



SABATO 9 OTTOBRE

Impiego degli inibitori PCSK9 nel trattamento dell'ipercolesterolemia familiare

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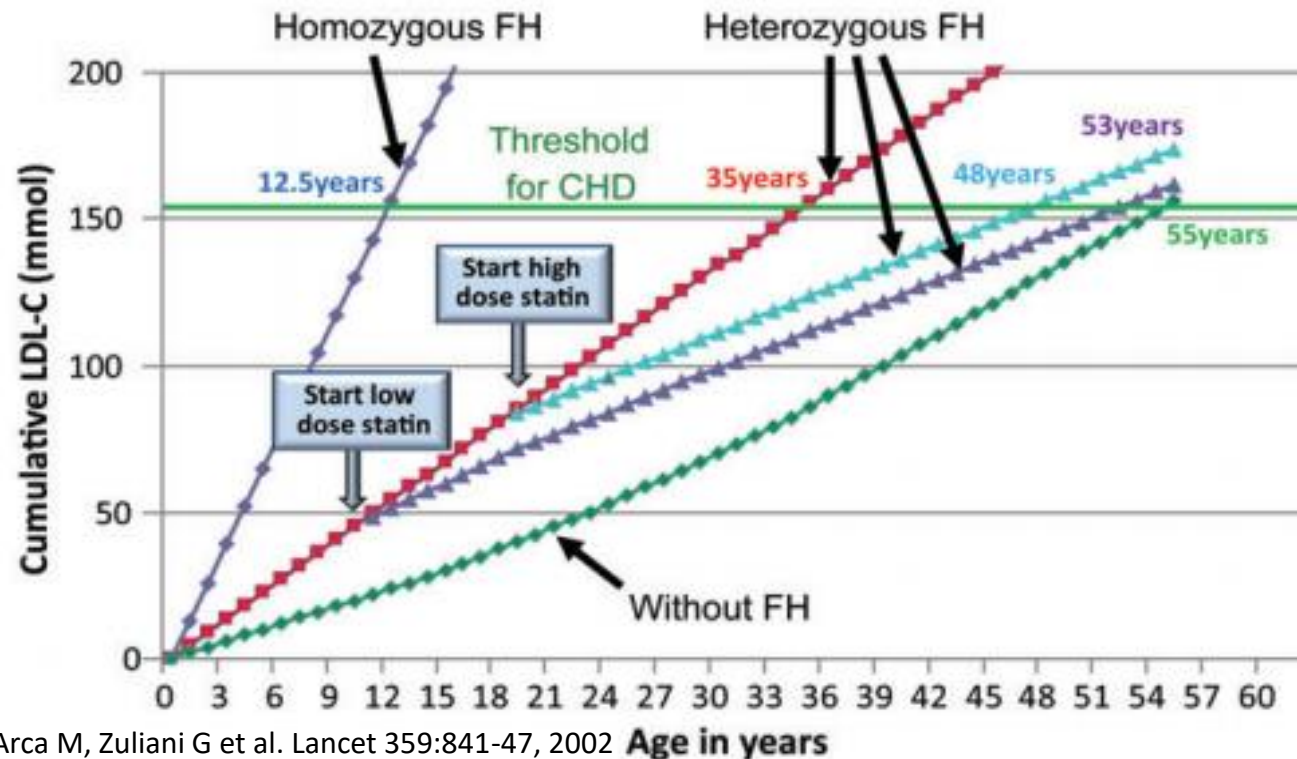
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Introduction - Familial Hypercholesterolemia



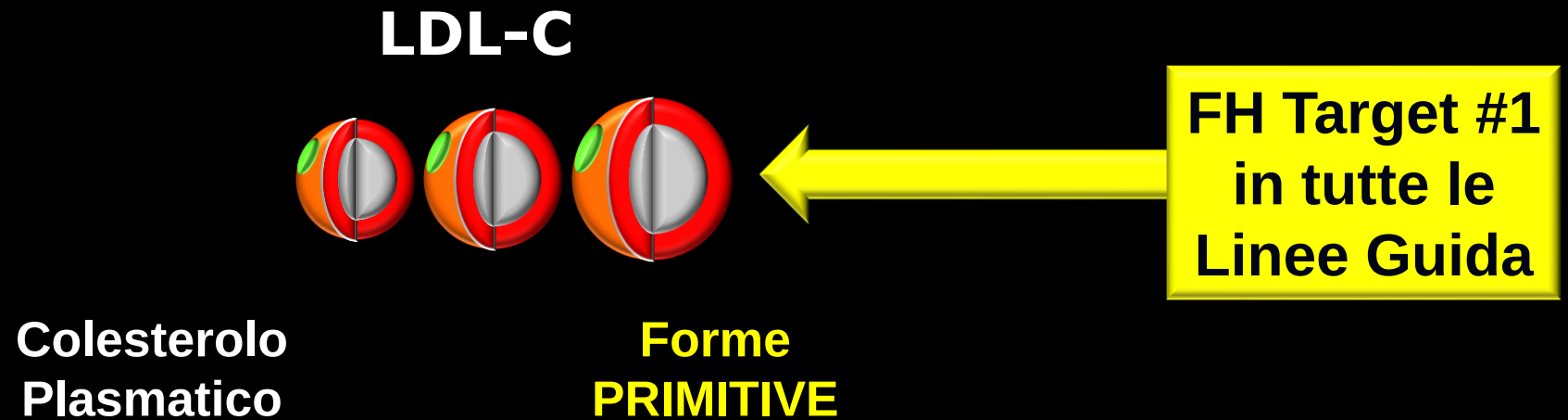
- ❖ **Homozygous FH (HoFH)** is a rare and life-threatening disease (estimated rate of 1/160.000-320.000), while the **frequency of Heterozygous FH (HeFH) can be estimated to be between 1/200 and 1/250** in the general population, putting the total number of cases in Italy at 250-300.000
- ❖ 15-16.000 le persone con HeFH attualmente diagnosticate - Solo 4-6% delle persone HeFH
- ❖ **4 HeFH su 5 non a target per LDL-C** anche se la maggioranza in statine ad elevata efficacia ad alto dosaggio (±ezetimibe)
- ❖ Although **early diagnosis and treatment** from childhood are crucial to reduce cardiovascular events and premature death, FH still remains underdiagnosed and undertreated in general population



Cumulative LDL-c burden of a 55y non-FH subject is 160 mmol.

In an untreated FH subject, this is attained by age 35 years, but is delayed in FH patients treated from age 18 years (48 y), and further delayed in those treated from age 10 years (53 y).

Ipercolesterolemia Familiare (FH): Sotto-diagnosticata e sottotrattata



300-580 mg/dl

**Ipercolesterolemia
Familiare Eterozigote***

anche in assenza di CVD
(s. SCORE)

480-1000 mg/dl

**Ipercolesterolemia
Familiare Omozigote***

***Ipercolesterolemia Familiare (FH) monogenica**

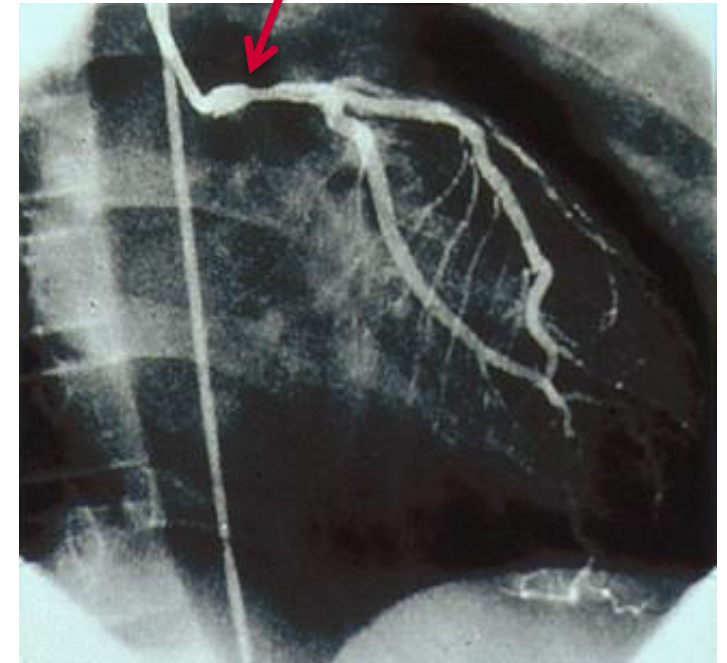
| Heart Journal (2019)

TIPICA PRESENTAZIONE CLINICA DI UN PAZIENTE CON HoFH

- Femmina di 28 anni
- Xantomi cutanei dall'età di 3 anni
- Coronaropatia Ostruttiva con CABG* a 12 anni
- LDL colesterolo = 780 mg/dL



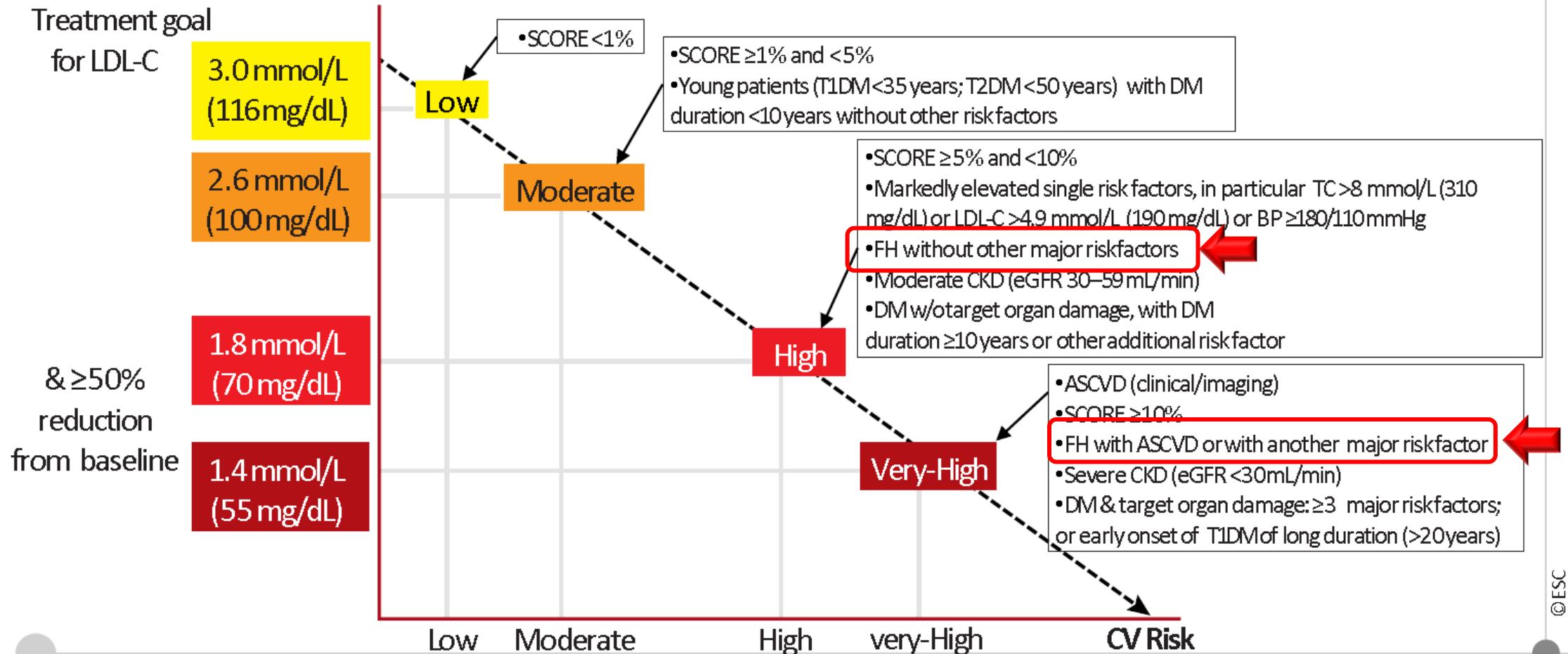
3 anni



12 anni

* CABG = Coronary Artery Bypass Graft

Treatment goals for low-density lipoprotein cholesterol (LDL-C) across categories of total cardiovascular disease risk

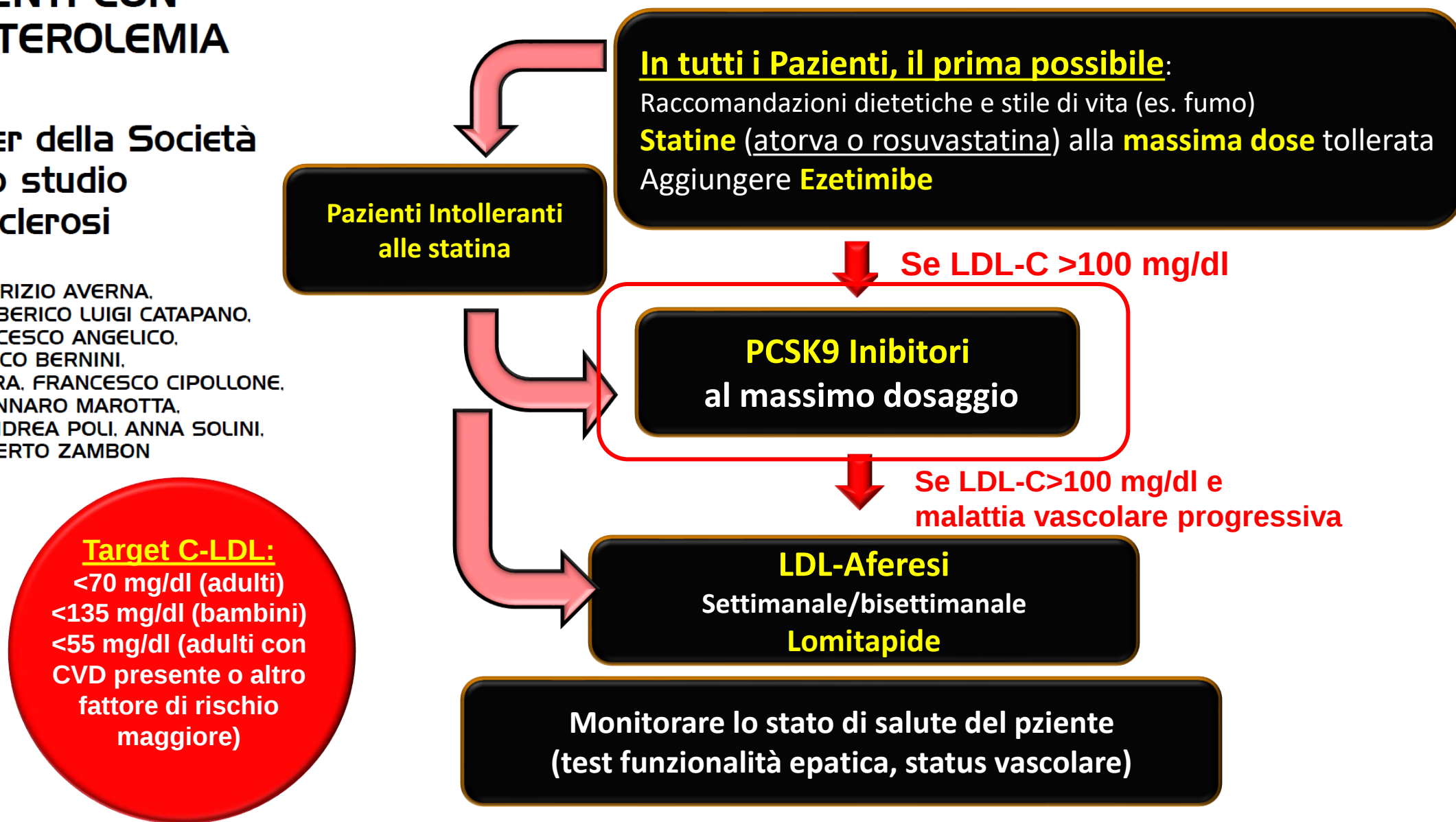


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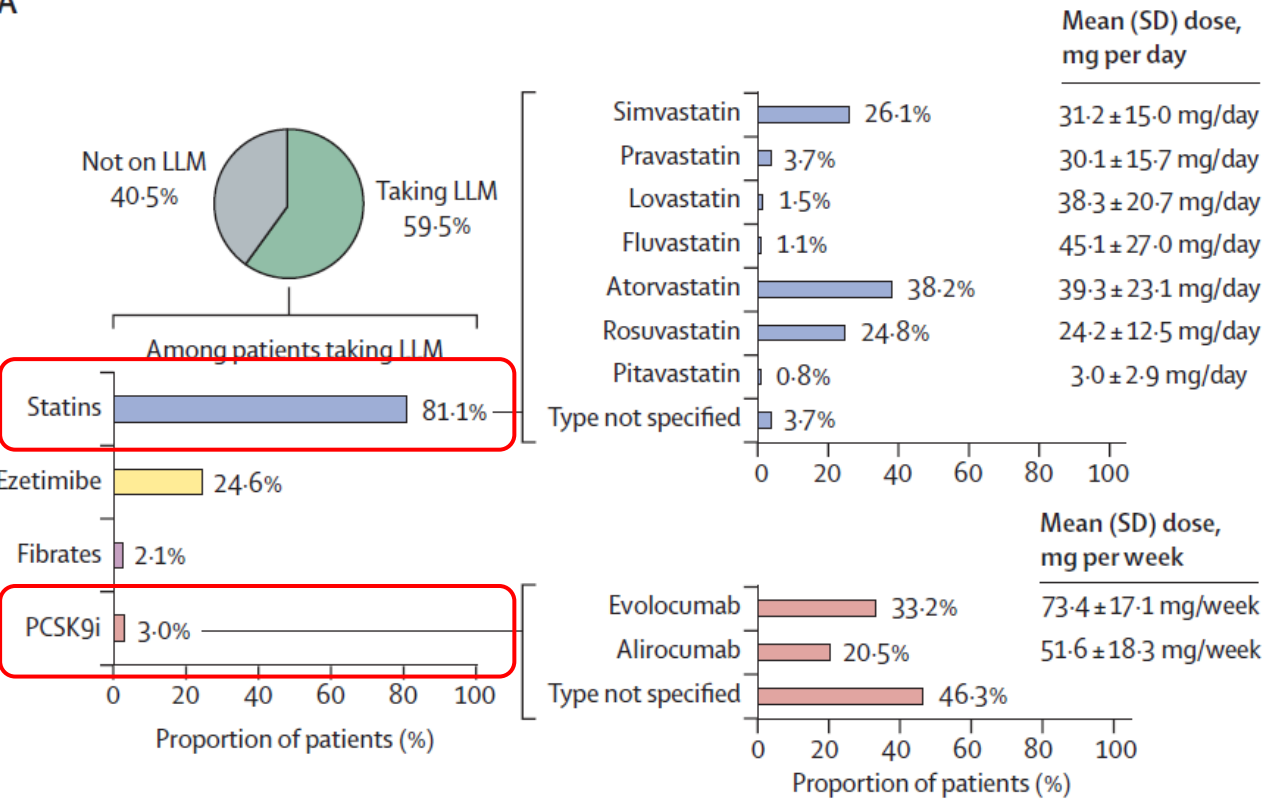
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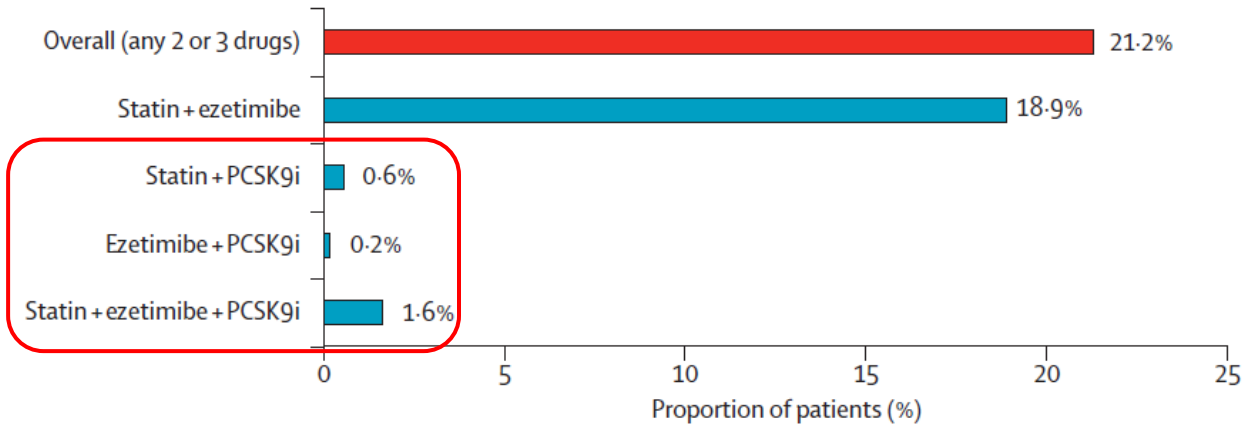
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Class and type of LLM (A) and combination therapy among participants taking statins, ezetimibe, or PCSK9i (B)

A



B



LLM=lipid-lowering medication. PCSK9i=proprotein convertase subtilisin–kexin type 9 inhibitors.

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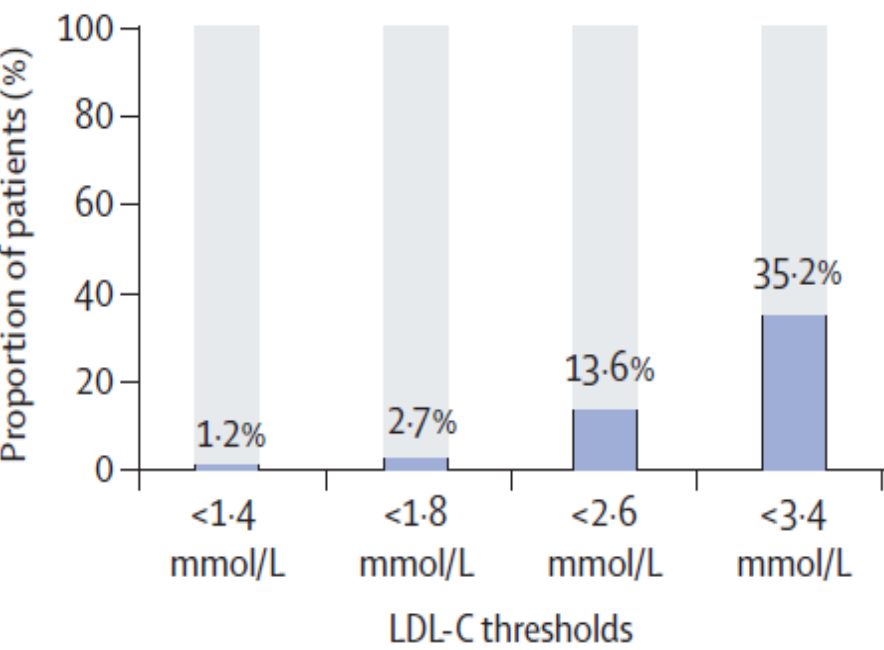
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A



Guideline-recommended LDL cholesterol concentrations are infrequently achieved with single-drug therapy

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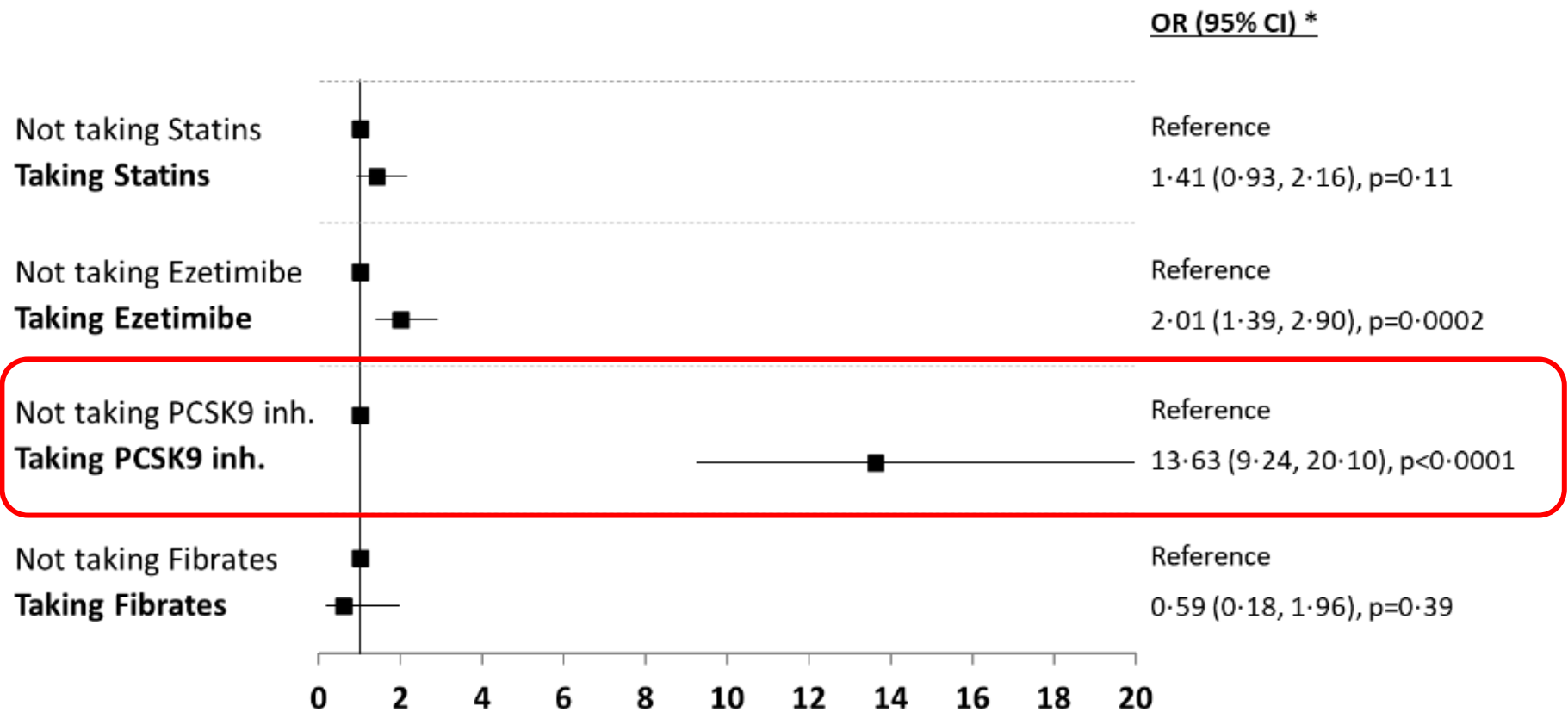
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Association of type of lipid-lowering medication taking with having an LDL-C <1.4 mmol/L

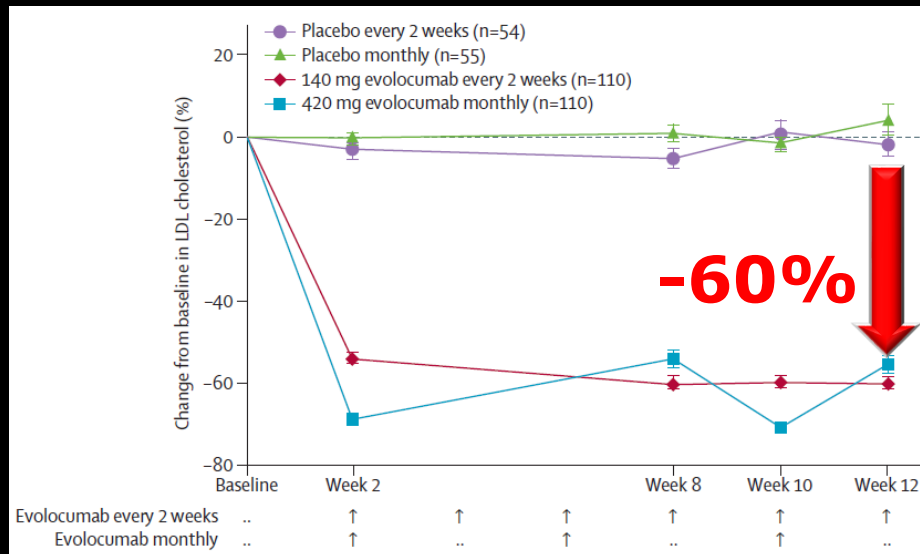


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- **329 patients** with heterozygous familial hypercholesterolaemia
- **LDL-C $\geq$ 100 mg/dl**
- **Evolocumab 140 mg every 2 weeks**
- **Evolocumab 420 mg monthly**

Mean % change from baseline in LDL-C

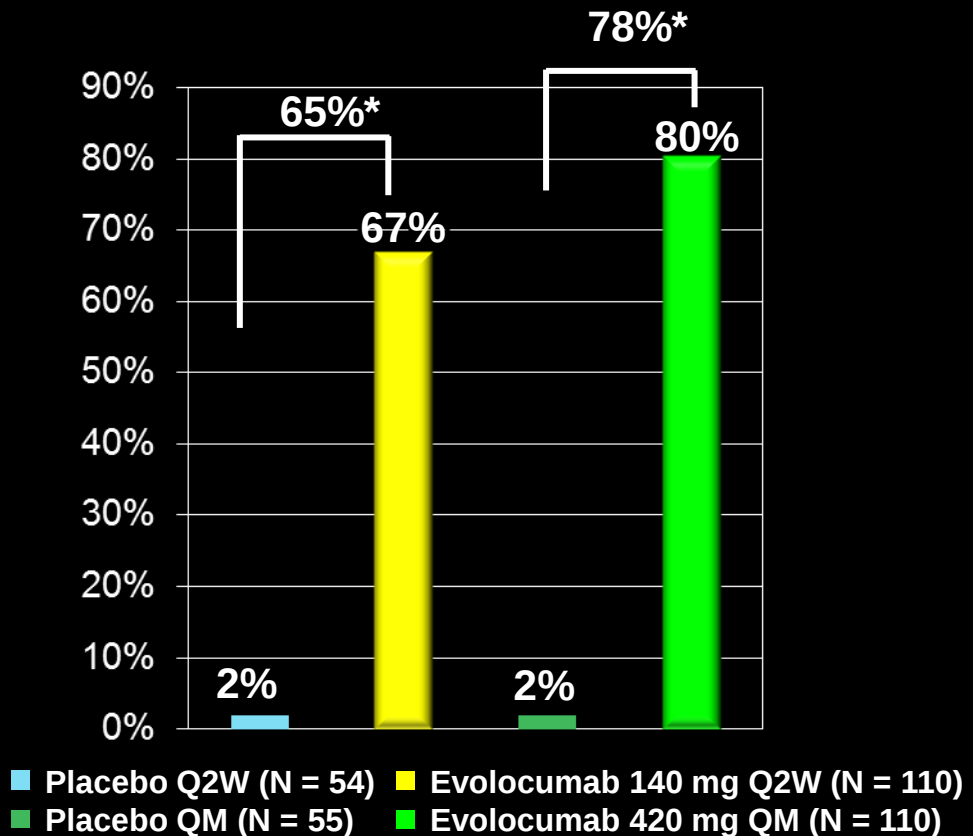


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LDL-C Goal Achievement < 70 mg/dL Weeks 10 and 12



*P<0.0001 evolocumab treatment difference vs placebo

**Efficacy and Safety of the PCSK9 Monoclonal Antibody
Alirocumab versus Placebo in 1257 Patients with
Heterozygous Familial Hypercholesterolaemia: Analyses up
to 78 Weeks from Four ODYSSEY Trials - ESC 2015**

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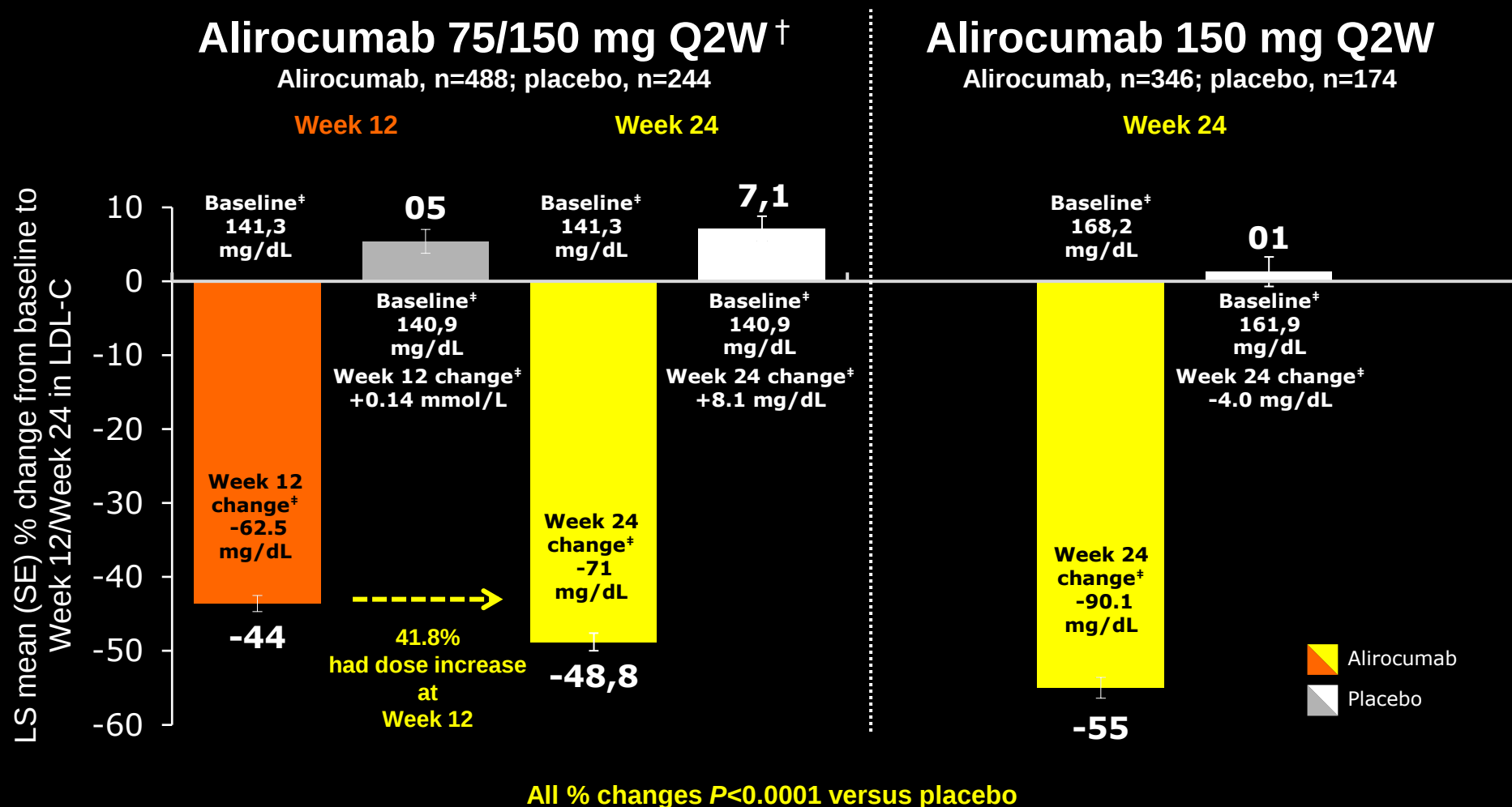
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LDL-C Reduction with Alirocumab in Both Pooled Study Groups (ITT)



[†]75 mg Q2W increased to 150 mg Q2W at Week 12 if LDL-C levels at Week 8 were ≥ 1.81 mmol/L [70 mg/dL].

[‡]Baseline values are means; Week 12 and Week 24 are LS means taken from mixed-effect model with repeated measures analysis.

LS, least squares; SE, standard error.

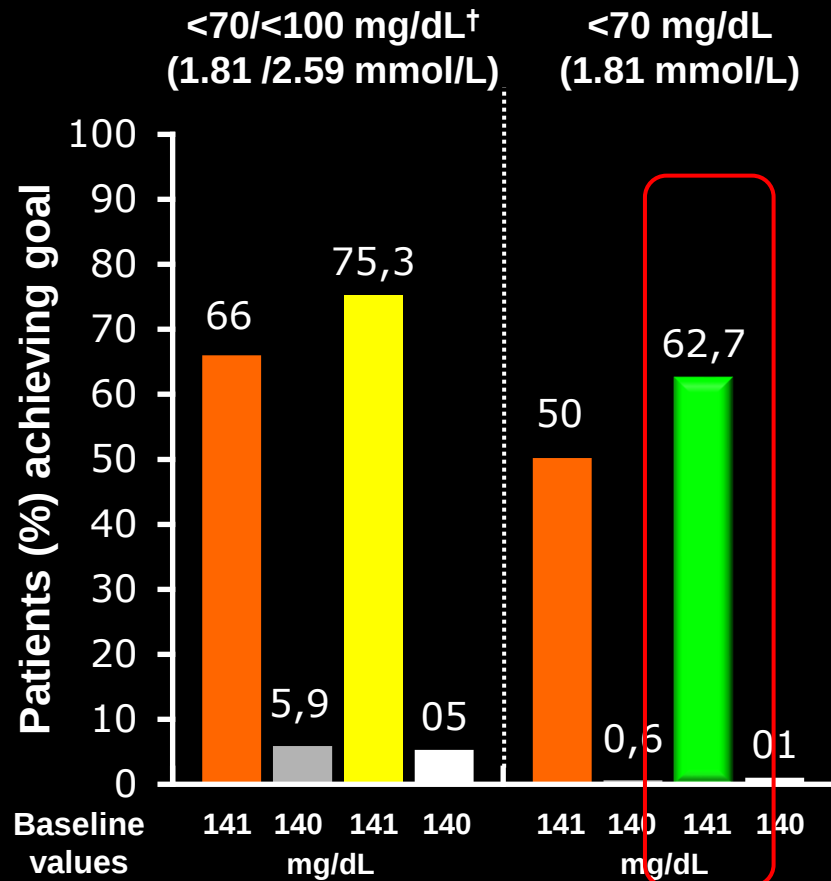
Figure shows ITT analysis performed on ITT population.

Goal Attainment (ITT)

Pool of FH I and II Studies
(Alirocumab 75/150 mg Q2W)

Alirocumab W12/W24
Placebo W12/W24

LDL-C



All $P < 0.0001$ versus placebo

Alirocumab dose 75 mg Q2W increased to 150 mg Q2W in 41.8% of patients at Week 12 as their LDL-C levels at Week 8 were ≥ 1.81 mmol/L [70 mg/dL];

†Depending on CV risk;

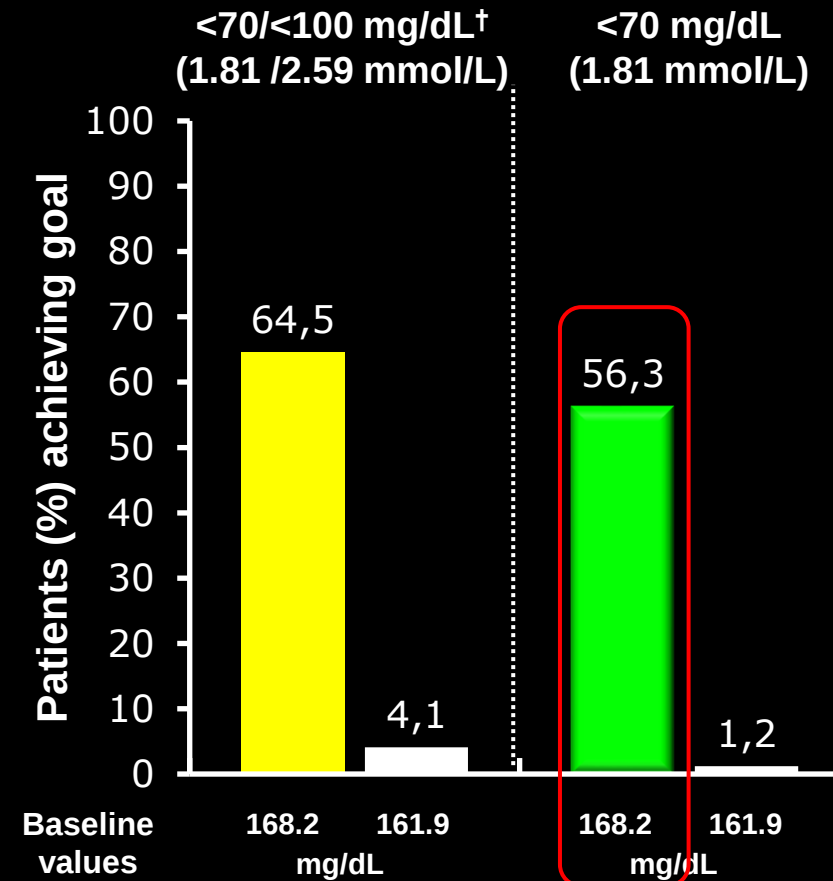
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Goal Attainment (ITT)

Pool of LONG TERM (HeFH) and HIGH FH
(Alirocumab 150 mg Q2W)

Alirocumab
Placebo

LDL-C



All $P < 0.0001$ versus placebo

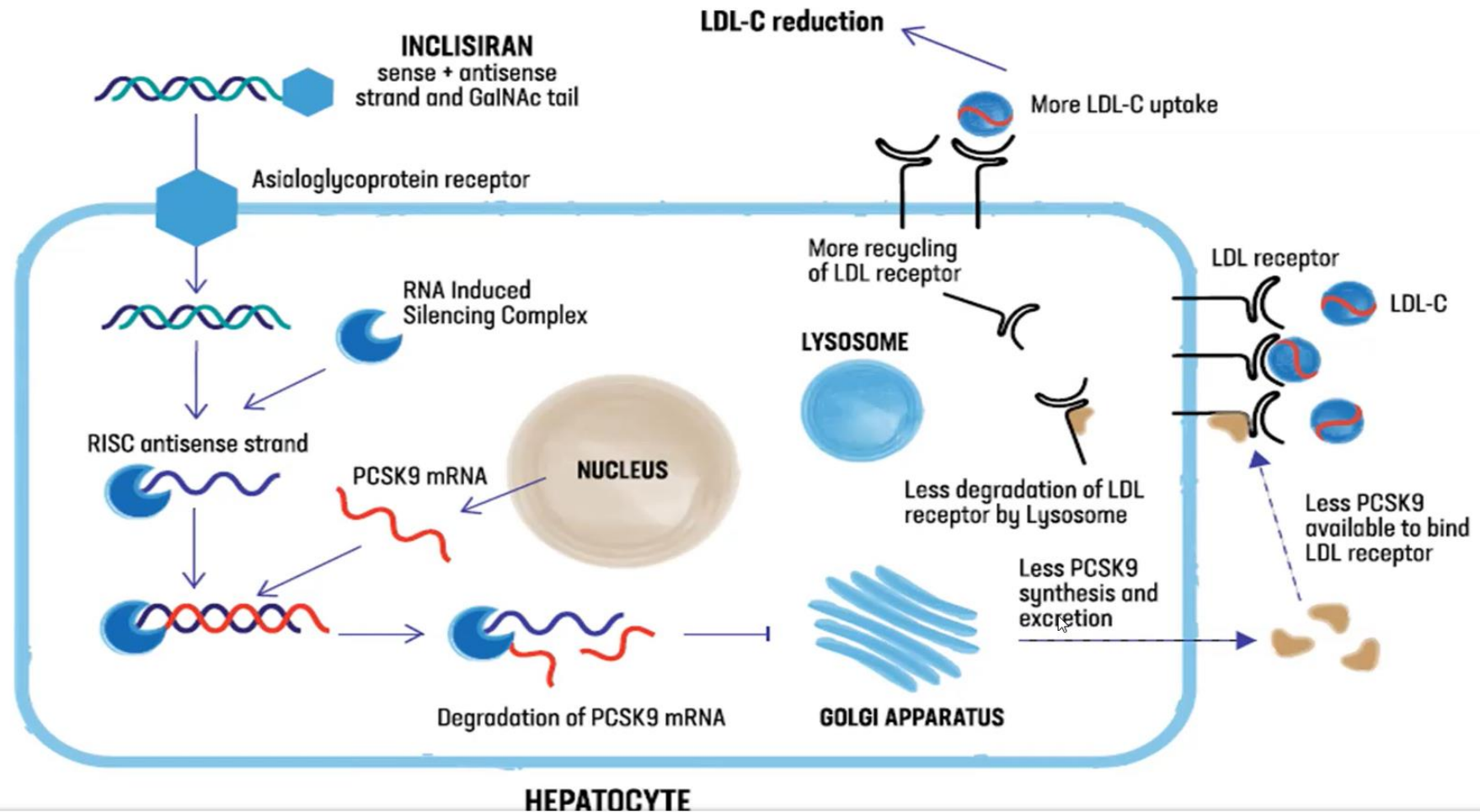
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PCSK9 Pharmacological inhibition

Inclisiran: Mechanism of action



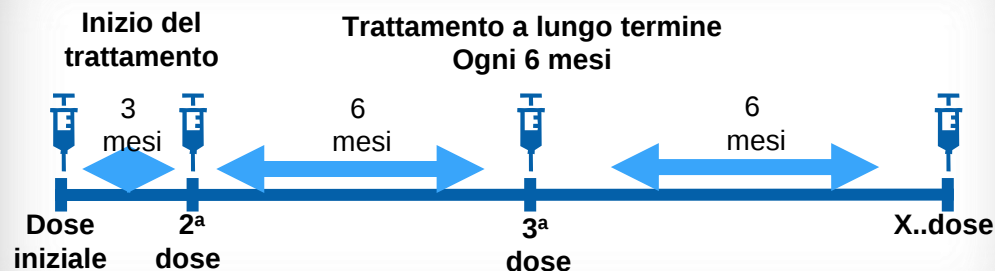
Trattamento con inclisiran

Dosaggio e somministrazione

Formulazione^{1,2}

- Siringa preriempita
- Ogni siringa preriempita contiene inclisiran sodico equivalente a 284 mg di inclisiran in 1,5 mL di soluzione
- Conservazione a temperatura ambiente

Regime posologico^{1,2}



Sviluppo¹



programma di sviluppo **ORION** per determinarne l'efficacia, la sicurezza e la tollerabilità

Somministrazione^{1,2}

Uso sottocutaneo.

Inclisiran è somministrato tramite iniezione sottocutanea nell'addome; siti di iniezione alternativi comprendono il braccio o la coscia.

Ogni dose da 284 mg viene somministrata utilizzando una singola siringa preriempita.

Ogni siringa preriempita è solo monouso.

Inclisiran è destinato alla somministrazione da parte di un operatore sanitario.

1. [Legvio | European Medicines Agency \(europa.eu\)](#) EPAR Inclisiran/Legvio 2. Smcpc Inclisiran/Legvio

*Equivale a 284 mg di inclisiran

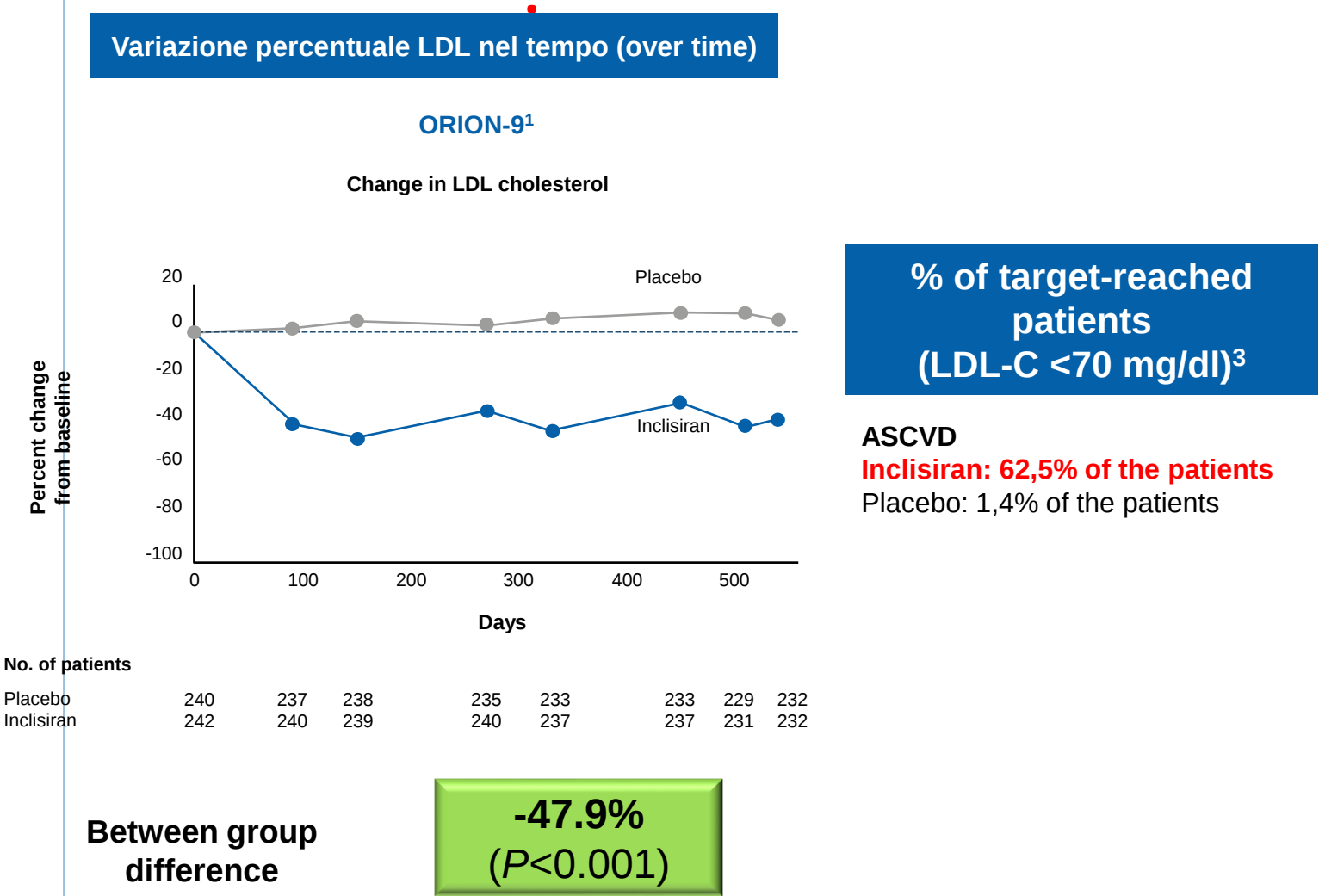
Studi ORION 9

Caratteristiche al basale dei pazienti arruolati¹

Characteristic	ORION-9 ¹
Population	HeFH (n=482)
ASCVD status (%)	27.4%
Average age (yr)	56
Gender (male)	47.1%
LDL-C	4.0 mmol/L (153.1 mg/dL)
Statin use (%)	90.5%
High intensity statin use (%)	73.9%
Ezetimibe use	52.9%
Diabetes mellitus	10%

Studi ORION 9

Inclisiran fornisce un'efficace e prolungata riduzione delle LDL-C per 18



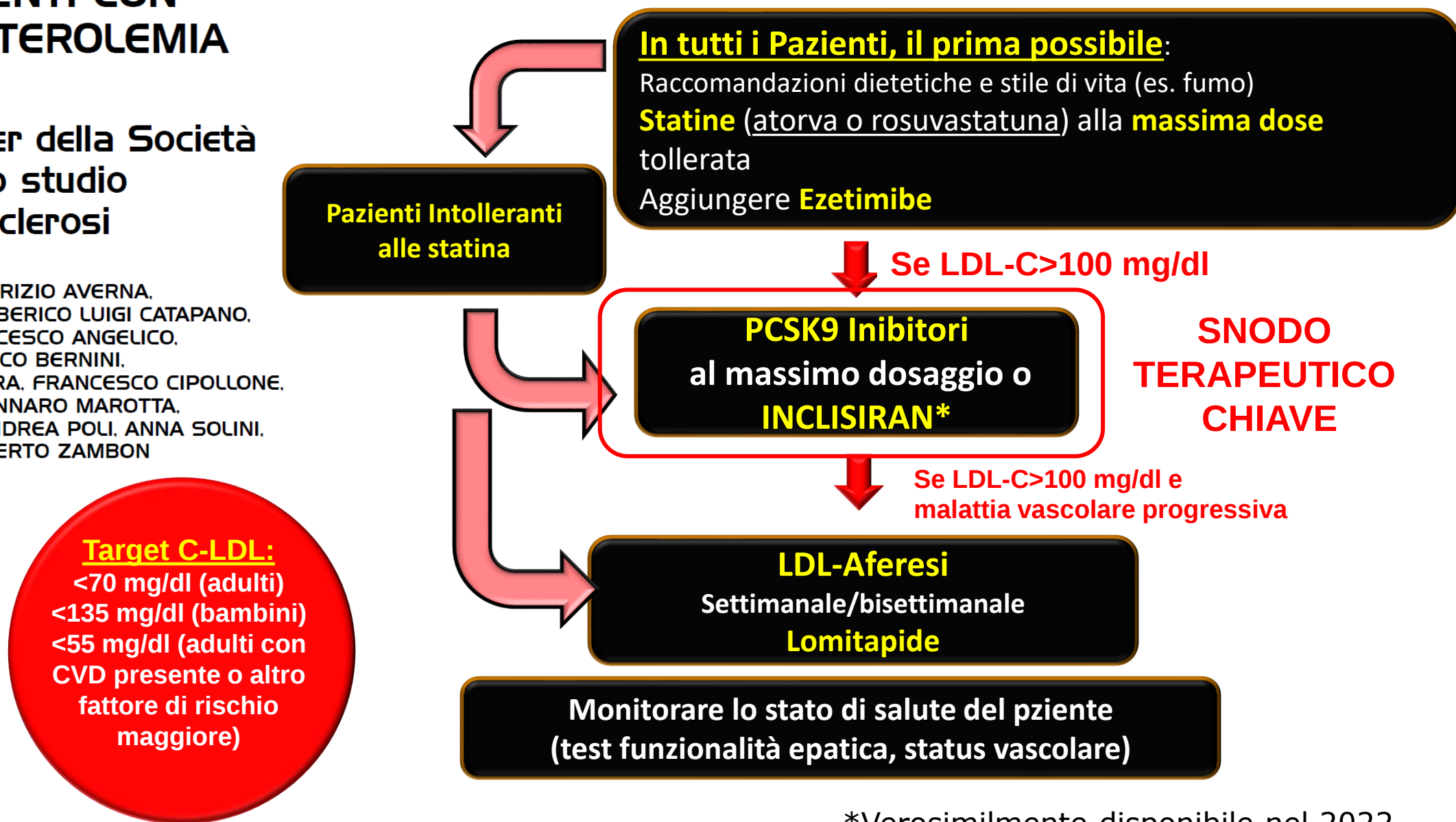
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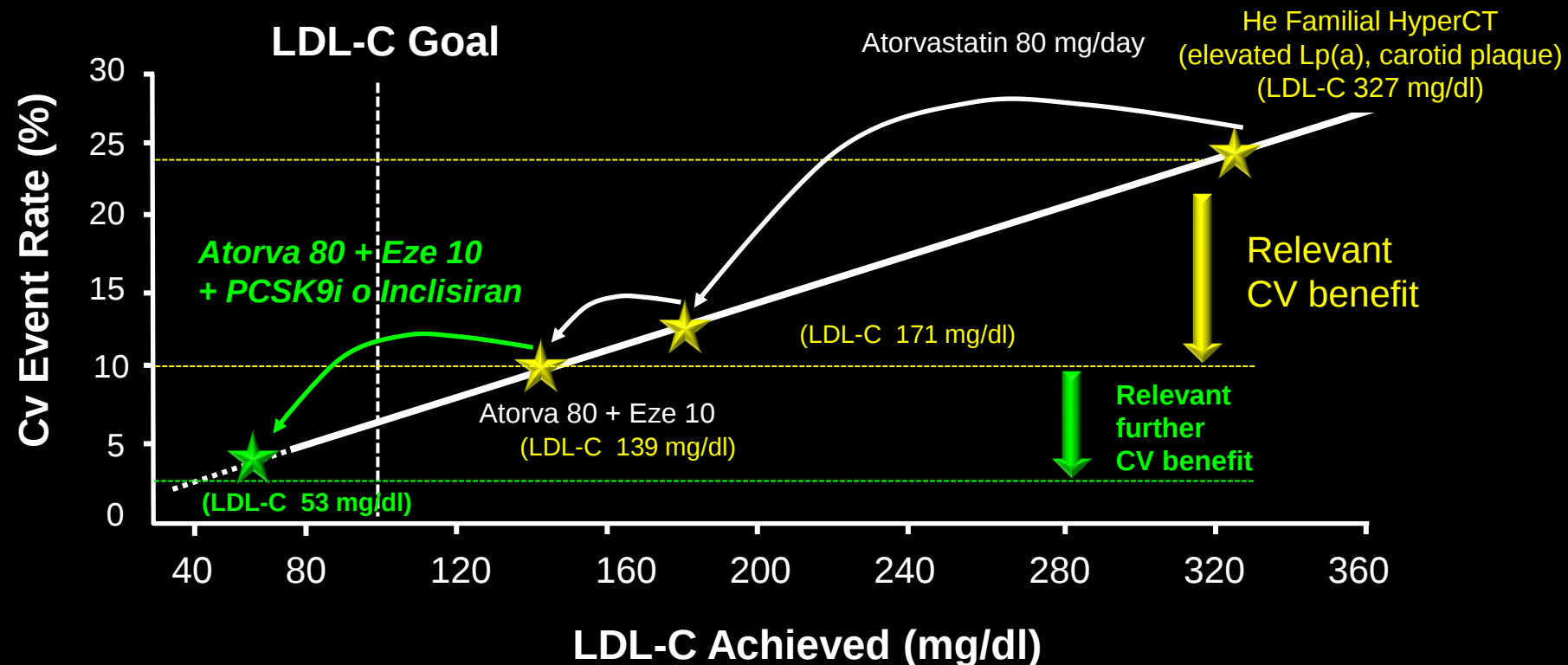
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*Verosimilmente disponibile nel 2022

PCSK9 Inhibitors Are GAME CHANGER in the Prevention of (Premature) CV Event in Patients with Familial Hypercholesterolemia



PCSK9 Inhibition is a GAME CHANGER For Familial Hypercholesterolemia!!

* LDL-C g

Reiner Z et al. Eur Heart J 2011;32:1769-818

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Ipercolesterolemia Familiare

E' necessario e opportuno uno **spostamento dell'attenzione** nei riguardi dell'approccio terapeutico dei pazienti HeFH e HoFH:

Si scrive: terapia ipocolesterolemizzante

Si legge: **anni (molti) di vita guadagnati e qualità di vita migliorata**

