



# Intranasal Light Therapy (ILIT)

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# Introduction to ILIT



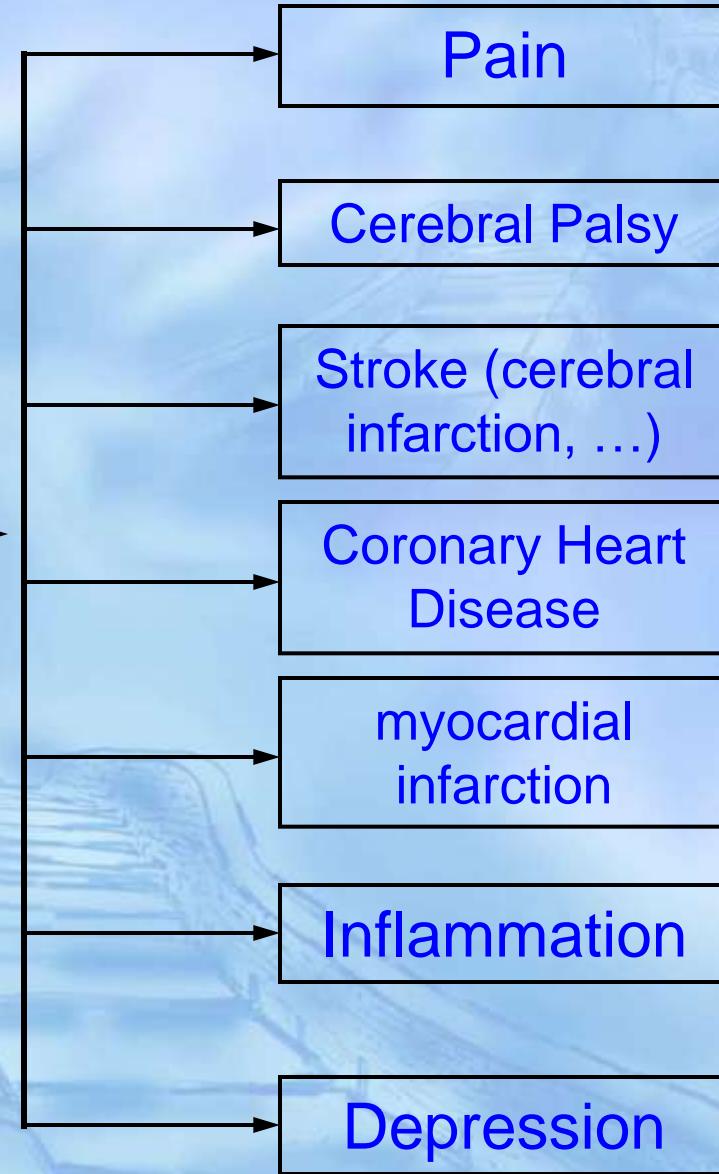
# History of ILIT

- ILIT on local diseases such as rhinitis was put forward by Russian in 1986.
  - Filatov VF, Kalashnik MV. 1986. Microcirculation in patients with **vasomotor rhinitis** and its dynamics before and after the therapeutic use of laser irradiation. *Vestn Otorinolaringol.* 1986 Nov-Dec;(6):63-6.
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  - Li Q, Guo K, Kang J and Jiang B. 1998a. Clinic analysis of endonasal low energy He-Ne laser treatment of 39 cases of **intractable headache**. *Acta Academiae medicinae Qingdao Universitatis.* (1): 53(in Chinese).
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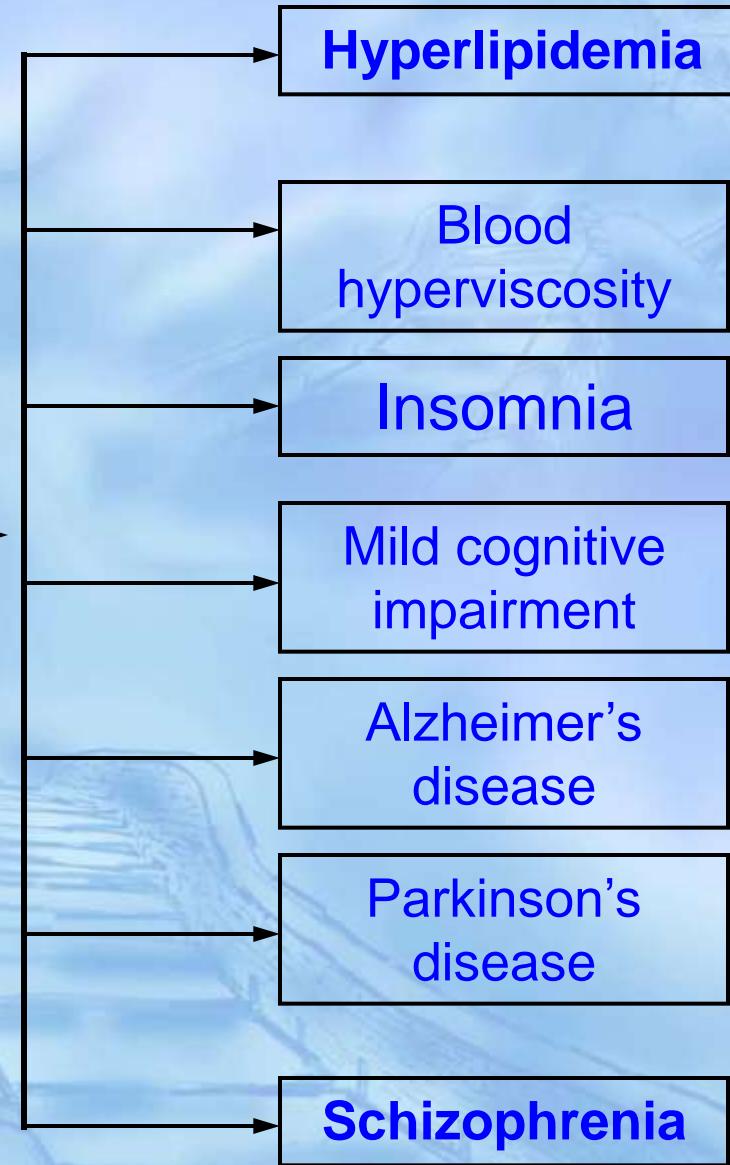


Clinical applications

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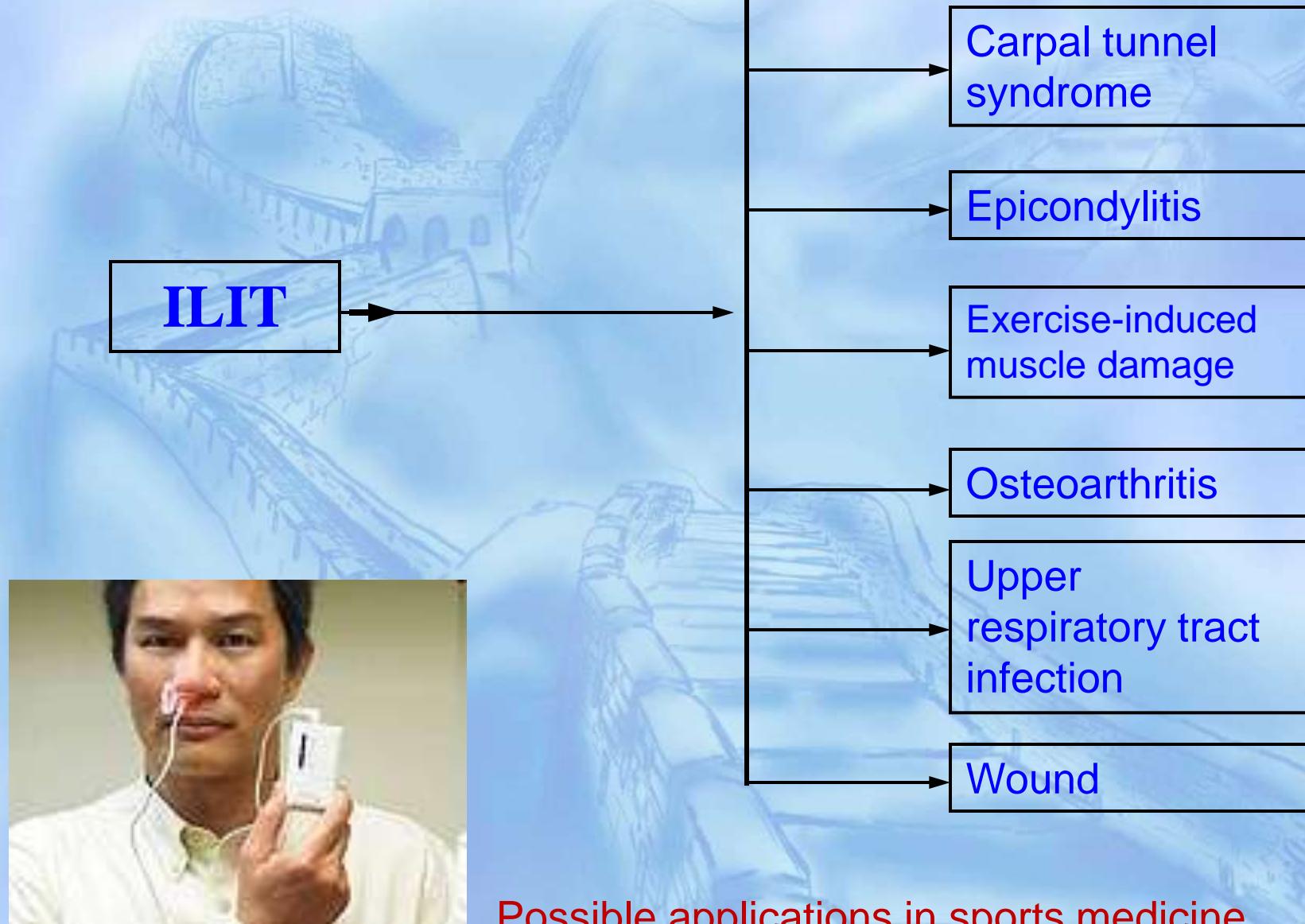


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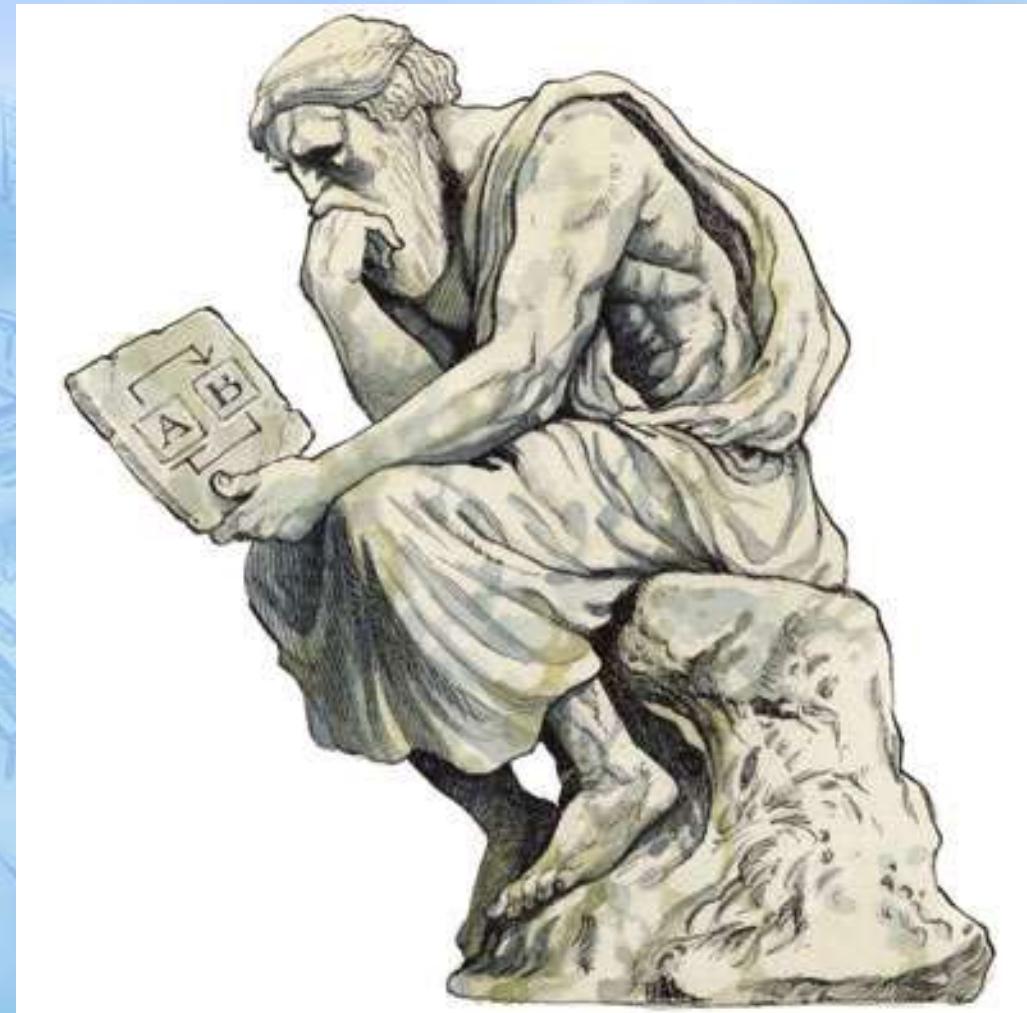
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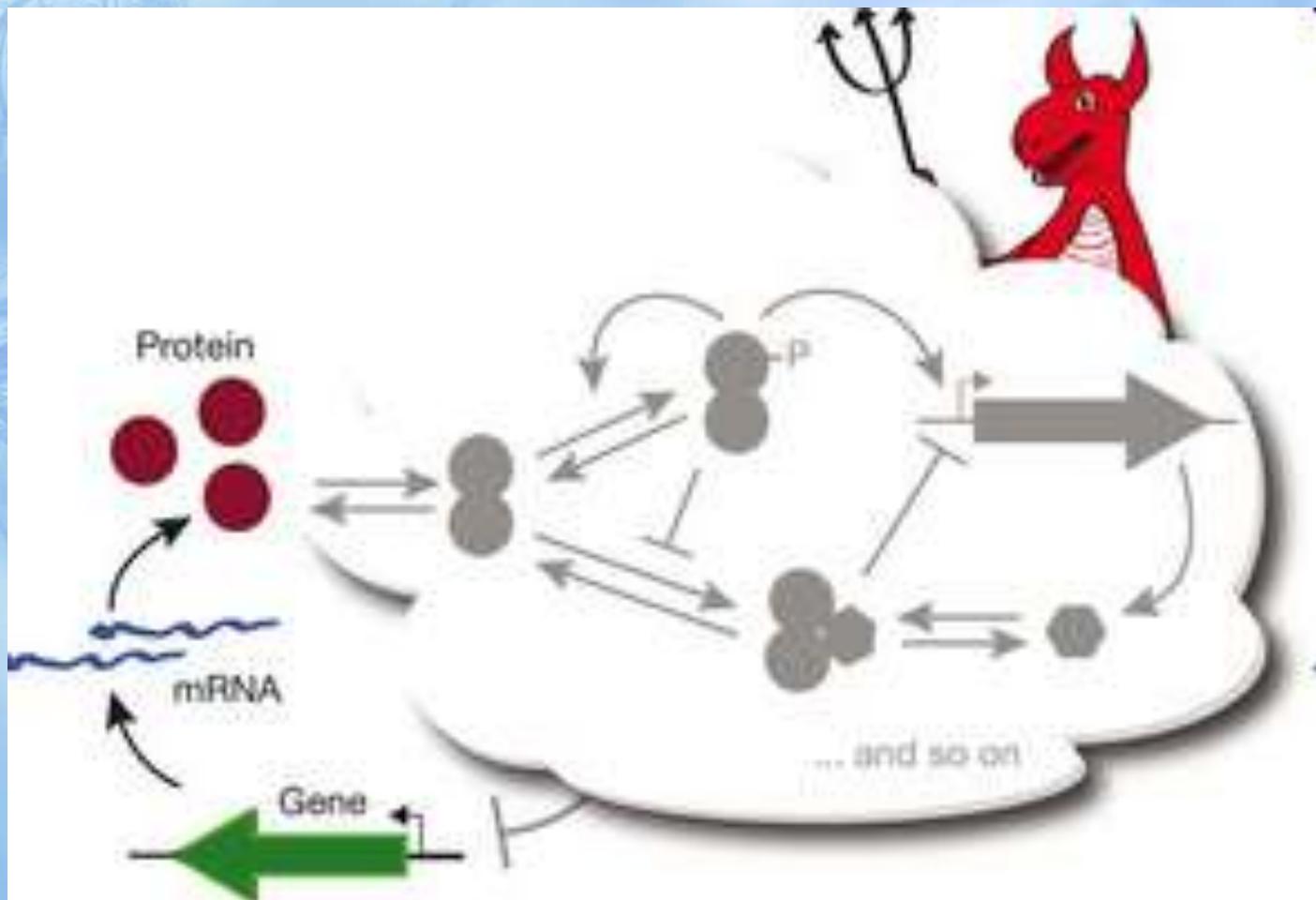
# Negative feedback



*A makes B; B inhibits A*

<http://www.nature.com/nature/journal/v458/n7241/full/458969a.html>

# Negative Feedback on Proteins



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Negative feedback on functions

## PBM Biomechanism: FSH

Photobiomodulation(**PBM**)  
Function-specific homeostasis (**FSH**)

Photobiomodulation (**PBM**) is a modulation of low intensity laser irradiation or monochromatic light (**LIL**) on biosystems, which stimulates or inhibits biological functions but does not result in irreducible damage

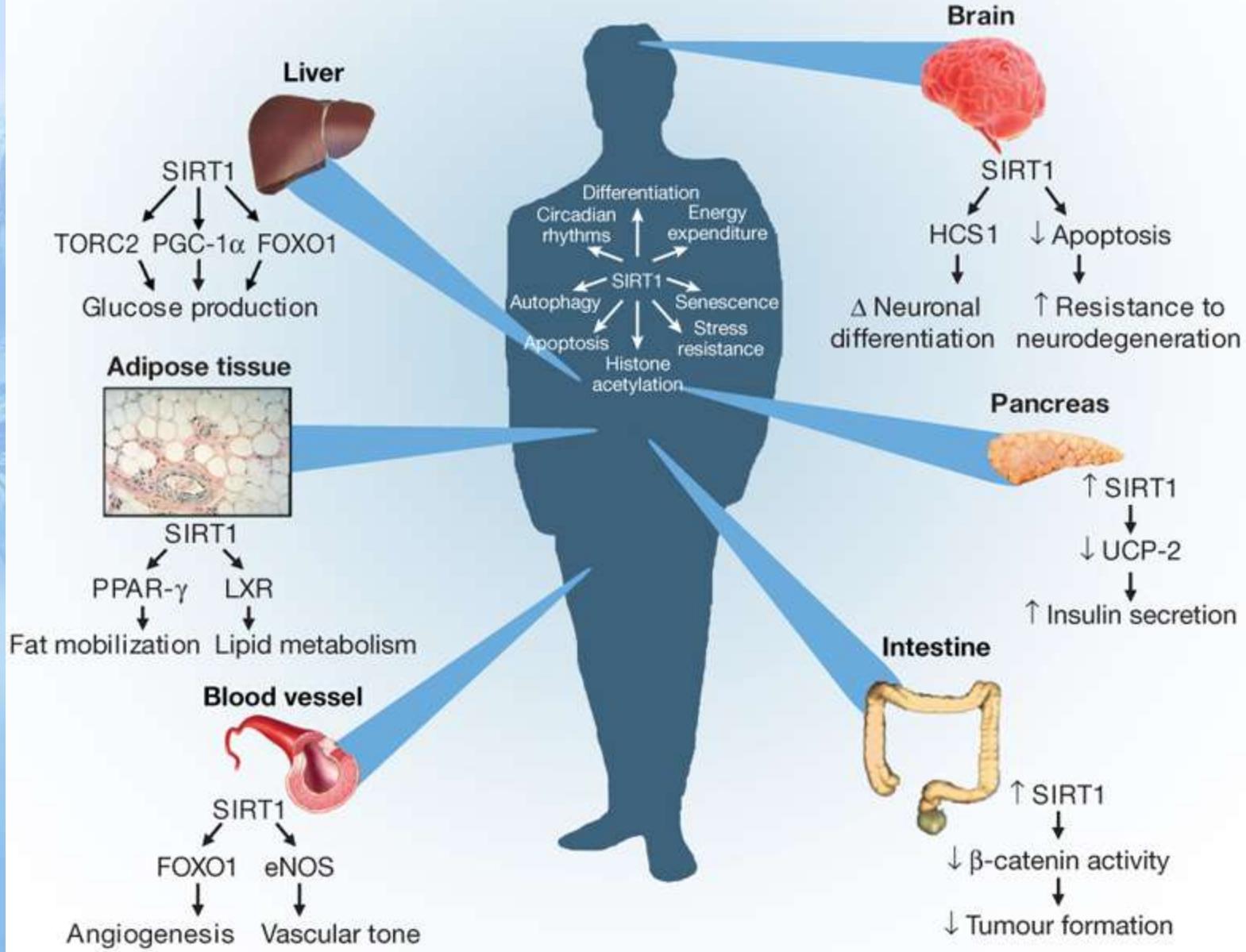
# Function-Specific Homeostasis (FSH)

- FSH is a negative feedback for a function to be fully performed
  - Proliferation-specific homeostasis (**PISH**)
  - Sleep-specific homeostasis (**SISH**)
  - Longevity-specific homeostasis (**LoSH**)

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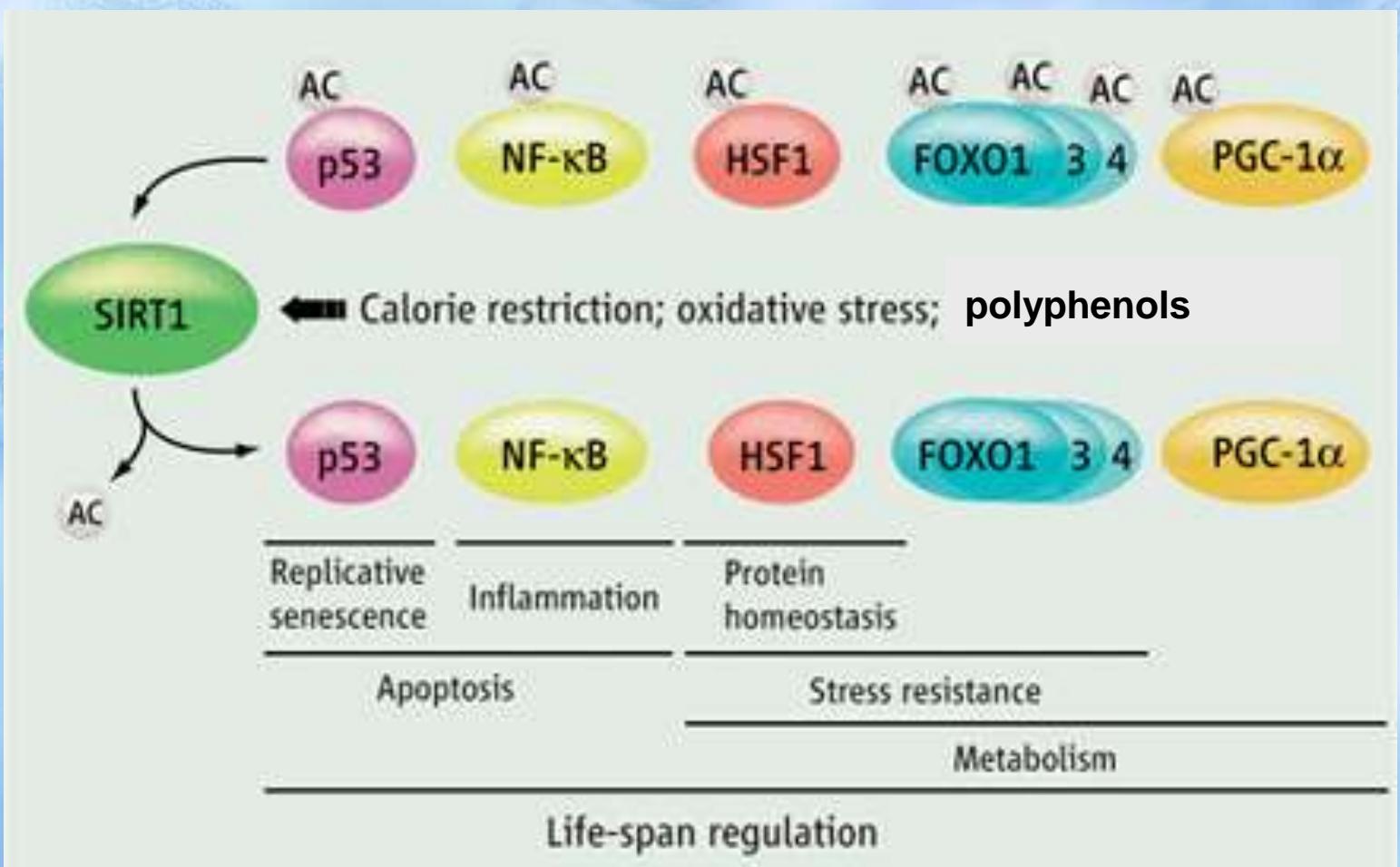
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# Physiological roles of the SIRT1



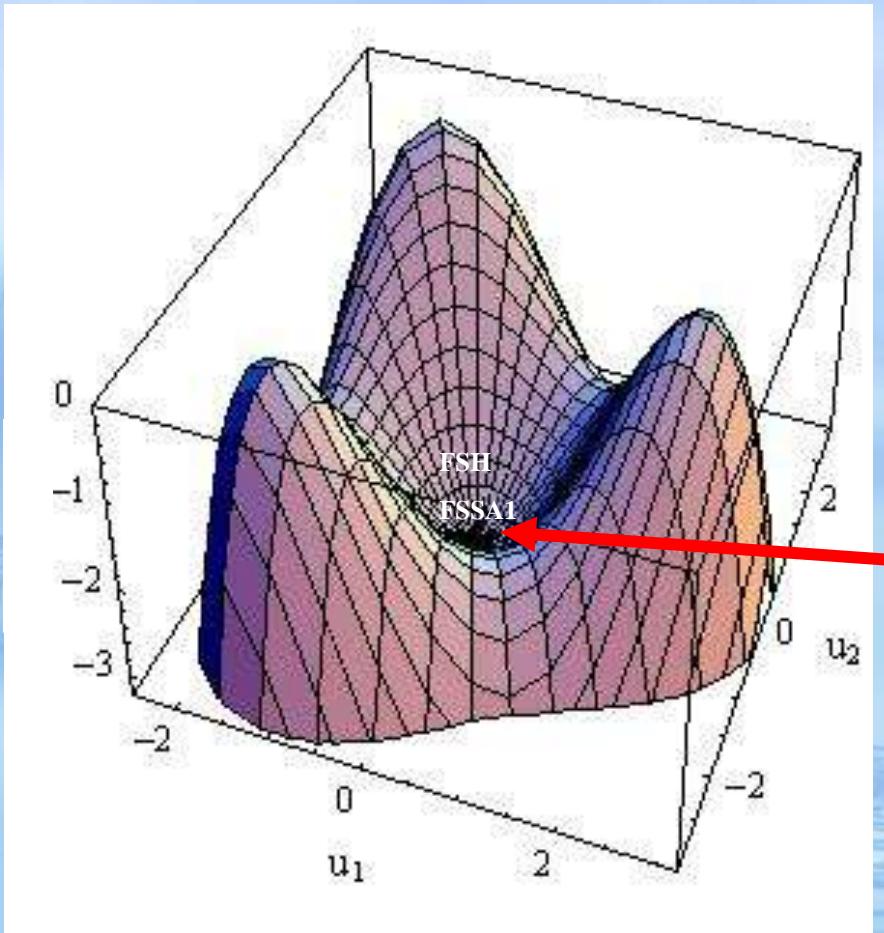
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# Handling stress



SIRT1 is a deacetylase that is activated by a variety of stressors and targets transcriptional regulators including p53, NF- $\kappa$ B, HSF1, FOXO1, 3, and 4, and PGC-1. These factors then control adaptive responses that modulate life span. AC: acetyl group;

SIRT1 activity



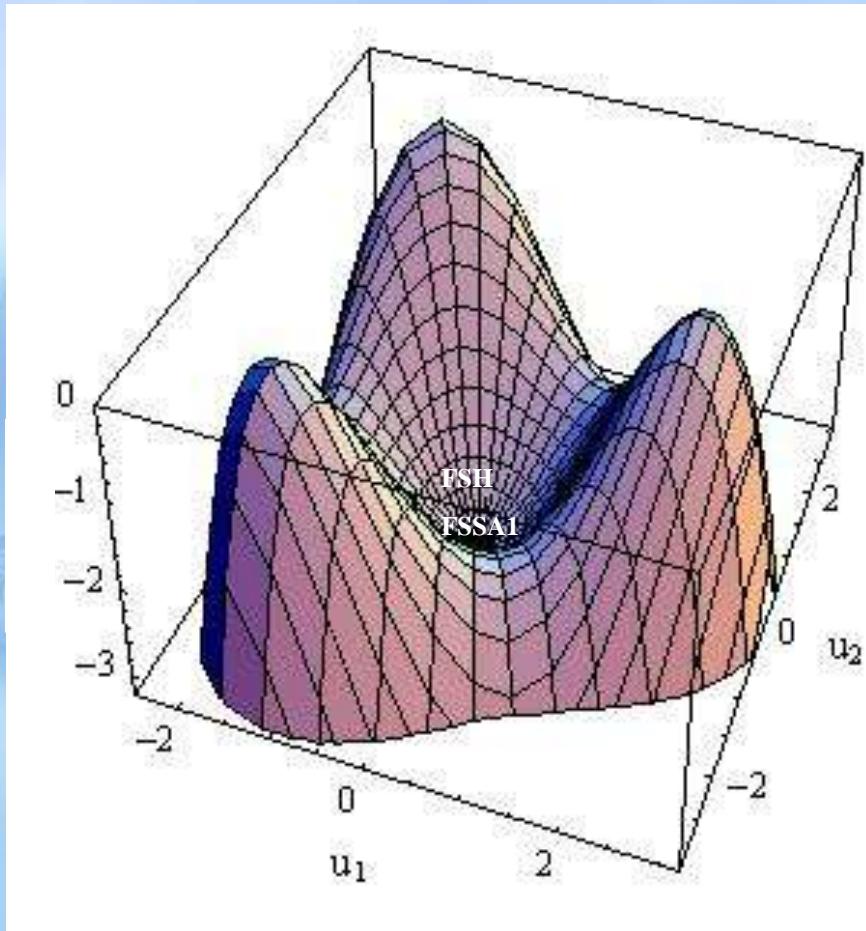
**Function-specific  
homeostasis (FSH)**

**FSH-specific SIRT1  
activity (FSSA1)**

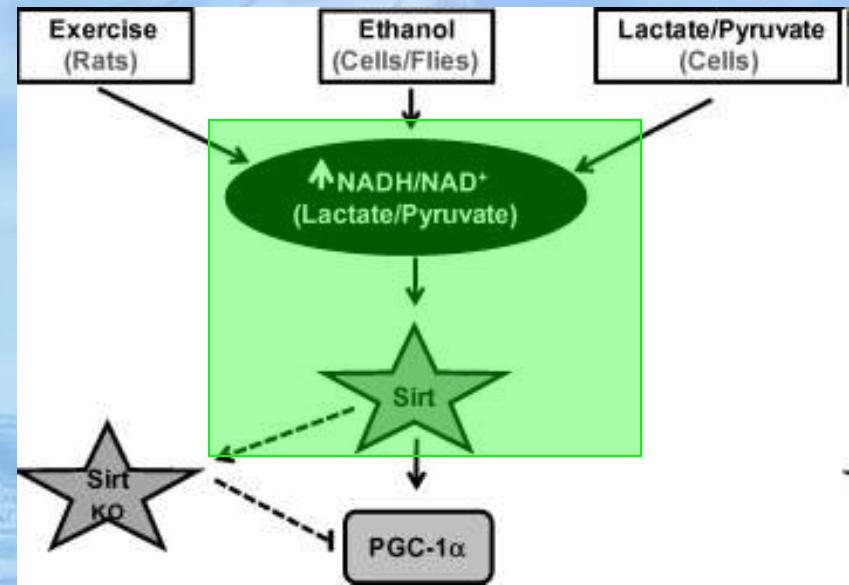
Sirtuin 1 (SIRT1) activity potential well.

FSSA1 denotes function-specific homeostasis specific SIRT1 activity

SIRT1 activity



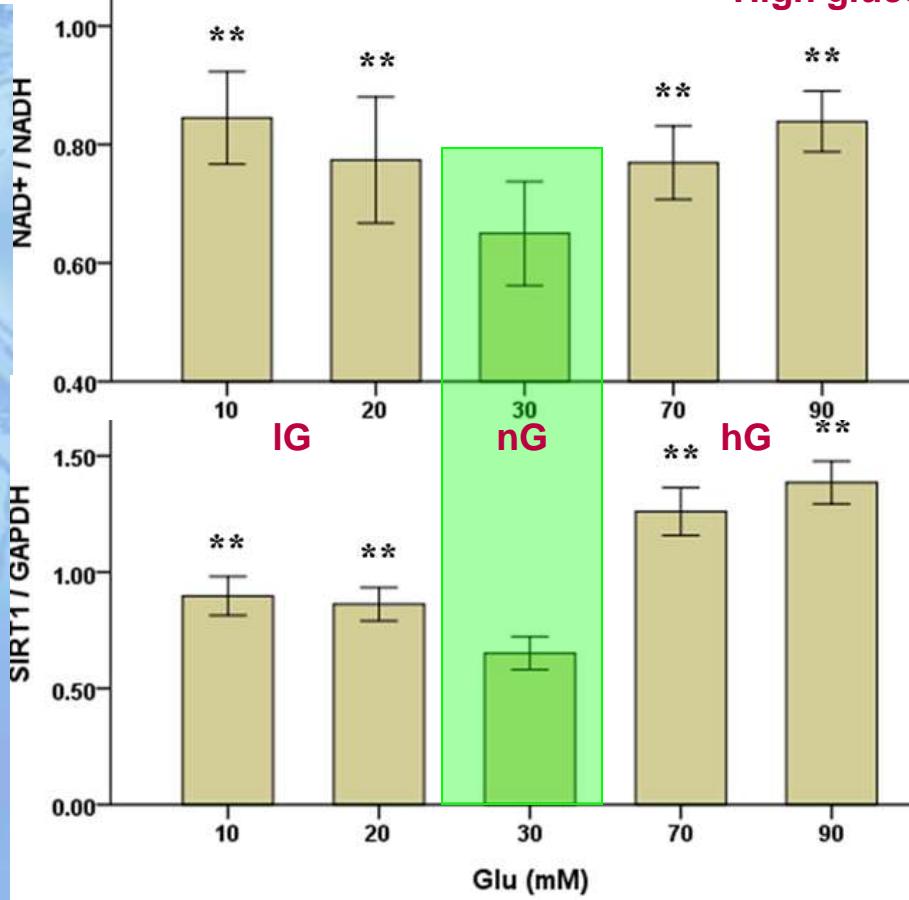
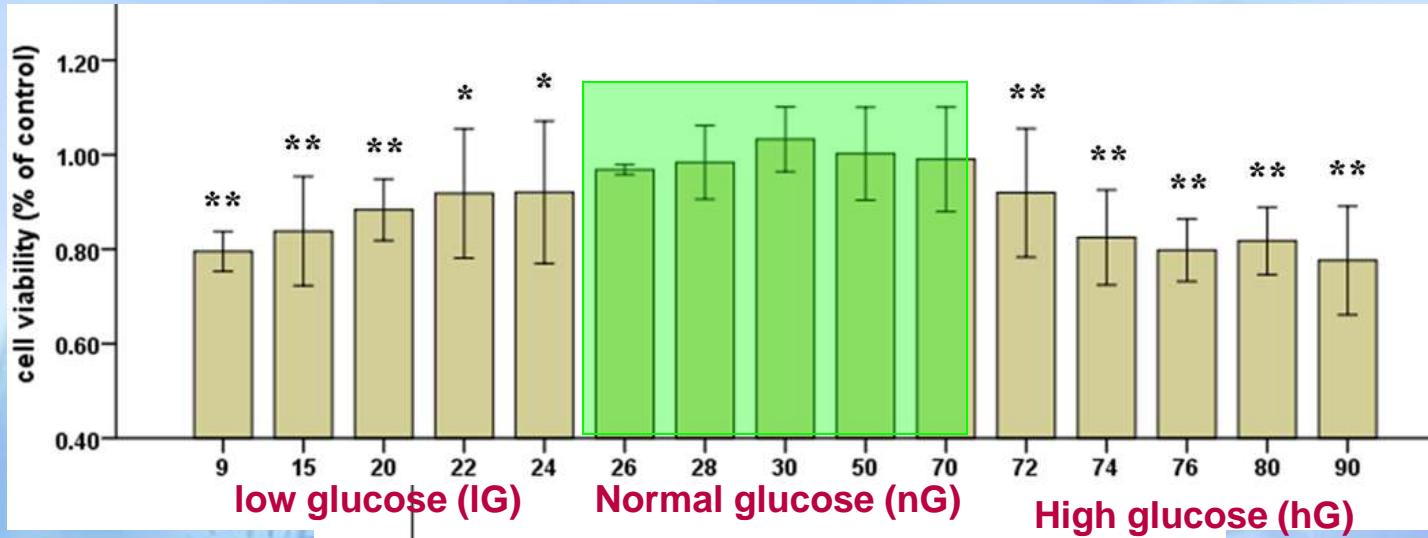
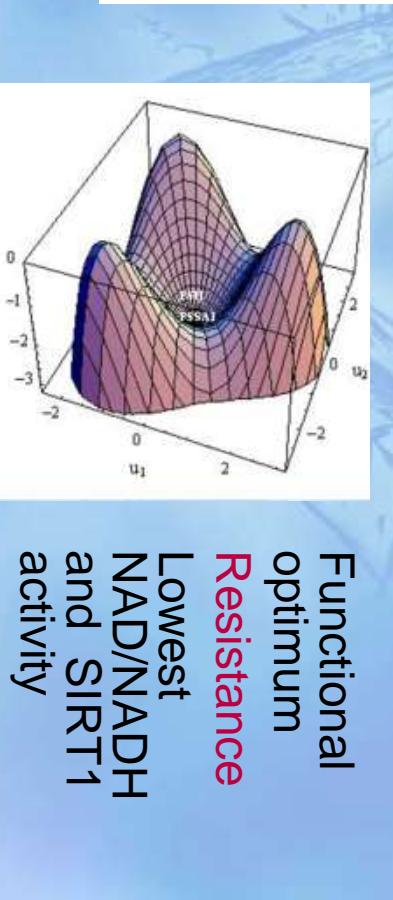
# Economic FSH



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# PI SH of PC12 cells in glucose



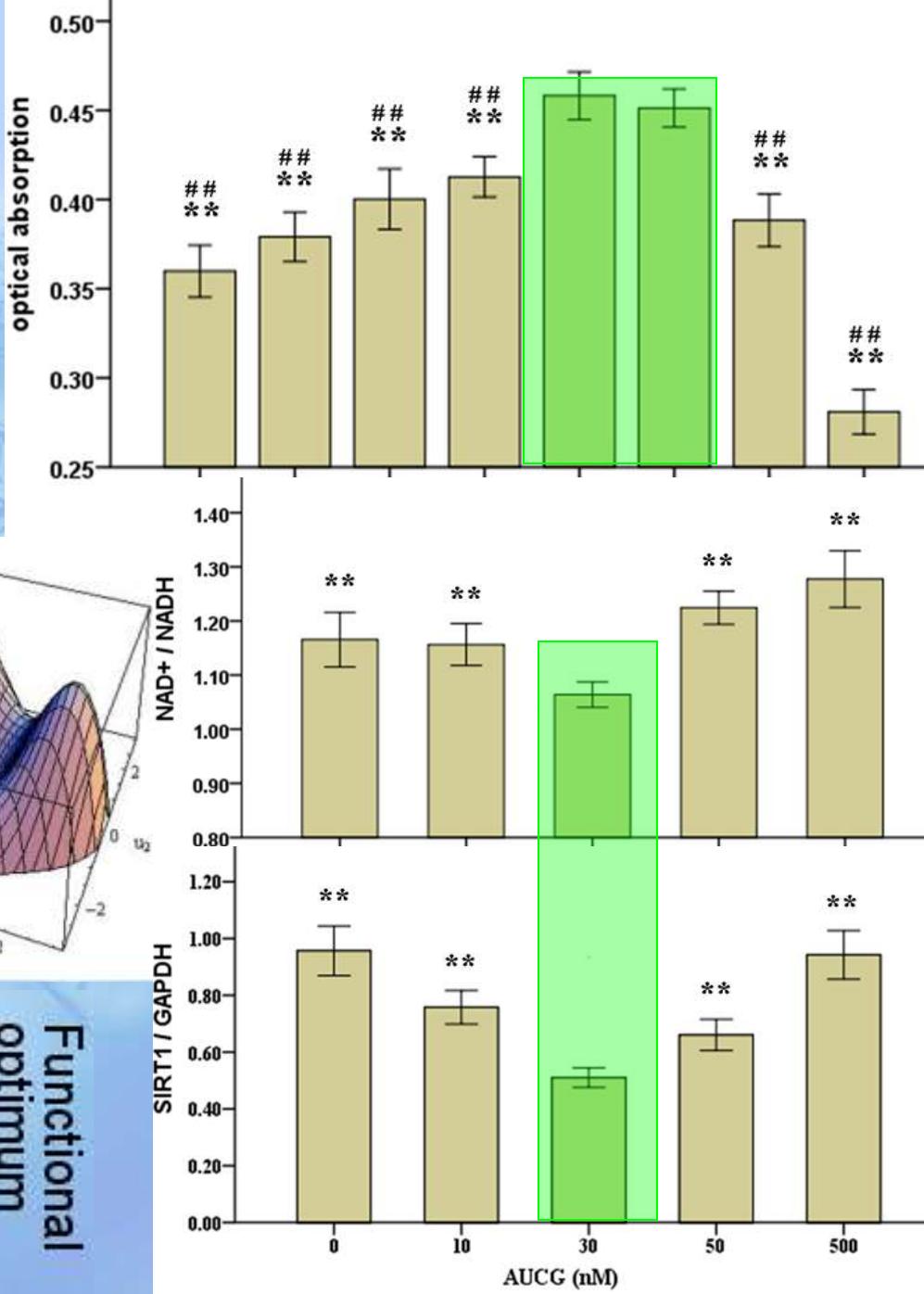
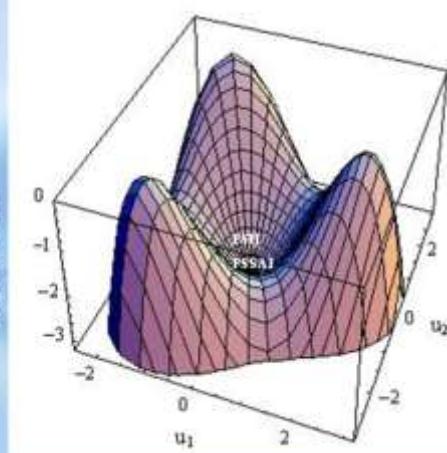
# PSH of PC12 cells in nucleotide

NAD<sup>+</sup>/NADH

SIRT1 activity

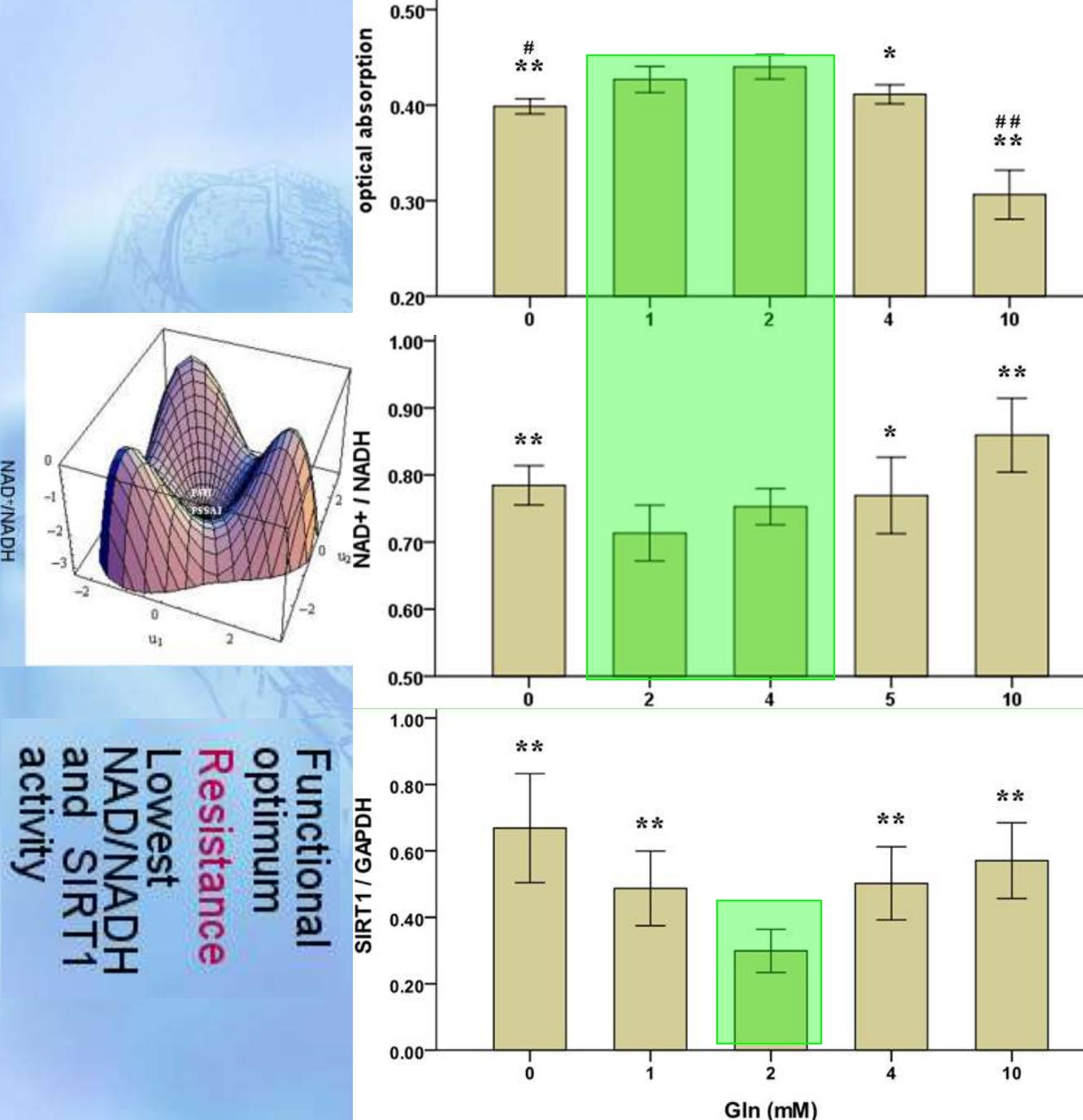
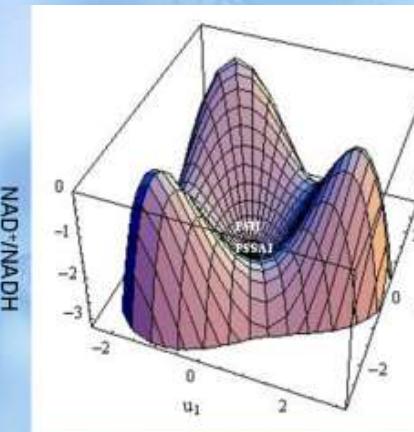
Lowest NAD/NADH and SIRT1 activity

Functional optimum  
Resistance

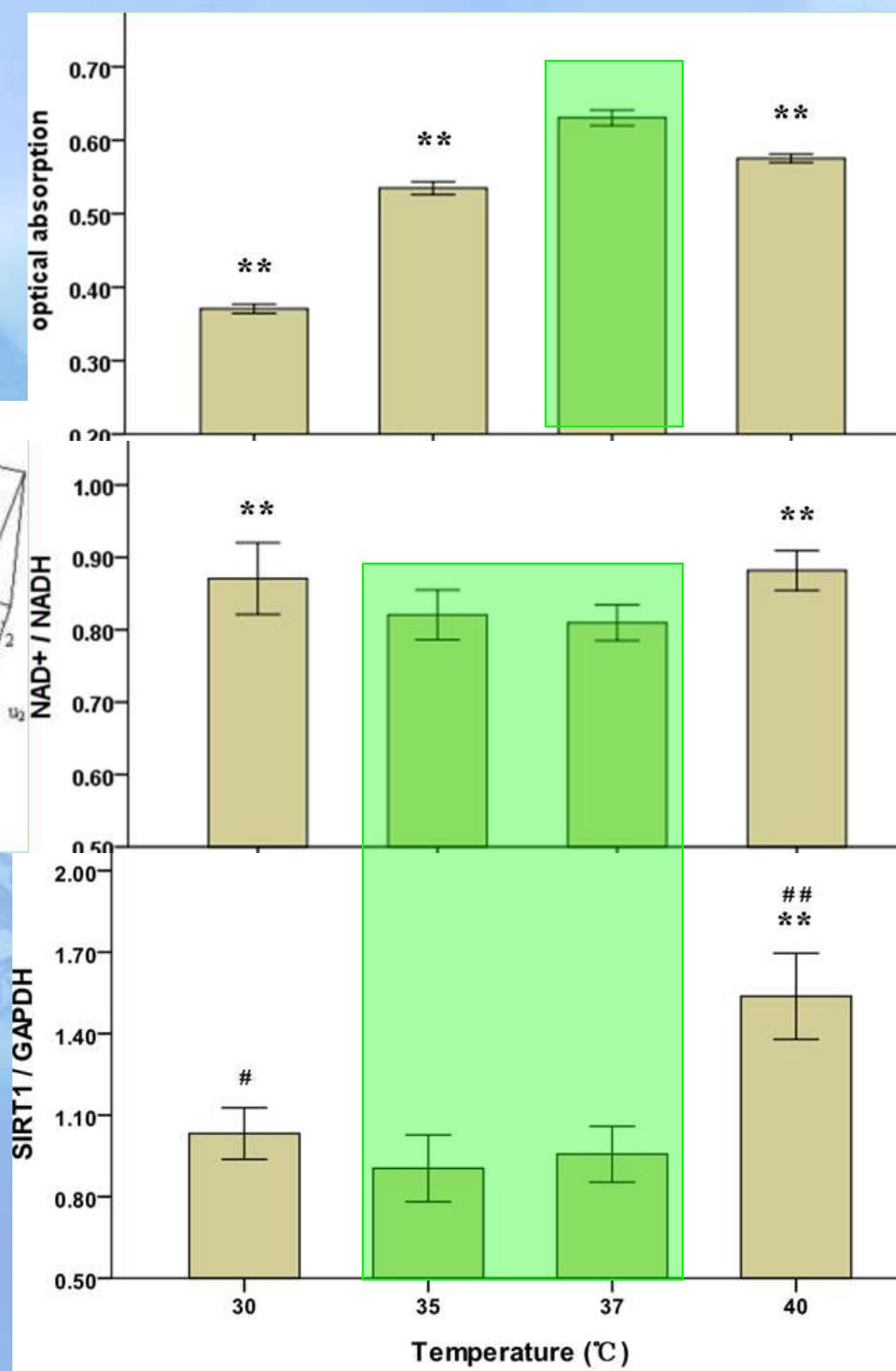


# PI SH of PC12 cells in glutamine

Functional optimum  
**Resistance**  
Lowest  
NAD/NADH  
and SIRT1  
activity

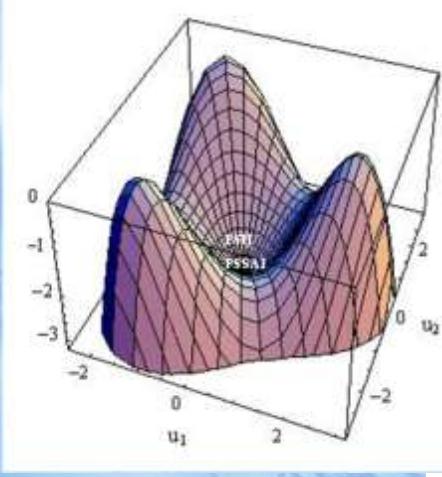


# PLSH of PC12 cells in temperature



**Functional optimum**  
**Resistance**  
Lowest  
NAD/NADH  
and  
SIRT1  
activity

NAD<sup>+</sup>/NADH  
SIRT1 activity



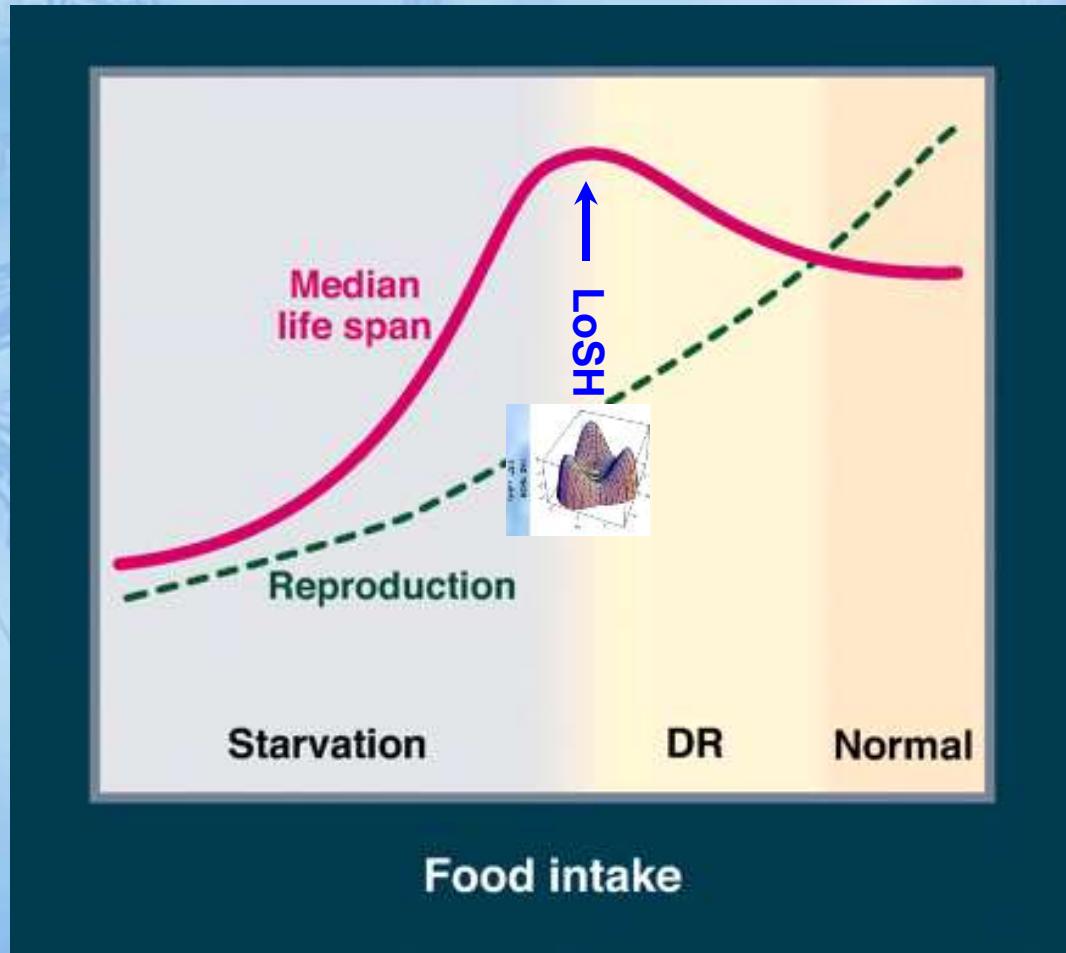
# Sleep-specific homeostasis

Sleep duration	Weighted prevalence, %	Age-adjusted OR (95% CI) <sup>†</sup>	Multivariable OR (95% CI) <sup>‡</sup>
Men (n = 9058)			
≤ 5 h	18.8	3.45 (2.60-4.58)	2.04 (1.49-2.81)
6 h	12.3	1.92 (1.53-2.40)	1.63 (1.28-2.09)
7 h	7.1	1 (Referent)	1 (Referent)
8 h	11.3	1.53 (1.24-1.89)	1.25 (1.00-1.56)
≥ 9 h	23.2	3.03 (2.35-3.91)	1.85 (1.38-2.49)
Women (n = 11605)			
≤ 5 h	27.3	4.21 (3.35-5.31)	2.52 (1.97-3.24)
6 h	15.2	2.10 (1.71-2.58)	1.74 (1.38-2.18)
7 h	7.9	1 (Referent)	1 (Referent)
8 h	12.8	1.64 (1.34-2.00)	1.49 (1.19-1.86)
≥ 9 h	24.2	3.16 (2.54-3.92)	2.11 (1.64-2.70)

Sleep duration	Weighted prevalence of fair/poor SRH, %	Age, sex-adjusted OR (95% CI) <sup>†</sup>	Multivariable OR (95% CI) <sup>‡</sup>
Whole population (n = 20,663)			
≤ 5 h	23.4	3.84 (3.18-4.62)	2.29 (1.86-2.83)
6 h	13.8	2.01 (1.71-2.35)	1.68 (1.42-2.00)
7 h	7.5	1 (Referent)	1 (Referent)
8 h	12.1	1.59 (1.37-1.84)	1.38 (1.18-1.61)
≥ 9 h	23.8	3.10 (2.63-3.66)	1.98 (1.63-2.40)
Non-obese (n = 14499)			
≤ 5 h	19.8	4.15 (3.26-5.28)	2.55 (1.94-3.36)
6 h	9.5	1.78 (1.45-2.20)	1.55 (1.25-1.92)
7 h	5.7	1 (Referent)	1 (Referent)
8 h	9.7	1.65 (1.37-1.99)	1.38 (1.13-1.68)
≥ 9 h	21.0	3.33 (2.66-4.16)	2.05 (1.59-2.63)
Obese (n = 6164)			
≤ 5 h	29.0	3.05 (2.33-3.97)	1.98 (1.47-2.67)
6 h	22.9	2.19 (1.73-2.76)	1.85 (1.42-2.41)
7 h	12.3	1 (Referent)	1 (Referent)
8 h	18.5	1.57 (1.26-1.96)	1.36 (1.06-1.73)
≥ 9 h	30.5	2.82 (2.17-3.65)	1.78 (1.34-2.36)

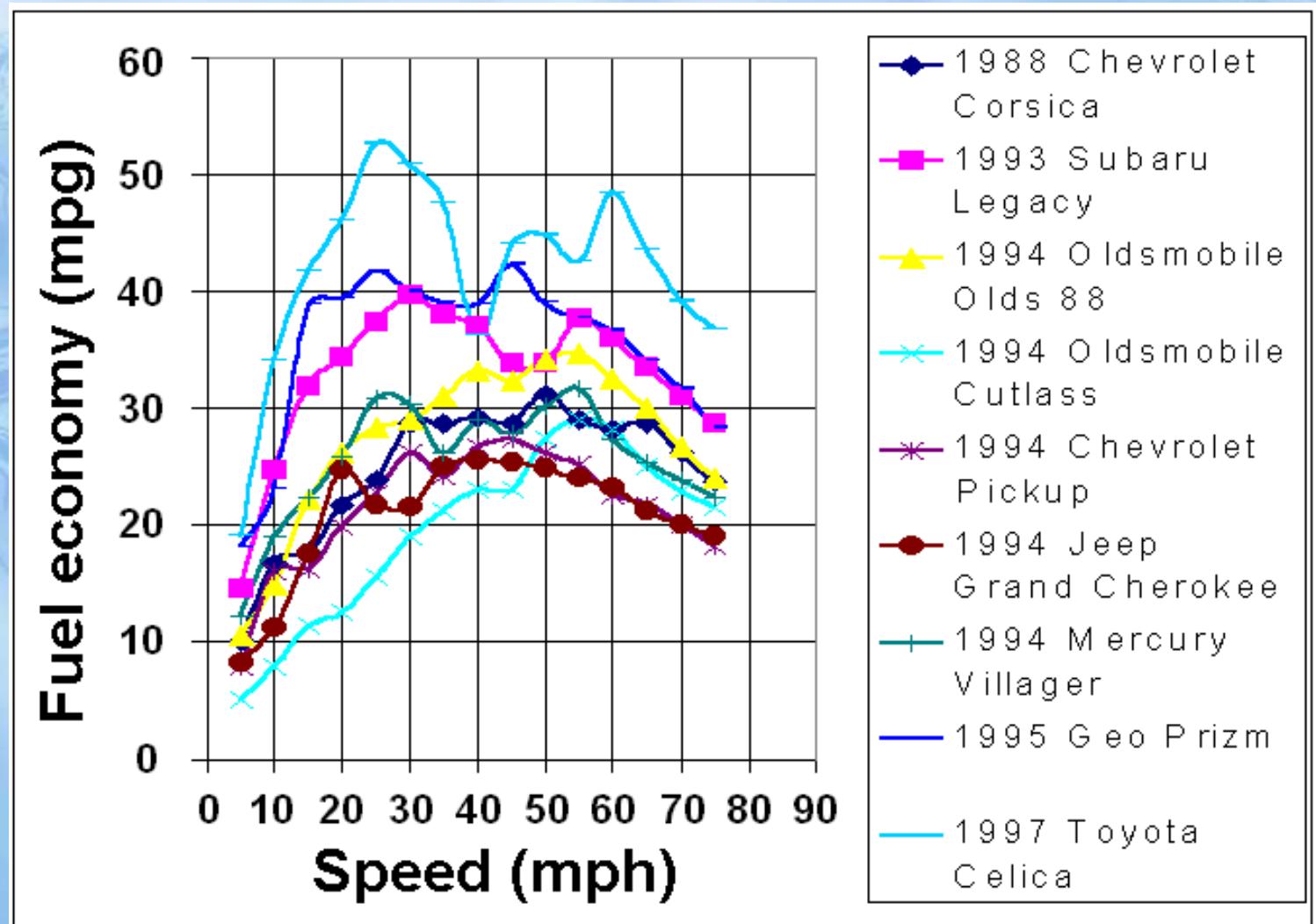
SRH, self-rated health; OR, odds ratio; CI, confidence interval.

# Longevity-specific homeostasis(LoSH)



Fontana L, Partridge L, Longo VD. 2010. Extending healthy life span--from yeast to humans. *Science*. 2010 Apr 16;328(5976):321-6. <http://www.sciencemag.org/cgi/content/full/328/5976/321>

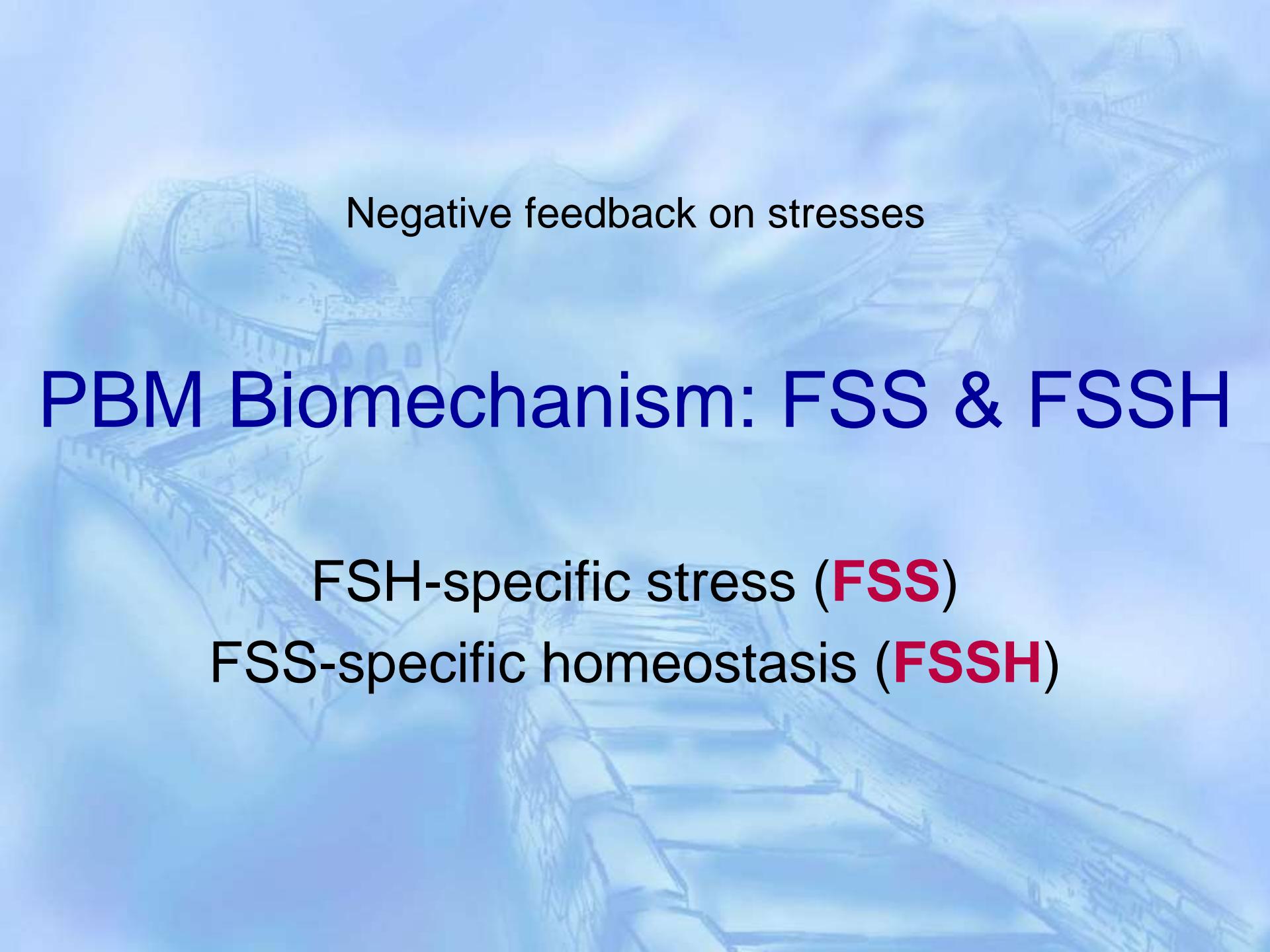
# Car-specific Optimum Speed



Each car has its **optimum speed**

# FSH illustration





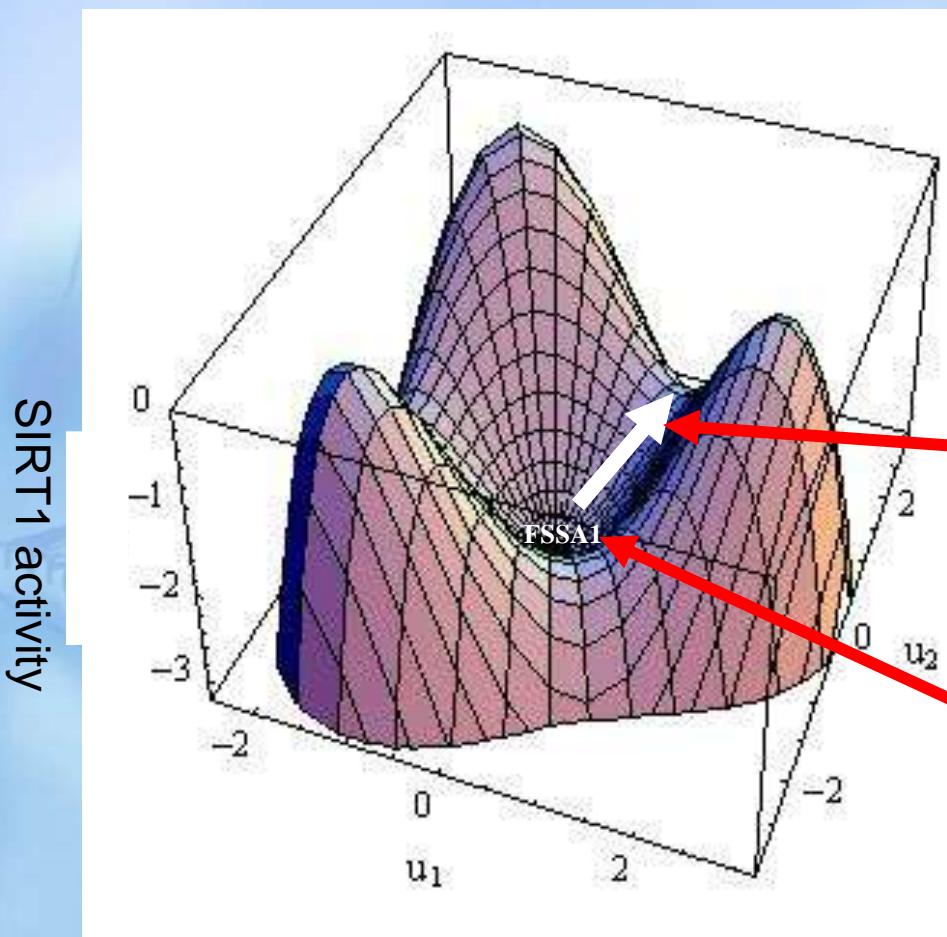
Negative feedback on stresses

# PBM Biomechanism: FSS & FSSH

FSH-specific stress (**FSS**)

FSS-specific homeostasis (**FSSH**)

# Successful stress: FSS in FSSH

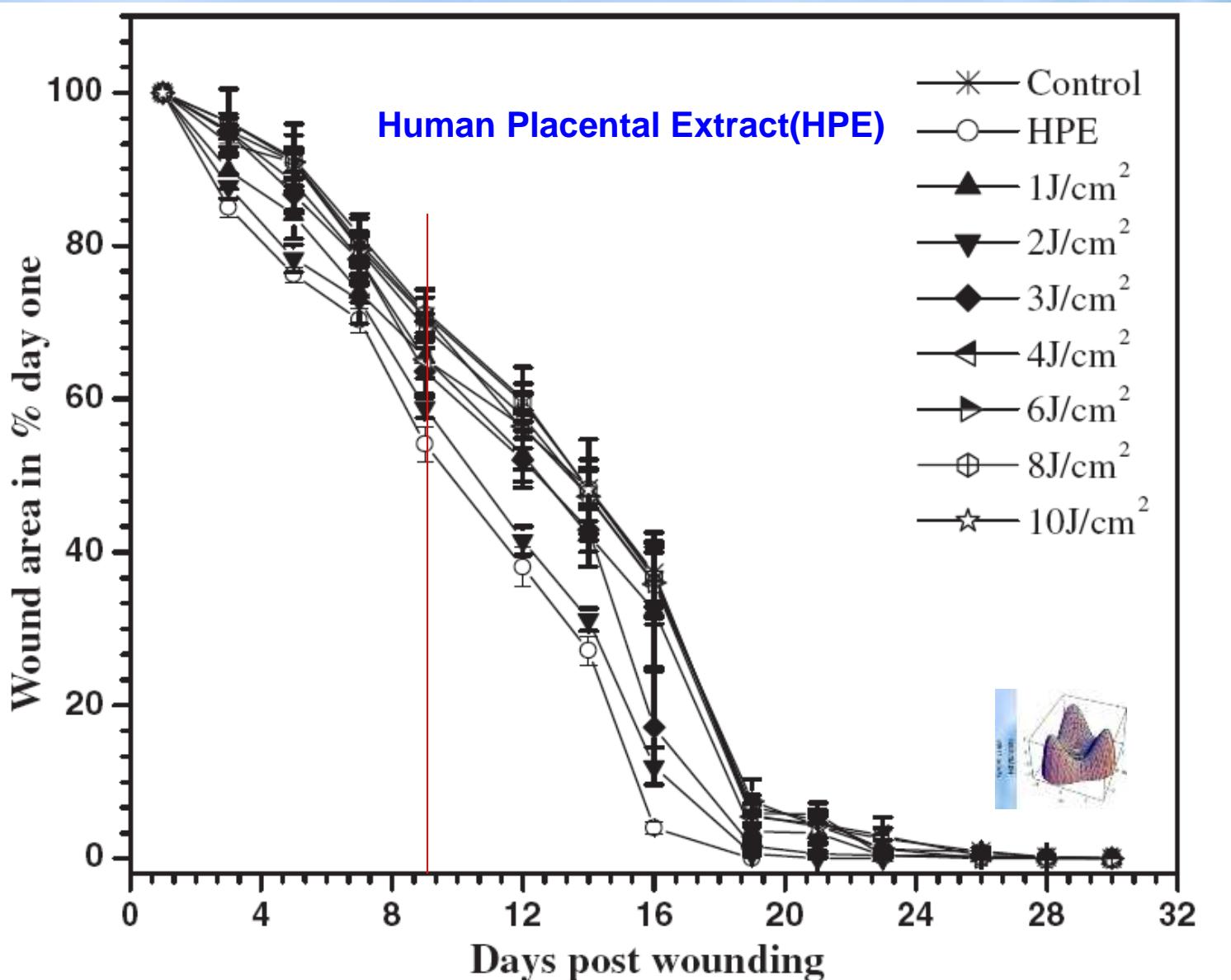


FSH-specific stress (FSS)  
FSS-specific homeostasis(FSSH)

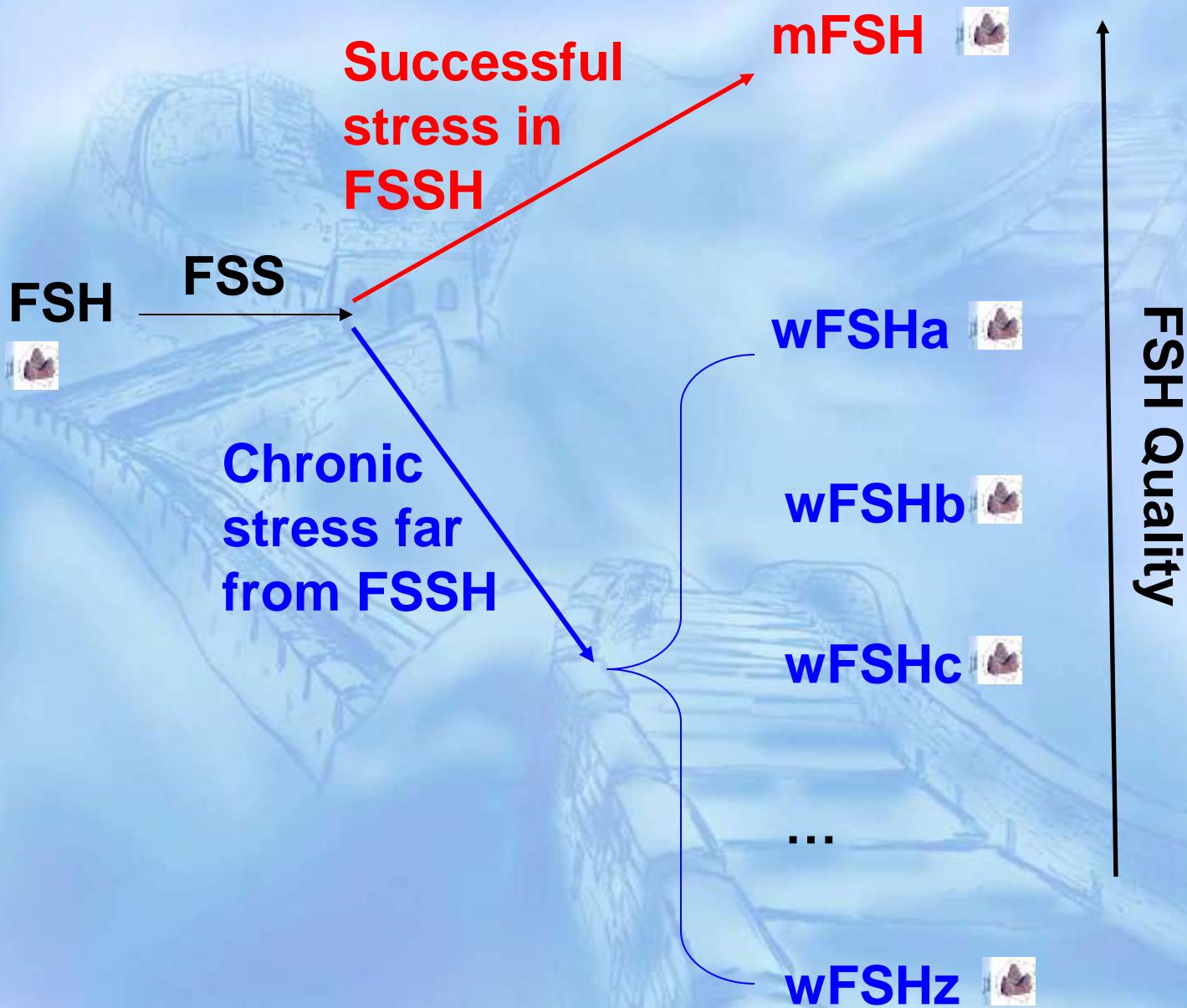
FSH

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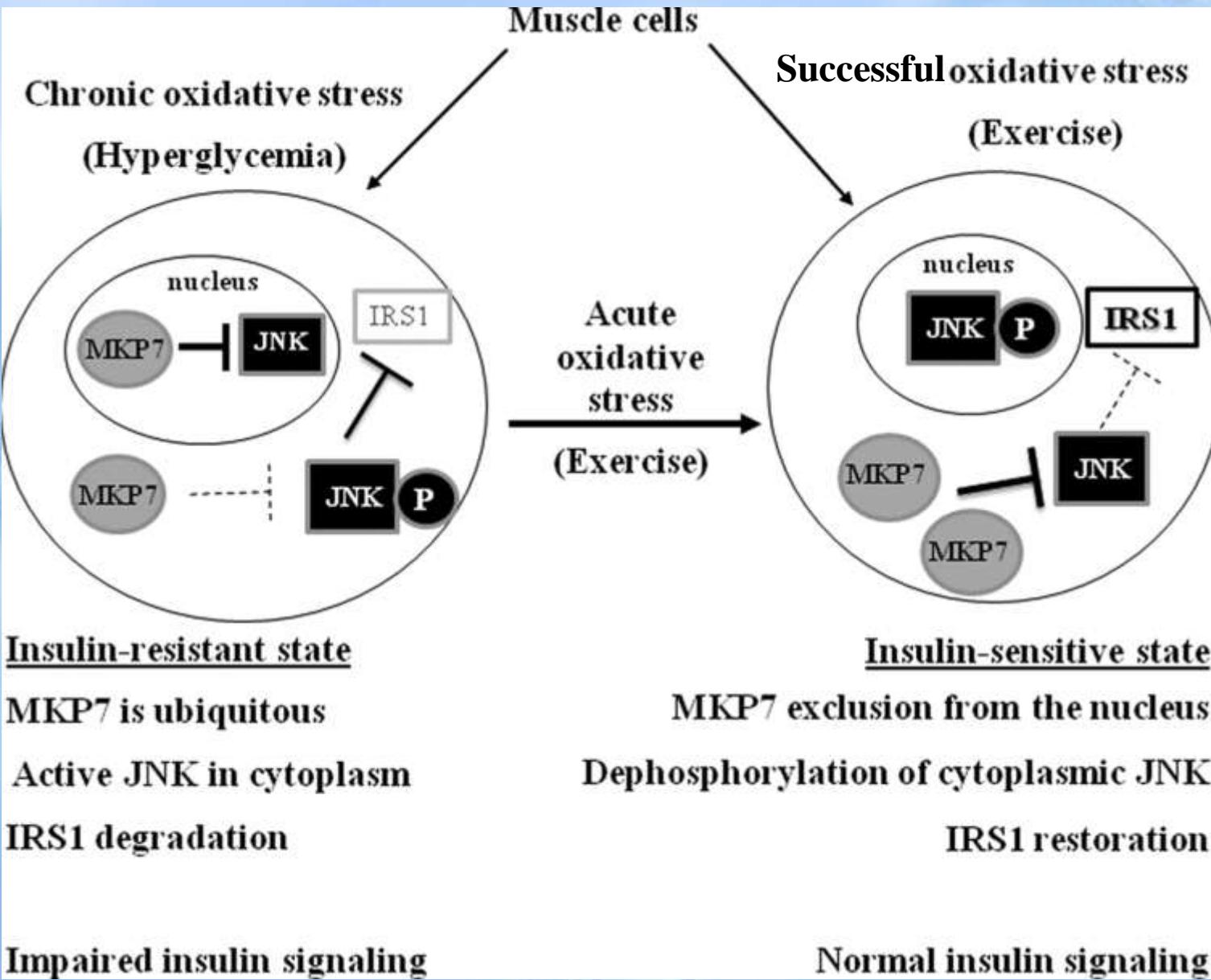
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# Wound healing



# Oxidative stress on insulin sensitivity



## Factors that may impair normal wound healing

Age

Co-morbidities

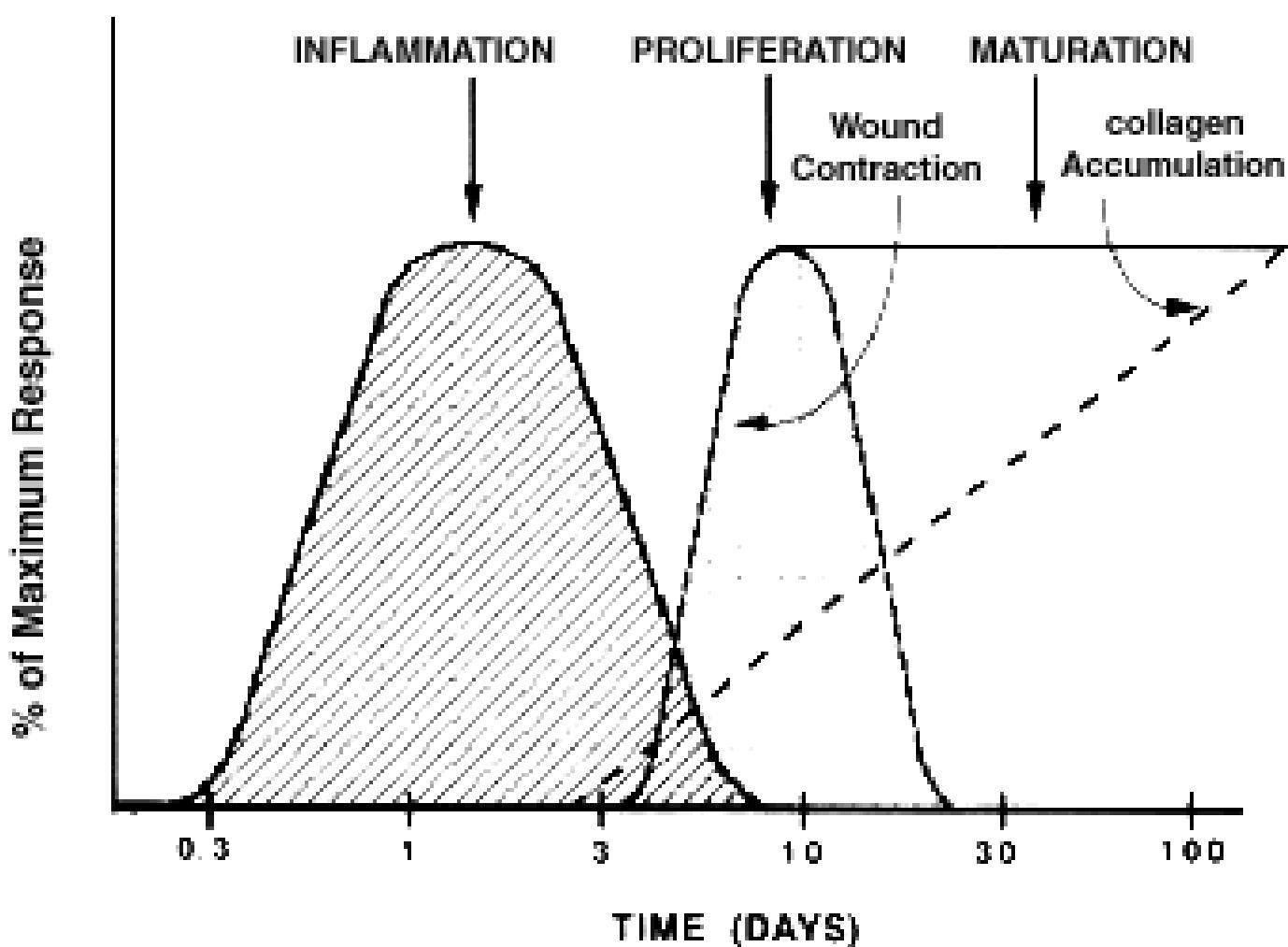
Cardiac  
Congestive heart failure  
Connective tissue disease  
Diabetes mellitus

Hepatic  
Hypertension  
Renal

Lifestyle  
Illicit drug use  
Nutrition  
Obesity  
Smoking

Therapeutic modalities  
Chemotherapy  
NSAIDs  
Radiation  
Steroids

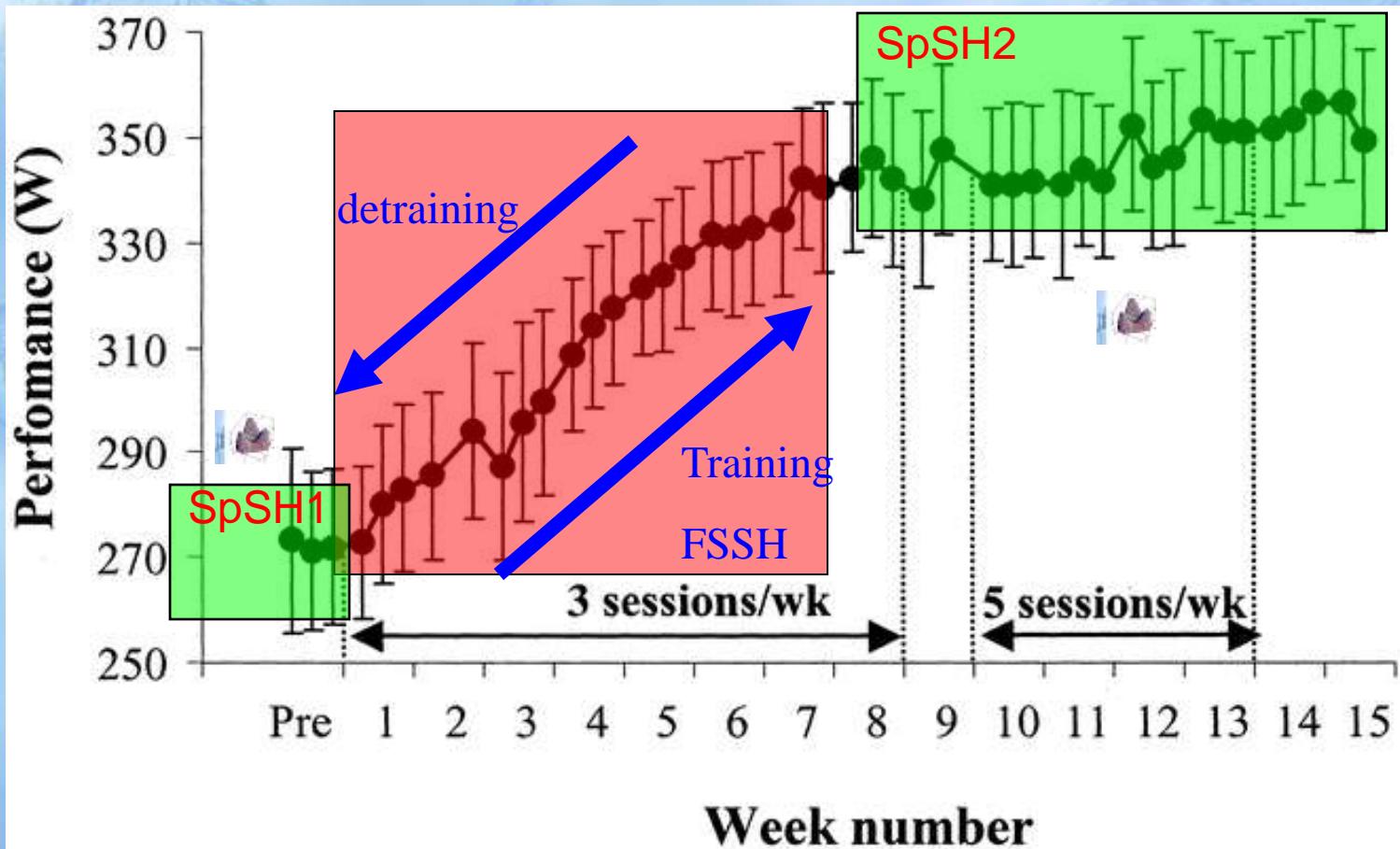
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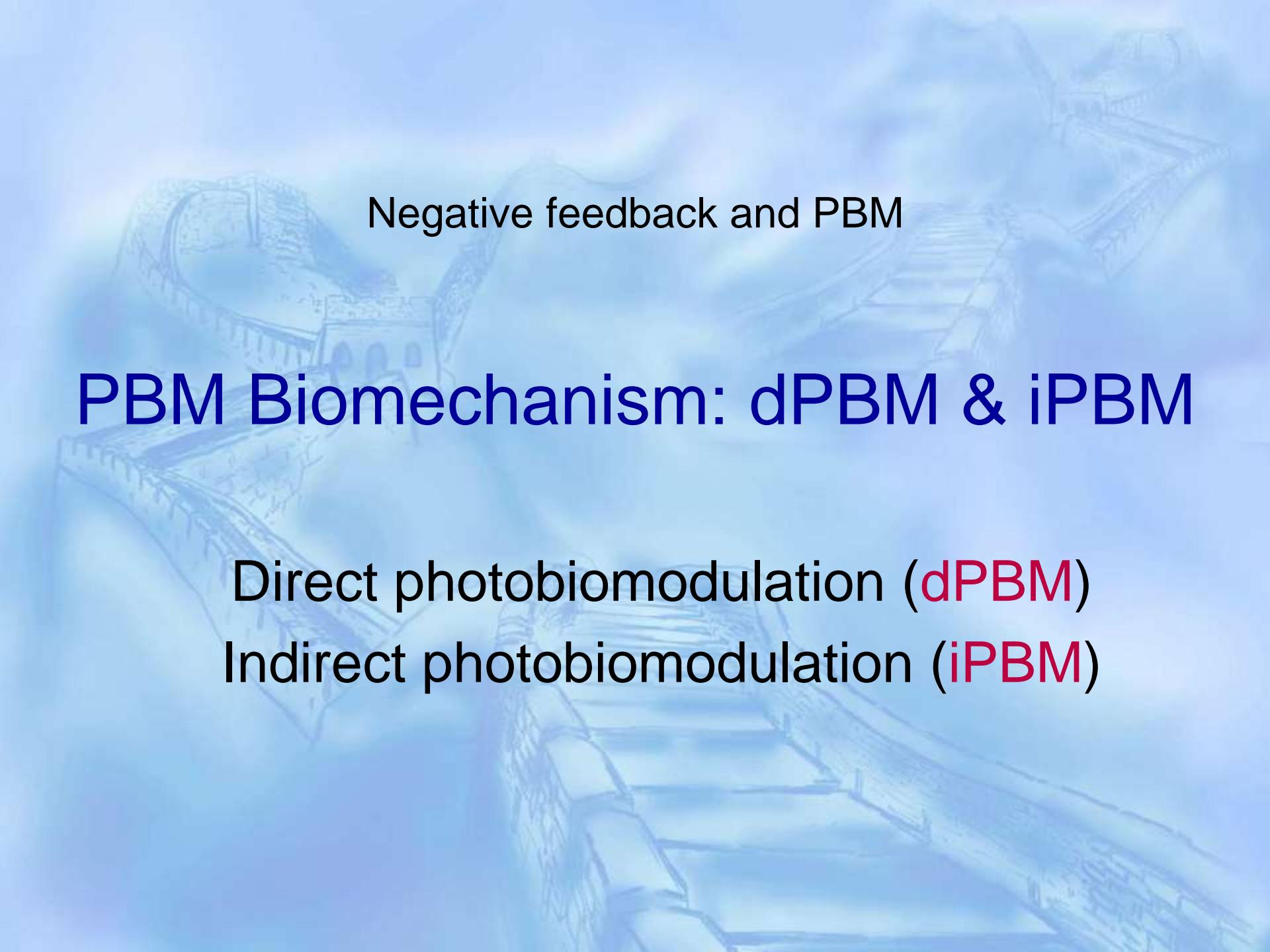
Phases of wound repair. Wound healing has been arbitrarily divided into three phases: inflammation(0-5days), proliferation (3-14 days)and maturation(week-year)

# Sport-specific homeostasis (SpSH)

Training program plateau



Pattern of performance measured with Plim5' test over the experiment. *Dotted lines* delimit the two phases of training: phase 1 with three training sessions per week and phase 2 with five training sessions per week. Values are mean  $\pm$  SE.



Negative feedback and PBM

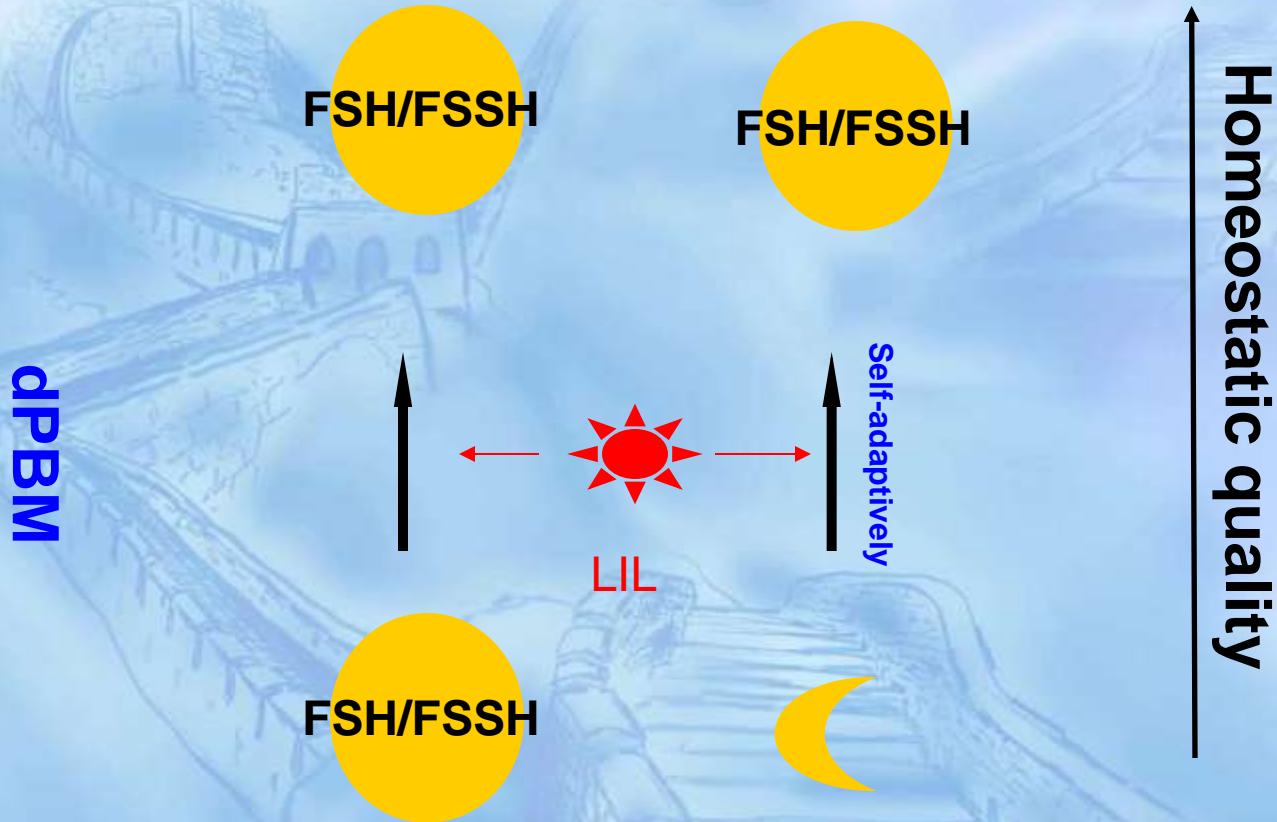
## PBM Biomechanism: dPBM & iPBM

Direct photobiomodulation (**dPBM**)

Indirect photobiomodulation (**iPBM**)

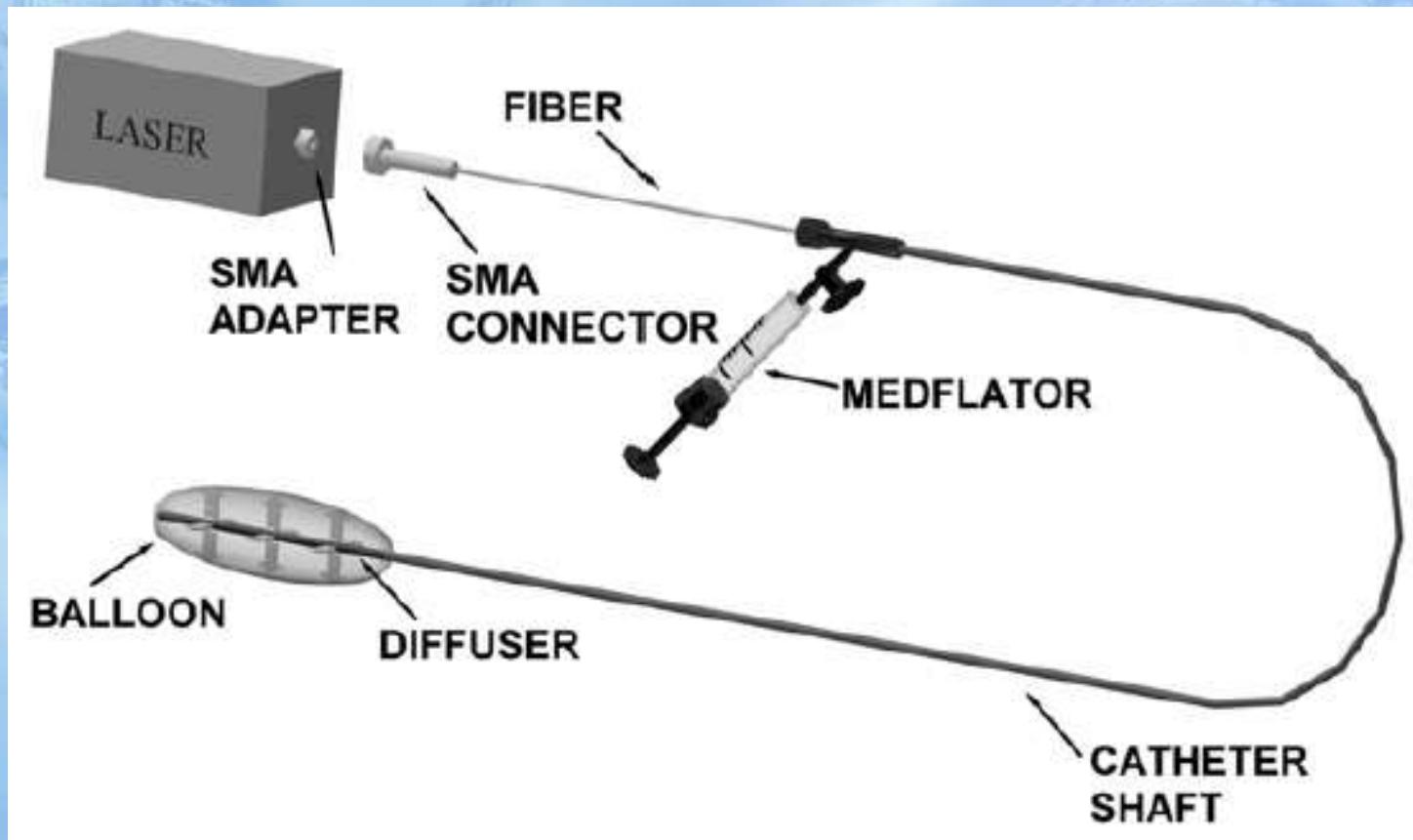
# dPBM

- There is no dPBM on FSH/FSSH
- dPBM modulates a chronic stress self-adaptively until it becomes a successful stress so that the FSH/FSSH is established



Low intensity laser irradiation or  
monochromatic light (**LIL**)

# Intravascular LIL



Derkacz A, Protasiewicz M, Poreba R, Szuba A, Andrzejak R. 2010. Usefulness of intravascular low-power laser illumination in preventing restenosis after percutaneous coronary intervention. Am J Cardiol. 106(8):1113-7. <http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/20920649>

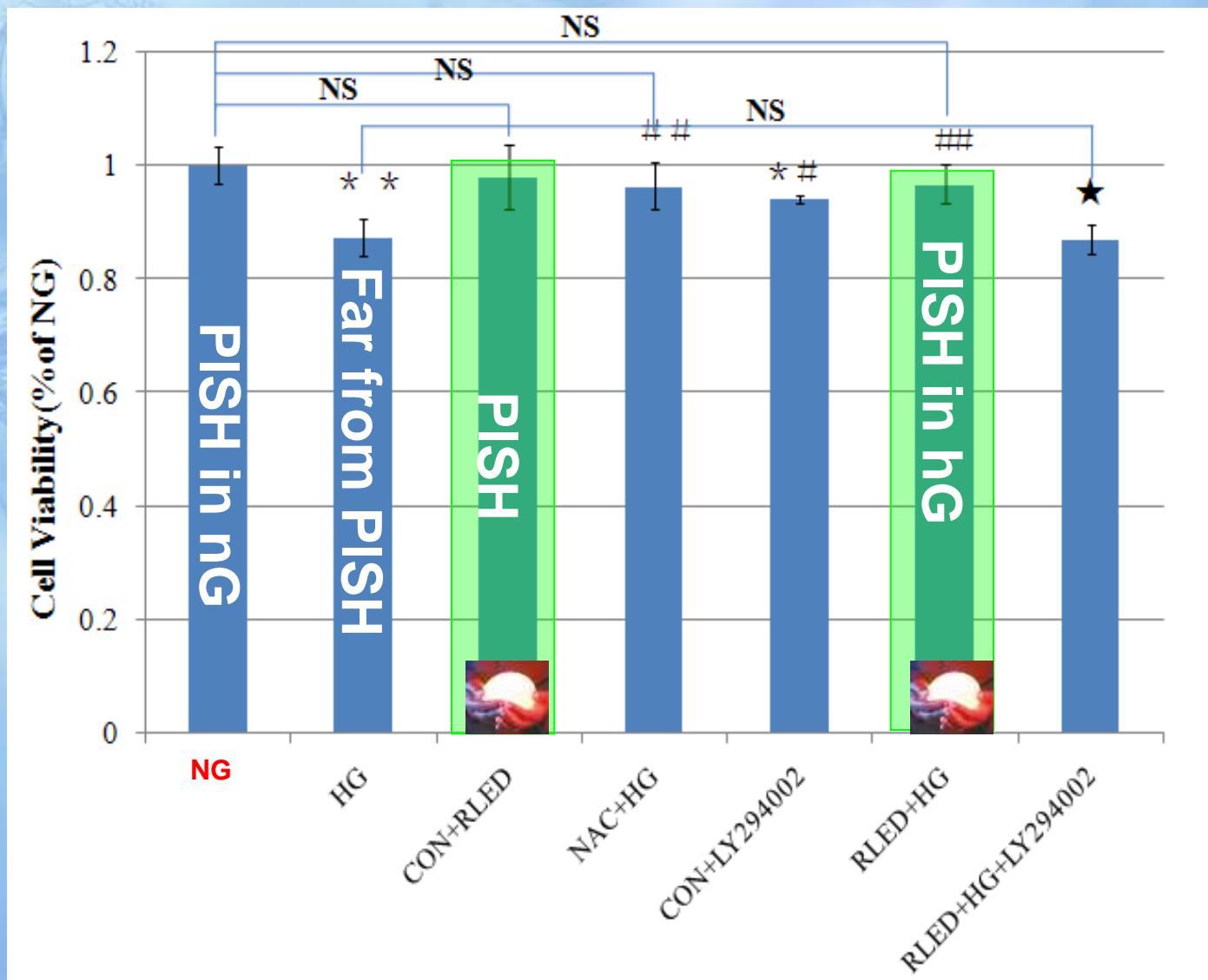
# Percutaneous coronary intervention

Major adverse cardiac events (MACE) and mean extent of narrowing on follow-up coronary angiogram at 6 months, stratified by diagnosis of restenosis

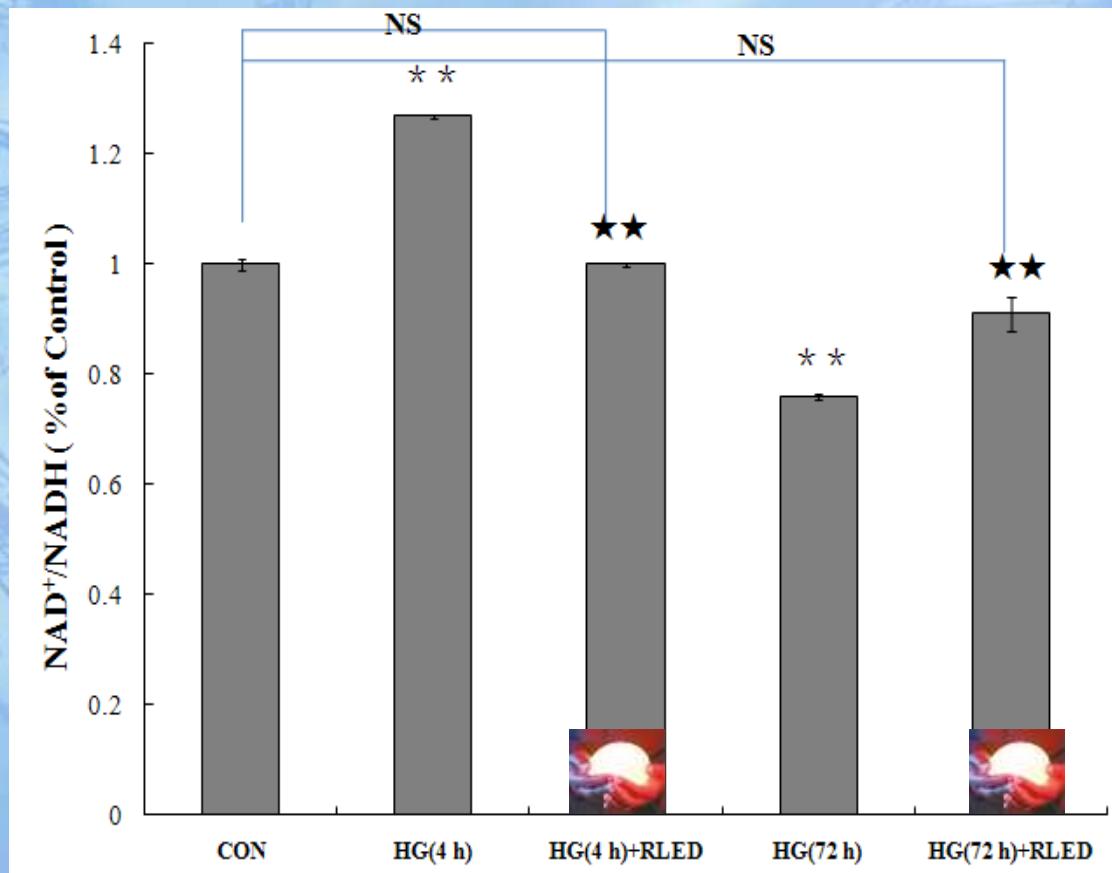
Variable	Laser (n = 52)	Control (n = 49)	p Value
Mean narrowing on angiogram (%)	$32.0 \pm 22.1$	$43.5 \pm 23.6$	<0.05
Patients with restenosis (%)	$59.1 \pm 22.0$	$71.8 \pm 16.3$	<0.01
Patients without restenosis (%)	$27.5 \pm 13.0$	$32.2 \pm 17.8$	0.128
Major adverse cardiac events			
At 6 months	4 (7.7%)	7 (14.3%)	0.525
At 12 months	4 (7.7%)	9 (18.4%)	0.266

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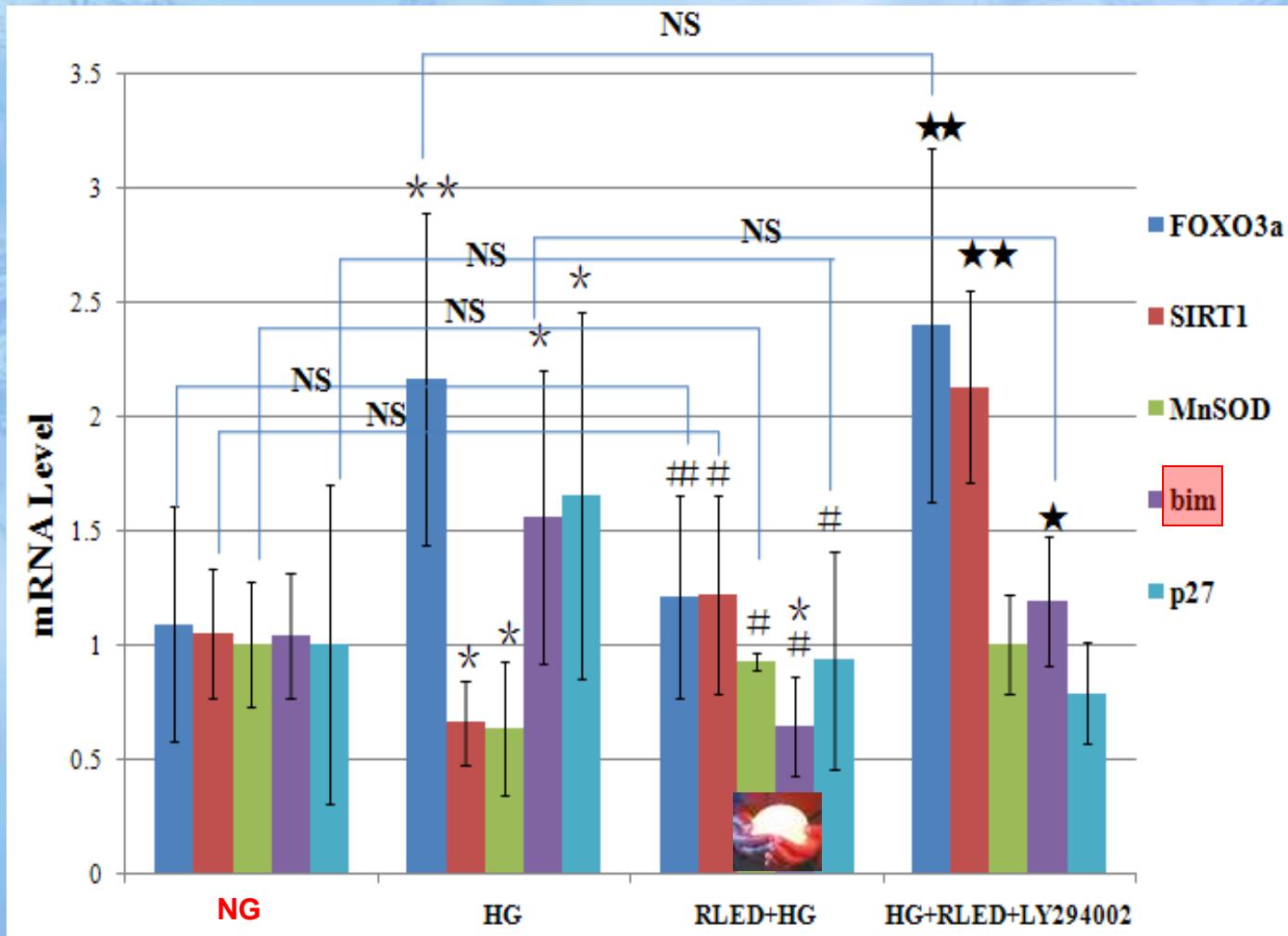
# dPBM on hG induced dysfunction



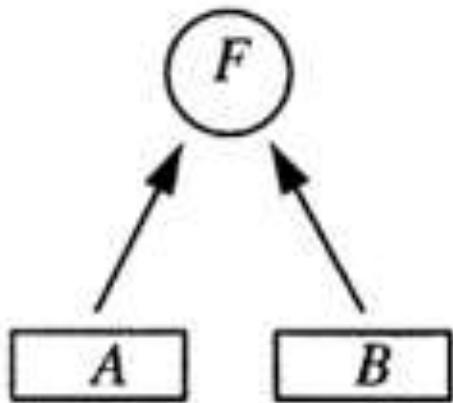
# Self-adaptive dPBM



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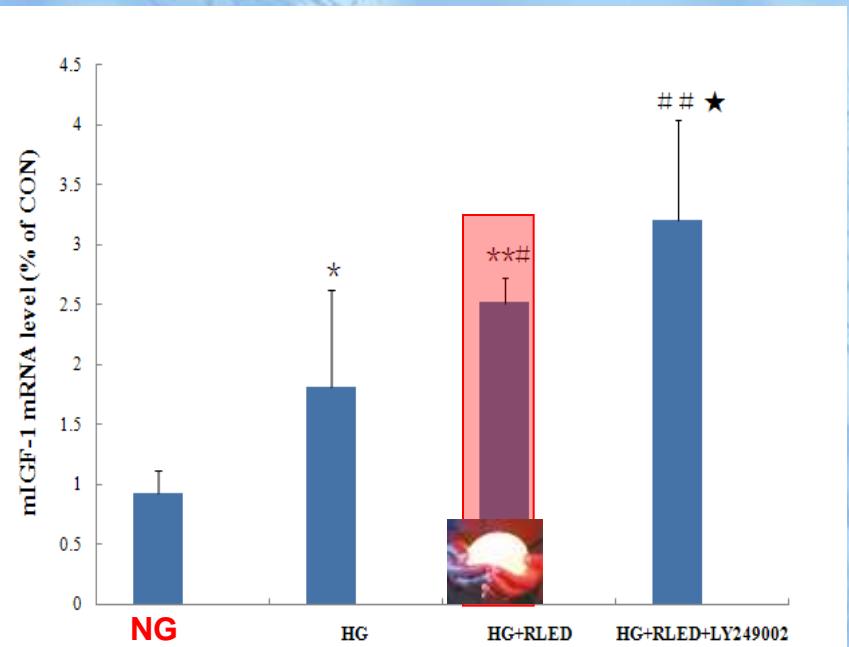
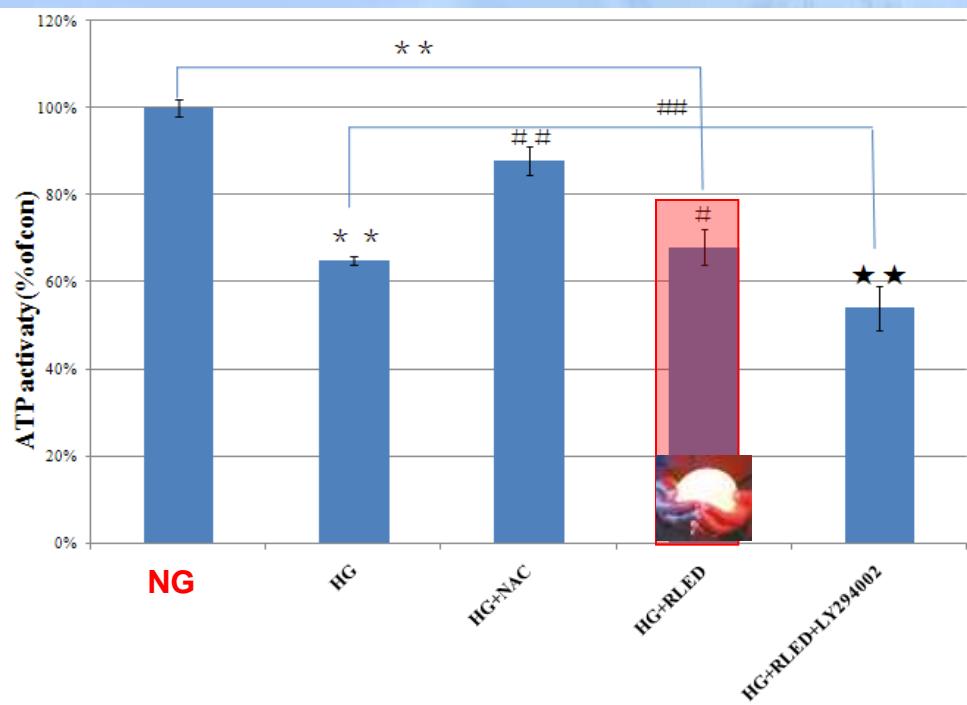
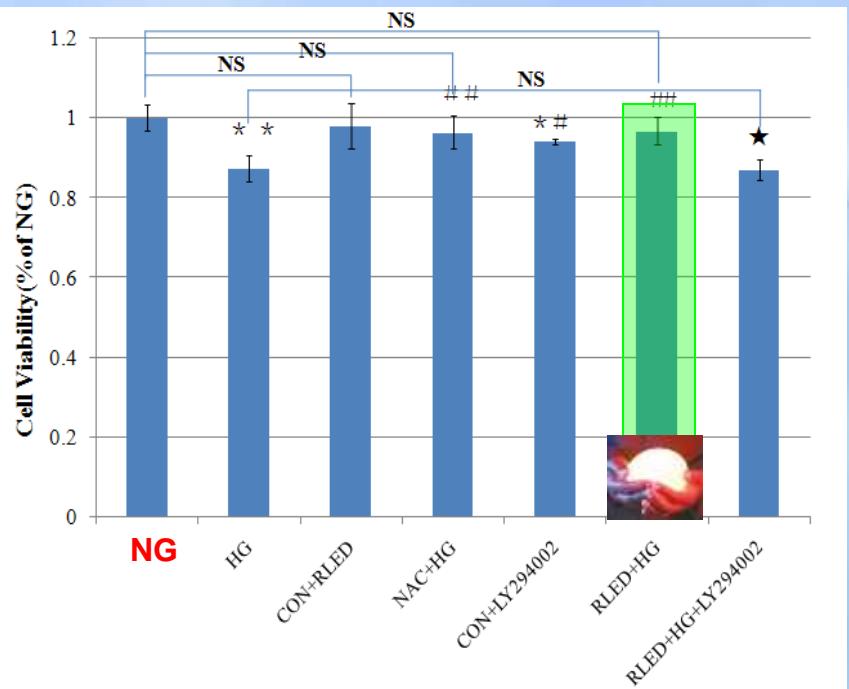
# Redundant genes



Gene	<i>F</i>
<i>A</i>	1
<i>a</i>	0
<i>B</i>	1
<i>b</i>	0

Genotype	Fitness
<i>AB</i>	1
<i>Ab</i>	1
<i>aB</i>	1
<i>ab</i>	0

If genes *A* and *B* perform function *F* with equal efficacy, then redundancy does not persist. For unequal mutation rates, the gene with higher mutation rate will become extinct.

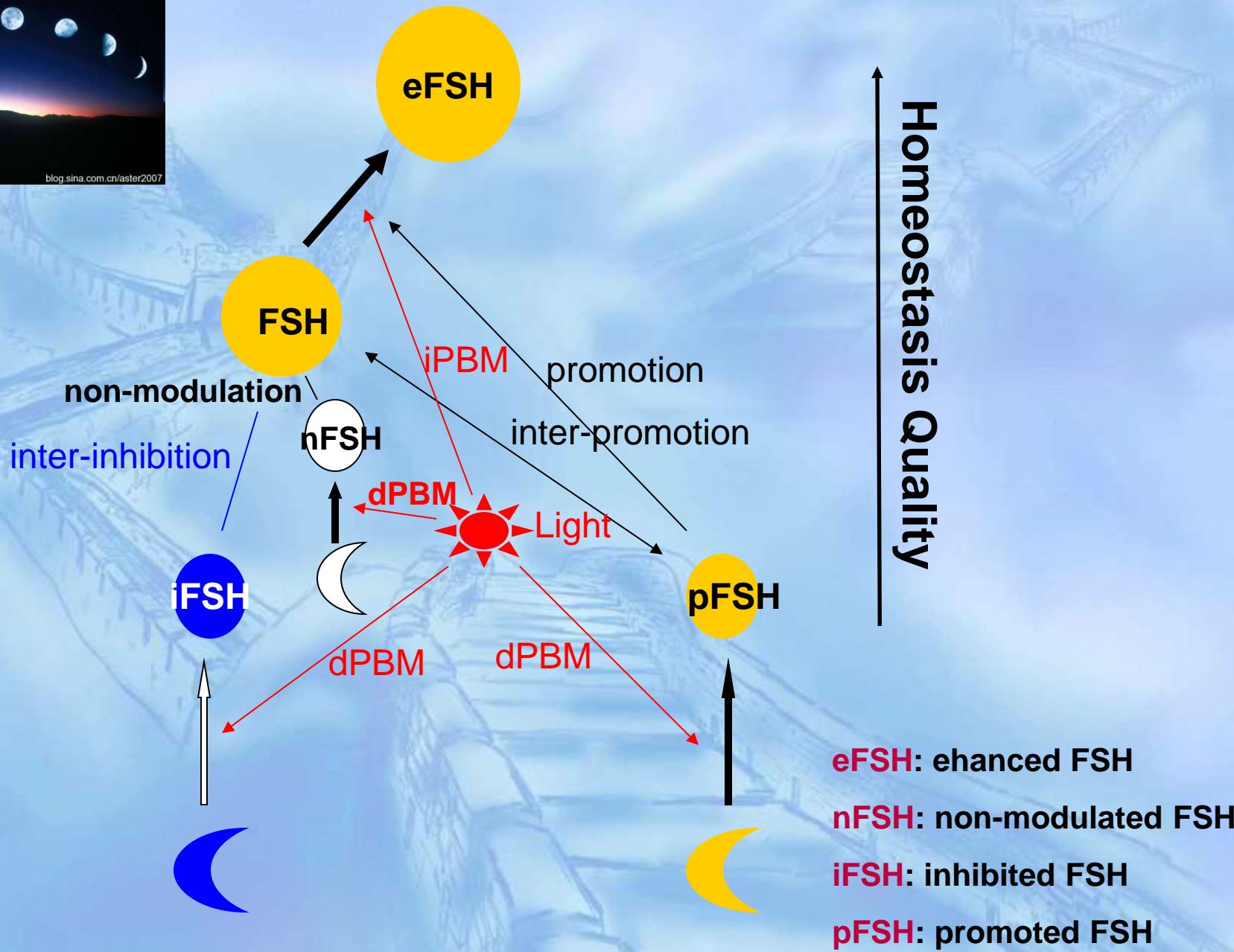


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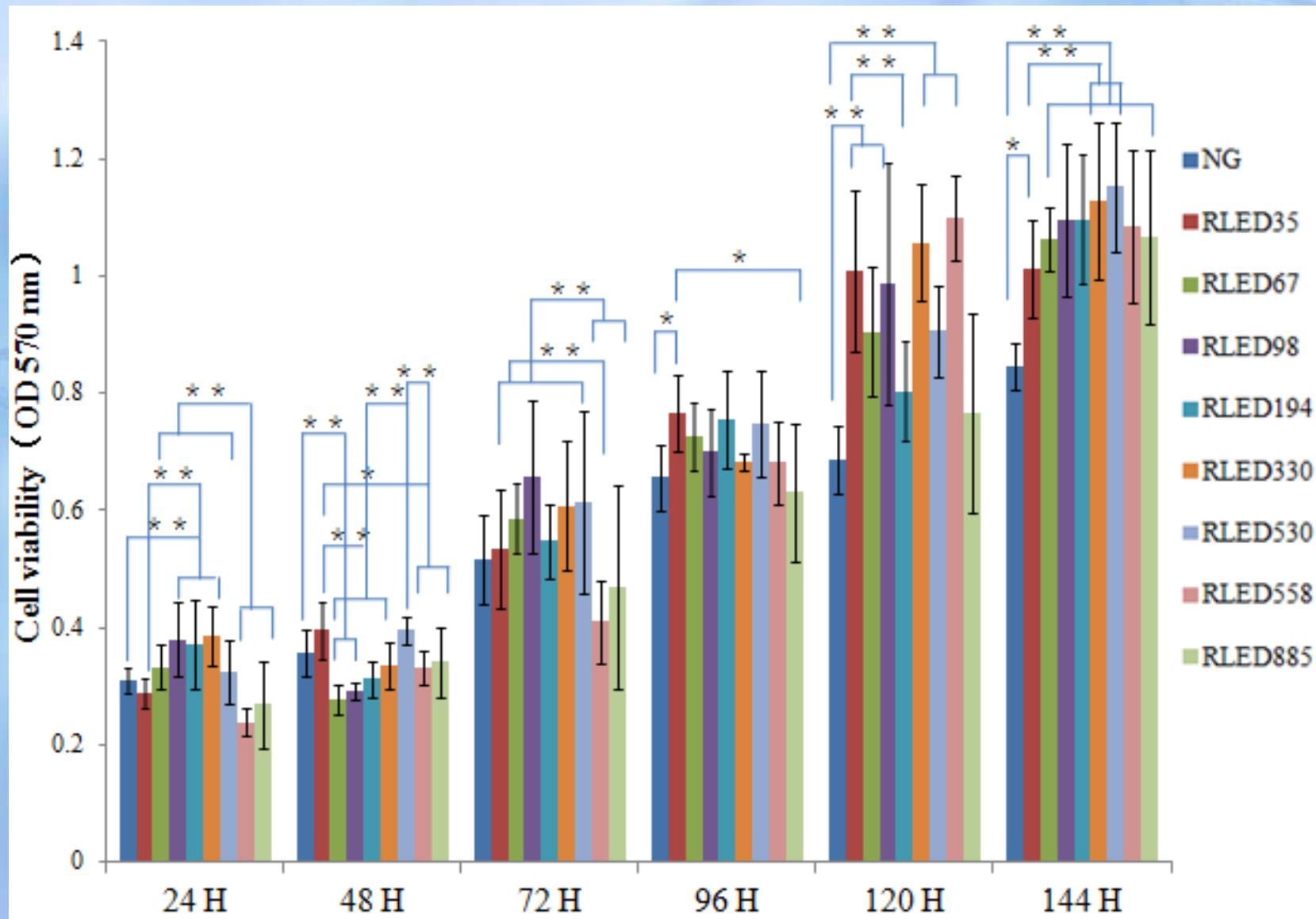
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# iPBM

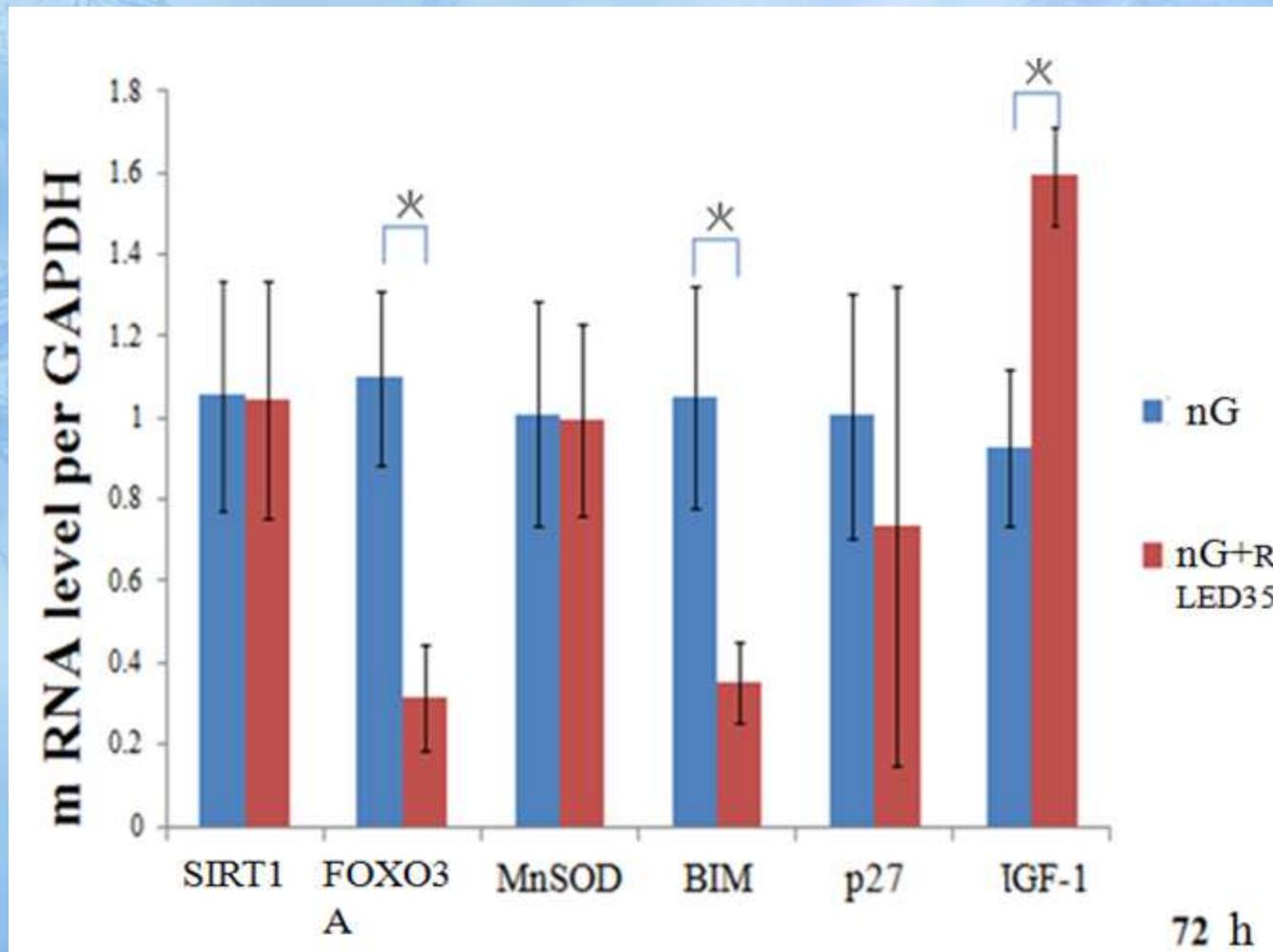
- A function in its FSH has three kinds of subfunctions in terms of their respective homeostasis (**sFSH**)
  - The FSH inhibits the establishment of sFSH (**iFSH**)
  - The FSH does not modulate the establishment of sFSH (**nFSH**)
  - The FSH promotes the establishment of sFSH (**pFSH**)
- **iPBM** self-adaptively modulates a subfunction far from its pFSH until the pFSH is established and then the FSH is upgraded into enhanced FSH (**eFSH**).



# iPBM on PISH in nG

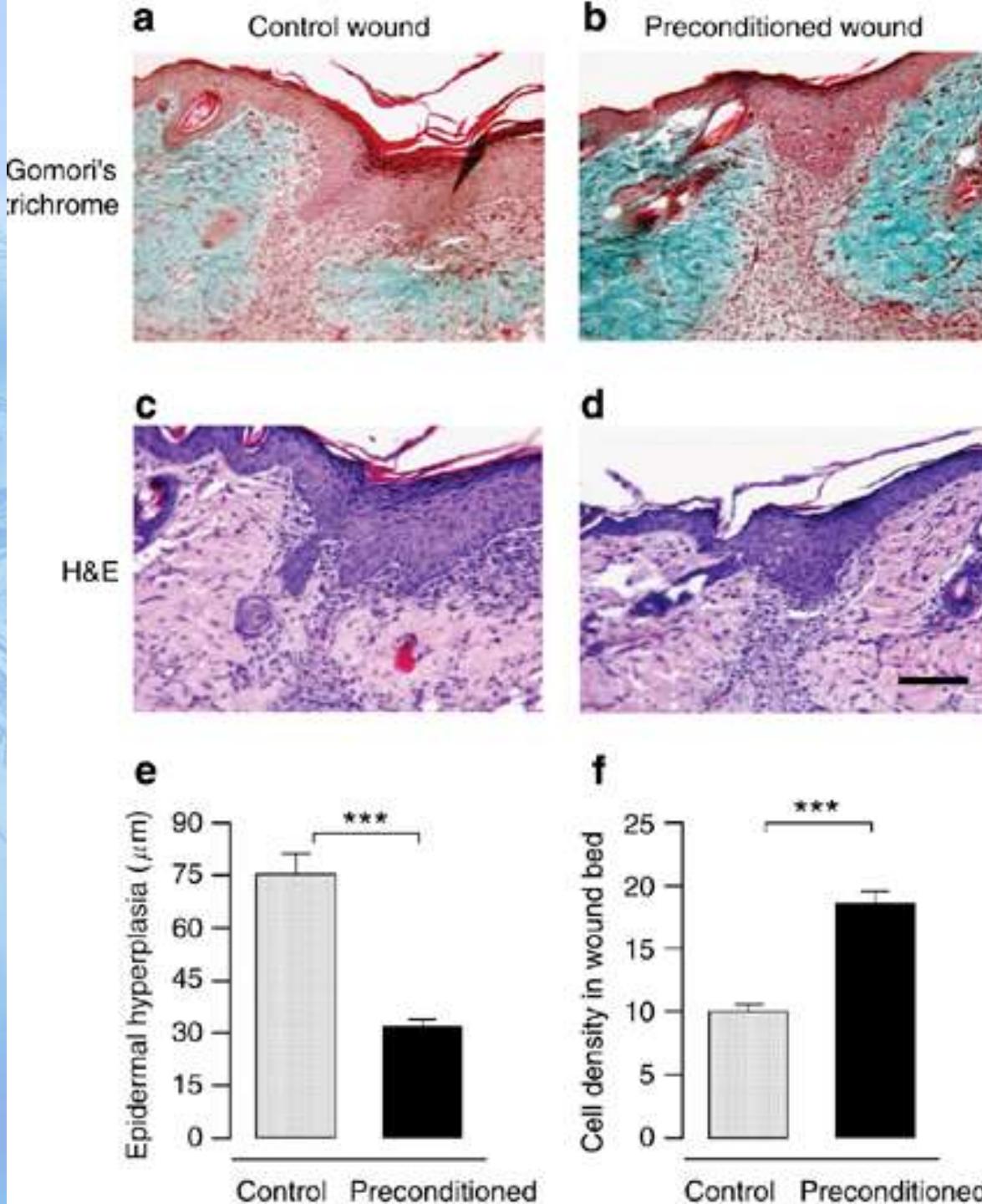


# Redundancy mediated iPBM



The FNSH is differentiation-specific homeostasis

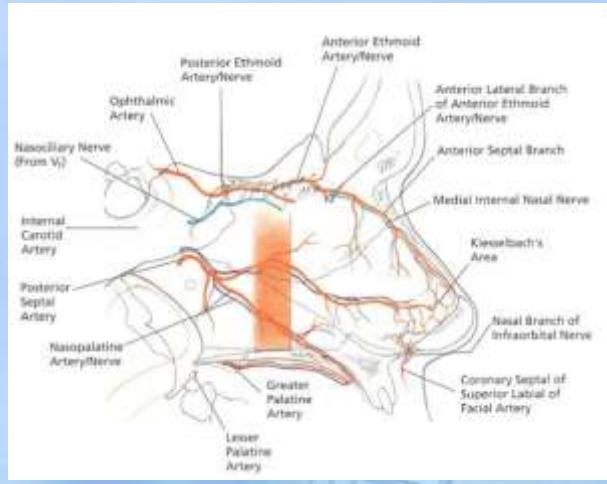
# Collagen deposition and cellularity in preconditioned surgical wounds



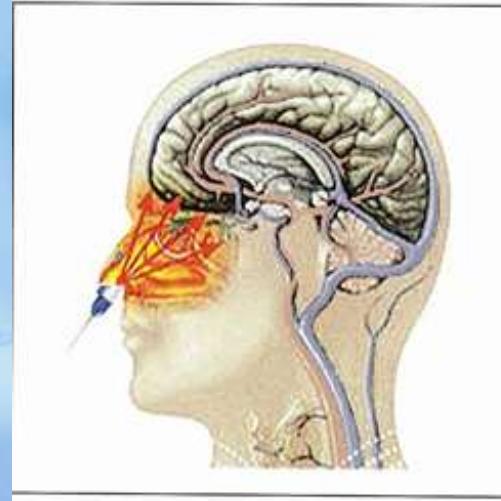
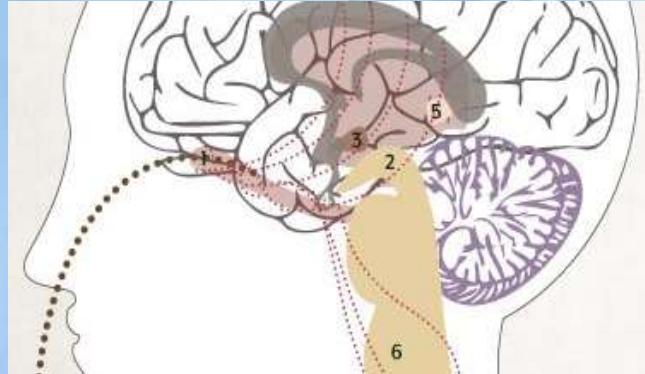
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# ILIT Biomechanisms

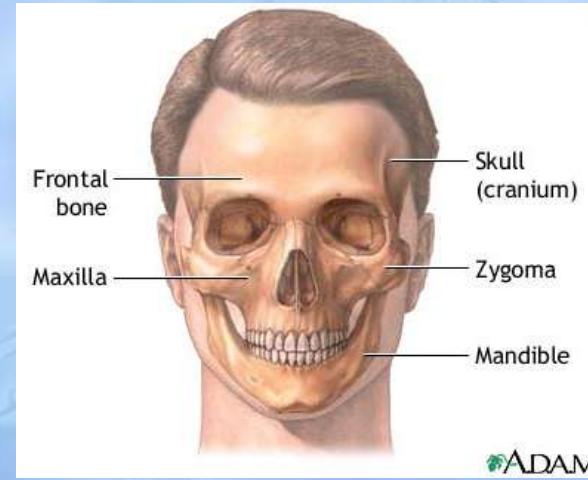
Pathways mediating ILIT



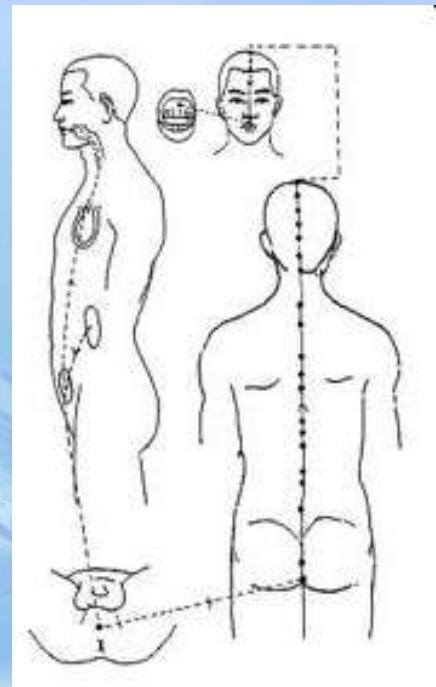
## Blood



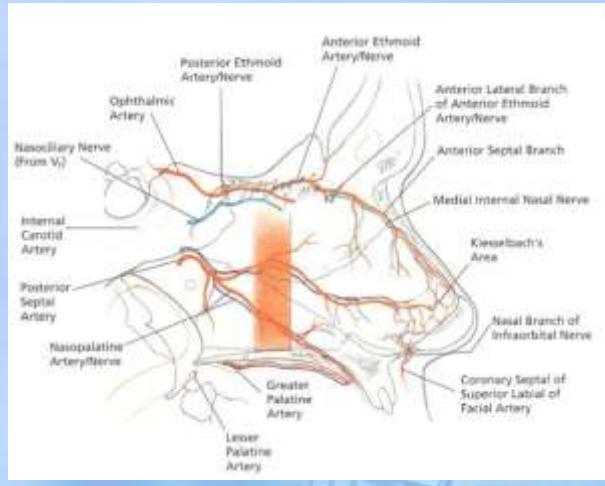
## Olfactory, autonomic and central nervous system



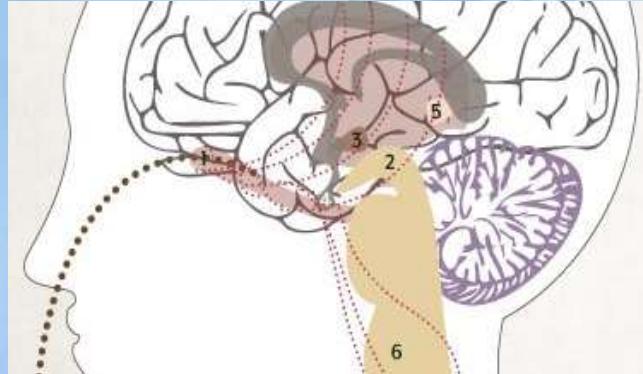
## Bone



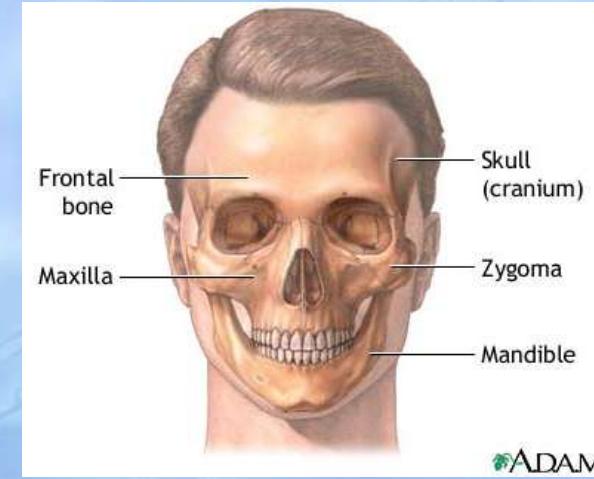
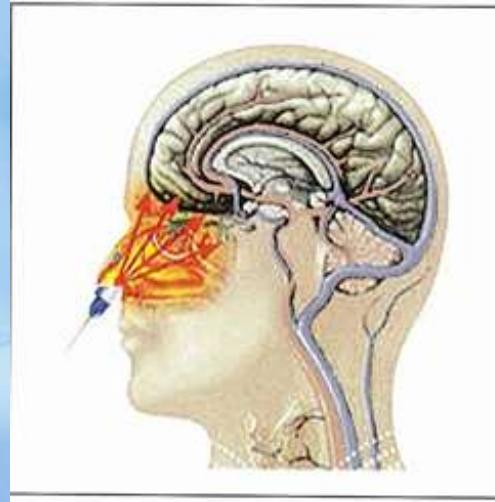
## Acupoints and meridians



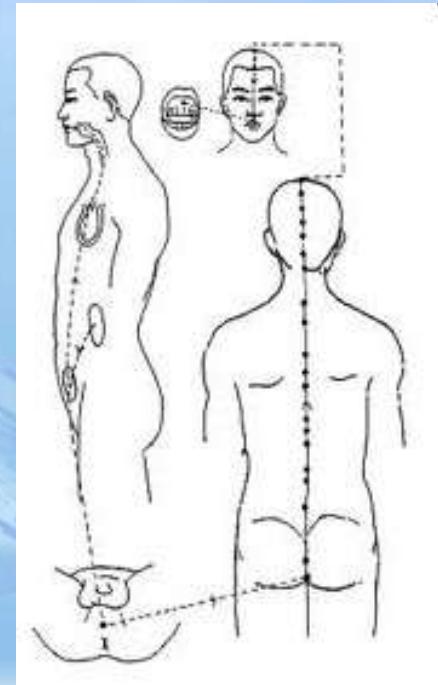
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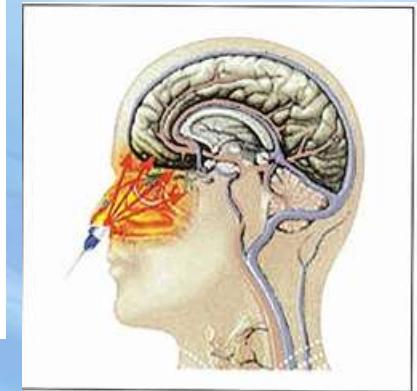
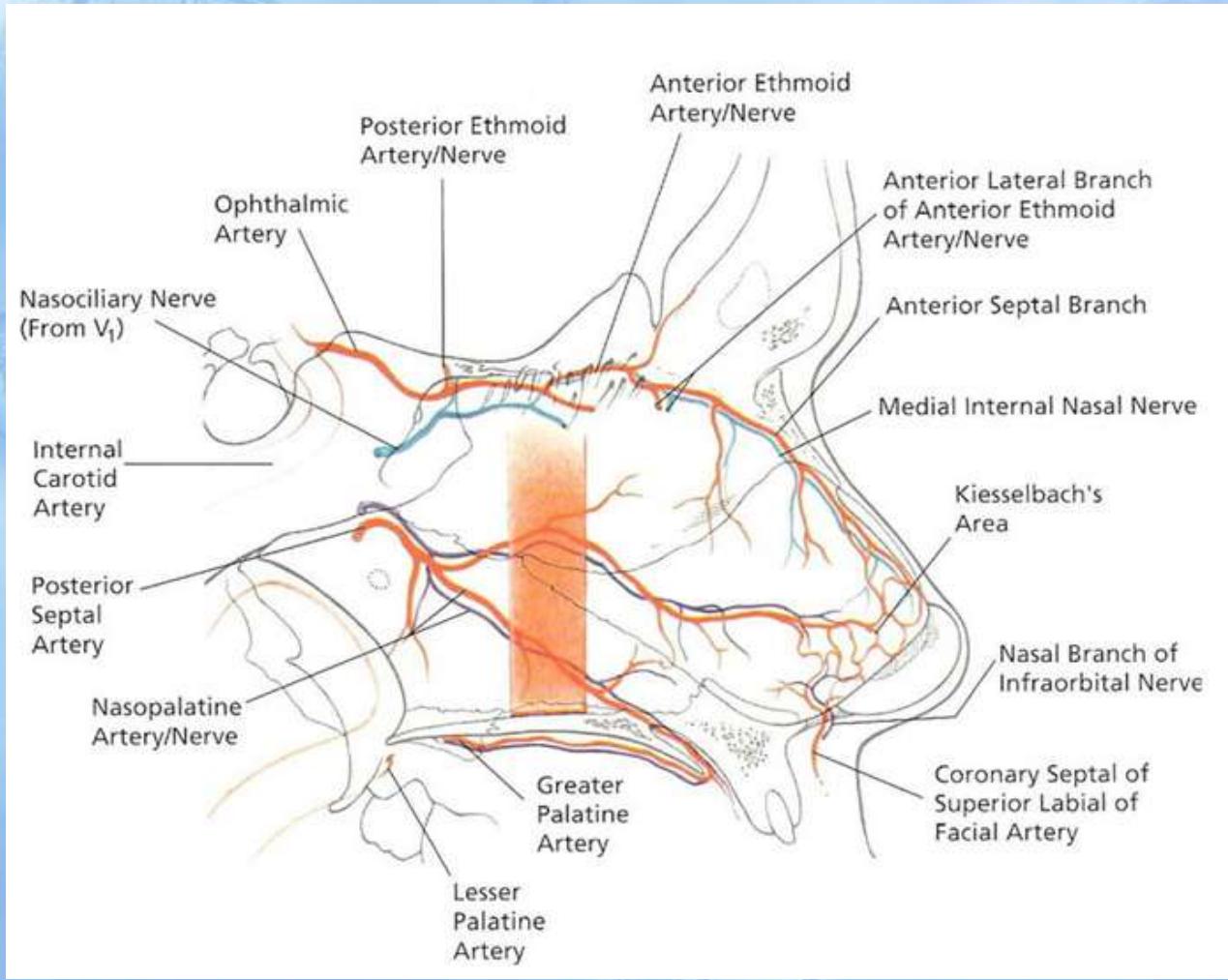


Bone



Acupoints and meridians

# ILIT Biomechanism: blood mediation



# Thermal Texture Map before and after ILILT treatment



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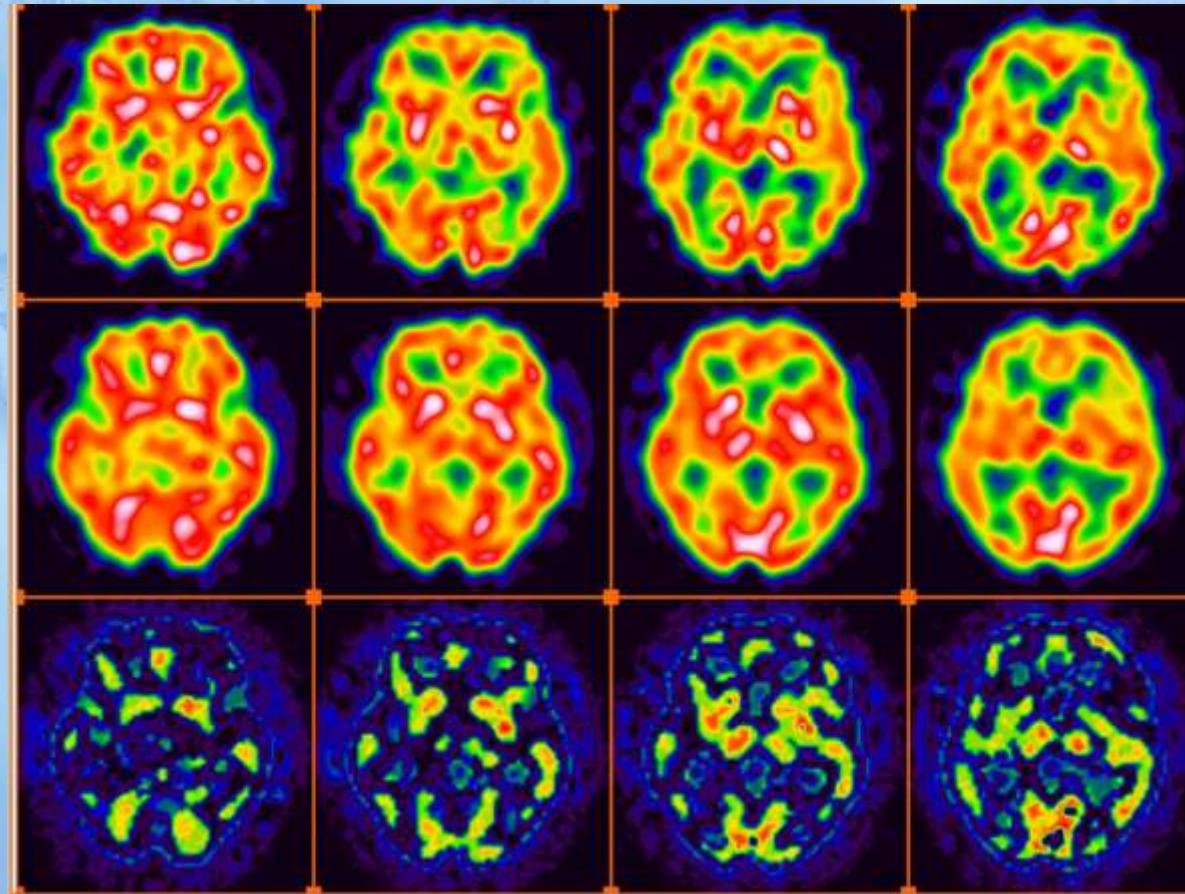


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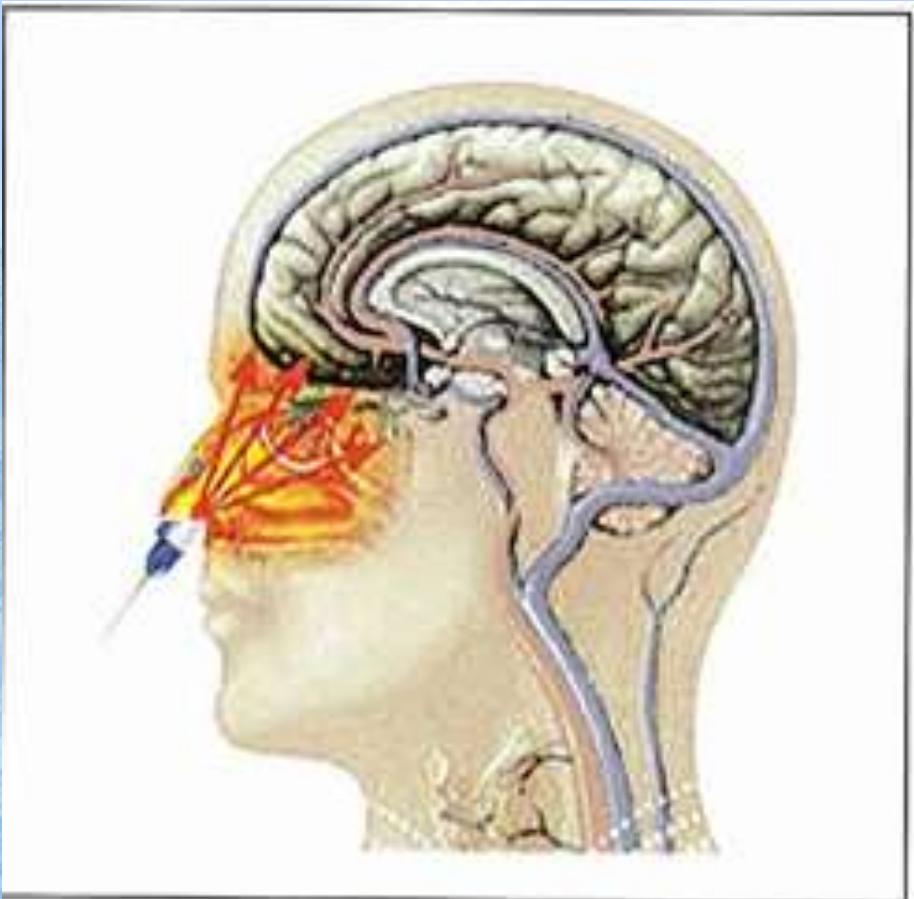
From Prof. Liu SH

# single photon emission computed tomography (SPECT)

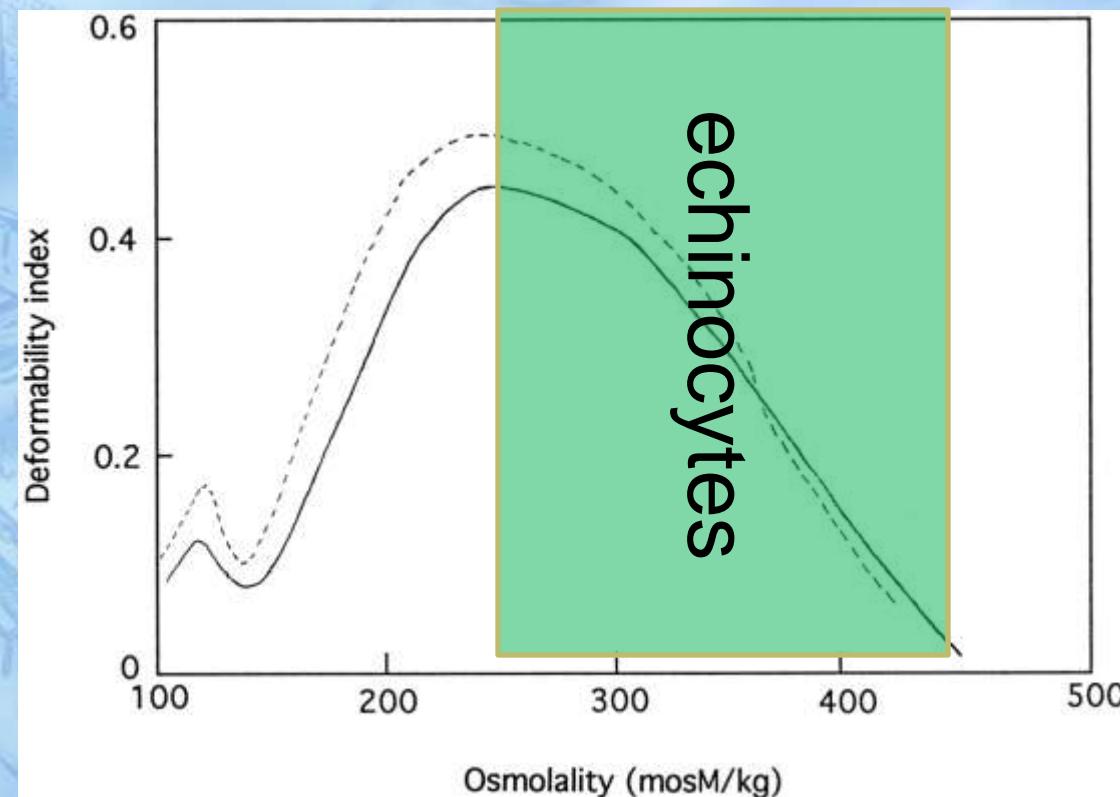
## Improved regional cerebral blood flow



SPECT for old men before and after ILIT from Prof. Xiao XC



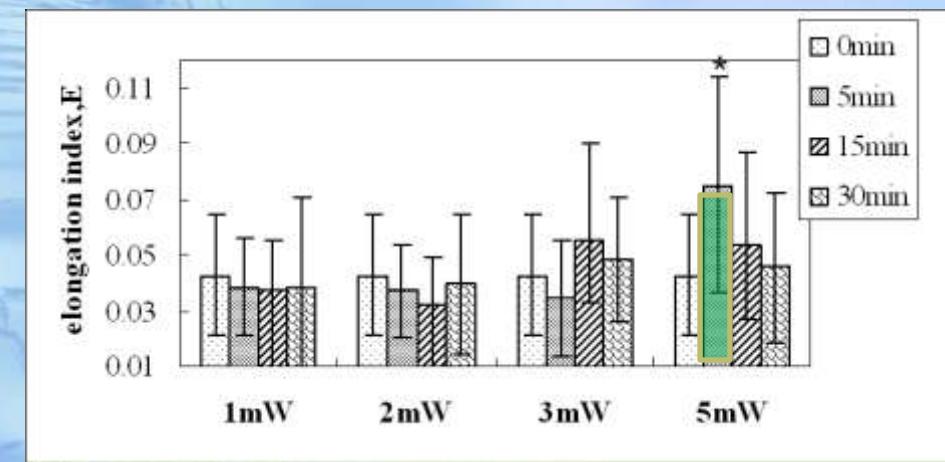
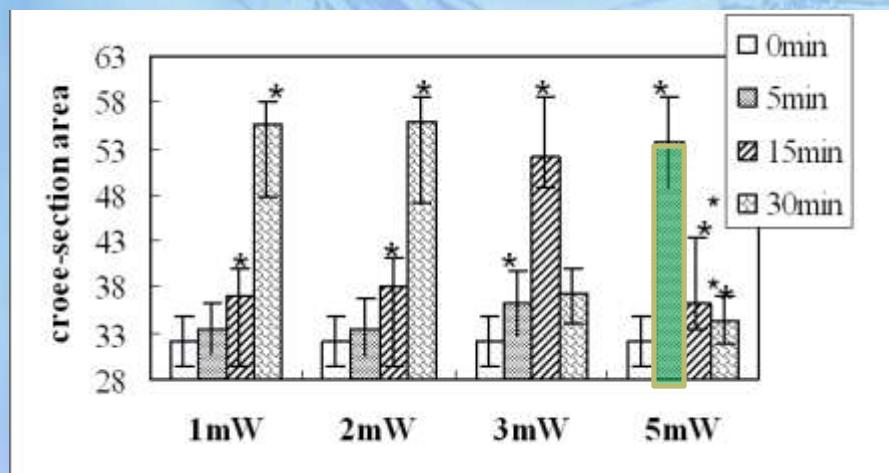
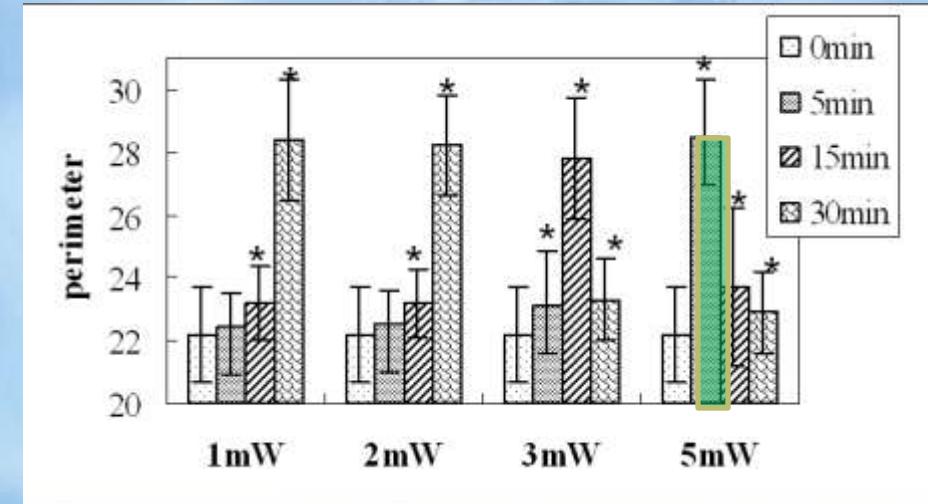
# Osmotic deformability profiles of RBC



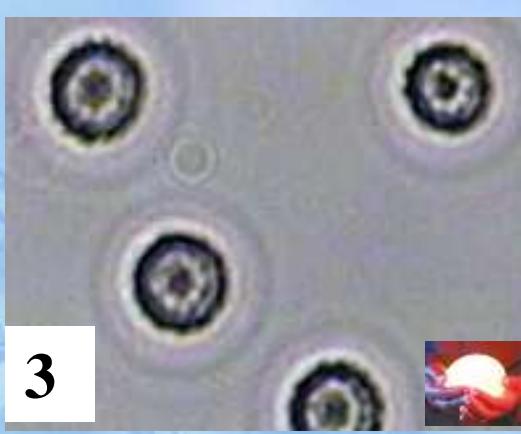
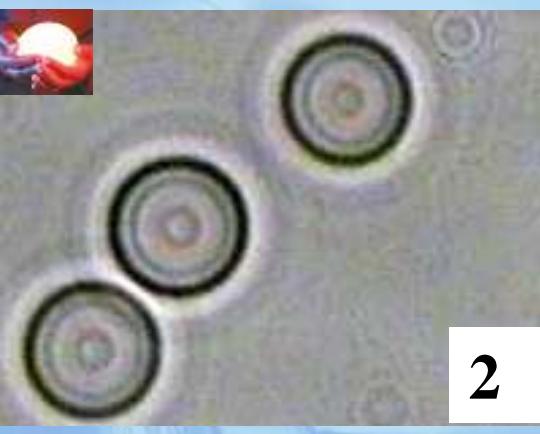
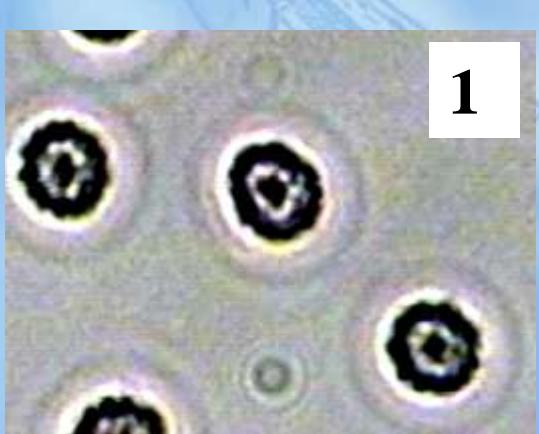
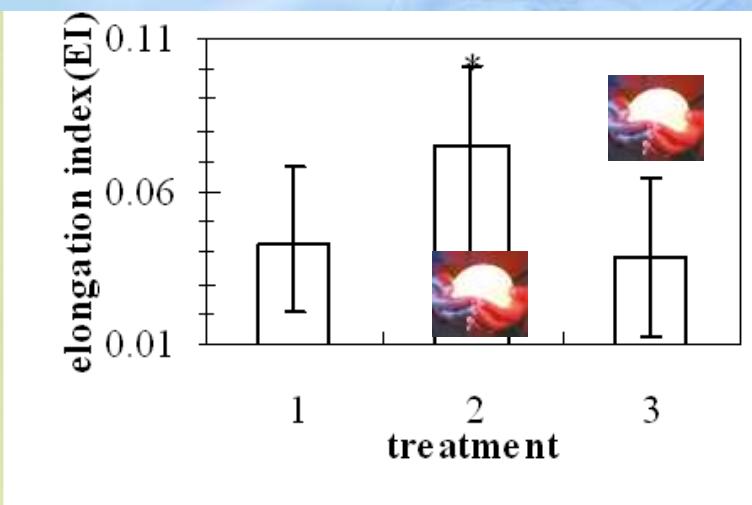
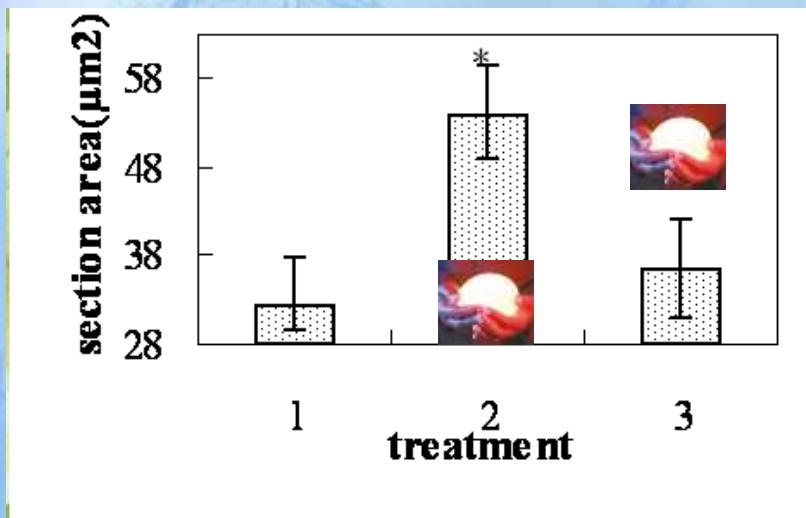
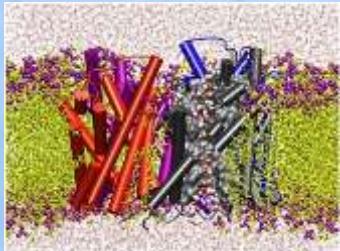
Peripheral red cells from an unrelated control individual (+/+, dashed line) and an individual homozygous for AQP1 deficiency (subject IIa, -/-, solid line) were analyzed by osmotic gradient ektacytometry, a technique that determines whole cell deformability while the osmolality of the suspending medium is continuously being changed. Consistent with a small reduction in membrane surface area and a small decrease in surface-to-volume ratio, the Colton-null red cells exhibit a minor reduction in maximum deformability (at 290 mosM/kg) and a small shift in the osmolality value at which red cells exhibit minimum deformability in hypotonic medium (140 mosM/kg).

# Dose relationship

- Low-intensity He-Ne laser irradiation (LHNL) was irradiated at 5 mW ( $4.4 \text{ mW/cm}^2$ ) for 5 minutes.



# Aquaporin 1 mediated LPBM



1 echinocytes , 2 LIL, 3  $\text{HgCl}_2+\text{LIL}$

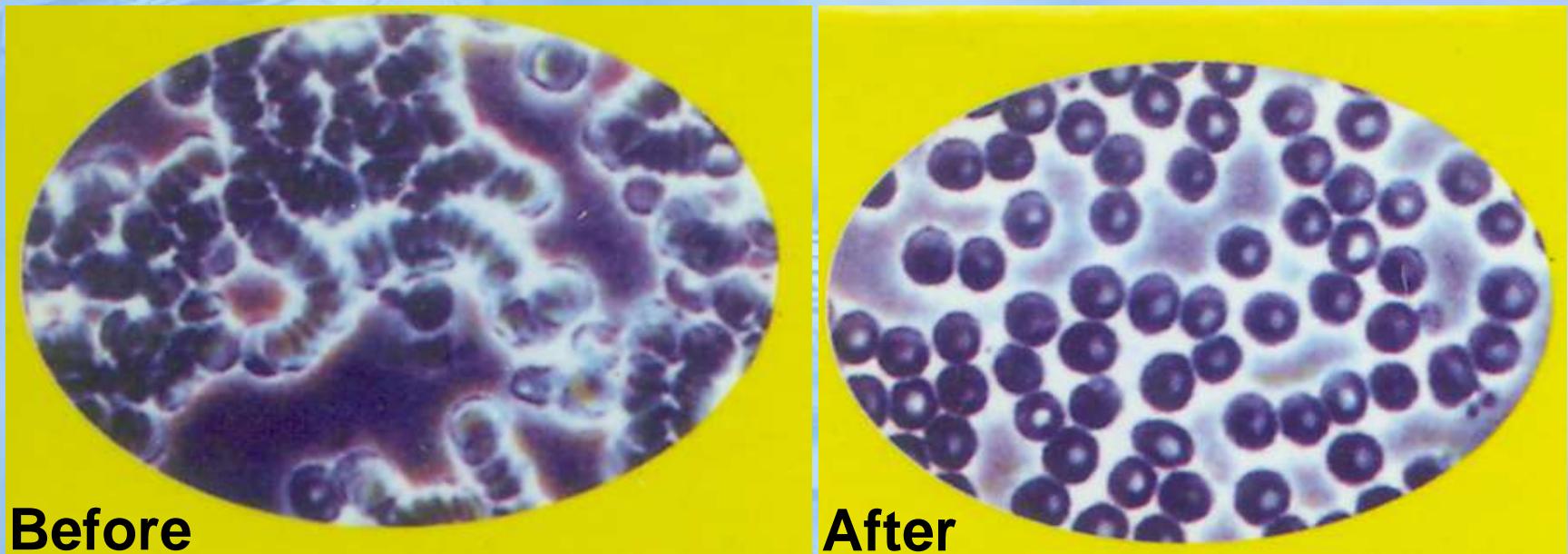
$\text{HgCl}_2$  is an inhibitor of aquaporin 1

# Volunteer Subjects

- Coronary Heart Disease (CHD) was diagnosed on electrocardiogram and coronary angiography,
- Cerebral Infarction (CI) was diagnosed on coronal CT appearance.

Group	Patients (n)	Gender		Age (years)	CHD (n)	CI (n)	CHD&CI(n)
		Male	Female				
Treatment Group	60	34	26	76.6±7.81	21	20	19
Control Group	30	15	15	75.5±9.52	13	14	3
t Value		0.358			0.561	5.157	
P		>0.05			>0.05	>0.05	

# Rehabilitation of dPBM



**Before**

**After**

Blood Corpuscle Examination

# Blood Viscosity Index (mean $\pm$ SEM)

BV	Treatment Group(n)		Verified Statistics		Control Group(n)		Verified Statistics	
	Before	After	t	P	Before	After	t	P
BV(l)	8.34 $\pm$ 1.91	8.15 $\pm$ 1.91	0.545	>0.05	6.54 $\pm$ 1.75	7.87 $\pm$ 1.99	2.735	<0.05
BV(h)	4.23 $\pm$ 0.82	3.94 $\pm$ 0.74	2.020	<0.05	3.56 $\pm$ 0.65	4.02 $\pm$ 1.64	1.428	>0.05
PV	1.23 $\pm$ 0.02	1.14 $\pm$ 0.22	2.233	<0.05	1.23 $\pm$ 0.18	1.23 $\pm$ 0.01	--	--
RBCP	39.88 $\pm$ 7.72	41.66 $\pm$ 4.79	1.526	>0.05	37.92 $\pm$ 6.04	38.55 $\pm$ 6.52	0.388	>0.05
RV(l)	17.35 $\pm$ 4.03	15.24 $\pm$ 2.82	3.323	<0.01	14.09 $\pm$ 3.26	16.88 $\pm$ 4.04	2.944	<0.01
RV(h)	6.99 $\pm$ 0.75	6.63 $\pm$ 0.55	2.120	<0.05	6.27 $\pm$ 1.17	7.21 $\pm$ 1.54	2.662	<0.05
RBCA	2.15 $\pm$ 0.41	1.95 $\pm$ 0.24	3.263	<0.01	1.77 $\pm$ 0.35	1.92 $\pm$ 0.23	1.961	>0.05

**BV:** Blood Viscosity,

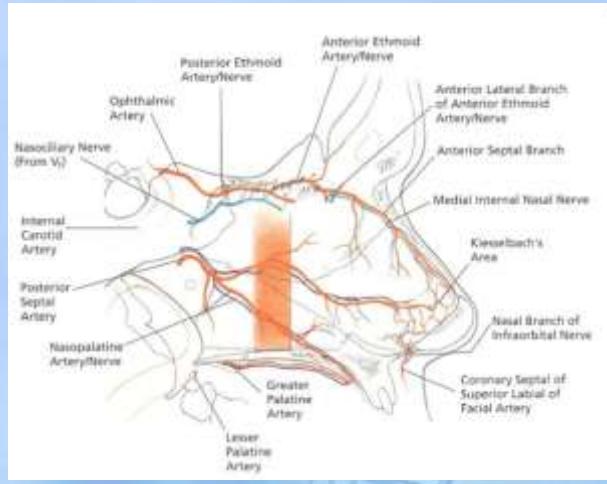
**I:** low shear

**h:** high shear,

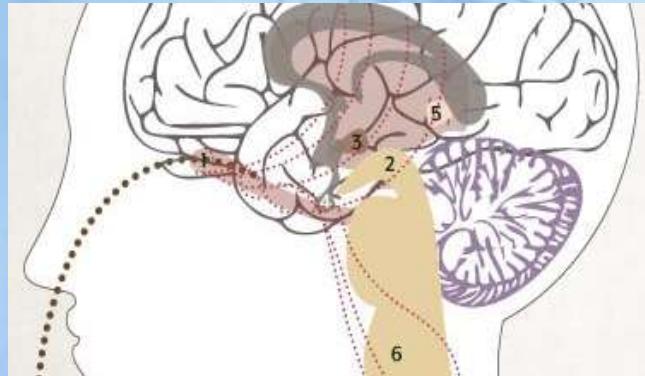
**PV:** Plasma Viscosity,

**RBCP:** Red Blood Cell Pressure,    **RV:** Redox Viscosity,

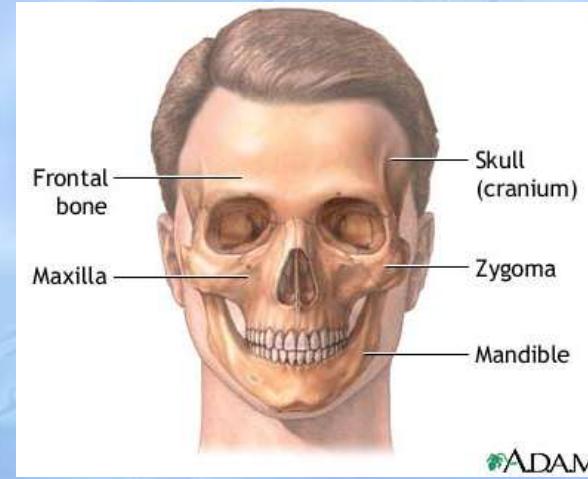
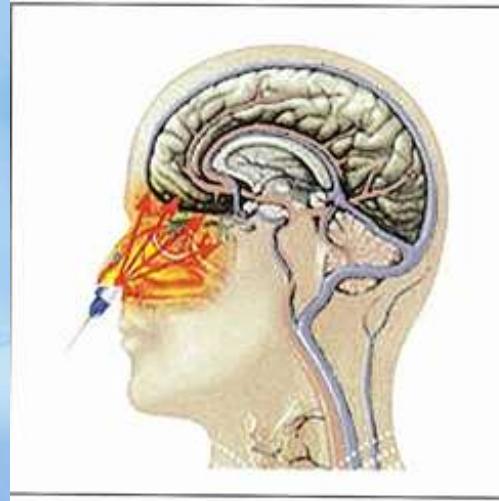
**RBCA:** Red Blood Cell Aggregation



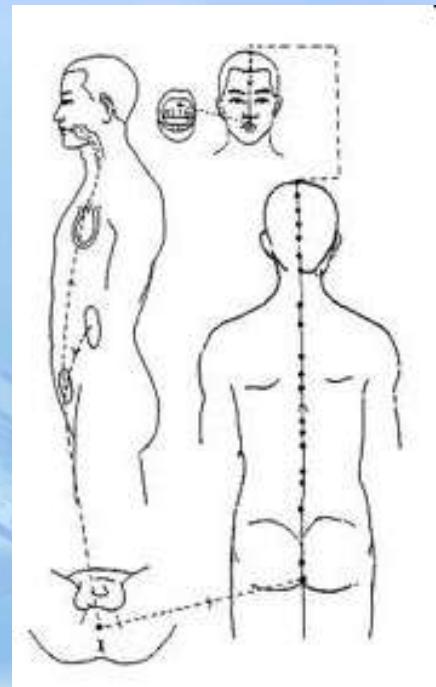
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## Olfactory, autonomic and central nervous system

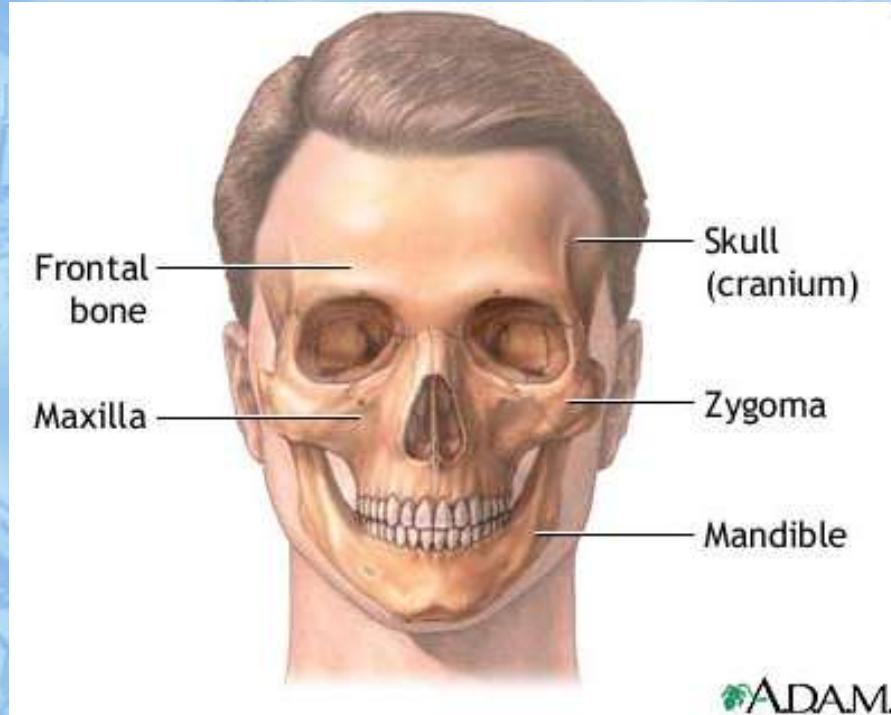


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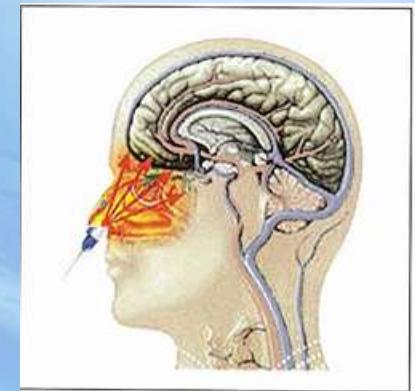


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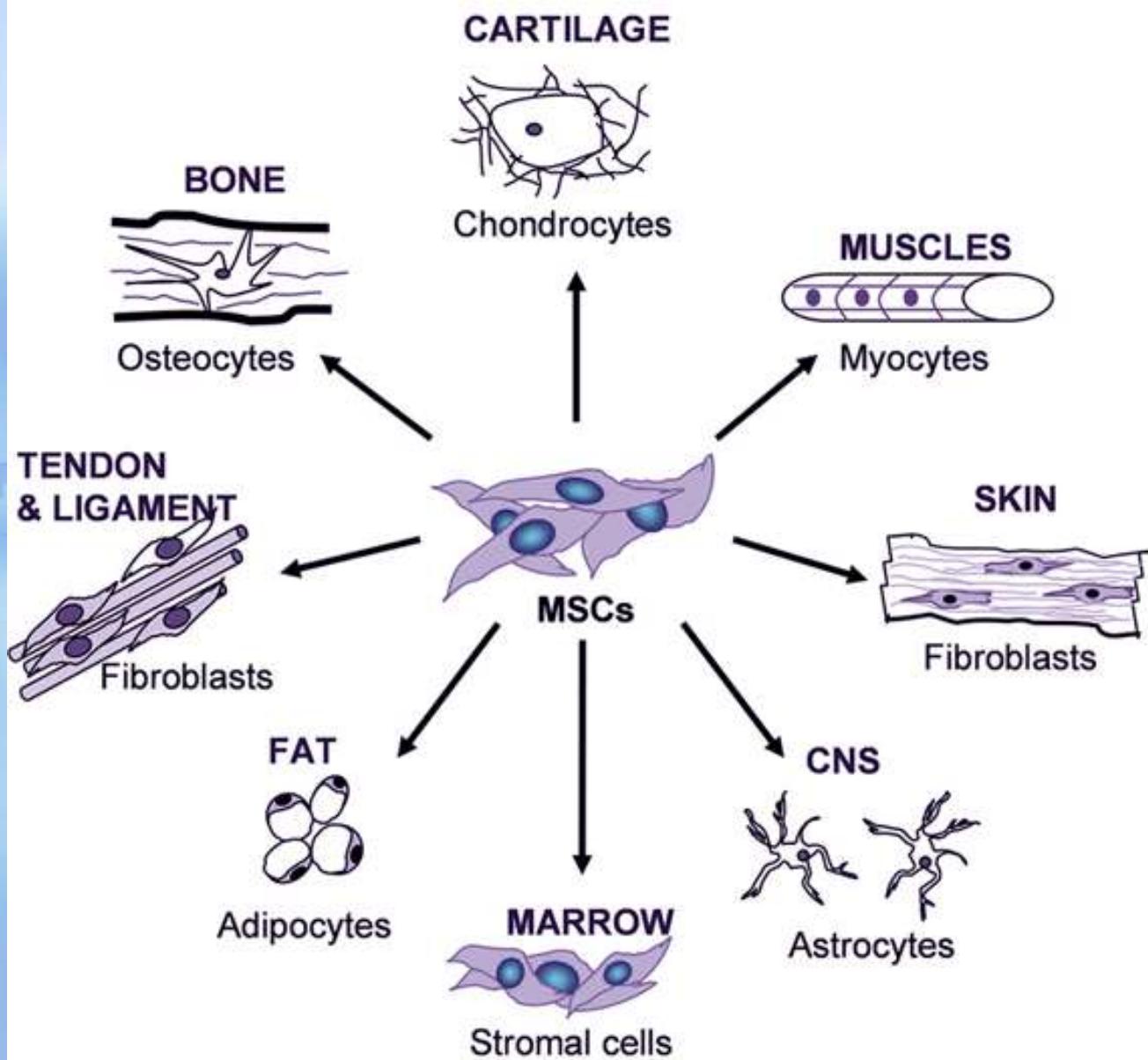
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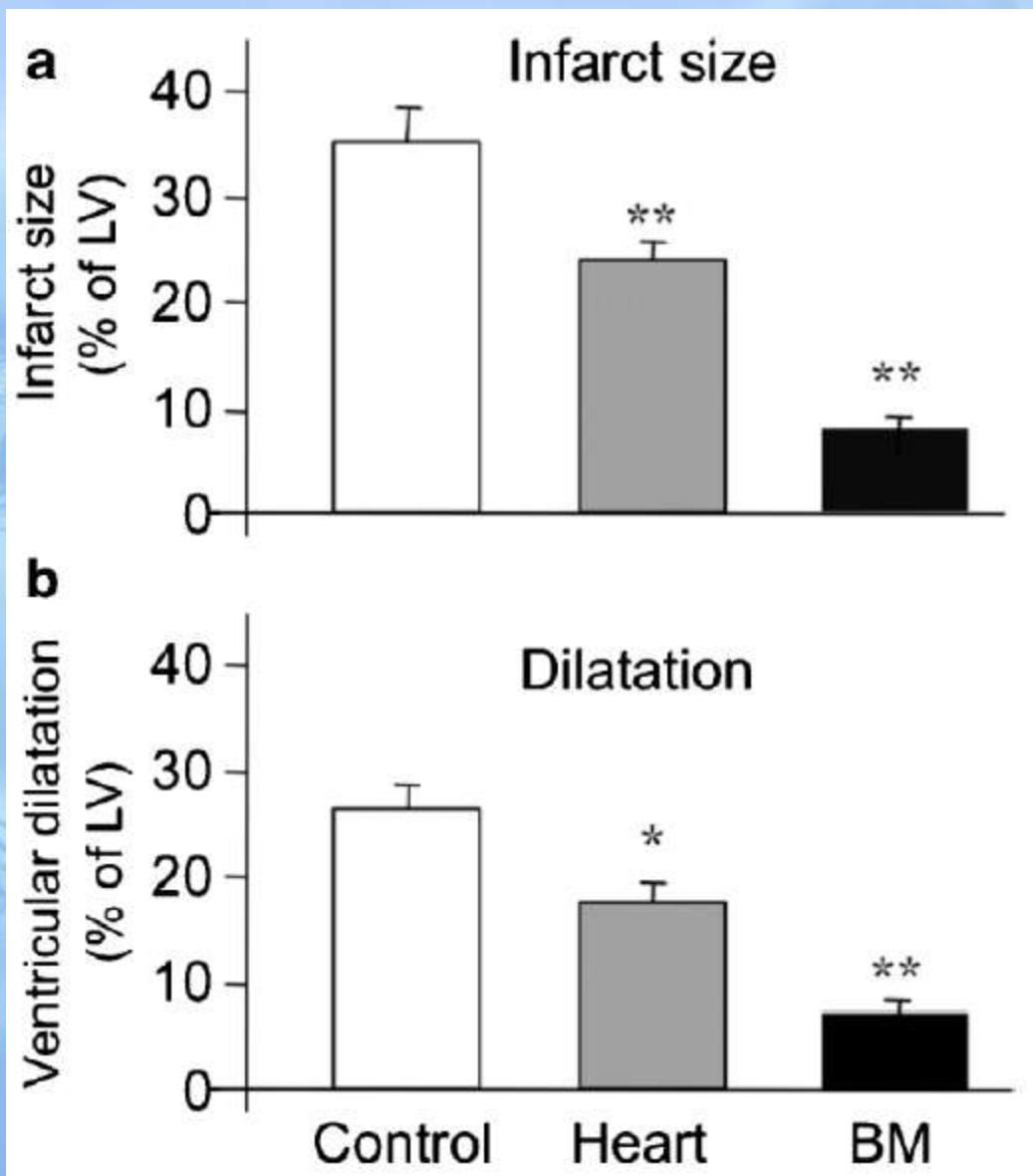
Mesenchymal stem cells/marrow stromal cells  
(**MSCs**) mediated ILIT



# Mesenchymal stem Cells (MSCs)

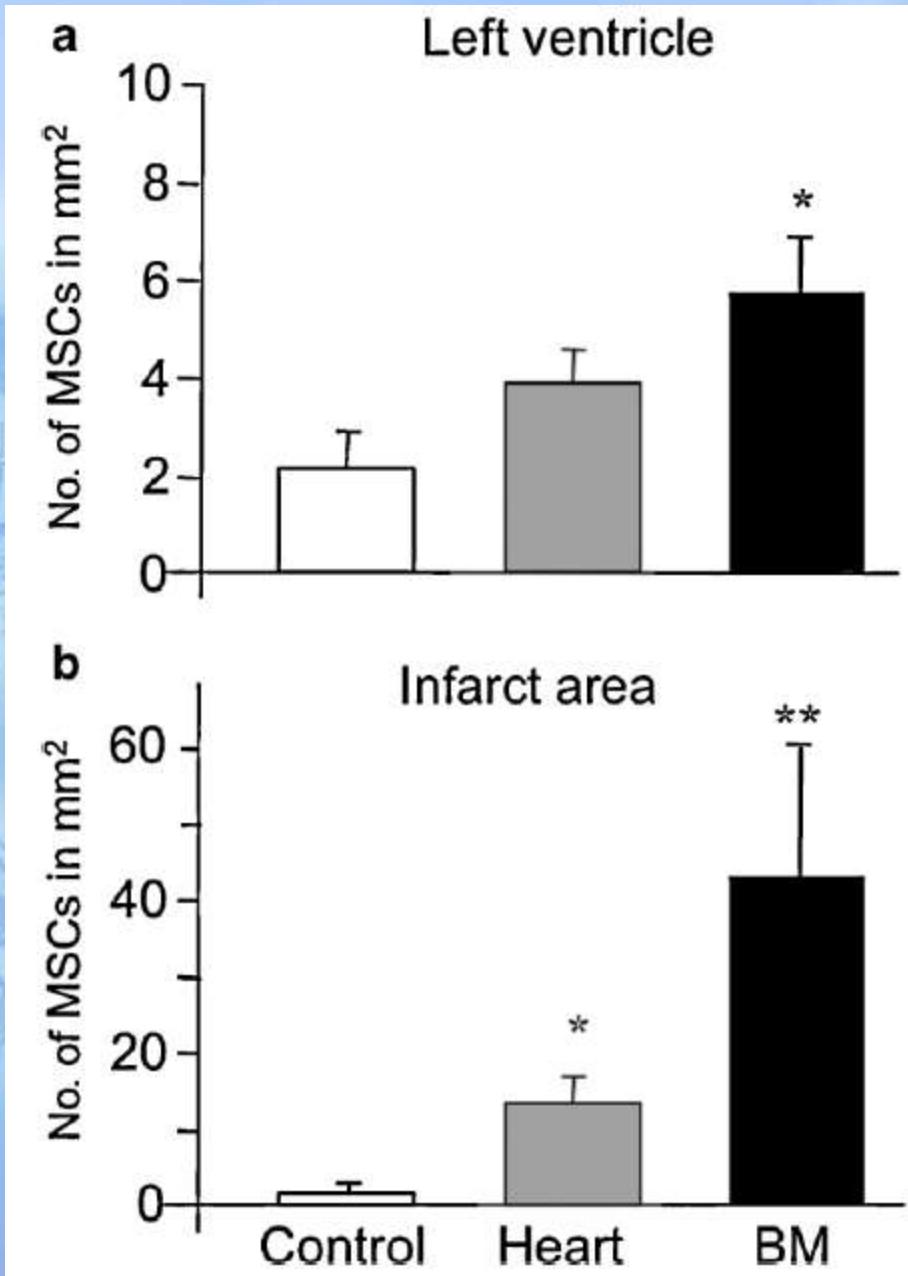


# Heart or bone marrow



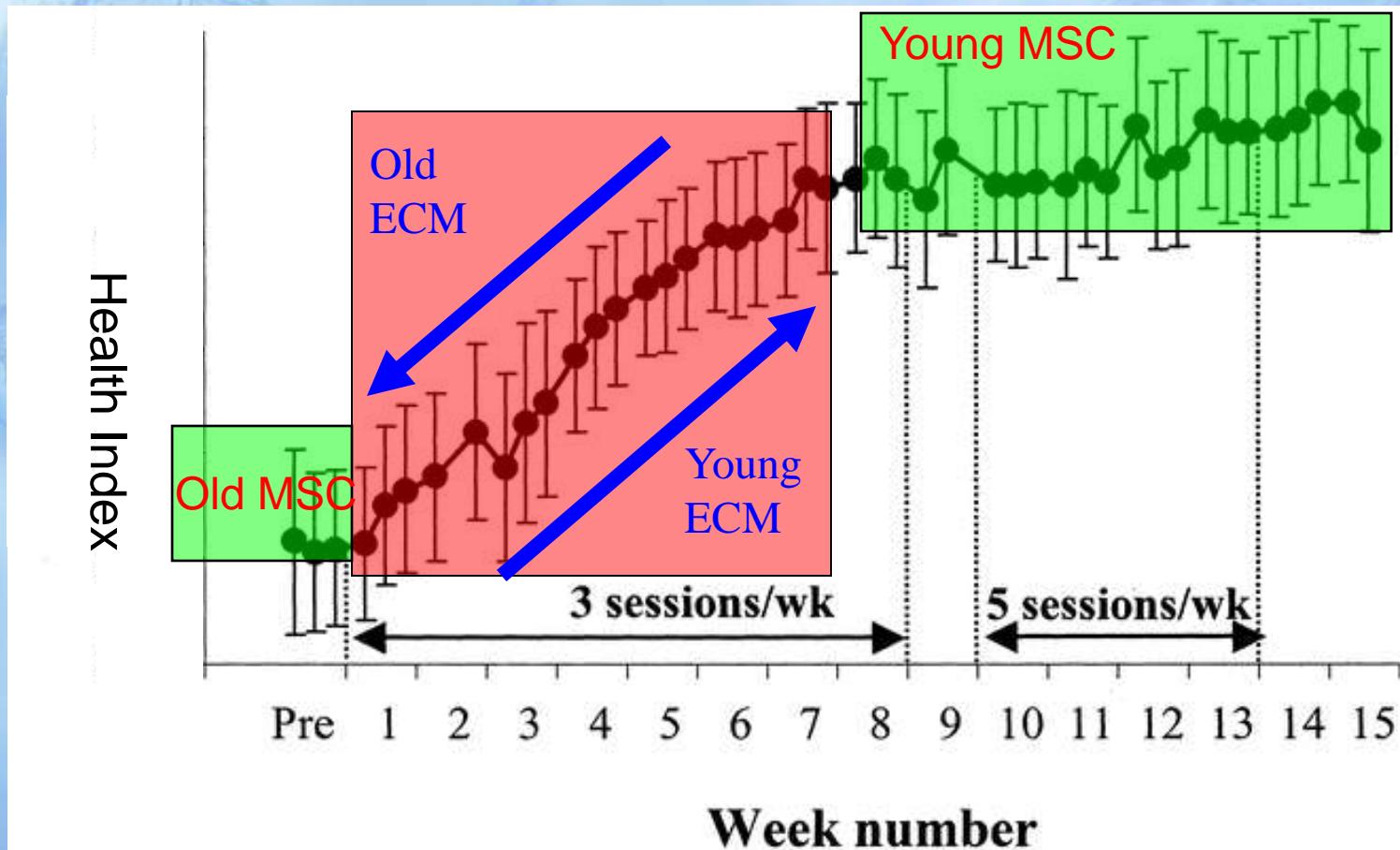
Effect of LLL on infarct size (a) and ventricular dilatation (b) in infarcted control non-laser-treated (open column), LLL applied to the heart (dashed column), and LLL applied to the BM (solid column) in rats. Rats were sacrificed 3 weeks post-MI and LLL was applied 20 minutes post-MI. \* $P < 0.05$  and \*\* $P < 0.01$ .

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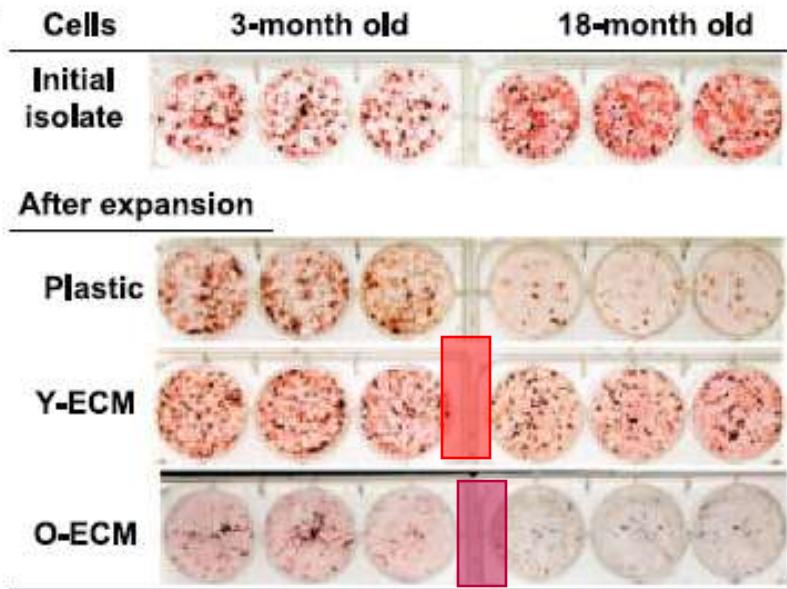
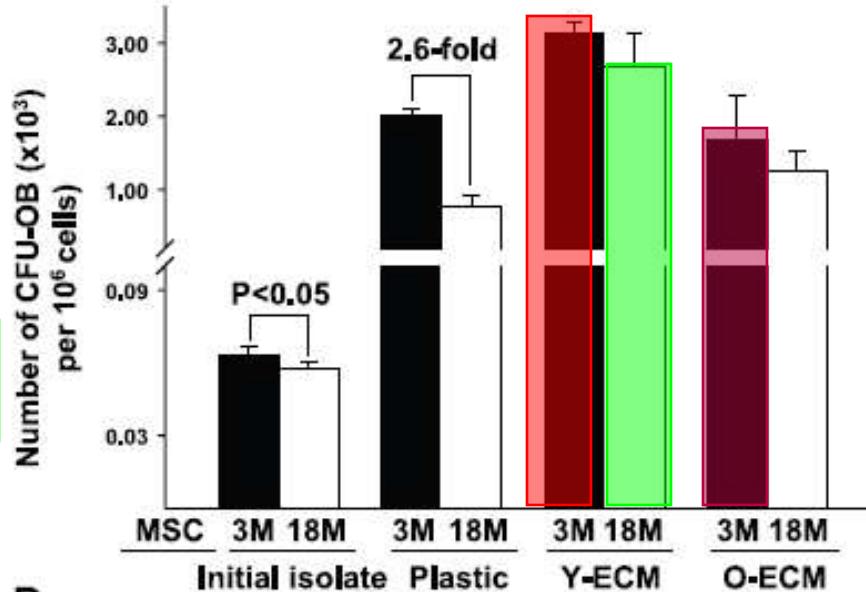
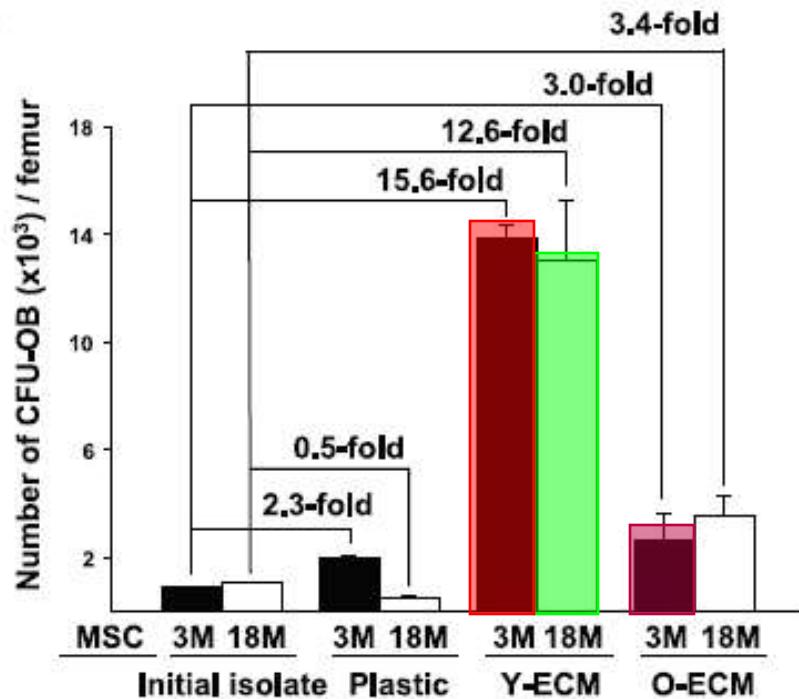
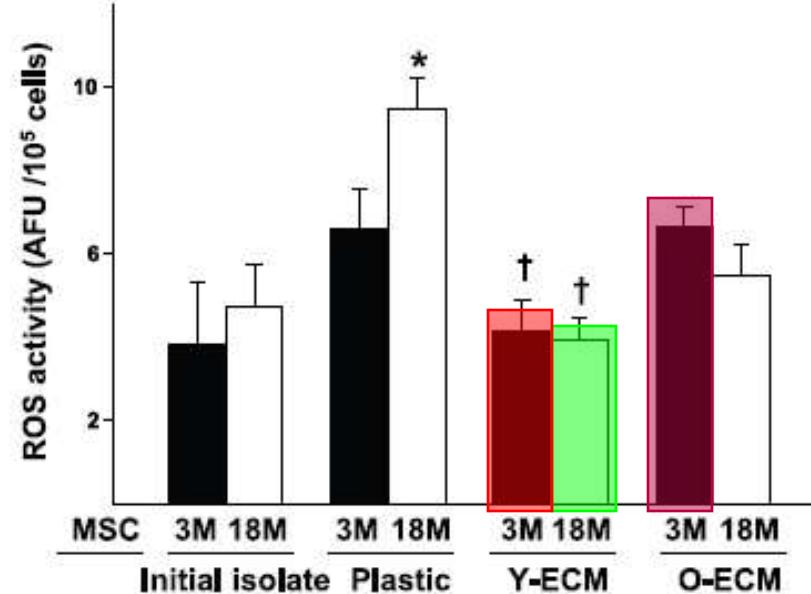


Effect of LLL application on the density of c-kit<sup>+</sup> in the entire left ventricle (a) or infarcted area (b) in control non-laser-treated (open column), LLL applied to the heart (dashed column), or LLL applied to the BM (solid column) in rats. \*P < 0.05 and \*\*P < 0.01.

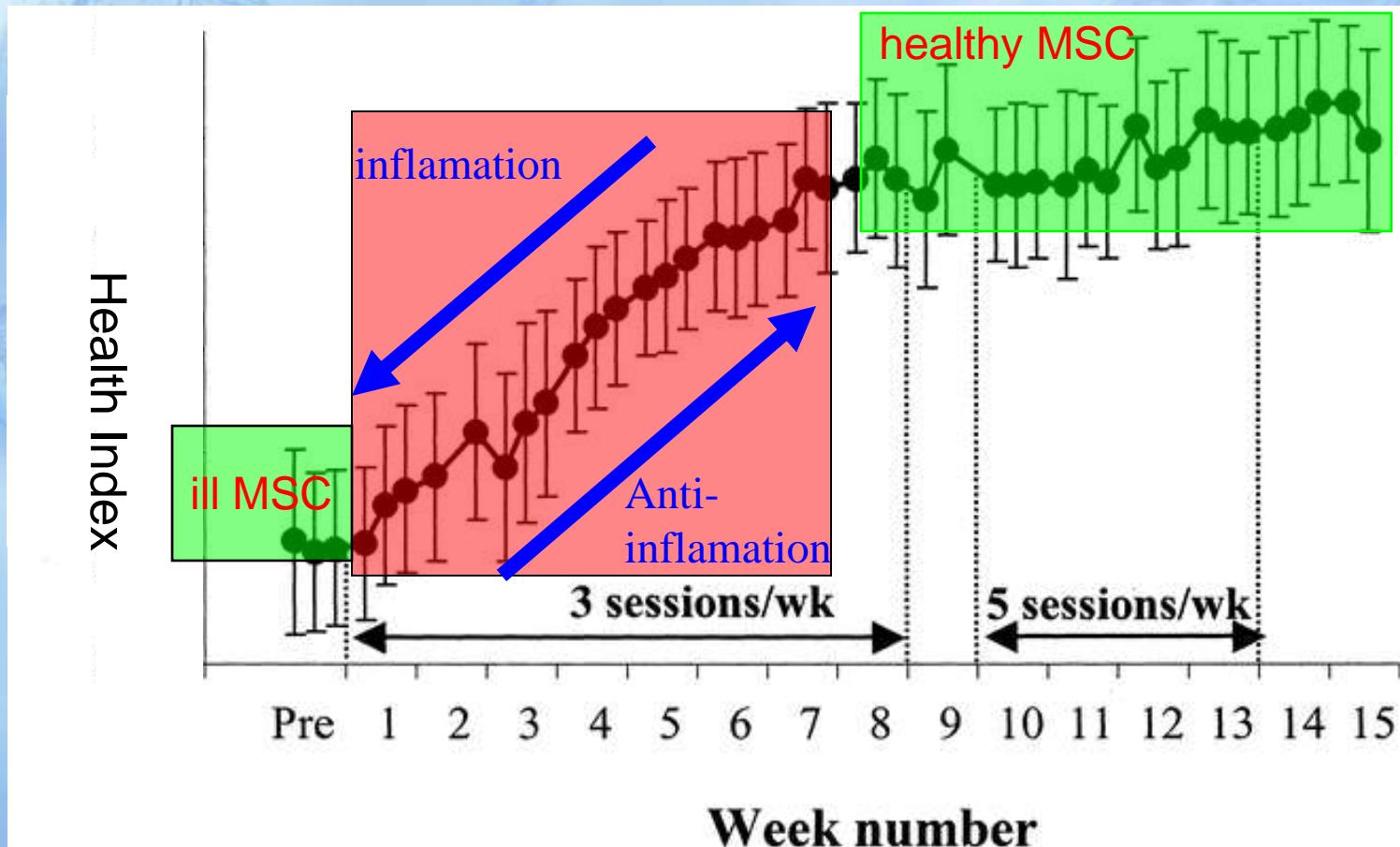
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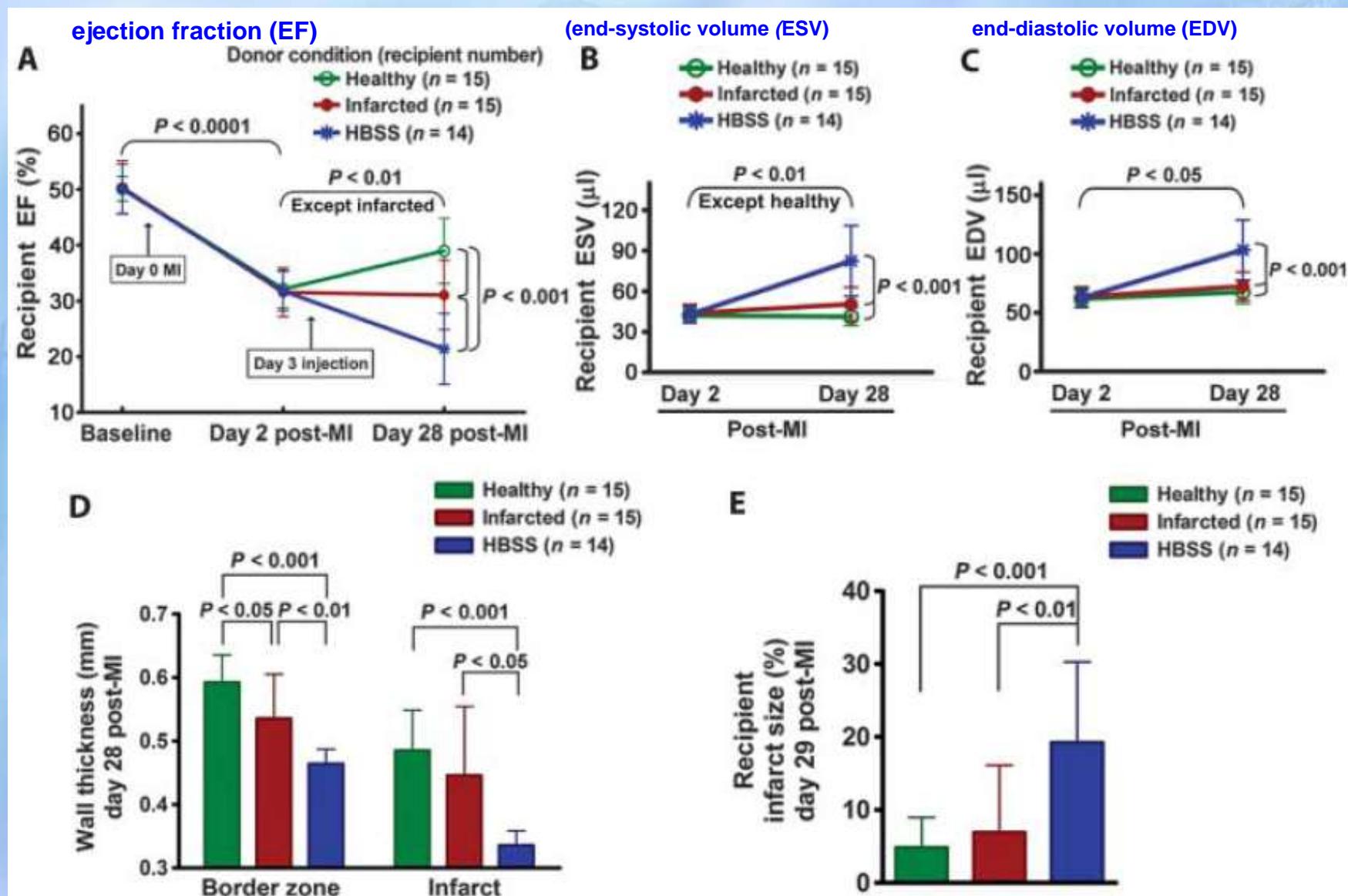
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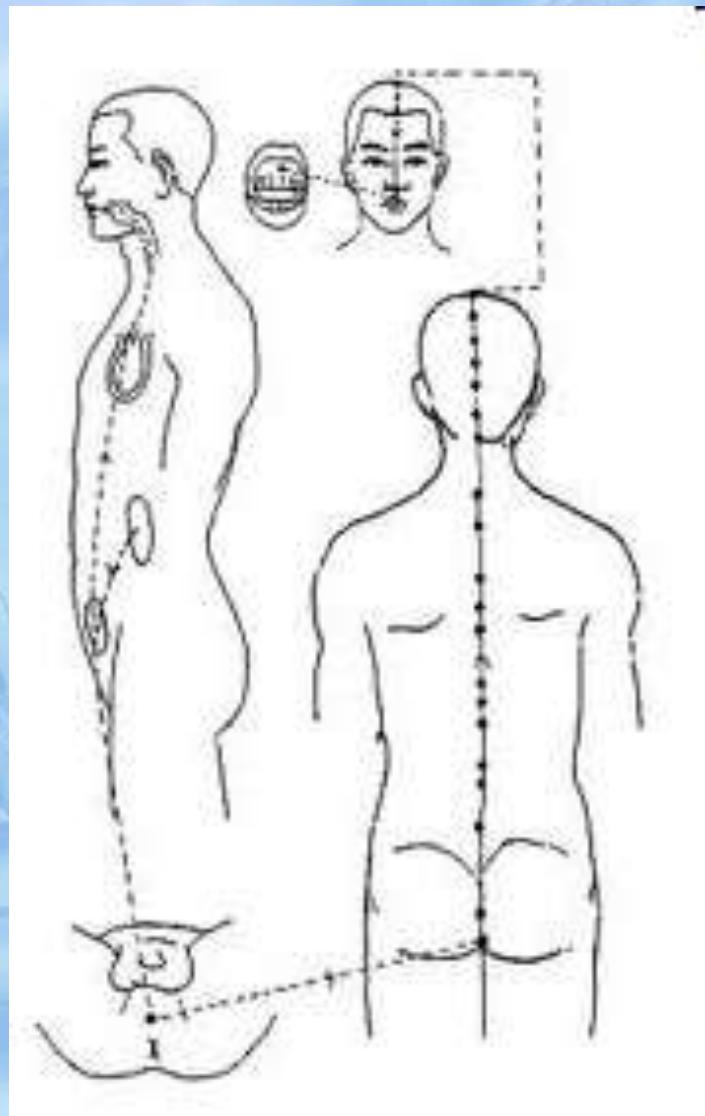
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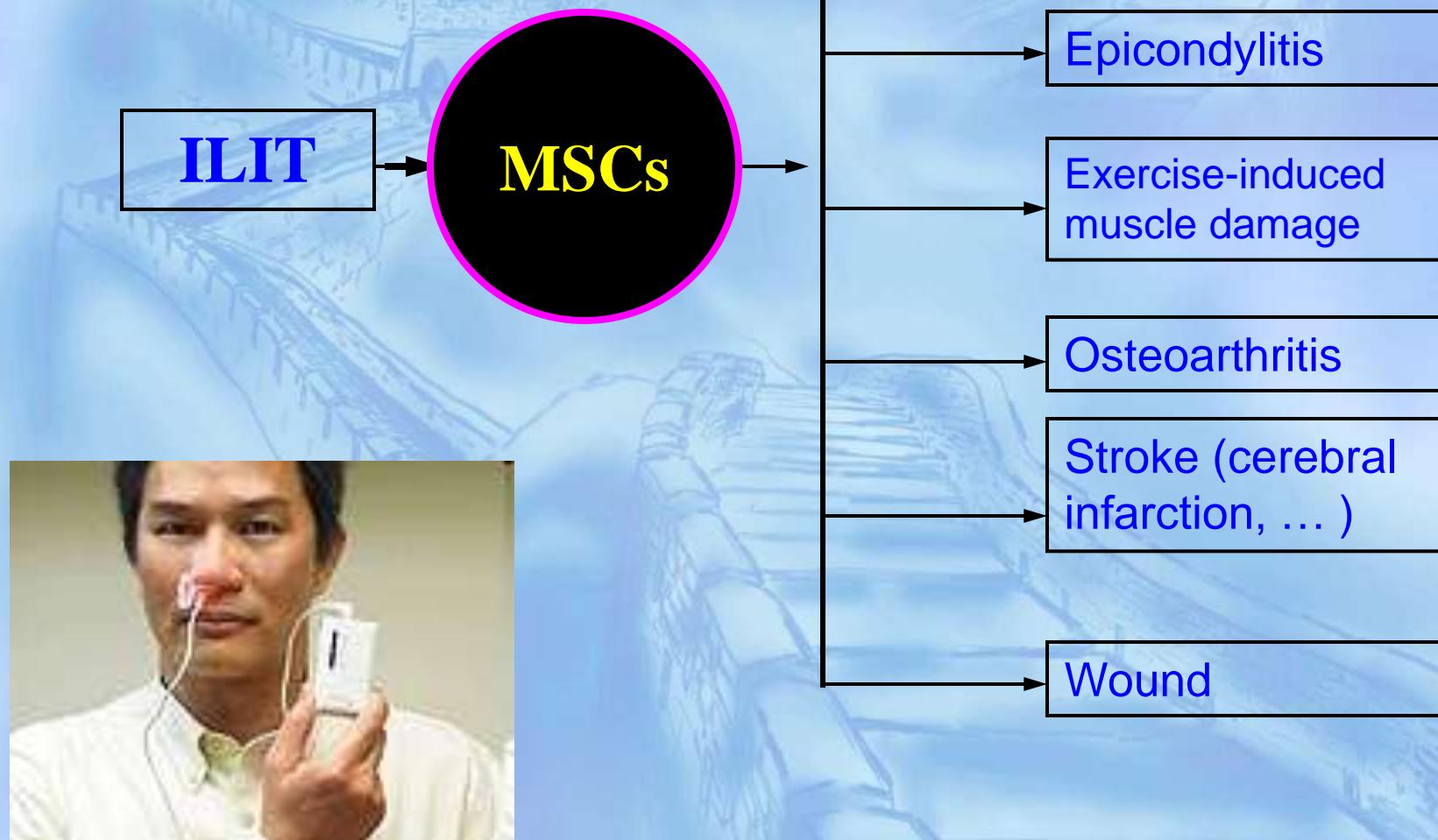


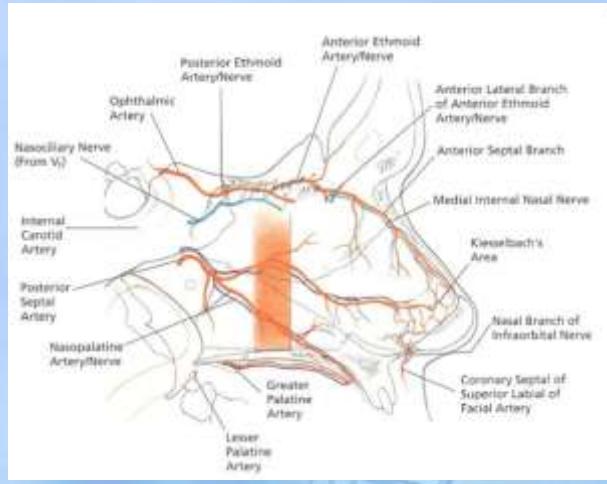
# MSC-mediated ILIT mechanism

- Improved MSCs
  - Nasal bone
  - Du meridian
- Improved ECM
  - olfactory nerve (melatonin),
  - blood cells,
  - autonomic nervous system

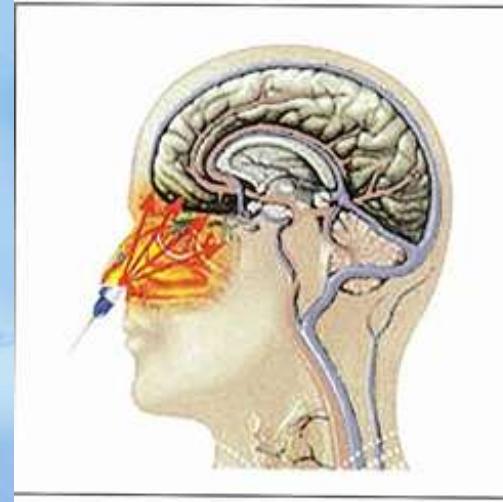
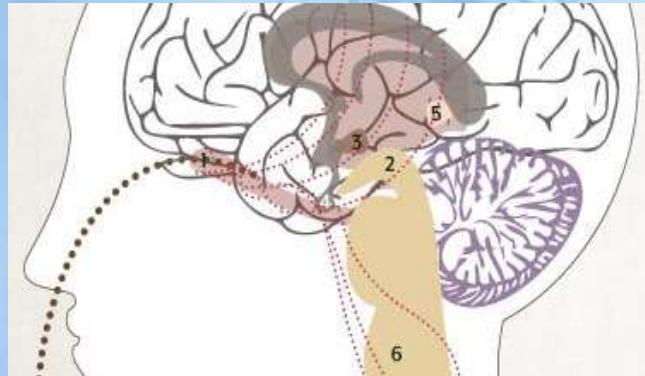


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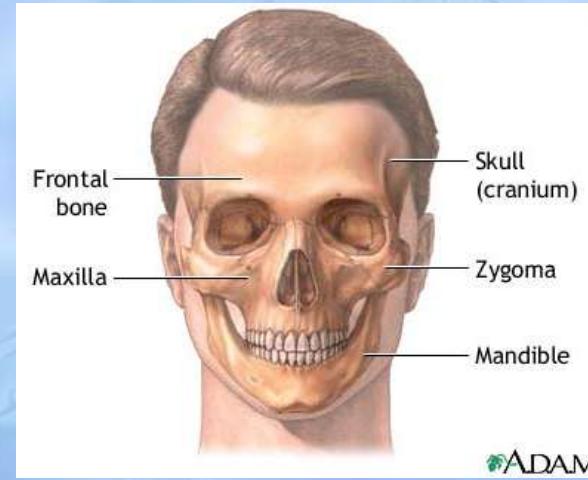




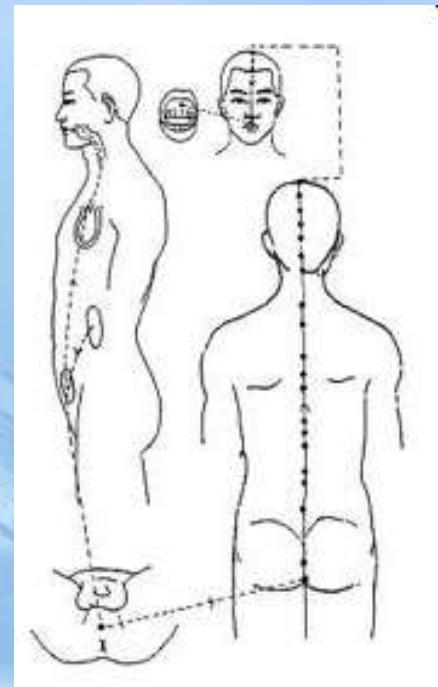
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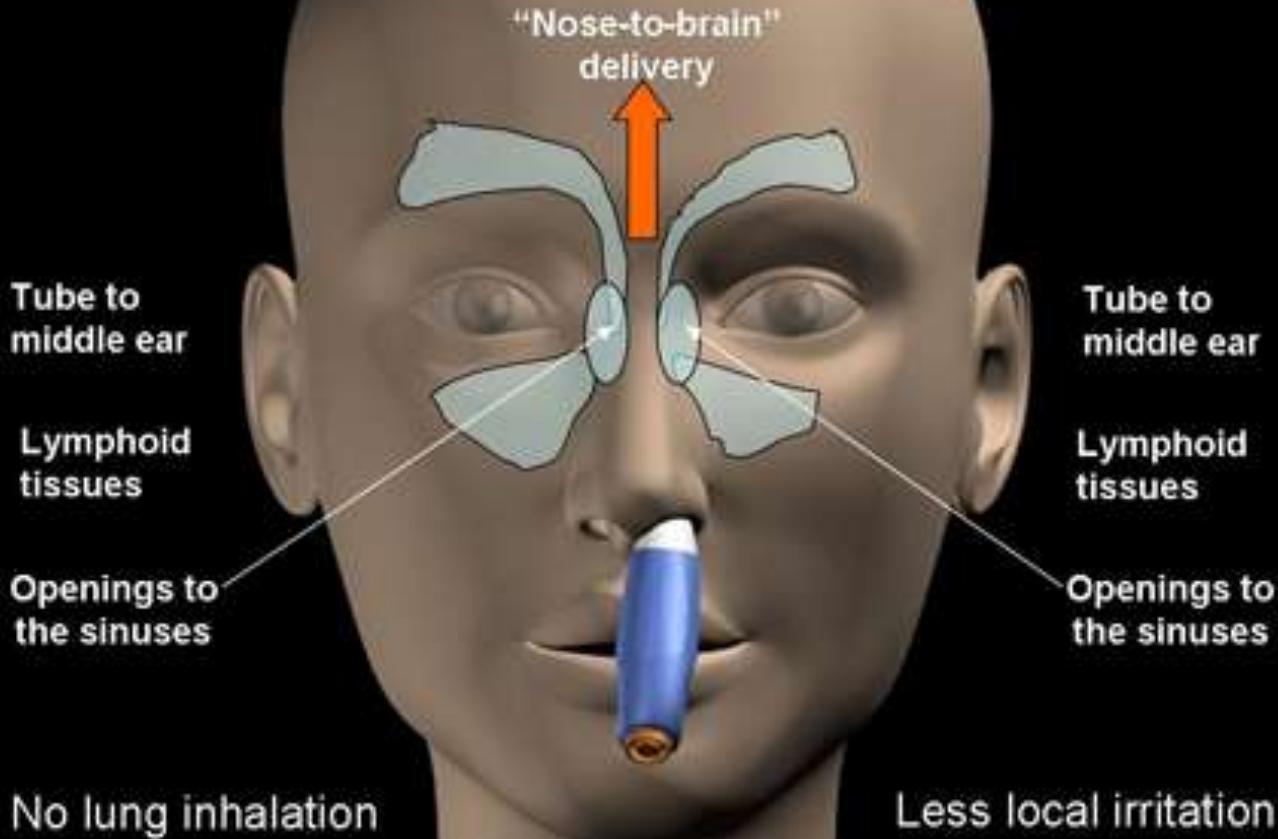


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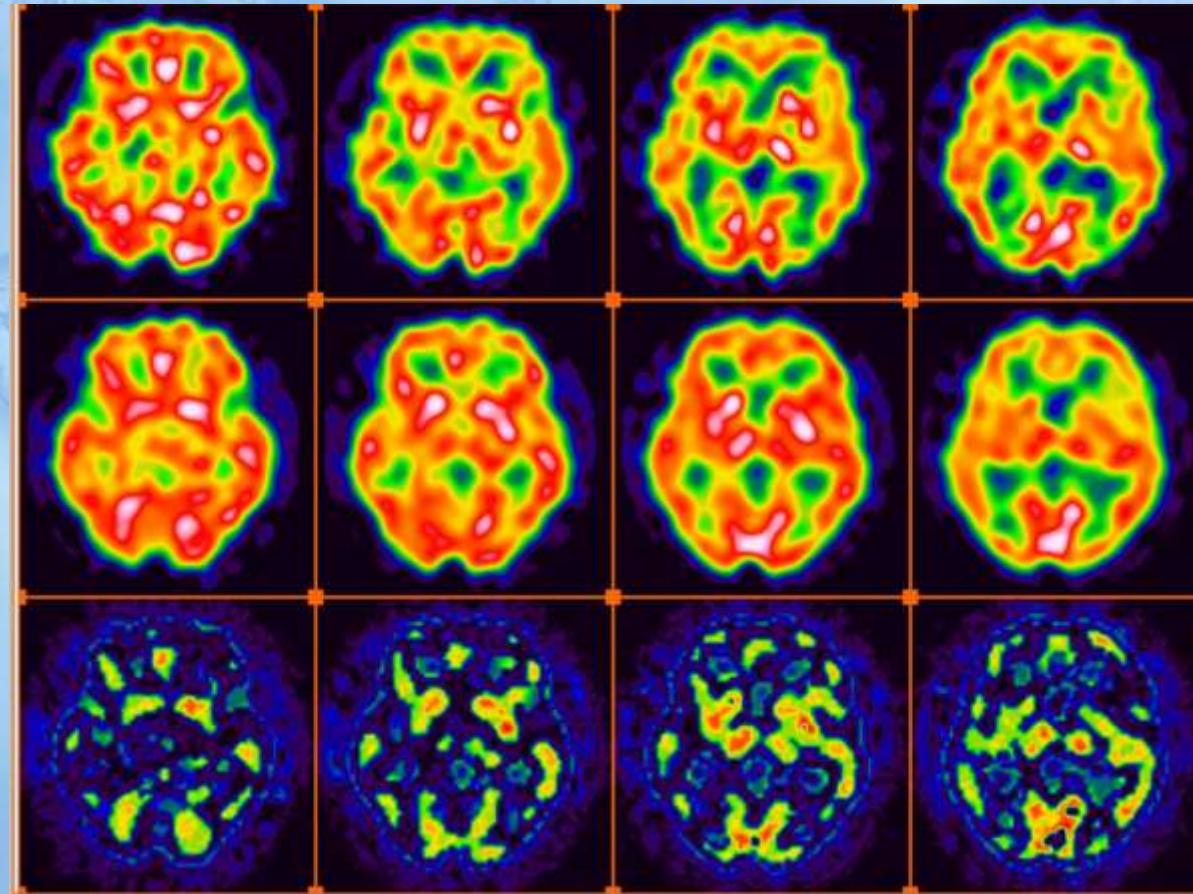
# Targeted delivery



# single photon emission computed tomography (SPECT)



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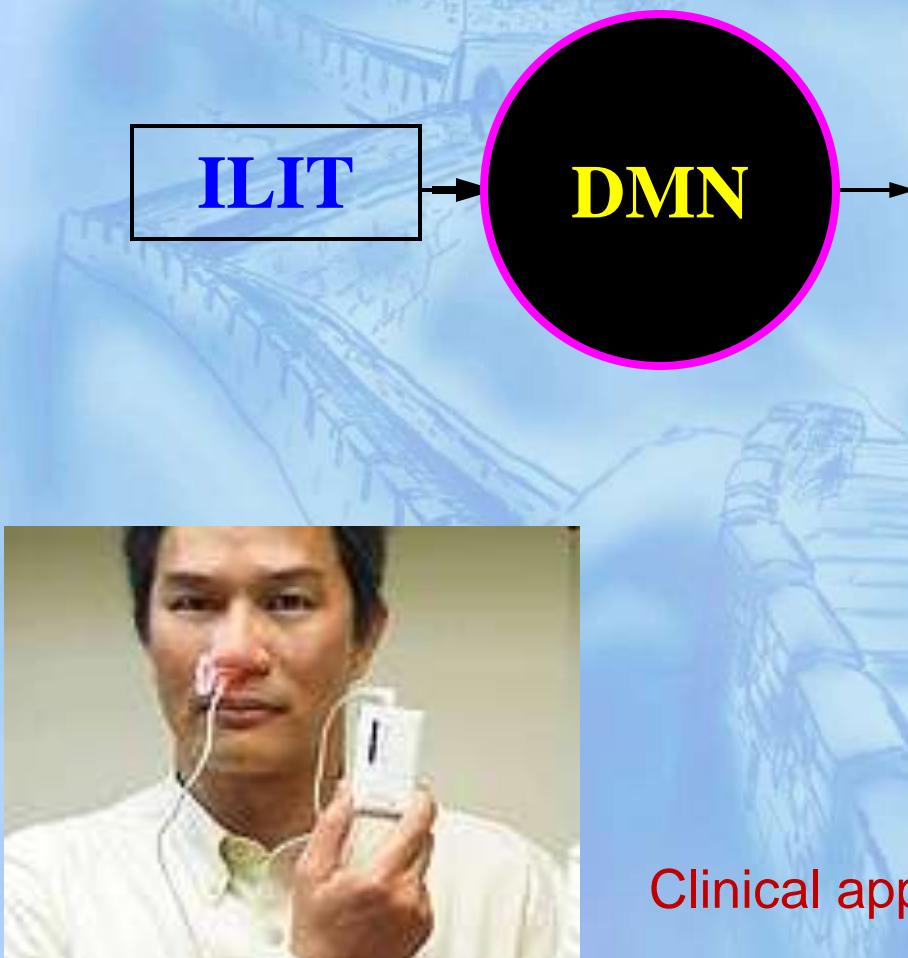


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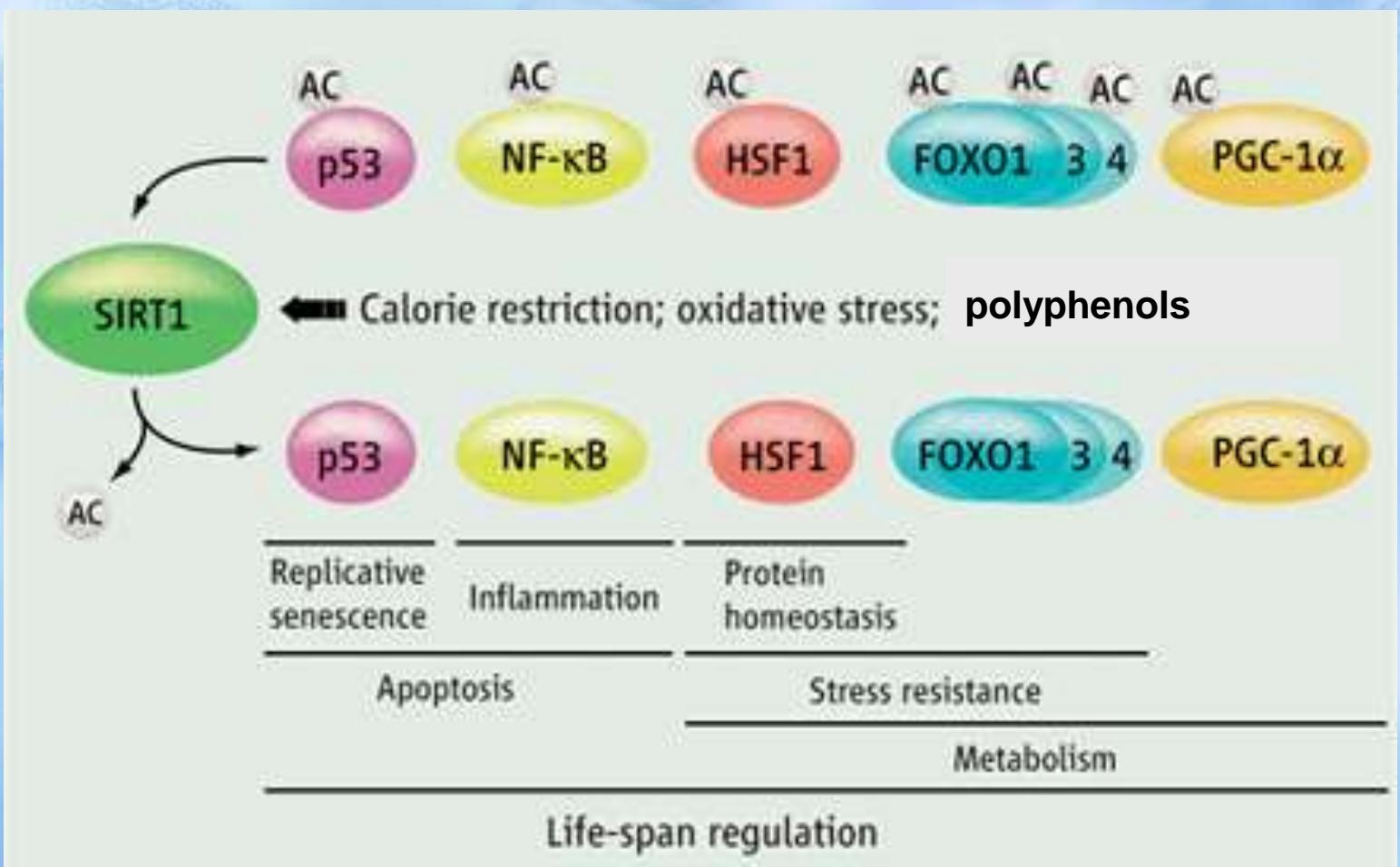
**DMN:** default mode network



Clinical applications

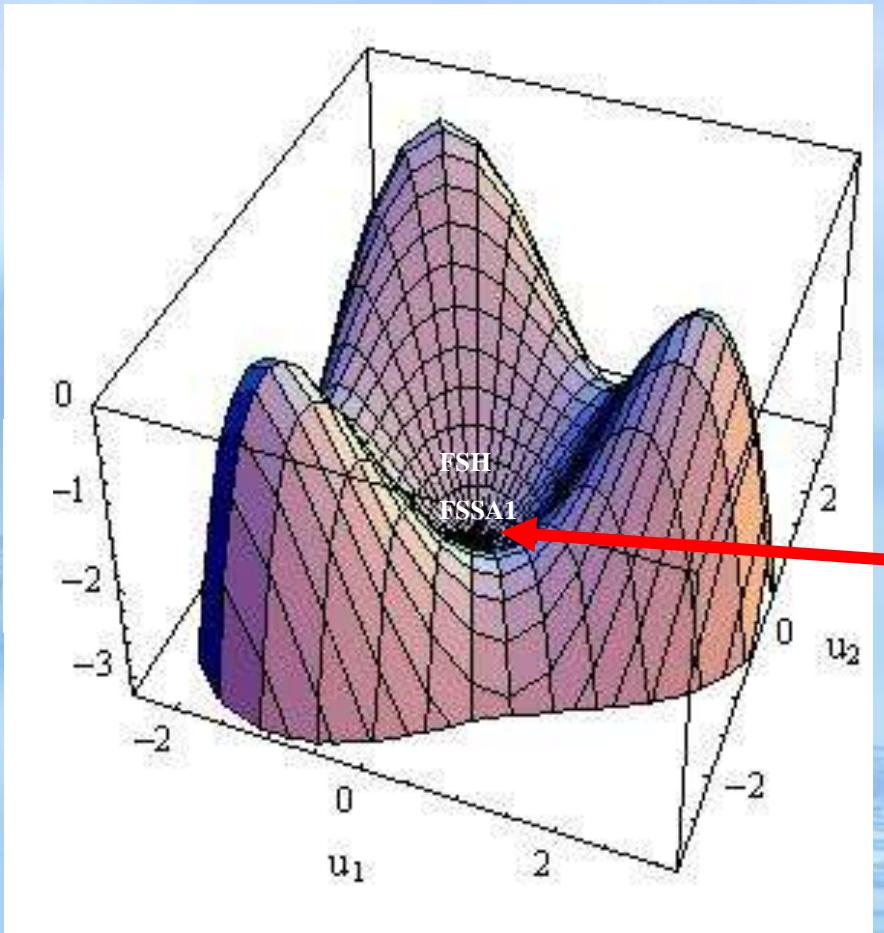
# In Summary

# Handling stress



SIRT1 is a deacetylase that is activated by a variety of stressors and targets transcriptional regulators including p53, NF- $\kappa$ B, HSF1, FOXO1, 3, and 4, and PGC-1. These factors then control adaptive responses that modulate life span. AC: acetyl group; TH: Tyrosine hydroxylase

SIRT1 activity



**Function-specific  
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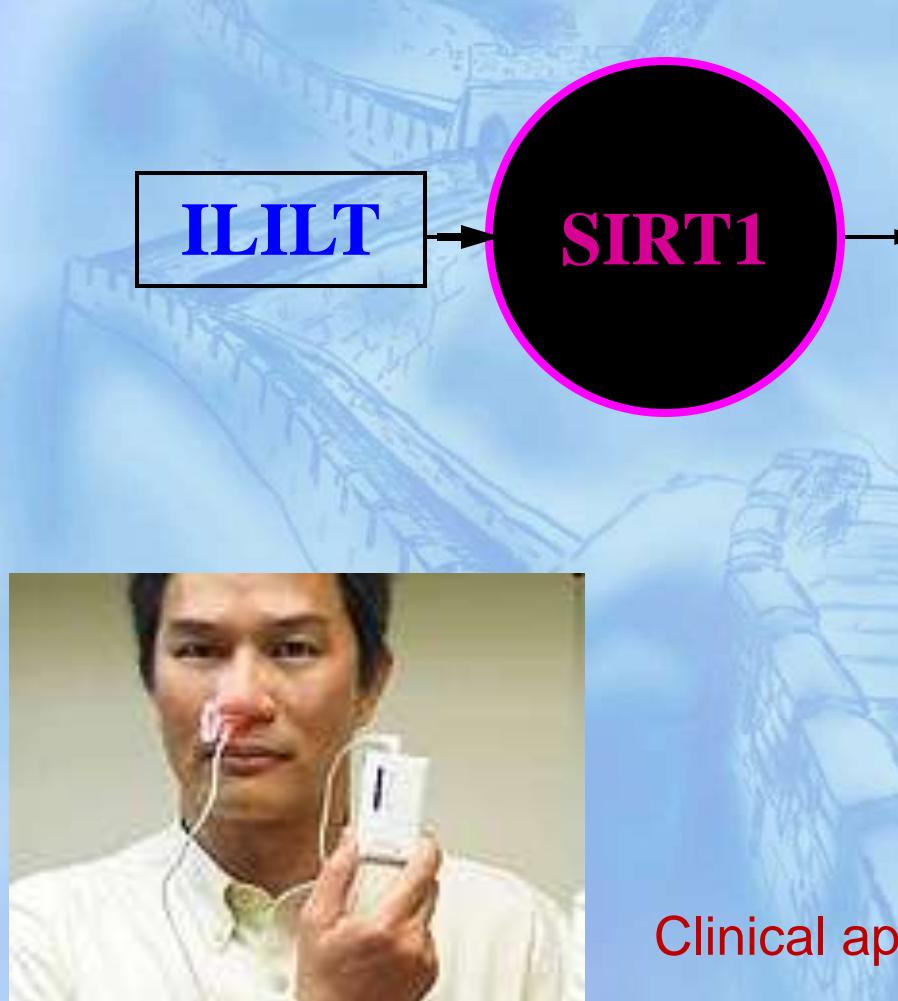
**FSH-specific SIRT1  
activity (FSSA1)**

Sirtuin 1 (SIRT1) activity potential well.

FSSA1 denotes function-specific homeostasis specific SIRT1 activity

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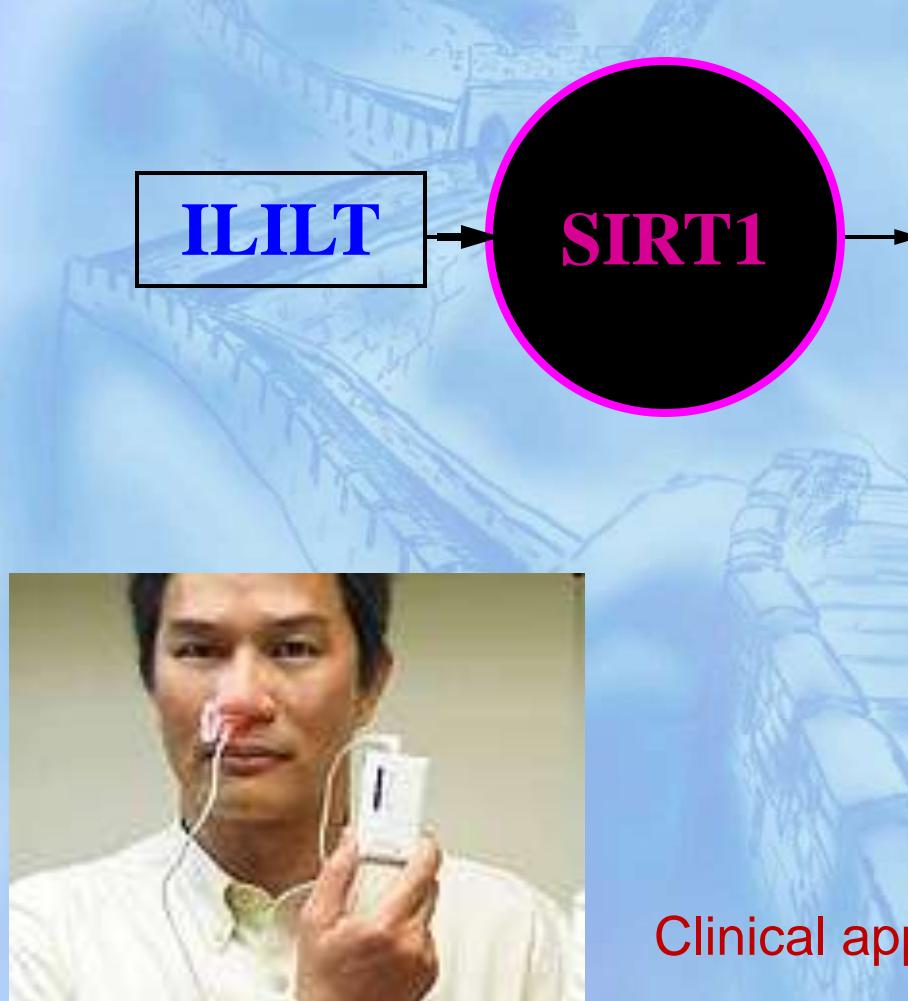


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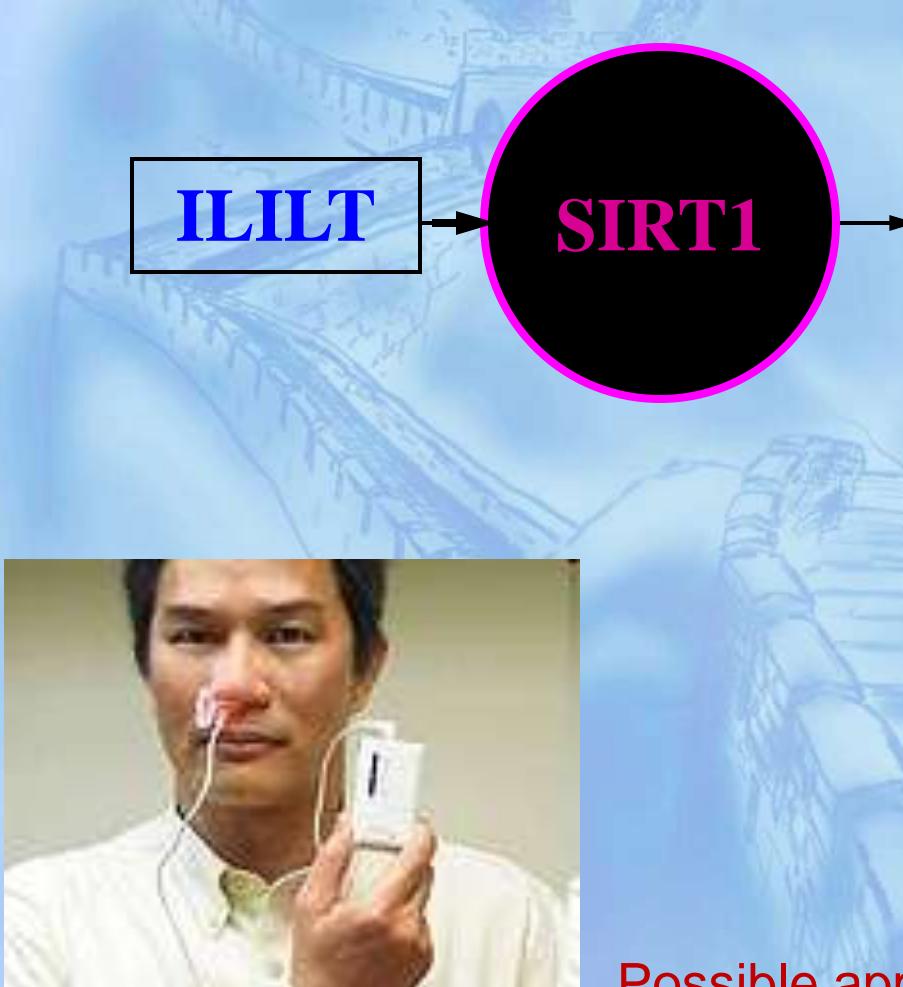


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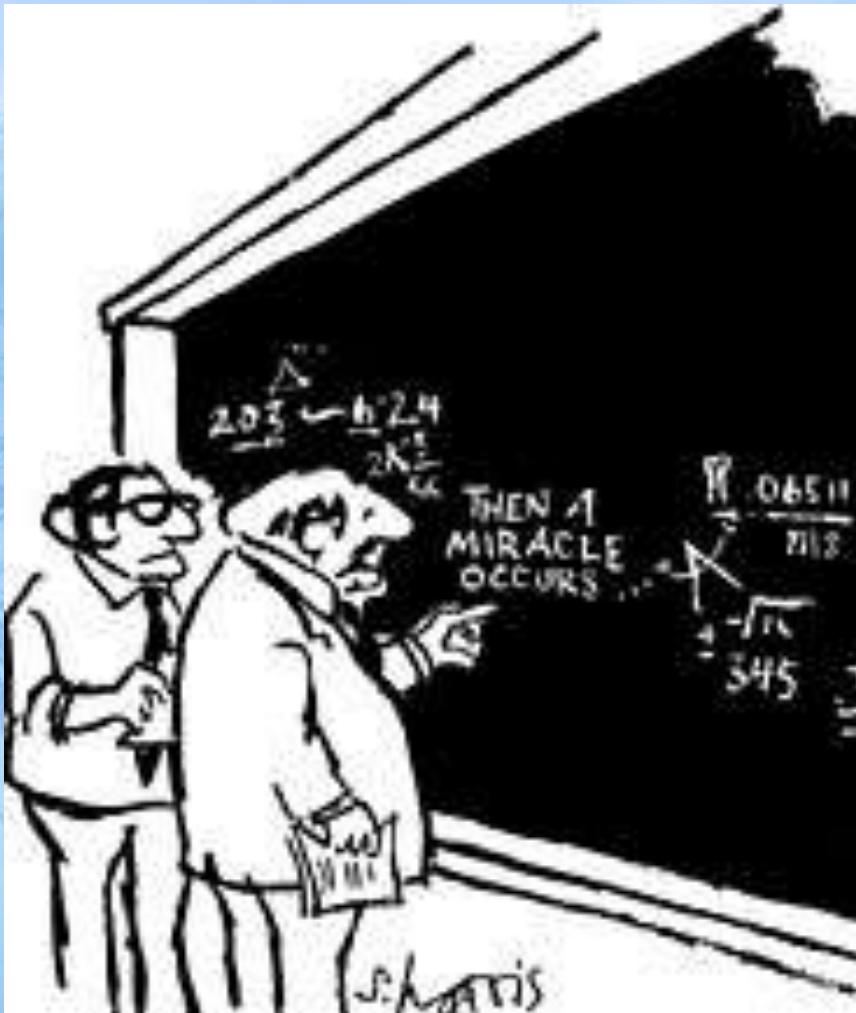
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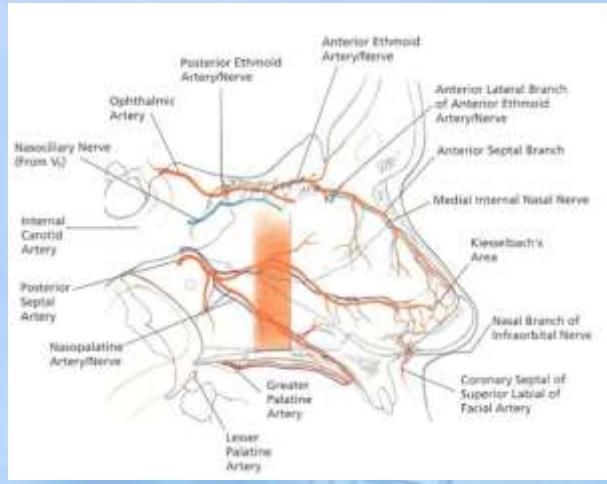
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Possible applications in sports medicine

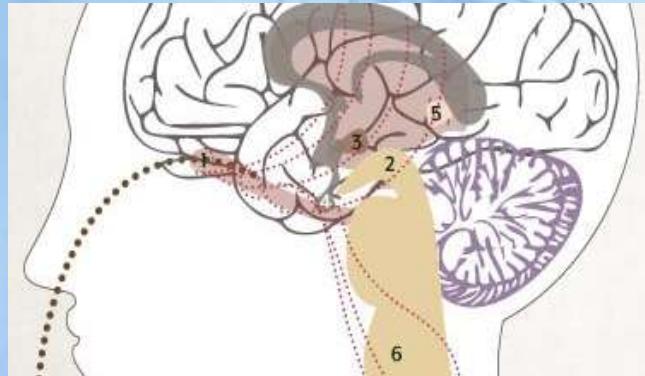
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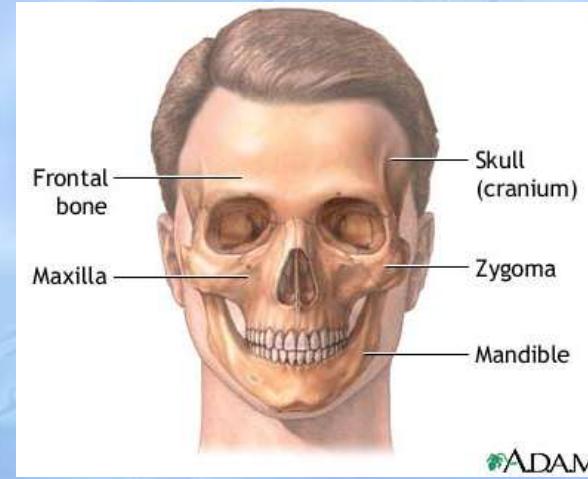
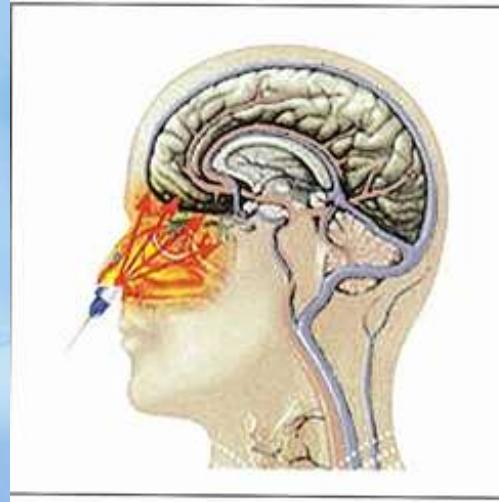
"I think you should be more explicit here in step two."



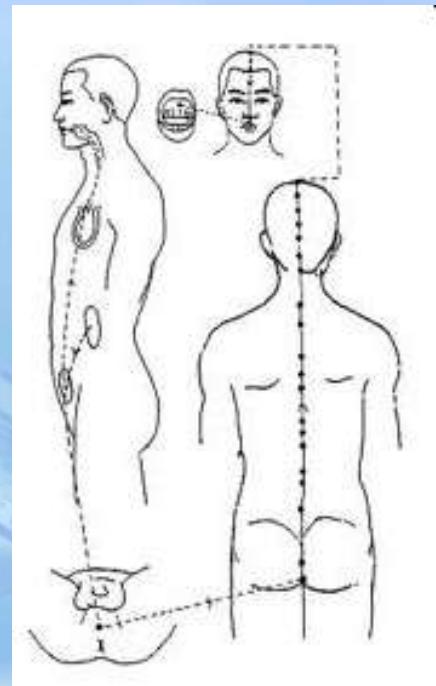
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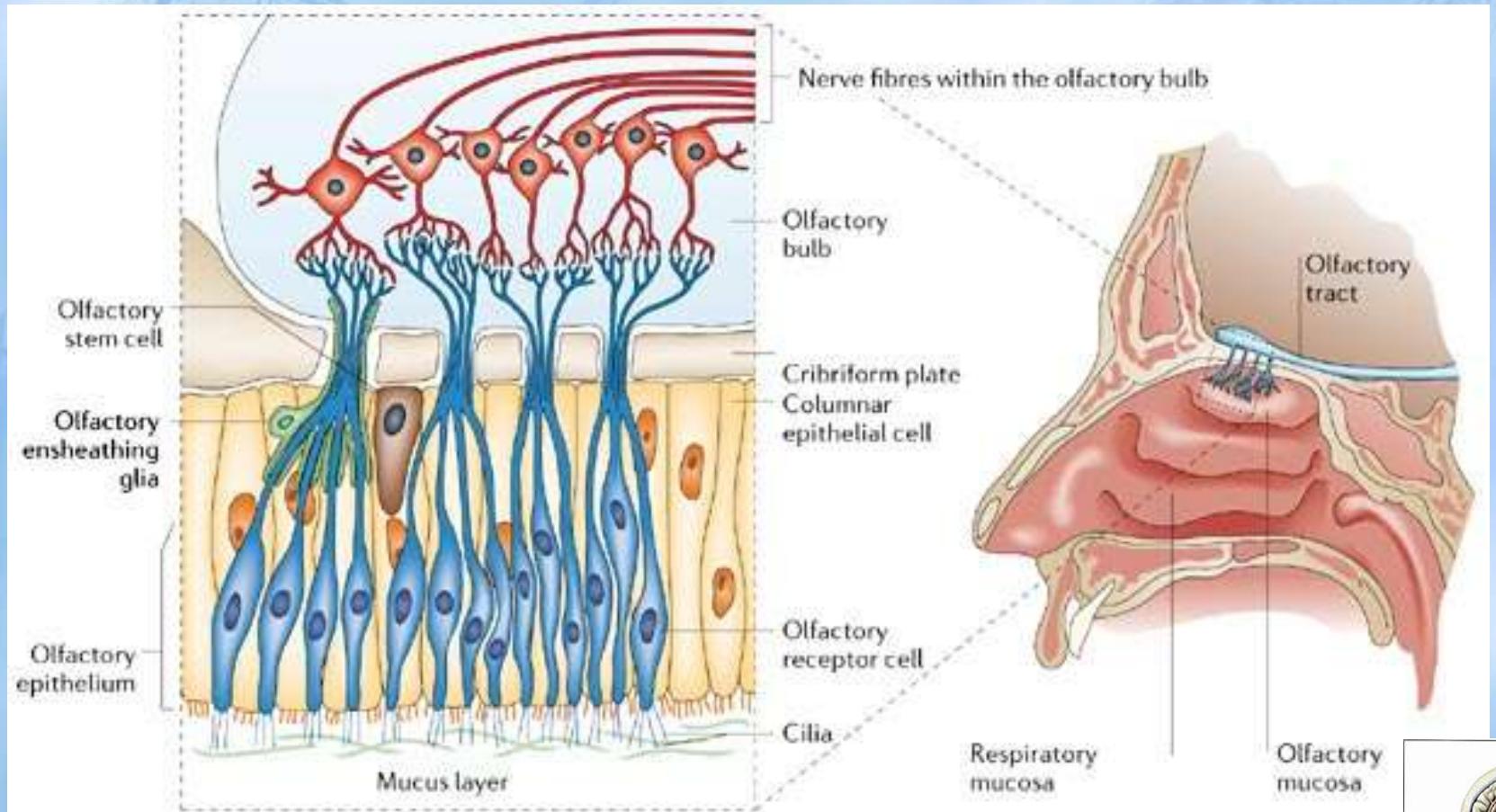


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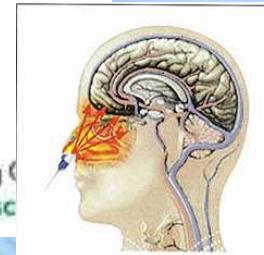


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# ILIT Biomechanism: Olfaction



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# Hierarchical regression analyses

- Proficiency in executive functioning and semantic memory contributed significantly to odor discrimination and identification performance (Hedner *et al.* 2010)
- Age, sex, education, cognitive speed and vocabulary were reliable correlates of performance in the odor identification task (Larsson *et al.* 2004).

Hedner M, Larsson M, Arnold N, Zucco GM, Hummel T. 2010. [Cognitive factors in odor detection, odor discrimination, and odor identification tasks](#).

J Clin Exp Neuropsychol. 2010 Dec;32(10):1062-7. <http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/20437286>

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# Odor identification and decline in different cognitive domains in old age

- A person with a low odor identification score (6, 10th percentile) declined more than twice as rapidly in perceptual speed and episodic memory as a person with a high score (11, 90th percentile)
  - Lower odor identification score was associated with lower function at baseline in each cognitive domain
  - Lower score was also associated with more rapid decline in perceptual speed and episodic memory but not with rate of decline in semantic memory, working memory, or visuospatial ability.

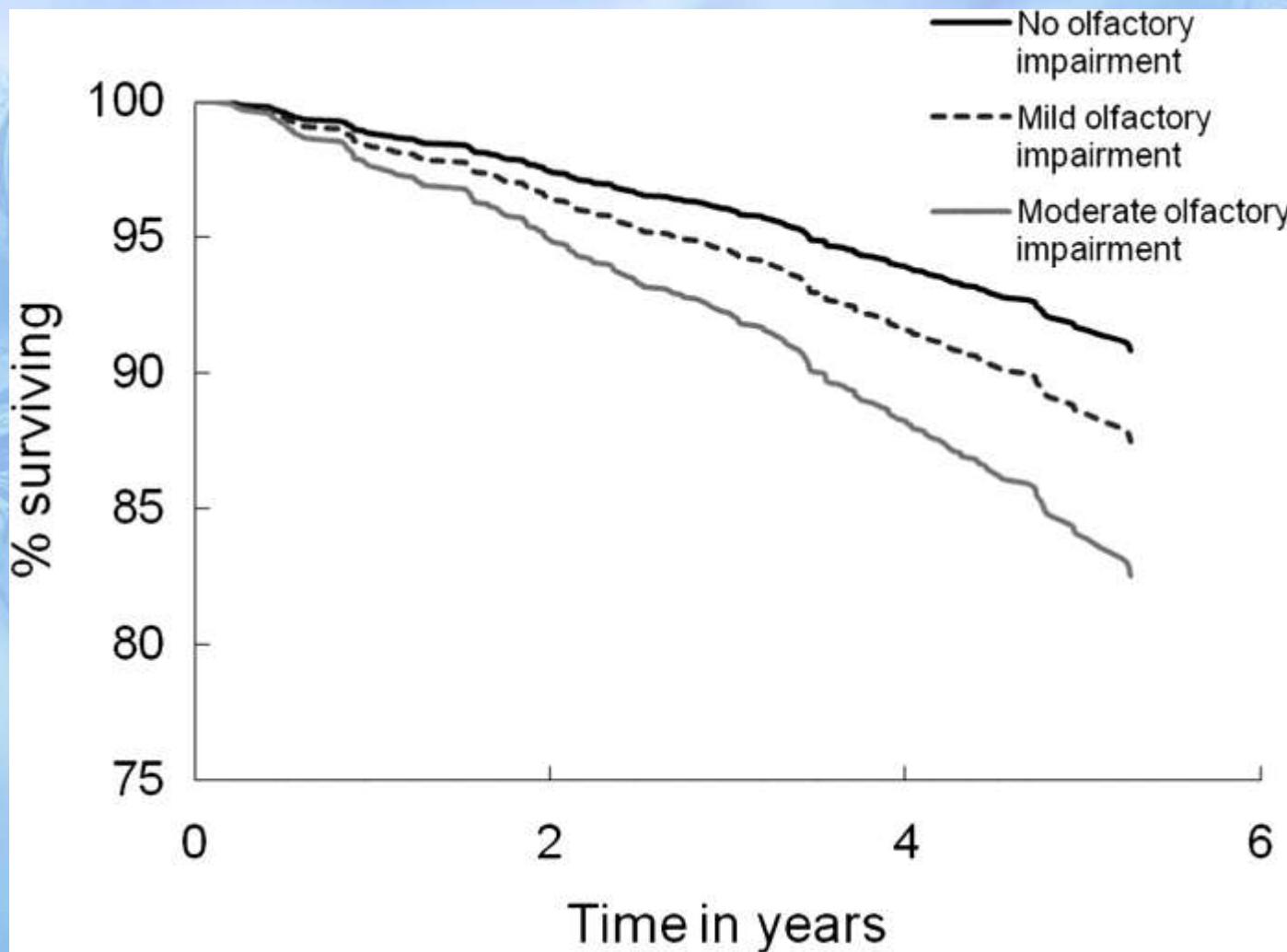
# Dysfunctional odor identification

- Neurodegenerative diseases such as Alzheimer's and Parkinson's disease
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<http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/10838673>
- Addiction
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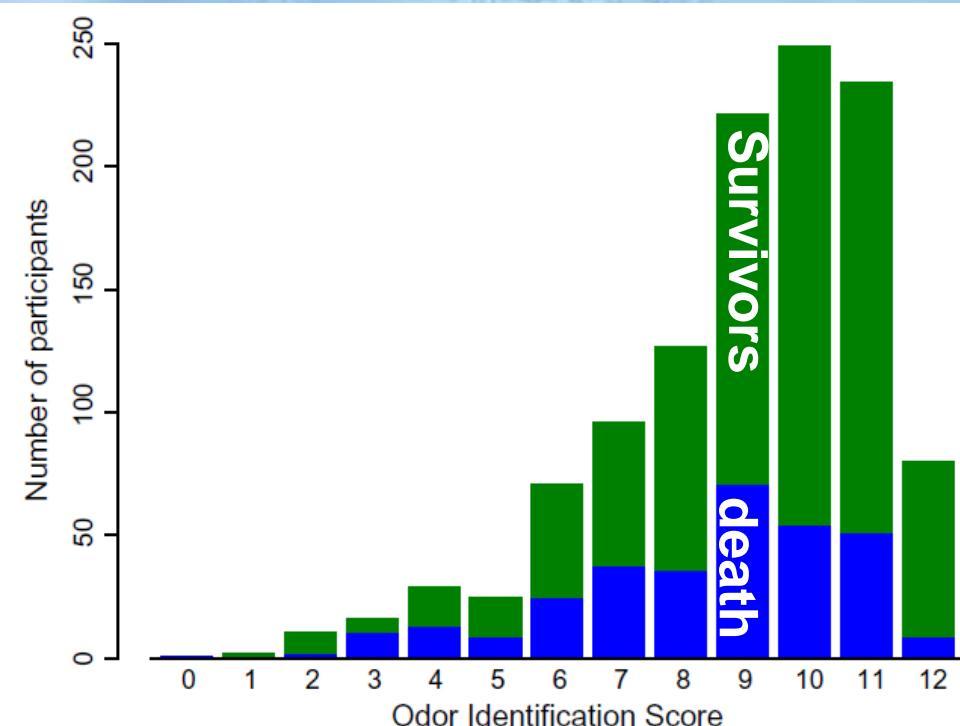


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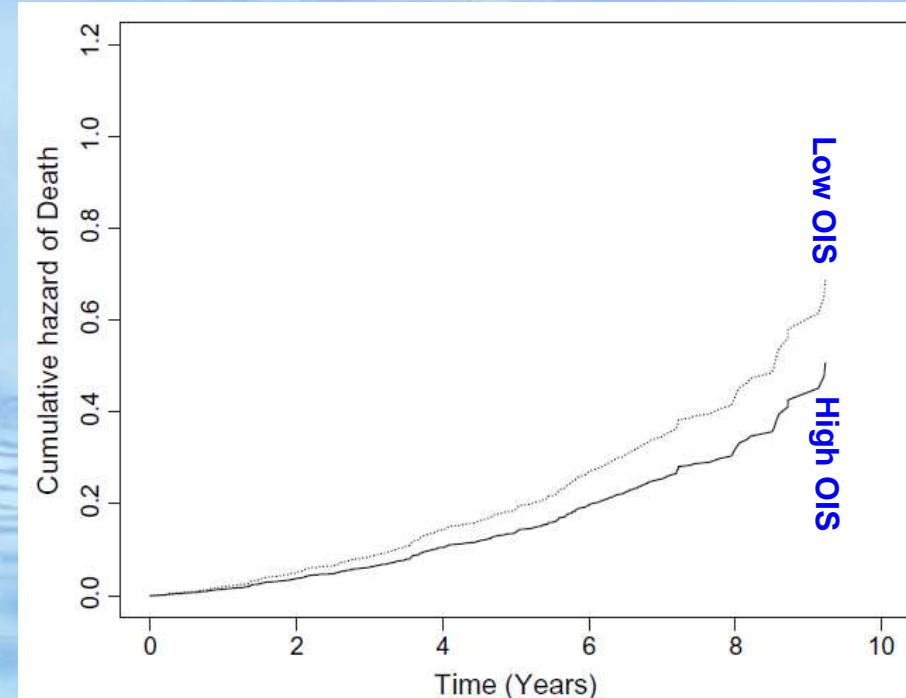
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# Odor identification Score (OIS) and mortality in old age



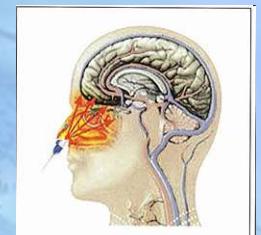
**Figure 1** Distribution of odor identification scores in participants who survived (green) and those who died (blue).

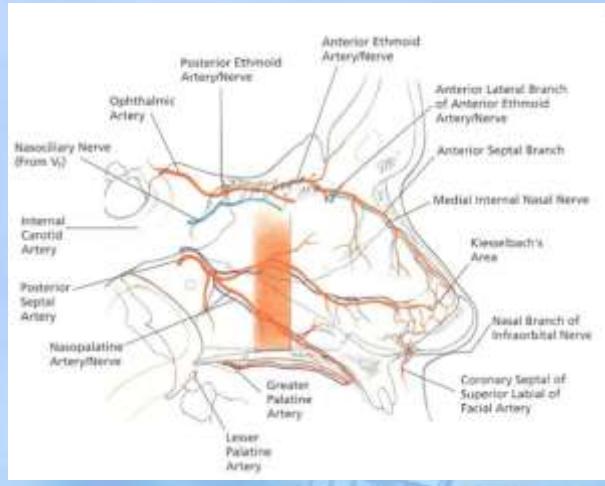


**Figure 2** Cumulative risk of death associated with a low (dotted line, 10th percentile) compared with high (solid line, 90th percentile) odor identification score, adjusted for age, sex, and education.

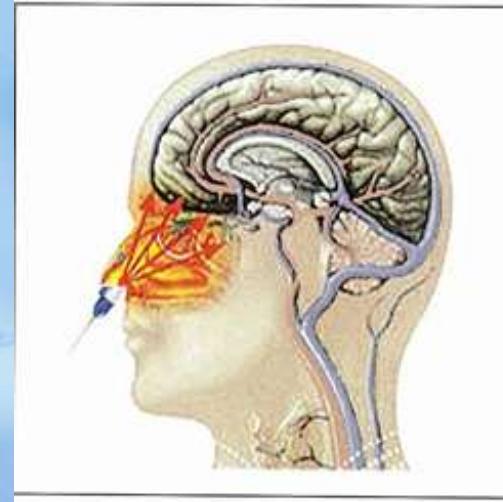
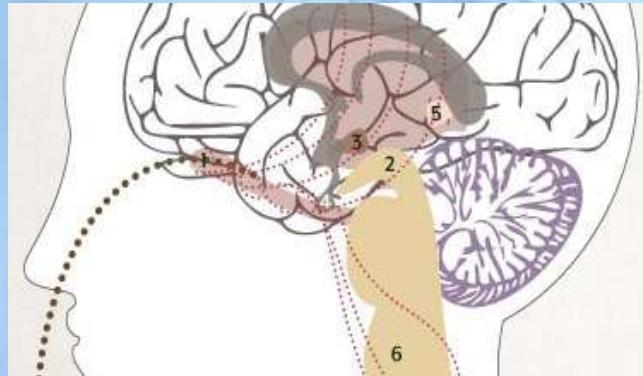
# Olfaction might be recovered/enhanced with ILIT

- Numerous central nervous system disorders may be associated with olfactory dysfunction.
  - According to **dPBM**, ILIT might recover CNS disorders at least through olfaction recovery.
- Olfaction has been found to represent longevity. The stronger the olfaction, the longer the longevity.
  - According to **iPBM**, ILIT might extend the longevity at least through olfaction promotion .

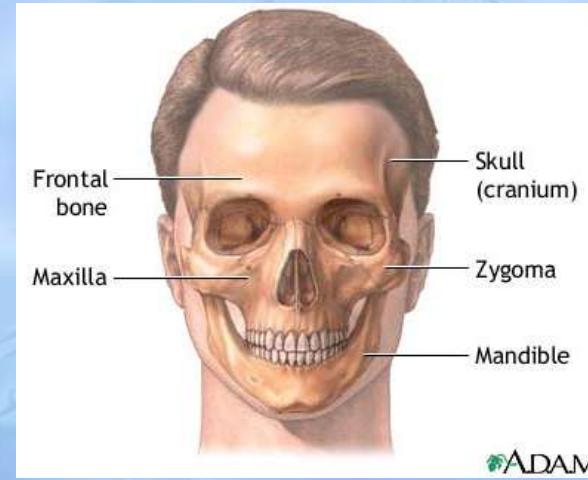




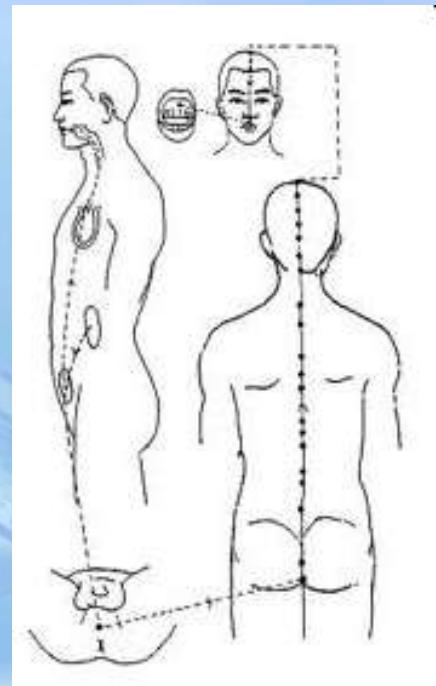
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Olfactory, autonomic and central nervous system



## Bone

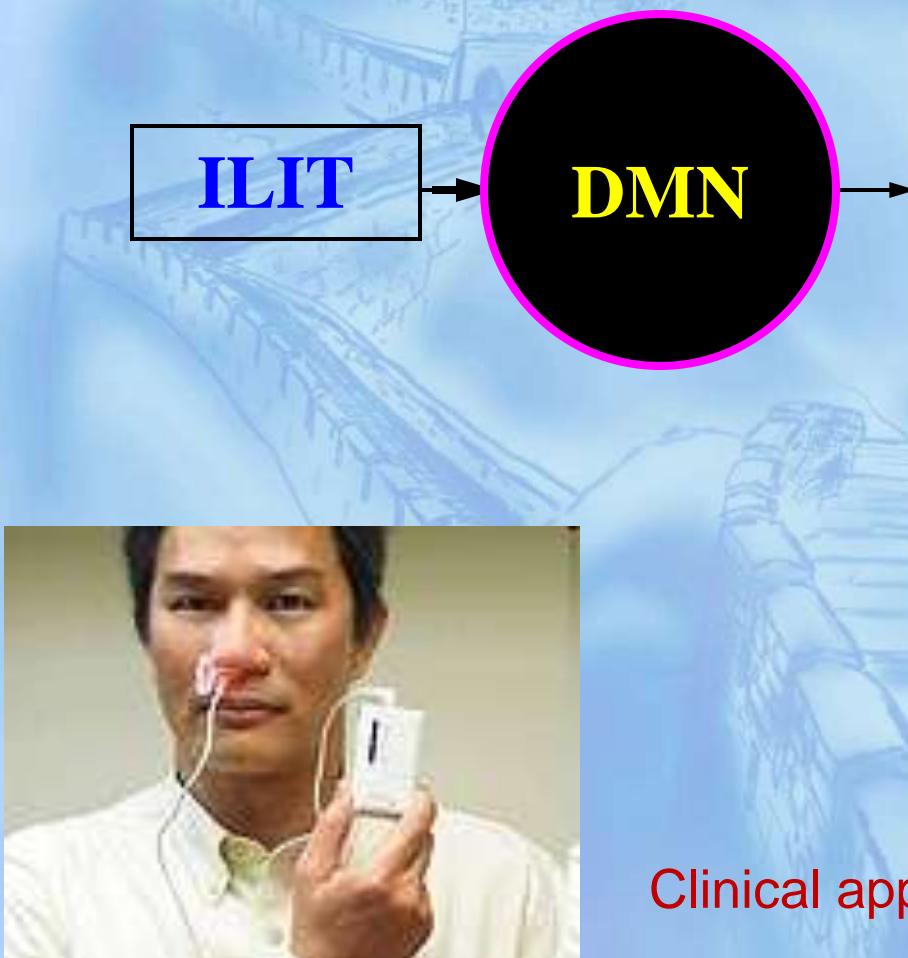


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**ILIT:** intranasal light therapy

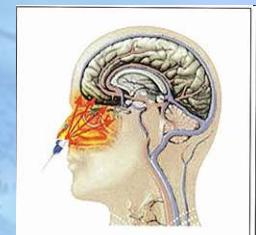
**DMN:** default mode network



Clinical applications

# DMN might be recovered/enhanced with ILIT

- Numerous central nervous system disorders may be associated with dysfunctional DMN.
  - According to **dPBM**, ILIT might recover CNS disorders at least through DMN recovery.
- DMN connectivity has been found to represent cultural intelligence. The stronger the DMN connectivity, the higher the cultural intelligence.
  - According to **iPBM**, ILIT might extend the cultural intelligence at least through DMN connectivity promotion.



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