


SARCOPENIA AND PROTEIN

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Let **Food** be
Thy Medicine
&
Medicine be
Thy Food
- Hippocrates

Eating healthy does not mean **eating less**

Healthy eating does not involve following **latest diet trends**

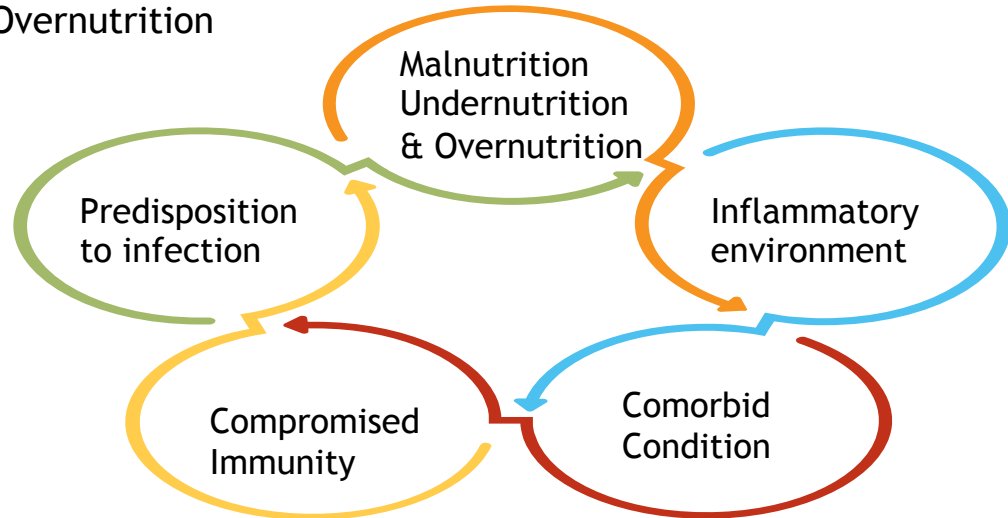
Nutritional requirements vary across all age groups

Nutritional intake & dietary patterns are directly linked with metabolic abnormalities

Eating Smart



Inappropriate eating practices leads to Malnutrition: Undernutrition and Overnutrition



Hidden Contributors to the Inflammatory state

- Malnutrition & Micronutrient deficiencies - Imbalance in Diets
- Inadequate & Irregular sleep patterns
- Sedentary lifestyle
- Comorbid chronic health conditions
- Chronic Stress - underlying depression
- Environmental Pollution



Why is Metabolic Health Important?

Metabolic Phenotypes

Although many different definitions are used for metabolic health, insulin resistance is regarded as the core pathophysiology

BMI <25 kg/m²
and <2 metabolic
risk factor

**Metabolically
Healthy Non-
Obese (MHNO)**

**Metabolically
Healthy, Obese
(MHO)**

Lower degree of IR , <2
metabolic risk factors or
favourable metabolic
profiles even in patients
with BMI >25kg/m²

Higher degree of IR &
adiposity , >2
metabolic risk factors
even in patients with
BMI <25kg/m²

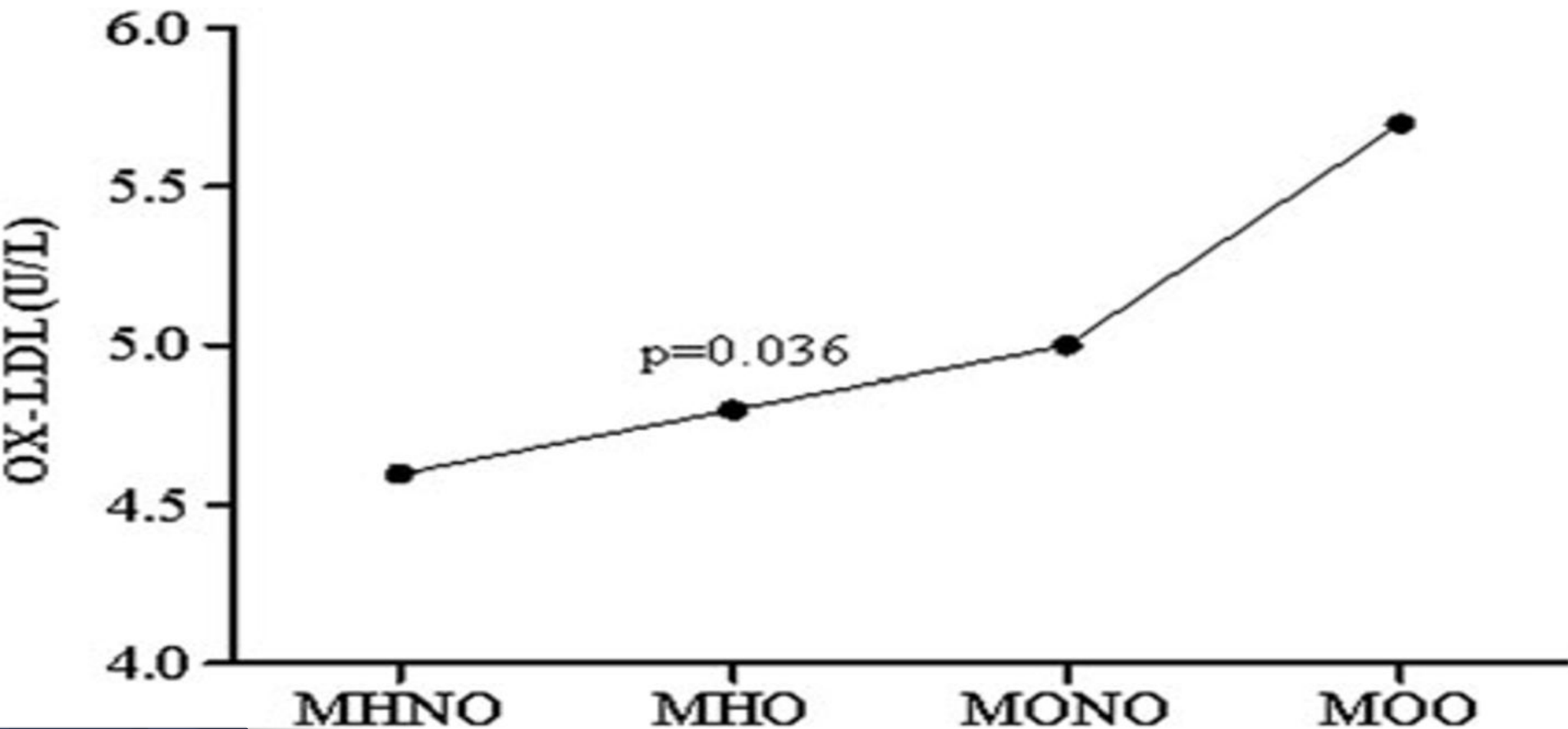
**Metabolically
Unhealthy, Non-
Obese (MUHNO)**

**Metabolically
Unhealthy, Obese
(MUHO)**

Higher degree of IR &
metabolic abnormalities
>2 metabolic risk factors
in patients with BMI
>25kg/m²

The phenotypes are usually identified using surrogate markers of insulin resistance, the number of metabolic syndrome components, the amount of visceral fat, or the composition of cardiovascular risk factors.

Inflammatory Markers & Metabolic Health



WHAT IS SARCOPENIA

*"A syndrome characterized by a **progressive and general loss** of skeletal **muscle mass and strength** with an increased risk of adverse disability, frailty and poor quality of life"*

WHAT IS SARCOPENIC OBESITY

*"Sarcopenic obesity is a new class of obesity in older adults in which **low skeletal muscle mass** is coupled with high levels of **adiposity**". **It is unfortunate - now we see it in Young Adults of India***

Ref: EWGSOP2, 2019, Janice.L.Atkins et al, 2019

TYPES OF SARCOPENIA

PRIMARY SARCOPENIA

- Found in **geriatrics**
- **Loss of muscle mass and/or function and strength**
- Multifactorial pathogenesis.



SECONDARY SARCOPENIA

- Patients in **any age group, including younger patients**
- Muscle wasting, loss of strength, and/or function
- Specific underlying cause.



PREVALENCE



SARCOPENIA

(>80 y)

15.2%

**SARCOPENIC
OBESITY**

(>80 y)

10-15%



SARCOPENIA

≥ 65 y

17.5%

**SARCOPENIC
OBESITY**

≥ 65 y



50%

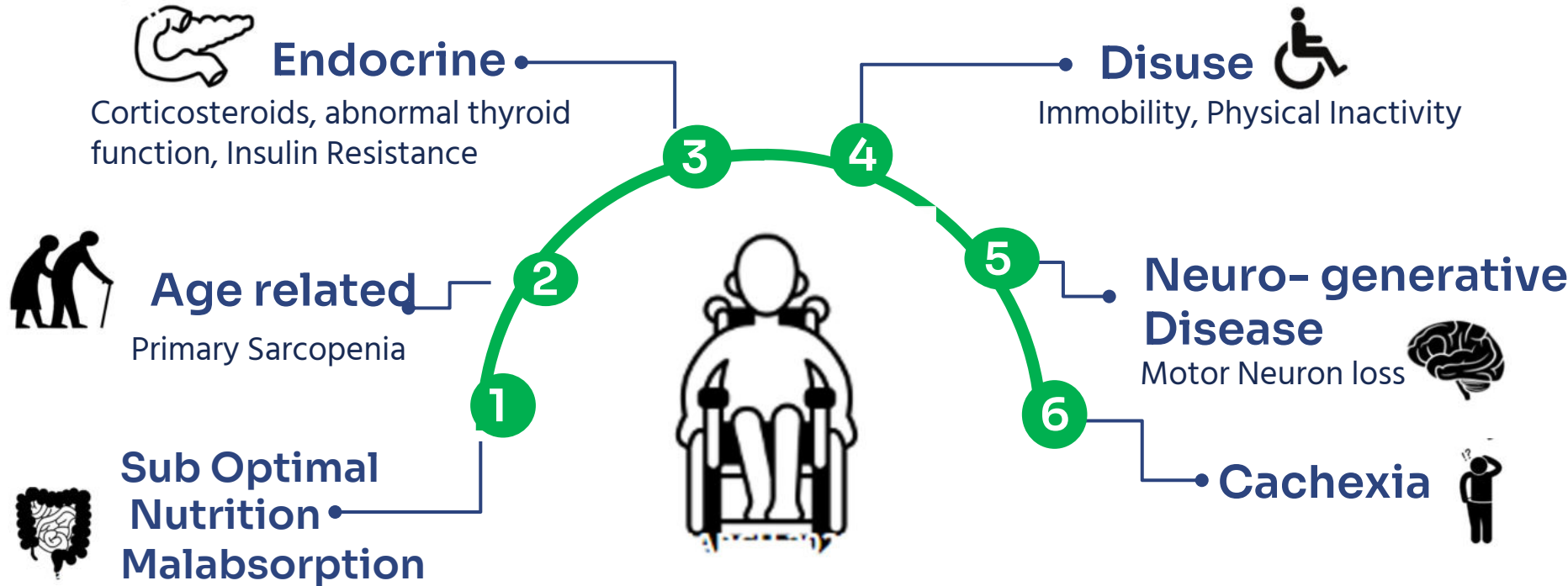


44%

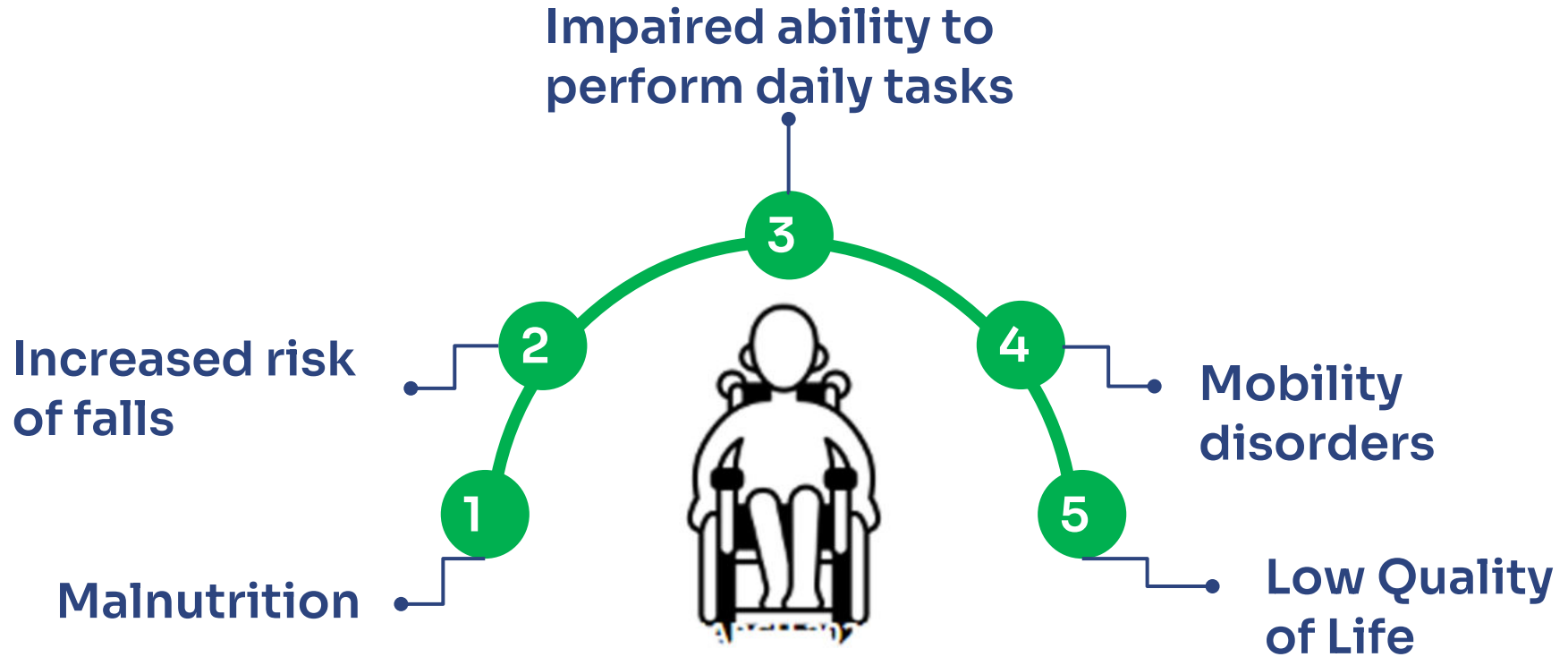
(>80 y)

5.4% - 6.3%

ETIOLOGY OF SARCOPENIA

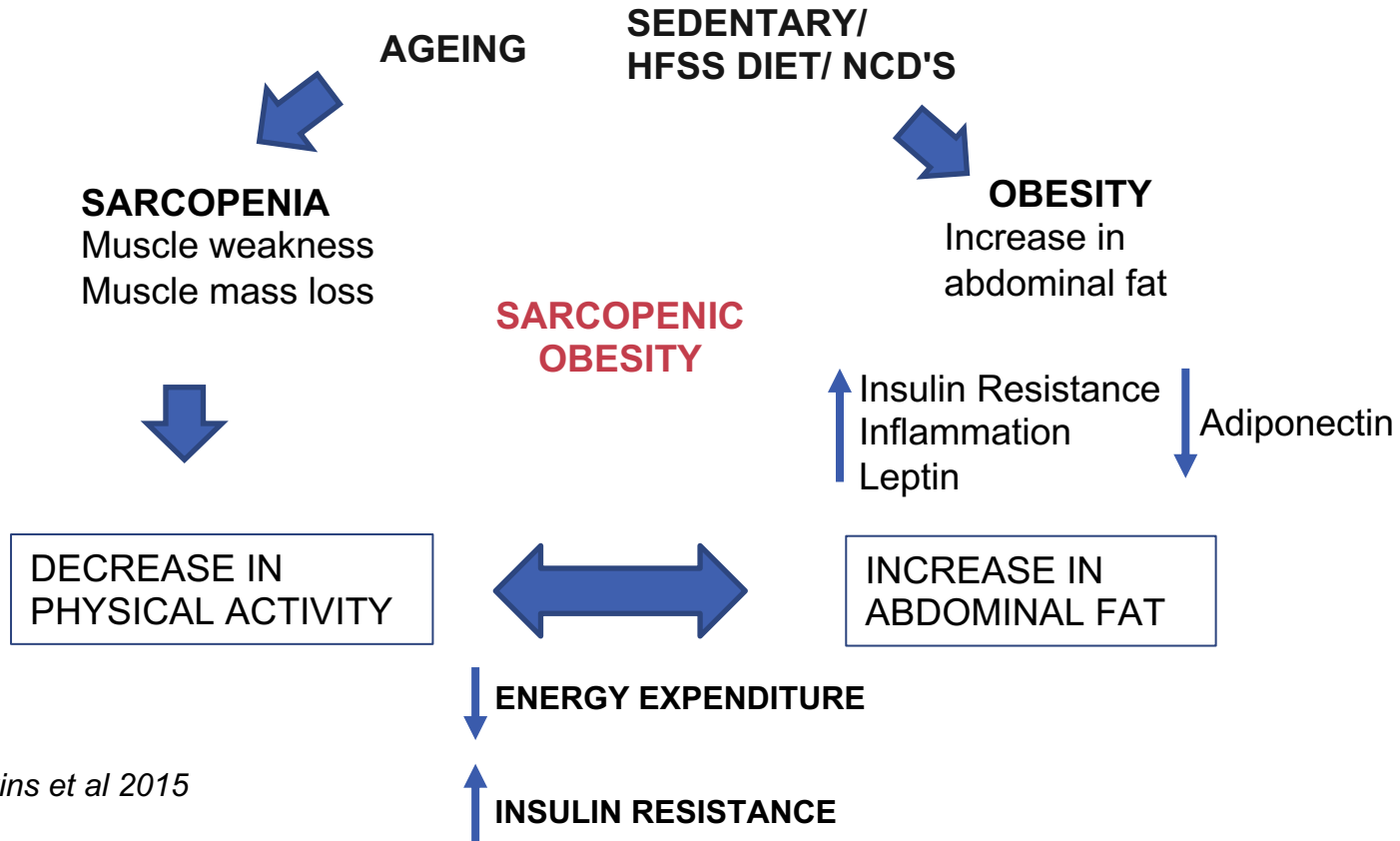


COMPLICATIONS DUE TO SARCOPENIA



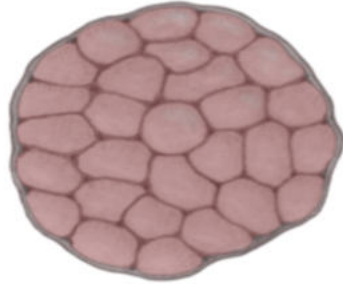
**Sarcopenia associated complications
can lead to increased risk of mortality**

PROGRESSION OF SARCOPENIC OBESITY



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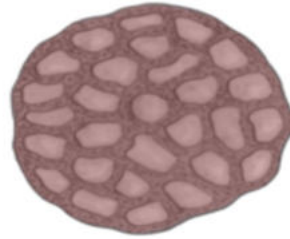
NORMAL ACTIVE MUSCLE



LOSS OF MASS

ATROPHY

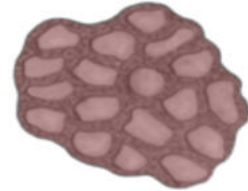
INACTIVITY



LOSS OF CELLS

SARCOPENIA

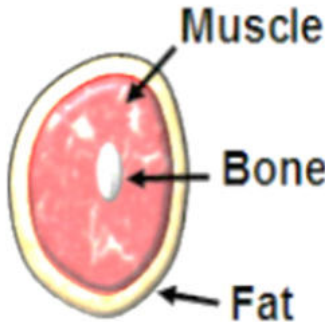
AGING & INACTIVITY



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connective
tissues

1%
Adipose

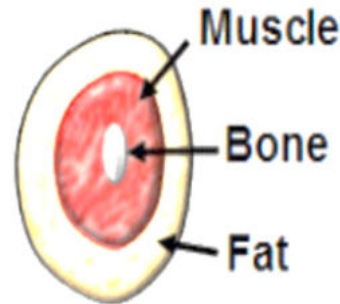
96%
Myofibres



26%
connective
tissues

4%
Adipose

75%
Myofibre
s



NUTRITIONAL INTERVENTION

Hypo- Caloric Diet: 20-25kcal/kg/day

High Protein :1.2-1.8 g/kg IBW /c 

☐ Good Quality Proteins (9 essential Amino Acids)

☐ **Leucine** rich foods (5-6g /Meal)

☐ Protein sourced from Cereals : Legumes: Milk (3:1:2.5)



Fibre : 35-40g/day



Good Quality Fats; Rich in MUFA & PUFA , **Nuts** (15-20% En



Increased consumption of **Millet**s



Cross-sectional study in Indian Adolescents and Young Adults (2020 - 2021)

Prevalence of Hyperinsulinemia
and Insulin Resistance: A Cross-
Sectional Study of Adolescents and
Young Adults in Mumbai, India

To explore snacking patterns and
its association with body
composition in adolescents and
young adults, aged 16-25 years in
Mumbai, India.

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METHOD

Design: Cross sectional study

Setting: Educational institutes (n=11), Mumbai, India.

Participants: Adolescents and young adults, age 16-25 years (n= 1313)

Variables

A) Anthropometry (weight, height, body fat %, visceral fat, BMI, WC, HC, WHR, W:Ht)

B) Physical examination- Blood pressure (systolic and diastolic blood pressure)

C) Biochemical Parameters : Fasting glucose and insulin, 2-h glucose and 2h stimulated insulin, HbA1C, CBC

D) Diet and nutrient intakes - Snacking Pattern- Validated snacking questionnaire

Ethical Considerations:

ISBEC ver 2, August, 2017. Informed written consent from participants and parents of participants < 18 years were obtained.

Characteristics	n (%)
Gender	
Males	457 (34.9)
Females	853 (65.1)
Age Categories	
16-19 years	724 (55.3)
20-22 years	492 (37.5)
23-25 years	94 (7.2)
Family history of diabetes	
First degree family member (parents/siblings)	287 (21.9)
Second degree family member (grandparents/uncle/aunts)	554 (42.3)
Either first/ second degree family members	617 (47.1)
Medical history	
Known history of elevated blood pressure	19 (1.5)
Hormonal disorders (PCOS/ thyroid disorders)	58 (4.4)
Activity pattern	
Engages in physical activity > 2.5h/wk	685 (52.3)
Body weight status (n=1310)	
Underweight	310 (23.7)
Normal weight	535 (40.8)
Overweight	197 (15.0)
Obese	268 (20.5)
Central adiposity measures (n=1310)	
Waist to height ratio > 0.5	204 (15.6)

Table 1:
Demographic and body weight status of adolescents and young adults (n=1313) in the study

- ☐ The mean age of the participants was 19.4 (1.8) years
- ☐ Among 1313 participants, 65.1% were females, 55.3% belonged to the age category, 16-19 years and 47.1% had either first/second degree relatives with diabetes.
- ☐ The prevalence of overweight and obesity were 15.0% and 20.5% respectively.

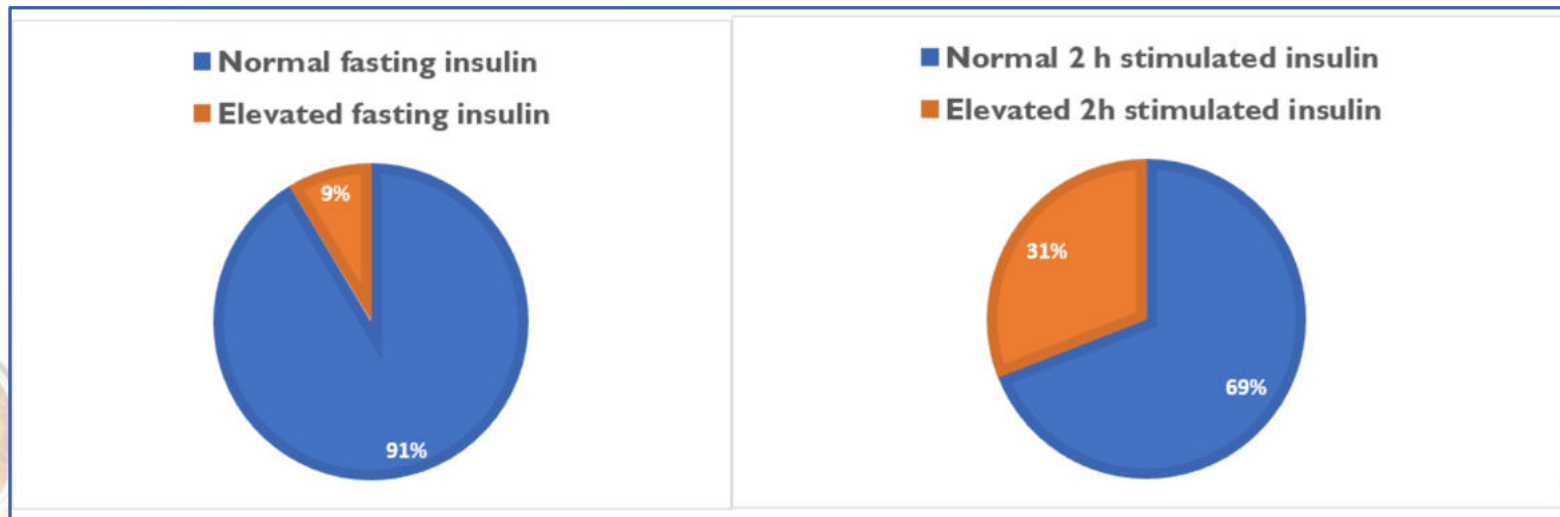


Figure 1: Proportion of participants with elevated fasting and 2h stimulated insulin levels

Among 1313 participants, 112 (8.7%) had elevated fasting insulin (≥ 15 mIU/ml), and 401 (31.0%) had higher than normal 2 h stimulated insulin (≥ 80 mIU/ml)

Table 5: Comparison of mean anthropometric indices, glycosylated hemoglobin values and blood pressure between participants with and without hyperinsulinemia and hyperglycemia

	Category 1 N=841	Category 2 N=395	Category 3 N=16	Category 4 N=37	p-value
Weight (kg)	55.52(12.32)	57.93(14.33)	52.23(12.97)	62.54(9.55)	0.002*
BMI (kg/m ²)	21.41(4.39)	23.00(4.77)	19.97(3.93)	25.43(4.59)	<0.001**
Waist Circumference (cm)	70.17(9.71)	73.65(11.06)	66.39(7.77)	76.64 (8.51)	<0.001**
Hip circumference (cm)	89.93(9.52)	93.11(10.30)	85.94(8.50)	96.82(8.31)	<0.001**
WHtR	0.44(0.05)	0.46(0.06)	0.41(0.04)	0.48(0.06)	<0.001**
Body fat (%)	24.20(8.84)	29.41(7.79)	23.13(7.40)	32.36(9.30)	<0.001**
Visceral Fat	3.82(3.06)	4.65(3.25)	3.15(2.77)	5.94(2.60)	<0.001**
HbA1c	5.40(0.30)	5.39(0.31)	5.37(0.24)	5.5(0.32)	0.520
Diastolic blood pressure (mmHg)	66.43(8.09)	66.86(8.02)	66.87(8.01)	71.59(9.12)	0.002*
Systolic blood pressure (mmHg)	104.84(11.25)	104.89(11.69)	106.43(11.96)	111.37(11.09)	0.007*

WHtR, Waist to Height Ratio. HbA1C, Glycosylated Hemoglobin. *p < 0.05, **p < 0.001

Category 1: normoglycemic and normo insulinemia; Category 2: hyperinsulinemia but normoglycemia
Category 3: hyperglycemia but normo insulinemia; Category 4: hyperinsulinemia and hyperglycemia

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RESULTS

Table 3 : Mean change in anthropometry measurements in AG and CG at end line

Anthropometric Measurements	Almonds Group(n=107) Mean (SD) (95%CI)	Control Group (n=112) Mean (SD) (95%CI)	p value
Weight (kg)	0.92 ±1.65 (0.60,1.24)	0.52 ±4.17 (-0.25,1.30)	0.35
BMI (kg/m²)	0.35 ±0.66 (0.22,0.47)	0.19 ±1.77 (-0.13,0.53)	0.40
Waist Hip Ratio	0.01 ±0.05 (0.00,0.02)	0.00 ±0.0 (-0.00,0.10)	0.11
Waist to Ht Ratio	0.01 ±0.03 (0.00,0.01)	0.01 ±0.03 (-0.00,0.01)	0.94
Percent Body Fat	0.87 ±2.12 (0.46,1.27)	3.26 ±18.07 (-0.12,6.64)	0.17
Visceral Fat	0.11 ±0.94 (-0.07,0.29)	0.12±1.08 (-0.08,0.34)	0.91

RESULTS

Table 4 : Mean change in lipid and inflammatory markers in subgroups of AG and CG that reported improvement in body fat percent at end line

Variables	Almond Group (n=28)	Control Group (n=35)	p value
TC	-11.80± 26.44	6.61±19.1	0.002
LDL-c	-8.75±25.60	6.1±19.11	0.011
Hs-CRP	-1.41±7.20 (-35.0-8.96)	0.33±5.6 (-8.1-26.4)	0.283
Adiponectin	-0.13±1.24 (-2.56-2.31)	0.54±1.59 (-2.08-4.09)	0.074
Leptin	1.16±4.57 (-5.89- 10.81)	-0.33±3.55 (-12.81- 8.0)	0.148
IL-6	-79.50 ±277.70 (-835.6- 225.12)	5.15±66.27 (-316.3-133.8)	0.086
TNF-alpha	-1.15±42.02 (-91.63- 110.310)	-0.71±14.61 (-73.3- 28.9)	0.955

LEUCINE IS ESSENTIAL FOR MUSCLE DEVELOPMENT

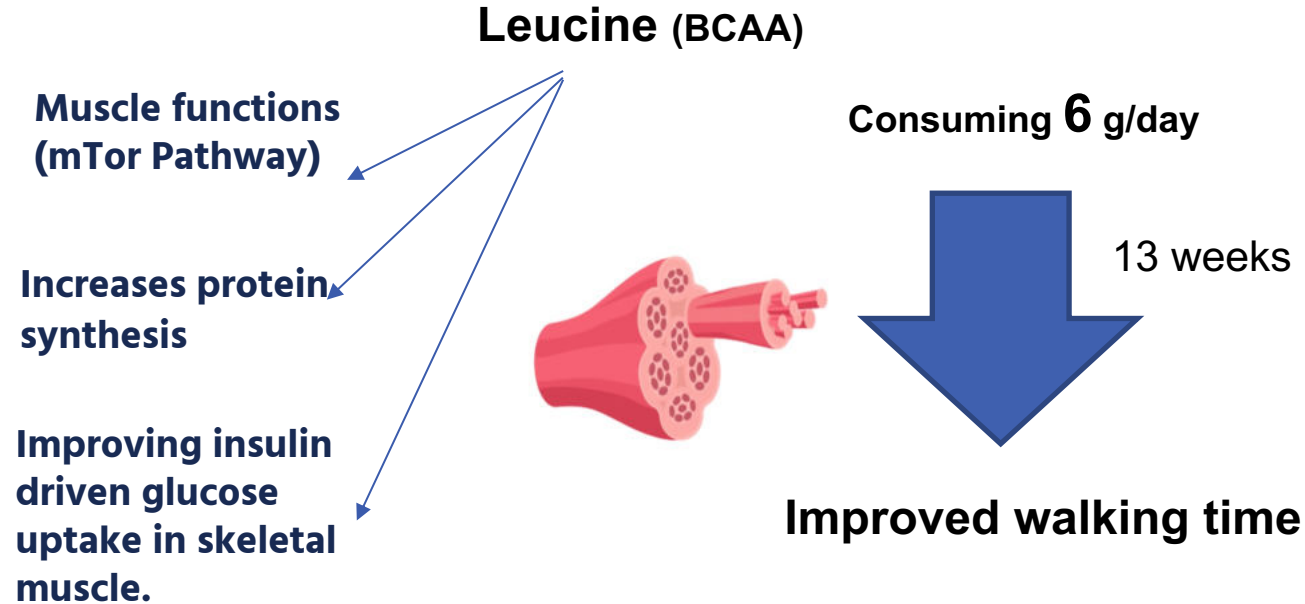


TABLE 1: LEUCINE CONTENT OF COMMON FOODS

Product name	Leucine content (g per 100g)
Maize, dry	12.24
Jowar	12
Milk, whole, Cow	10.66
Mango, ripe (Neelam)	9.19
Spinach	8.70
Bajra	8.52
Field bean, white	8.48

Product name	Leucine content (g per 100g)
Soya bean, brown	8.27
Pepper, black	8.25
Banana, ripe, robusta	8.23
Field beans, tender, lean	8.20
Onion, stalk	8.05
Amaranth leaves, green	8.04

TAKE HOME MESSAGES

1



Maintain Energy Balance

2



Daily Protein intake 1.2-1.8g/kg/bw

3



Daily Leucine intake 5-6g per meal

4



Resistance exercise 2 X week

5



Reduced Sedentary lifestyle



**NO SINGLE FOOD is
SUPER FOOD & NO
SINGLE NUTRIENT is a
MAGIC NUTRIENT**

**A BALANCE of
MACRONUTRIENTS &
MICRONUTRIENTS is
the key**

- Dietary Diversity Score
- Nutrient Adequacy Score
- Dietary Phytochemical Index Score



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