

Cardiovascular protection* across cardiovascular, renal and metabolic conditions using Empagliflozin

*By reducing risk for people with CKD, HF or T2D

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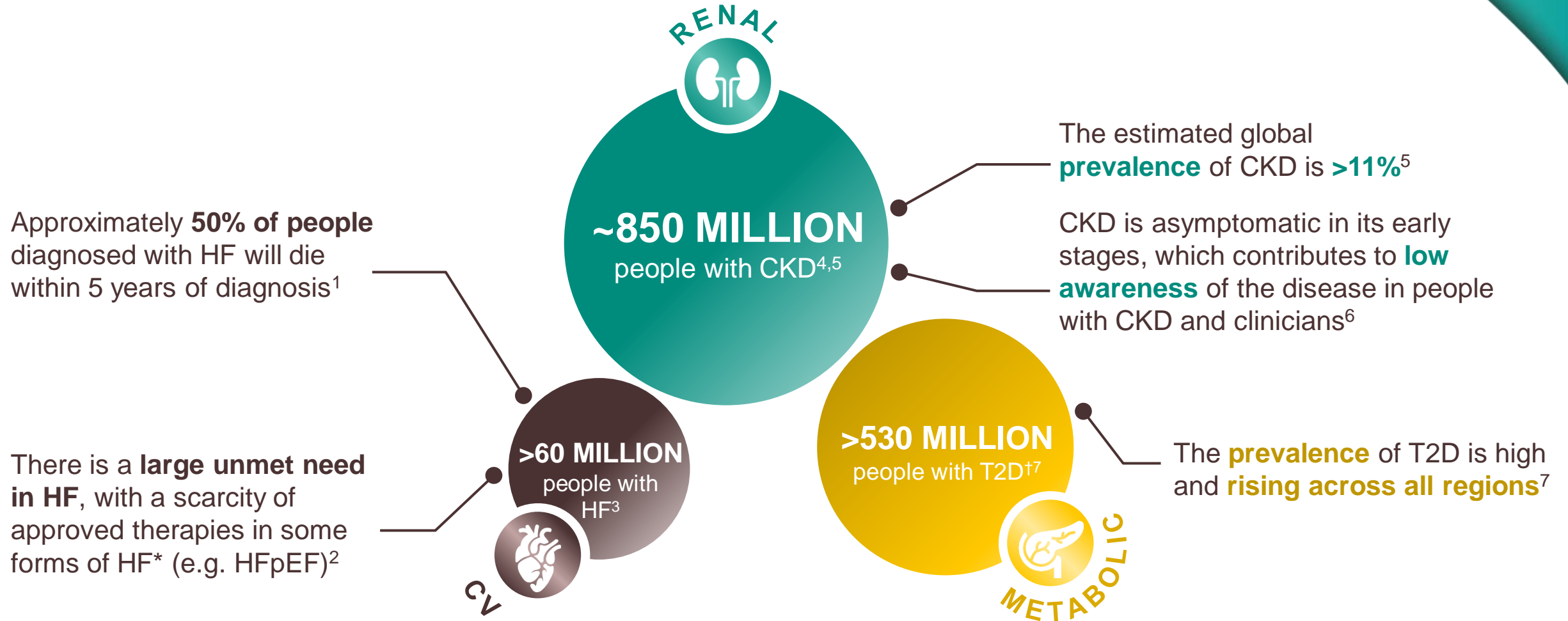
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CV, renal and metabolic conditions pose a high disease burden globally

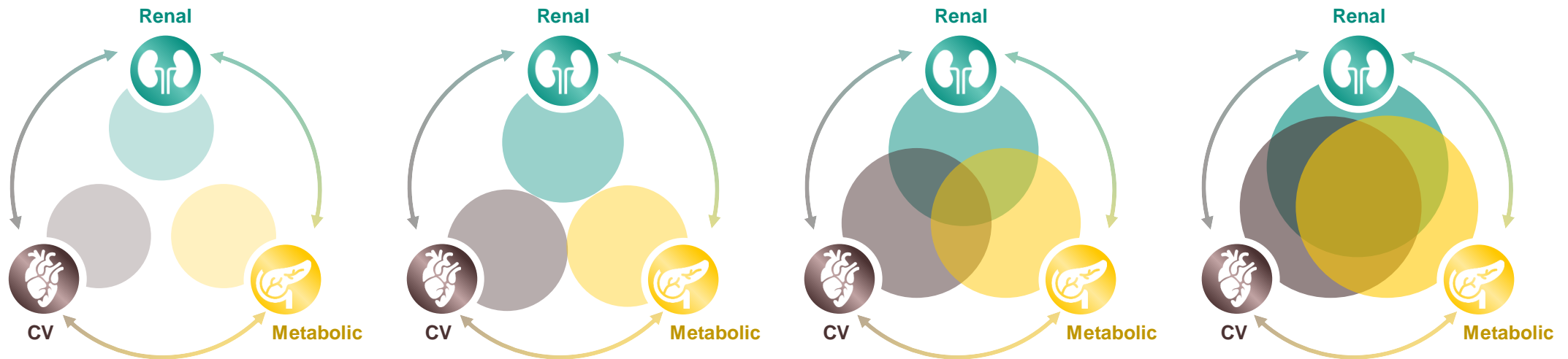


Early and multifactorial intervention is the best way to help protect by reducing the amplifying risks associated with interrelated CV, renal and metabolic conditions

Early screening, diagnosis and intervention can delay the consequences of CV, renal or metabolic conditions including CV death¹⁻³



Guideline recommendations endorse a **multifactorial approach** in people with CKD, HF and/or T2D to manage risk factors and reduce their risk of complications¹⁻³



Patient diagnosed with a CV, renal or metabolic condition (CKD, HF or T2D)

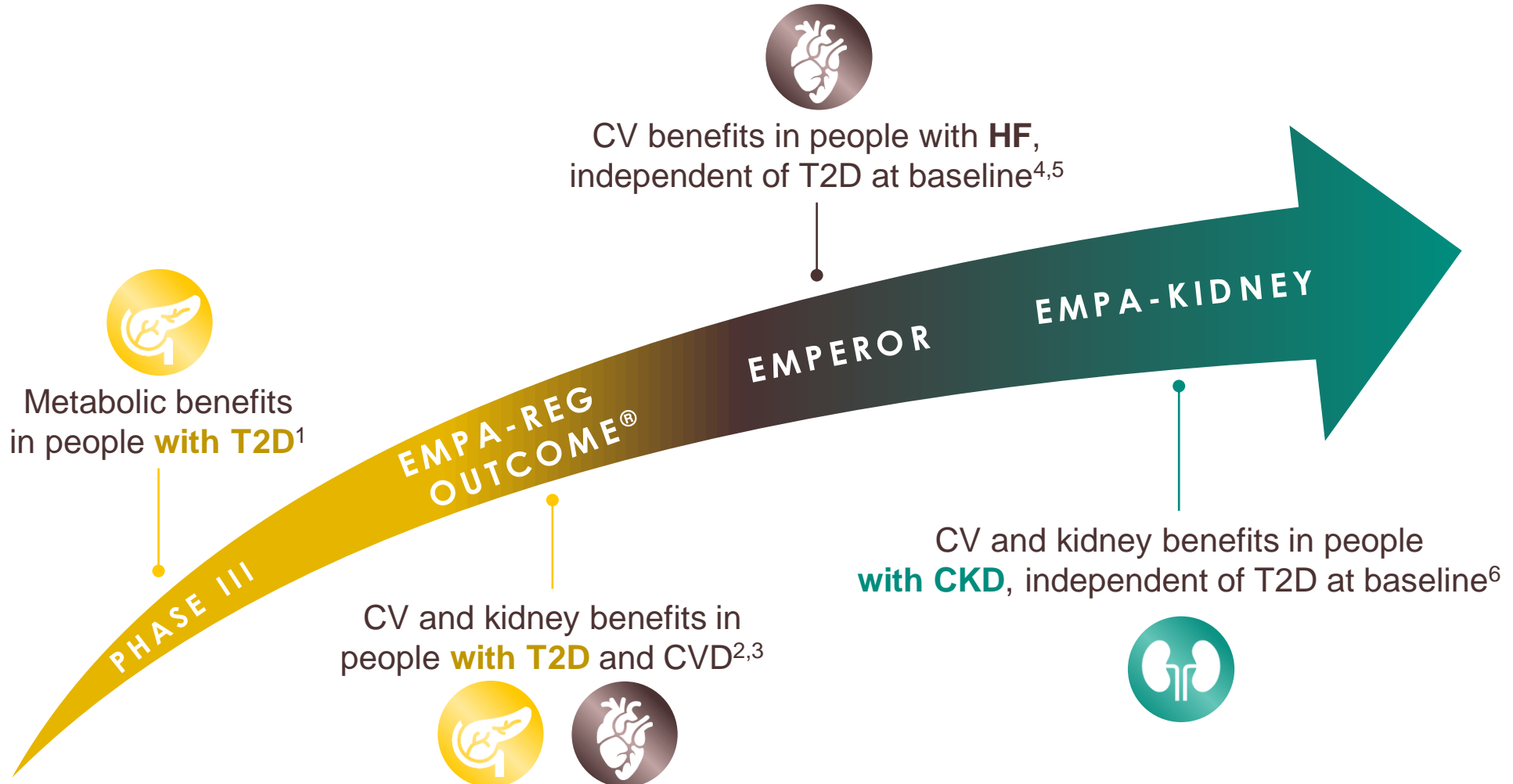
Patients may develop additional CV, renal or metabolic risk factors

Patients can progress to two or more CV, renal or metabolic conditions

Coexistence of two or all three CV, renal or metabolic conditions together is associated with **increased mortality**⁴⁻⁷

Time →

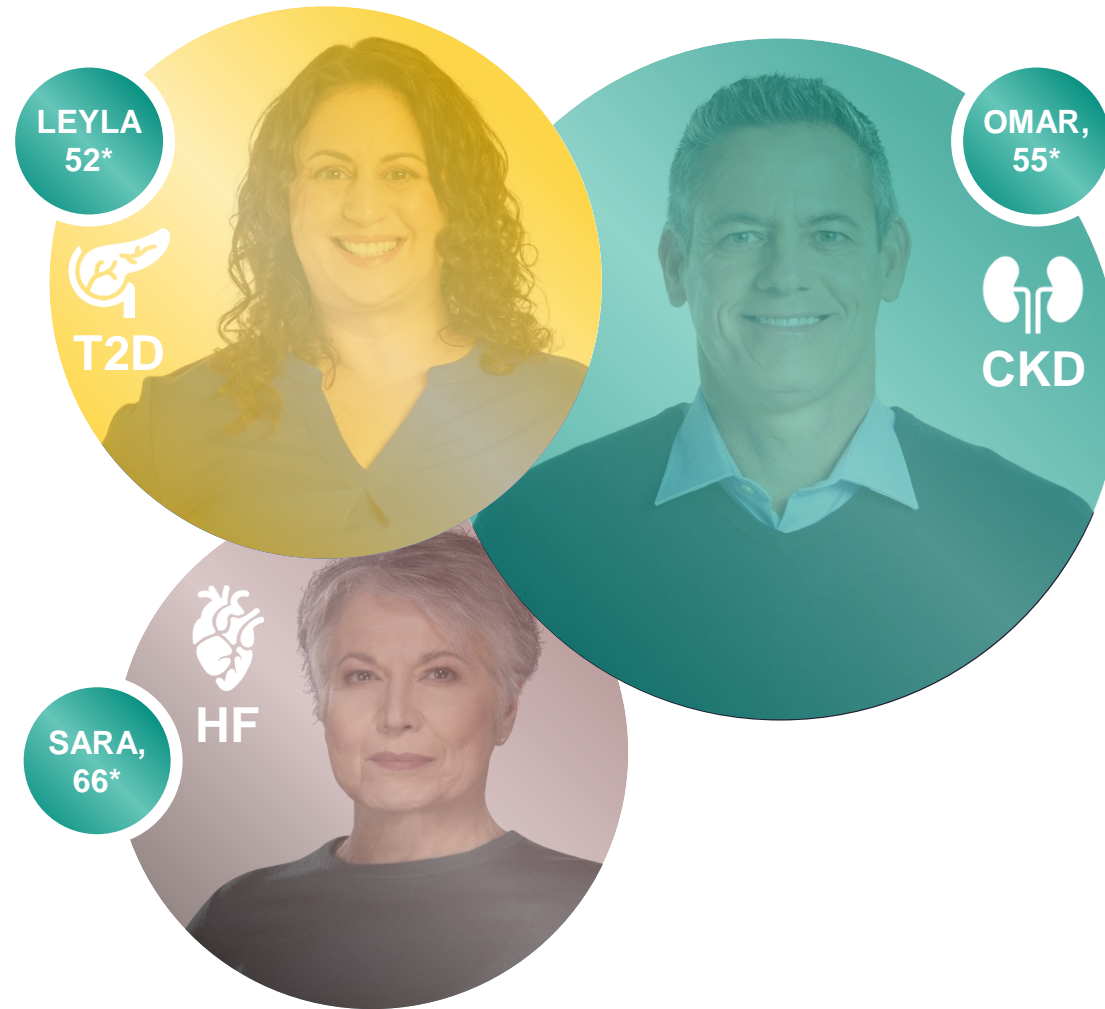
Empagliflozin has demonstrated improved glucose control in people with T2D, as well as CV and kidney benefits in people with CKD and/or HF, independent of T2D



CKD, chronic kidney disease; CV, cardiovascular; CVD, cardiovascular disease; HF, heart failure; T2D, type 2 diabetes

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Empagliflozin provides proven CV, renal and metabolic benefits in people who have CKD, HF or T2D



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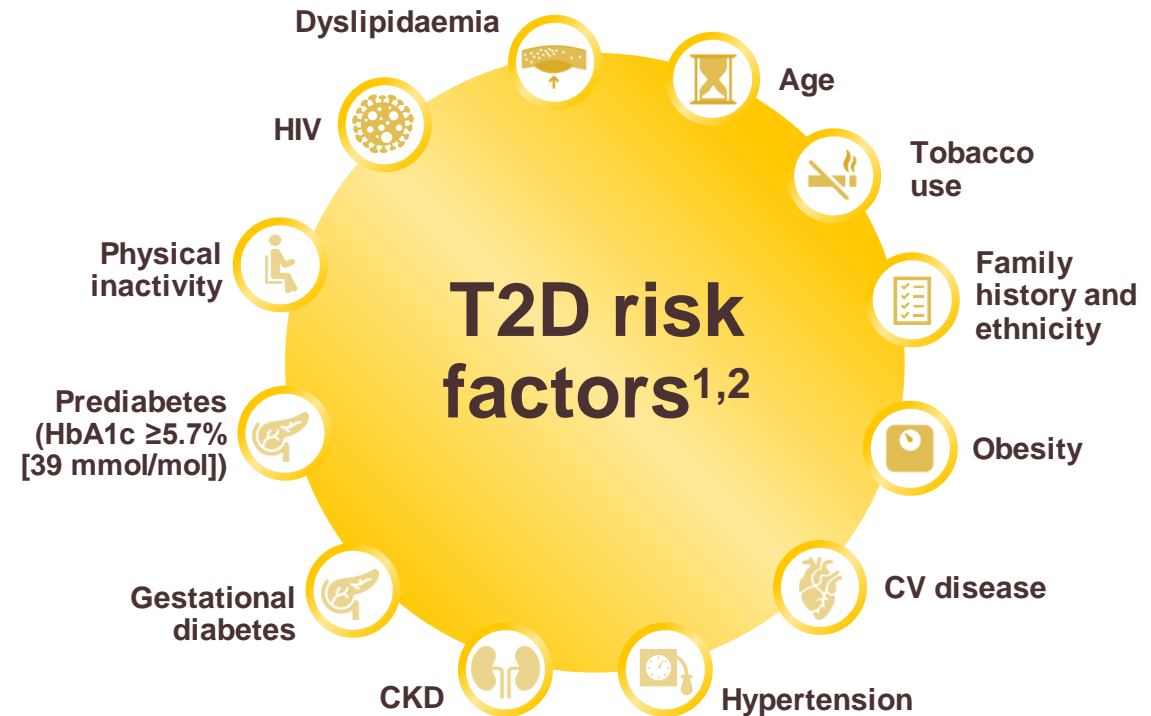
Summary and conclusion

LEYLA* has T2D and is at increased risk of CV, renal and metabolic complications



LEYLA
52*

- Diagnosed with T2D in the last 3 months
- Has hypertension and dyslipidaemia
- Improving diet and exercise; not on glucose-lowering medication
- BMI: 29 kg/m²
- HbA1c: 7.8% (61.7 mmol/mol)



*Not an actual patient

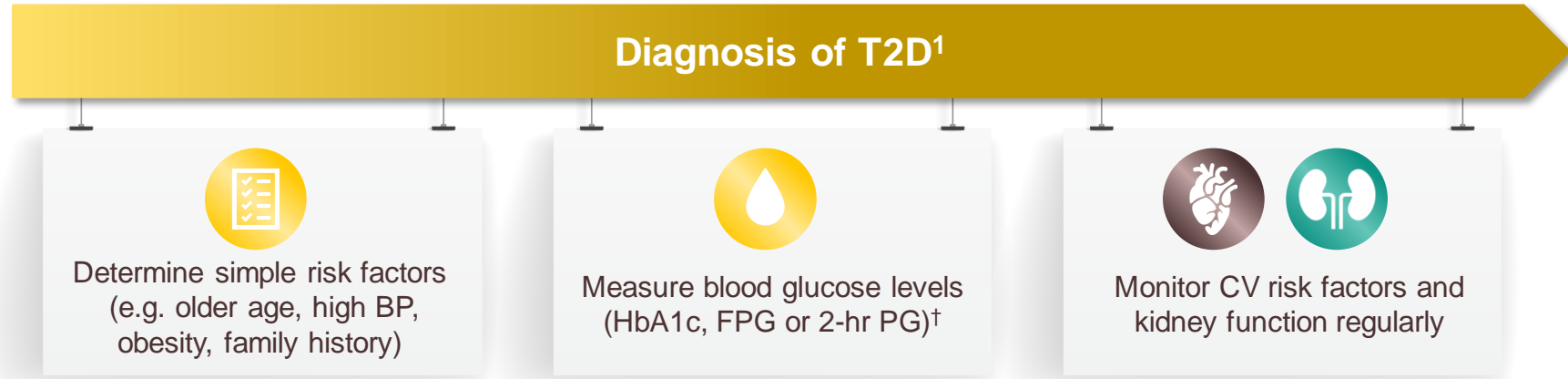
BMI, body mass index; CKD, chronic kidney disease; CV, cardiovascular; HbA1c, glycated haemoglobin; HIV, human immunodeficiency virus; T2D, type 2 diabetes

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Early diagnosis and intervention in T2D is crucial for patients with known risk factors¹



LEYLA
52*



People with T2D are at **very high CV risk** if they have any of the following²:

- History of CV disease
- CV disease risk factors
- Diagnosis of early onset T2D (aged <40 years)
- eGFR <60 ml/min/1.73 m²
- Albuminuria

All other people with T2D are considered to be at **high CV risk**

*Not an actual patient

[†]Choice and availability of diagnostic tests may vary across countries/regions; in the absence of unequivocal hyperglycaemia, confirm diagnosis of T2D with two abnormal screening test results¹

BP, blood pressure; CV, cardiovascular; eGFR, estimated glomerular filtration rate; FPG, fasting plasma glucose; HbA1c, glycated haemoglobin; PG, plasma glucose; T2D, type 2 diabetes

1. American Diabetes Association. *Diabetes Care* 2023;46:S1; 2. Seidu S *et al. Prim Care Diabetes* 2022;16:223

How would you reduce the risk of CV, renal and metabolic complications to help protect patients like Leyla*?



Reducing the risk of CV and kidney complications should be a patient's top priority, so discussing the importance of an early, multifactorial approach for improving long-term outcomes is key^{1,2}

Shared decision-making involves an open discussion with the patient, integrating medical considerations and the patient's preferences, and can improve treatment adherence³⁻⁵



“

How will treatment impact my day-to-day life? It is important that it does not affect my time with my kids”

“

I worry about ending up with major complications if we don't manage my T2D”

*Not an actual patient

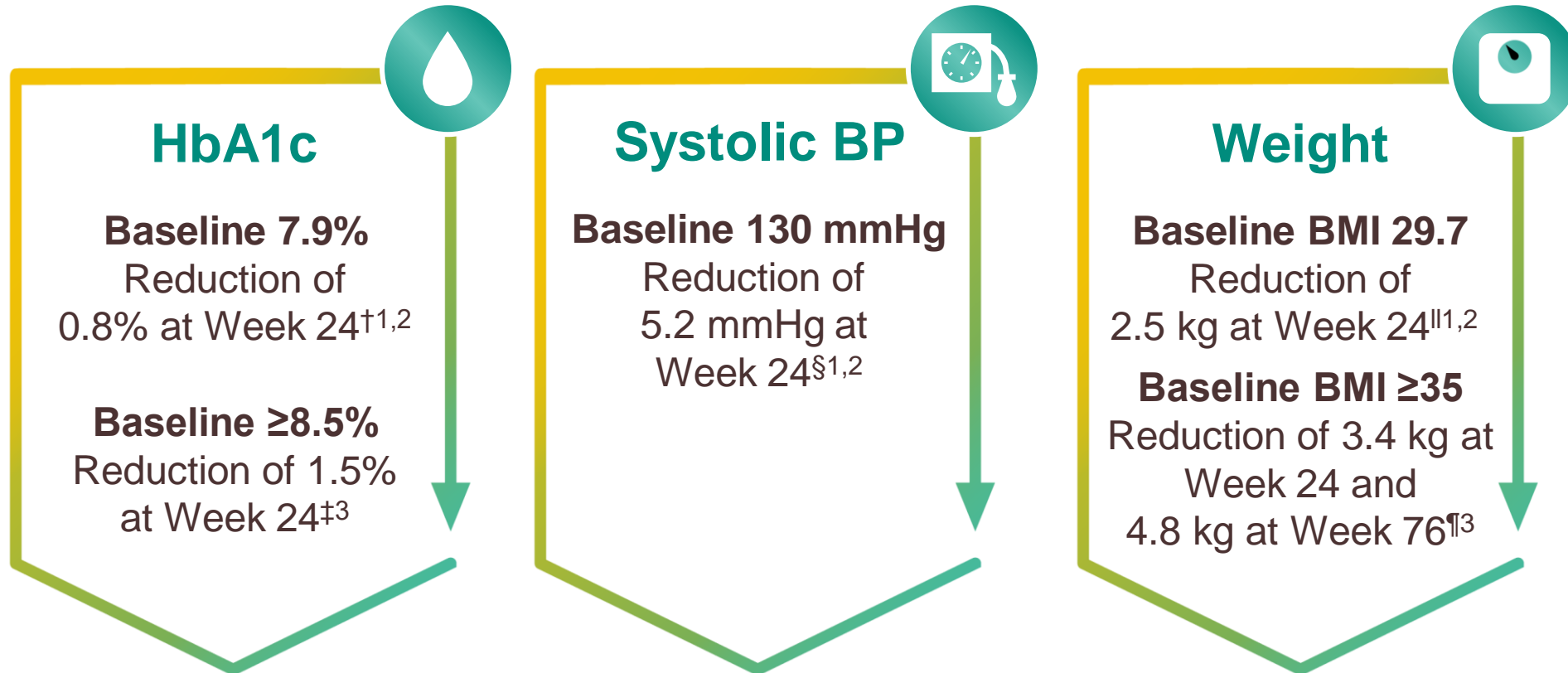
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Empagliflozin provides multiple metabolic benefits to patients early in their T2D journey



Empagliflozin 25 mg + metformin*



prescribing Empagliflozin early help a patient with elevated CV risk like Leyla^{††}

Reductions in body weight and systolic blood pressure were not primary endpoints²

^{††}Not an actual patient

See slide notes for other footnotes and references

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Summary and conclusion

Sara* has been diagnosed with HF and is at increased risk of CV, renal and metabolic complications



SARA,
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- LVEF of 55–60%
- On ACEi and β -blocker
- Has atrial fibrillation
- Worsening dyspnoea on exertion

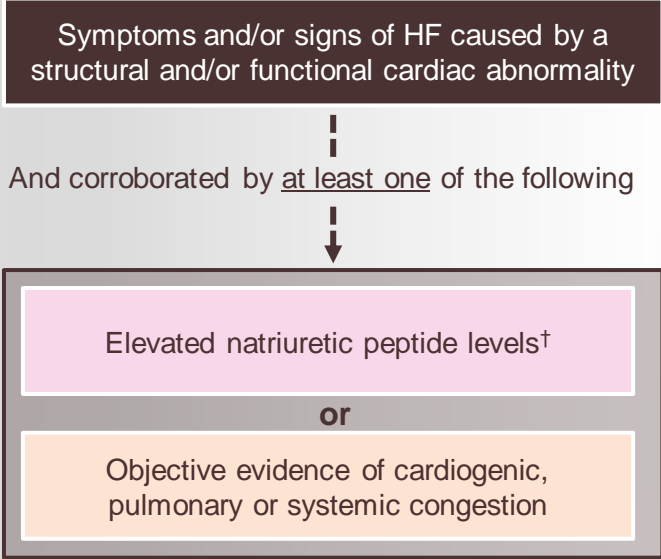


Presence of signs and symptoms of HF should prompt referral to cardiologist¹



Specialist
cardiology service

Universal definition of HF¹



Common symptoms and signs that patients may present with include¹:

- Breathlessness
- Orthopnoea or 'bendopnoea' (dyspnoea on bending over)
- Paroxysmal nocturnal dyspnoea
- Reduced exercise tolerance/inability to exercise
- Fatigue, tiredness
- Peripheral oedema (ankle, sacral, scrotal)
- Swelling of parts of the body other than ankles

Evidence from diagnostic tests include^{1,2}:

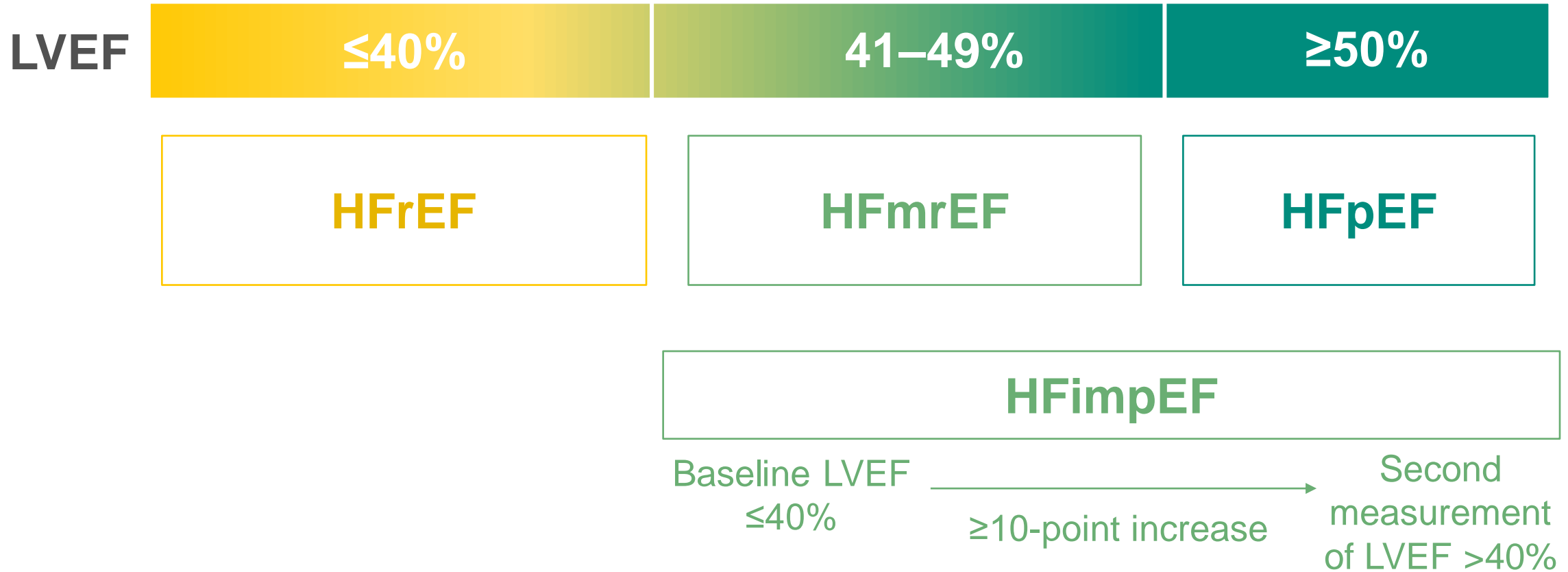
- Abnormal findings on electrocardiogram
- NT-proBNP ≥ 125 pg/ml or BNP ≥ 35 pg/ml
- Chest X-ray

*Not an actual patient

See slide notes for other footnotes and abbreviations

1. Bozkurt B *et al.* *J Card Fail* 2021;27:387; 2. McDonagh TA *et al.* *Eur J Heart Fail* 2022;24:4

Guideline-directed medical therapy differs across classifications of HF based on LVEF



HF, heart failure; HFimpEF, heart failure with improved ejection fraction; HFmrEF, heart failure with mildly reduced ejection fraction; HFpEF, heart failure with preserved ejection fraction; HFrEF, heart failure with reduced ejection fraction; LVEF, left ventricular ejection fraction
Bozkurt B *et al. Eur J Heart Fail* 2021;23:352

How would you reduce the risk of CV, renal and metabolic complications to help protect patients like Sara*?



Reducing the risk of CV, renal and metabolic complications should be a patient's top priority, so discussing the importance of an early, multifactorial approach for improving long-term outcomes is key¹

After diagnosis, the management of HF is often shared between PCP and cardiologist.

Shared decision-making involves an open discussion with the patient, integrating medical considerations and the individual's preferences, and can improve treatment adherence.²⁻⁵



“

My ankles are swollen and I don't understand why. Is this connected to my other symptoms or medication?”

“

When will my quality of life get better again?”

“

I can't even walk down the street without getting out of breath”

Continue guideline-directed medical therapy, such as Empagliflozin in a person with HF (irrespective of T2D)[†]

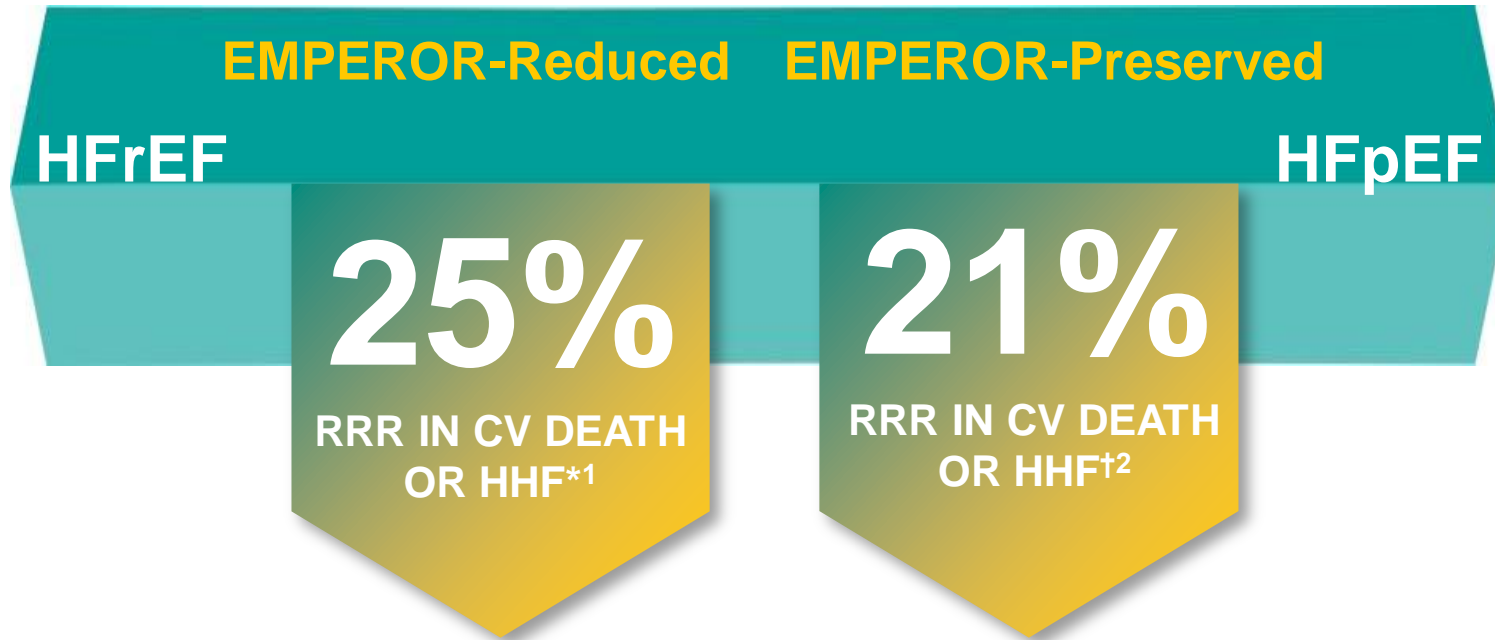


*Not an actual patient; †Except in cases where there is rationale for discontinuation

CV, cardiovascular; HF, heart failure; PCP, primary care physician; T2D, type 2 diabetes

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Empagliflozin provides protection for people with HF across the LVEF spectrum by reducing the risk of CV death or HHF



HR 0.75; 95% CI 0.65, 0.86; $p < 0.001$
ARR=5.3%; NNT=19

HR 0.79; 95% CI 0.69, 0.90; $p < 0.001$
ARR=3.3%; NNT=31



Consistent efficacy across subgroups including¹⁻³:

- With or without T2D
- With or without CKD

ARR, absolute risk reduction; CKD, chronic kidney disease; CV, cardiovascular; HF, heart failure; HFrEF, heart failure with reduced ejection fraction; HFpEF, heart failure with preserved ejection fraction; HHF, hospitalisation for heart failure; LVEF, left ventricular ejection fraction; NNT, number needed to treat; RRR, relative risk reduction; T2D, type 2 diabetes

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In the approved patient populations

Guidelines recommend the use of SGLT2 inhibitors, such as Empagliflozin, across the CV, renal and metabolic spectrum



Guidelines recommend SGLT2 inhibitors for people with HF¹⁻³

HFrEF

HFpEF

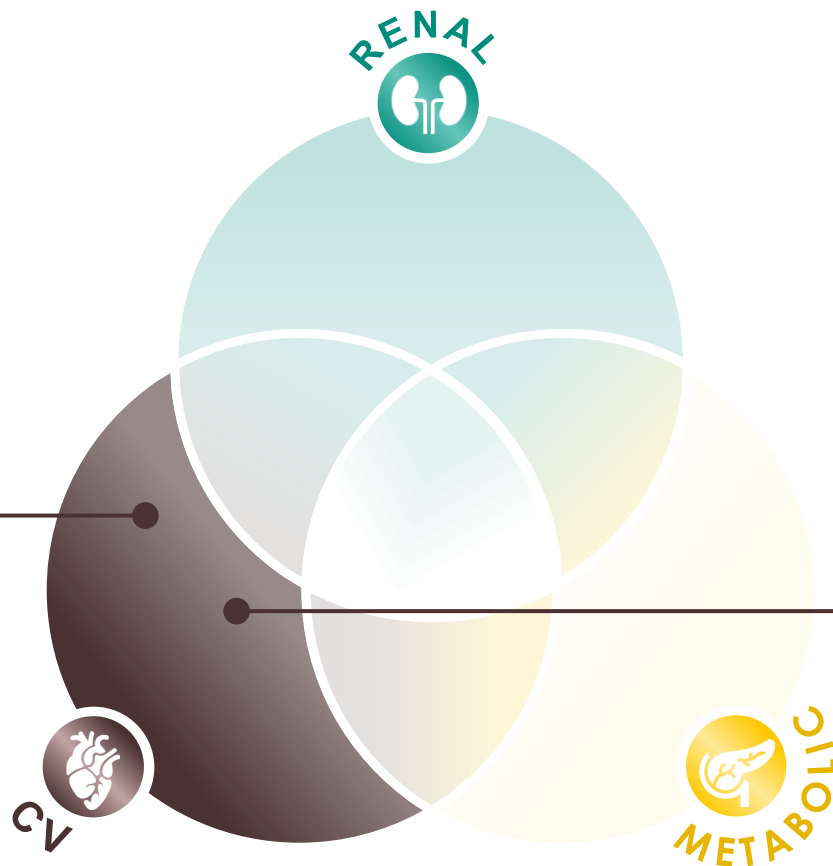
2021 ESC Guidelines¹

2021 CCS/CHFS Guidelines²

2022 AHA/ACC/HFSA Guidelines³

ESC recommend SGLT2 inhibitors as **first-line HFrEF therapy***¹

SGLT2 inhibitors are recommended as **foundational therapy for patients with HF**¹⁻³



2022 AHA/ACC/HFSA Guidelines³

SGLT2 inhibitors have the **strongest recommendation (class IIa) within available therapies** for both HFmrEF (LVEF 41–49%) and HFpEF (LVEF ≥50%)

*This recommendation is only for the use of empagliflozin or dapagliflozin as a foundational treatment for people with HF²

ACC, American College of Cardiology; AHA, American Heart Association; CCS, Canadian Cardiovascular Society; CHFS, Canadian Heart Failure Society; CV, cardiovascular; ESC, European Society of Cardiology; HF, heart failure; HFmrEF, heart failure with mildly reduced ejection fraction; HFpEF, heart failure with preserved ejection fraction; HFrEF, heart failure with reduced ejection fraction; HFSA, Heart Failure Society of America; LVEF, left ventricular ejection fraction; SGLT2, sodium-glucose co-transporter-2

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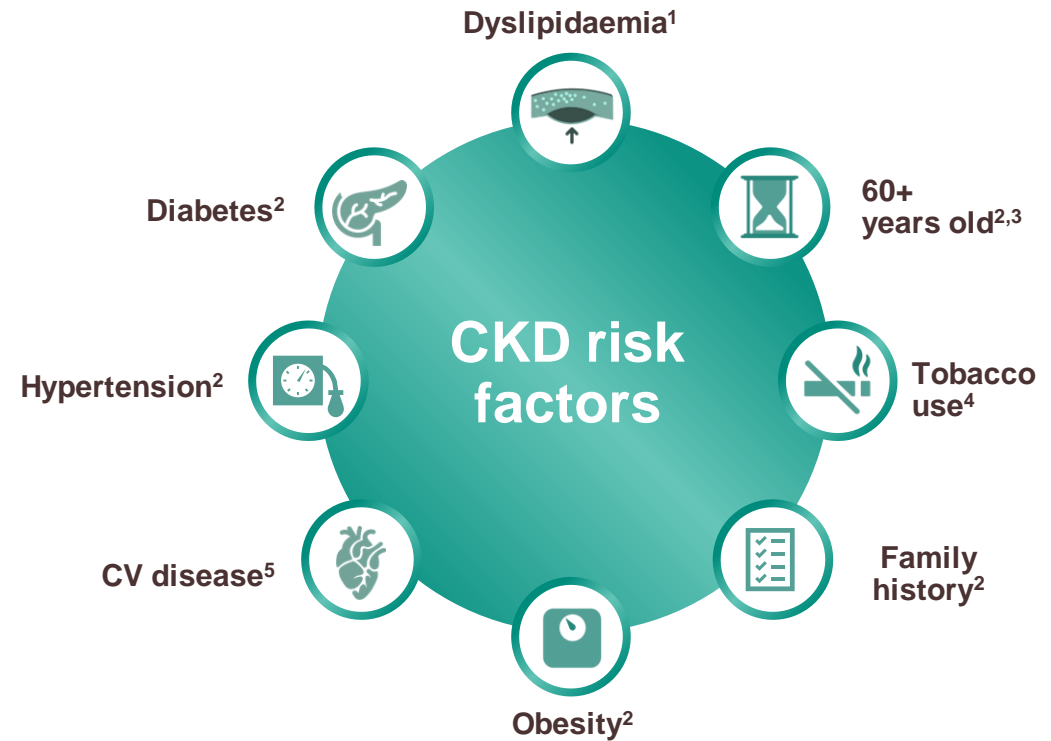
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Omar* has been diagnosed with CKD and is at increased risk of CV, renal and metabolic complications



OMAR
55*

- Has hypertension and dyslipidaemia
- Family history of CV disease
- On ACEi and statin
- BMI: 29.3 kg/m²
- eGFR: 68 ml/min/1.73 m²
- UACR: 40 mg/g (4.52 mg/mmol)



*Not an actual patient

ACEi, angiotensin-converting enzyme inhibitor; BMI, body mass index; CKD, chronic kidney disease; CV, cardiovascular; eGFR, estimated glomerular filtration rate;

UACR, urine albumin-to-creatinine ratio

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https://www.kidney.org/news/monthly/wkd_aging (accessed Mar 2023); 4. Jo W *et al. PLoS One* 2020;15:e0238111; 5. Menon V *et al. Kidney Int* 2005;68:1413

Early diagnosis and intervention in CKD is crucial for patients with known risk factors¹



Early screening and diagnosis of CKD¹

OMAR,
55*



Determine known risk factors (e.g. high BP, T2D, CV disease, obesity) and/or signs and symptoms of CKD

Screen regularly using **UACR** and **eGFR**



These tests provide the **evidence** needed for an **early diagnosis**²

*Not an actual patient

BP, blood pressure; CKD, chronic kidney disease; CV, cardiovascular; eGFR, estimated glomerular filtration rate; T2D, type 2 diabetes; UACR, urine albumin-to-creatinine ratio

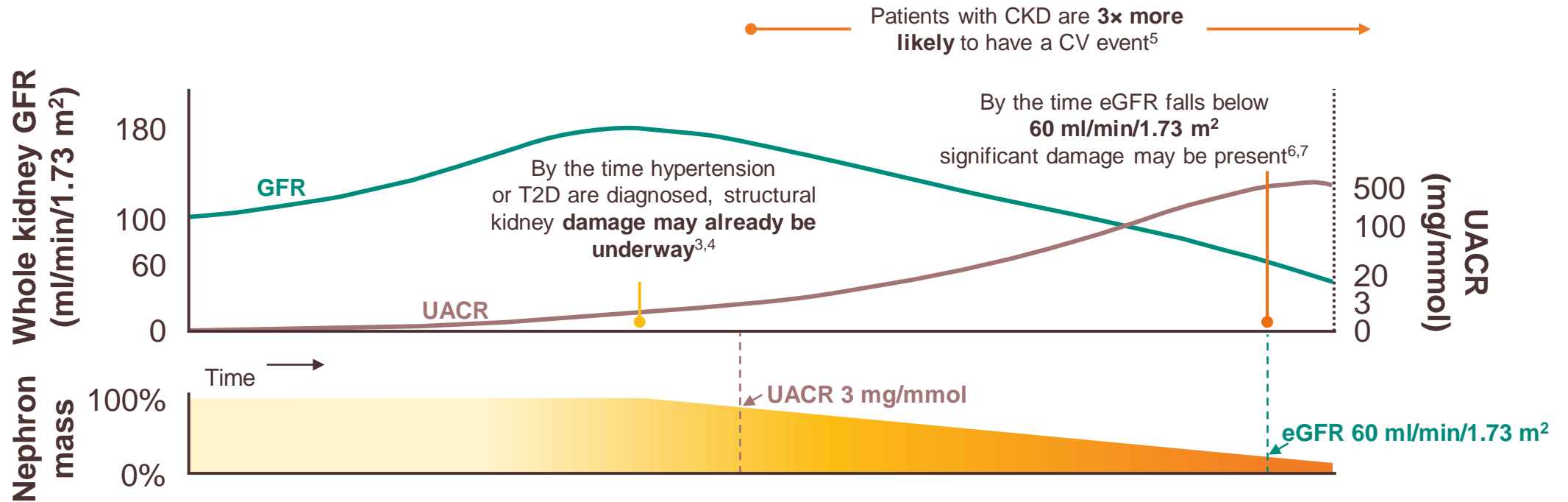
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2. Kidney Disease: Improving Global Outcomes (KDIGO) CKD Work Group. *Kidney Int* 2013;3:1

CKD is a progressive disease and acts as a CV risk multiplier^{1,2}



By the time treatment for CKD is initiated, it is often too late



Early screening and intervention can slow the progression of CKD and reduce CV risk and related outcomes^{1,8}



Figure adapted from Tonneijck L *et al.* 2017

UACR, urine albumin-to-creatinine ratio; CKD, chronic kidney disease; CV, cardiovascular; eGFR, estimated glomerular filtration rate; T2D, type 2 diabetes
See slide notes for references

How would you reduce the risk of CV, renal and metabolic complications to help protect patients like Omar*?



Reducing the risk of CV, renal and metabolic complications should be a patient's top priority, so discussing the importance of an early, multifactorial approach for improving long-term outcomes is key¹

Shared decision-making involves an open discussion with the patient, integrating medical considerations and the patient's preferences, and can improve treatment adherence²⁻⁴



“

How will treatment impact my day-to-day life? It is important that it does not affect my travelling for work”

“

I work long hours, so I need a medication that is easy to take”

“

I would hate to end up needing dialysis”

*Not an actual patient

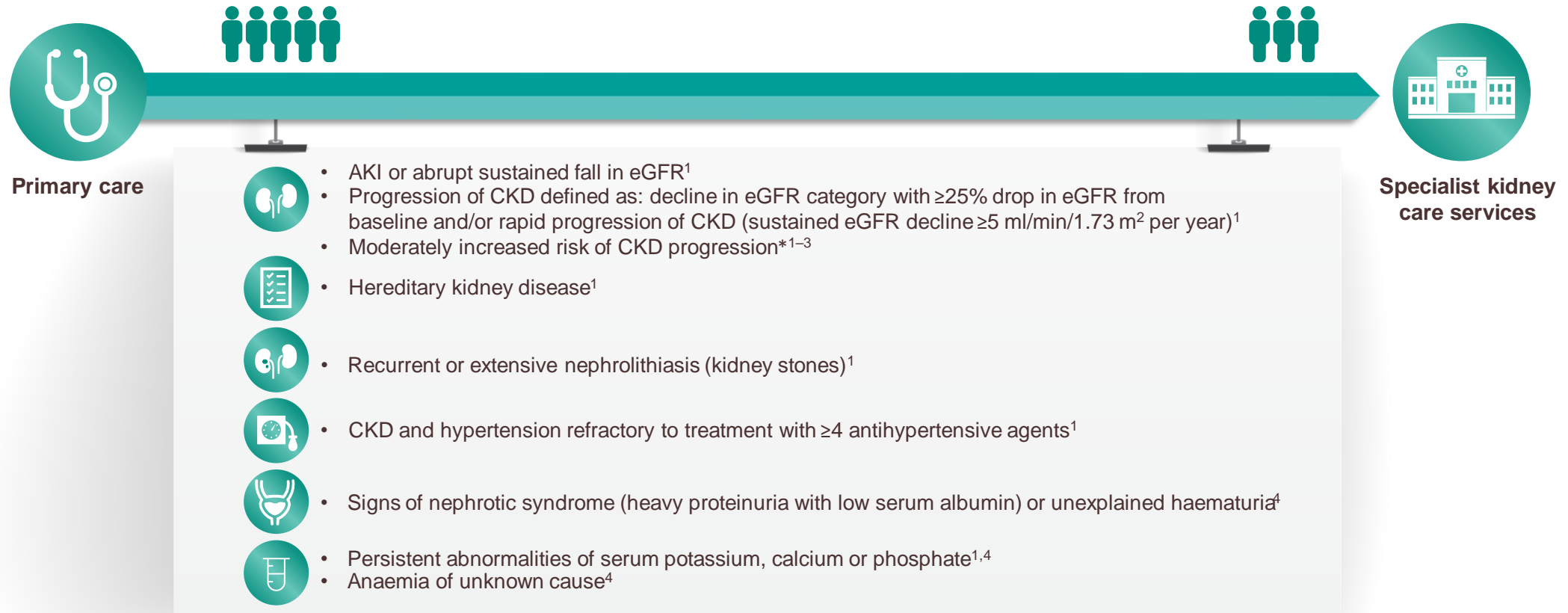
CV, cardiovascular

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People with CKD can be managed in primary care; however, specialist referral may be required for those at greater risk of progression or complications



Factors that should prompt referral to specialist kidney care services include:



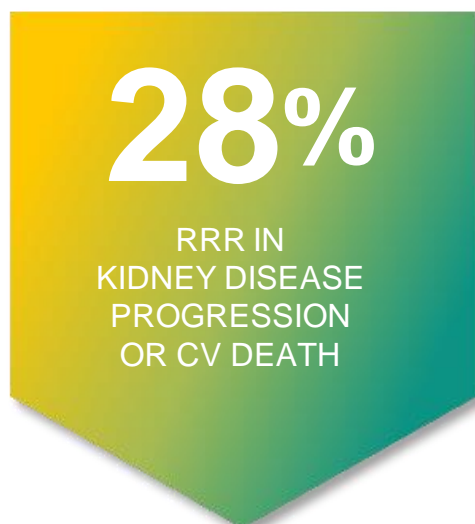
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*Moderately increased risk of CKD progression¹⁻³: eGFR < 30 ml/min/1.73 m² or significant albuminuria (UACR ≥ 300 mg/g (≥ 30 mg/mmol) or AER ≥ 300 mg/24 hours, approximately equivalent to PCR ≥ 500 mg/g (≥ 50 mg/mmol) or PER ≥ 500 mg/24 hours) or high risk of progression to ESKD according to KFRE (e.g. $> 3\%$ to $> 5\%$ risk at 5 years)

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<https://ukkidney.org/health-professionals/information-resources/uk-eckd-guide/referral> (accessed Mar 2023)

In EMPA-KIDNEY, Empagliflozin reduced kidney disease progression or risk of CV death, and reduced all-cause hospitalisation, in a broad population of people who have CKD with or without T2D*†1,2



HR 0.72
95% CI 0.64, 0.82
 $p < 0.001$



HR 0.86
95% CI 0.78, 0.95
 $p = 0.003$



Consistent benefits proven across the patients you see in your practice, including²:

- With and without T2D
- Mildly to severely reduced eGFR (<90 to ≥ 20 ml/min/1.73 m²)
- With and without prior CVD
- With or without background use of RAASi[§]

*Adult patients with an eGFR ≥ 20 to < 45 ml/min/1.73 m², or an eGFR ≥ 45 to < 90 ml/min/1.73 m² with a UACR ≥ 200 mg/g²; †In the EMPA-KIDNEY trial, a randomised, parallel-group, double-blind, placebo-controlled study of 6609 patients with CKD, the efficacy and safety of Empagliflozin 10 mg (n=3304) were evaluated vs placebo (n=3305). The primary endpoint in the EMPA-KIDNEY trial was a composite of CV death or progression of kidney disease. Patients treated with Empagliflozin experienced a 28% RRR in this endpoint (HR 0.72; 95% CI 0.64, 0.82; $p < 0.001$)²; ‡Hospitalisation for any cause was a key secondary outcome of the EMPA-KIDNEY trial. The analysis of hospitalisations for any cause included the first and all subsequent events (Empagliflozin, 1611 hospitalisations in 960 patients; placebo, 1895 hospitalisations in 1035 patients)²; §At baseline, 85.7% of patients on Empagliflozin and 84.6% of patients on placebo were taking a RAASi²

CKD, chronic kidney disease; CV, cardiovascular; CVD, cardiovascular disease; eGFR, estimated glomerular filtration rate; RAASi, renin-angiotensin-aldosterone system inhibitor; RRR, relative risk reduction; T2D, type 2 diabetes; UACR, urine albumin-to-creatinine ratio

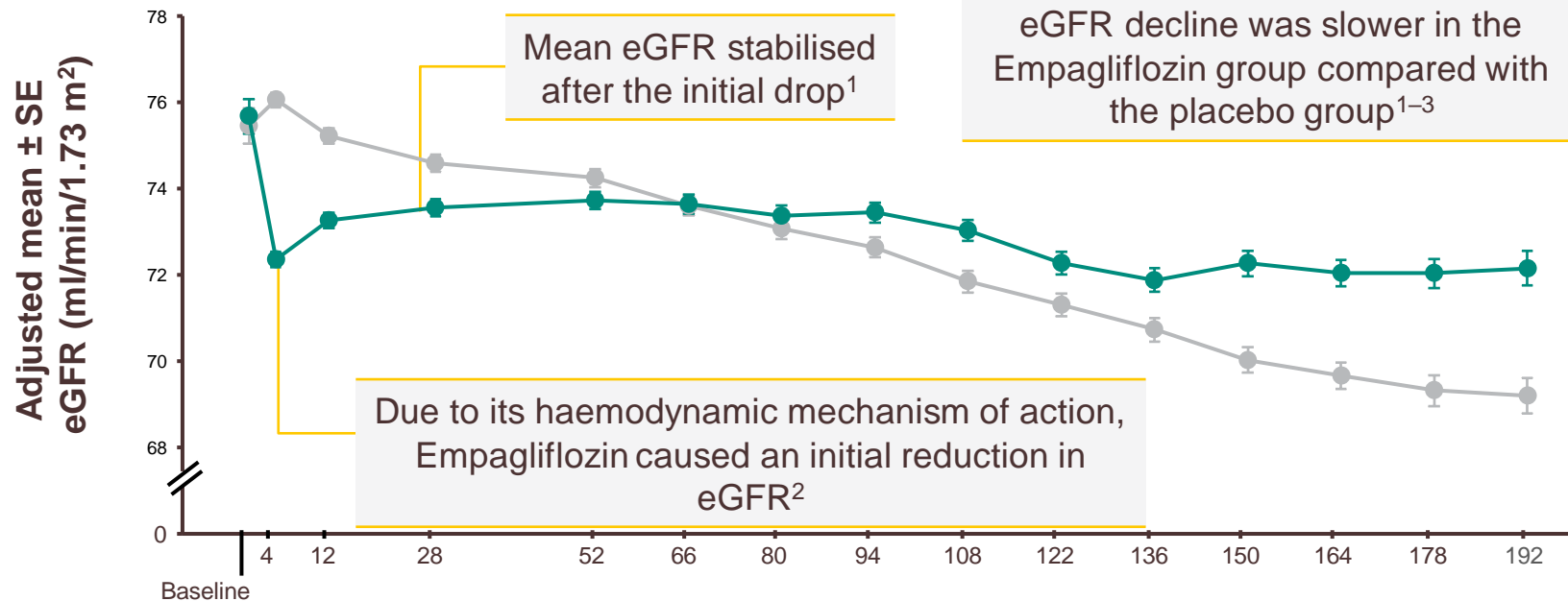
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In people with T2D at high risk for CV events, the rate of kidney function decline after the initial decrease was consistently slower with Empagliflozin than with placebo



—●— Placebo
—●— Empagliflozin

Change in eGFR over time in EMPA-REG OUTCOME*¹



eGFR rebound after drug discontinuation was observed with Empagliflozin, indicative of a reversal of the renal haemodynamic effect^{2,3}



No. of patients

Placebo	2323	2295	2267	2205	2121	2064	1927	1981	1763	1479	1262	1123	977	731	448
Empagliflozin	2322	2288	2269	2216	2156	2111	2006	2067	1871	1563	1340	1207	1063	838	524

See slide notes for abbreviations

*The baseline to Week 192 graph is based on an MMRM analysis in patients treated with ≥1 dose of study drug who had a baseline and post-baseline measurement. The baseline to follow-up graph is based on a prespecified analysis of a covariance model in patients who underwent measurements at all three time points

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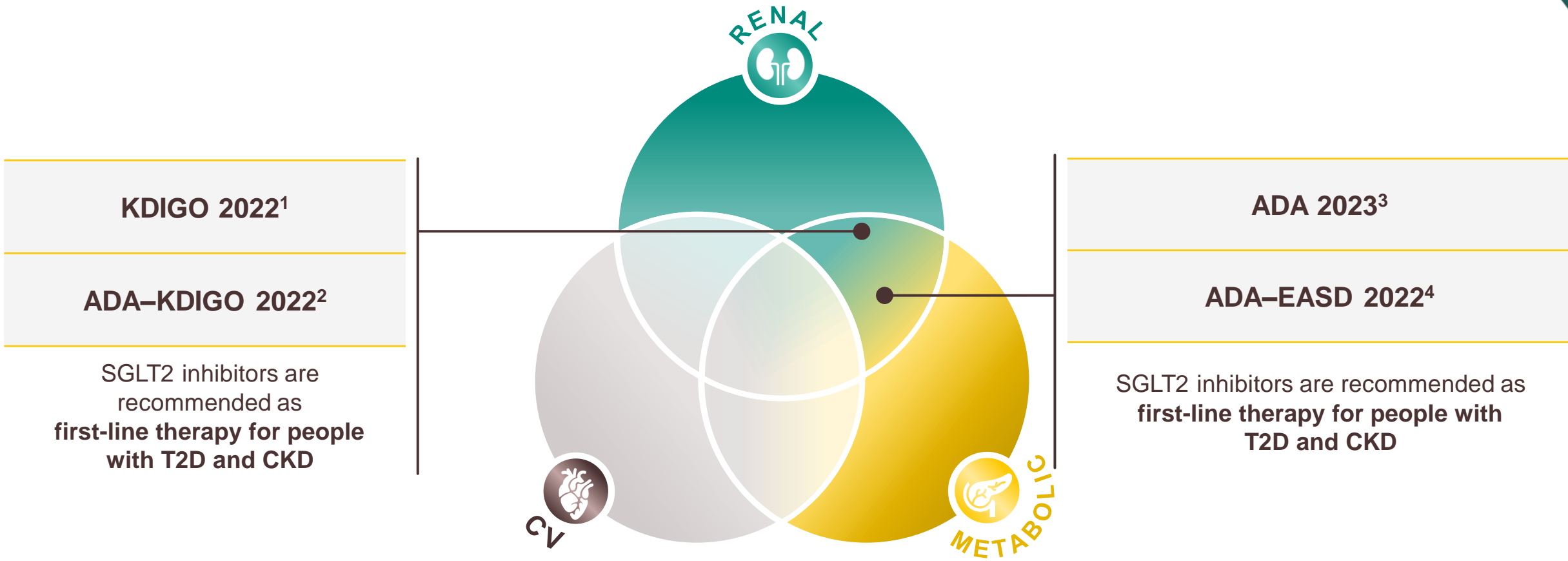


In the approved patient populations

Guidelines recommend the use of SGLT2 inhibitors, such as Empagliflozin, across the CV, renal and metabolic spectrum



Guidelines recommend SGLT2 inhibitors for people with T2D and CKD¹⁻³



ADA, American Diabetes Association; CKD, chronic kidney disease; CV, cardiovascular; EASD, European Association for the Study of Diabetes; KDIGO, Kidney Disease: Improving Global Outcomes; SGLT2, sodium-glucose co-transporter-2; T2D, type 2 diabetes

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Summary and conclusion

Empagliflozin is easy to use across a broad range of people with CKD, HF or T2D

1^{oral 10-mg dose}
X
daily



Any time of day
(every 24 hours)



Easy to store
and administer



With or
without food*



- In CKD and HF, Empagliflozin can be initiated down to an eGFR of 20 ml/min/1.73 m²
- For people with T2D and CV disease, Empagliflozin can be initiated down to 30 ml/min/1.73 m²‡

No titration required for most patients†

*Tablets can be taken with or without food, swallowed whole with water; †Increase to 25 mg once daily in people with T2D who tolerate 10 mg and need additional glycaemic control;

‡For people with T2D without CV disease, Empagliflozin can be initiated down to 45 ml/min/1.73 m²

CKD, chronic kidney disease; CV, cardiovascular; eGFR, estimated glomerular filtration rate; HF, heart failure; T2D, type 2 diabetes

Empagliflozin (empagliflozin) summary of product characteristics. Sep 2022

Empagliflozin can be initiated with an eGFR as low as 20 ml/min/1.73 m² in people with HF or CKD*

Empagliflozin initiation dosing recommendations based on indication and kidney function†

To reduce the risk of kidney disease progression or CV death in adults with CKD with or without T2D



To improve glycaemic control in adult patients with T2D



To reduce the risk of CV death in adults with T2D and CV disease



To reduce the risk of CV death and HHF in adults with HF



Not recommended for use to improve glycaemic control

Insufficient data to support a dosing recommendation



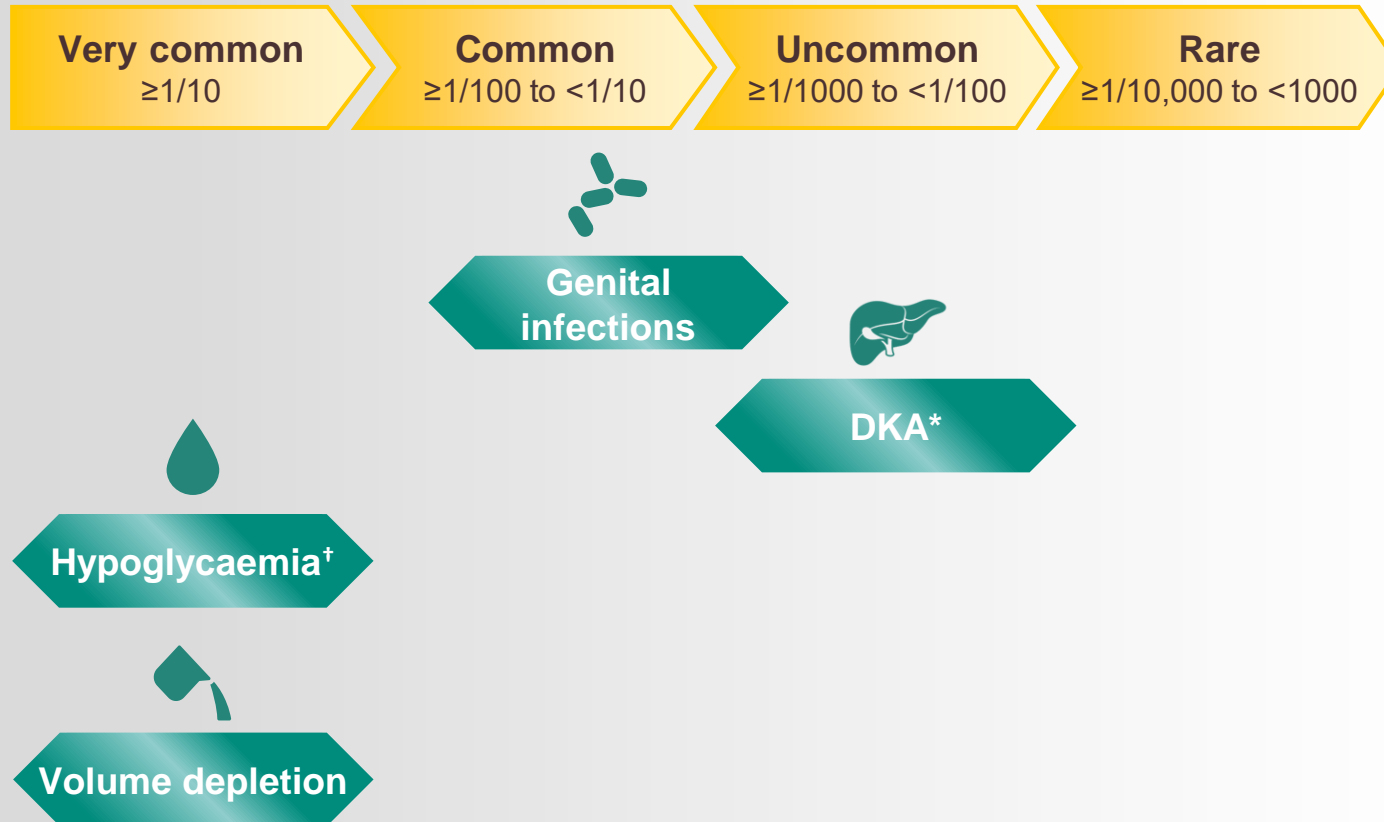
*Please see the summary of product characteristics for dosing details

†Because the glycaemic lowering efficacy of Empagliflozin is reduced in patients with moderate renal impairment and likely absent in patients with severe renal impairment, if further glycaemic control is needed, the addition of other anti-hyperglycaemic agents should be considered

CKD, chronic kidney disease; CV, cardiovascular; eGFR, estimated glomerular filtration rate; HF, heart failure; HHF, hospitalisation for heart failure; T2D, type 2 diabetes
Empagliflozin (empagliflozin) summary of product characteristics. Sep 2022

Empagliflozin has an established safety and tolerability profile

Safety profile



Contraindications and precautions

- Empagliflozin should not be used for the treatment of patients with:
 - Type 1 diabetes
 - Severe hepatic impairment or patients on dialysis
 - Hypersensitivity to the active substance or to any of the excipients
- In patients aged 75 years and older, an increased risk of volume depletion should be taken into account



Empagliflozin has a placebo-like incidence of hypoglycaemia when added to metformin



Rare cases of Fournier's gangrene have been reported in people with T2D treated with SGLT2 inhibitors

*Reported in people with T2D treated with SGLT2 inhibitors; [†]In combination with other therapies that may cause hypoglycaemia
DKA, diabetic ketoacidosis; SGLT2, sodium-glucose co-transporter-2; T2D, type 2 diabetes
Empagliflozin (empagliflozin) summary of product characteristics. Sep 2022

Empagliflozin[®] provides triple protection by reducing risk for a broad range of your patients with¹:



T2D & CVD

38%

RRR IN CV DEATH*^{1,2}

HR 0.62; 95% CI 0.49, 0.77;
 $p < 0.001$ ARR 2.2% NNT 46

32%

RRR IN ALL CAUSE MORTALITY *^{1,2}

HR=0.68; 95% CI: 0.57, 0.82;
 $p < 0.001$



HF

HFrEF

25%

RRR IN CV DEATH OR HHF IN LVEF $\leq 40\%$ †^{1,3}

HR 0.75; 95% CI 0.65, 0.86;
 $p < 0.001$ ARR 5.3% NNT 19

HFpEF

21%

RRR IN CV DEATH OR HHF IN LVEF $> 40\%$ †^{1,4}

HR 0.79; 95% CI 0.69, 0.90;
 $p < 0.001$ ARR 3.3% NNT 30



CKD

28%

RRR IN KIDNEY DISEASE PROGRESSION OR CV DEATH^{§5}

HR 0.72; 95% CI 0.64, 0.82;
 $p < 0.001$ ARR 3.8% NNT 26

In addition, Empagliflozin provides metabolic benefits in T2D, including reductions in HbA1c, systolic blood pressure and weight^{†1,6}

Reductions in body weight and systolic blood pressure were not primary endpoints^{1,6}

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Early intervention with Empagliflozin can help protect* our patients at CV risk



***Early screening, diagnosis and intervention with SGLT2 inhibitors, such as Empagliflozin, can protect people with:**

CKD – by reducing risk of CV death or kidney disease progression¹

HF (both HFrEF and HFpEF) – by reducing risk of CV death or hospitalisation for HF^{2,3}

T2D and CV disease – by reducing risk of CV death⁴



Holistic management is required for people with CKD, HF or T2D due to the **interrelated CV, renal and metabolic systems**^{5,6}



Established safety profile, well tolerated and **convenient once-daily oral dosing**⁷

International CKD, HF and T2D guidelines recommend the use of an SGLT2 inhibitor like **Empagliflozin as early foundational therapy**⁸⁻¹⁰



THANK YOU