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Combination of antihypertensive therapy for high risk patients

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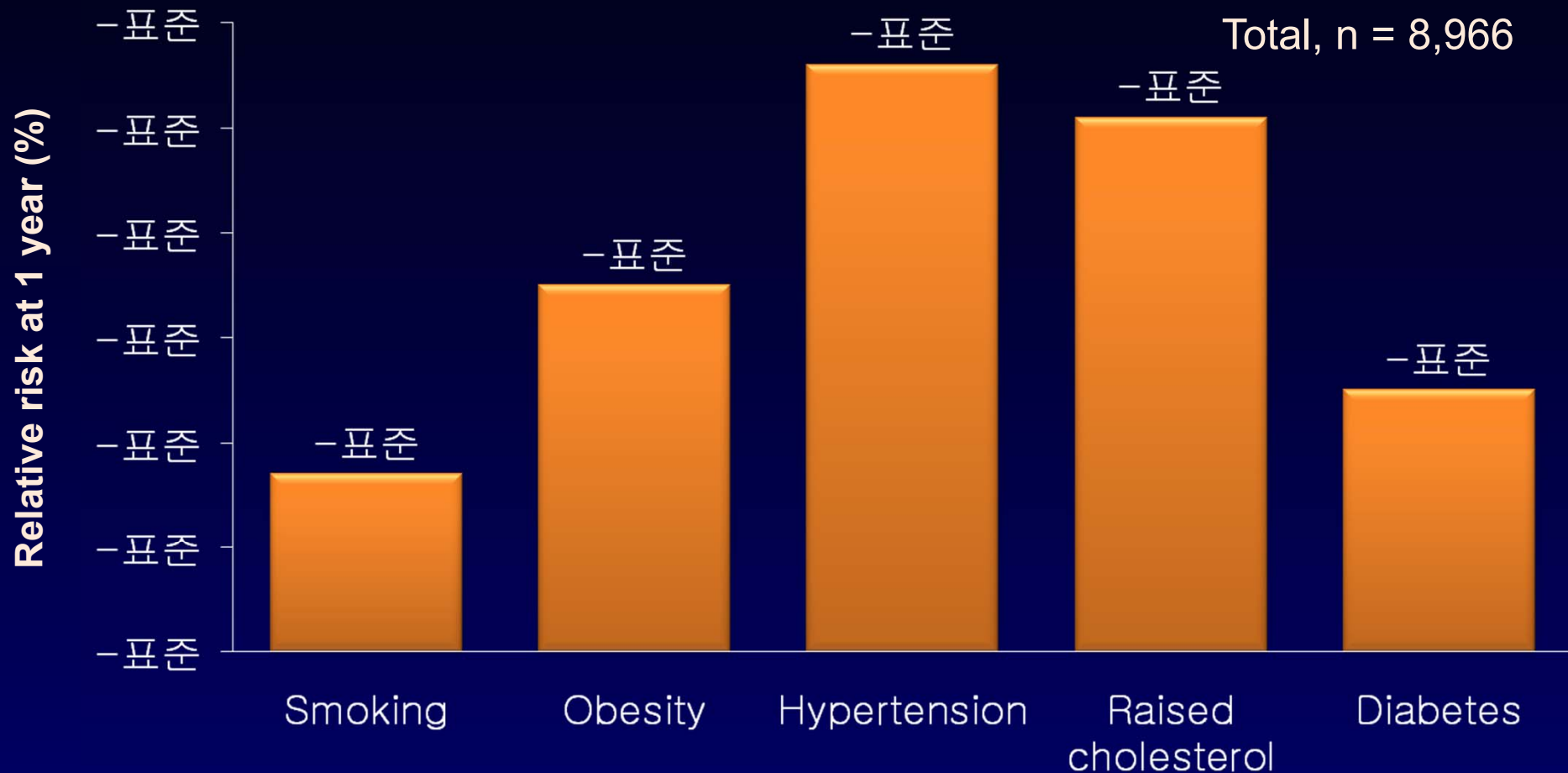
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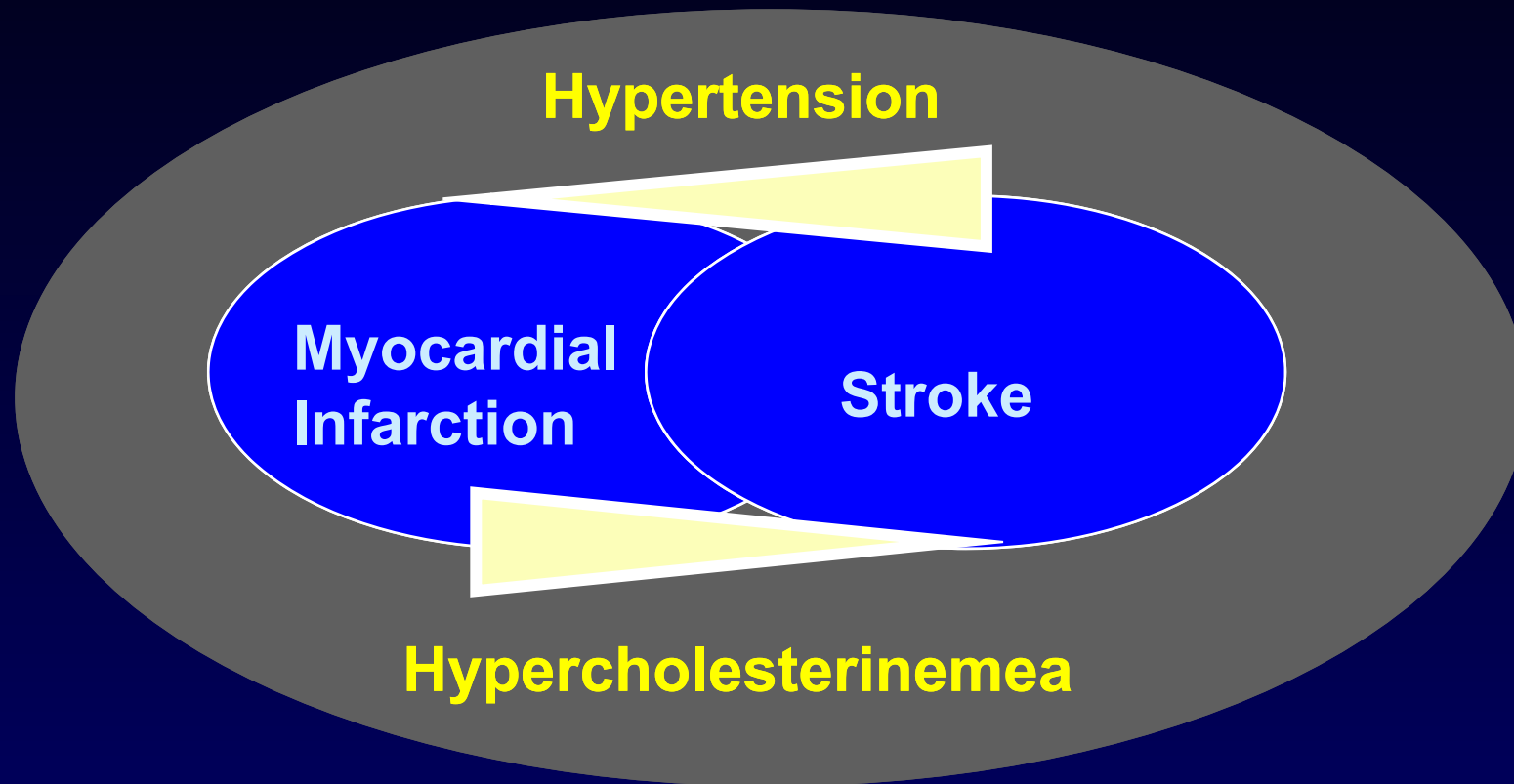
High risk patients in hypertension

Identification of patients' individual CV risk is central

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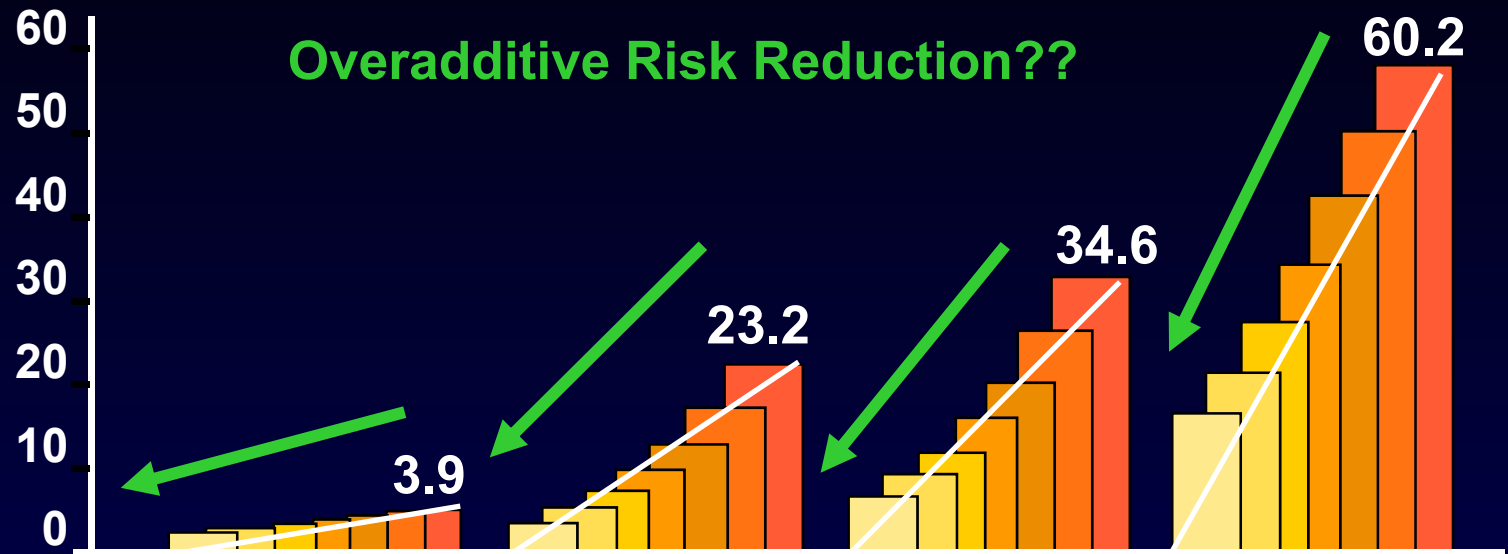
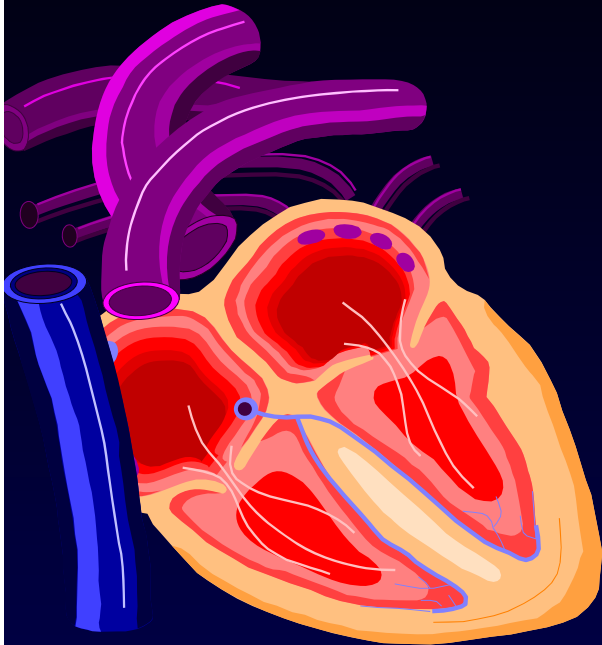
Interaction in-between Risks



Treatment of common CV risk factors is well established and reduces CV events

Encourage lifestyle changes	Use drugs proven to reduce the risk of devastating CV events
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Improve diet• Increase physical activity• Quit smoking	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Statins• Antiplatelets• Hypoglycaemics• Antihypertensives• Beta-blockers• RAS blockade

Mechanisms: What Do We Need: Improved Treatment of CV Global Risk



Cholesterol, mg/dL
(mmol/L)

185↔335
(4.8↔8.7)

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Glucose
intolerance

0

+

+

+

Systolic BP, mm Hg

105

195

195

195

Cigarettes

0

0

+

+

LVH on ECG

0

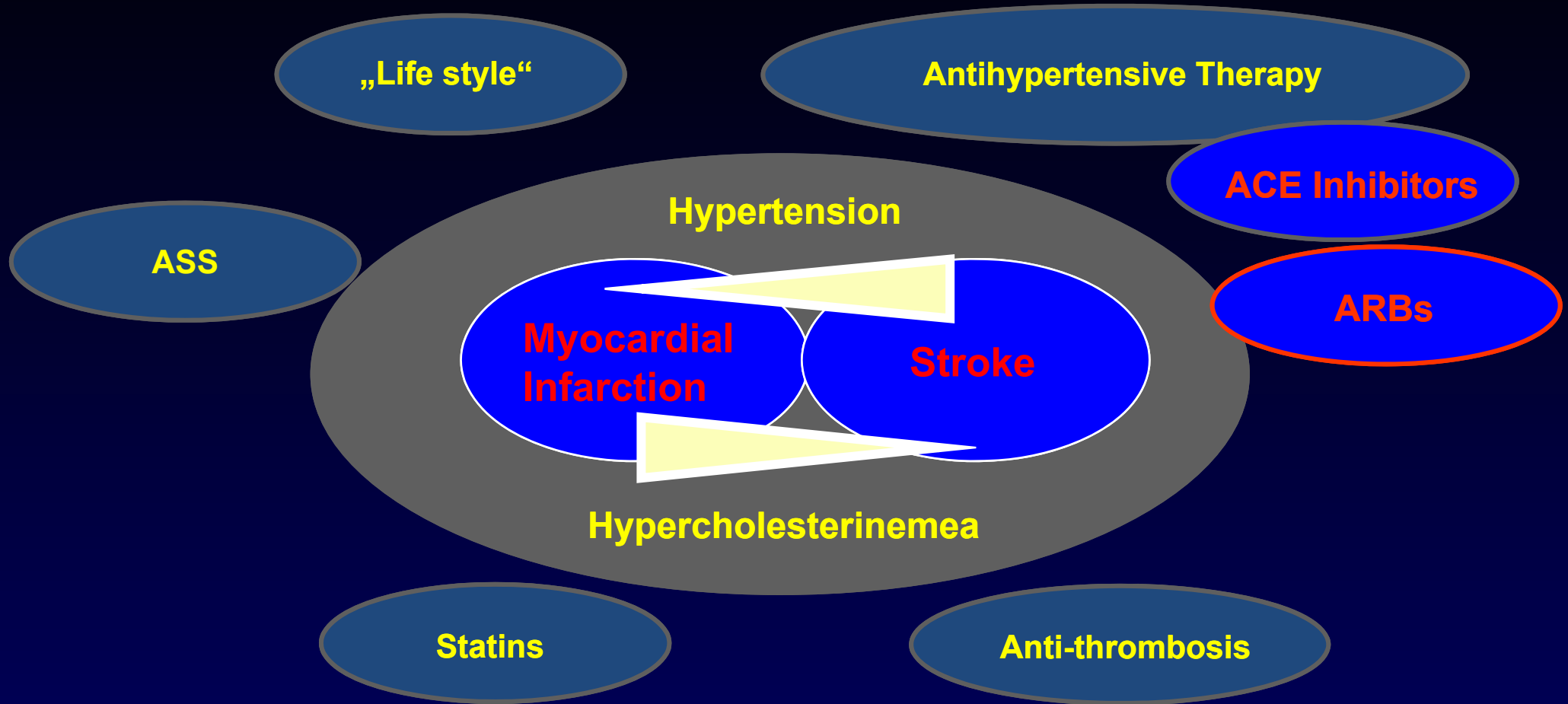
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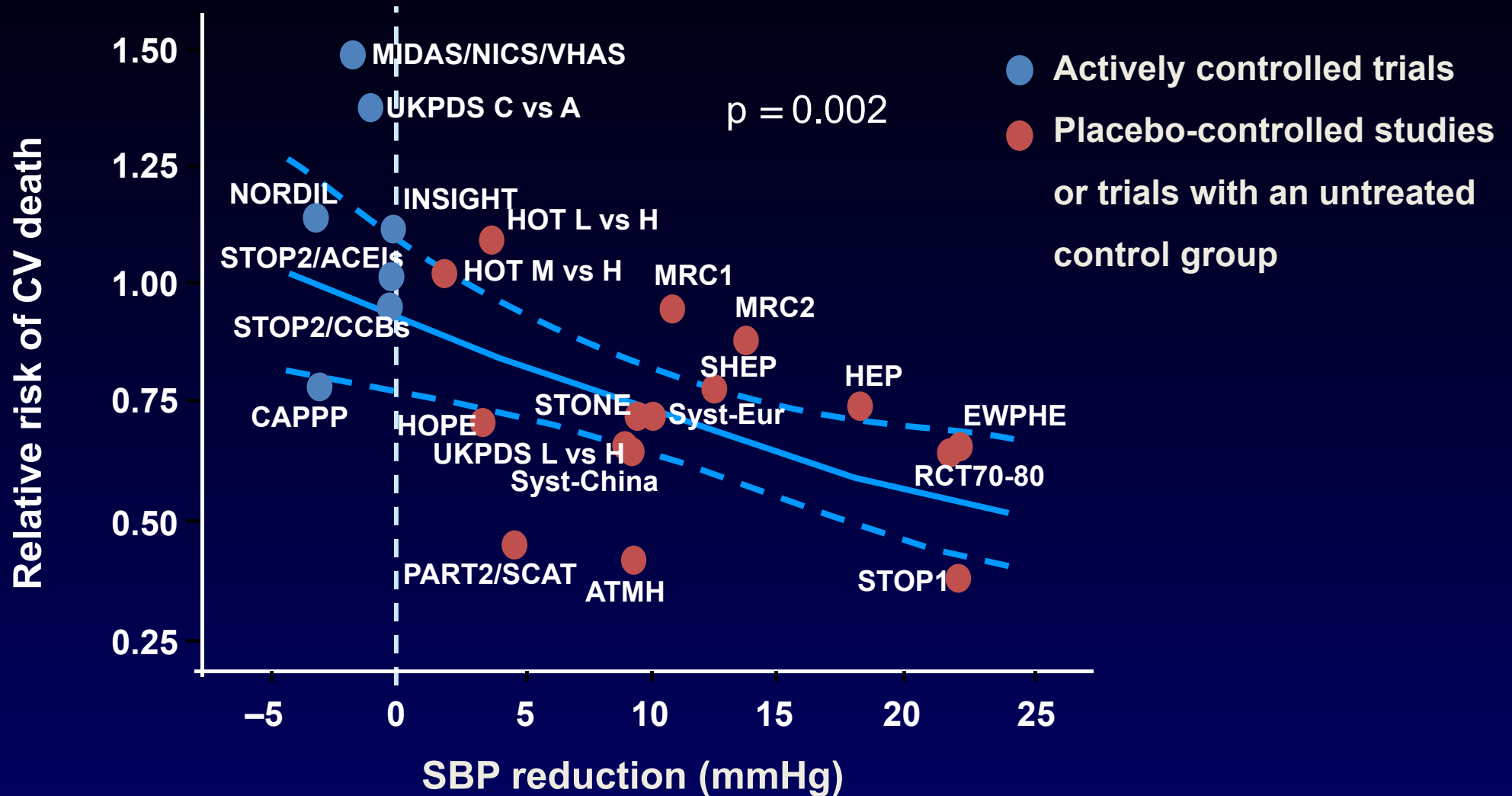


Interaction between Risk and Therapy



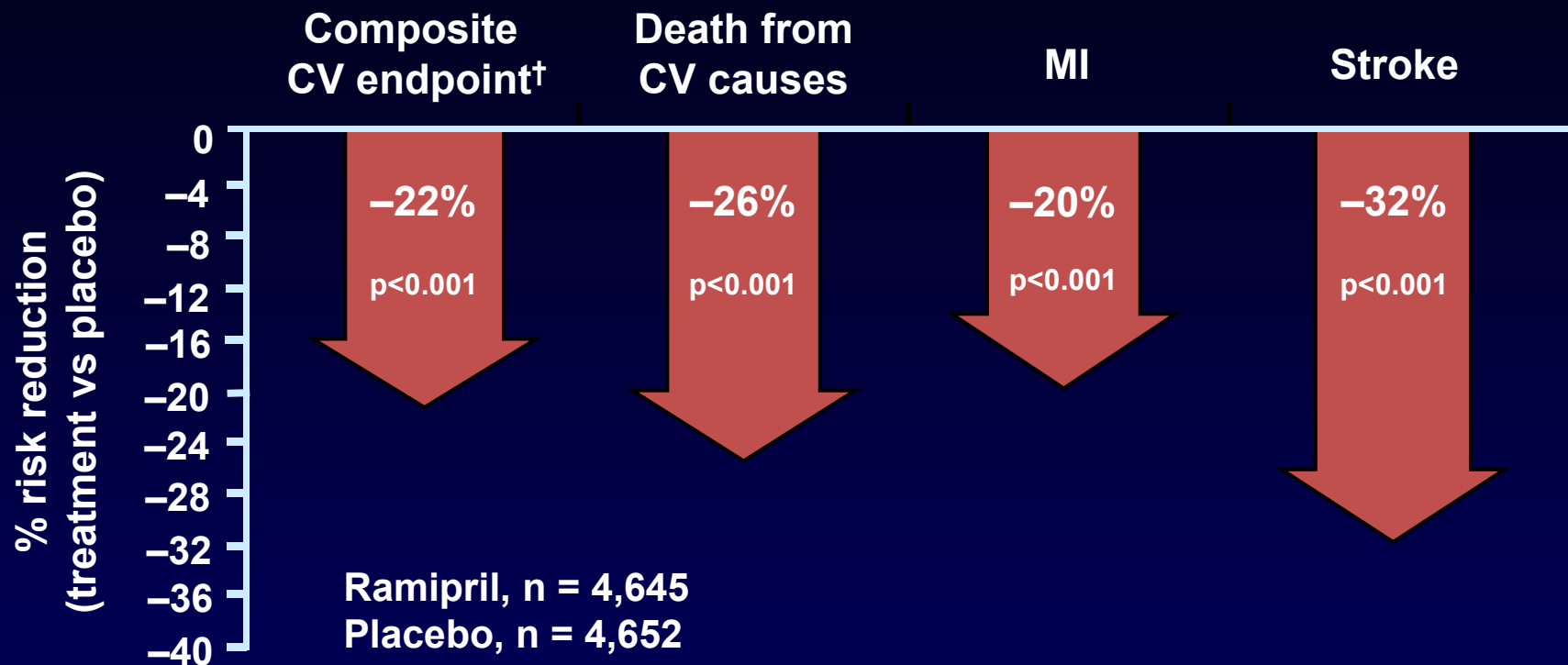
RAS-Inhibition – CV Global Protection?

BP reduction reduces CV risk



The ACEi ramipril reduces CV mortality and morbidity in CV high-risk patients

HOPE: CV high-risk patients; mean baseline SBP/DBP 139/79 mmHg

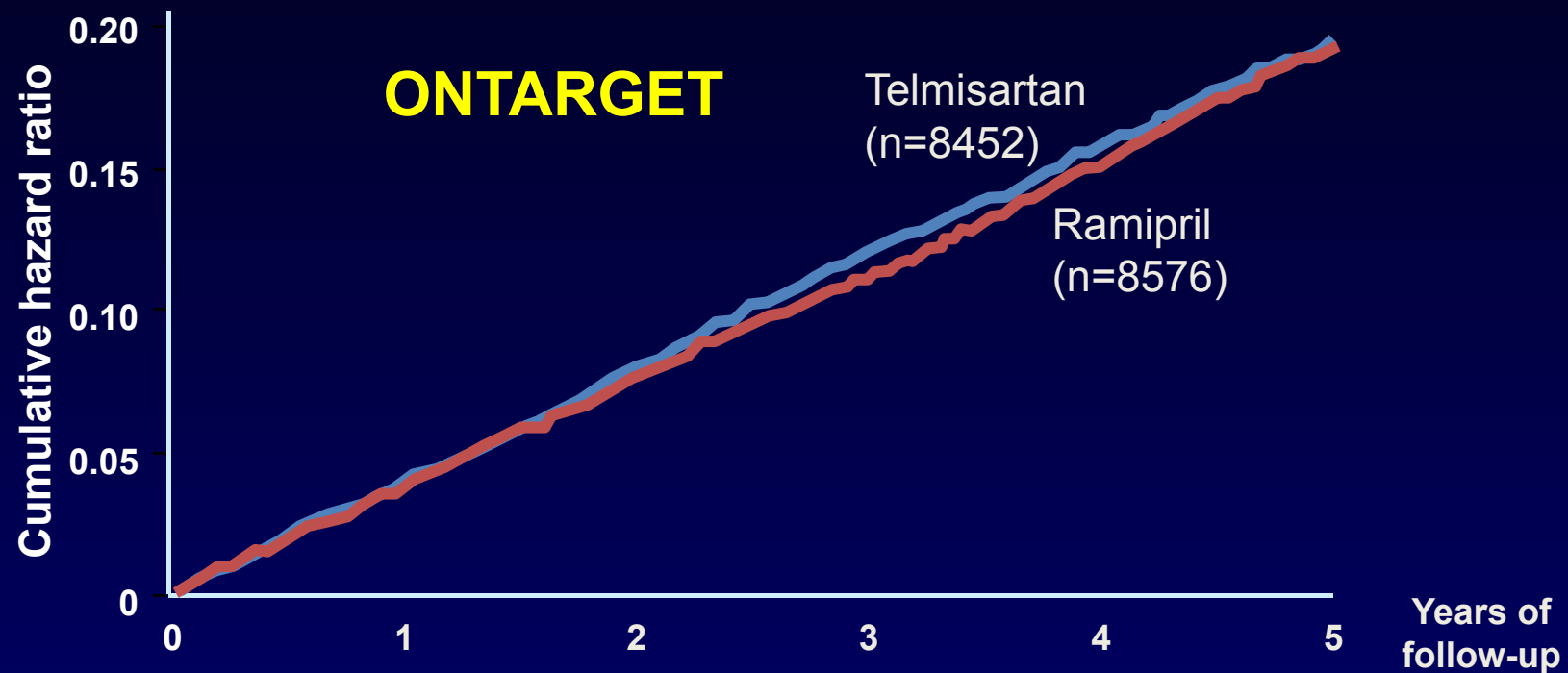


† Composite CV endpoint = death from CV causes + MI + stroke
HOPE = Heart Outcomes Prevention Evaluation

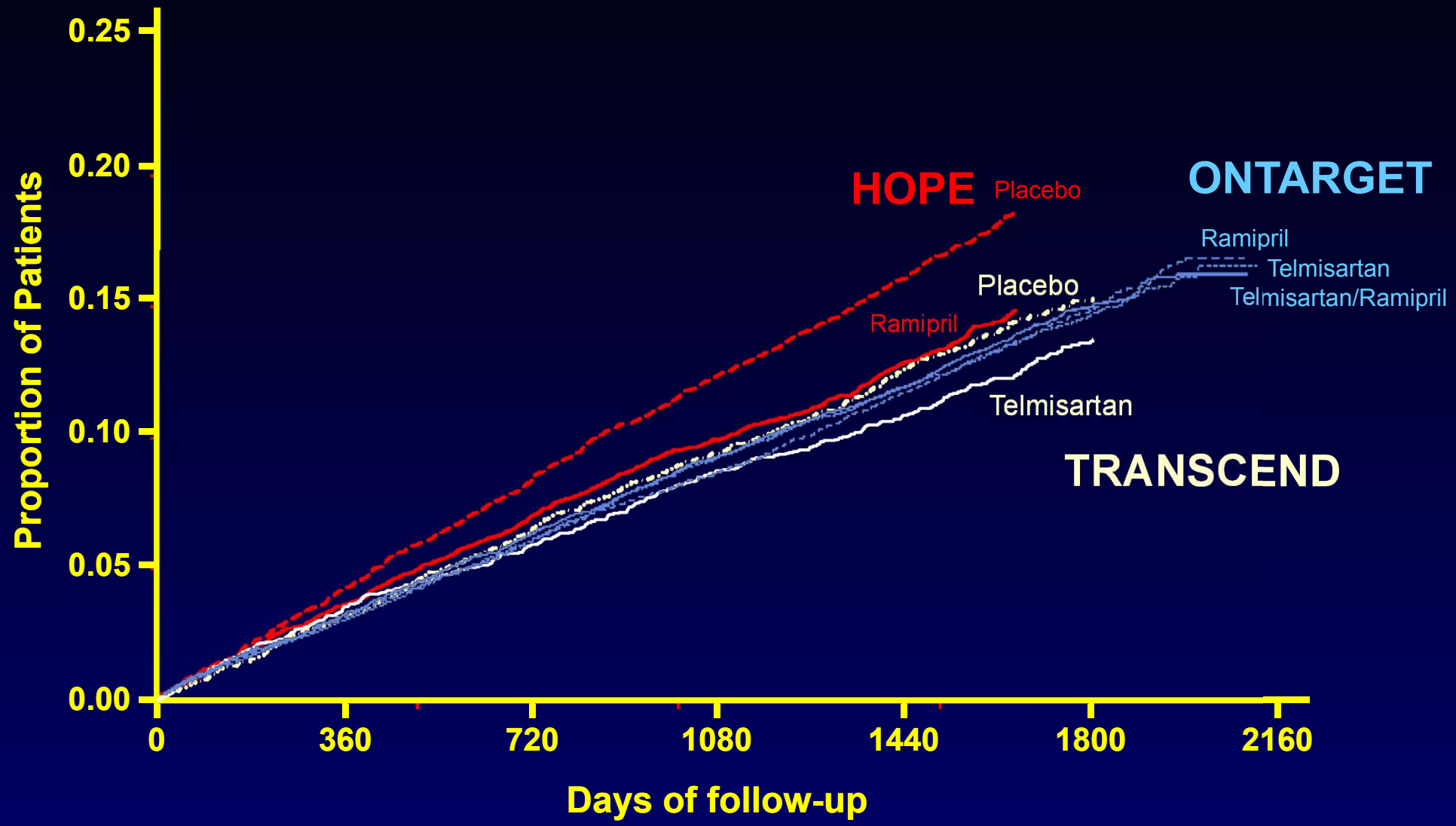
The ARB telmisartan is similarly effective to ramipril in preventing CV events in CV high-risk patients

Reduction in composite CV risk

(Primary endpoint: CV mortality, non-fatal MI, hospitalisation for CHF, non-fatal stroke)



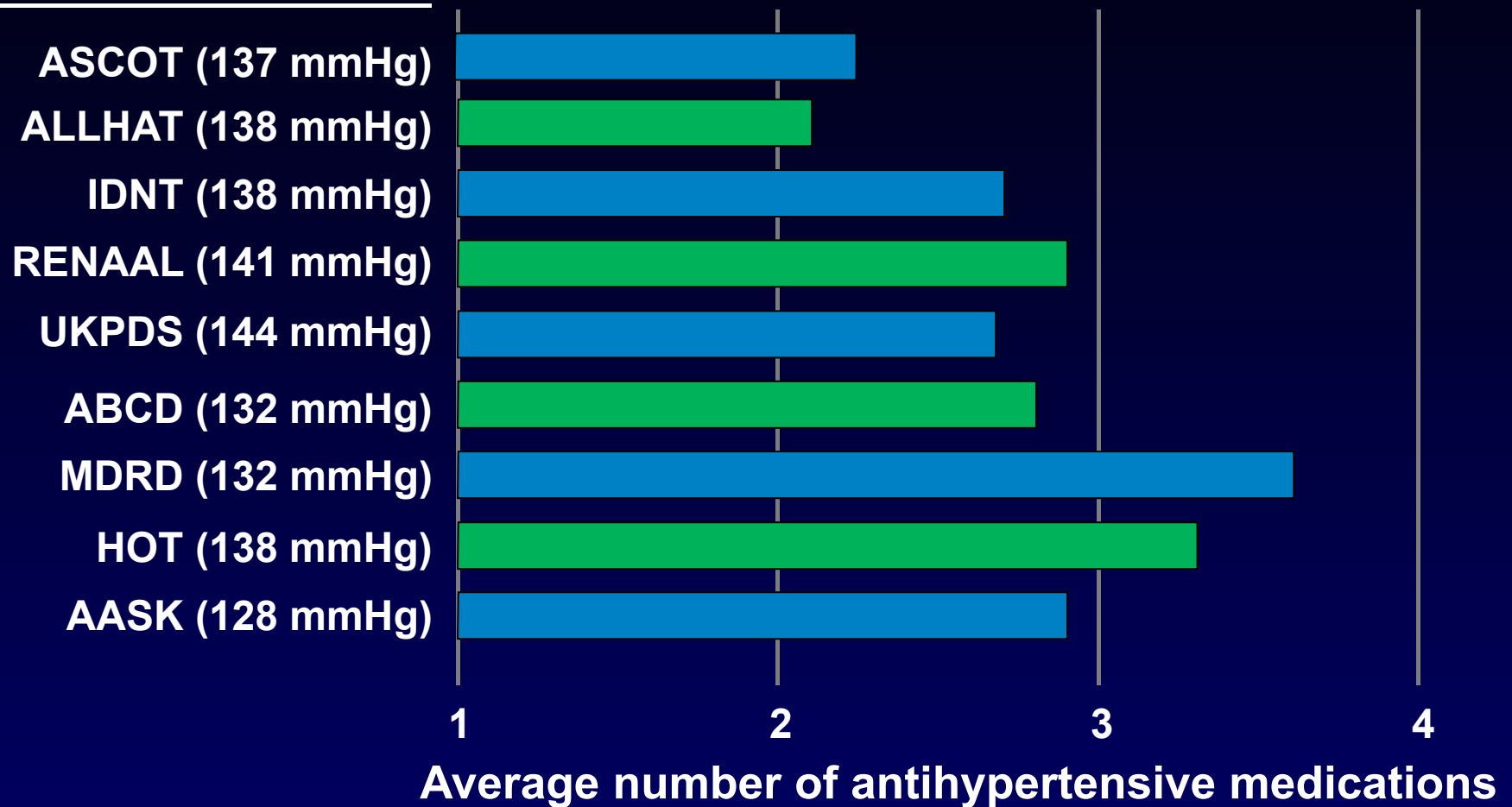
Major Studies in RAS-Inhibition (HOPE Composite) **Global Protection**



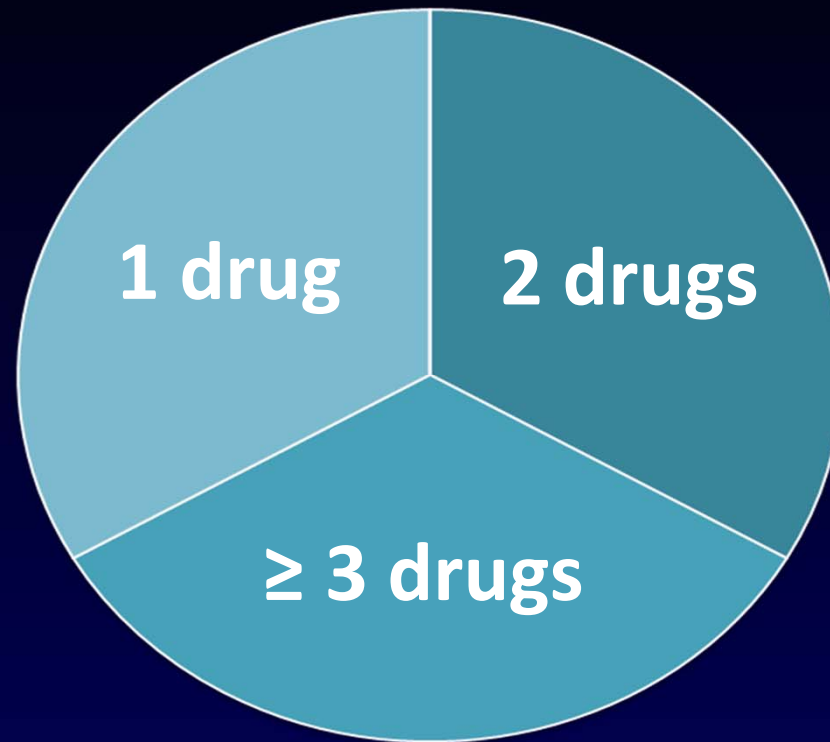
**Combination of
antihypertensive drug
in high-risk hypertension**

The Majority of Hypertensive Patients Need Combination Therapy to Achieve BP Goals

Trial (SBP achieved)



Treating Blood Pressure to Target “the rule of 1/3rds”



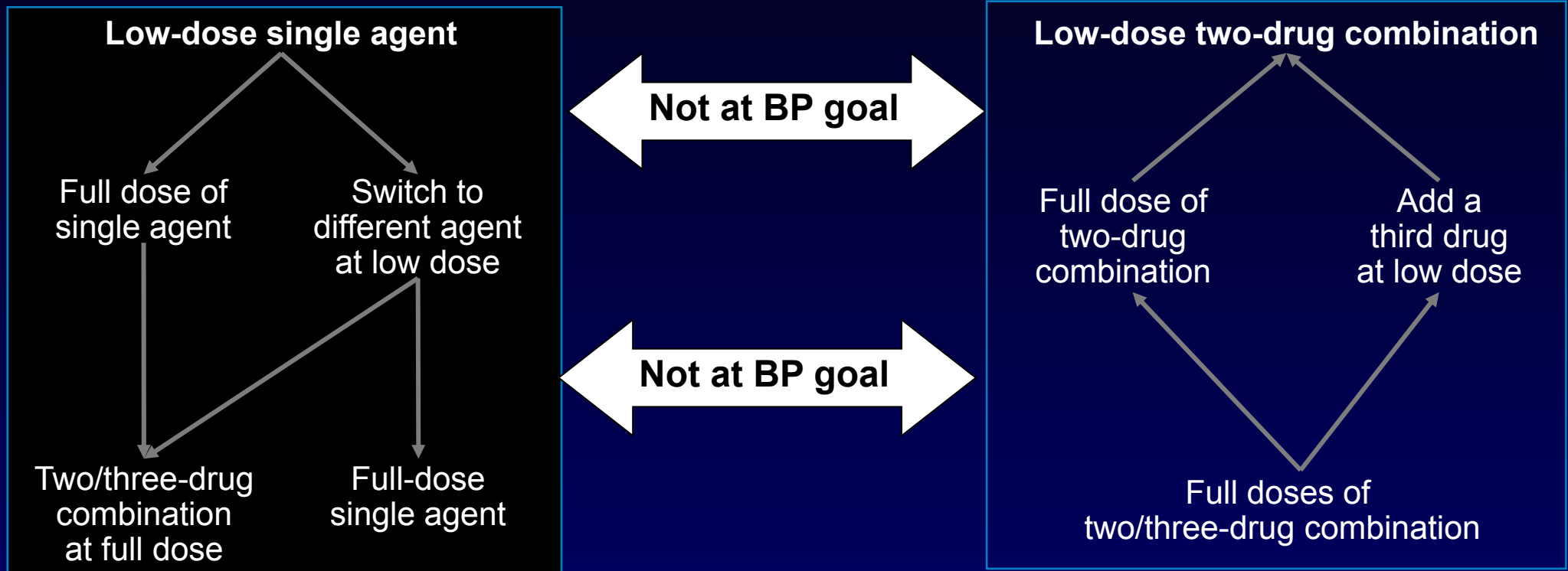
- **≥ 2/3rds require two or more drugs**
- **Combination therapy is the norm**
 - especially for patients at high risk

ESC/ESH: Algorithm for Treatment of Hypertension

Consider: BP level before treatment /absence or presence of target organ damage and risk factors

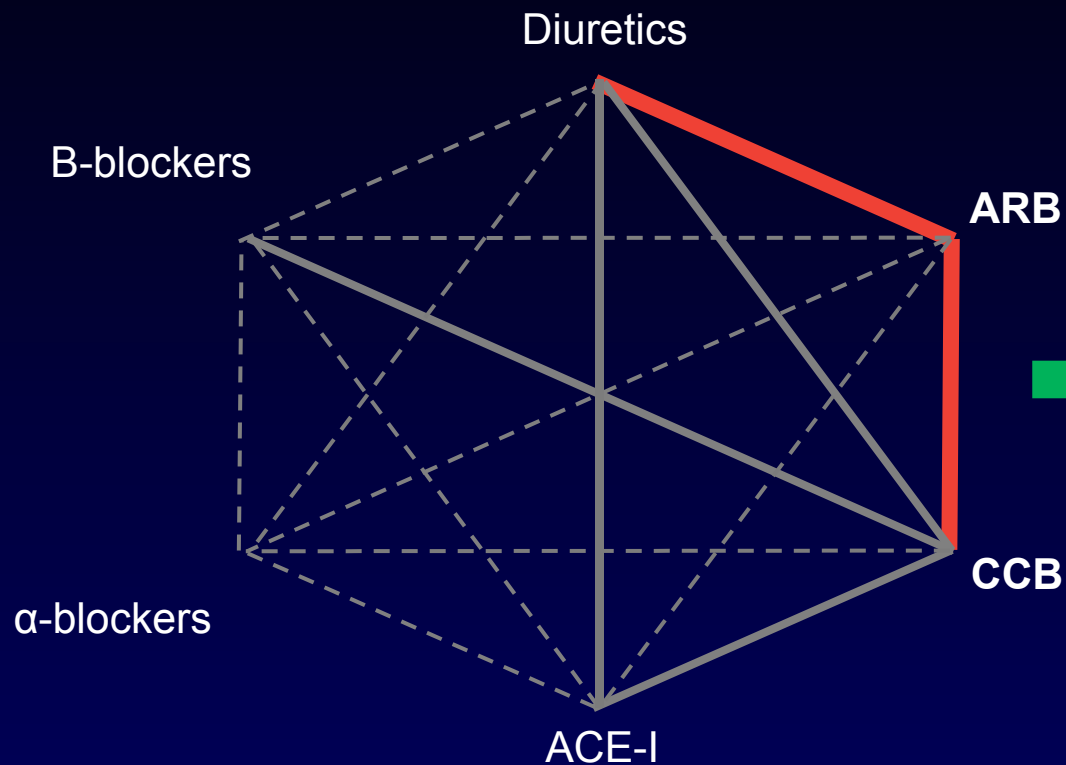
- Mild BP elevation
- Low/moderate CV risk
- Conventional BP target

- **Marked BP elevation**
- **High/very high CV risk**
- **Lower BP target**

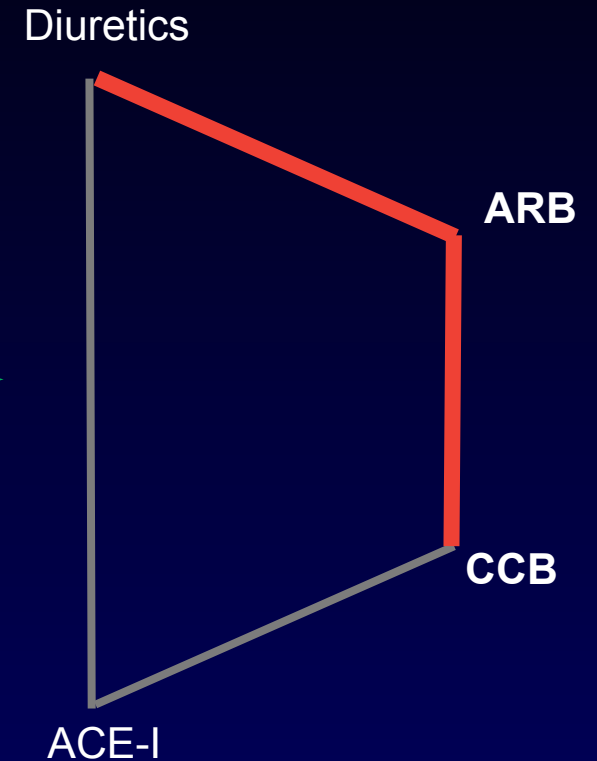


Reappraisal of ESH/ESC Guidelines Suggests Four Preferred Antihypertensive Drug Classes

2007



2009

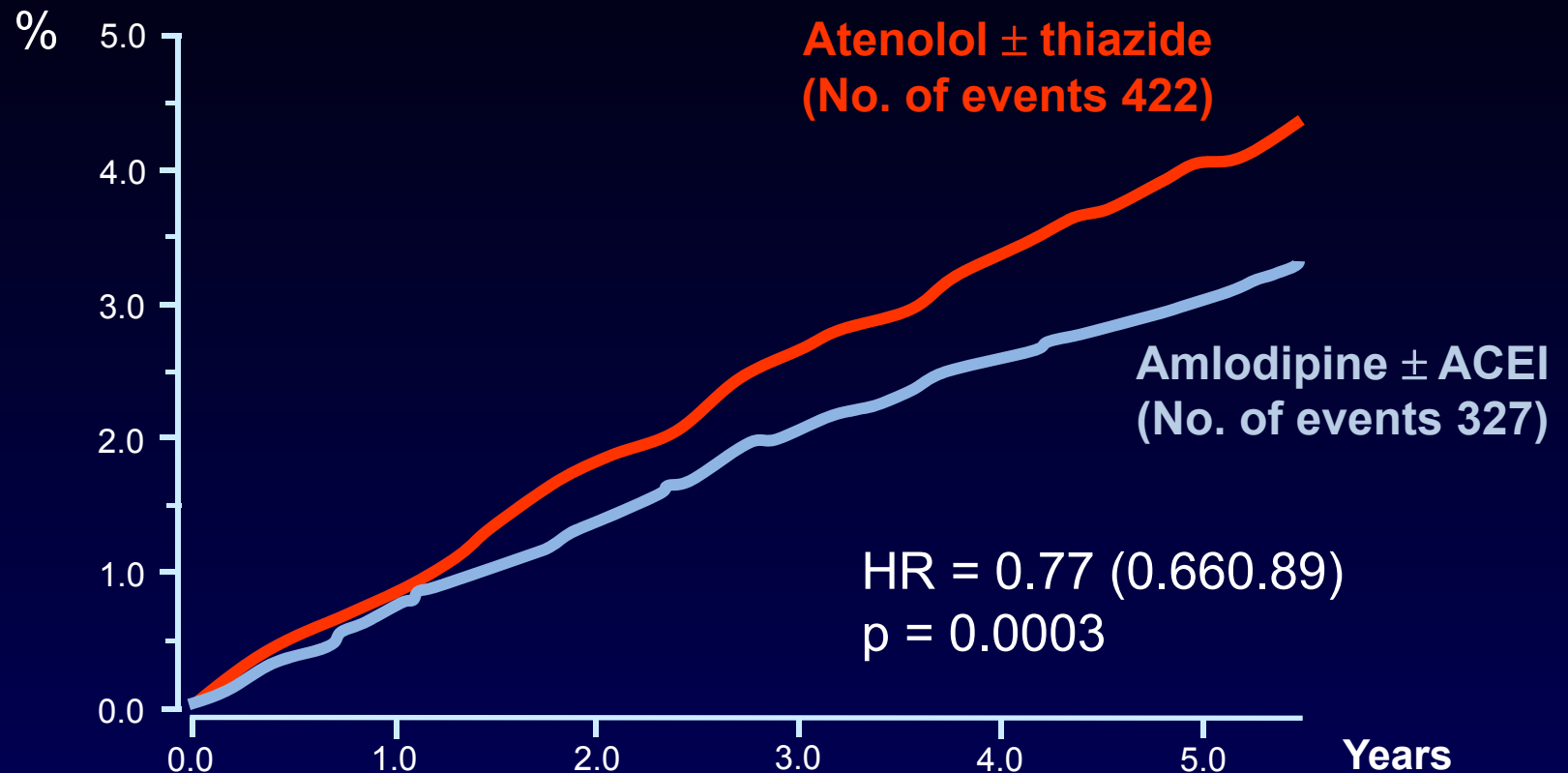


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- Most rational combinations
- - Combinations used as necessary

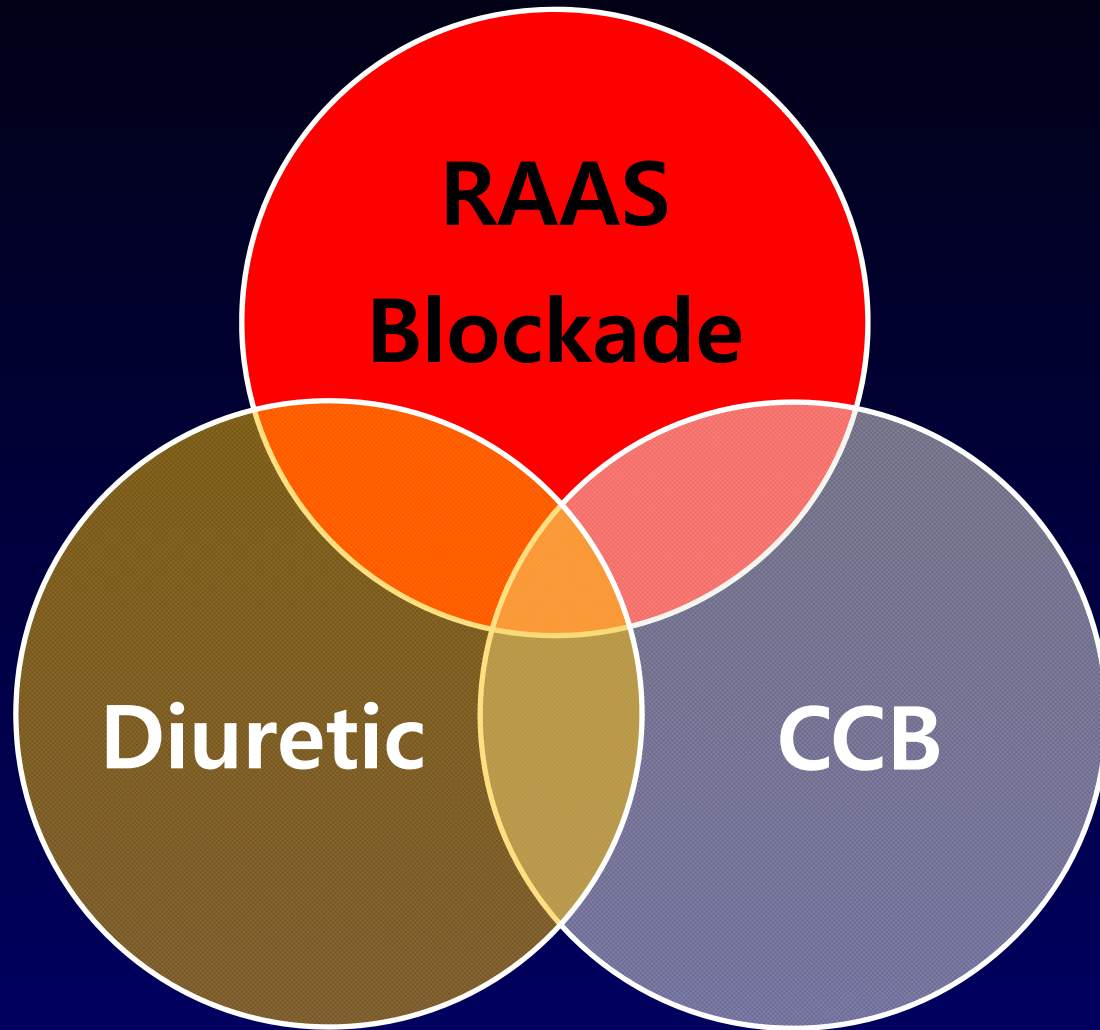
ASCOT: Fatal & Nonfatal Stroke



Number at risk

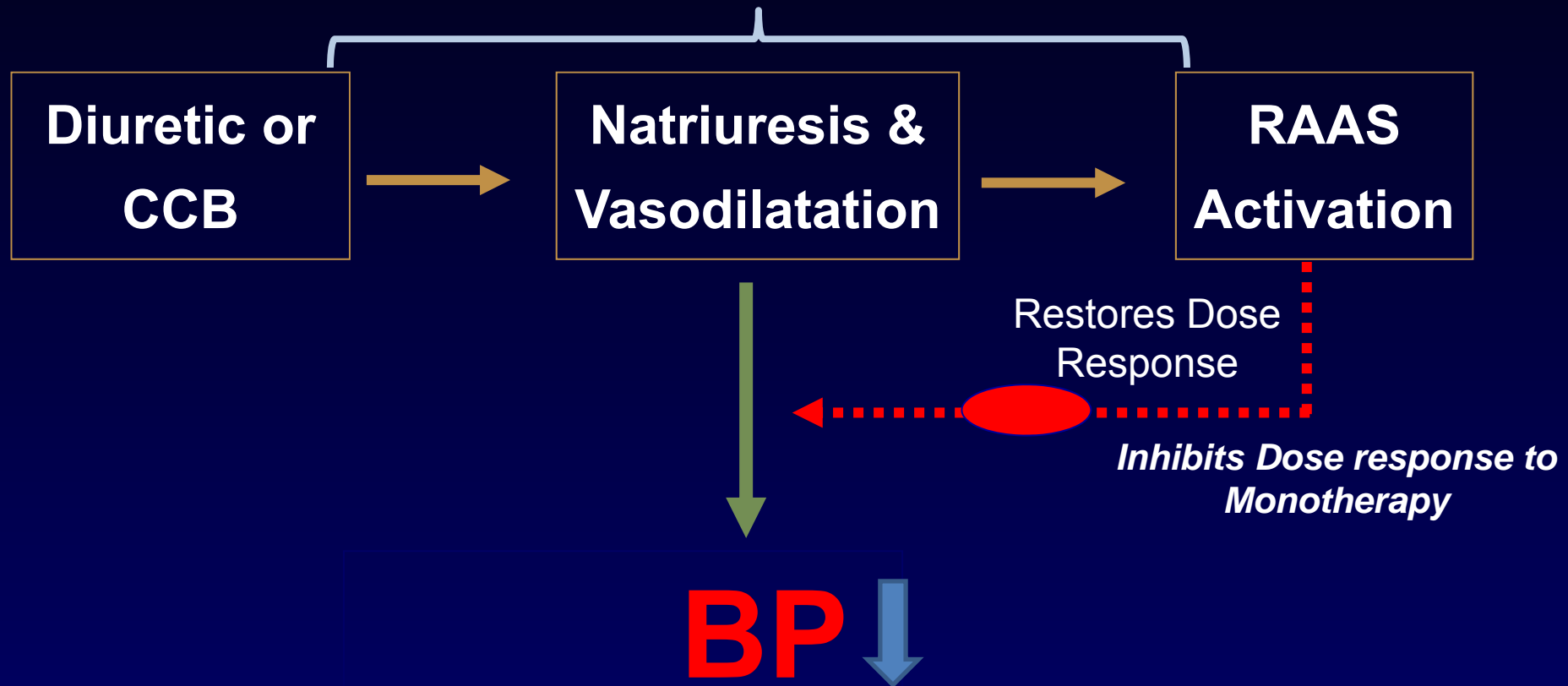
Amlodipine ± perindopril	9639	9483	9331	9156	8972	7863
Atenolol ± thiazide	9618	9461	9274	9059	8843	7720

Simplifying Combination Therapy

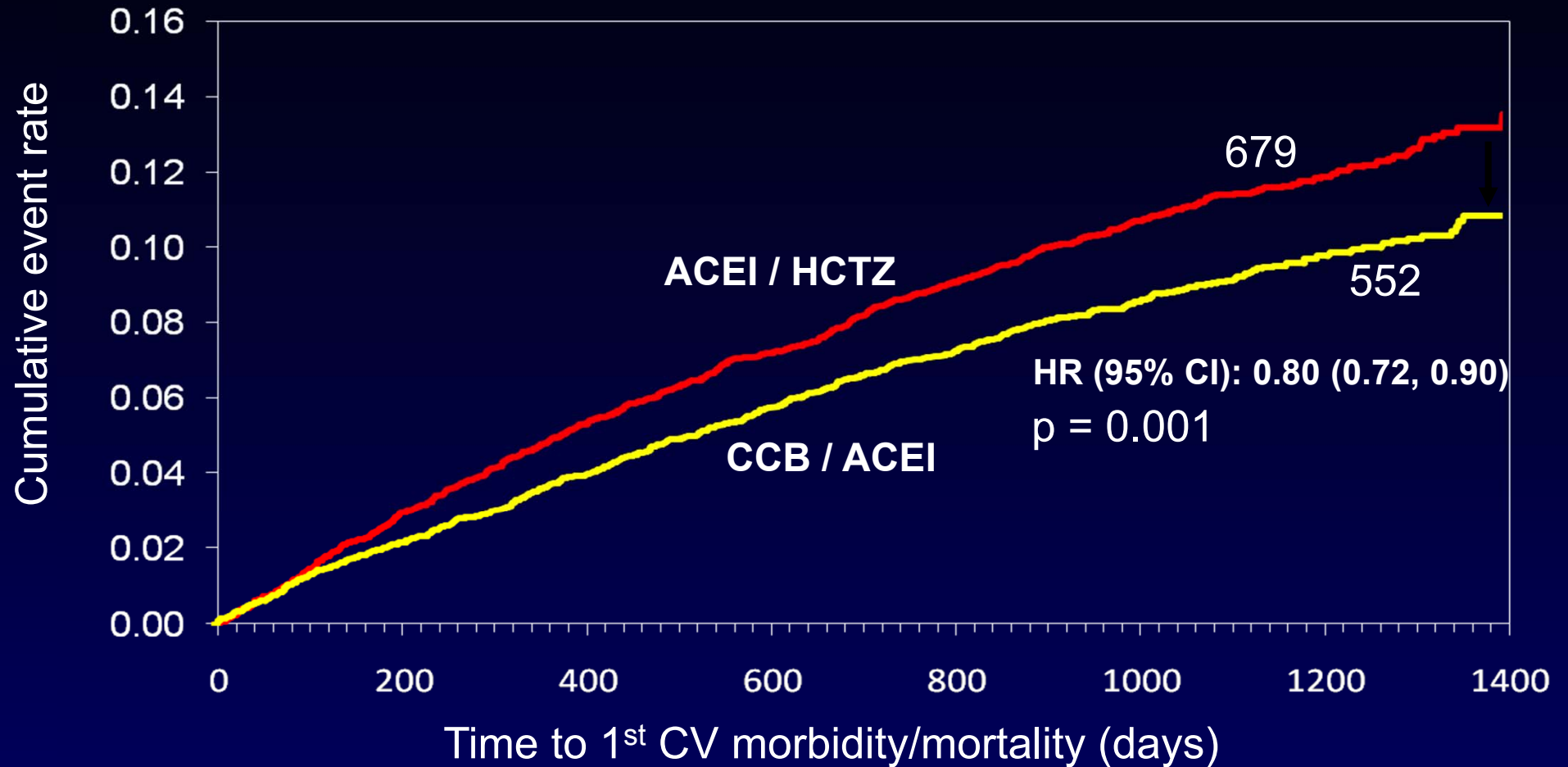


Combination Therapy Restores Dose Response

Combination Therapy



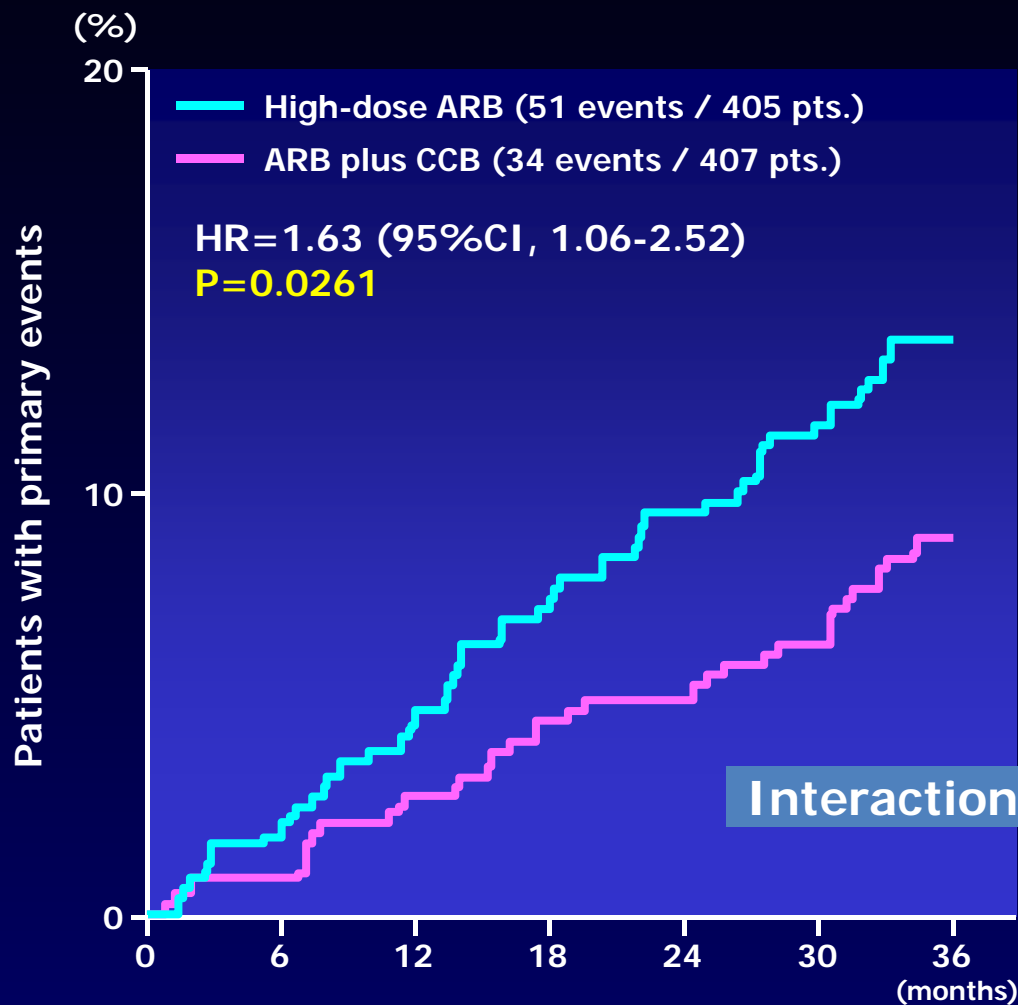
ACCOMPLISH: Morbidity/mortality



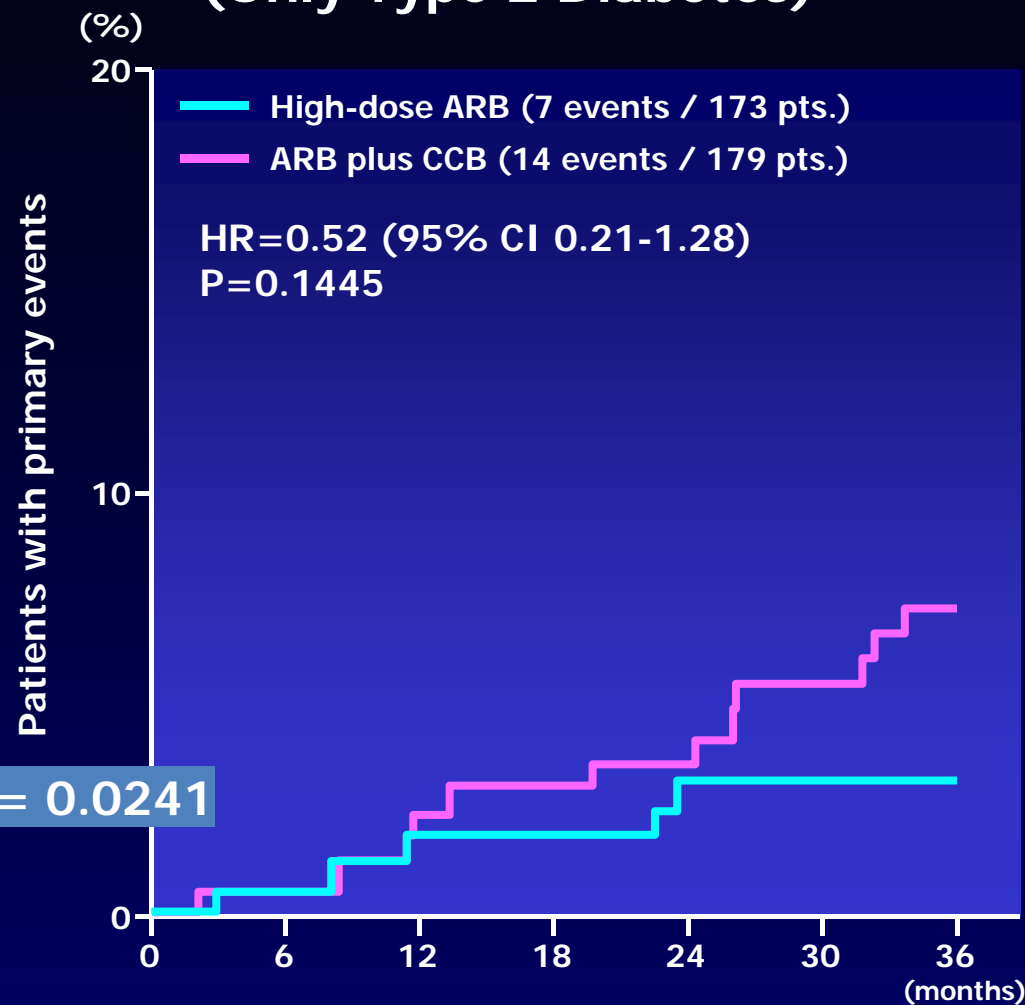
Primary Composite Endpoint in Subgroup of Patients with CVD or only Type 2 DM

OSCAR Study

Cardiovascular Disease(+)



Cardiovascular Disease(-) (Only Type 2 Diabetes)



Interaction P = 0.0241

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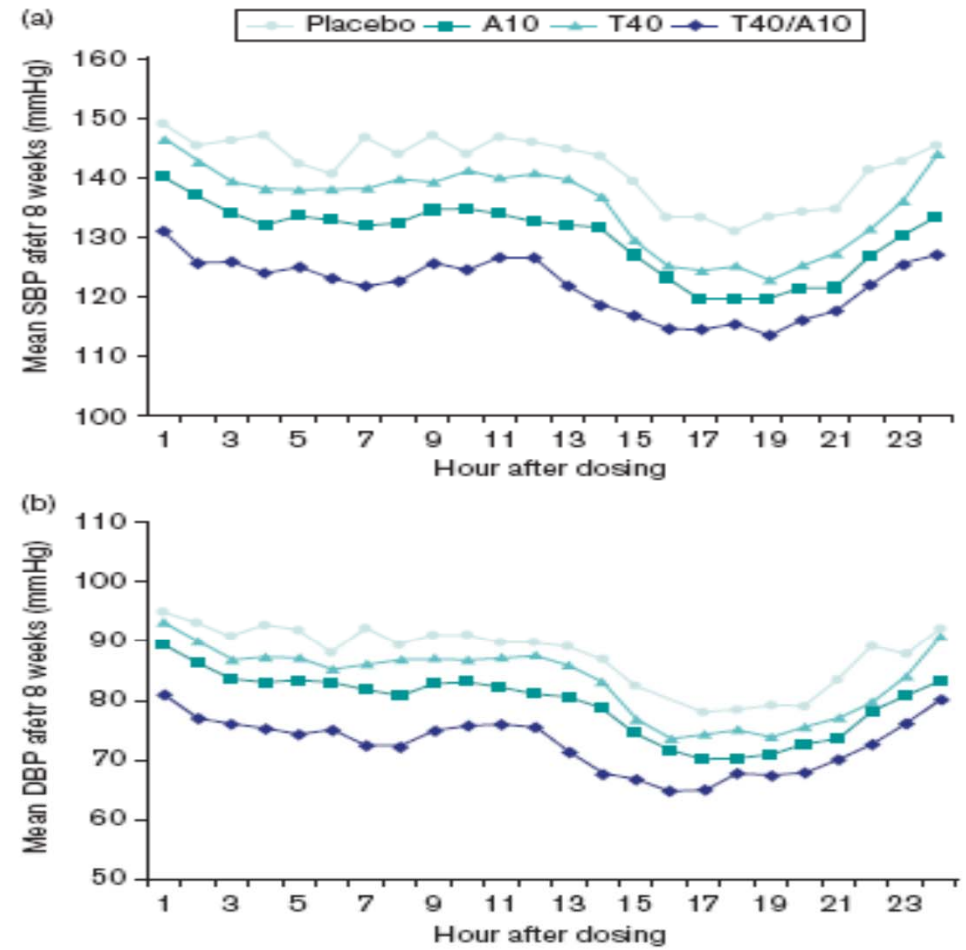
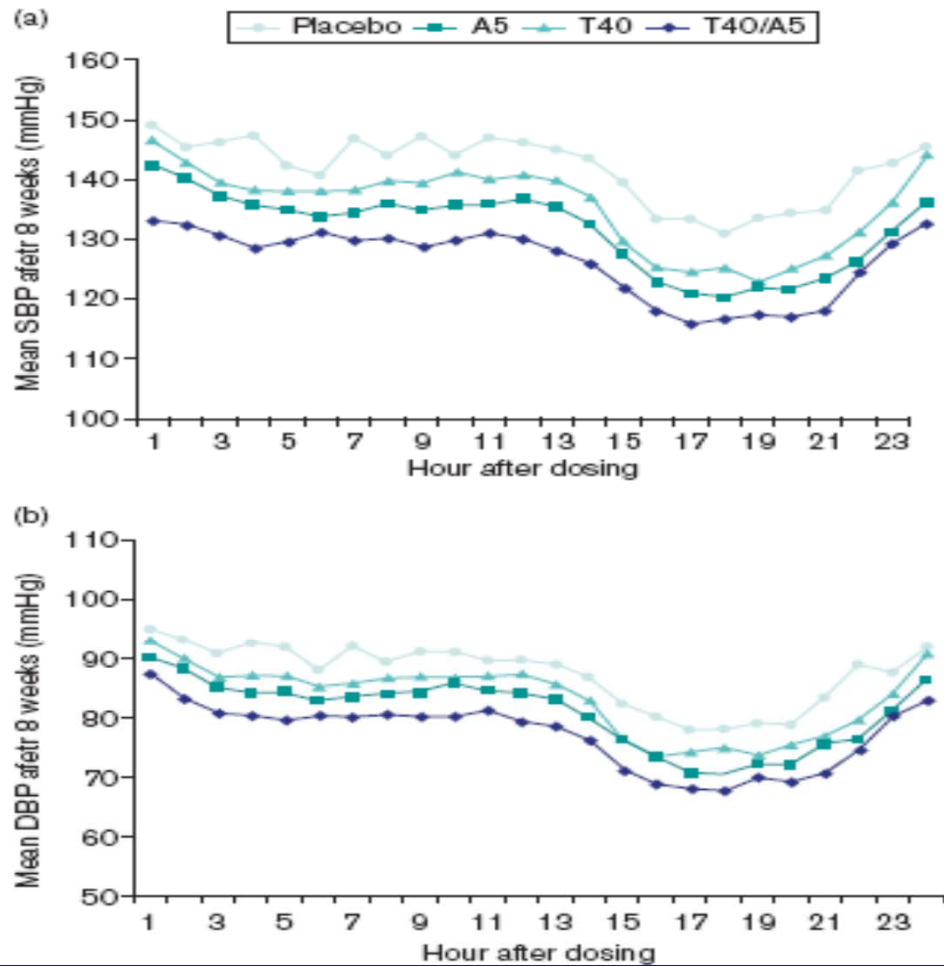
Not getting the added protection that we are relying on, could result in



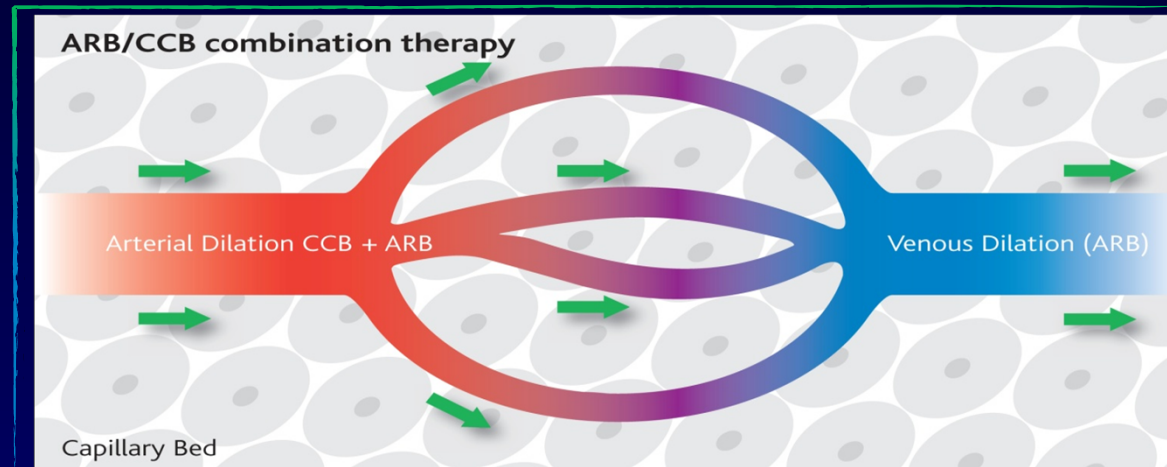
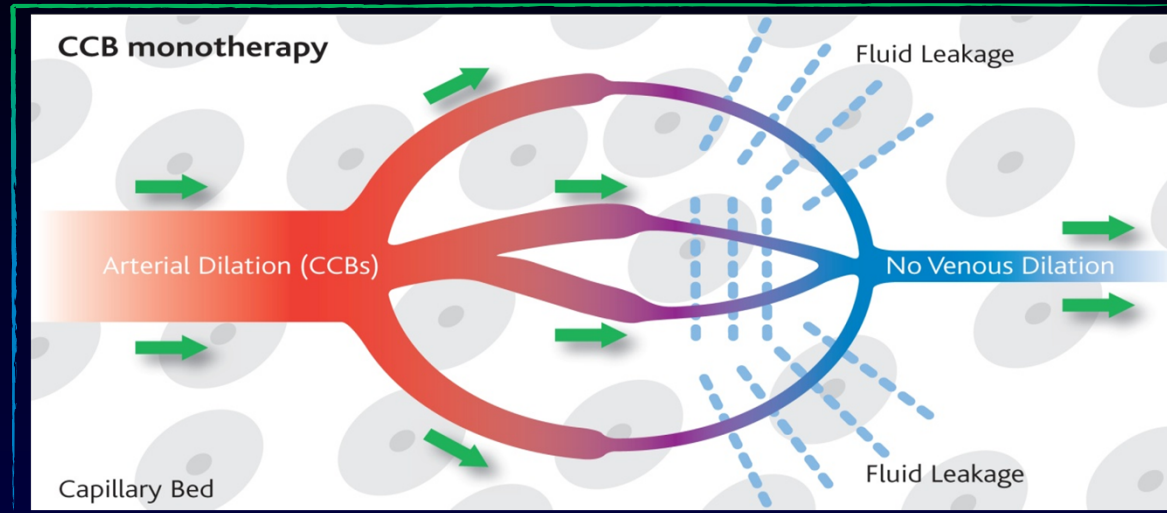
Anti-Raucher-Forum e.V.

**unexpected,
unpleasant
side effects**

ARB+CCB combination vs. ARB or CCB alone in 24h BP reductions

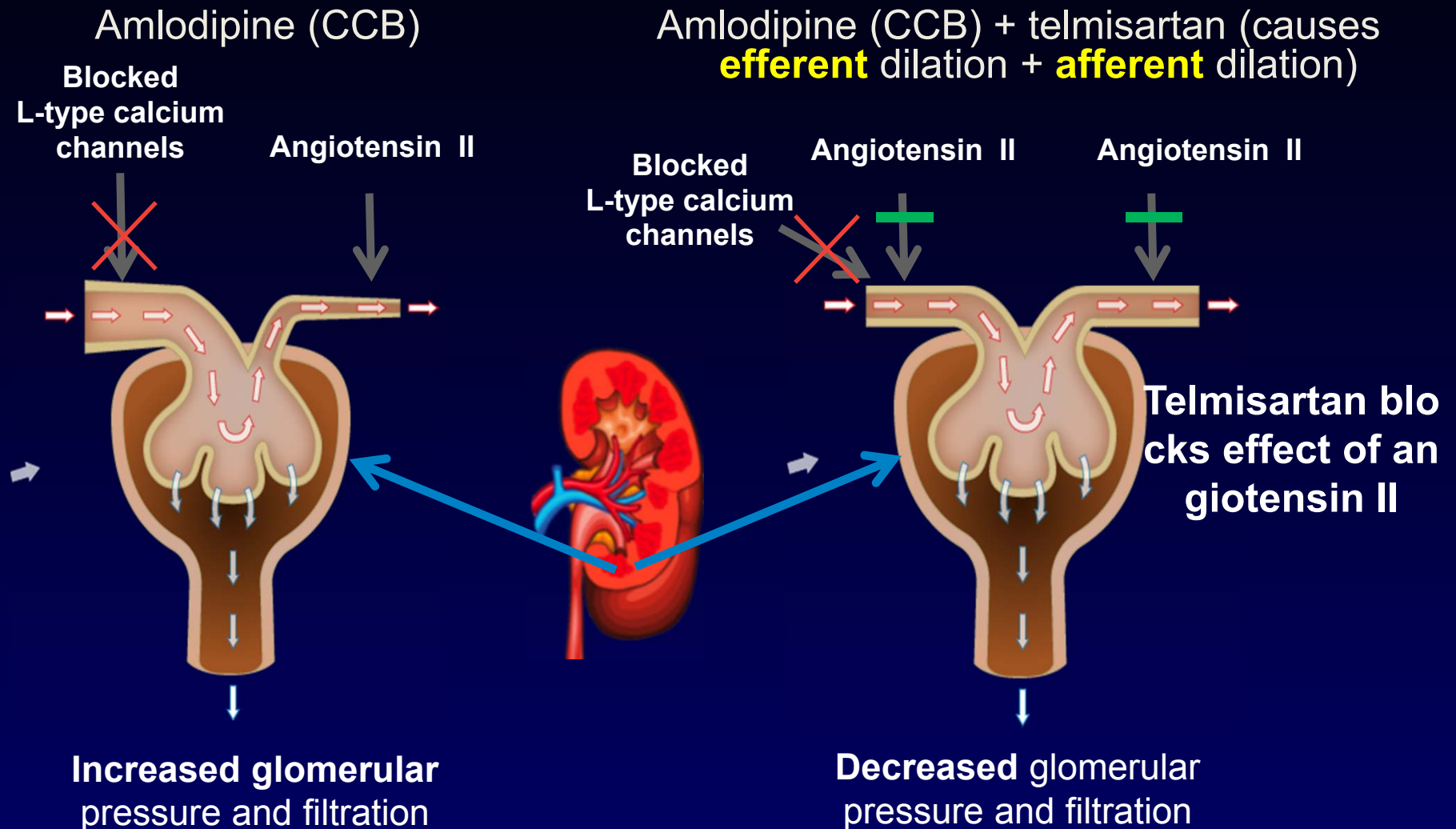


Venous fluid leakage induced by CCBs ... gets reduced by co-administration of ARBs

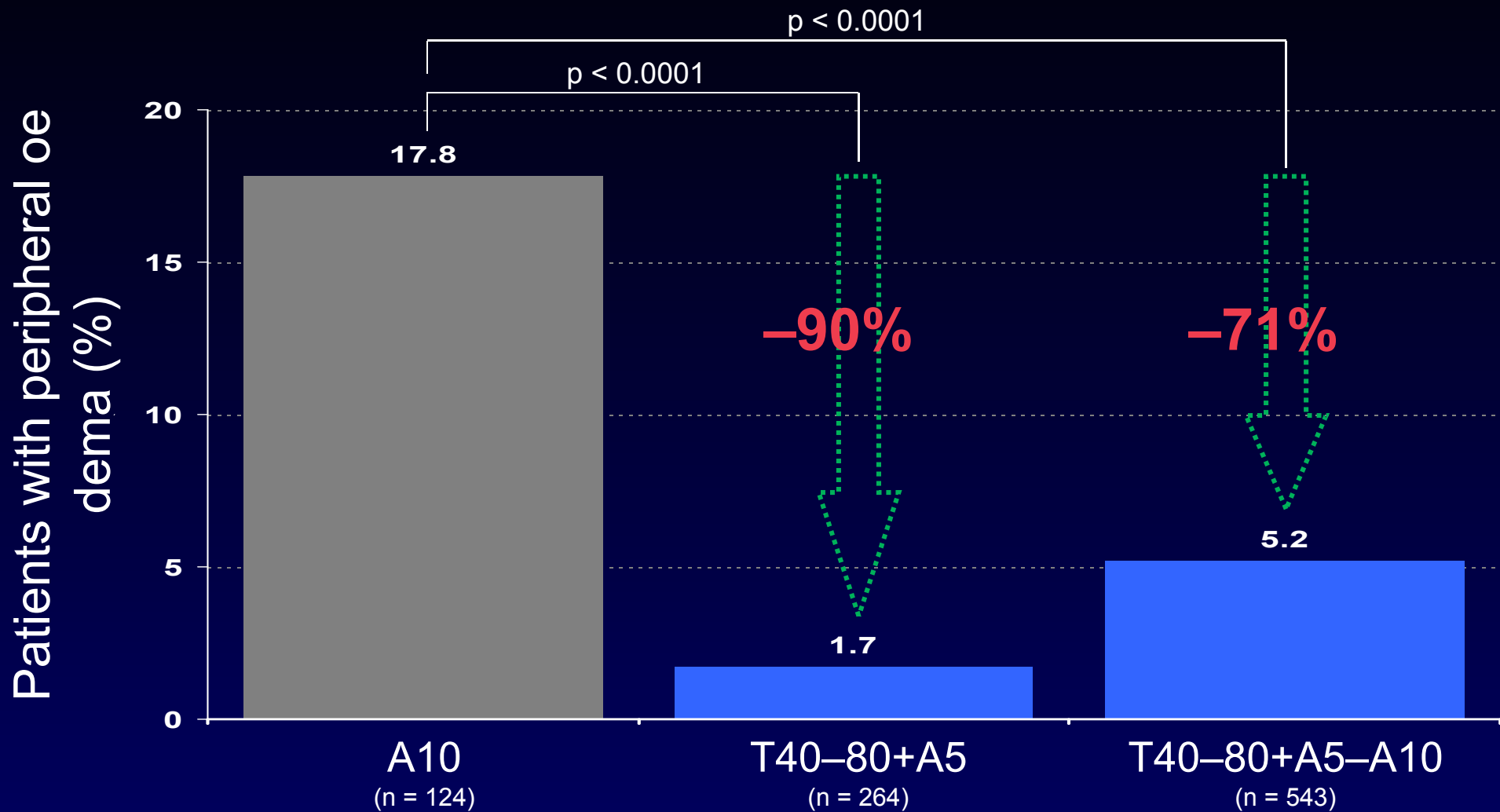


Opie et al. In: Opie LH, editor. *Drugs for the Heart*. 3rd ed. 1991:42–73; White et al. *Clin Pharmacol Ther*. 1986;39:43–48; Gustaffson. *J Cardiovasc Pharmacol*. 1987;10:S121–S131; Messerli et al. *Am J Cardiol*. 2000;86:1182–1187.

In a preclinical model, renal hyperfiltration induced by a CCB is reduced by an ARB



Telmisartan+Amlodipine is Associated With Less Peripheral Oedema Compared With Amlodipine 10mg





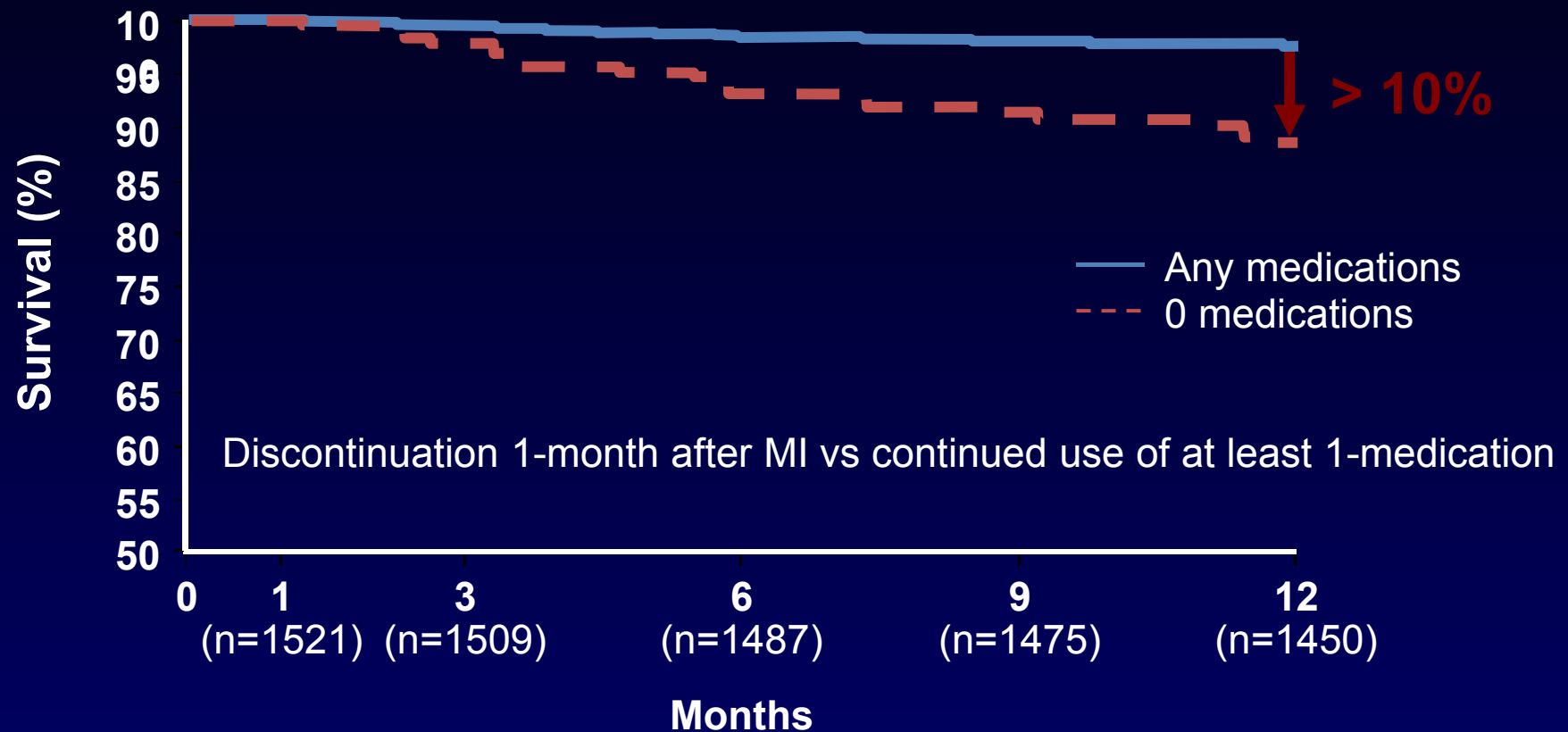
“Drugs Don’t Work in Patients who Don’t Take Them”



C. Everett Koop, MD, US Surgeon General (1982 to 1989)

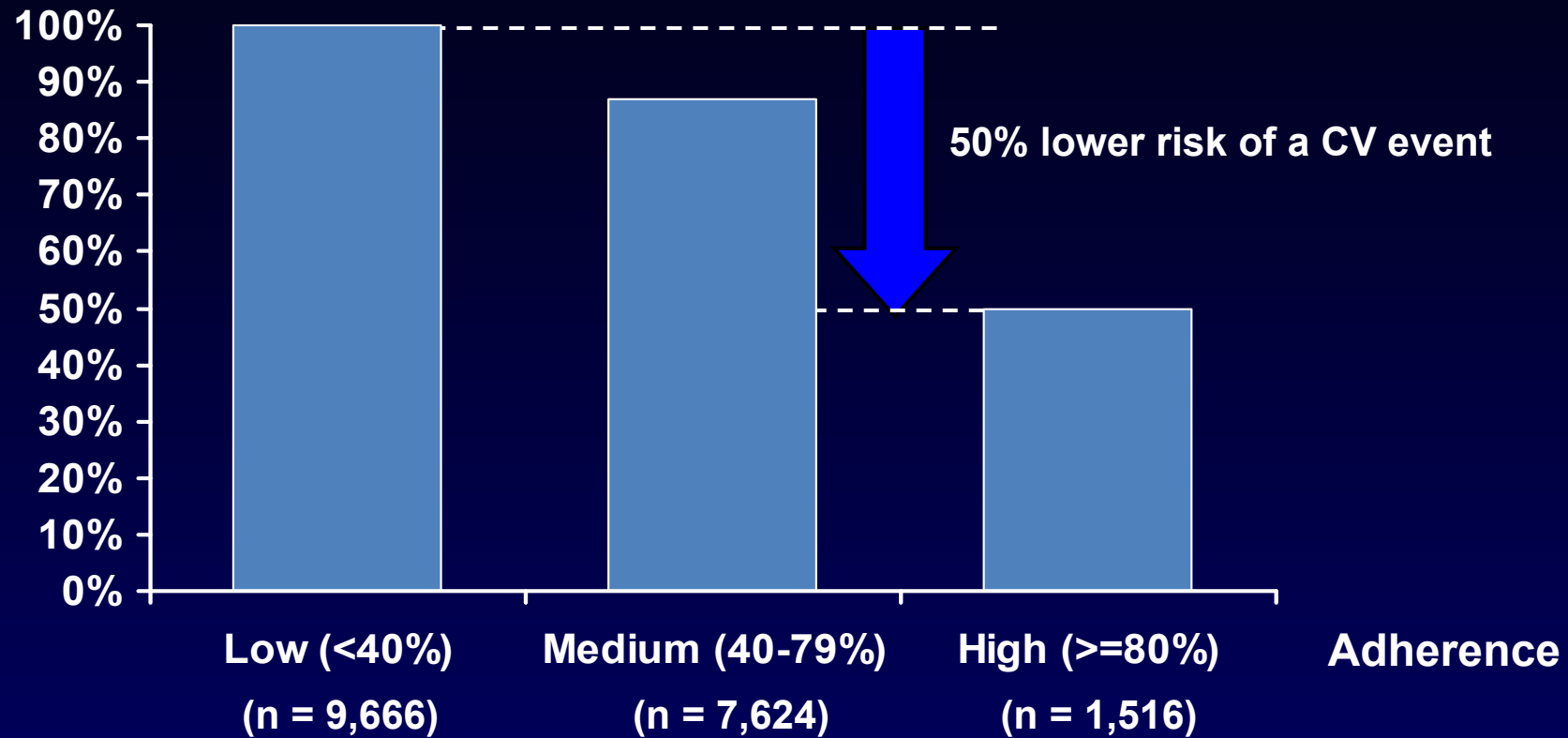
Treatment adherence is important

Impact of medication therapy discontinuation on mortality



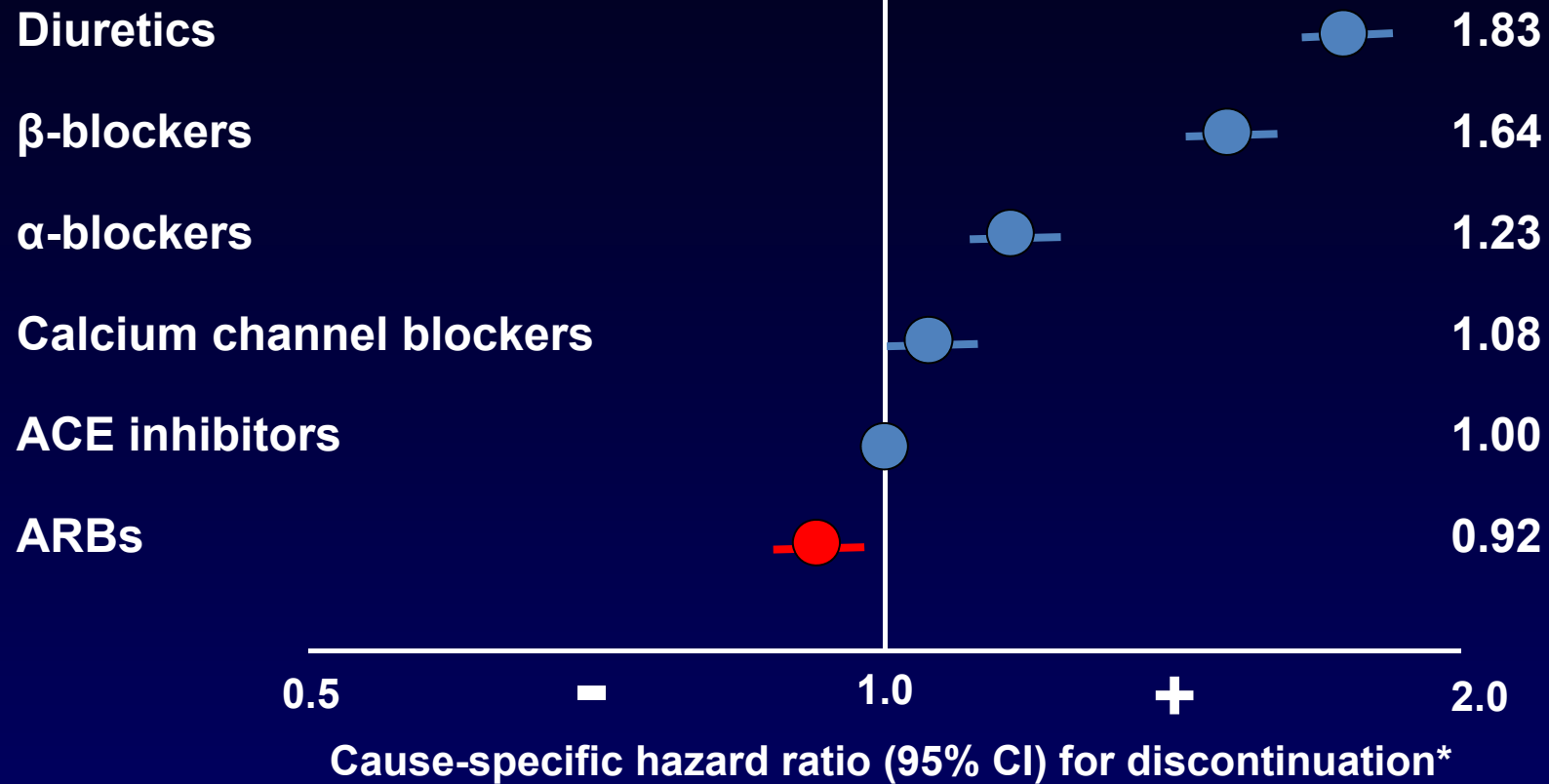
Patients who are adherent are at lower CV risk

Relative risk of a CV event

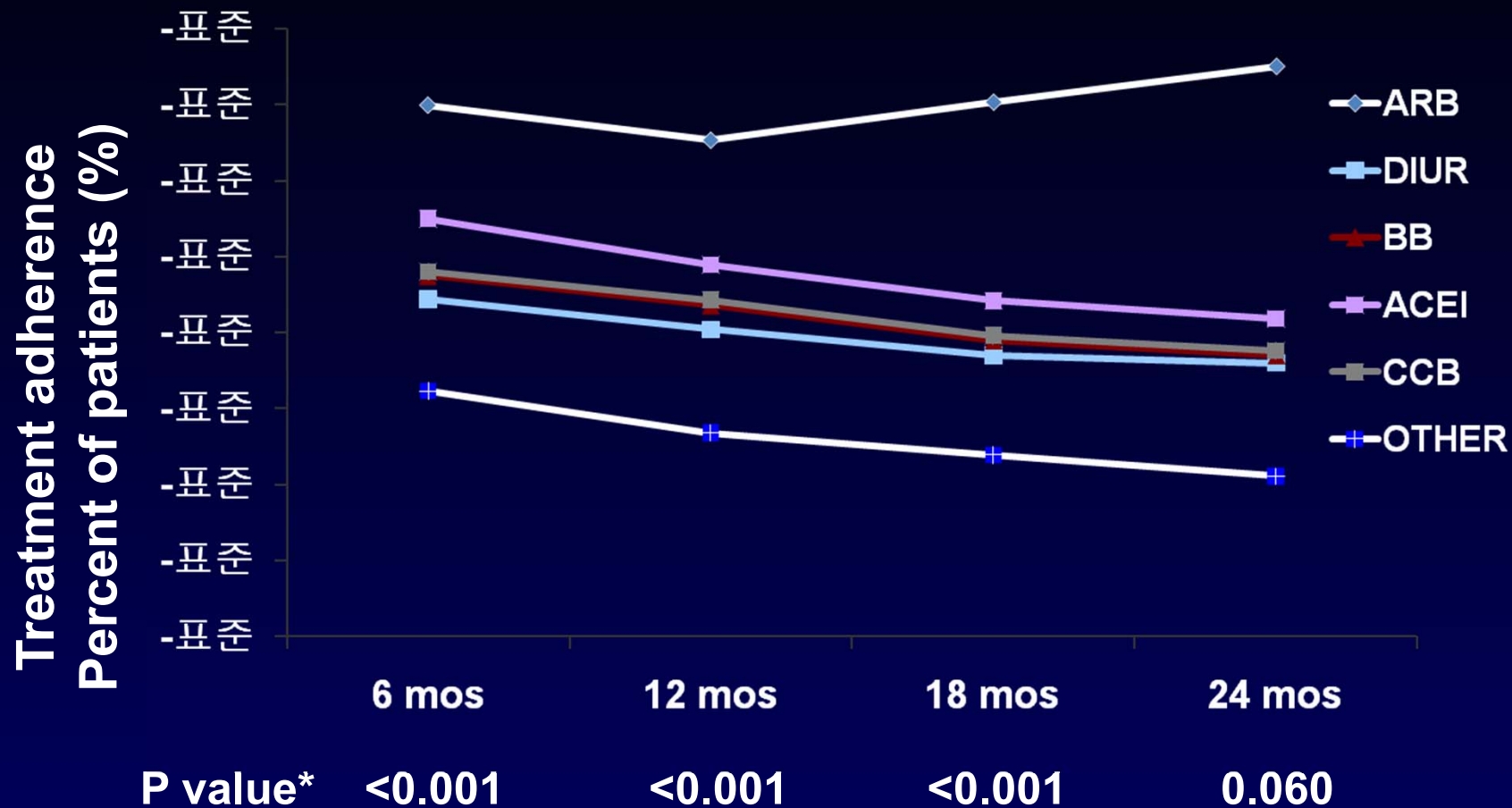


Treatment adherence is highest with ARBs at 1 year

Total n = 445,356



ARBs are considered to have the best treatment adherence over time



* ARB p value vs each of the other classes (Chi-Square)
 Chaput AJ. Can J Cardiol 2000;16(suppl F):194A.

Persistence with ARBs over 4 years

15,175 patients

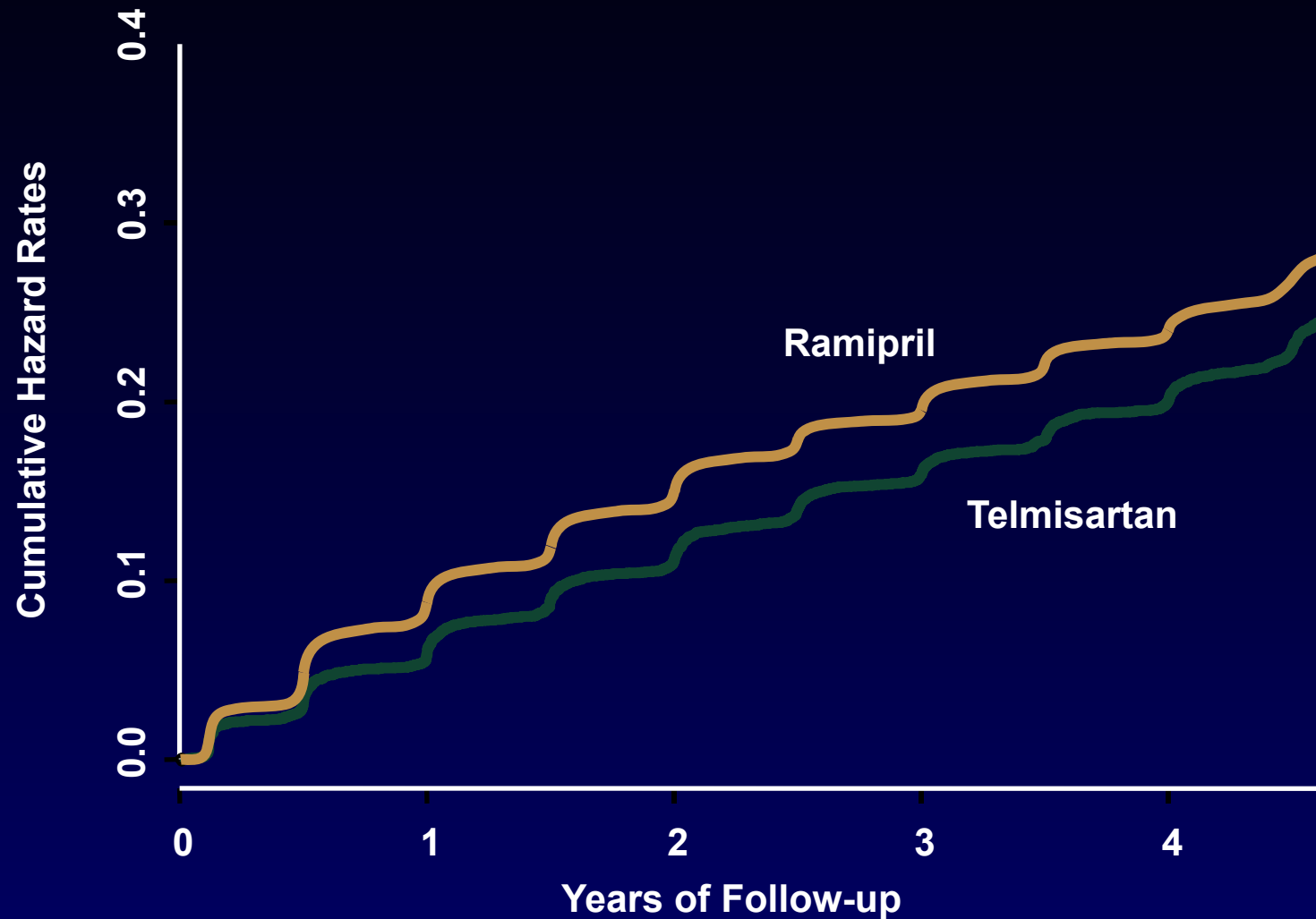
Persistence in the ARB class > ACE-I, CCB, BB and Diuretic:

- 12 months ($p=0.05$)
- 24 months ($p<0.007$)
- 36 months ($p<0.01$)
- 48 months versus CCB, BB and Diuretic ($p<0.03$)
with a statistical trend for ACE ($p=0.095$)
- HALF of patients in the beta blocker and diuretic class were

NOT BEING TREATED AT ALL by 4 years

Bocuzzi SJ et al. *Am J Hypertens* 2001;14:10A

ONTARGET: Time to Permanent Discontinuation of Study Medication



ONTARGET: Reasons for Permanently Stopping Study Medications

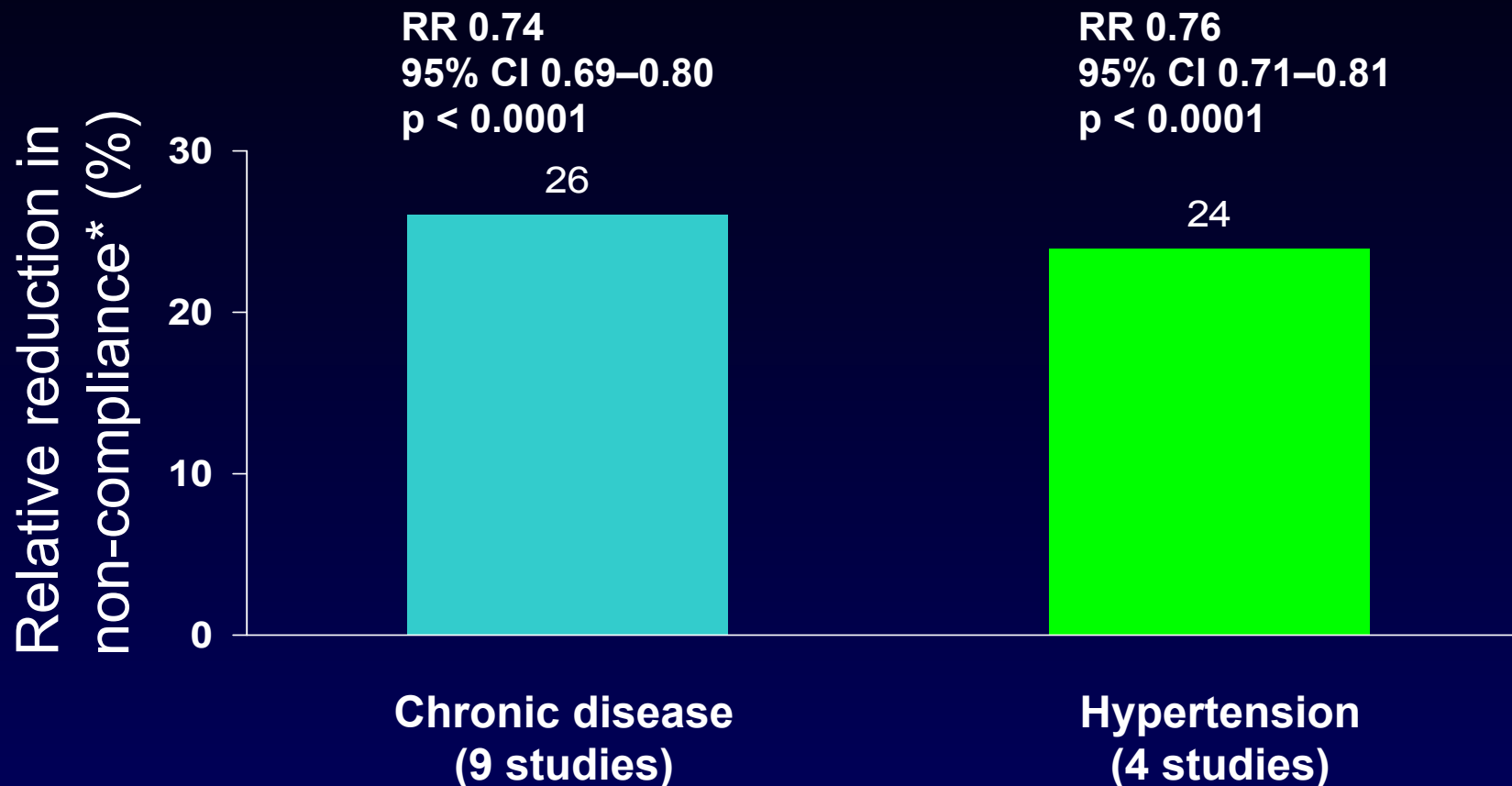
	Ram N=8576	Tel N=8542	Tel vs. Ram	
			RR	P
Hypotension	149	229	1.54	0.0001
Syncope	15	19	1.27	0.4850
Cough	360	93	0.26	<0.0001
Diarrhea	12	19	1.59	0.20
Angioedema	25	10	0.40	0.0115
Renal Impairment	60	68	1.14	0.46
Any Discontinuation	2099	1962	0.94	0.02

Simpler Regimens Improve BP Control

Cross-sectional assessment of 161,697 Kaiser Permanente Northern California diabetes patients

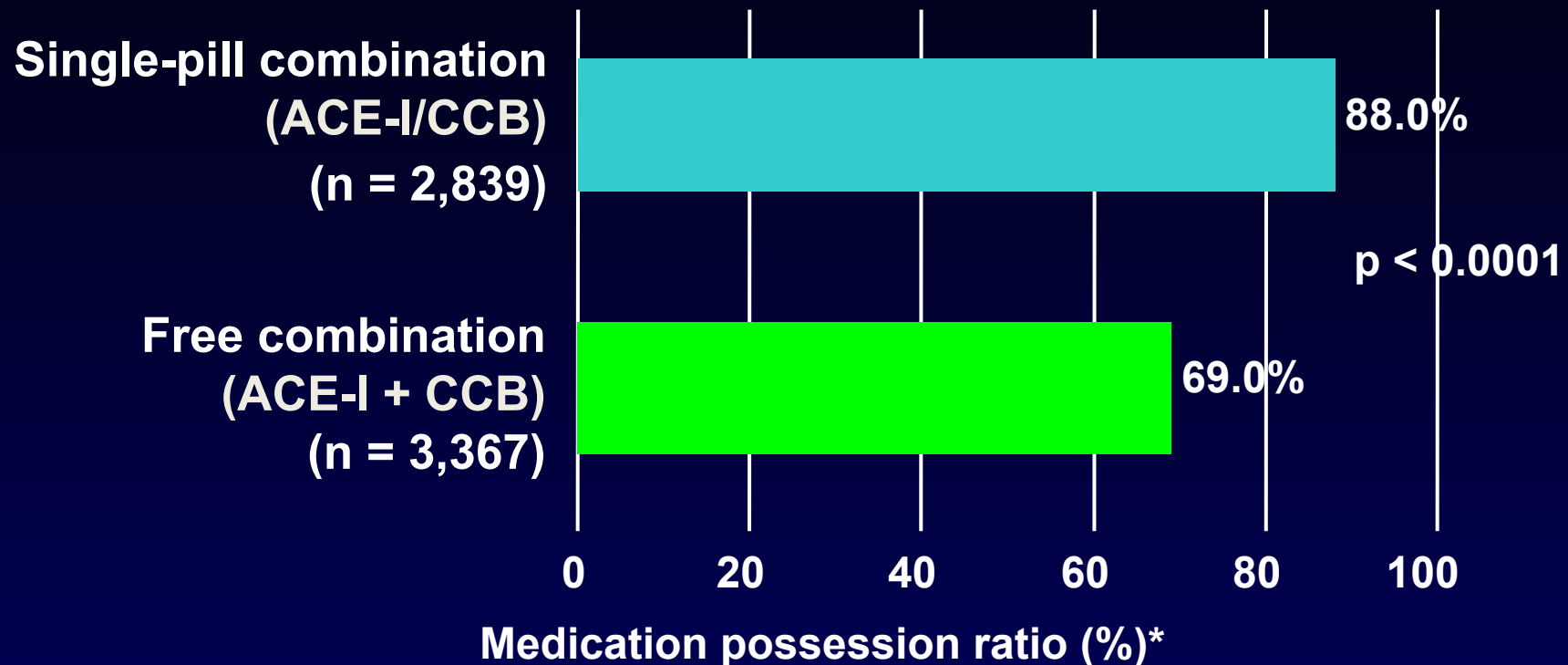
- **Using once daily dosing decreases SBP by 6 mmHg**
- **Fixed-dose combination tablets increased adherence up to 10-20%**

Single-Pill Combinations Improve Treatment Compliance



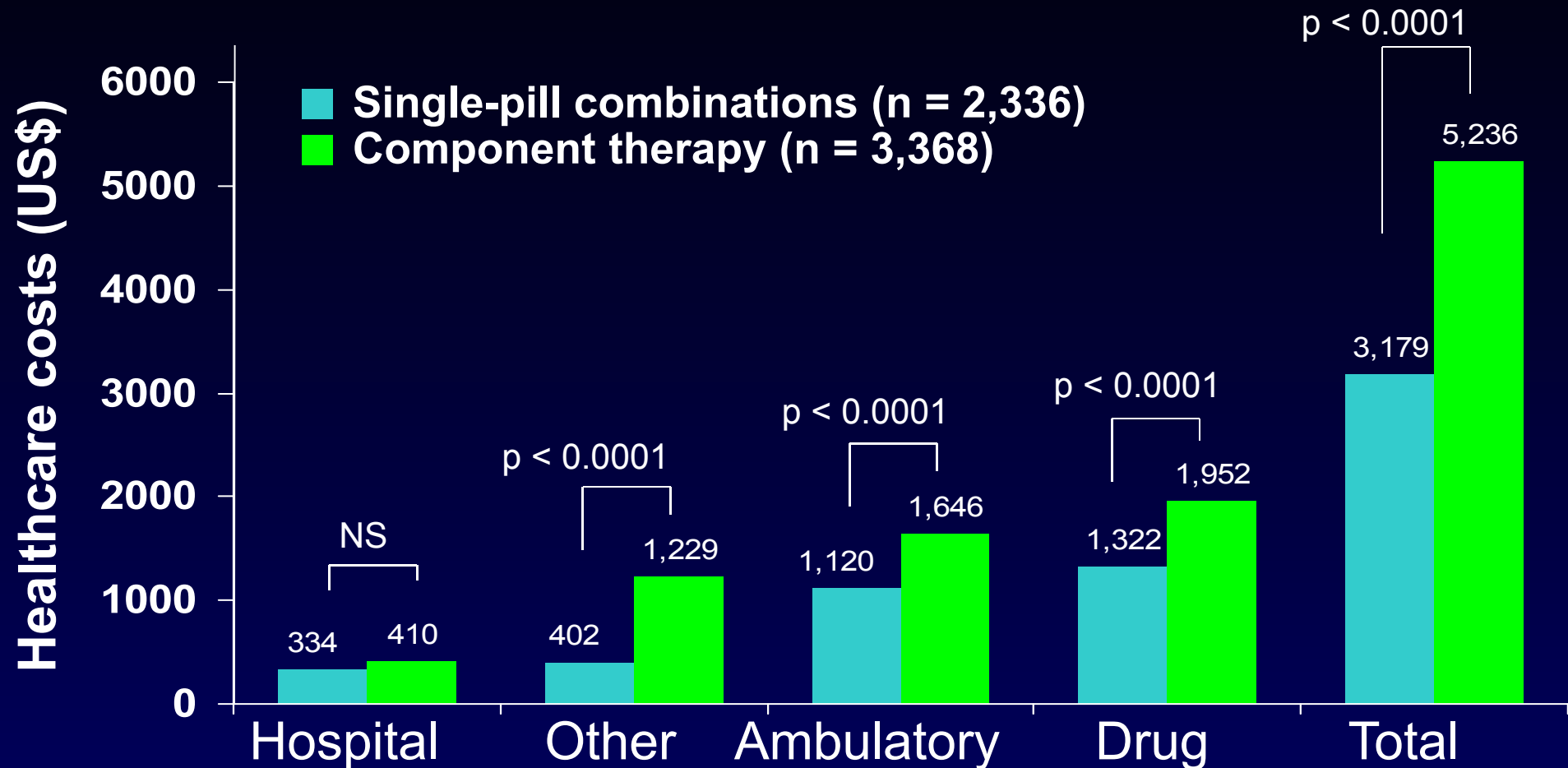
*With single-pill combination therapy vs free-drug regimens

Single-Pill Combinations of ACE-I and CCB Improve Treatment Compliance



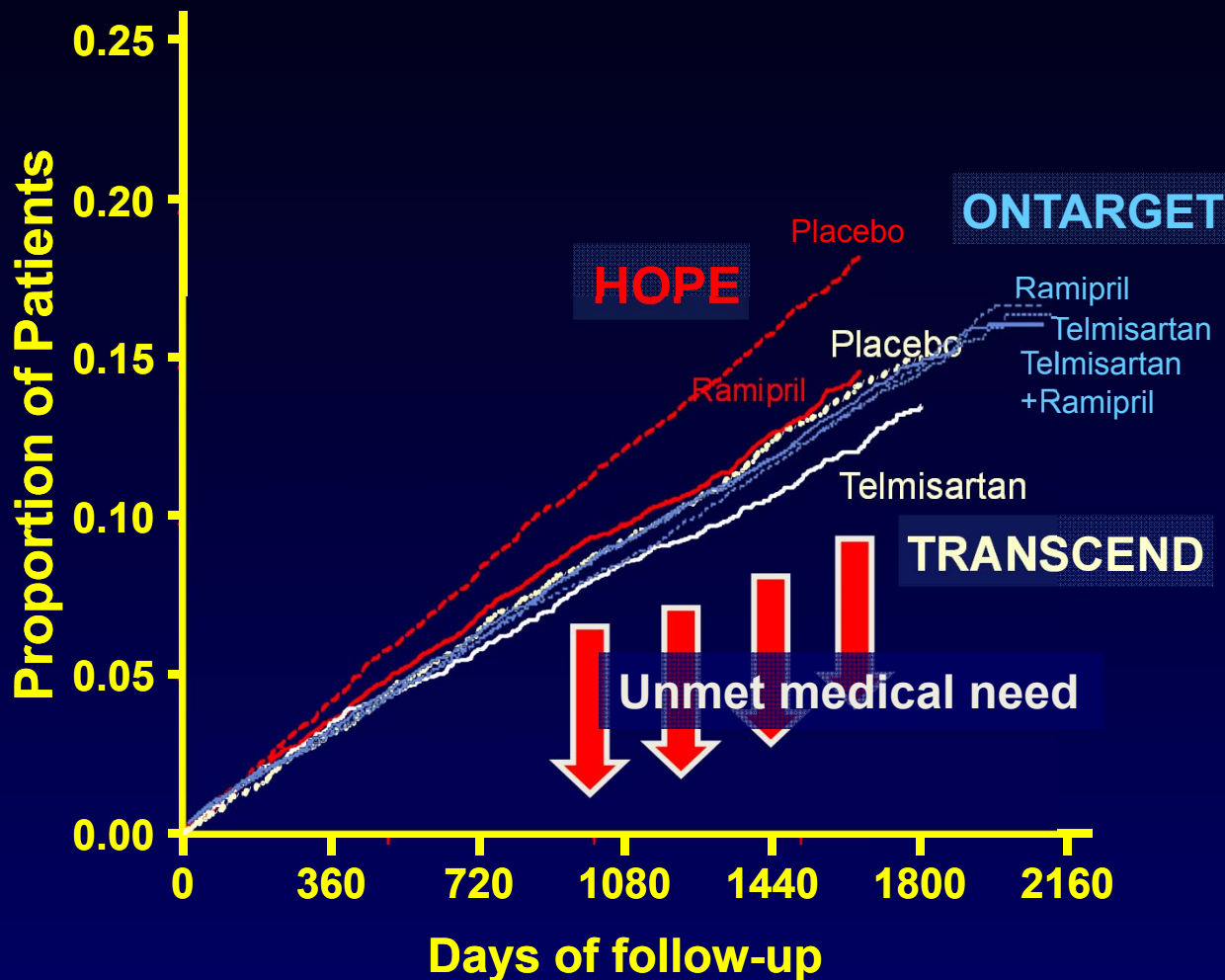
* Defined as the total number of days of therapy for medication dispensed/365 days of study follow-up

Single-Pill Combinations Reduce Resource Utilization



NS = not significant

Future Best Practice In High Risk Hypertension



- RAS inhibition– Key role
- Unmet Medical Need
- Single Pill-Combination
 - Better BP reduction
 - Less SE
 - Better Adherence
- How?
 - RAS blocker+CCB
 - +/-Diuretic
- What else?
 - 3-drug single-pill
 - Dose combination
 - Renin inhibition?