## **Epidemiology of Diabetes Mellitus in Asia**

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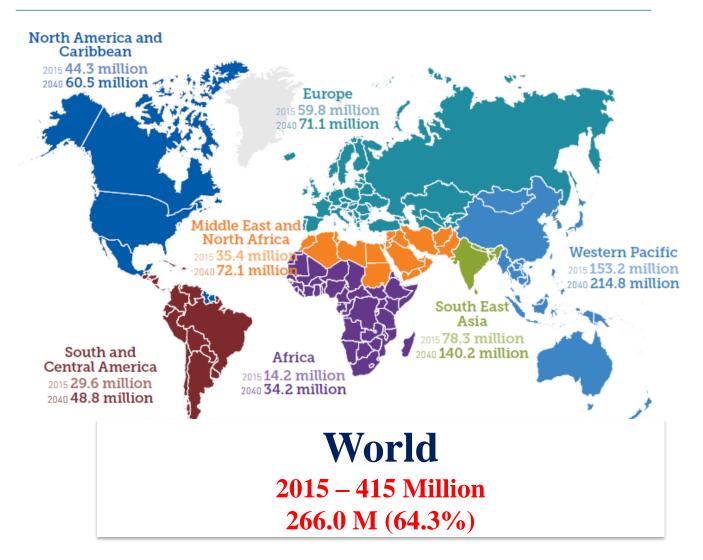
# DIABETES

## A GLOBAL epidemic out of control

**Diabetes is a culture-social structural disease** 

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Estimated number of people with diabetes worldwide and per region in 2015 and 2040 (20-79 years)



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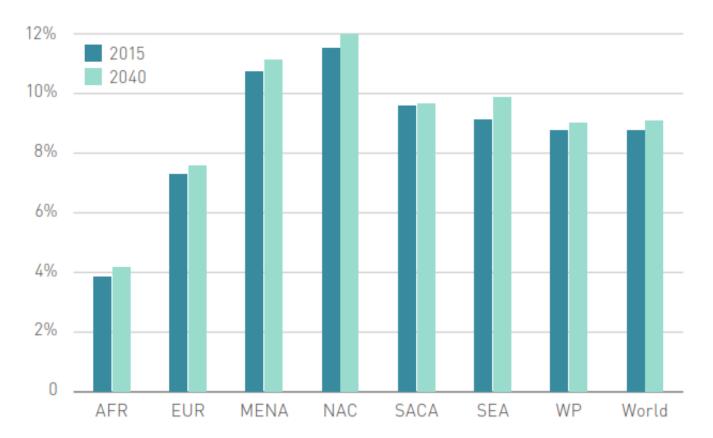
#### Top ten countries/territories for number of people with diabetes (20-79 years), 2015 and 2040

Rank	Country/territory	2015 Number of people with diabetes	Rank	Country/territory	2040 Number of people with diabetes
	China	109.6 million (99.6-133.4)	1	China <b>137.5</b> %	150.7 million (138.0-179.4)
2	India 178.8M=43%	69.2 million (56.2-84.8)	2	India <b>†78.5%</b>	123.5 million (99.1-150.3)
3	United States of America	29.3 million (27.6-30.9)	3	United States of America	a 35.1 million (33.0-37.2)
4	Brazil	14.3 million (12.9-15.8)	4	Brazil	23.3 million (21.0-25.9)
5	Russian Federation	12.1 million (6.2-17.0)	5	Mexico	20.6 million (11.4-24.7)
6	Mexico	11.5 million (6.2-13.7)	6	Indonesia	16.2 million (14.3-17.7)
7	Indonesia	10.0 million (8.7-10.9)	7	Egypt	15.1 million (7.3-17.3)
8	Egypt	7.8 million (3.8-9.0)	8	Pakistan	14.4 million (10.6-20.4)
9	Japan	7.2 million (6.1-9.6)	9	Bangladesh	13.6 million (10.7-24.6)
10	Bangladesh	7.1 million (5.3-12.0)	10	Russian Federation	12.4 million (6.4-17.1)

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#### IDF regions by age-adjusted comparative prevalence (%) of diabetes (20-79 years), 2015 and 2040

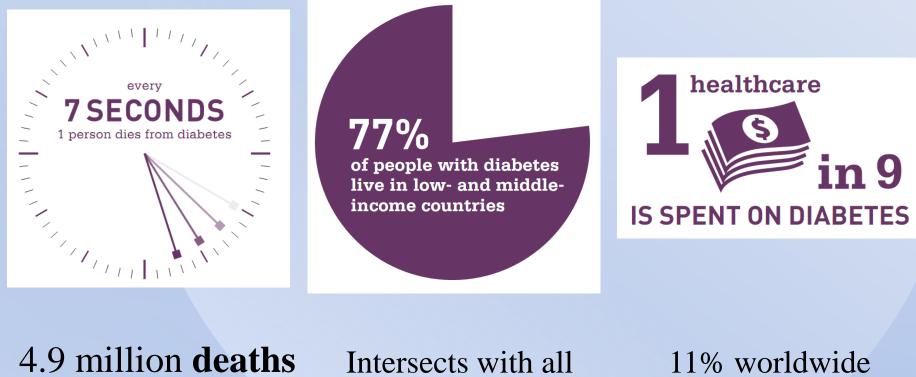


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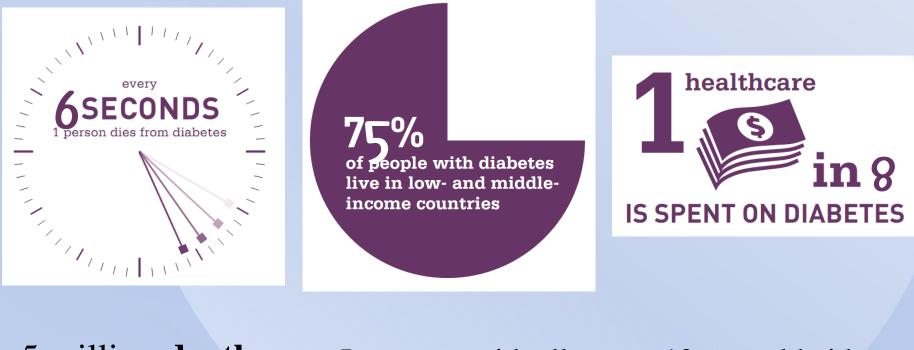


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5 million deaths

Intersects with all dimensions of **development**  12% worldwide expenditure



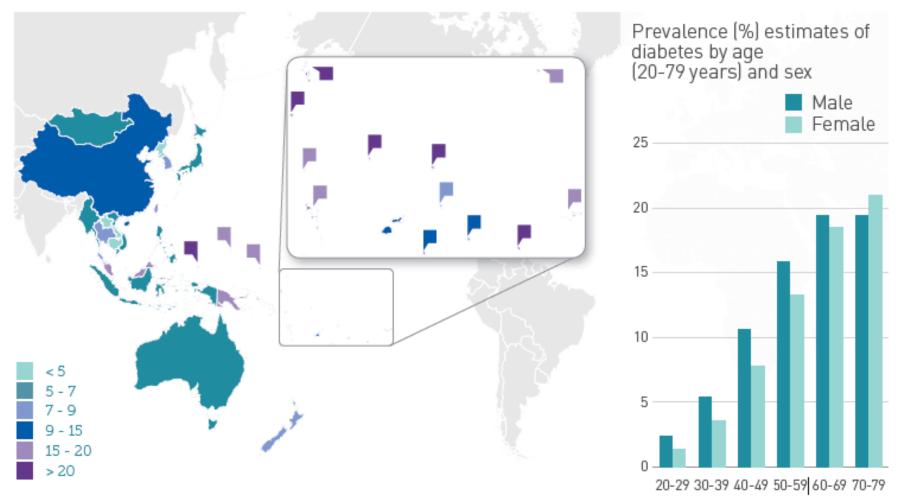
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## Western Pacific Region



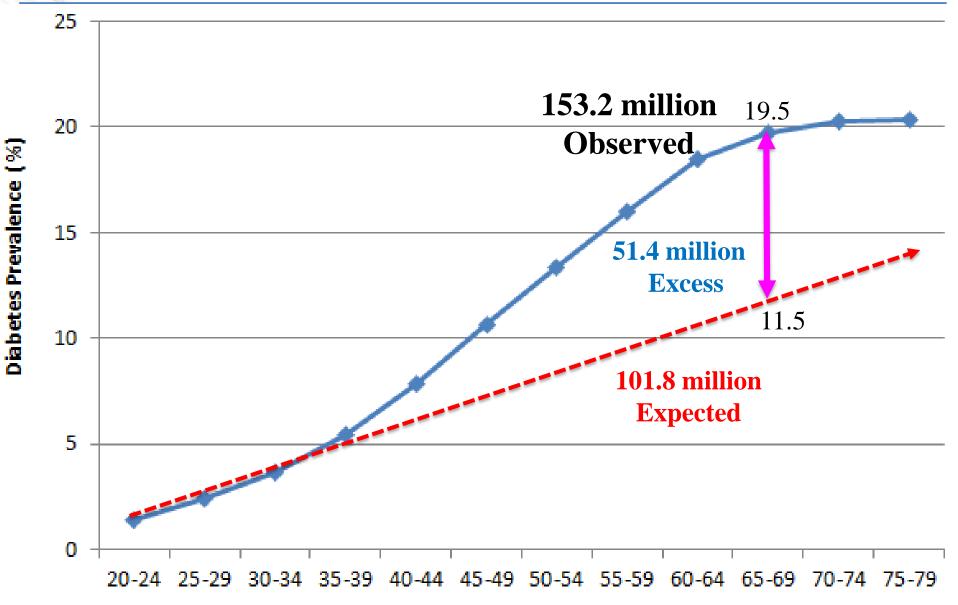
#### Map 4.7 Prevalence\* (%) estimates of diabetes (20-79 years), 2015



\* comparative prevalence

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#### The prevalence of diabetes by age in the International Diabetes Federation Western Pacific Region

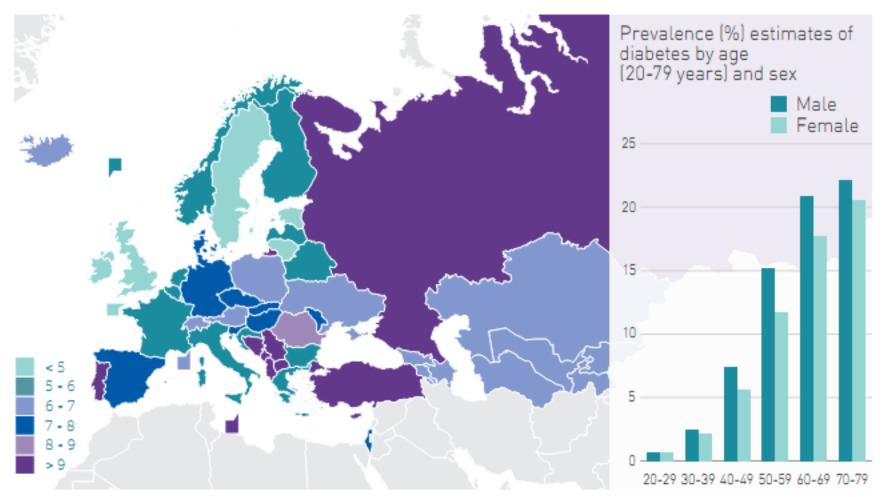


Age group

#### **Europe**



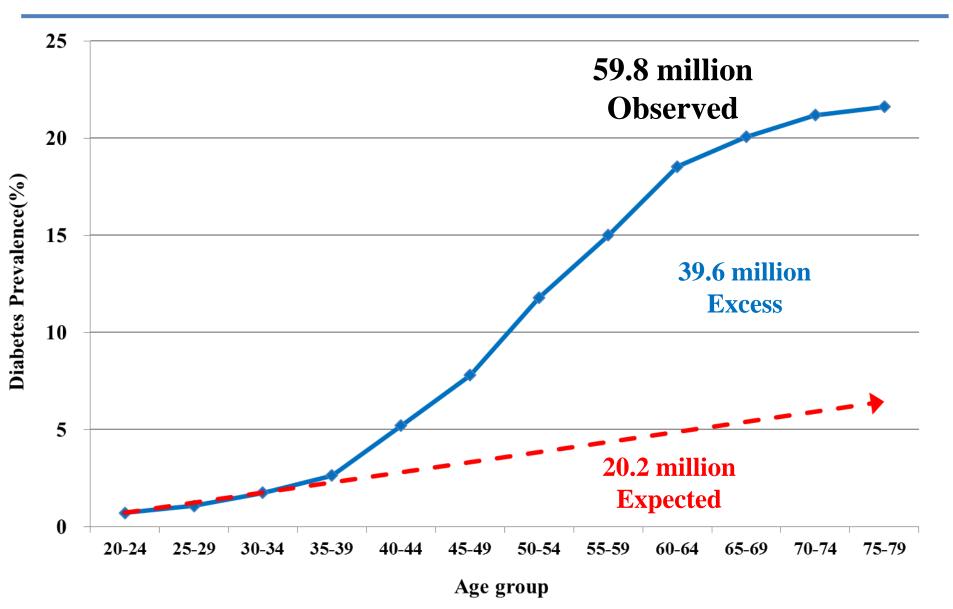
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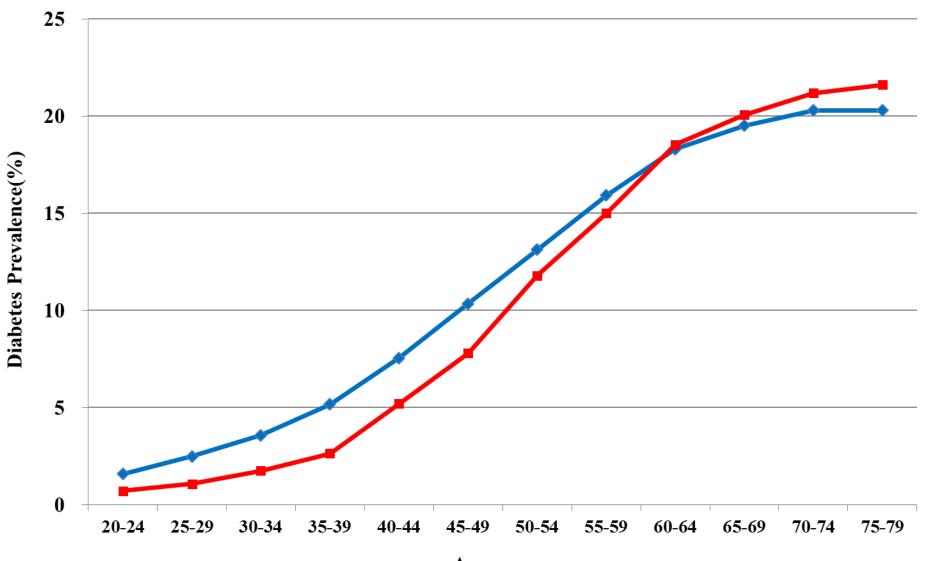
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#### The prevalence of diabetes by age in the International Diabetes Federation Europe



International Diabetes Federation The prevalence of diabetes by age in the International Diabetes Federation

#### WPR VS EUR



International Diabetes Federation

Age group

## One in two adults with diabetes is undiagnosed

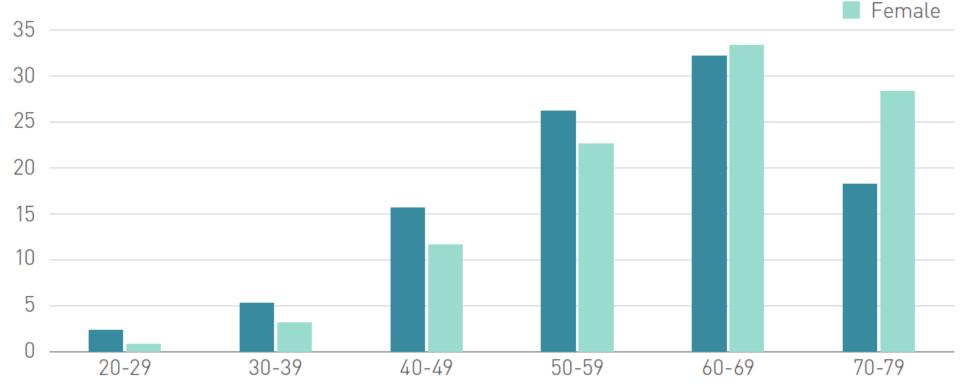


#### Proportion and number of people (20-79 years)living with diabetes who are undiagnosed, 2015

IDF region	Proportion undiagnosed	Number of undiagnosed people with diabetes
Africa	66.7%	9.5 million
Europe	39.3%	23.5 million
Middle East and North Africa	40.6%	14.4 million
North America and Caribbean	29.9%	13.3 million
South and Central America	39.0%	11.5 million
South-East Asia	52.1%	40.8 million
Western Pacific	52.1%	79.8 million
World	46.5%	192.8 million

## **Western Pacific**

Percentage of all-cause mortality due to diabetes by age (20-79 years) and sex



#### Death due to diabetes by age

2% 4%	14%	25%	33%	22%
20-29 years 30-39 years	40-49 years	50-59 years	60-69 years	70-79 years

#### 45% under the age of 60

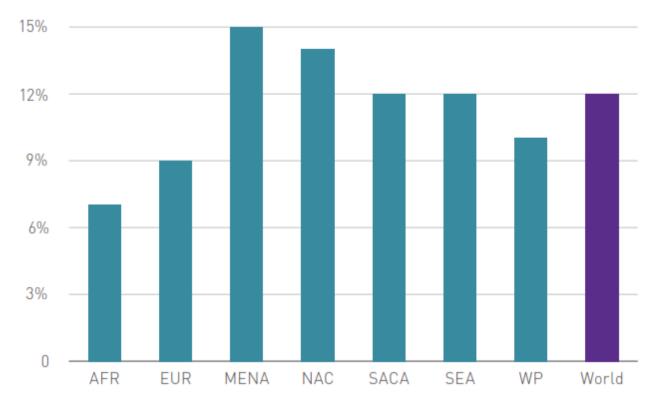
1,910,364 total deaths due to diabetes

Male

12% of global health expenditure is spent on diabetes



#### Proportion of total health expenditure estimated to be spent on diabetes (20-79 years), R=2\*, 2015



\*The R=2 estimates assume that healthcare expenditures for people with diabetes are on average twofold higher than people without diabetes

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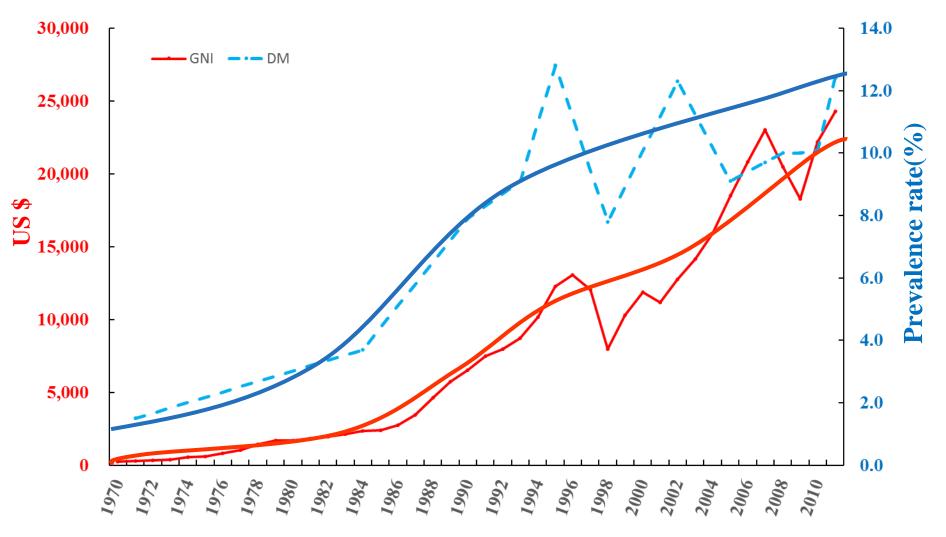
## Identification of high risk population using the risk factors

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Variables	ß	p-value	RR(95% C.I.)
Mets	0.438	<0.001	1.55(1.28~1.87)
Urban	0.698	<0.001	2.01(1.70~2.38)
NGT		Referen	ce
IFG	1.213	<0.001	3.36(2.35~4.81)
IGT	1.537	<0.001	4.65(3.95~5.48)
IFG+IGT	2.335	<0.001	10.33(6.99~15.26)
Normal		Referen	ce
Pre hypertension	0.266	0.004	1.30(1.09~1.57)
HTN stage1	0.120	0.386	1.13(0.86~1.48)
HTN stage2	0.582	<0.001	1.79(1.40~2.29)
Non-smoker		Referen	ce
Ex-smoker	0.219	0.038	1.24(1.01~1.53)
Current smoker	0.578	<0.001	1.78(1.49~2.14)
Family History of DM	0.384	0.001	1.47(1.18~1.83)
Physical stress signs	0.483	0.011	1.62(1.12~2.35)
Age	0.025	<0.001	
HbA1c	1.803	<0.001	
<b>Composite Insulin Sensitivity Index</b>	-0.013	0.011	
Insulinogenic index	-0.001	0.017	
ALT	0.007	<0.001	

#### **Cox Proportional Hazard Analysis of T2DM:at 14 yrs FU**

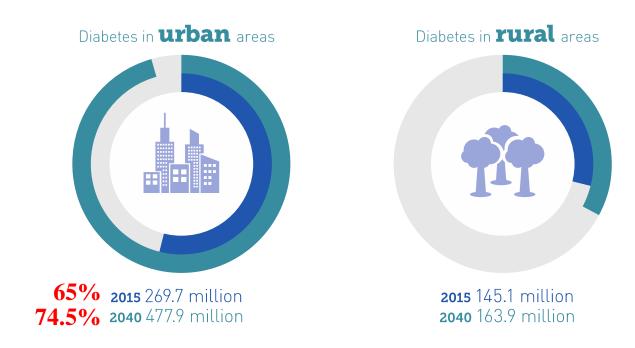
Adjusted for sex , alcohol drinking, exercise,, Quicki index, WBC, RBC

## **Trend of T2DM in Korea** Economy vs. Prevalence



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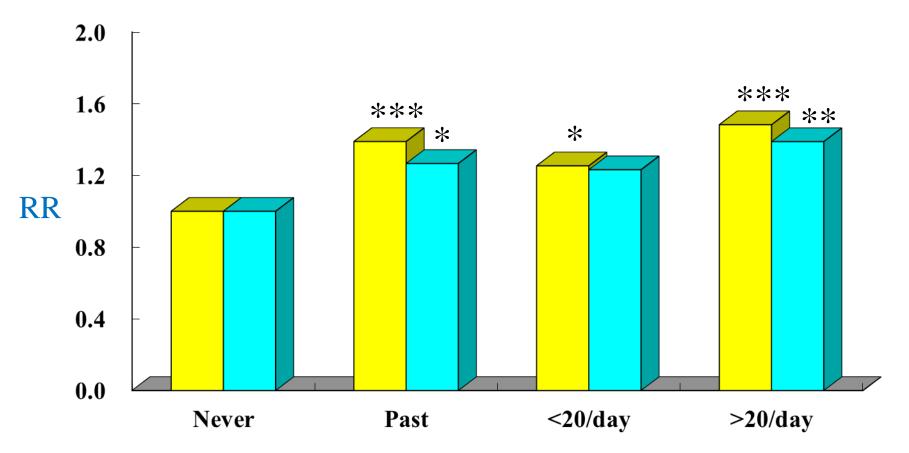
## **Diabetes in urban and rural environments**



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## Baseline Smoking Status and T2DM Status during 12 yrs of Follow-up

□ Crude □ Adjusted

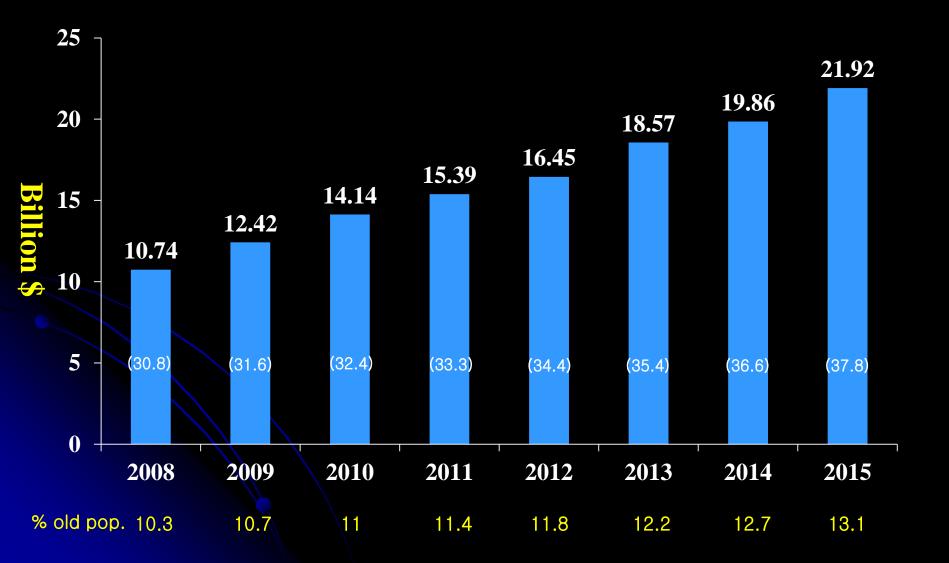


<0.05, \*\*<0.01, \*\*\*<0.001; Adjusted for Sex, Fam Hx DM, Residence, Exer,, Alcoh, age, SBP, WC, WBC, RBC, T.Chol, HDL, Tg, ALT, HbA1c, Beta cell function, HOMA-IR, Quicki index

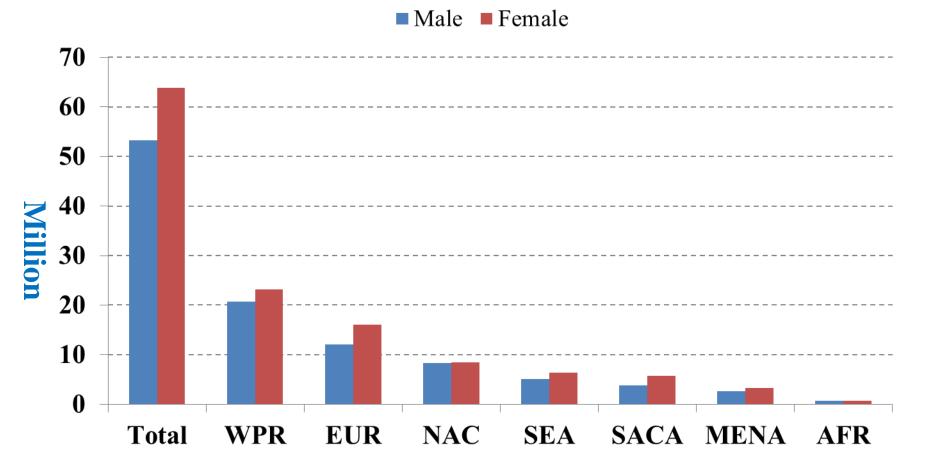
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## **Diabetes in Old population**

## Medical Expenses in age $\geq 65 \ yrs$



## **Frequency of Diabetes in Older population** 65+ yrs



## **Multiple Logistics Analysis of Old population**

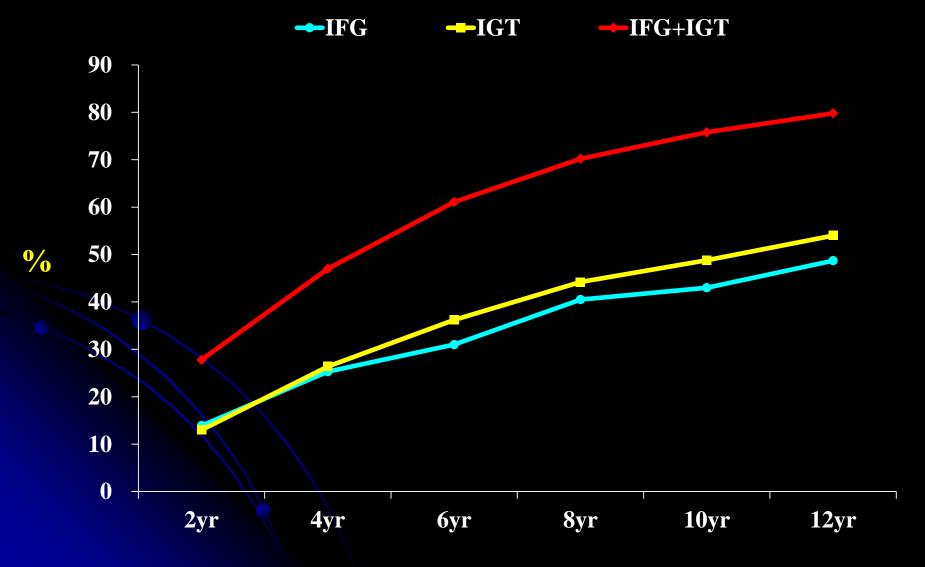
variables	ß	p-value	OR(95% C.I.)
≥ 65 yr	0.687	<0.001	1.99(1.65~2.39)
Male	0.471	0.012	1.60(1.11~2.31)
Urban	1.200	<0.001	3.32(2.73~4.03)
Non-Smoker		Refer	ence
Past Smoker	0.298	0.027	1.35(1.03~1.76)
<b>Current Smoker</b>	0.054	0.725	1.06(0.78~1.43)
<b>Family Hx DM</b>	0.531	<0.001	1.70(1.40~2.07)
Waist	-0.012	0.046	
ASM/Wt	-0.056	0.007	
sBP	0.011	<0.001	
HbA1c	2.313	<0.001	
HOMA-IR	0.604	<0.001	
<b>β-cell function</b>	-0.015	<0.001	
<b>T.Chol</b>	0.010	<0.001	
Tg	0.001	0.020	
Constant	-12.675	<0.001	

Adjusted for alcohol drinking, exercise, ALT, Quicki index, HDL

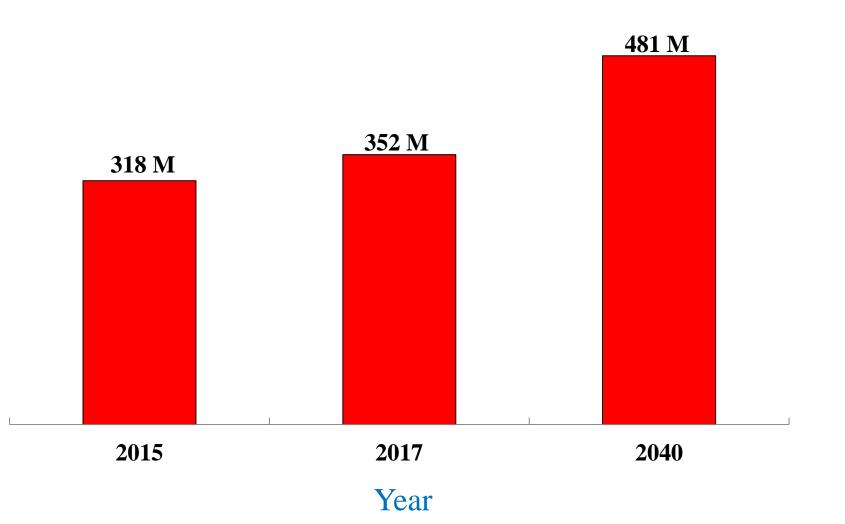
## **Diabetes in High risk population**

#### **Status of pre-diabetes** 12 yrs follow-up ---IFG ---IGT ←IFG+IGT 20 16 12 % 8 4 0 10yr 2yr 4yr 6yr 8yr 12yr

## Cumulative Incidence of T2DM 12 yrs follow-up



## Trend of IGT



#### **Cox Proportional Hazard Analysis of PreDM**

Variables	ß	p-value	RR(95% C.I.)
Urban	0.447	<0.001	1.56(1.31~1.86)
SBP	0.011	<0.001	
Waist Circumference	0.018	<0.001	
<b>T.chol</b>	-0.003	0.004	
Family History of DM	0.384	0.001	1.41(1.14~1.74)
WBC	0.069	0.001	
HbA1c	1.221	<0.001	
<b>Composite Insulin Sensitivity Index</b>	-0.204	0.021	
Insulinogenic index	-0.147	<0.001	
ALT	0.005	<0.001	

Adjusted for Age, sex , alcohol drinking, exercise, smoking, Tg, HDL, CRP, Creatinine , Stress

## **Summary/Conclusion**

- No disease has impacted human life stronger than Diabetes, and Diabetes Epidemic is more serious in Asia than any part of the world.
- Costs are greater than any other diseases.
- Diabetes is currently unstoppable, but utilization of risk factors for undiagnosed cases and identification in high risk populations accompanied with early management may be the solution and the best way to stop the diabetes Tsunami in Asia.

