

Type 1 Diabetes

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The DCCT/EDIC Study Population

- 1,441 participants ages 13-39 years
- Serum creatinine < 1.2 mg/dL
- Creatinine clearance > 100 mL/min/1.73m²
- Primary prevention cohort (N=711):
 - ▣ Diabetes duration 1-5 years
 - ▣ Albumin excretion rate < 40 mg/d
 - ▣ No retinopathy
- Secondary prevention cohort (N=730):
 - ▣ Diabetes duration 1-15 years
 - ▣ Albumin excretion rate ≤ 200 mg/d
 - ▣ At least one retinal microaneurysm

DCCT/EDIC Study Interventions

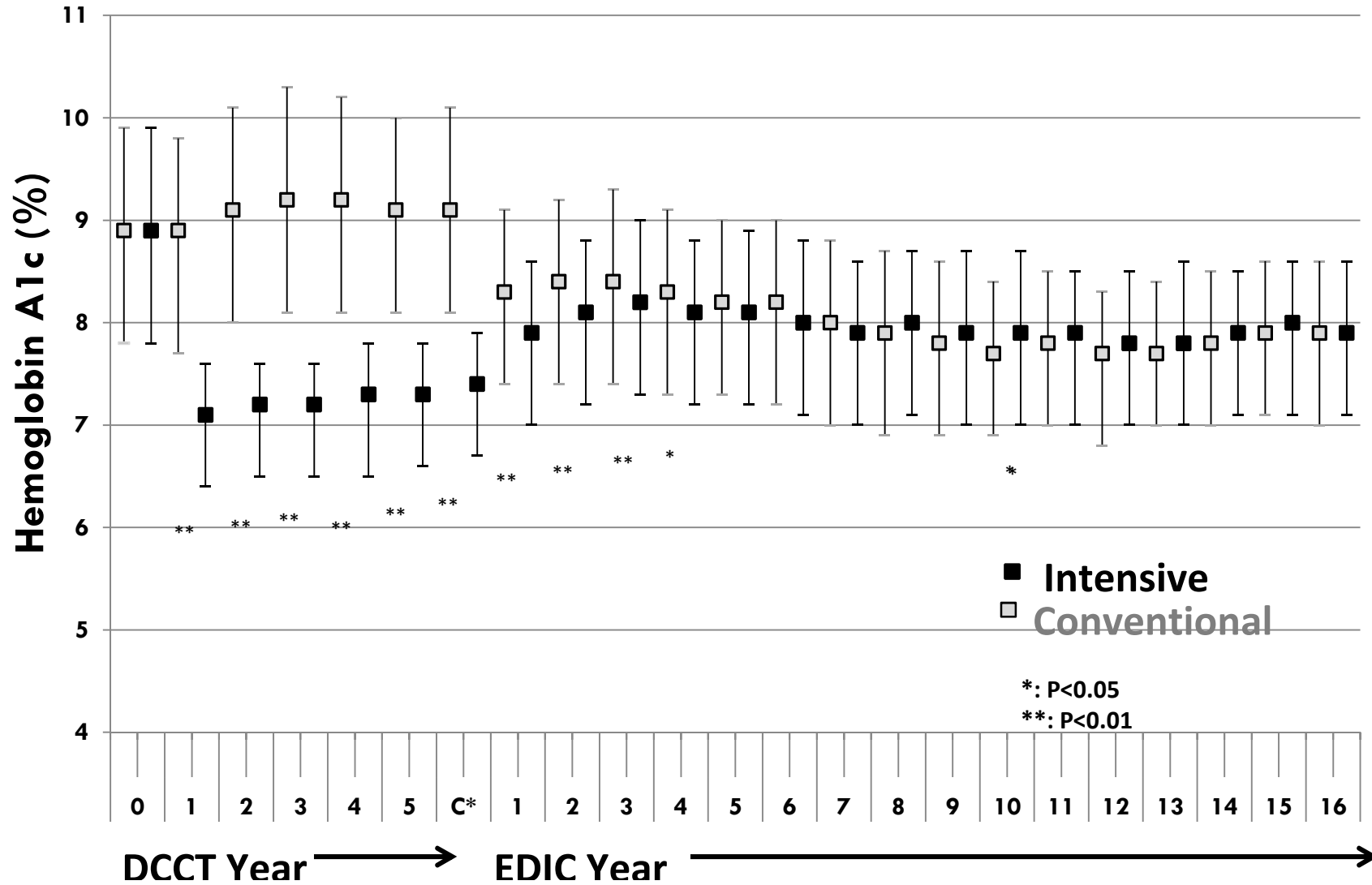
The DCCT (1983-1993)

- **Intensive diabetes therapy:**
 - ≥ 3 insulin injections per day or insulin pump
 - Goal normal glucose
- **Conventional therapy:**
 - 1-2 injections per day
 - Goal prevent symptoms of hyperglycemia
- **Mean duration of therapy**
6.5 years

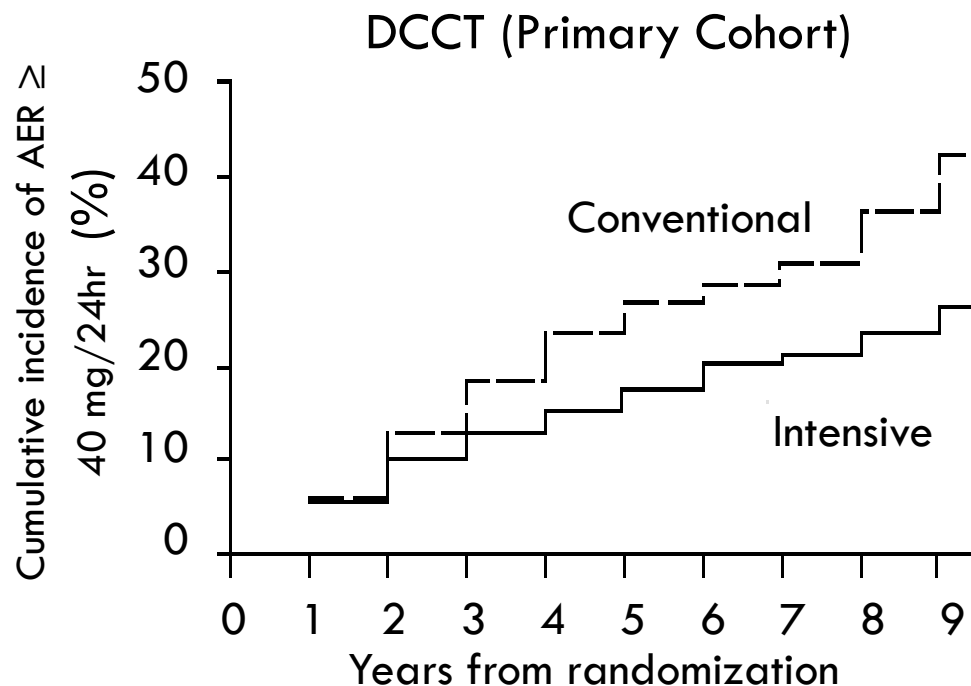
The EDIC Study (1994-)

- **Observational follow-up**
- **Intensive therapy participants encouraged to continue intensive therapy**
- **Conventional therapy participants instructed in intensive therapy**
- **Participants returned to original care providers**
- **Ongoing annual study visits**

DCCT/EDIC Hemoglobin A1c

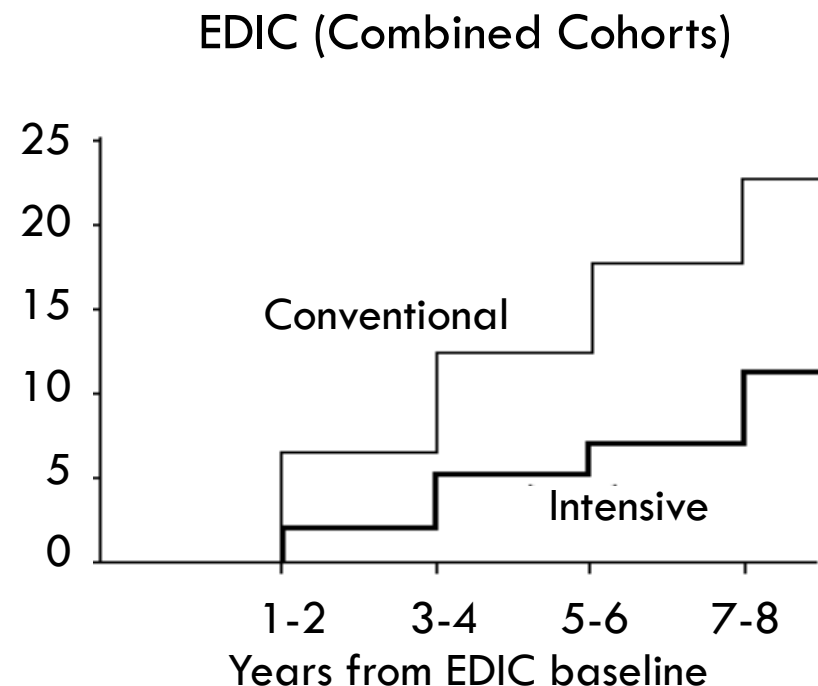


Intensive Diabetes Therapy Reduced the Risk of Microalbuminuria



Risk reductions:

- 1° cohort 34% (2%, 56%)
- 2° cohort 43% (21%, 58%)



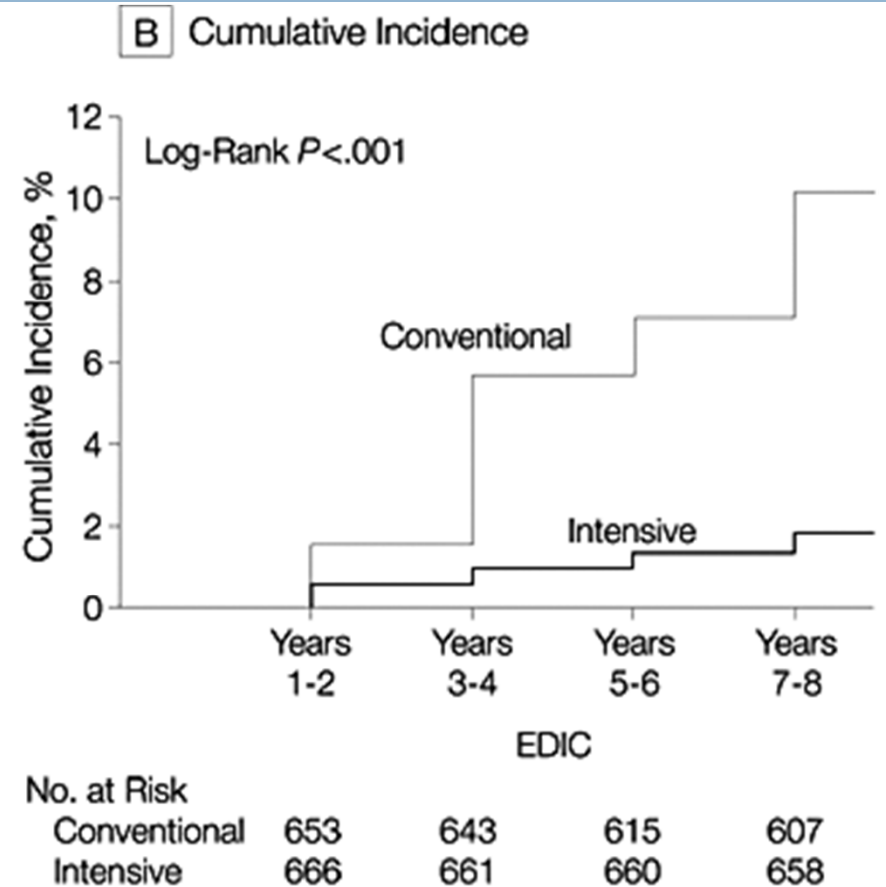
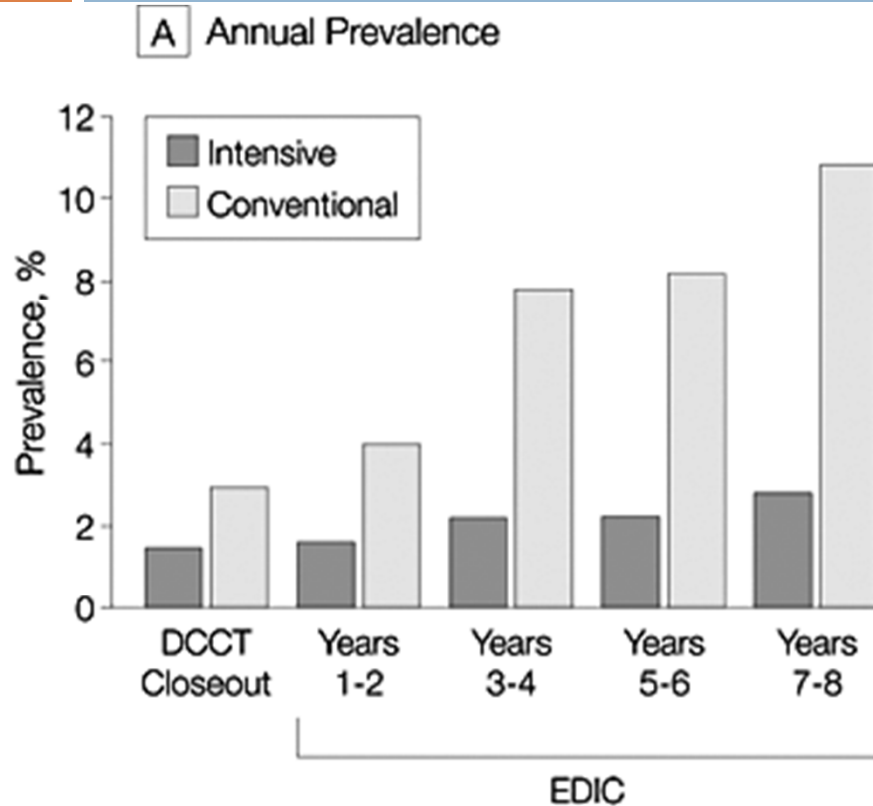
Risk reductions:

- Microalbuminuria 59% (39%, 73%)
- Macroalbuminuria 84% (67%, 92%)

Kidney Int 1995, *JAMA* 2003



Annual Prevalence and Cumulative Incidence of Albuminuria in EDIC Subjects According to Original Treatment Cohorts

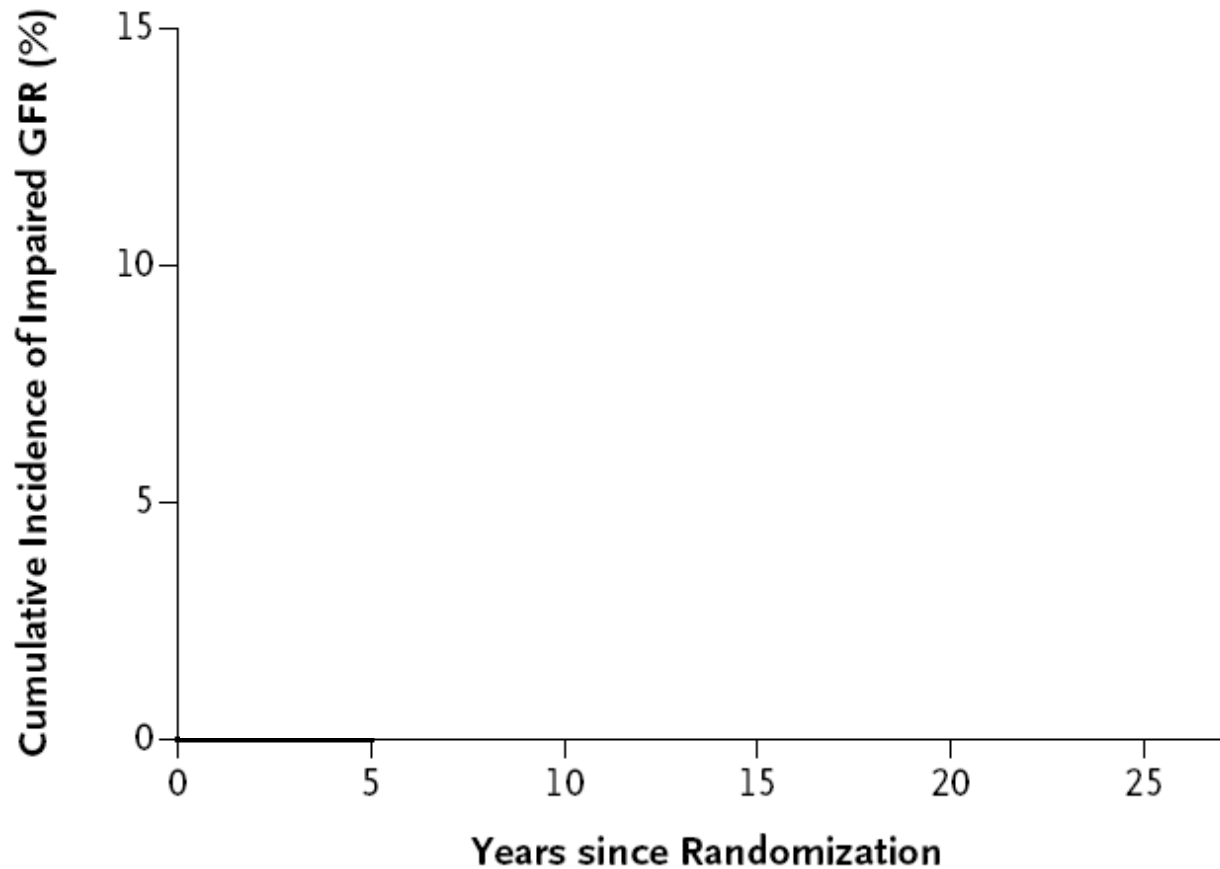


At DCCT Closeout, Cumulative Incidences of Albuminuria were 3.8% in Intensive and 6.3% in Conventional cohorts

GFR Study: Participant Characteristics

	At DCCT Baseline (1983-1989)		At EDIC Year 16 (2008-2010)	
	Intensive N = 711	Conv N = 730	Intensive N = 618	Conv N = 604
Age (years)	27 (7)	27 (7)	50 (7)	49 (7)
Diabetes duration (years)	6 (4)	6 (4)	29 (5)	28 (5)
ACEI/ARB use*	0	0	53%	57%
BMI (kg/m ²)	23 (3)	24 (3)	29 (13)	28 (13)
BP (mmHg)	115/73	115/73	122/73	121/72
AER ≥ 30 mg/24h	12%	10%	19%	23%
S creat (mg/dL)	0.68 (0.14)	0.68 (0.14)	0.85 (0.33)	0.89 (0.59)

Cumulative Incidence of Impaired eGFR (sustained $<60\text{mL}/\text{min}/1.73\text{m}^2$)



No. at Risk

Intensive therapy	711	704	684	672	619	108
Conventional therapy	730	719	697	657	594	90

DeBoer et al., NEJM 2011

Primary & Secondary GFR Outcomes

	Number of Events		Relative Risk Reduction	
	Intensive Therapy	Conventional Therapy	Risk Reduction (% , 95% CI)	P-value
Impaired GFR*	24	46	50 (18, 69)	0.006
eGFR < 45 mL/min/1.73m ²	24	39	40 (1, 64)	0.045
eGFR < 30 mL/min/1.73m ²	13	23	44 (-9, 72)	0.088
End stage renal disease	8	16	51 (-14, 79)	0.098
Impaired GFR* or death	53	80	37 (10, 55)	0.011

* Sustained eGFR < 60 mL/min/1.73m² (primary outcome of this study)

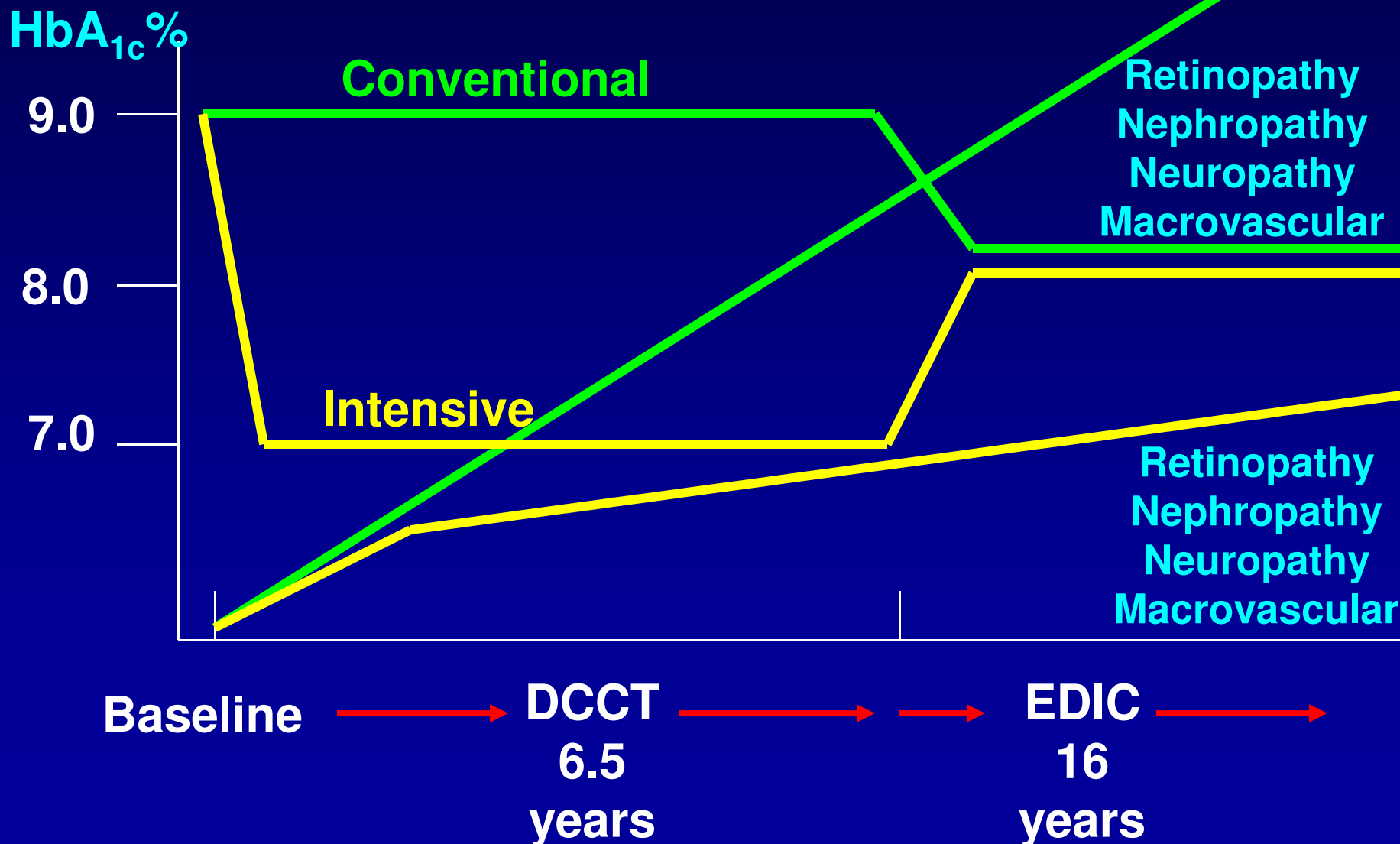
Risk reduction is relative difference in risk of impaired GFR (in percent) comparing intensive to conventional diabetes therapy

DeBoer et al., NEJM 2011

Summary of DCCT/EDIC

- **An average of 6.5 years intensive diabetes therapy reduced the risks of:**
 - **Microalbuminuria by 59%**
 - **Macroalbuminuria by 84%**
 - **Impaired GFR (<60) by 50%**
- **Effect only evident after many years follow-up**
- **Similar relative risk reductions were observed for advanced levels of GFR loss**
- **Benefits for GFR loss were attenuated by statistical adjustment for hemoglobin A1c or AER**

Schematic Course of DCCT/EDIC Intensive & Conventional Groups



DCCT/EDIC Conclusions

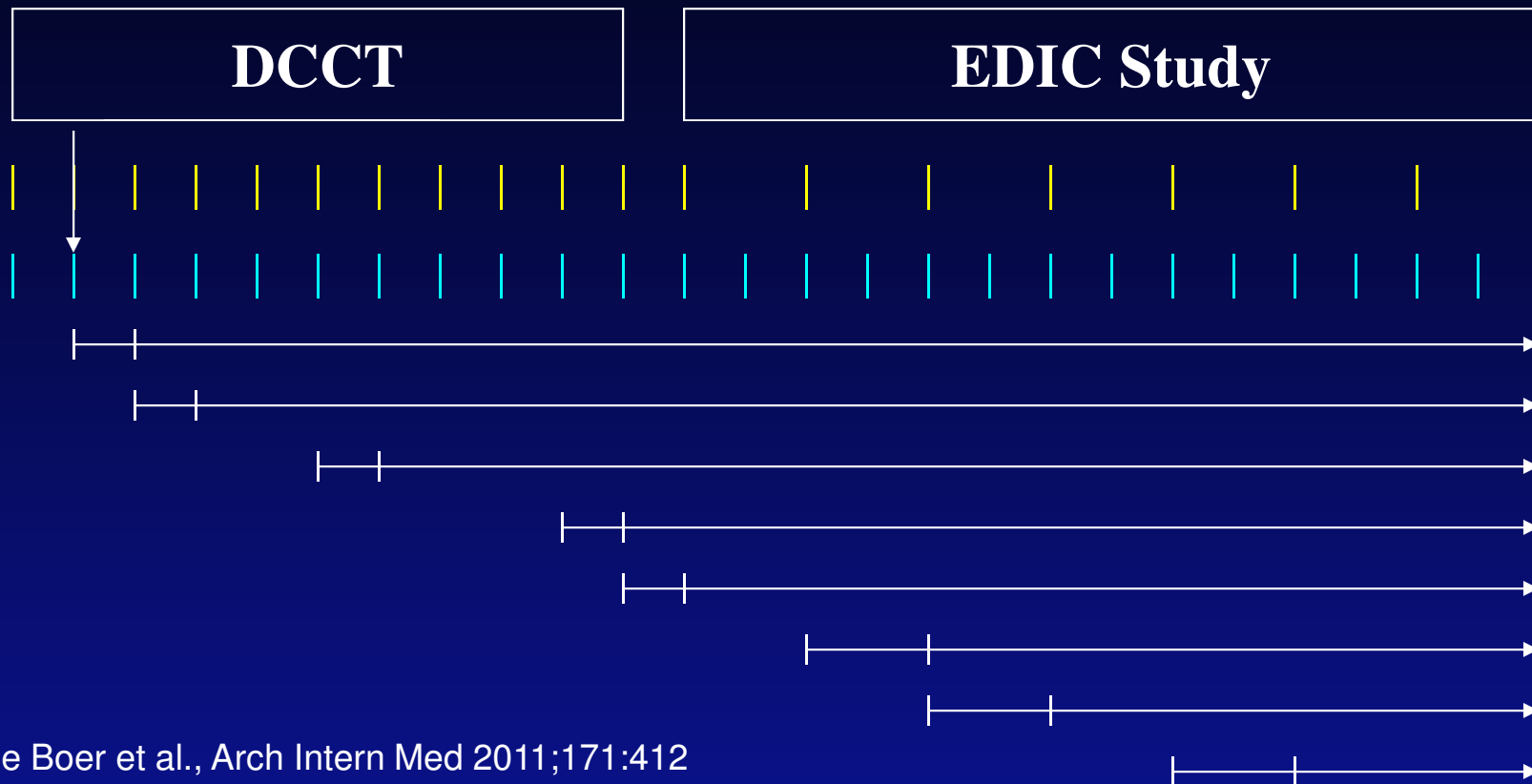
- **The benefit of intensive treatment in reducing complications can be virtually all accounted for by the reduction in hyperglycemia**
- **Tissue damage from any particular level of glycemic exposure outlasts the period of glycemic exposure and blunts the subsequent response to intensive treatment**
- **The long lasting effects of glycemic exposure may be explained, at least in part, by the generation of advanced glycation end products with long half lives**

DCCT / EDIC Study

Incident Persistent Microalbuminuria Cohort
N = 325

AER \geq 30 mg/24hr on 2 consecutive study visits

Follow-up: median 13 years, maximum 23 years



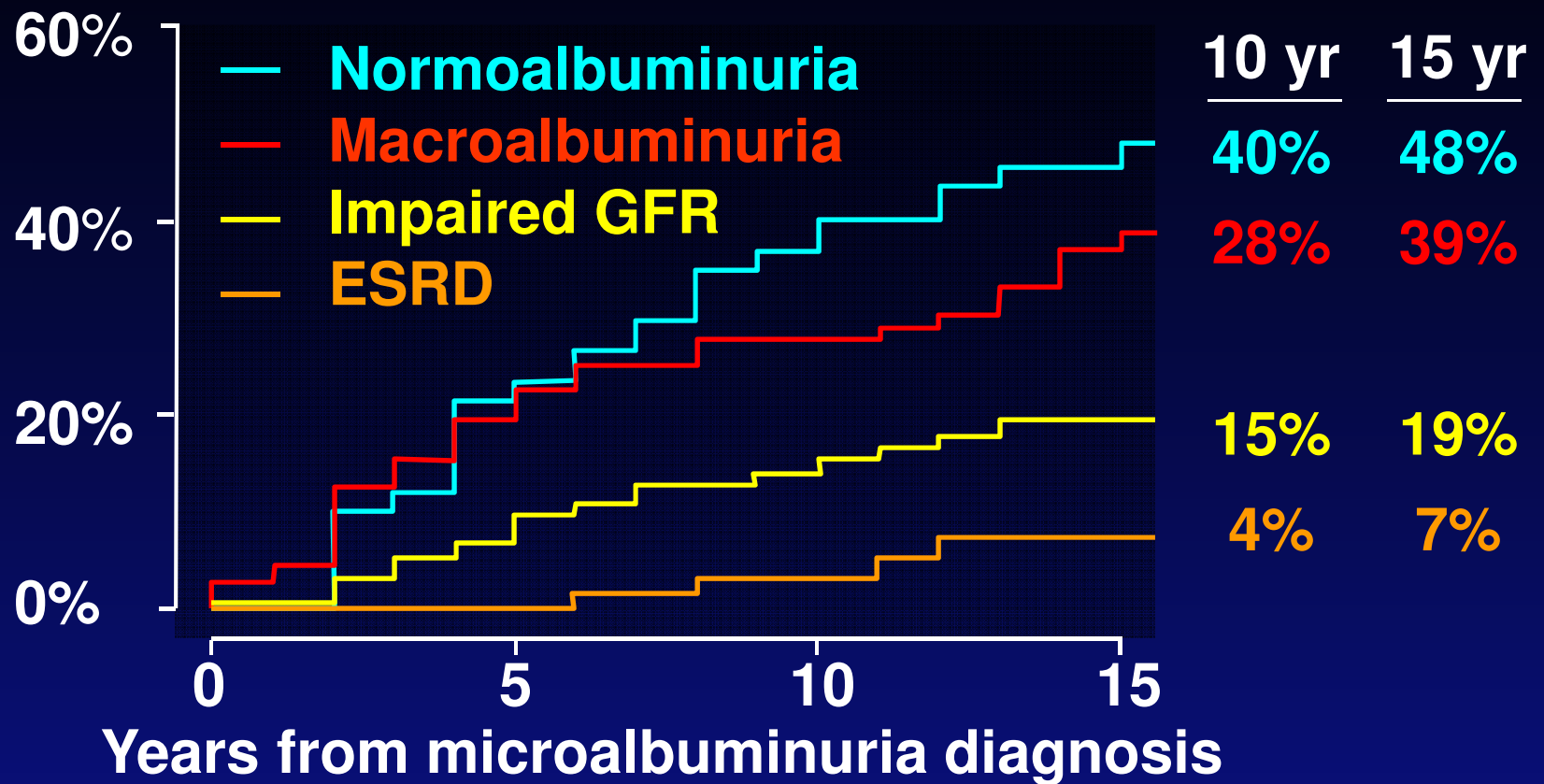
Characteristics at Diagnosis of Sustained Microalbuminuria

N	325
Age (years)	33 ± 10
Male gender	193 (59%)
Duration of diabetes (years)	14 ± 6
DCCT treatment assignment	
Intensive therapy	115 (35%)
Conventional therapy	210 (65%)
Time of diagnosis	
During DCCT	170 (52%)
During EDIC Study	155 (48%)

Characteristics at Diagnosis of Sustained Microalbuminuria (2)

Retinopathy	231 (87%)
Active smoking	99 (32%)
RAAS inhibitor use	24 (7%)
Lipid-lowering medication	16 (5%)
BMI (kg/m²)	26.0 ± 4.1
SBP (mmHg)	122 ± 14
DBP (mmHg)	78 ± 9
Hemoglobin A1c (%)	9.4 ± 1.8
Estimated GFR (mL/min/1.73m²)	114 ± 32

Sustained Microalbuminuria Progression and Regression



N at risk 325 292 219 131

Risk Factors for Renal Outcomes

Risk factor	Renal Outcome					
	Macro- Albuminuria		Impaired GFR		Normo- Albuminuria	
	HR	P	HR	P	HR	P

Adjusted for age, gender, and duration of diabetes at microalbuminuria diagnosis

Risk Factors for Renal Outcomes

Risk factor	Renal Outcome					
	Macro-		Impaired GFR		Normo-	
	Albuminuria				Albuminuria	
	HR	P	HR	P	HR	P
Female gender	0.52	0.005	1.10	0.7	2.53	<0.001

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Female gender	0.52	0.005	1.10	0.7	2.53	<0.001
SBP (10 mmHg)	1.30	0.003	1.06	0.6	0.85	0.04
DBP (10 mmHg)	1.38	0.01	1.21	0.23	0.71	0.004

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DBP (10 mmHg)	1.38	0.01	1.21	0.23	0.71	0.004
Time-updated SBP	1.71	<0.001	1.91	<0.001	0.82	0.08
Time-updated DBP	2.03	<0.001	2.17	<0.001	0.68	<0.001

Adjusted for age, gender, and duration of diabetes at microalbuminuria diagnosis

Risk Factors for Renal Outcomes

Risk factor	Renal Outcome					
	Macro-Albuminuria		Impaired GFR		Normo-Albuminuria	
	HR	P	HR	P	HR	P
HbA1c (%)	1.25	<0.001	1.33	<0.001	0.76	<0.001

Adjusted for age, gender, and duration of diabetes at microalbuminuria diagnosis

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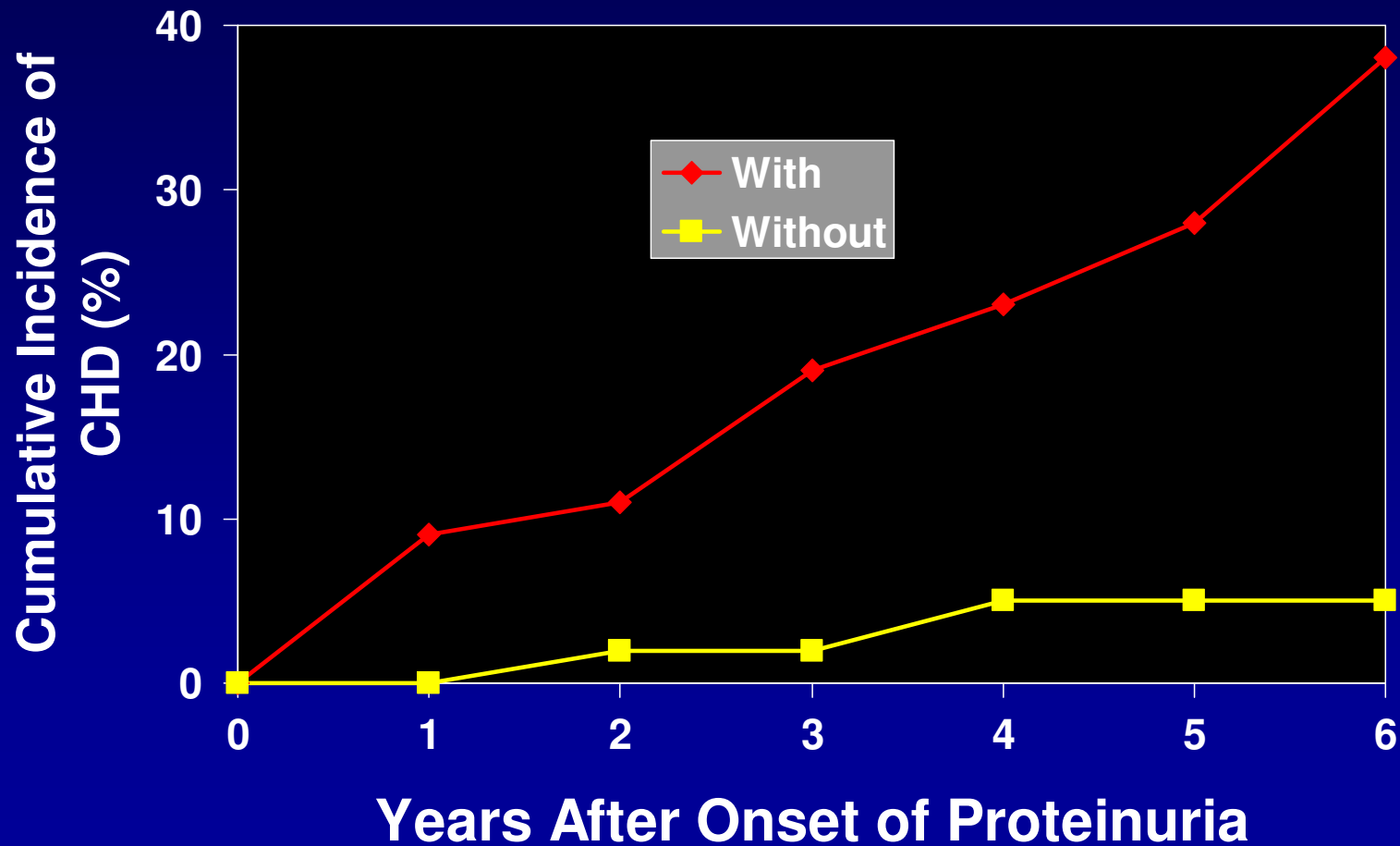
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Time-updated HbA1c (%)	1.25	<0.001	1.13	0.16	0.79	<0.001
Intensive therapy	0.64	0.06	0.65	0.14	1.92	0.002

Adjusted for age, gender, and duration of diabetes at microalbuminuria diagnosis

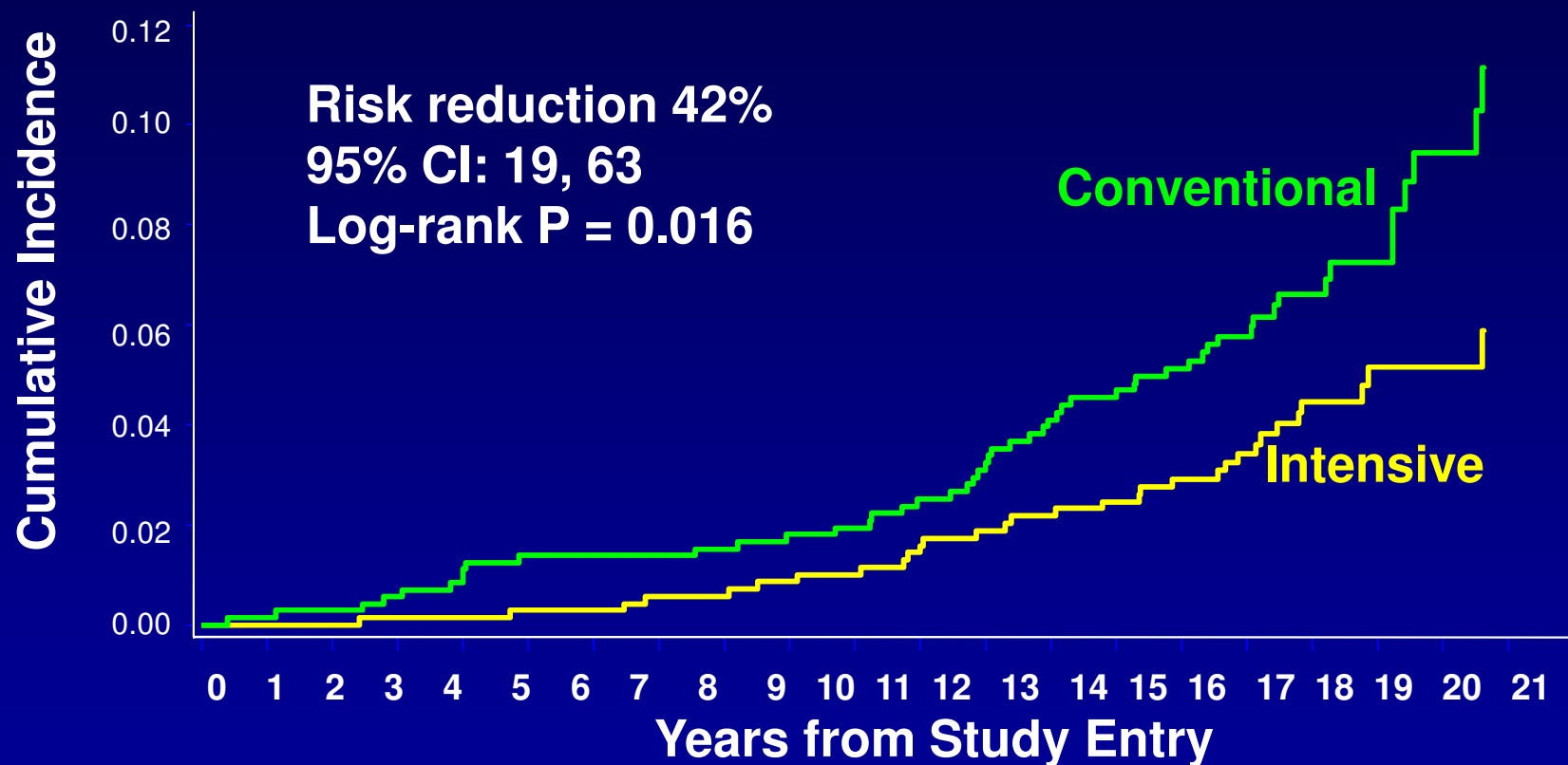
Cumulative Incidence of Coronary Heart Disease in Type 1 Patients with and without Proteinuria



Jensen et al., Diabetologia 1987;30:144

Cardiovascular Events

Cumulative Incidence of First of Any Event



Risk reduction 42%
95% CI: 19, 63
Log-rank P = 0.016

Conventional
Intensive

Number at Risk

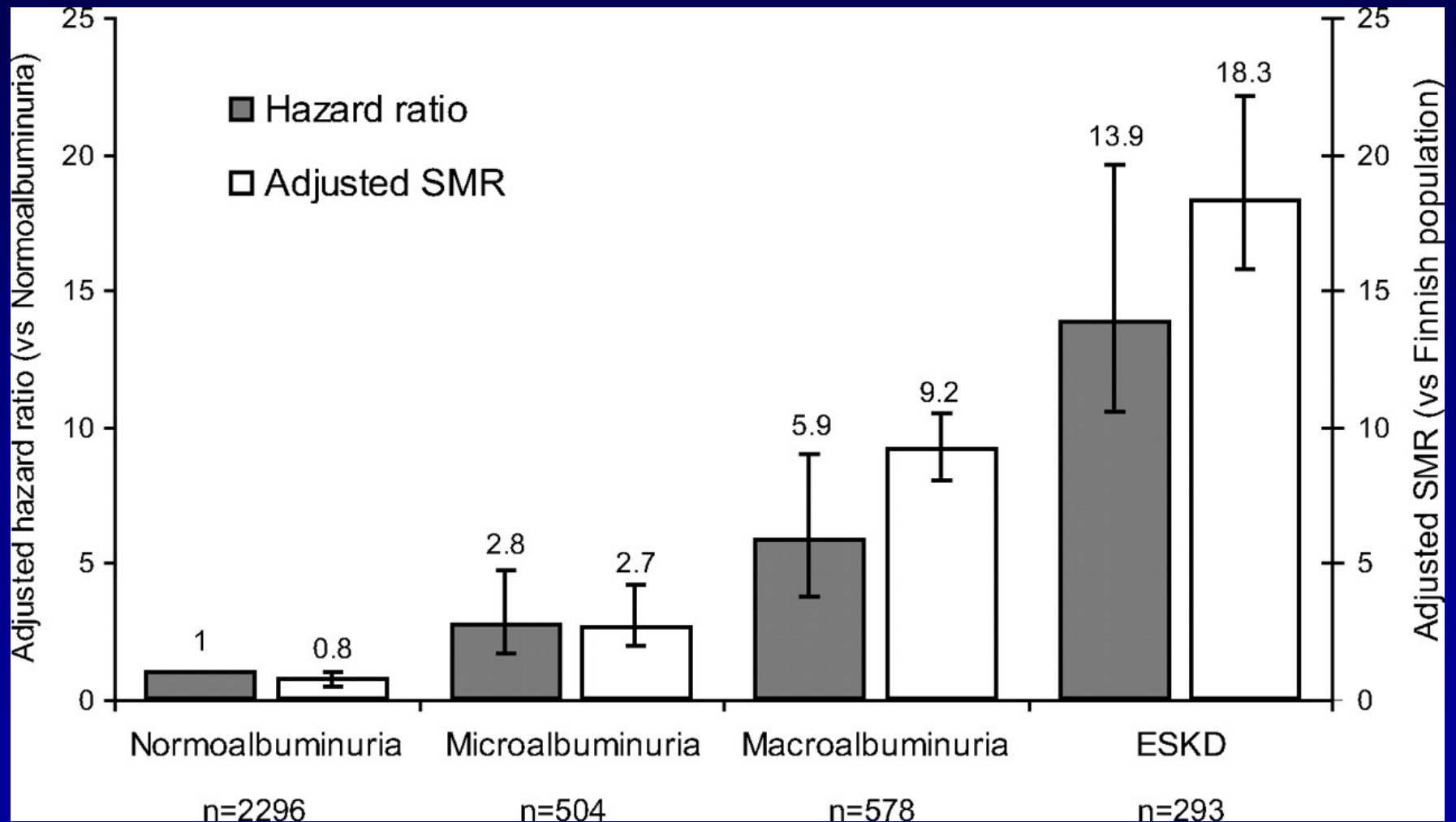
Intensive:	705	683	629	113
Conventional:	714	688	618	92

20 Year Mortality Risk in Type 1 Diabetes: Pittsburgh Epidemiology of Diabetes Complications Study

Kidney Status	% of Group	Standardized Mortality Ratio
Normal AER	52.7%	2.0 (1.2-2.8)
AER Remained Normal over 20 years	43.0%	1.2 (0.5-1.9)
Microalbuminuria	21.3%	6.4 (4.4-8.4)
Macroalbuminuria	22.2%	12.5 (9.5-15.4)
ESRD	3.8%	29.8 (16.8-42.9)

- At Baseline: age 28 yrs, duration of DM 19 yrs
- Median Follow-up of 20 yrs (age 48 yrs, DM duration 39 yrs)
- **Conclusion:** In the absence of renal disease, 20 year mortality risk in type 1 diabetes is comparable to that of the general population

Risk of Mortality in Individuals with Type 1 Diabetes from the Finndiane Study Associated Each Level of Albuminuria and End-stage Kidney Disease (ESKD).

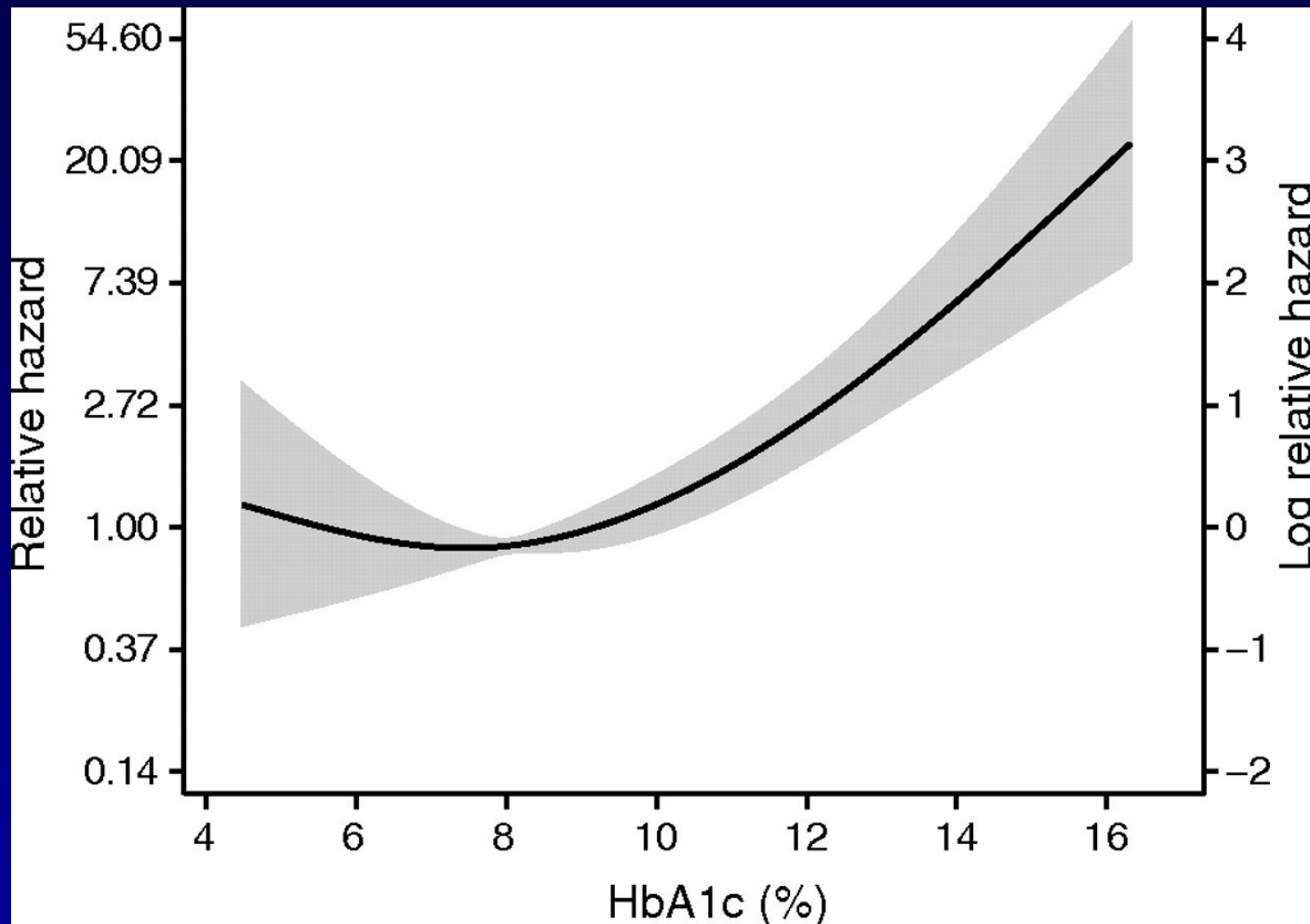


Summary and Conclusions

- Glycemic control is able greatly delay (and possibly prevent?) the development of microalbuminuria, macroalbuminuria and decreased GFR
 - Early institution of intensive therapy has lasting effects
 - Benefits of intensive therapy must be balanced against risks of hypoglycemia
- Because of the link between CKD and CVD, could this delay/prevention of CKD be the link to delay/prevention of CVD?

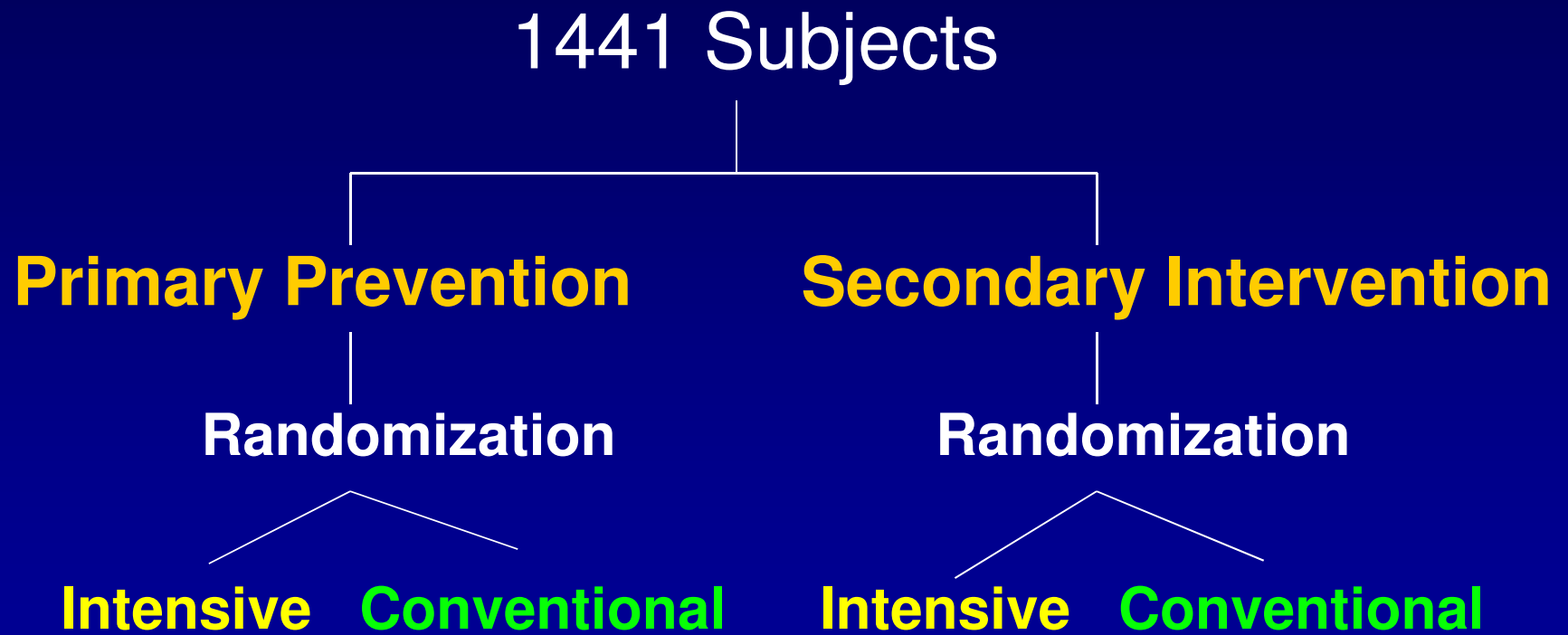
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Relationship of A1C to the Hazard Ratio for Mortality in Individuals with Type 1 Diabetes without ESRD



Relationship between A1c and mortality risk similar across different albuminuria subgroups

Randomization



DCCT

CONVENTIONAL THERAPY

INTENDED TO MIMIC CONVENTIONAL CARE*

- **Clinical Goals: No Symptoms of Hyperglycemia or Hypoglycemia**
- **1 or 2 Injections Per Day**
- **Daily Self Monitoring**
- **Quarterly Hba1c**
- **Pregnant Women Treated Intensively**
- **Diet and Exercise Education**
- **Quarterly Visits**

DCCT

Intensive Therapy

- Same clinical goals as conventional therapy (no symptoms of hyper- or hypoglycemia)

PLUS

- Maintain blood glucose levels as close to non-diabetic range as possible

Pre-prandial

70-120 mg/dL

Post-prandial

< 180

Weekly 3 AM

> 65

- HbA1c < 6.05% (mean + 2 SD)
- Use of Multiple Daily Injections or pump
- SMBG 4 or more times per day

RISK REDUCTION WITH INTENSIVE THERAPY

COMBINED COHORTS

OUTCOME
REDUCTION (C.I.)

RISK

AER \geq 40 MG/ 24 H

35% (16 - 49)

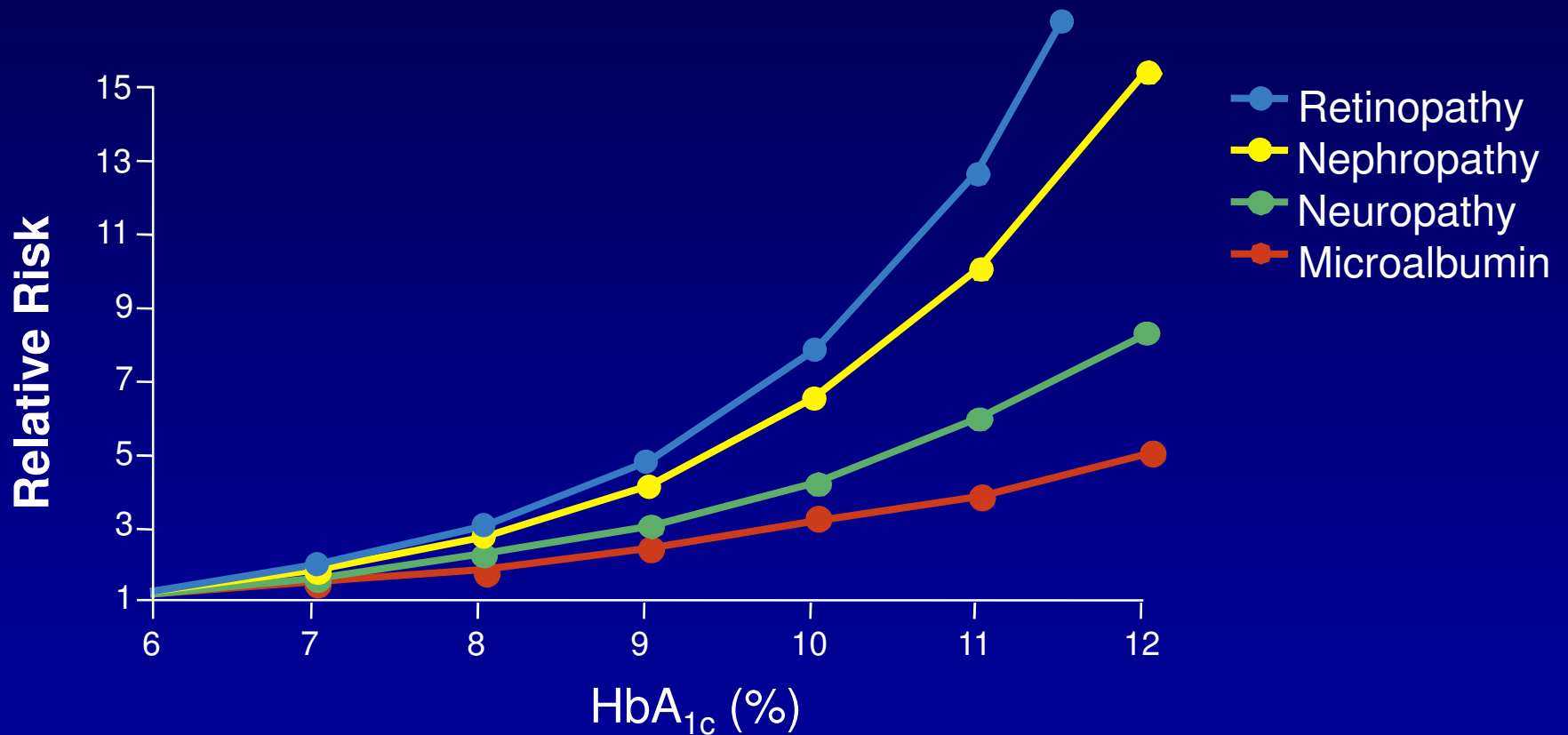
AER \geq 300 MG/ 24 H

56% (21 - 75)

DCCT

DCCT

Relationship of HbA_{1c} to Risk of Microvascular Complications



Skyler. *Endocrinol Metab Clin.* 1996;25:243-254, with permission.

SEVERE HYPOGLYCEMIA

COMBINED COHORT

	EPISODES / 100 PATIENT-YR		RISK
	<u>INTENSIVE</u>	<u>CONVENTIONAL</u>	<u>RATIO</u>
SEVERE	62	19	3.3
COMA / SEIZURE	16	5	3.0
ER / HOSPITAL	9	4	2.3
DEATHS	0	0	----

DCCT

Epidemiology of Diabetes Interventions and Complications

**A Long-term Observational
Study of the Diabetes Control
and Complications Trial Cohort**

DCCT/EDIC

Rationale for EDIC

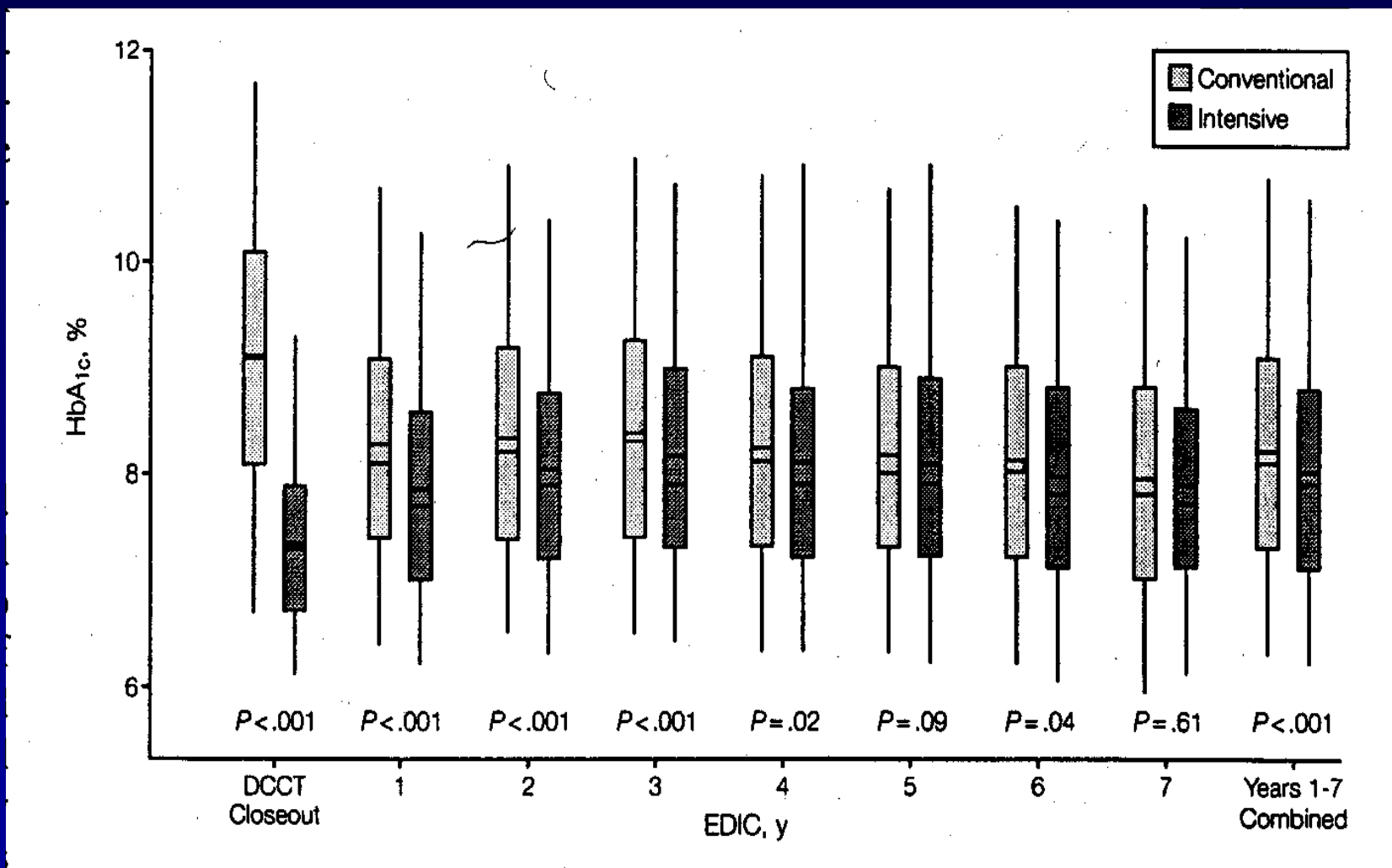
- The DCCT cohort was too young (34 y at study end) and had too brief a duration of diabetes (12 y at end) to be at risk for macrovascular disease or the more severe manifestations of microvascular complications
- During the 10 years of EDIC, the cohort will reach an age and duration of diabetes that will allow the study of macrovascular and more severe microvascular complications

Epidemiology of Diabetes and Its Complications (EDIC)

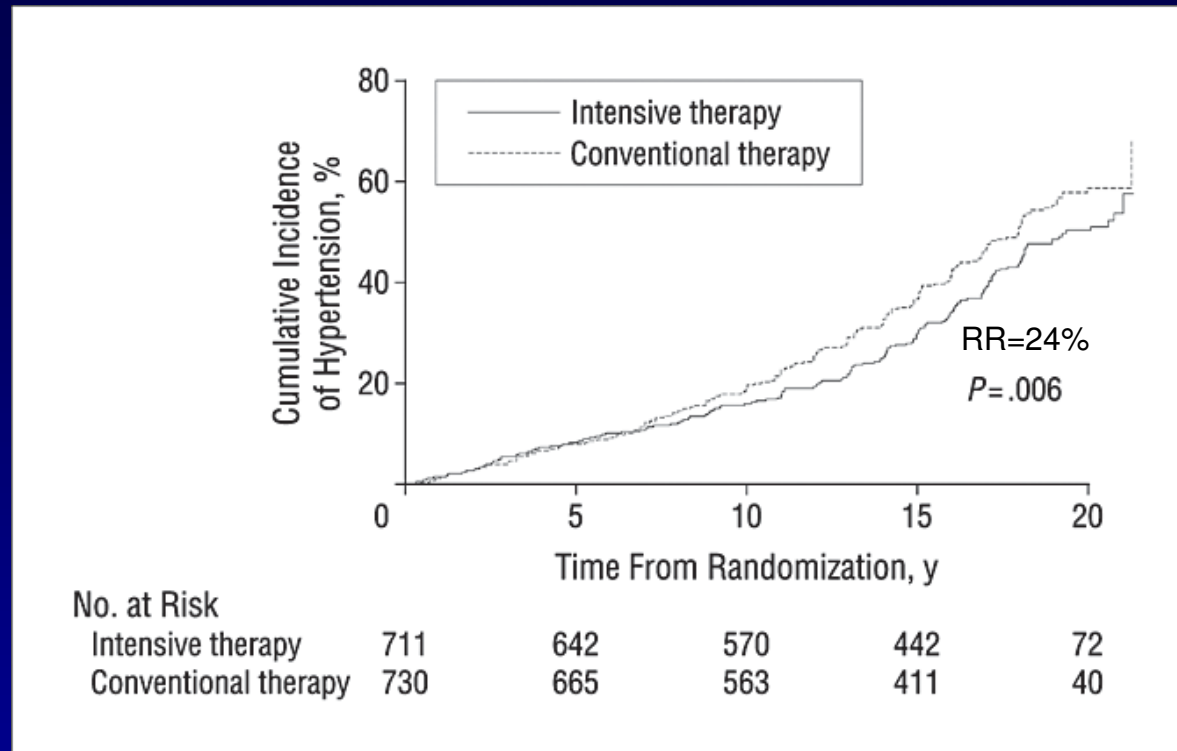
- At the conclusion of the DCCT, all subjects in the conventional treatment group were instructed in intensive diabetes management
- All routine diabetes and other medical care were subsequently carried out by primary care providers, only some of whom were DCCT physicians/nurses. All subjects were encouraged to continue intensive diabetes management and to maintain HbA1c levels as close to normal as possible
- 1394 of 1430 surviving subjects (97%) agreed to participate in EDIC and were asked to have annual assessments of retinopathy, nephropathy, neuropathy, and macrovascular disease

Seven Year EDIC Followup Results

HbA1c



Cumulative Incidence of Hypertension by DCCT Treatment Assignment

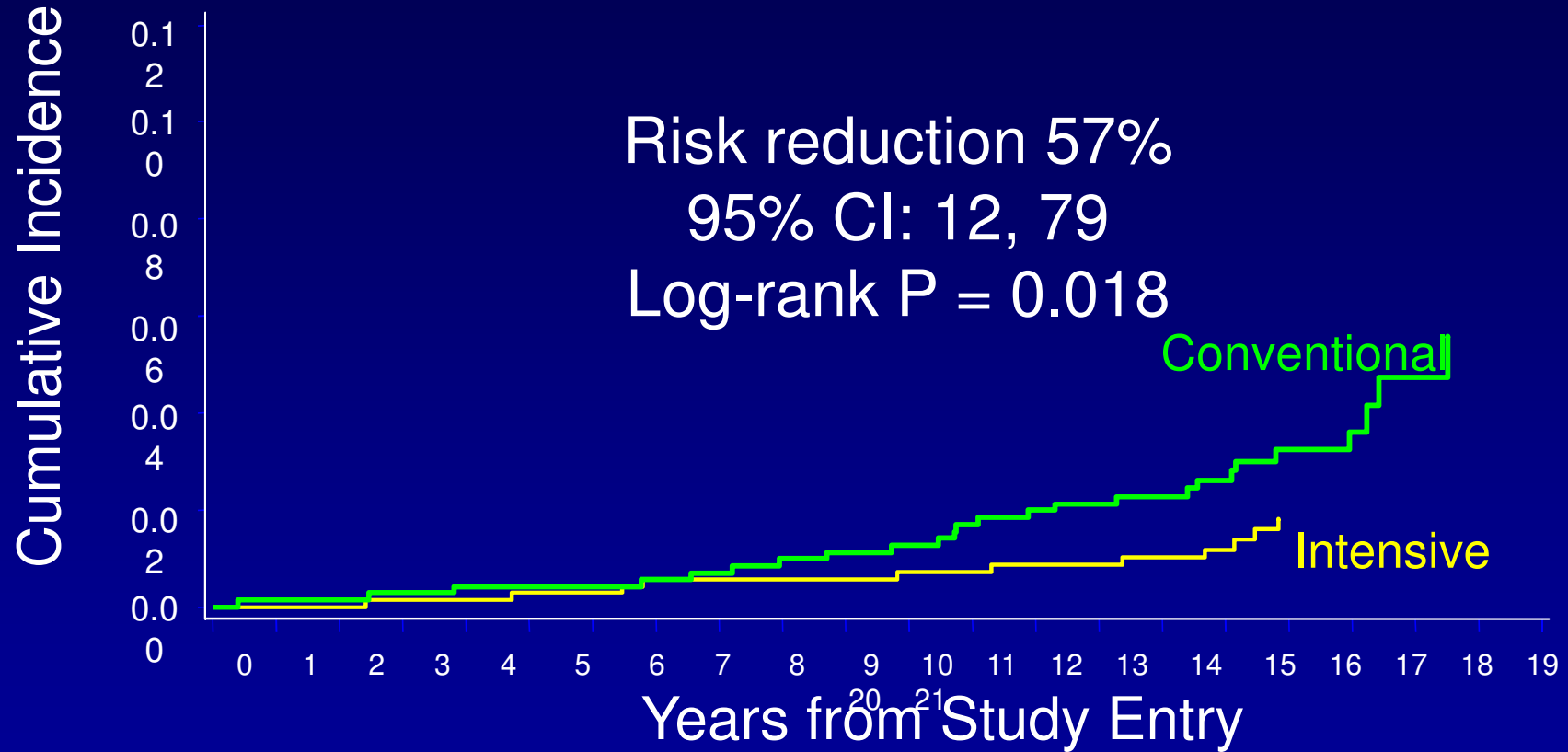


- In multivariate model, increased risks of hypertension:
 - HbA1c – for each 1% increase 1.25 (1.14-1.37)
 - Change in BMI – for each 1 kg/m² 1.11 (1.08 – 1.13)
 - Albumin excretion rate – for each doubling 1.40 (1.31-1.49)*
- AER <30 mg/24 h before development of hypertension in > 2/3

of incident hypertension cases. *Diabetes Care* 2008;31:1872-1873. *JAMA* 2008;300:1867-1873.

Cardiovascular Events

Non-Fatal MI, Stroke or CVD Death



	0	20	21	
Intensive:	705	686	640	118
Conventional:	721	694	637	96

METABOLIC MEMORY: *The Imprinting Hypothesis*

Hyperglycemia leads to physiologic changes that ultimately determine risk of complications

Evidence:

- 3 - 4 y lag in emergence of DCCT treatment effect
- Greater benefit of Intensive Rx when implemented early after onset of diabetes
- Persistence of DCCT treatment group effects on microvascular complications during EDIC
- Emergence of DCCT group effect on atherosclerosis

Characteristics of DCCT/EDIC Participants According to GFR and AER Status

	GFR \geq 60			GFR < 60		
	AER <30	AER 30-299	AER \geq 300	AER < 30	AER 30-299	AER \geq 300
Number	629	517	92	79	55	69
Intensive Rx (%)	54	50	29*	53	40	26*
DCCT Baseline						
Age (yrs)	28	25	25*	31	29	26*
Duration (mos)	63	77	69*	55	77	85*
BP > 130/80 (%)	22	19	24	16	24	32*
AER (mg/24h)	10	21	26*	9	19	23*
DCCT Mean HbA1c	7.8	8.2	9.3*	8.0	9.0	9.9*
EDIC Mean HbA1c	7.8	8.1	8.8*	7.9	8.6	9.1*

GFR Course of Subjects Following the Development of a Sustained eGFR < 60 ml/min/1.73m²

- eGFRs calculated for each year following the observation of a sustained eGFR < 60 ml/min/1.73m² during DCCT/EDIC
- Subjects analyzed by whether or not they had elevated AER levels prior to initial sustained eGFR < 60 ml/min/1.73m²
- The intercept and rate of change of GFR values following the initial sustained eGFR < 60 ml/min/1.73m² were estimated from the General Linear Mixed Model after adjustment for ACE inhibitor use and mean blood pressure as time-dependent covariates, with a random intercept and slope among subjects
- Later years with < 4 observations/year were dropped due to less reliability
- eGFR values in patients with Renal Replacement Therapy imputed to be 15 ml/min/173m²

Stage 5 Chronic Kidney Disease in DCCT/EDIC

- **22 Patients developed Stage 5 Chronic Kidney Disease**
 - **20 Patients had albuminuria prior to the development of Stage 5 CKD**
 - **2 patients without prior albuminuria had been lost to follow-up and presented 5-10 years later in Stage 5 CKD**

Summary

- Of the original 1441 Subjects in the DCCT, 203 (14%) developed a single eGFR < 60 ml/min/1.73m²
 - 89 (50%) of those with a subsequent visit had a sustained eGFR < 60 on 2 more visits
- Of 89 with sustained eGFR < 60 ml/min/1.73m²:
 - 54 (61%) had prior albuminuria
 - 14 (16%) had prior microalbuminuria
 - 21 (23%) never had had an elevated AER
- Longitudinal analysis of those with sustained eGFR < 60 ml/min/1.73m² shows a much greater risk of continued progressive fall in eGFR if albuminuria (but not microalbuminuria) had been present prior to the initial low level of eGFR
- Because glycemic control reduced the development of albuminuria, it may ultimately also have affected the decline in GFR, but this evidence is indirect

Metabolic Imprinting

**Do DCCT/EDIC
measurements provide any clues
regarding the mechanisms of
tissue damage from
hyperglycemia and that might
explain metabolic imprinting?**

DCCT/EDIC

PATHOGENESIS OF DIABETIC COMPLICATIONS

Hyperglycemia

Susceptibility gene(s)

Protective gene(s)



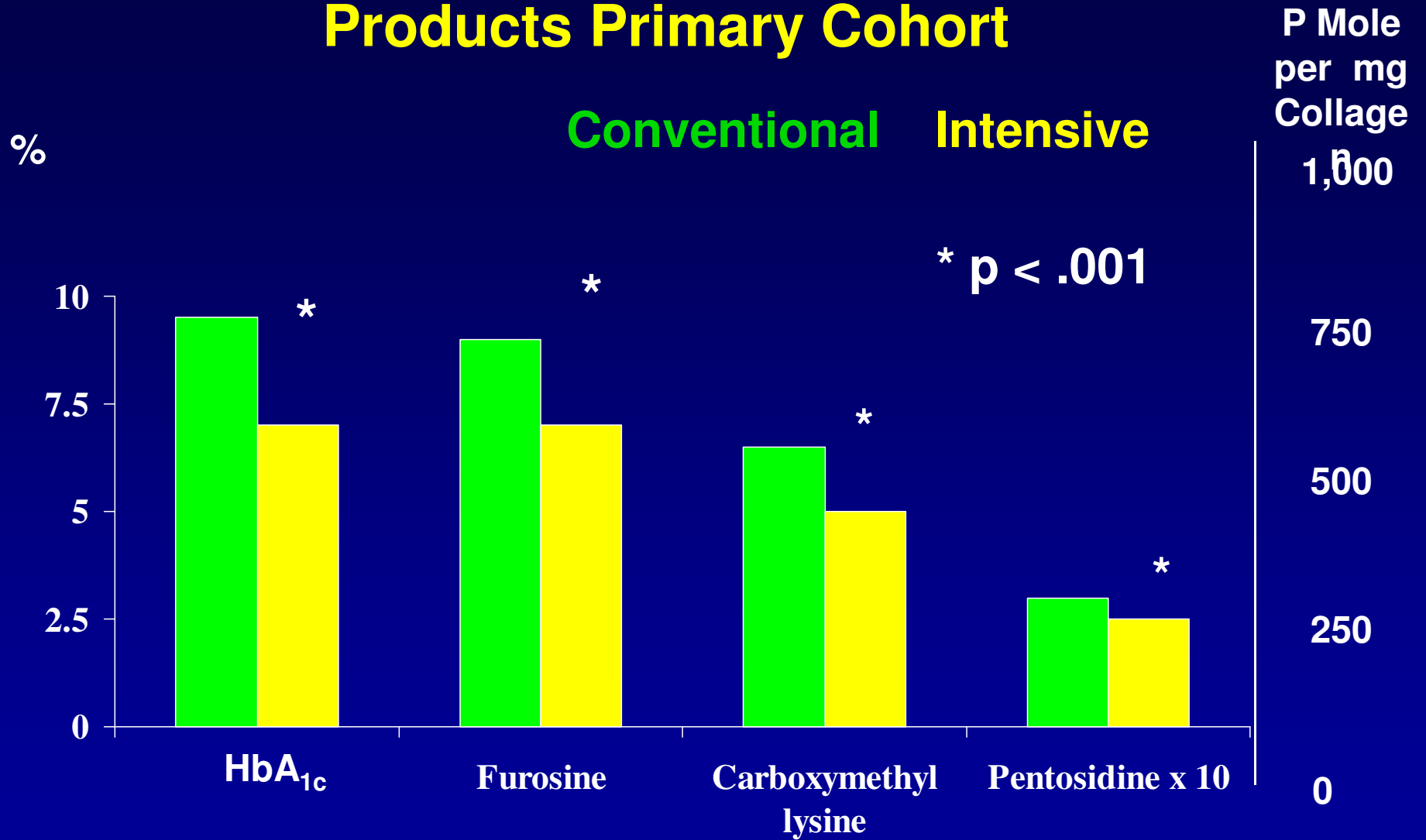
Advanced Glycation End products

Retinopathy, Nephropathy, Neuropathy Cardiovascular Disease

Methods

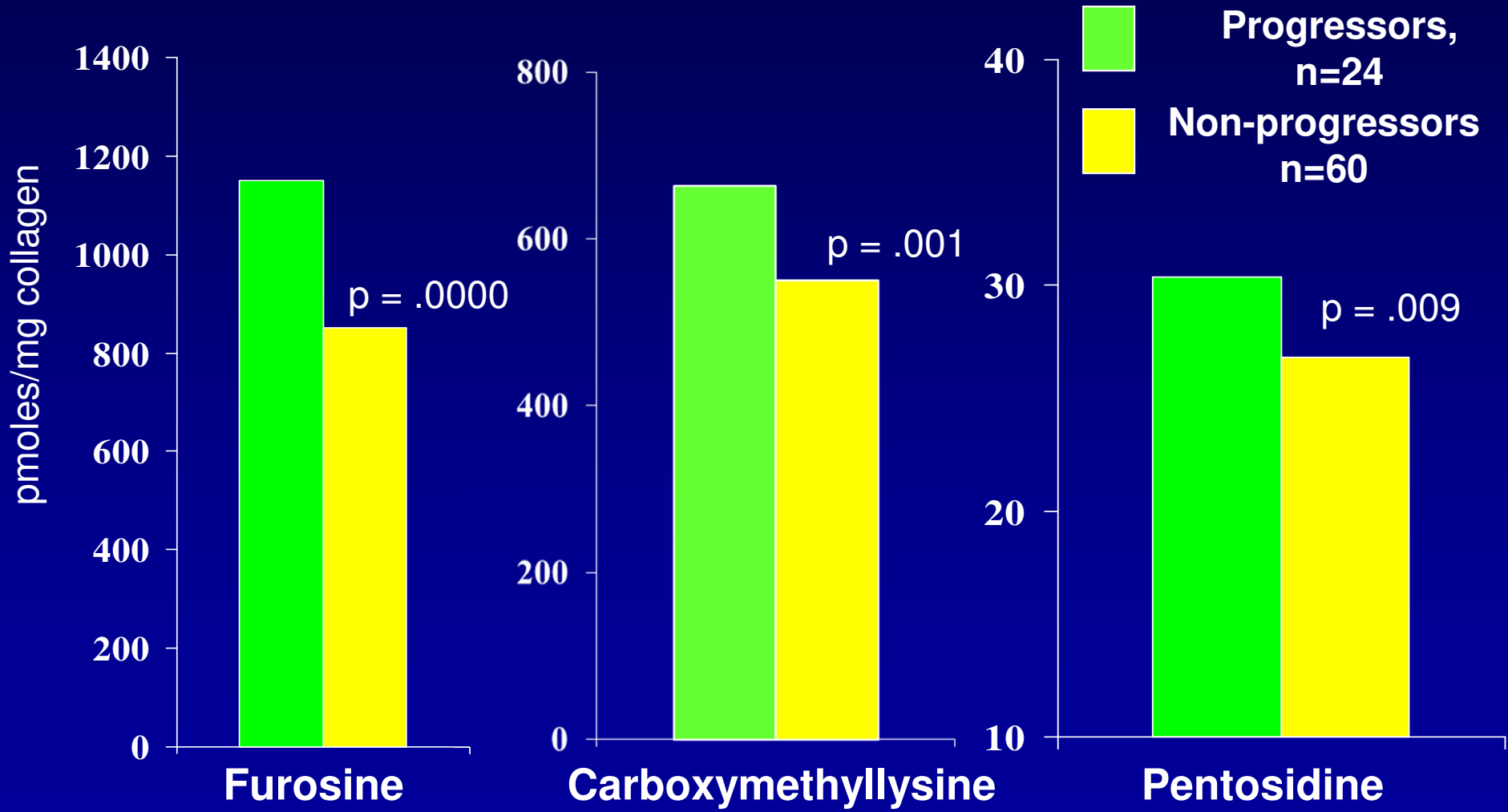
- A skin biopsy sample was obtained before the DCCT closeout in 215 participants.
- Glycated collagen (furosine), the advanced glycation endproducts (AGE's) pentosidine and carboxymethyllysine were measured
- Physicochemical changes in collagen (reduced solubility after pepsin or acid treatment) were measured

Effect of Intensive Rx on Collagen Glycation Products Primary Cohort



DCCT/EDIC

Preceding Skin Collagen AGE Levels in 4 Year EDIC Retinopathy Progressors Versus 4 Year EDIC Retinopathy Non-Progressors in Former DCCT Conventional Group Participants



EDIC Retinopathy & Nephropathy Progression at 4 years

- Skin Collagens (Furosine and CML) have a strong association with risk of further retinopathy and nephropathy progression in EDIC independently of the DCCT or EDIC HbA_{1c}
- Collagens explain 94.5% of the association of DCCT HbA1c with EDIC retinopathy risk
- Collagens explain 97.7% of the reduction in risk with DCCT intensive therapy

DCCT/EDIC

Metabolic Imprinting

Glycation and/or glycooxidation may be a mechanism by which hyperglycemia leads to long-term cellular injury and may explain the metabolic memory phenomenon.

**Frequency of Albuminuria and Retinopathy in
Subjects with GFR above and below
60 ml/min/m² in Subjects with Type 2 Diabetes
≥ 40 Years of Age (NHANES III)**

	GFR ≥ 60	GFR < 60
Microalbuminuria	32%	45%
Macroalbuminuria	5%	19%
Retinopathy	15%	28%
No retinopathy or albuminuria		30%

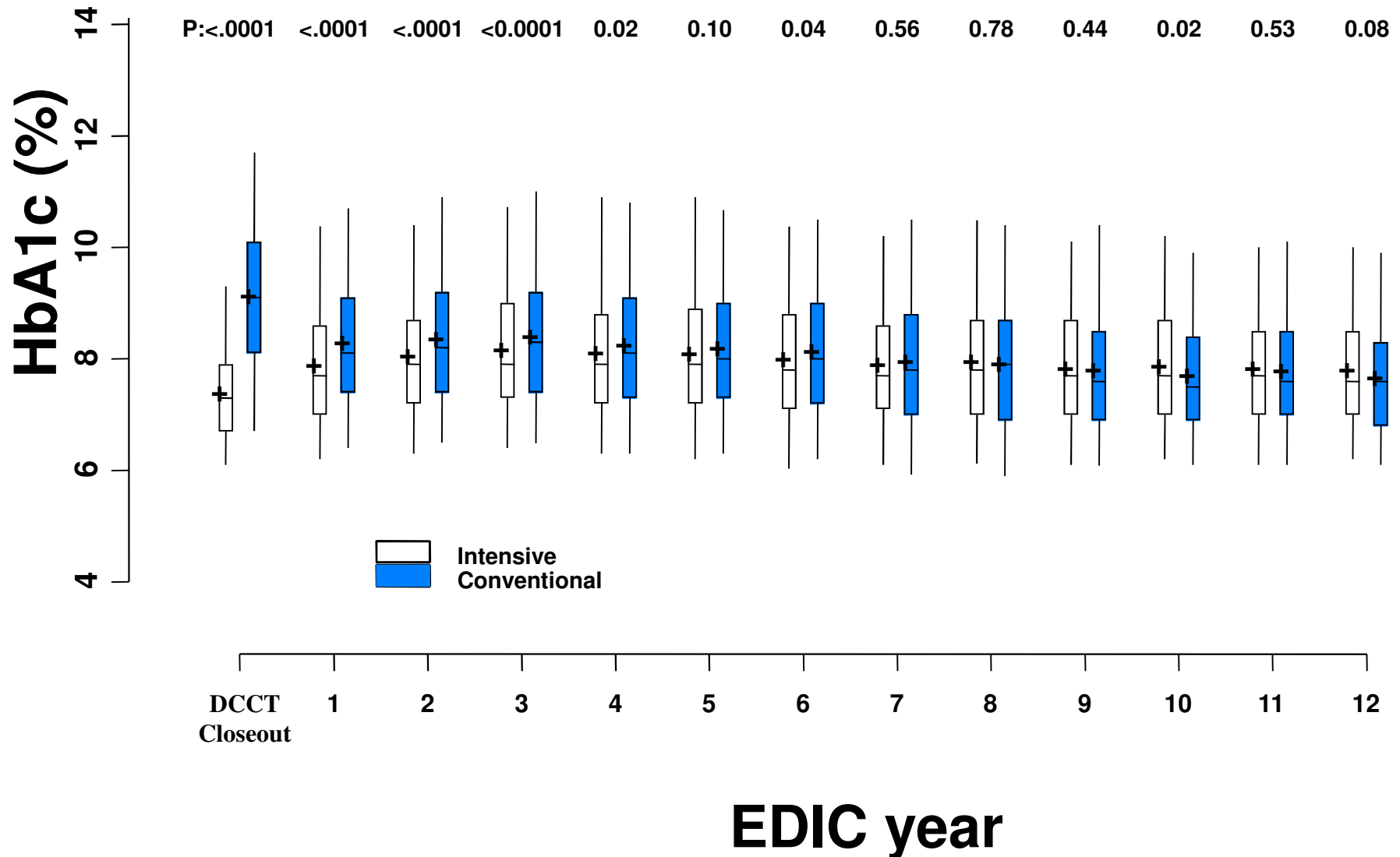
Participant Characteristics at EDIC Year 11/12

	Conventional (n=667)	Intensive (n=668)	P value
Age (yrs)	45.5	46.2	0.08
Duration Diabetes (yrs)	24.2	24.6	0.09
AER > 40 mg/24h, N (%) [*]	67 (12.7%)	47 (8.4%)	0.02
AER > 300 mg/24h, N (%) [*]	44 (7.3%)	17 (2.8%)	0.0002
BP > 130/80 mmHg, confirmed, N (%)	261 (39.5%)	251 (37.6%)	0.49
MAP (mmHg), mean (SD)	89.6 (9.8)	89.9 (.5)	0.56
eGFR [†] (mL/min/1.73m ²), mean (SD)	81.8 (19.6)	83.7 (17.6)	0.32

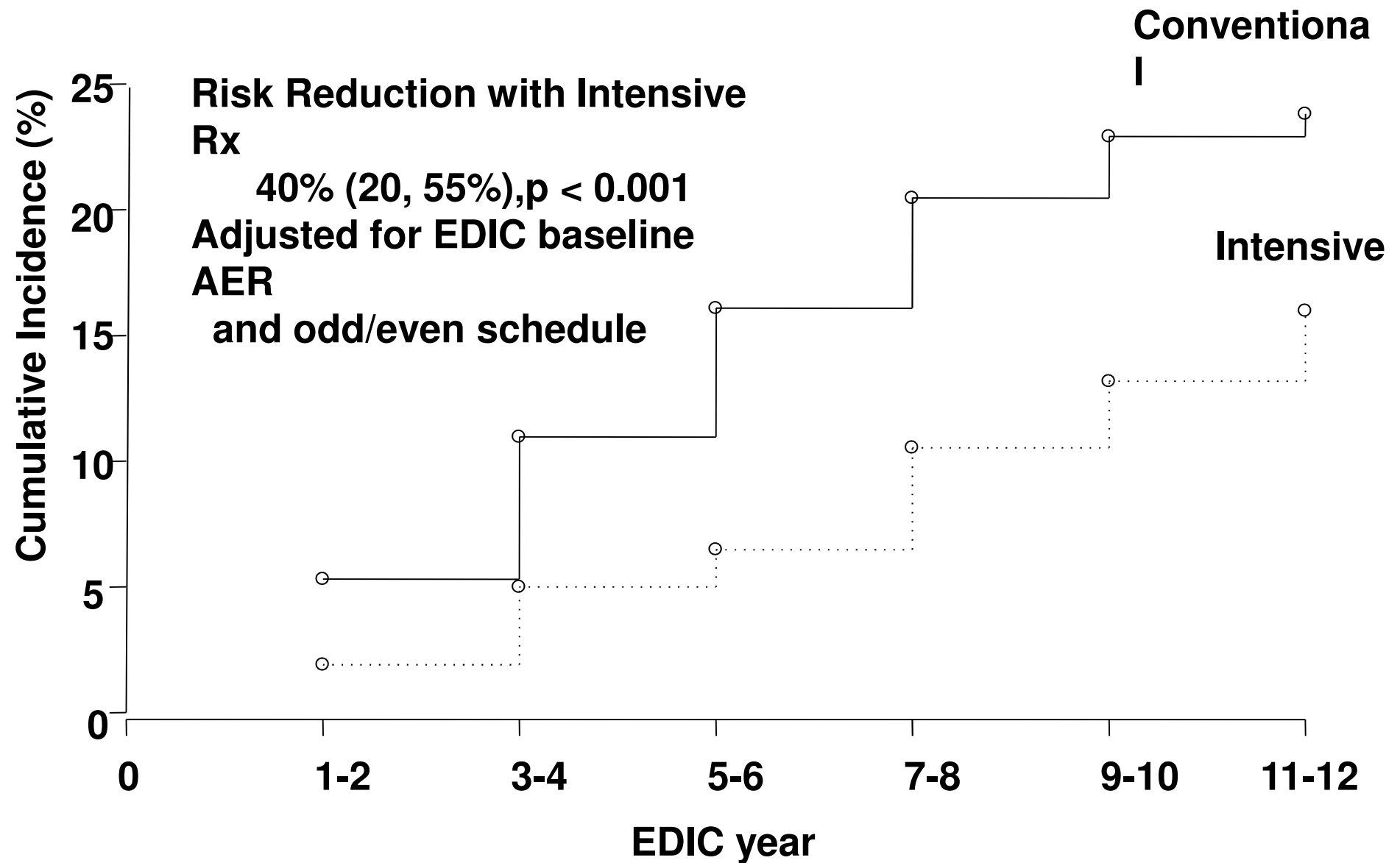
^{*} subjects with AER < 40 mg/24h at DCCT baseline and DCCT close-out

[†]modified MDRD equation

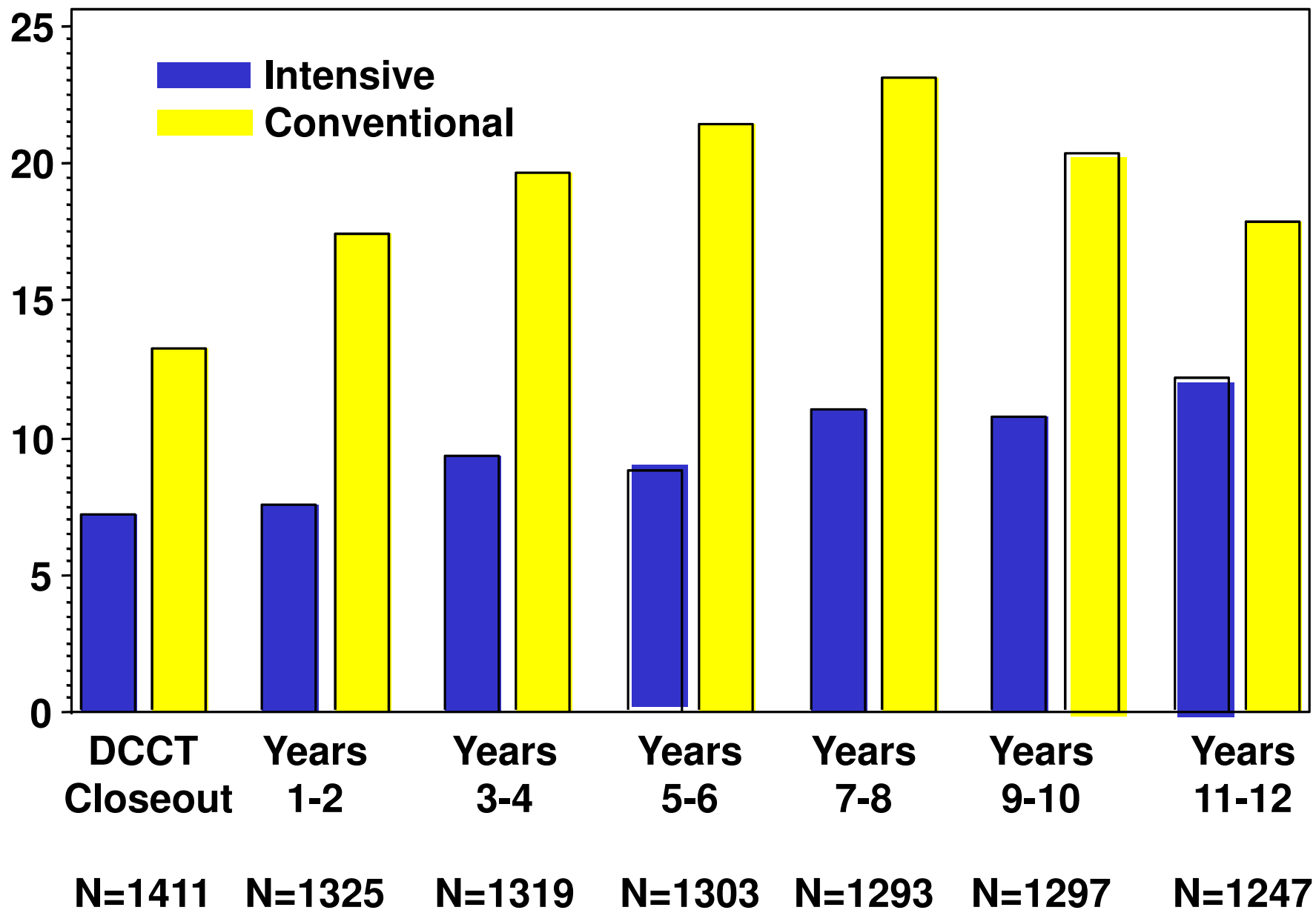
Distribution of HbA1c Concentrations by Randomized Treatment Group at the End of the DCCT and in Each Year of the EDIC Study



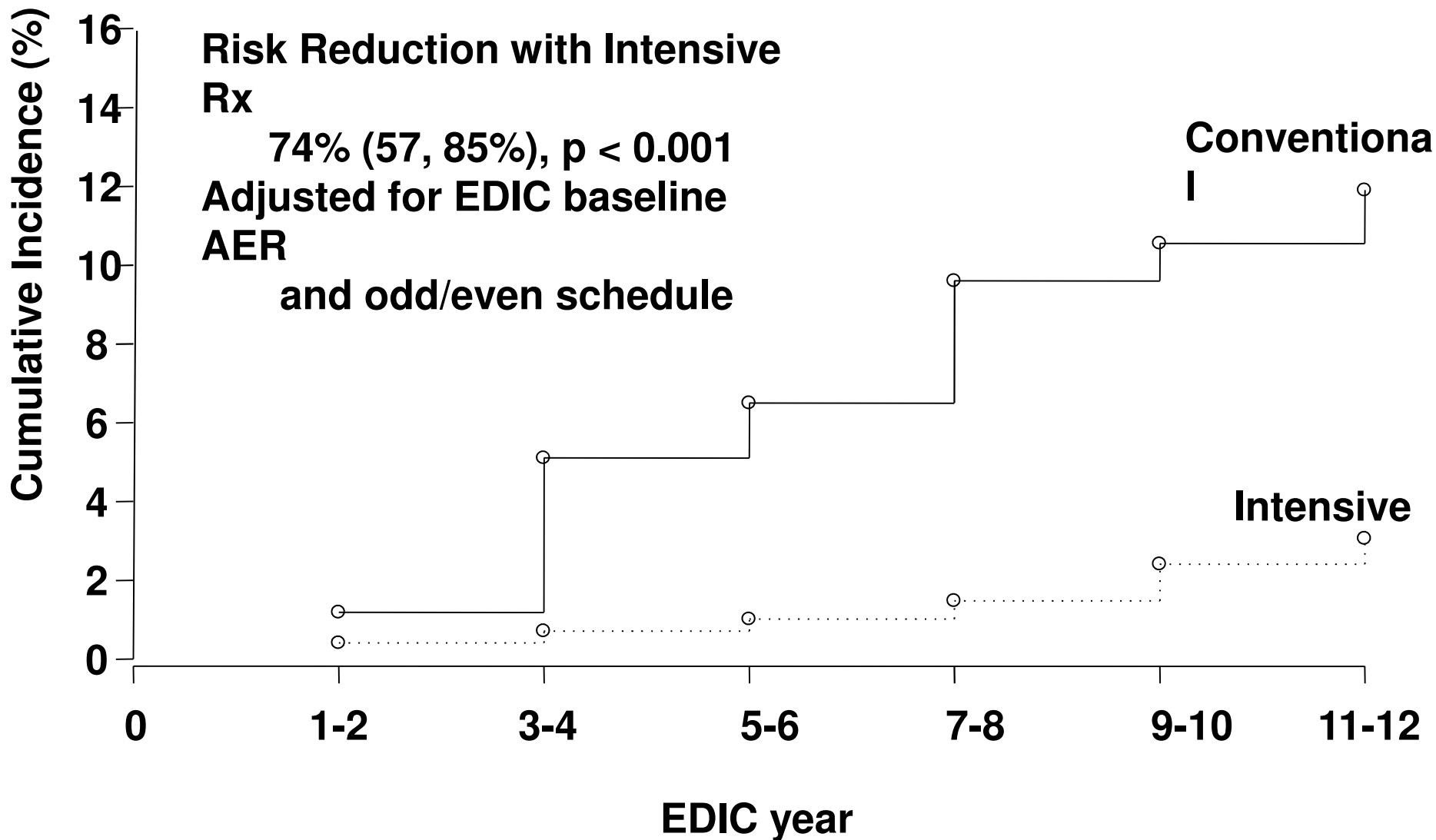
Cumulative Incidence of New Microalbuminuria During EDIC (AER > 40 mg/24h)



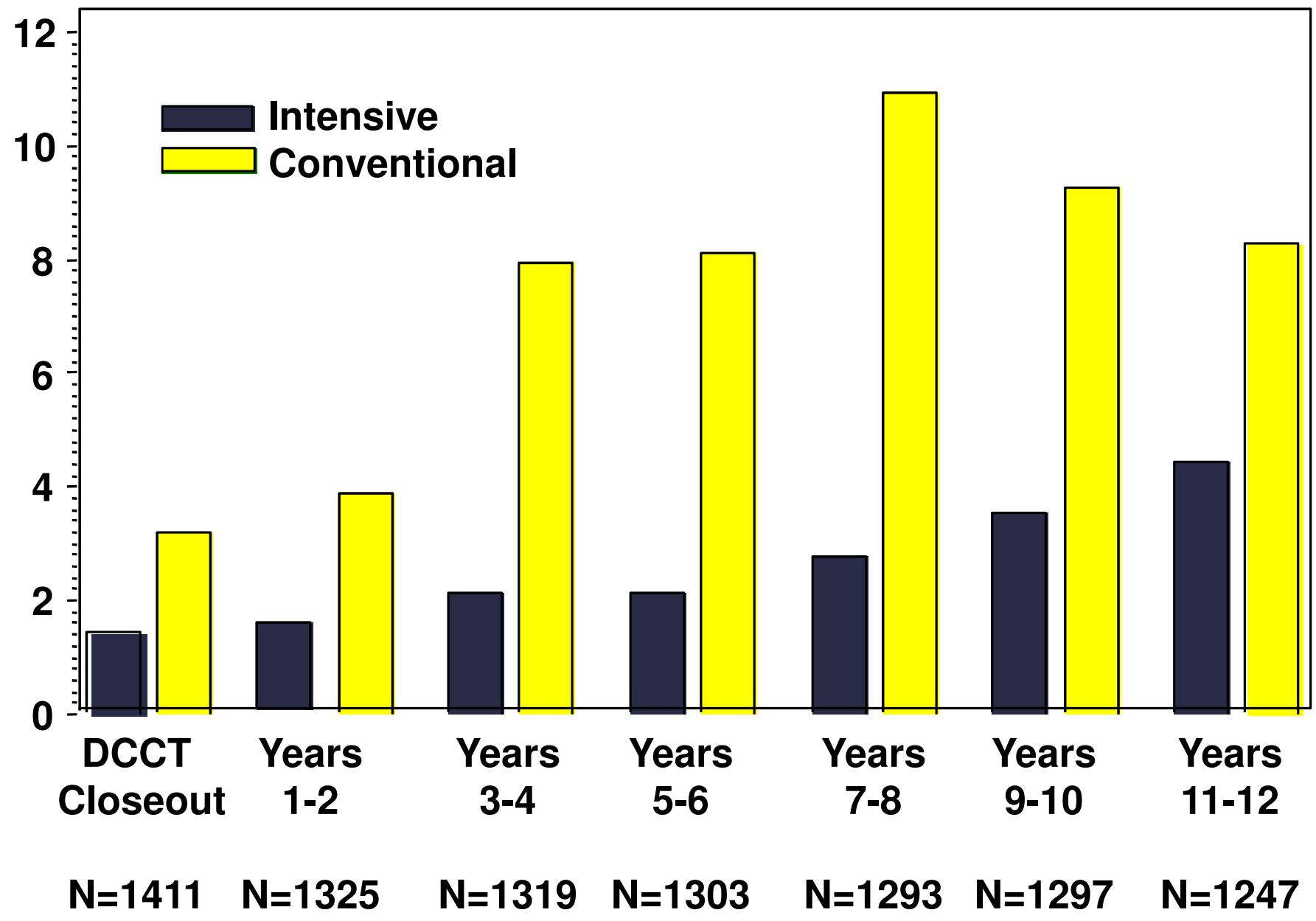
Prevalence of Microalbuminuria (AER=>40)



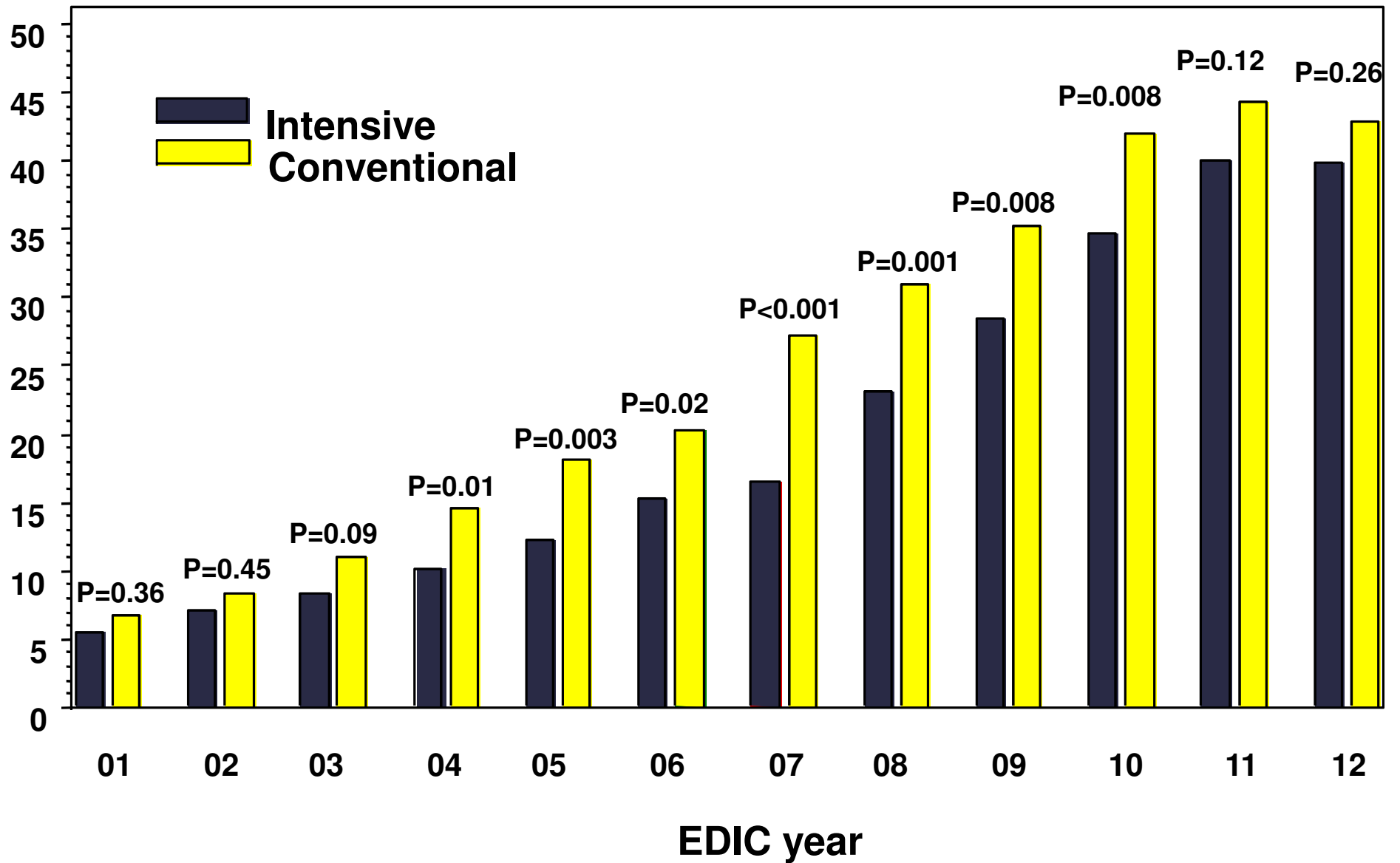
Cumulative Incidence of New Albuminuria During EDIC (AER > 300 mg/24h)



Prevalence of Albuminuria ($AER_{\geq 300}$)



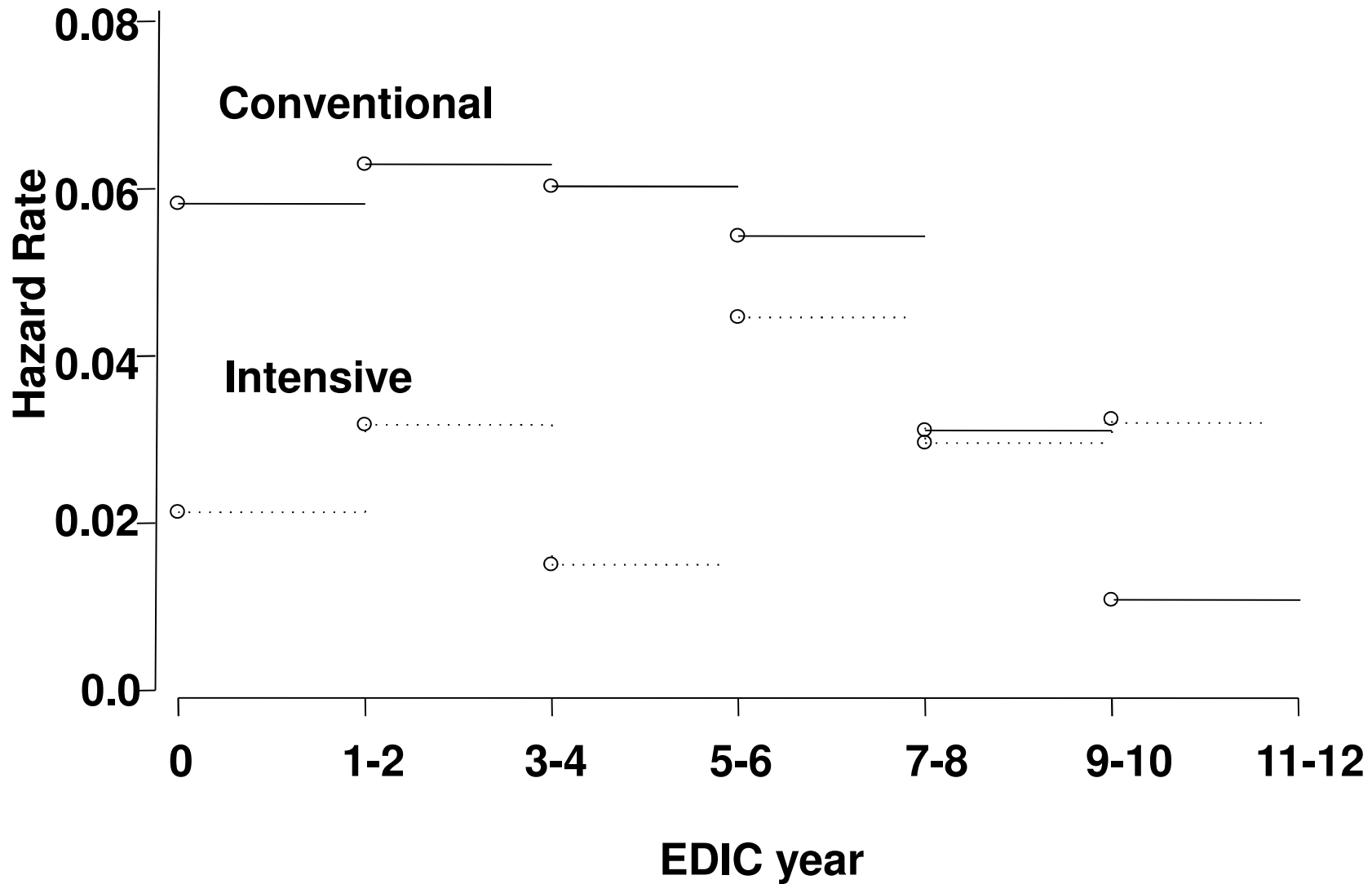
Prevalence of ACEI/ARB Use Over Time



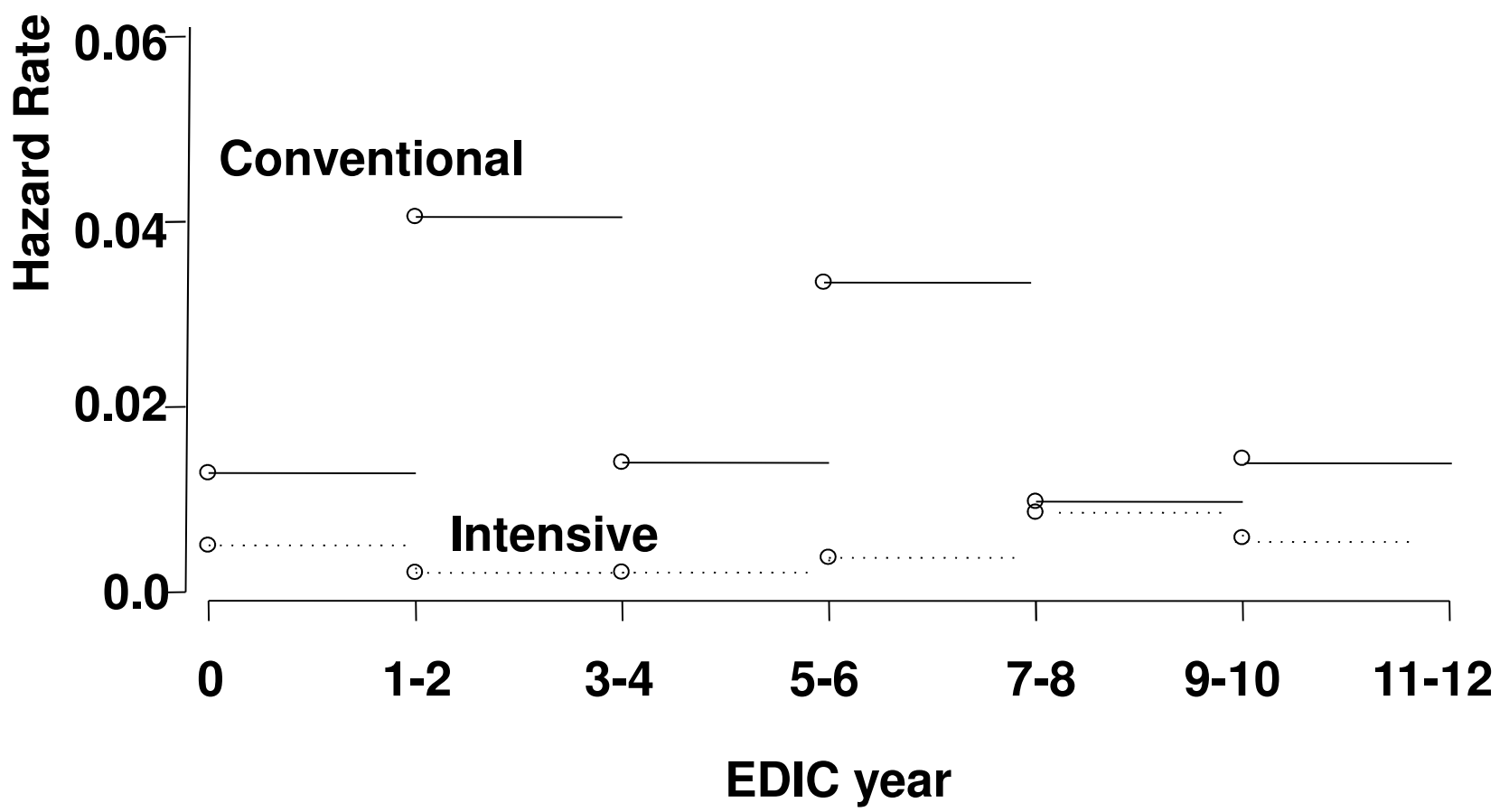
Hazard Rate Analysis

- **Hazard Rates were analyzed over time by prior treatment group for the new development of microalbuminuria and albuminuria for only those individuals in EDIC who had normal urine albumin excretion at the beginning of EDIC**

Microalbuminuria (AER ≥ 40 mg/24h) Hazard Rate Over Time



Albuminuria (AER \geq 300 mg/24h) Hazard Rate Over Time



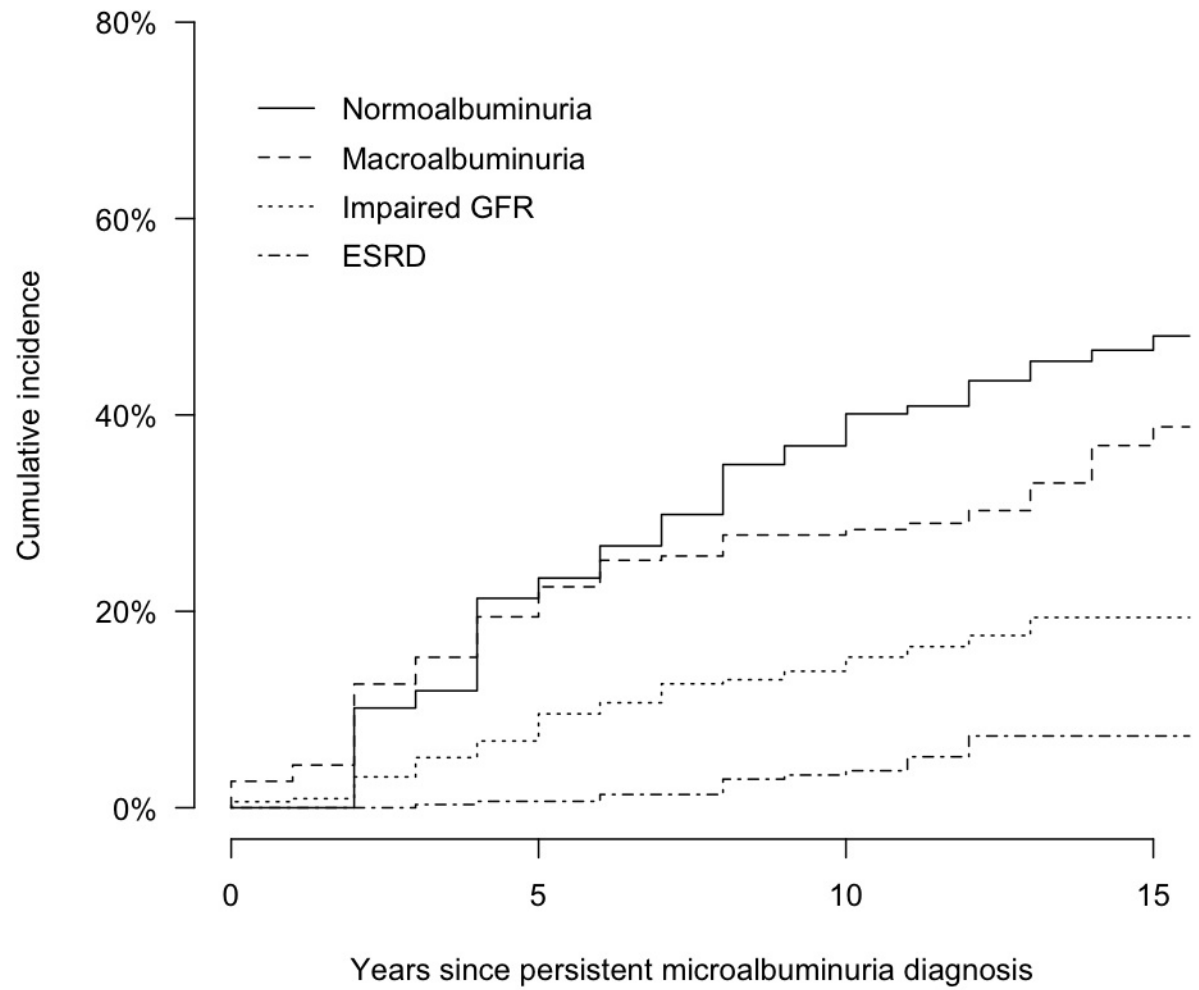
Kidney Function Outcomes through Year 12 of EDIC

Outcome	Total (n=1335)	Intensive (n=668)	Conventional (n=667)	P-Value
Doubling of Serum Creatinine	52 (3.9%)	19 (2.8%)	33 (5.0%)	0.05
Serum Creatinine > 2 mg/dL	25 (1.9%)	8 (1.2%)	17 (2.6%)	0.51
Dialysis or Transplantation	18 (1.4%)	4 (0.6%)	14 (2.1%)	0.02
eGFR* < 60 ml/min/1.73m²	164 (12.3%)	59 (8.8%)	105 (15.7%)	<0.001

*modified MDRD equation

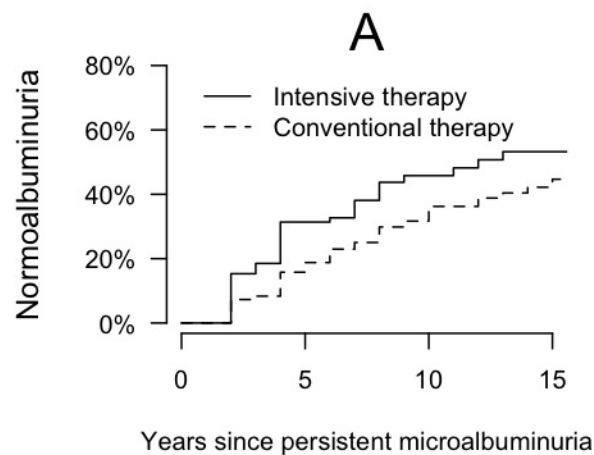
Diabetic Nephropathy

- **DCCT participants previously assigned to intensive therapy continue to enjoy a reduced overall incidence of diabetic kidney disease 11-12 years after the DCCT. Benefits are also seen in measures of GFR.**
- **Regression of diabetic kidney disease as well as a decrease in the hazard rate appears to be occurring 9 – 12 years after the DCCT among participants previously assigned to conventional therapy, possibly due to improved glycemic control over time within this group.**
- **Further follow-up of these participants will allow confirmation of these preliminary findings.**



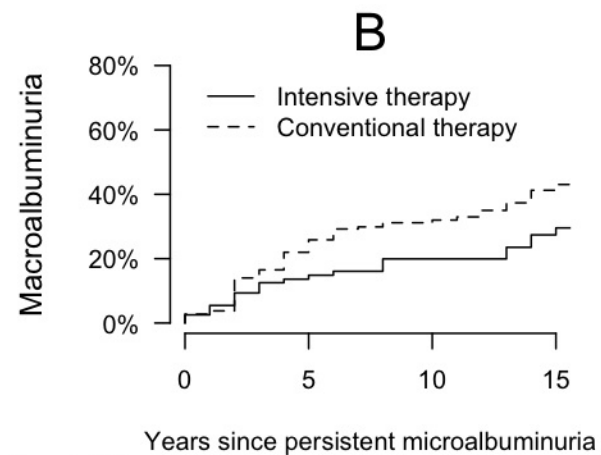
No. at risk

Normoalbuminuria	279	179	86	33
Macroalbuminuria	325	199	126	62
Impaired GFR	325	261	176	107
ESRD	325	292	219	131



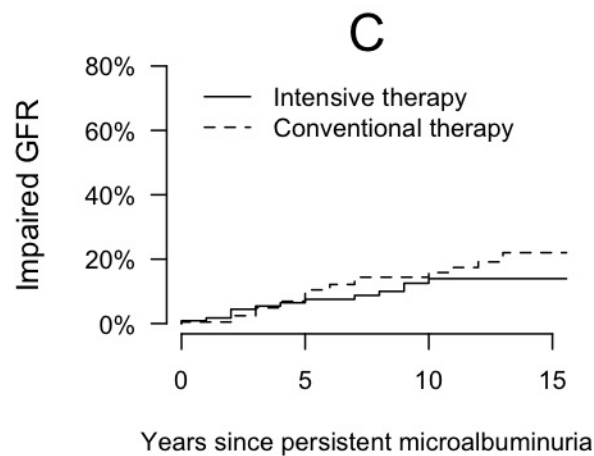
No. at risk

Intensive	90	46	19	12
Conventional	189	133	67	21



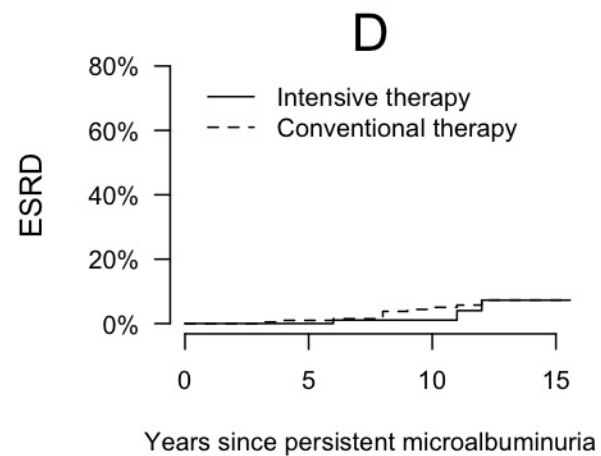
No. at risk

Intensive	115	69	47	32
Conventional	210	130	79	30



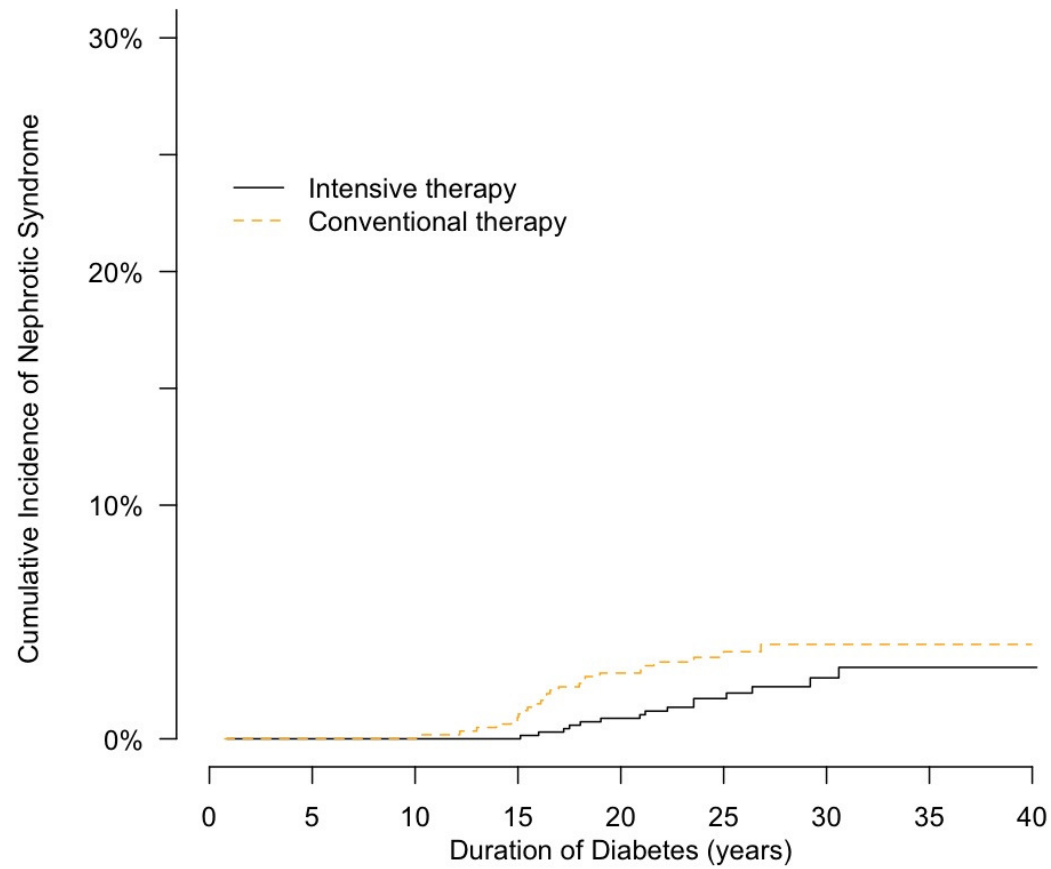
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Intensive	115	86	60	45
Conventional	210	175	116	62



No. at risk

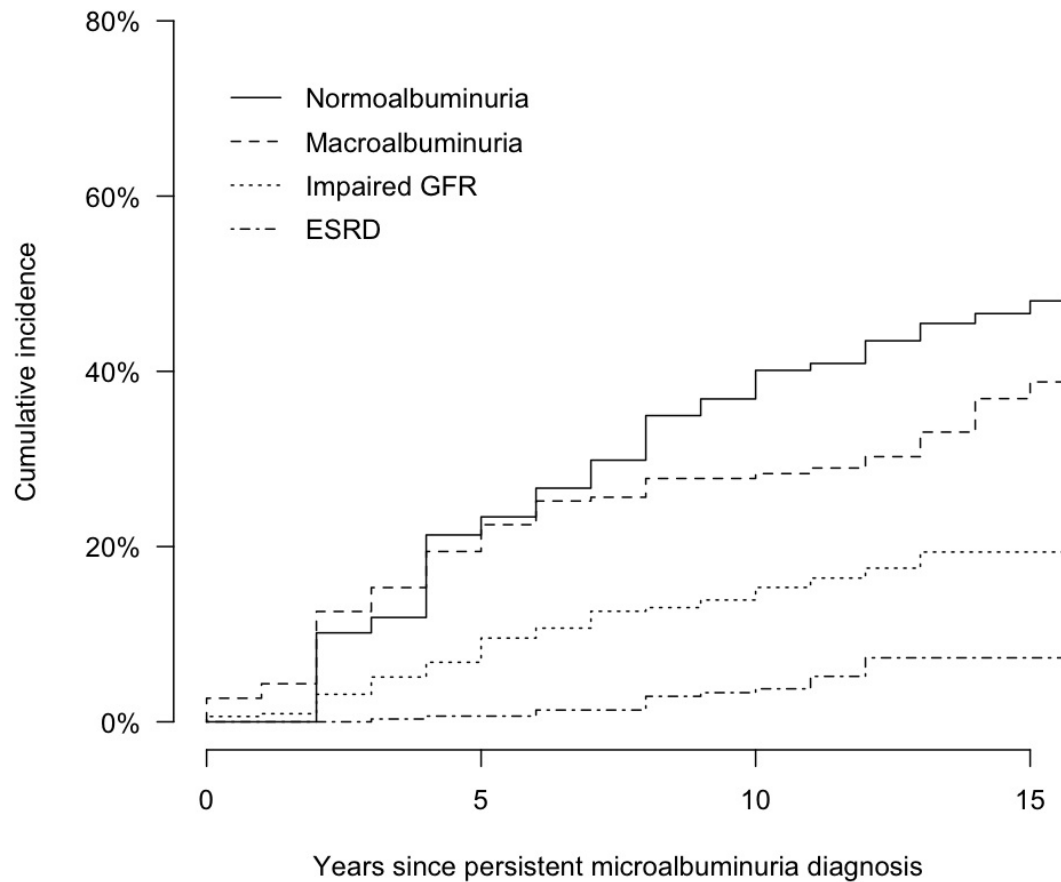
Intensive	115	96	72	49
Conventional	210	196	147	82



No. at risk

Intensive	0	409	538	691	664	425	228	76	3
Conventional	0	439	578	688	643	402	195	63	0

Microalbuminuria can regress



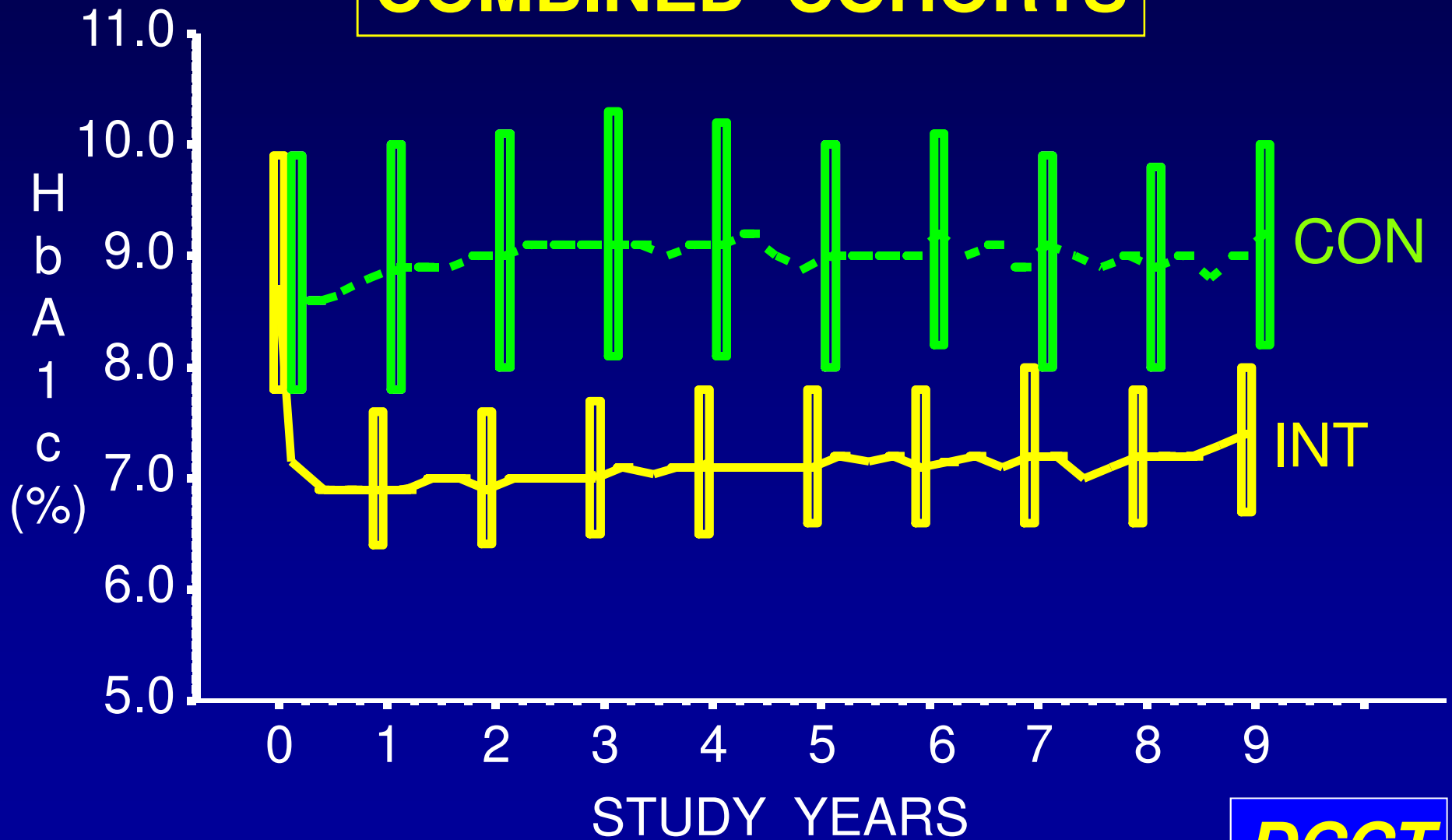
- 325 participants with incident persistent AER \geq 30 mg/24hr
- Four subsequent renal outcomes evaluated in parallel

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de Boer IH *et al*, *Arch Int Med* 2011

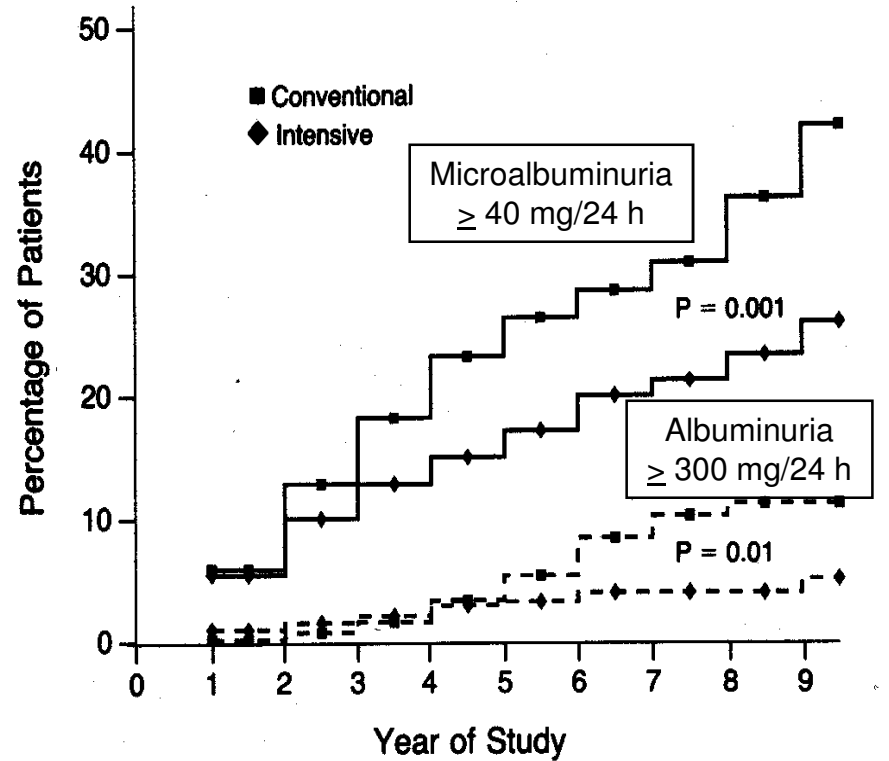
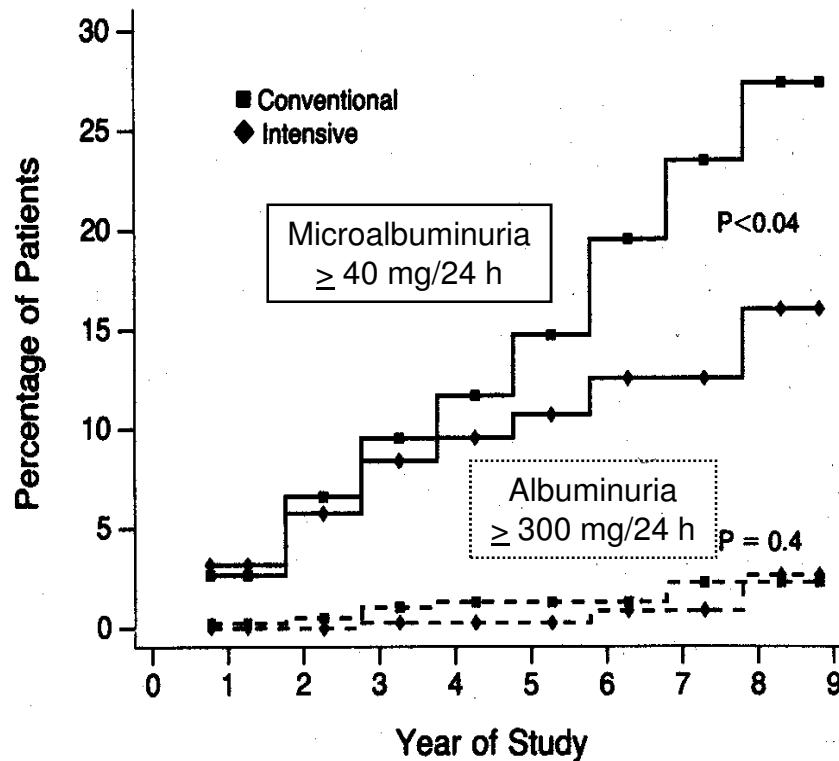
SEPARATION OF HbA1c

COMBINED COHORTS



DCCT

Nephropathy



Primary Prevention

Secondary Intervention

DCCT

Good Glycemic Control (Lower HbA_{1c}) Reduces Complications

HbA _{1c}	<u>DCCT</u>	<u>Kumamoto</u>	<u>UKPDS</u>
	9 → 7%	9 → 7%	8 → 7%
Retinopathy	76%	69%	17-21%
Nephropathy	54%	70%	24-33%
Neuropathy	60%	-	-
Macrovascular disease	41%*	-	16%*

* not statistically significant

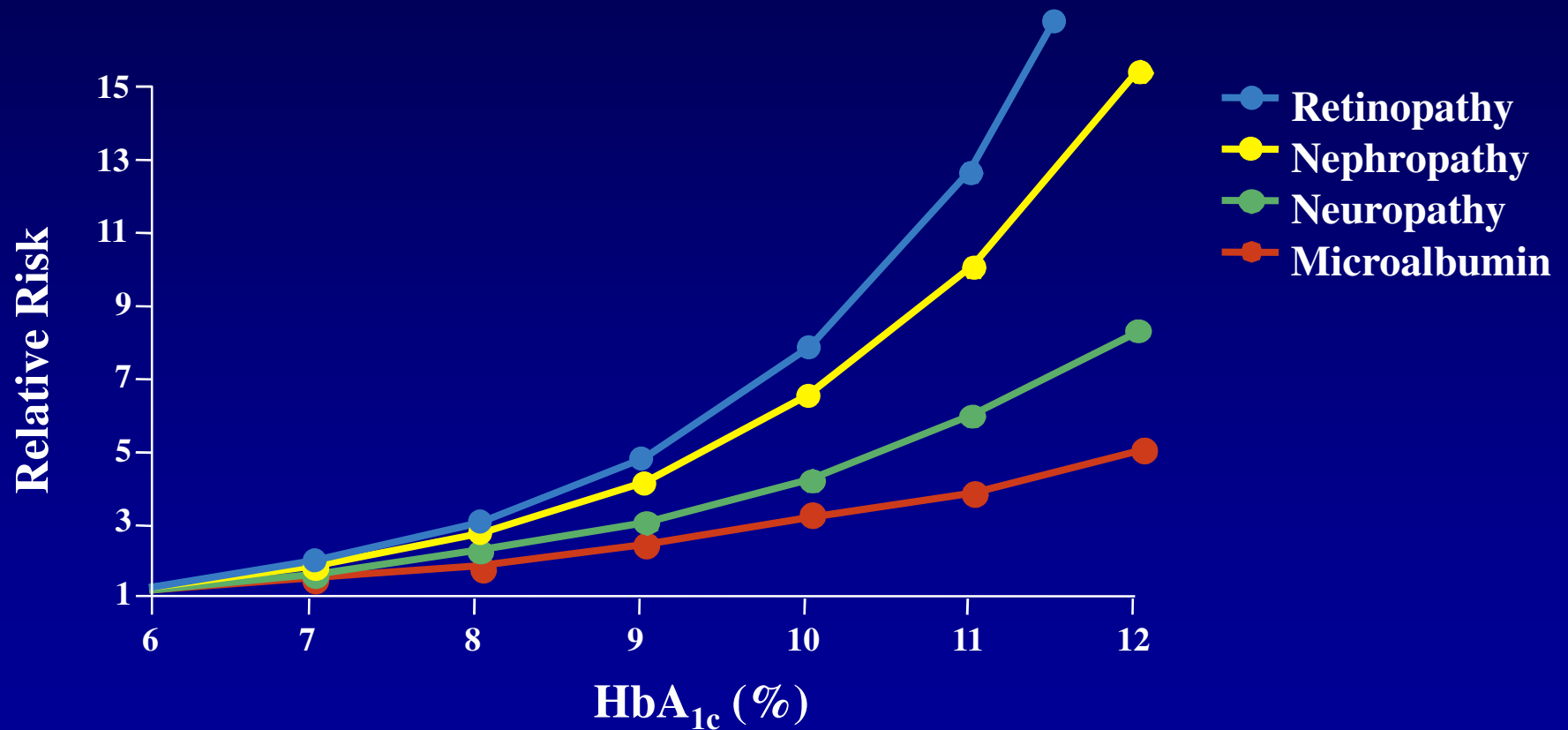
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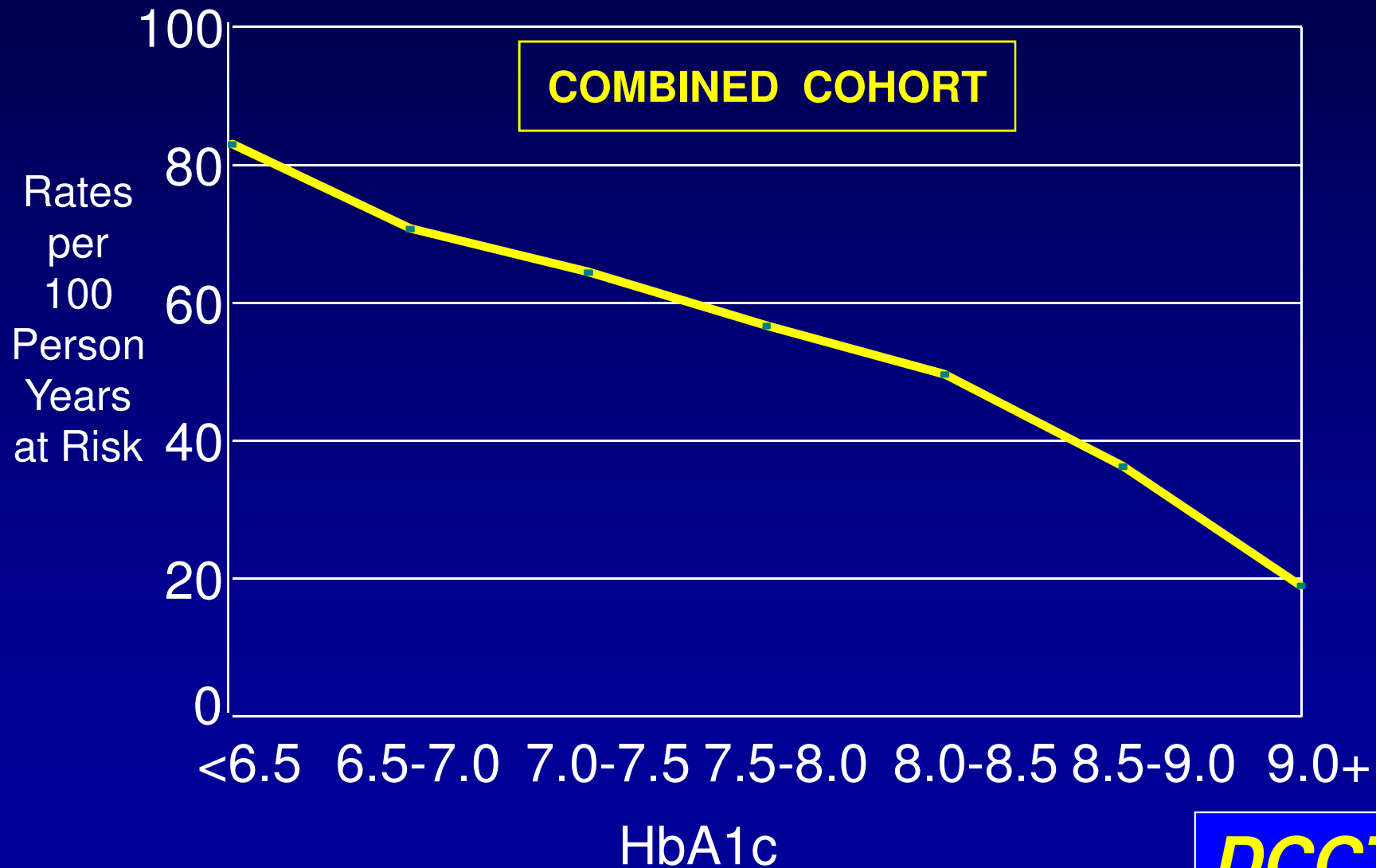
DCCT

Relationship of HbA_{1c} to Risk of Microvascular Complications

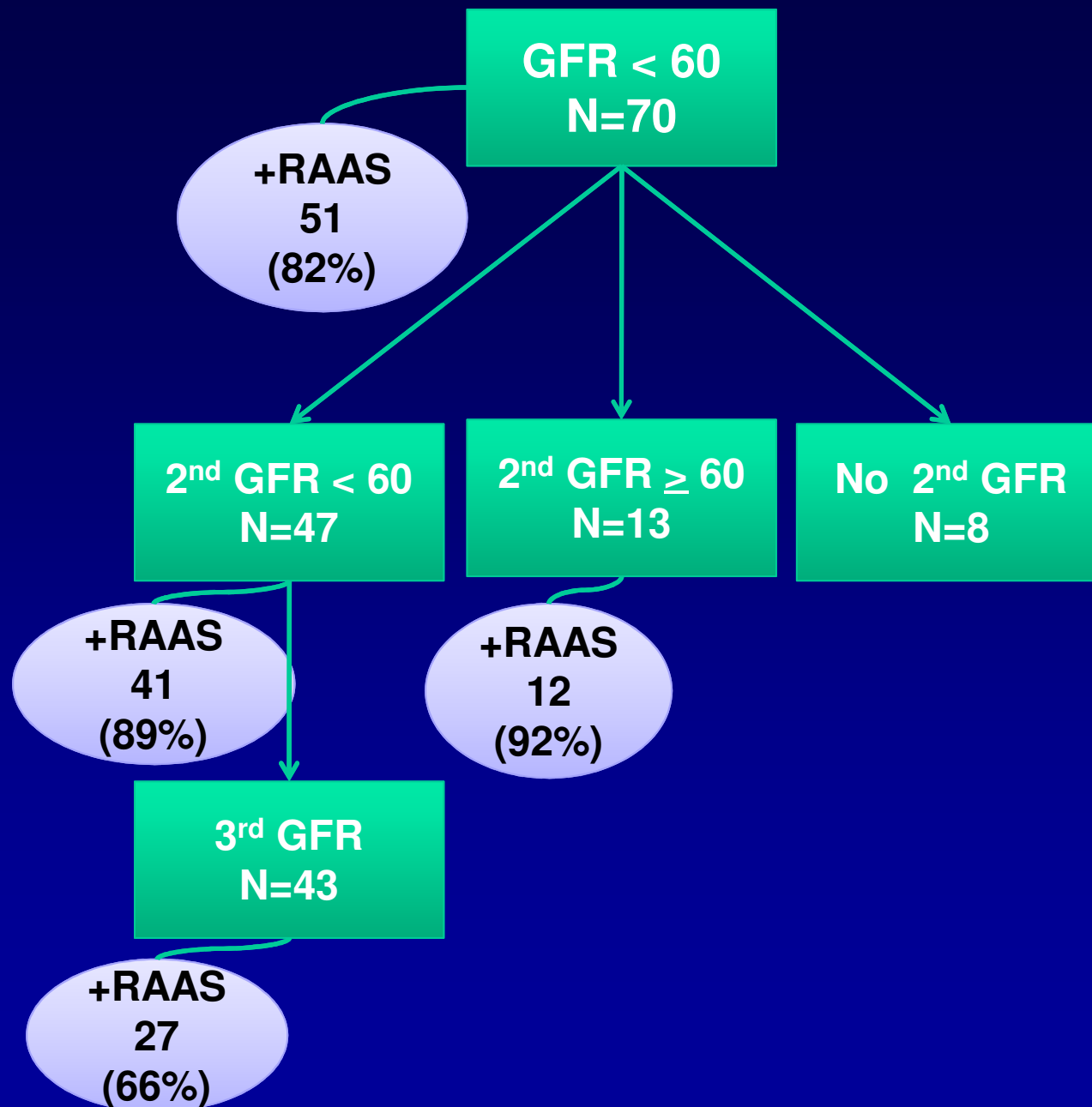


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ASSOCIATION BETWEEN SEVERE HYPOGLYCEMIA AND MOST RECENT HbA1c: INTENSIVE THERAPY



DCCT

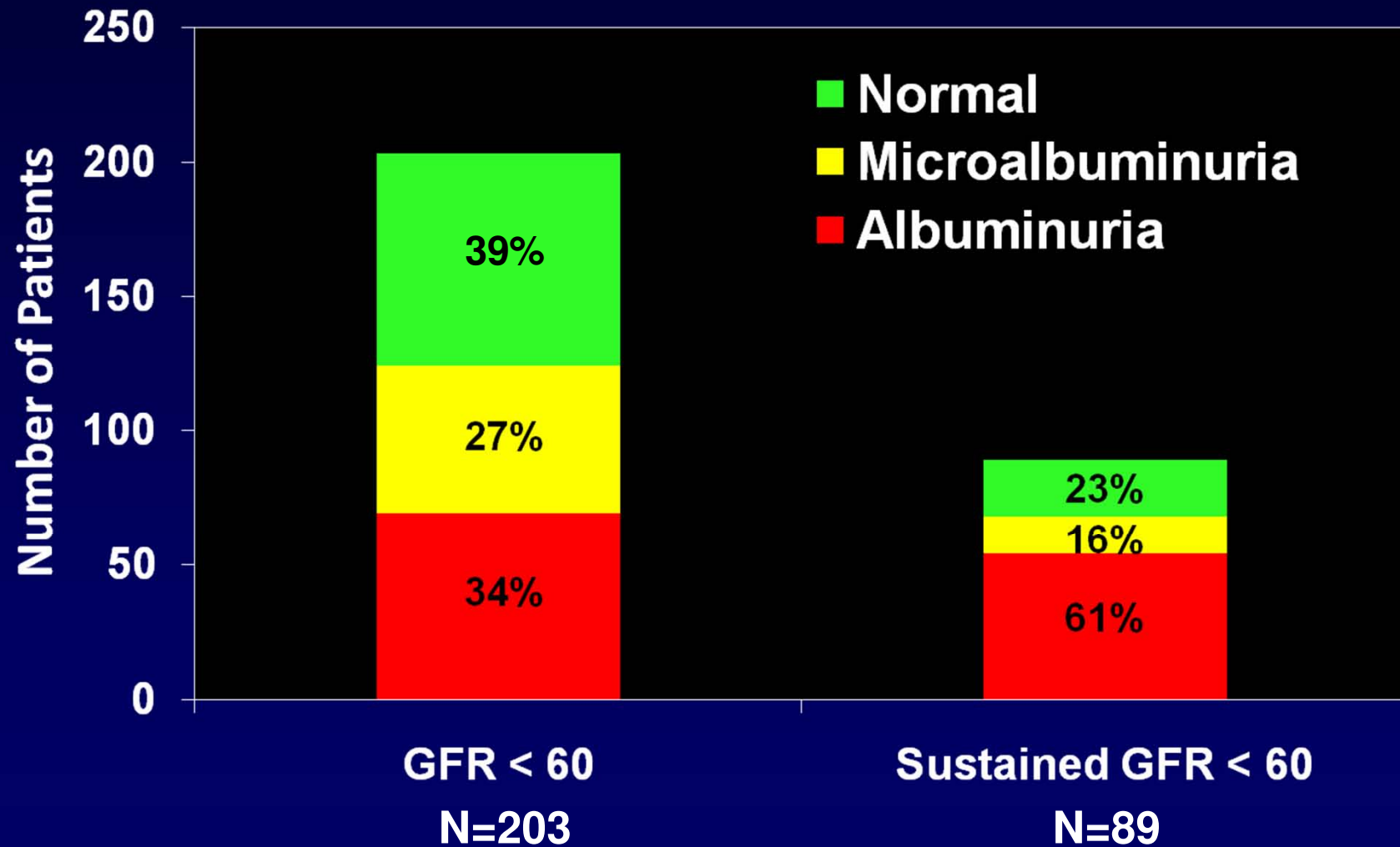


Results: Incidence Rates

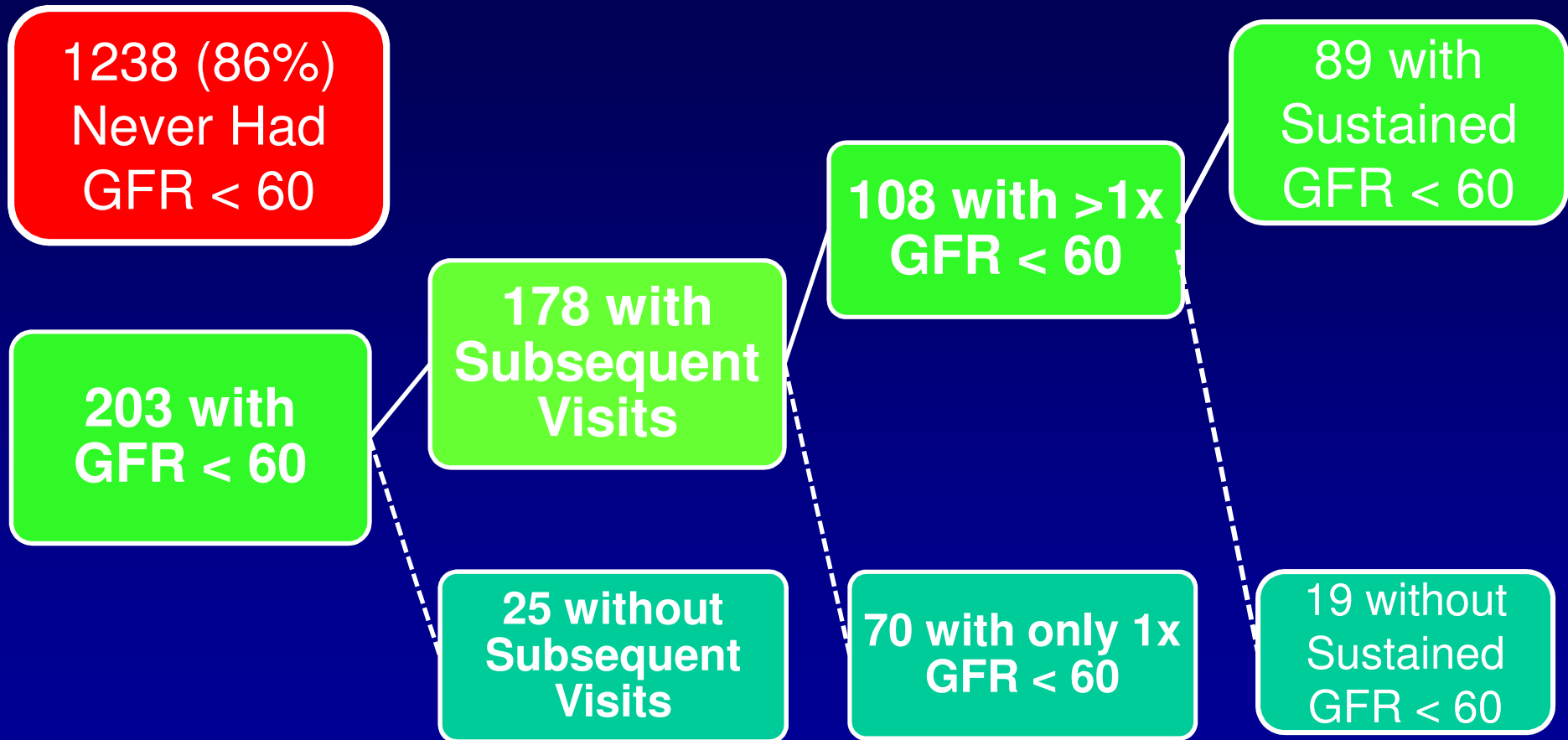
Outcome	Events (n)	Person-years (n)	Incidence rate (%/yr)	RAAS inhibitor (%)
Macroalbuminuria	98	2578	3.8	37
Impaired GFR	60	3416	1.8	71
ESRD	21	4026	0.5	-
Normoalbuminuria	117	1302	9.1	25

Follow-up: median 13 years, maximum 23 years

Albumin Excretion Rates Preceding Diagnosis of Impaired Kidney function ([Sustained] GFR < 60 ml/min/1.73m²) in DCCT/EDIC Subjects

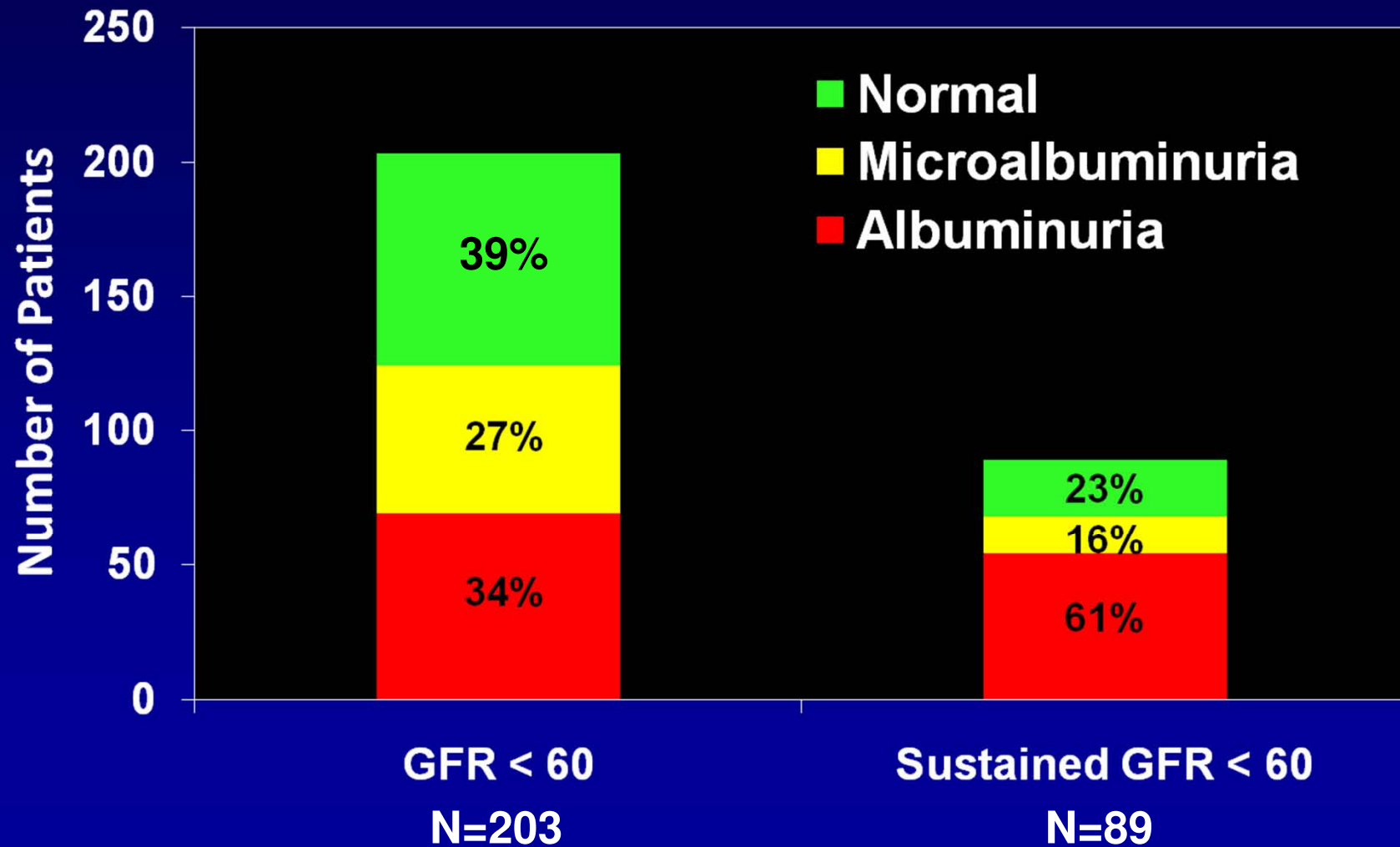


eGFR Status for DCCT/EDIC Subjects from DCCT Through EDIC Year 14

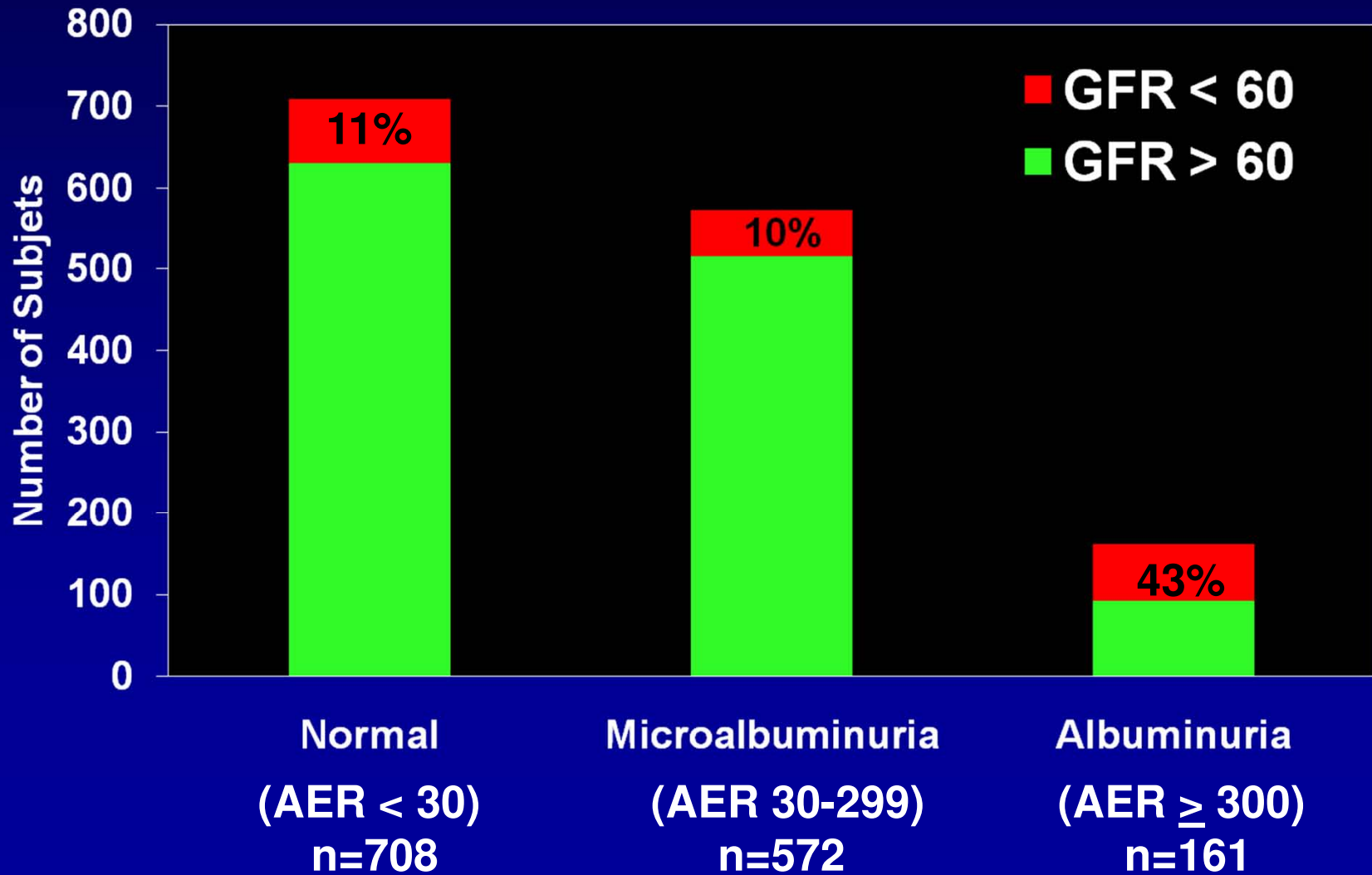


First GFR < 60 occurred in DCCT in 29 (14%) of patients
First GFR < 60 occurred in EDIC in 174 (86%) of patients

Albumin Excretion Rates Preceding Diagnosis of Impaired Kidney function ([Sustained] GFR < 60 ml/min/1.73m²)

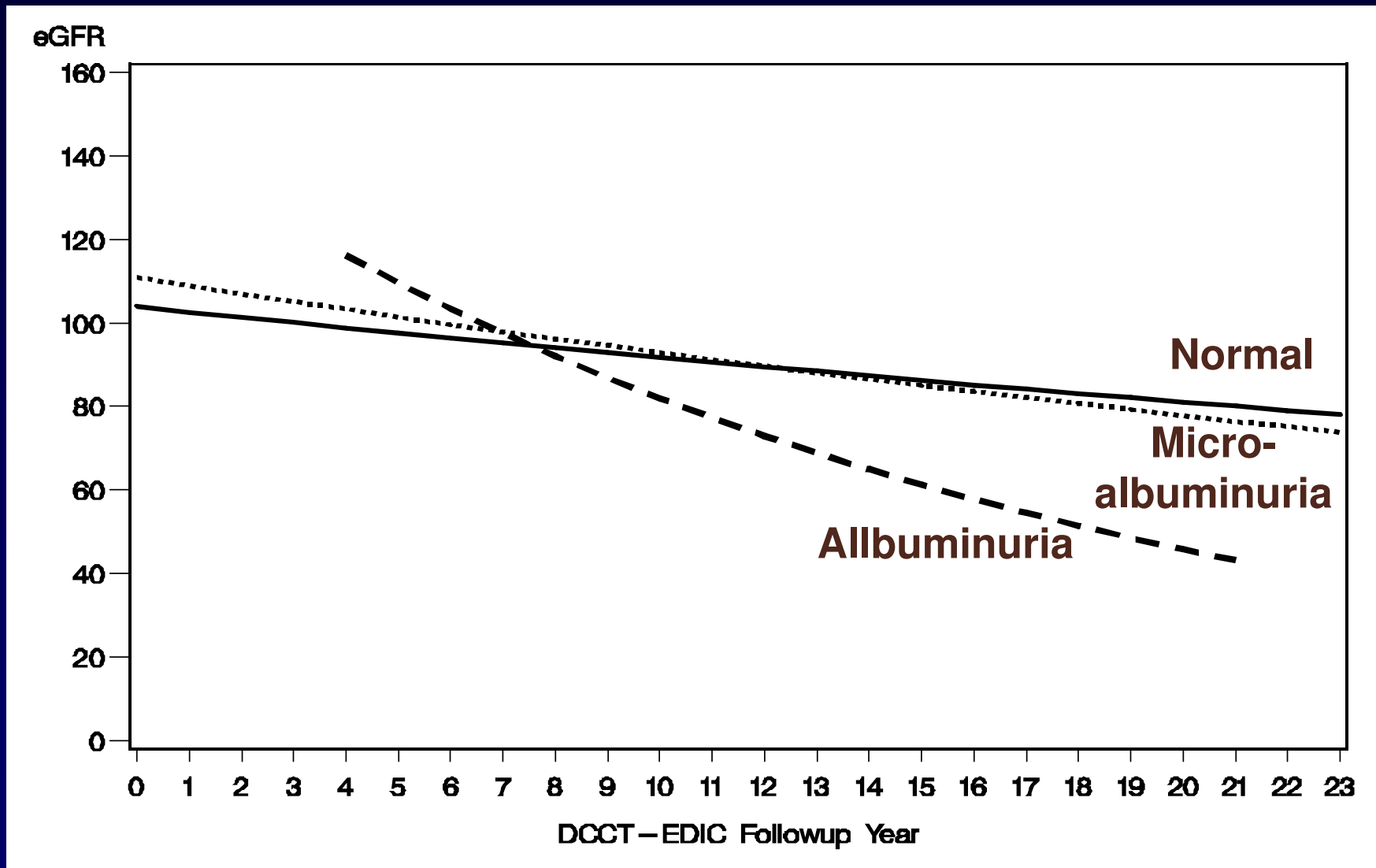


Cumulative Incidence of Impaired Kidney Function (GFR < 60) by Albumin Excretion Rate for DCCT/EDIC subjects through EDIC Year 14

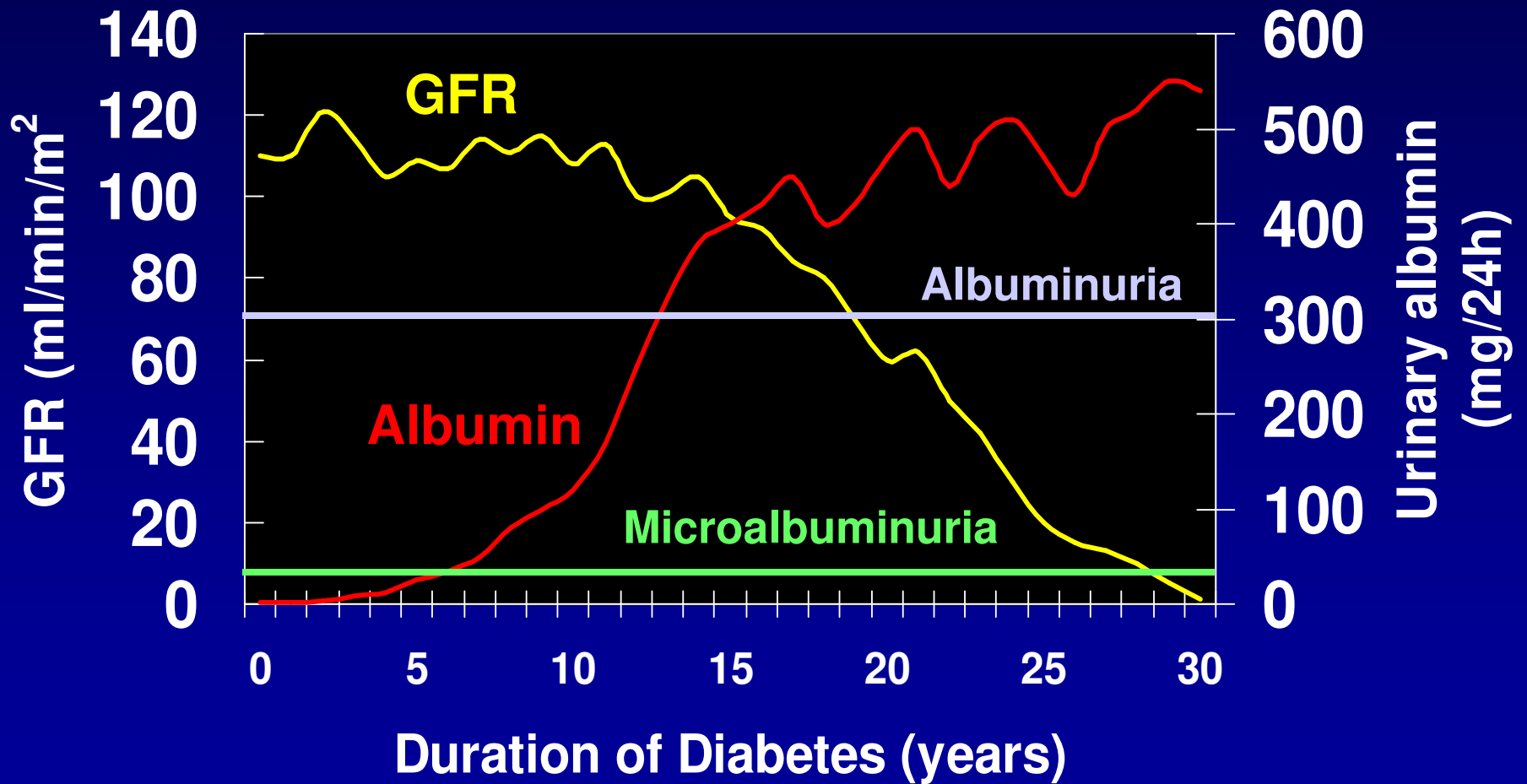


Are there differences in the rates of progression of kidney disease in those with GFR levels < 60 ml/min/1.73m² who do or do not have increased levels of AER?

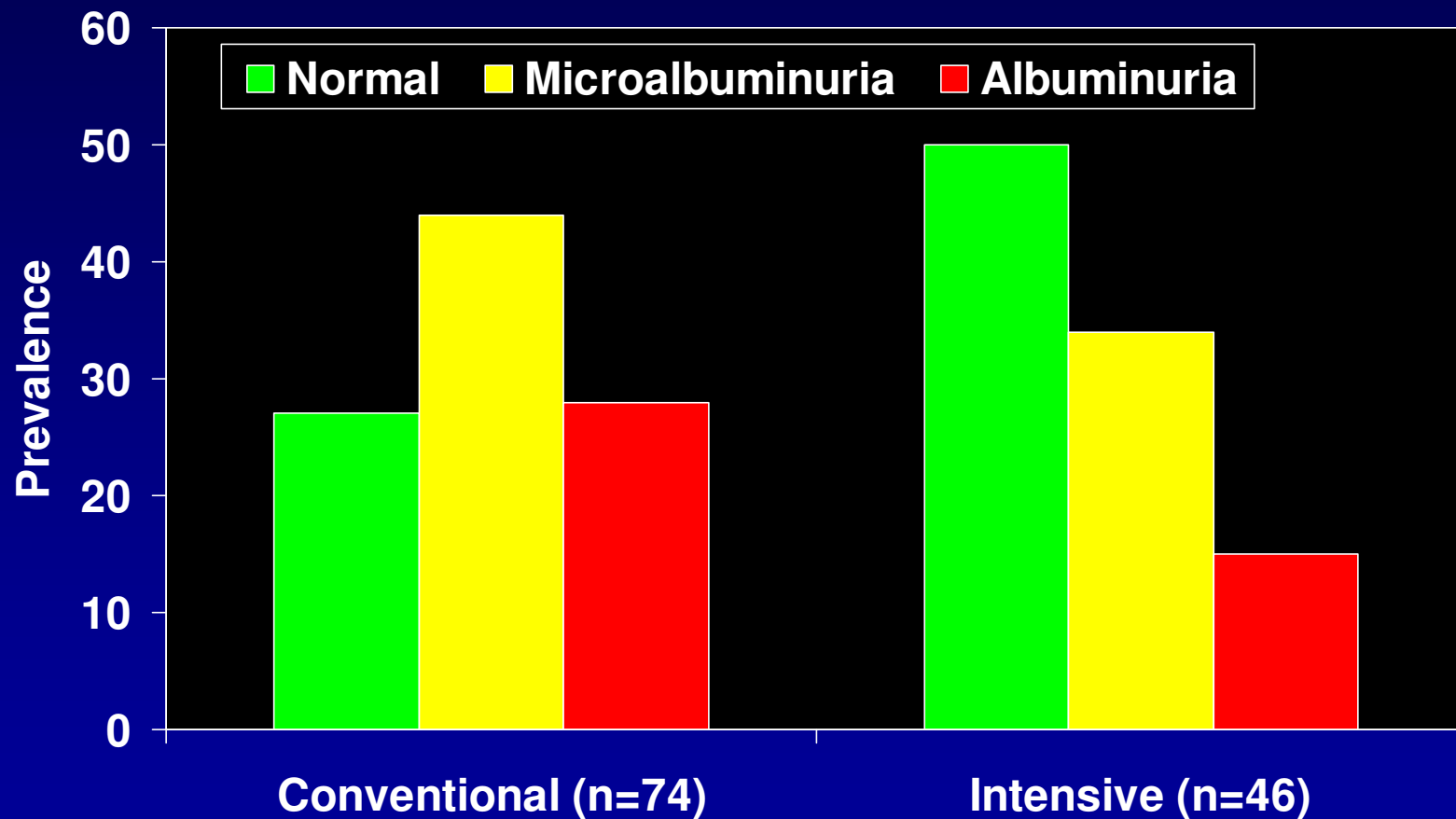
Estimates of the mean levels of eGFR at each DCCT-EDIC follow-up year among subjects currently with normal AER, or microalbuminuria or albuminuria at that time



Natural History of Diabetic Nephropathy

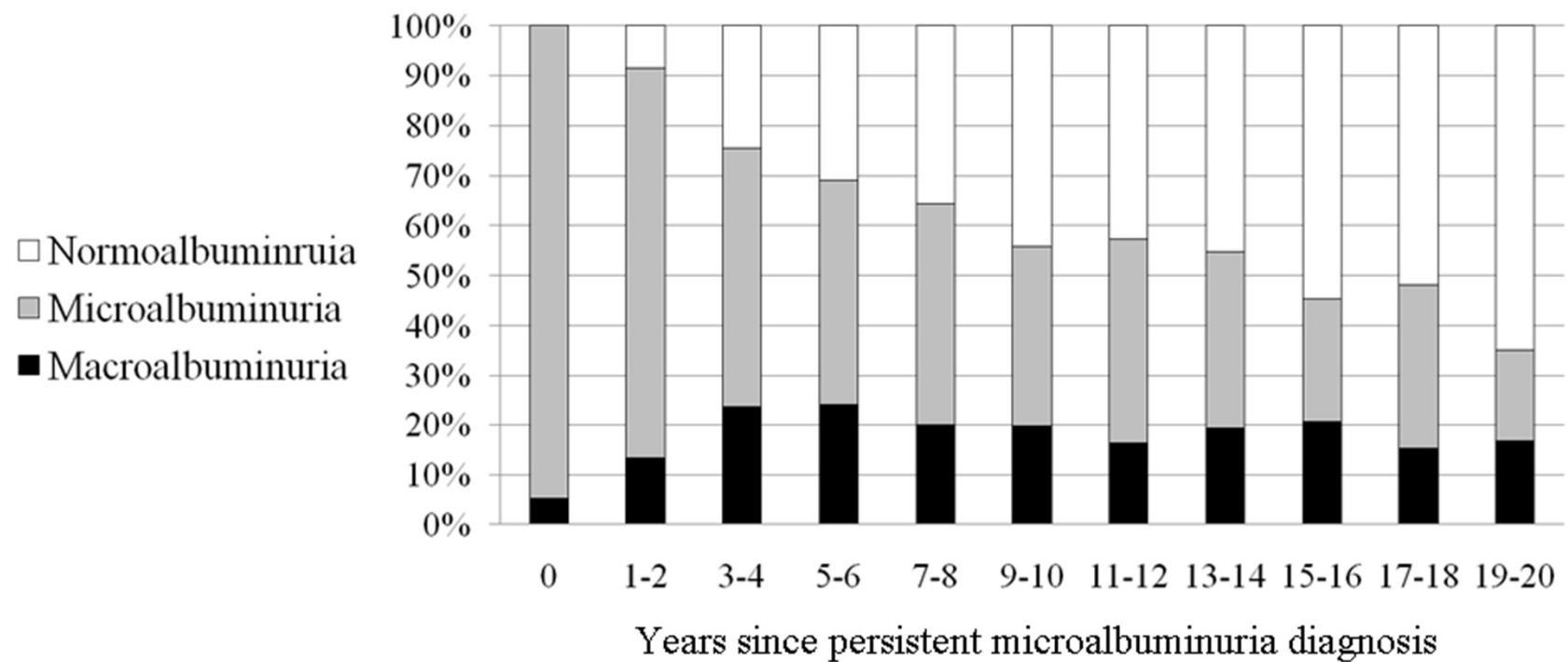


Renal Status of Subjects with Sustained Microalbuminuria During the DCCT at Year 6 of EDIC



$p = 0.03$ for differences in proportions

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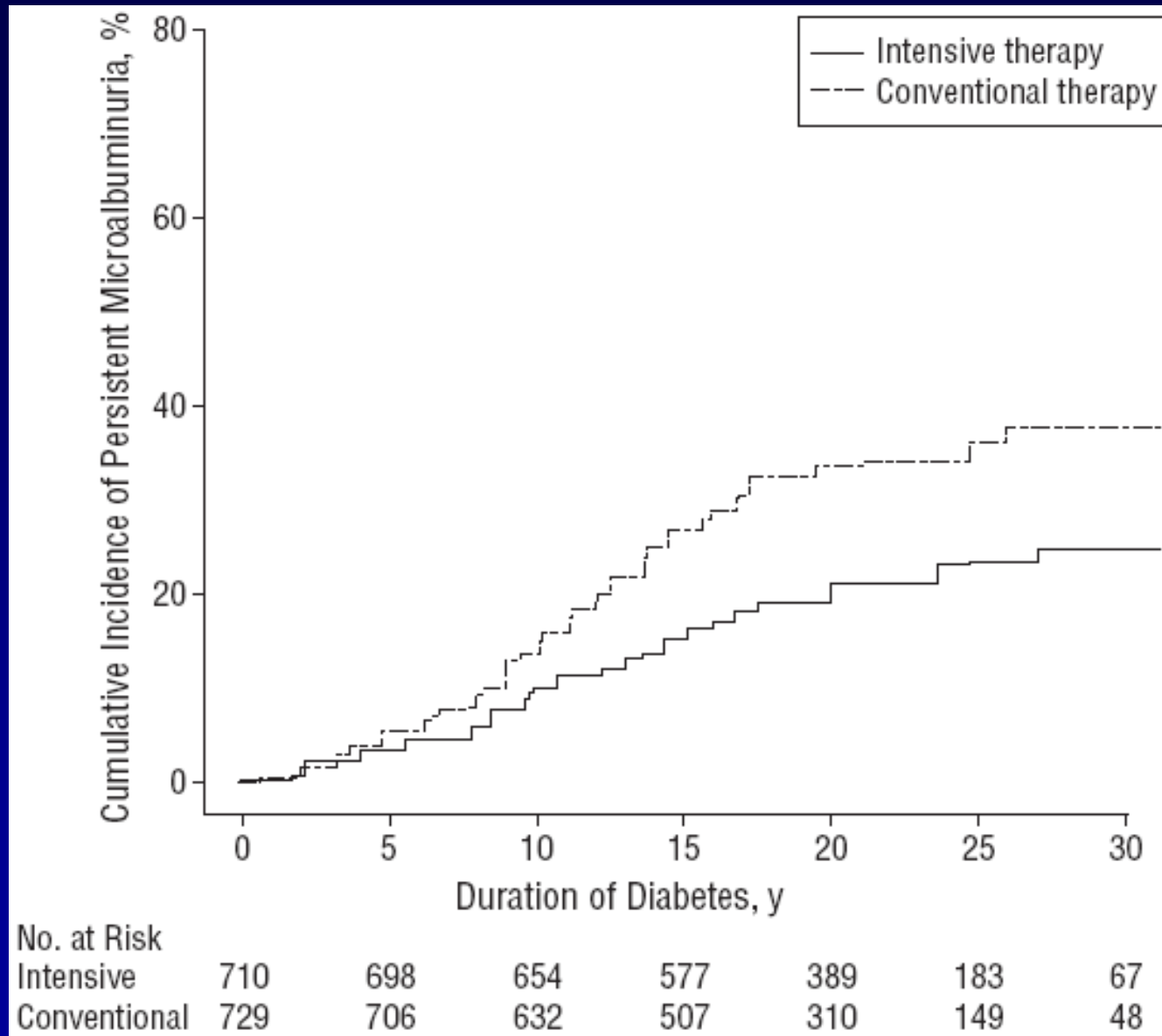
	0	1-2	3-4	5-6	7-8	9-10	11-12	13-14	15-16	17-18	19-20
No. of participants	325	315	281	255	230	208	166	135	117	85	54
Prevalence of RAAS inhibitor use (%)											
Normoalbuminuria	-	0	22	27	34	34	39	39	50	55	51
Microalbuminuria	7	24	30	44	51	69	59	71	86	71	80
Macroalbuminuria	6	31	55	72	67	78	93	92	92	85	89

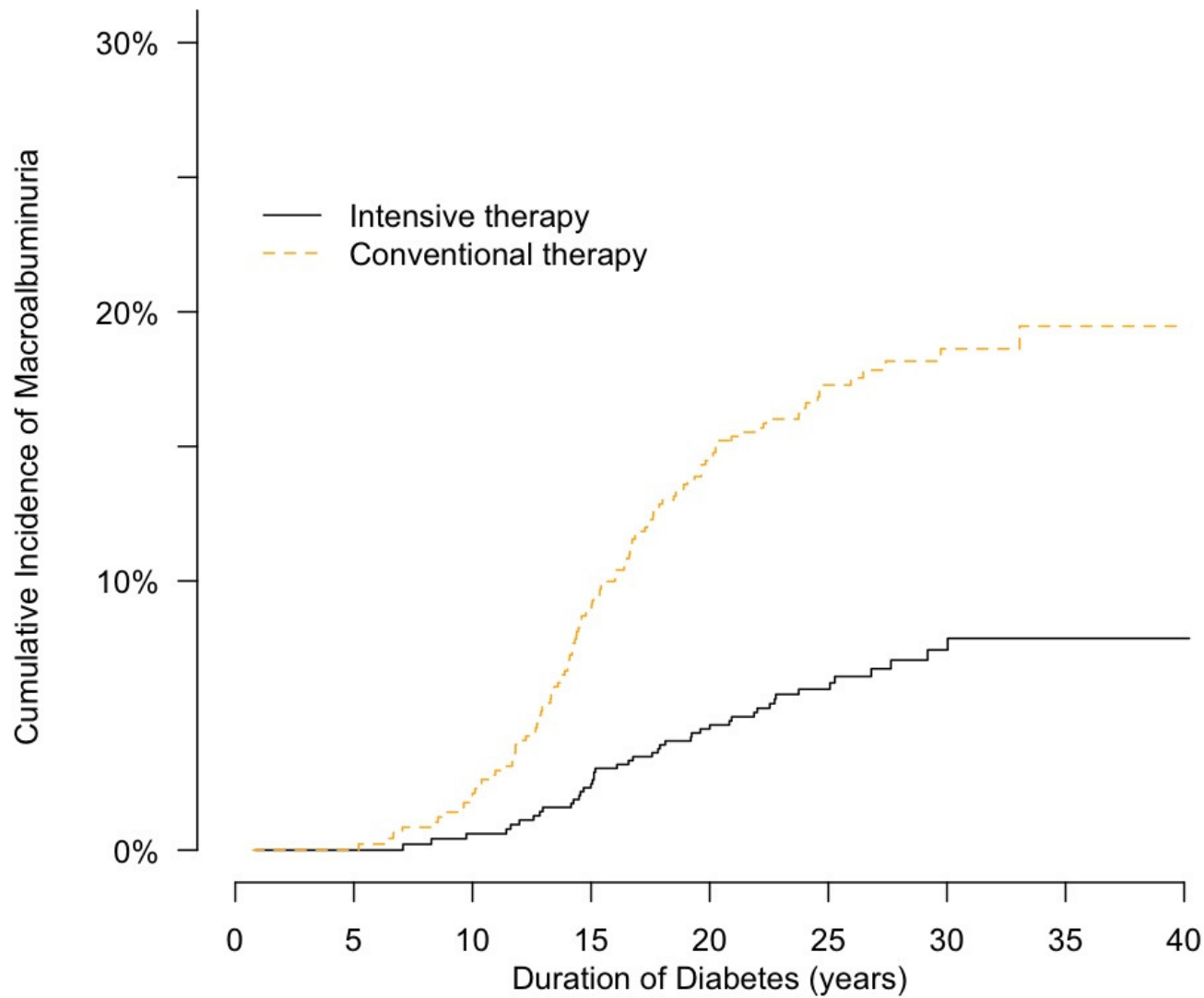
Risk Factors for Renal Outcomes

Risk factor	Renal Outcome					
	Macro-		Impaired GFR		Normo-	
	Albuminuria				Albuminuria	
	HR	P	HR	P	HR	P
Female gender	0.52	0.005	1.10	0.7	2.53	<0.001
SBP (10 mmHg)	1.30	0.003	1.06	0.6	0.85	0.04
DBP (10 mmHg)	1.38	0.01	1.21	0.23	0.71	0.004
Time-updated SBP	1.71	<0.001	1.91	<0.001	0.82	0.08
Time-updated DBP	2.03	<0.001	2.17	<0.001	0.68	<0.001
LDL-C (10 mg/dL)	1.12	0.01	1.04	0.5	0.88	0.001
Triglyceride (10 mg/dL)	1.06	0.01	1.04	0.2	0.93	0.007

Adjusted for age, gender, and duration of diabetes at microalbuminuria diagnosis

Glycemic Control Prevents Microalbuminuria





No. at risk

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**Development
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