 1.2$
Ejection fraction (%)	$61 \pm 5$	$62 \pm 5$	$62 \pm 4$	$65 \pm 4$
Diastolic function				
Early PFR (ml/s)	$464 \pm 78$	$475 \pm 74$	$432 \pm 92$	$469 \pm 96$
Atrial PFR (ml/s)	$213 \pm 54$	$219 \pm 42$	$238 \pm 84$	$261 \pm 64$
E/A peak flow	$2.31 \pm 0.69$	$2.24 \pm 0.49$	$1.99 \pm 0.70$	$1.88 \pm 0.49$
Deceleration time (ms)	$176 \pm 26$	$183 \pm 34$	$197 \pm 39$	$183 \pm 35$

Data are means  $\pm$  SD (BMI range) from two-tailed, independent-Samples t test.  $^*P < 0.05$  vs. quartiles I and II in one-way ANOVA and Bonferroni post hoc analysis. PFR: peak filling rate.

## STAGE B Structural disorder

- LV systolic dysfunction
- LV diastolic dysfunction
- LV hypertrophy
- Chamber enlargement
- Valvular disease
- Increased filling pressures OR Elevated biomarkers

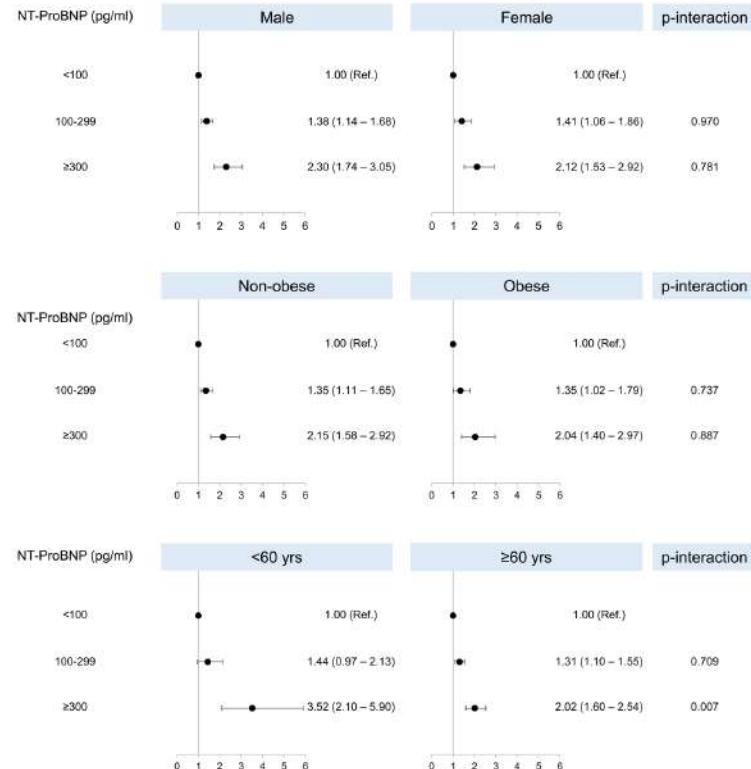
# Diagnostic algorithm



# NT-ProBNP in T2DM (NHANES 1999-2004 through 2015)

## Across the spectrum of glucose tolerance

	NT-ProBNP (pg/ml)			
	All-cause mortality		Cardiovascular mortality	
	Events (n/N)	Incidence rate per 1000 person-years (95% CI)	Events (n/N)	Incidence rate per 1000 person-years (95% CI)
Entire cohort				
<100	655/3446	14.8 (13.7-15.9)	123/3446	2.8 (2.3-3.3)
100-299	499/1462	29.0 (26.6-31.7)	116/1462	6.7 (5.6-8.1)
≥300	355/585	64.2 (57.8-71.2)	91/585	16.5 (13.4-20.2)
HbA1c<5.7%				
<100	323/2144	11.5 (10.3-12.9)	59/2144	2.1 (1.6-2.7)
100-299	284/925	25.3 (22.6-28.5)	53/925	4.7 (3.6-6.2)
≥300	169/305	55.6 (47.8-64.6)	33/305	10.8 (7.7-15.3)
HbA1c 5.7-6.4%				
<100	151/727	16.5 (14.0-19.3)	24/727	2.6 (1.8-3.9)
100-299	92/280	28.4 (23.1-34.7)	27/280	8.3 (5.7-12.2)
≥300	75/116	69.9 (55.7-87.6)	22/116	20.5 (13.5-31.1)
Diabetes				
<100	181/575	25.7 (22.2-29.8)	40/575	5.7 (4.2-7.8)
100-299	123/257	44.7 (37.5-53.3)	36/257	13.1 (9.4-18.1)
≥300	111/164	78.4 (65.1-94.4)	36/164	25.4 (18.3-35.2)



Ciardullo S et al  
Cardiovasc Diabetol, 2022

**STAGE C/D**  
Symptoms of HF

- Exertional dyspnea
- Orthopnea
- Paroxysmal nocturnal dyspnea
- Weakness/fatigue
- Weight gain

# CVOTs in HF

## HF Trials (+/- diabetes)

**Table 2.** Cardiovascular Outcome Trials Involving Patients with Heart Failure.\*

Variable	DAPA-HF	EMPEROR-Reduced	EMPEROR-Preserved	SOLOIST-WHF
Drug	Dapagliflozin	Empagliflozin	Empagliflozin	Sotagliflozin
No. of patients	4744	3730	5988	1222
Type 2 diabetes — % of patients	41.7	49.8	49.1	100
LVEF — %	31.1	27.4	54.3	35
Median NT-proBNP — pg/ml	1437	1907	970	1864
Mean eGFR — ml/min/1.73 m <sup>2</sup>	65.7	62.0	60.6	49.9
Outcomes — hazard ratio (95% CI)				
Cardiovascular death or hospitalization for heart failure	0.74 (0.65–0.85)	0.75 (0.68–0.86)	0.79 (0.69–0.90)	0.67 (0.52–0.85)
Hospitalization for heart failure	0.70 (0.59–0.83)	0.69 (0.59–0.81)	0.73 (0.61–0.88)	0.64 (0.49–0.83)

\* Data sources for the trials are as follows: DAPA-HF, McMurray et al.<sup>24</sup>; EMPEROR-Reduced, Packer et al.<sup>25</sup>; EMPEROR-Preserved, Anker et al.<sup>26</sup>; SOLOIST-WHF, Bhatt et al.<sup>27</sup> The abbreviation eGFR denotes estimated glomerular filtration rate, LVEF left ventricular ejection fraction, and NT-proBNP N-terminal pro-B-type natriuretic peptide.

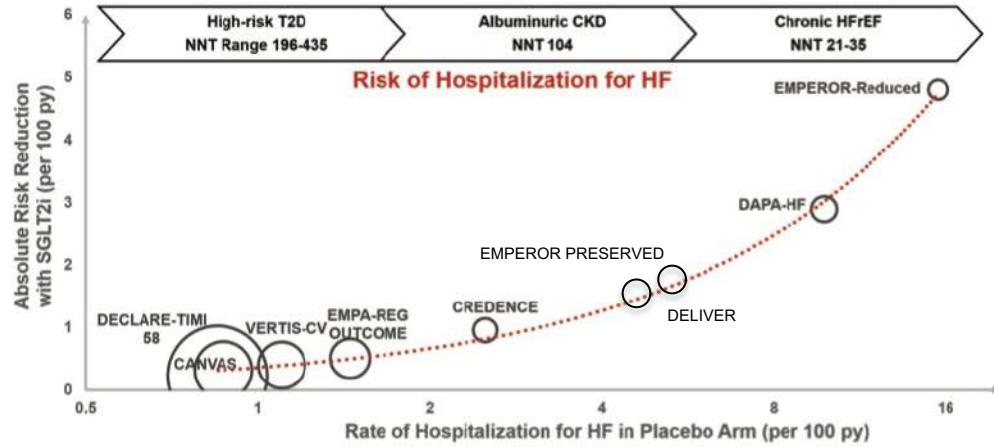
DAPA-HF  
(Dapagliflozin NEJM 2020)

Emperor Reduced  
(Empagliflozin NEJM 2020)

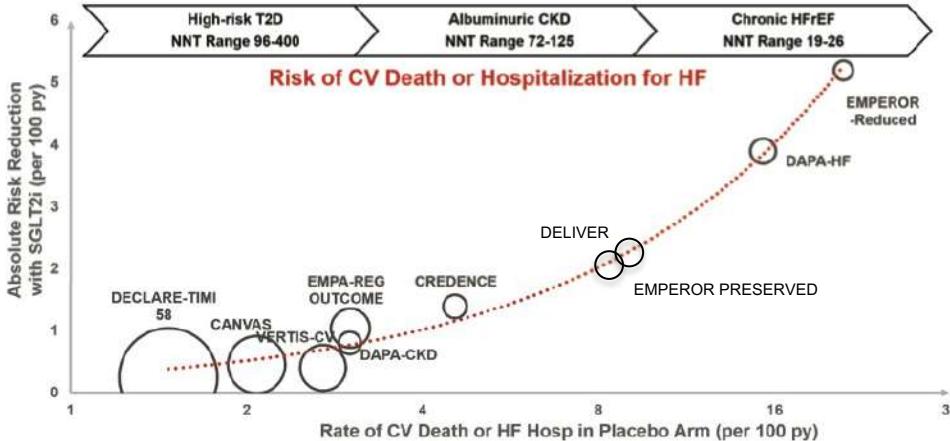
Emperor Preserved  
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SOLOIST – WHF  
(Sotagliflozin NEJM 2021)

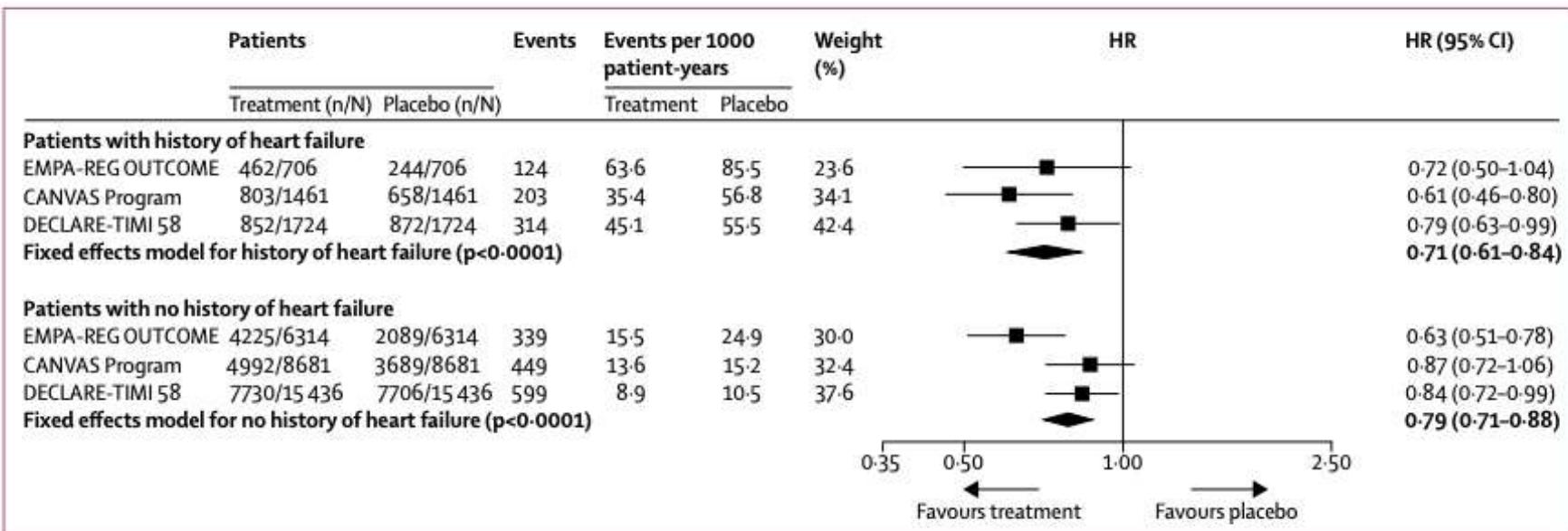
DELIVER  
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# Risk/Benefit relationship



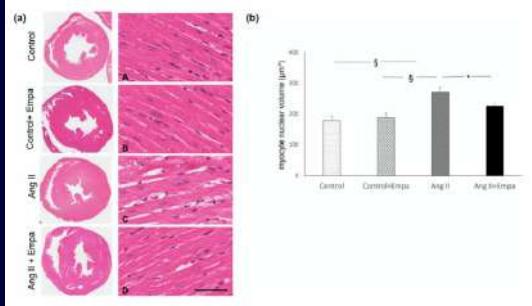
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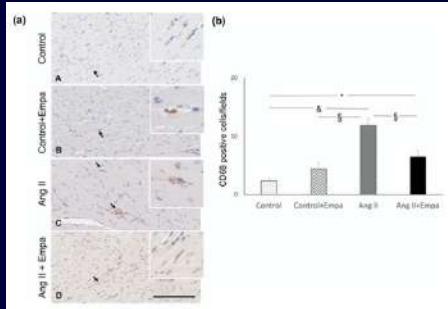
**Figure 3: Meta-analysis of SGLT2i trials on hospitalisation for heart failure and cardiovascular death stratified by history of heart failure**

History of heart failure: Q statistic=2.02, p=0.37,  $I^2=0.8\%$ ; no history of heart failure: Q statistic=5.89, p=0.0527,  $I^2=66\%$ . The p value for subgroup differences was 0.51. Tests for subgroup differences were based on F tests in a random effect meta-regression estimated using restricted maximum likelihood and Hartung Knapp adjustment. HR=hazard ratio. SGLT2i=sodium-glucose cotransporter-2 inhibitors.

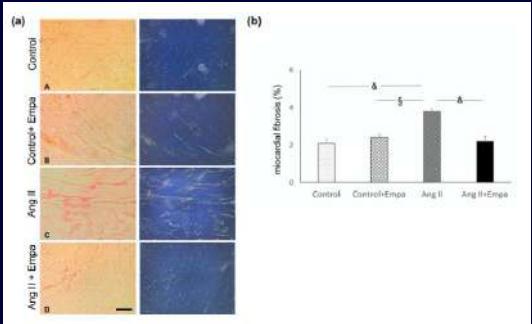
# Regardless glucose control



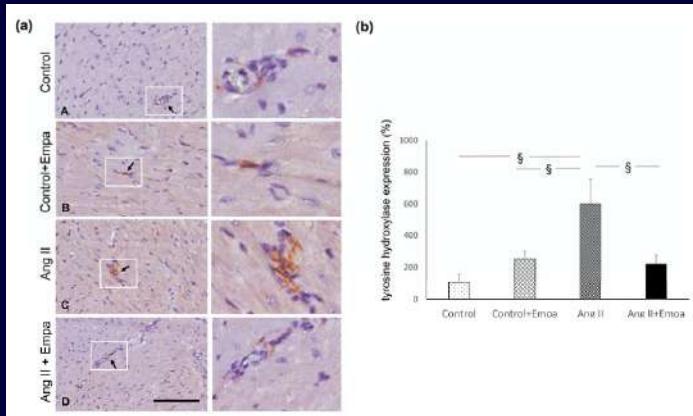
Hypertrophy



Inflammation



Fibrosis



Sympatetic activity

Non-diabetic  
Hypertensive Sprague Dawley rats  
(chronic angiotensin administration  
using subcutaneously implanted  
osmotic minipumps)

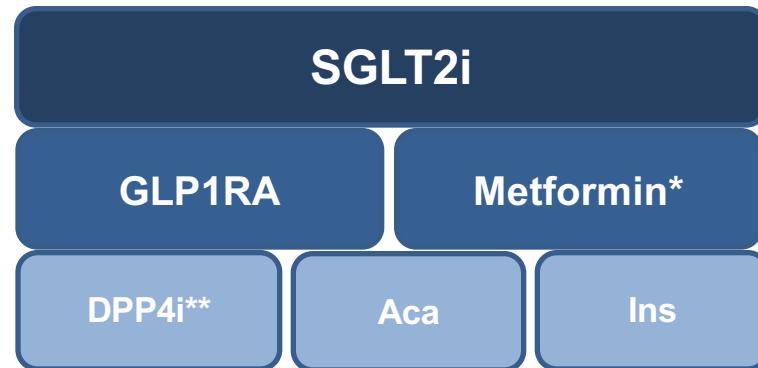
# Terapia Farmacologica



Quali sono i farmaci di prima, seconda e terza istanza da impiegare per il controllo della glicemia nei pazienti con diabete di tipo 2 con scompenso cardiaco?

Si raccomanda l'uso di SGLT-2i come farmaci di prima scelta per il trattamento a lungo termine di pazienti con diabete di tipo 2 con scompenso cardiaco.

I GLP-1 RA e metformina dovrebbero essere considerati come farmaci di seconda scelta, mentre DPP-4i, acarbosio ed insulina come farmaci di terza scelta.



\*La metformina è controindicata in classe NYHA III-IV

\*\*Saxagliptin è associato ad un aumento di ricoveri per scompenso cardiaco

Forza della raccomandazione: forte. Qualità delle prove: moderata.



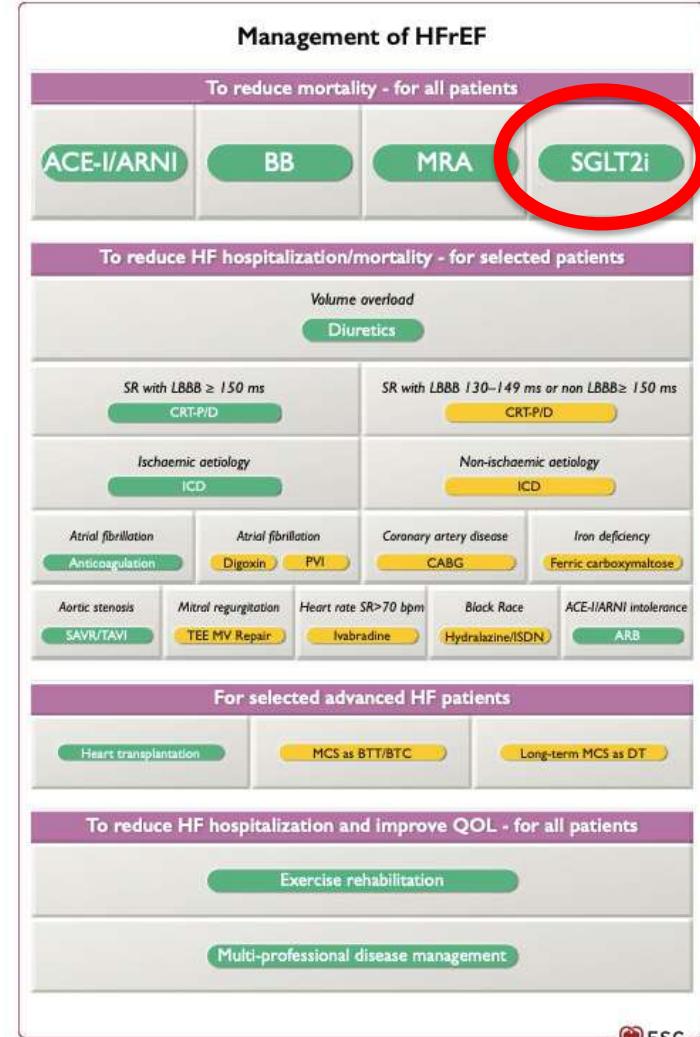
SISTEMA NAZIONALE LINEE GUIDA DELL'ISTITUTO SUPERIORE DI SANITÀ (6 luglio 2021)



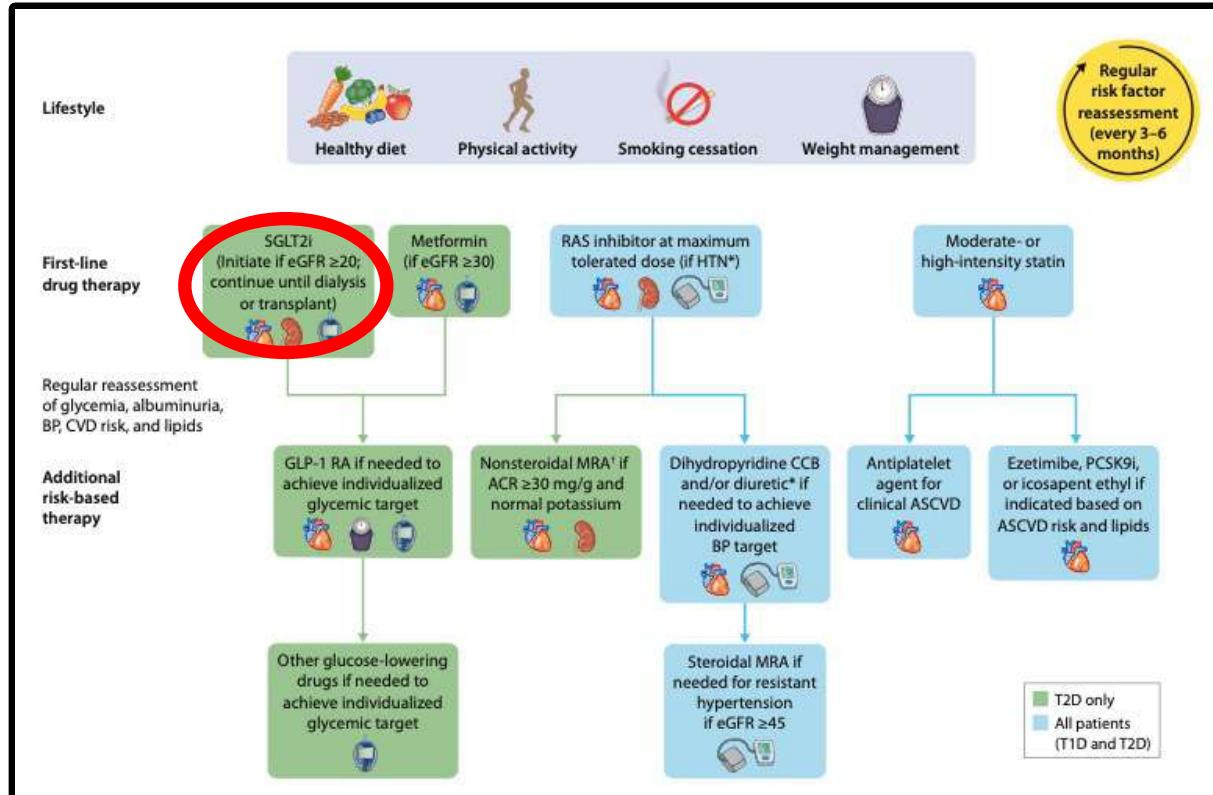
## 2021 ESC Guidelines for the diagnosis and treatment of acute and chronic heart failure

Developed by the Task Force for the diagnosis and treatment of acute and chronic heart failure of the European Society of Cardiology (ESC)

Eur Heart J, 2021

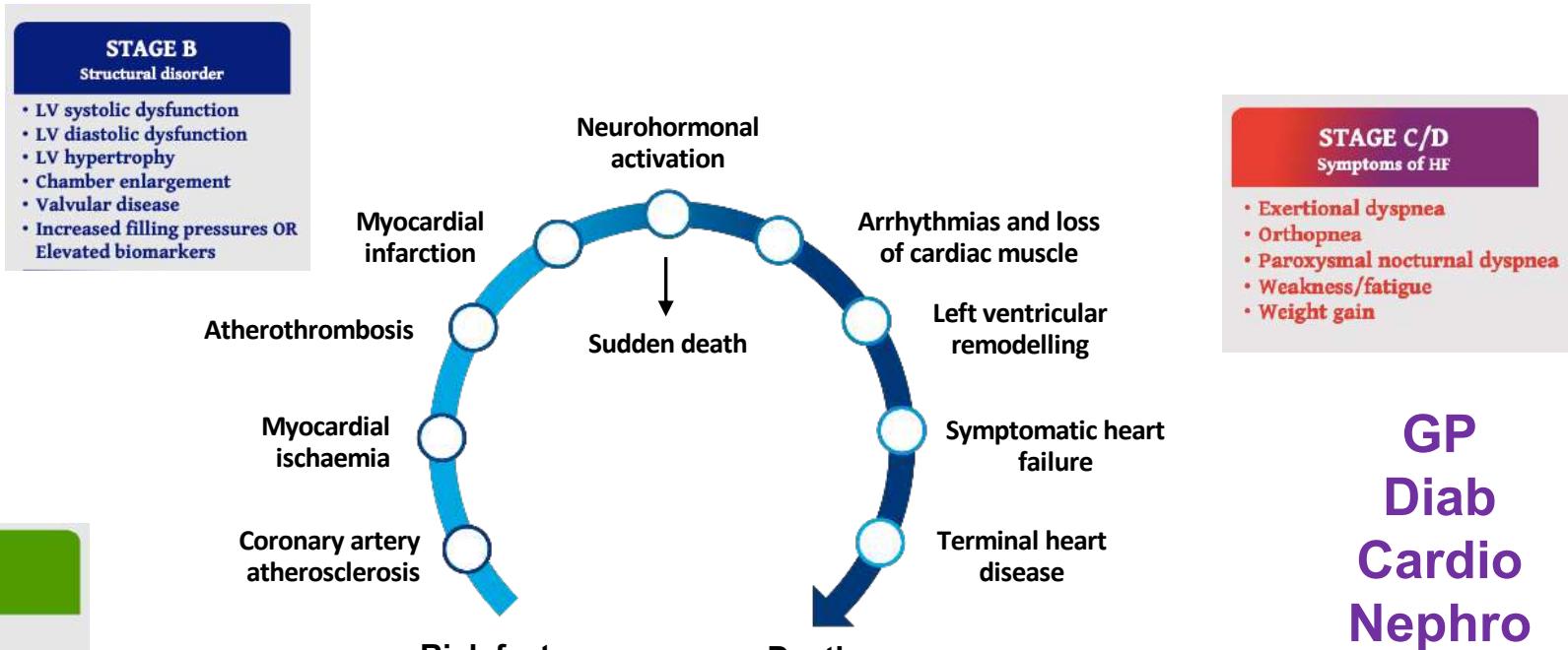


# Consensus ADA KDIGO



# What is the role of the HCPs?

GP  
Diab  
Cardio  
Nephro



Dzau VJ et al Circulation, 2006

GP  
Diab  
Cardio  
Nephro



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# Clinical Utility of Cardiovascular Risk Scores for Identification of People With Type 2 Diabetes More Likely to Benefit From Either GLP-1 Receptor Agonist or SGLT2 Inhibitor Therapy

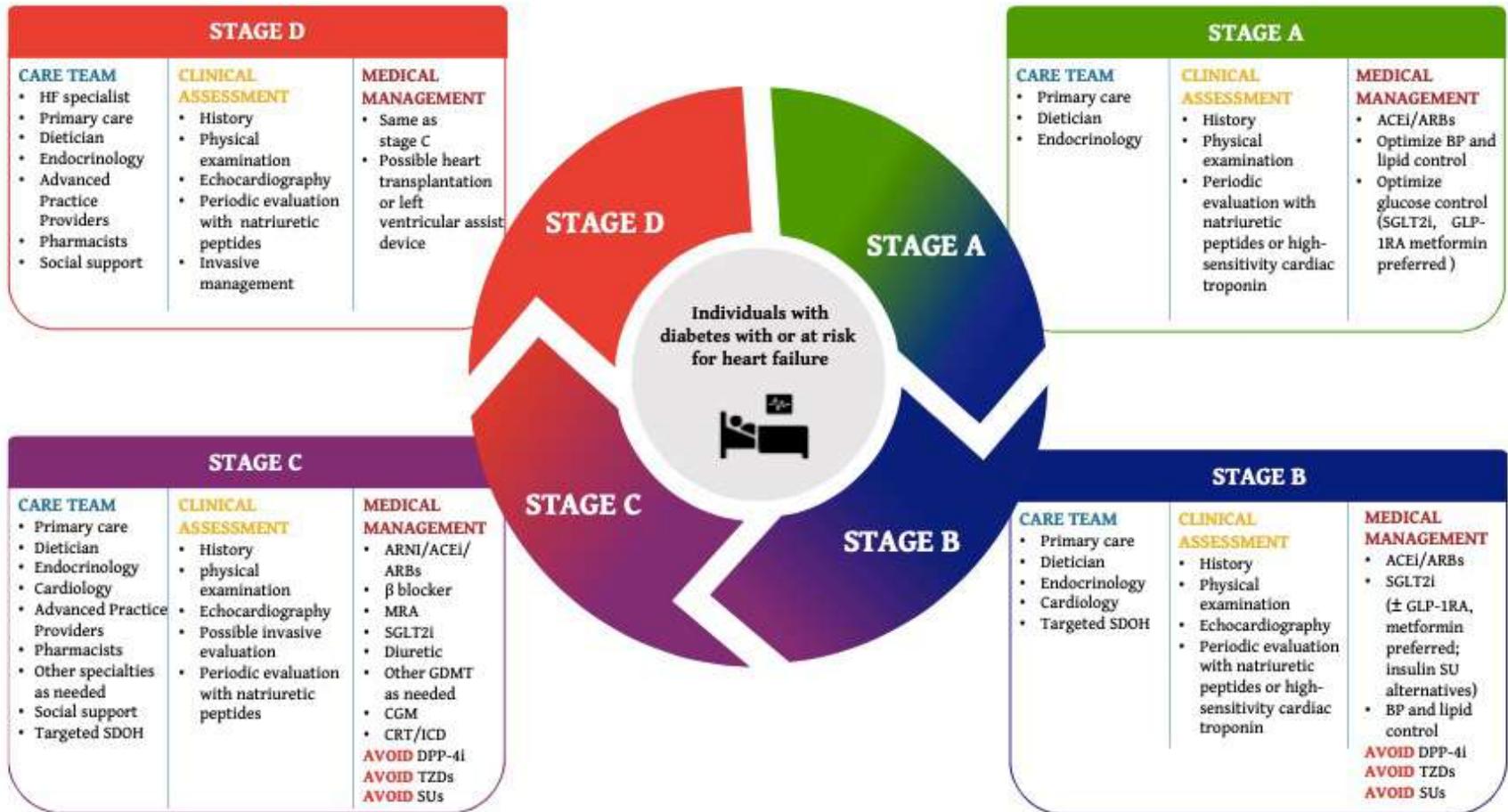
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## CONCLUSIONS

A greater increase in the rate of HHF relative to MACE was observed with progressively higher cardiovascular risk, regardless of the risk score applied. Consequently, SGLT2is may offer greater overall cardiovascular protection in those at highest MACE risk, not just those at highest HHF risk.



**Figure 2—**Multidisciplinary personalized care for in individuals with HF and diabetes. DPP-4i, DPP-4 inhibitors; SUs, sulfonylureas.