



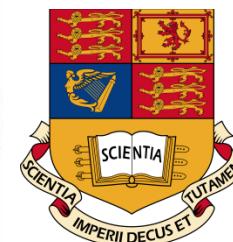
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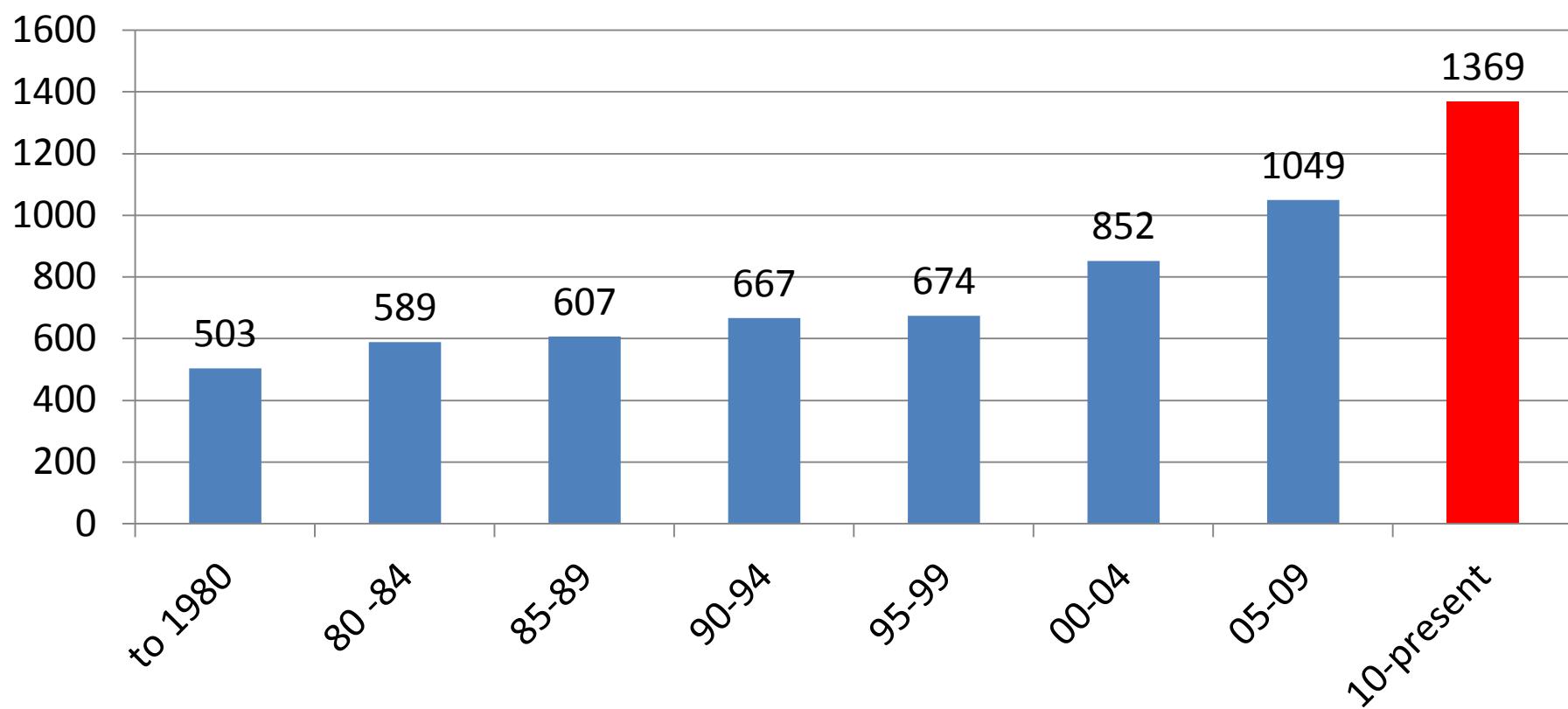
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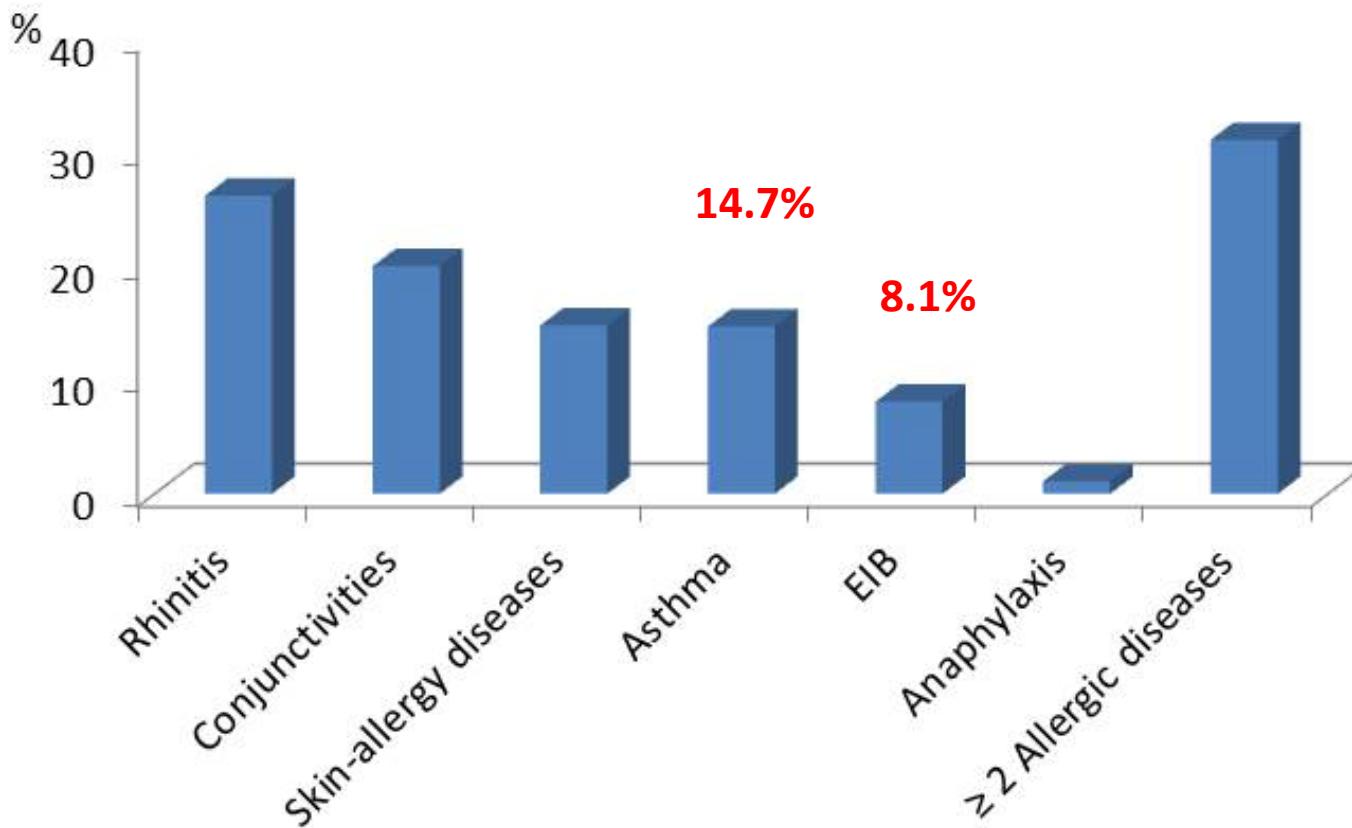
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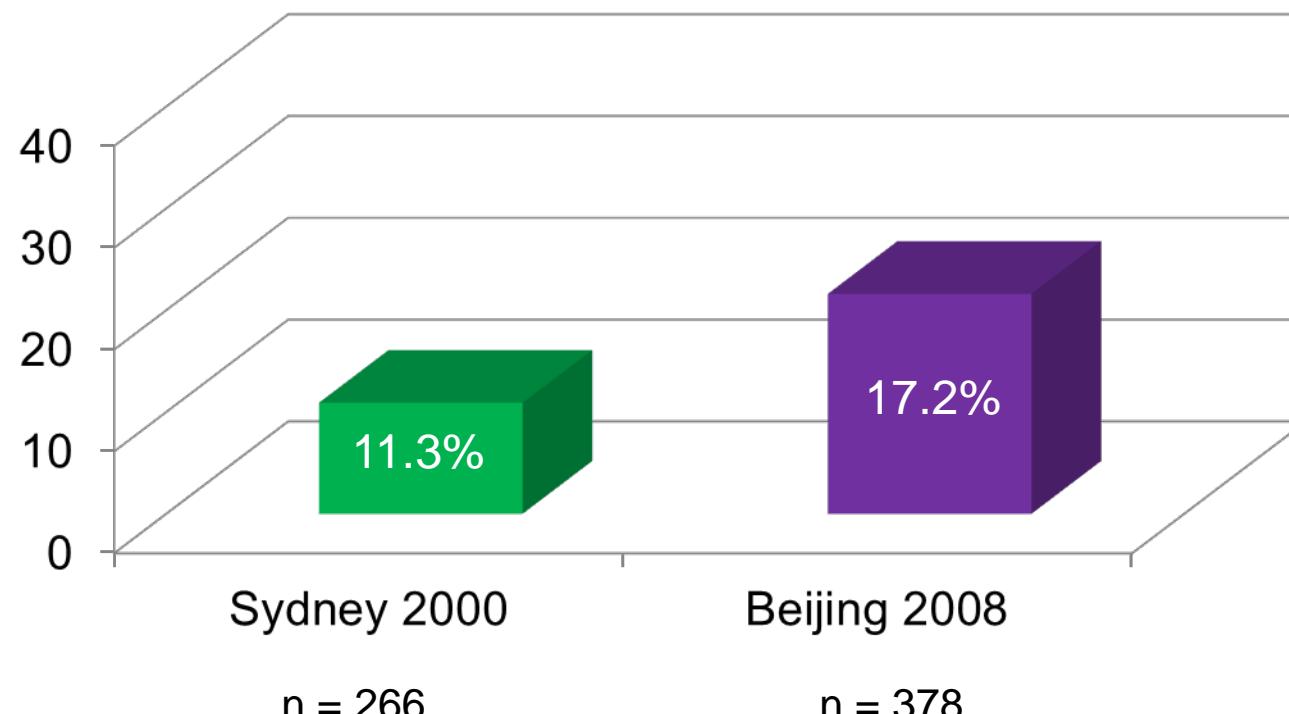
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Asthma and EIB in Olympic athletes



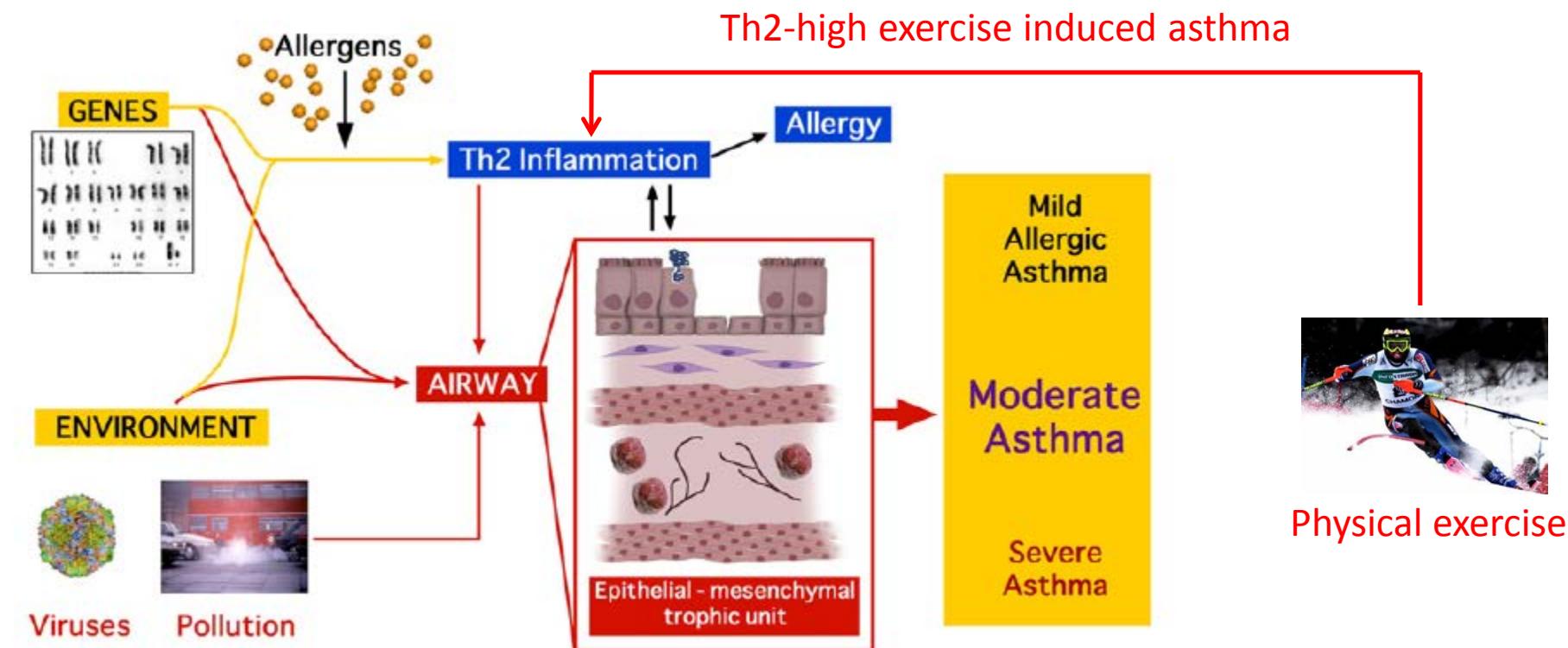
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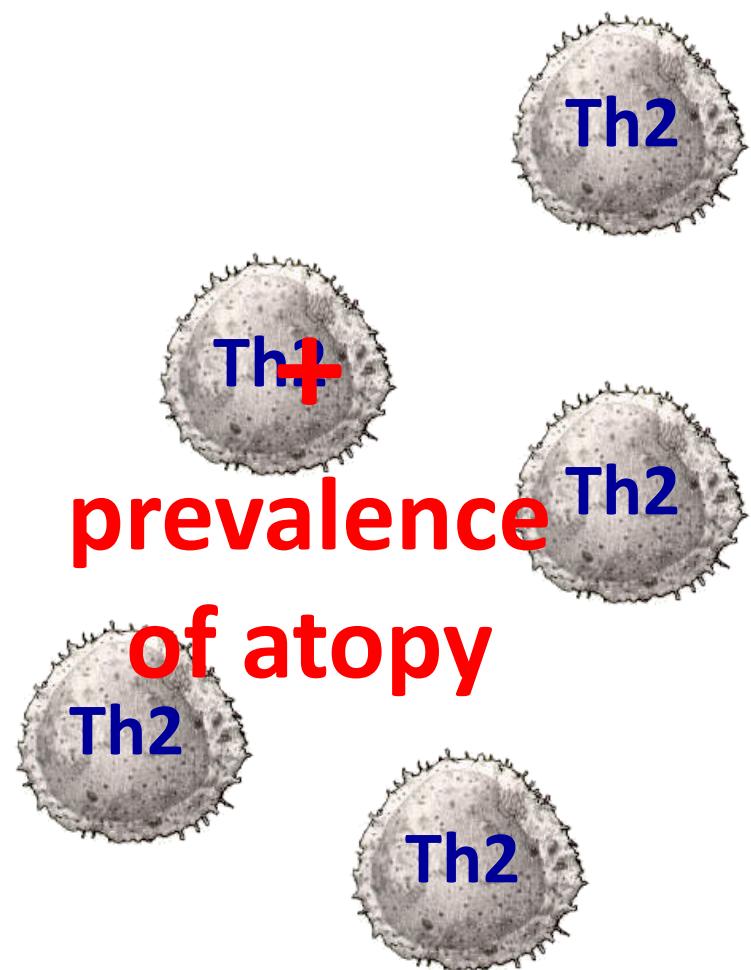
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Effect of physical exercise on T helper sub-populations balance



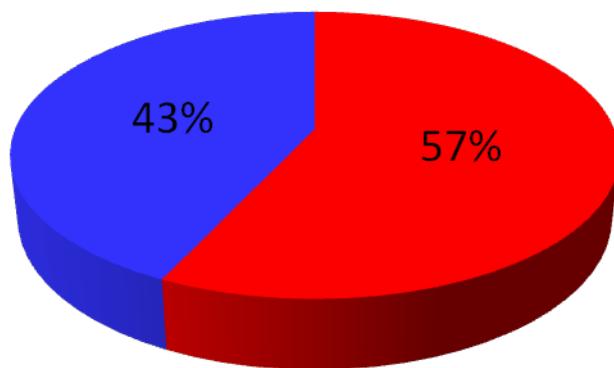
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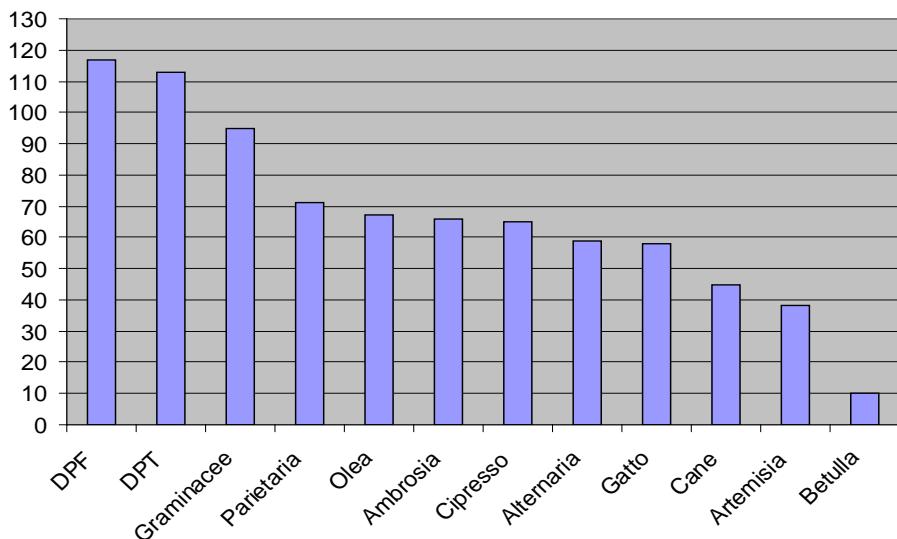
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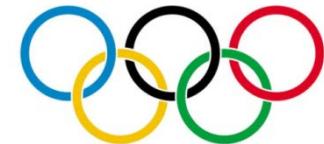
- Skin test + athletes
- Skin test - athletes



Cytokine	A vs CTRL	AA vs NAA
IL-1ra	↓ < 0,0001	↑ NS (0,9280)
IL-4	↓ < 0,05	↑ NS (0,0784)
IL-6	↓ < 0,0001	↑ NS (0,1882)
IL-7	↓ < 0,0001	↑ NS (0,3663)
IL-8	↓ < 0,0001	↑ NS (0,9875)
IL-12	↓ < 0,0001	↑ NS (0,9093)
IL-10	↓ < 0,0001	↑ NS (0,1366)
IL-13	NS (0,1659)	NS (0,9436)
IL-17	↓ < 0,0001	↑ NS (0,3984)
Eotaxin	↓ < 0,0001	↑ NS (0,9749)
IFN-gamma	↓ < 0,0001	↑ NS (0,8752)
IP-10	↓ < 0,0001	↑ NS (0,5584)
MCP-1	↓ < 0,0001	↑ NS (0,5427)
MIP-1alfa	NS (0,0852)	NS (0,9187)
MIP-1beta	↓ < 0,0001	↑ NS (0,2979)
RANTES	↓ < 0,05	↑ NS (0,8690)

Cytokine serum profile in allergic and non-allergic top athletes

- AA = 41; NAA = 51; CTRL = 49
- Luminex assay
- For all cytokines measured, apart from IL-13 and MIP-1a, serum levels in athletes were significantly lower than in controls
- No differences were observed between allergic and non-allergic athletes
- The median value of the IFNg/IL-4 ratio was lower in athletes than in controls (33.0 vs. 37.9), particularly in the allergic ones (27.8)



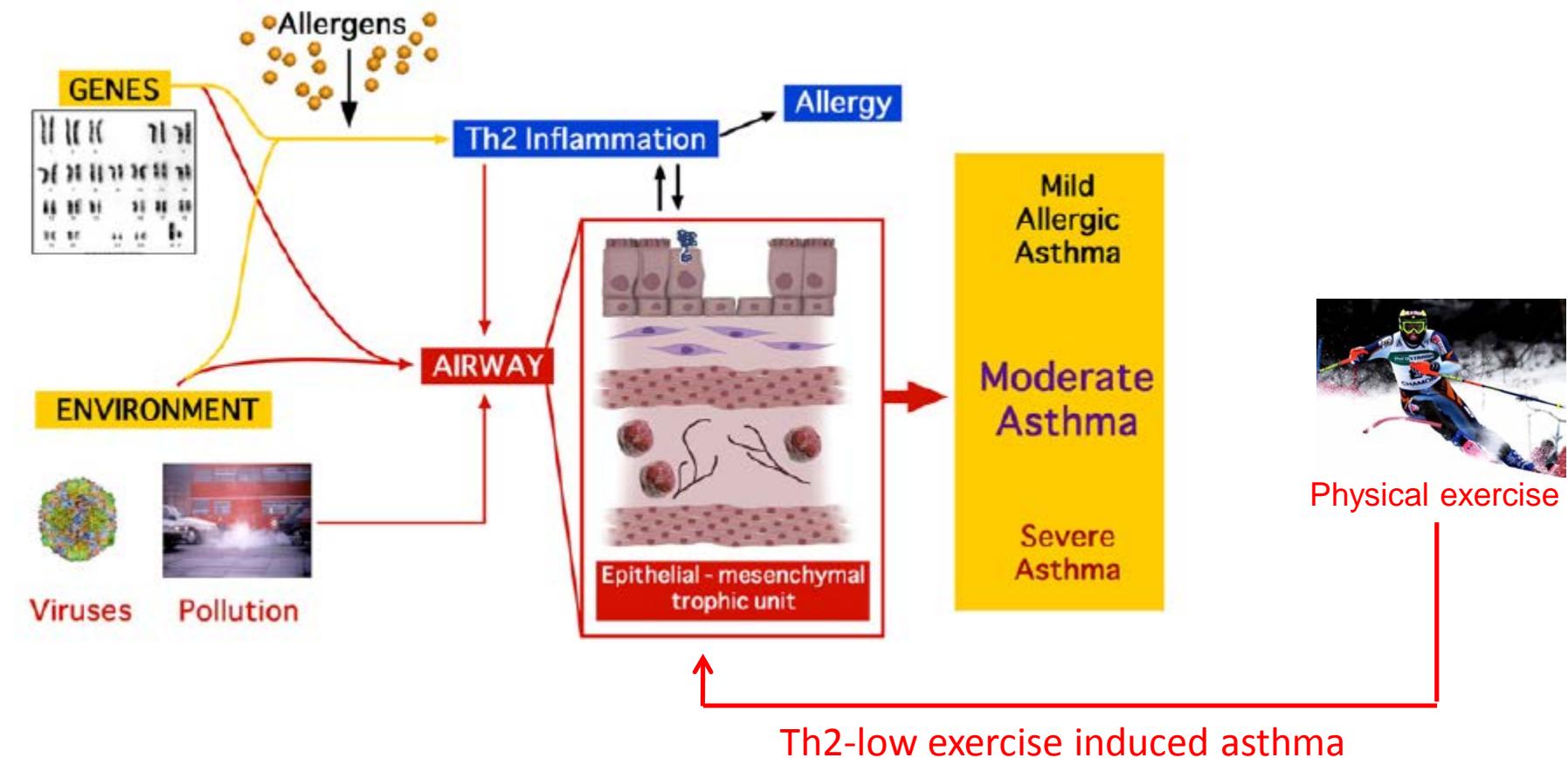
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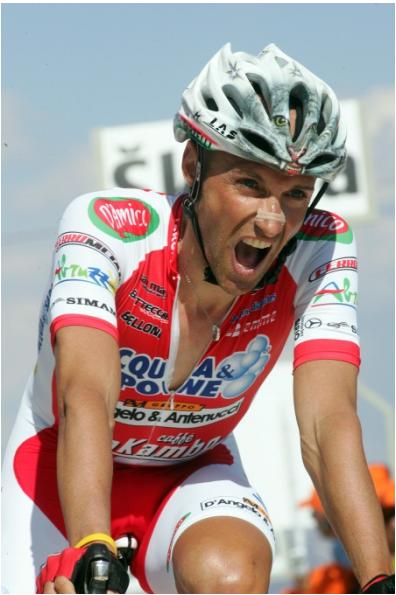
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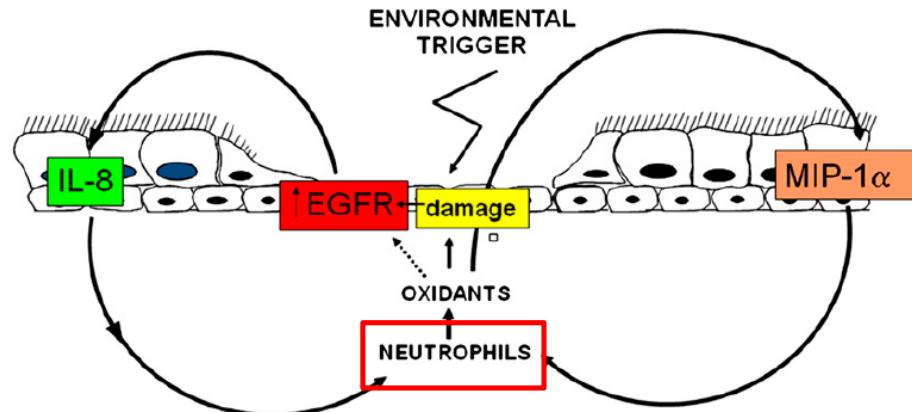
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Physical exercise as trigger on target organs



Potential role of epithelium damage in EIB



The Role of the Airway Epithelium and its Interaction with Environmental Factors in Asthma Pathogenesis

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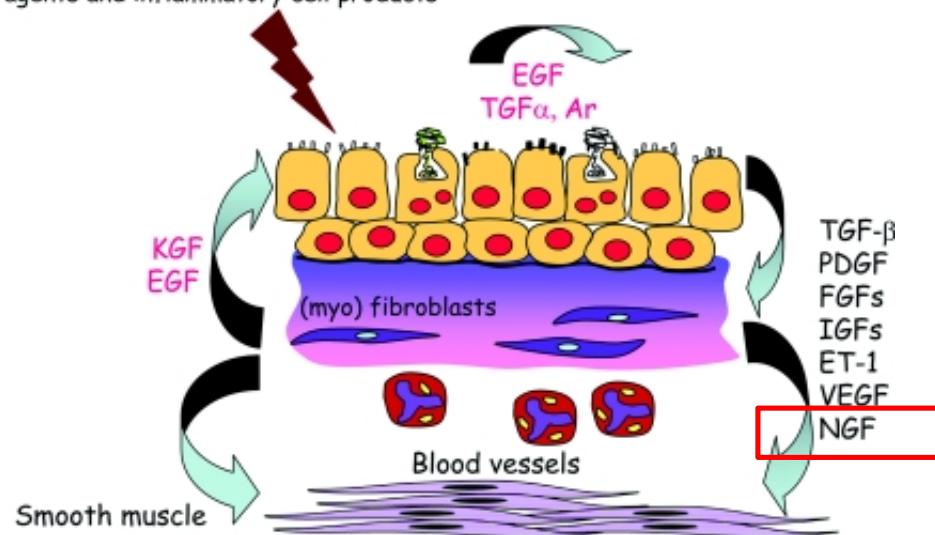
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A new look at the pathogenesis of asthma

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Increased susceptibility
of epithelium to damage by environmental
agents and inflammatory cell products



Increased Nerve Growth Factor Serum Levels in Top Athletes

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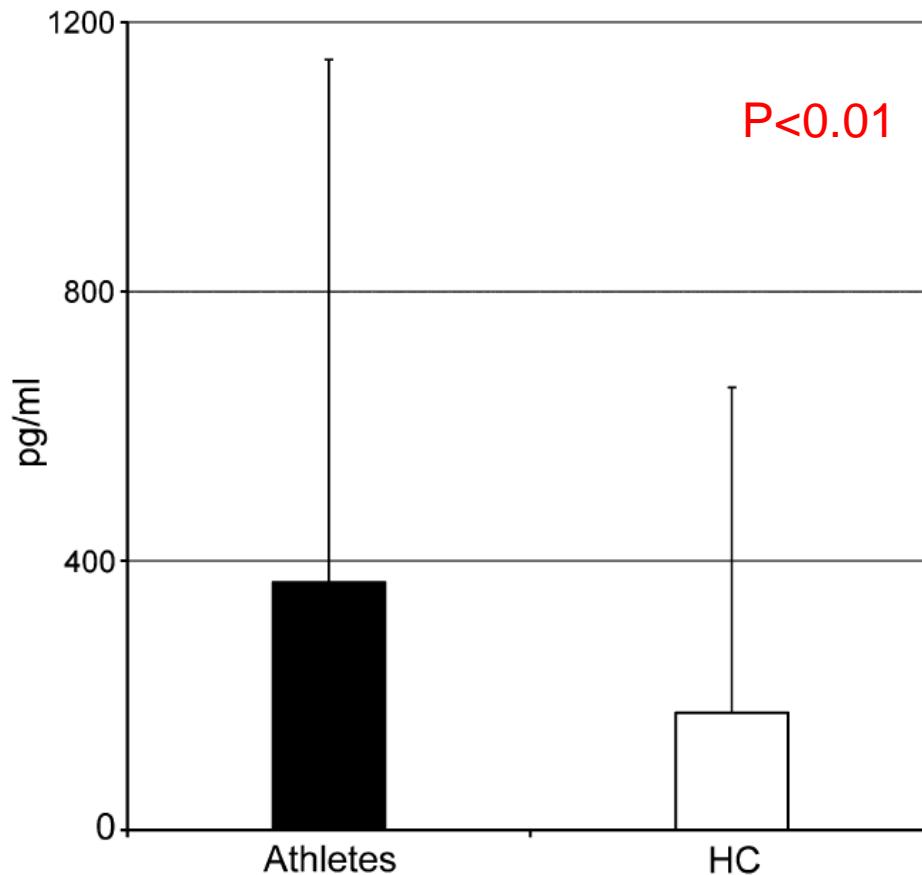
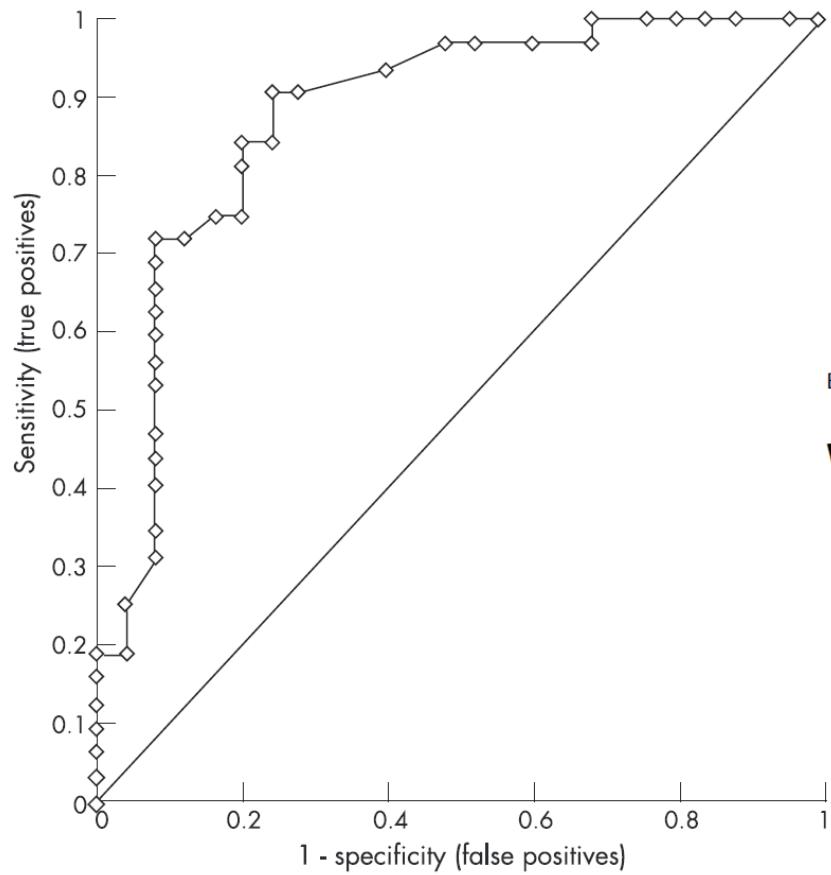


FIGURE 1. Nerve growth factor mean serum values in 96 athletes and 49 HC.

Ventilation heterogeneity is a major determinant of airway hyperresponsiveness in asthma, independent of airway inflammation

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Treating the Small Airways

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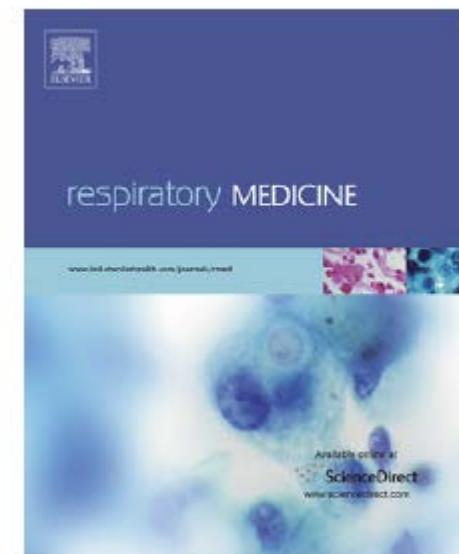
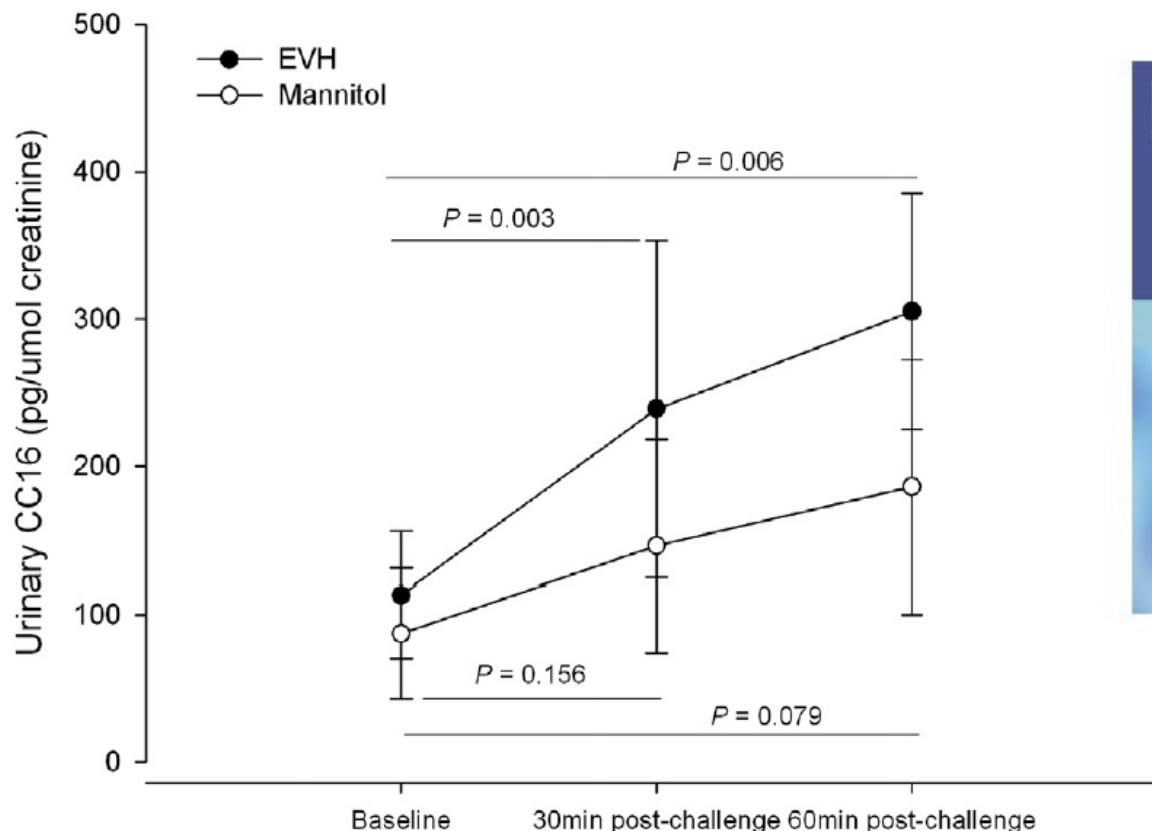
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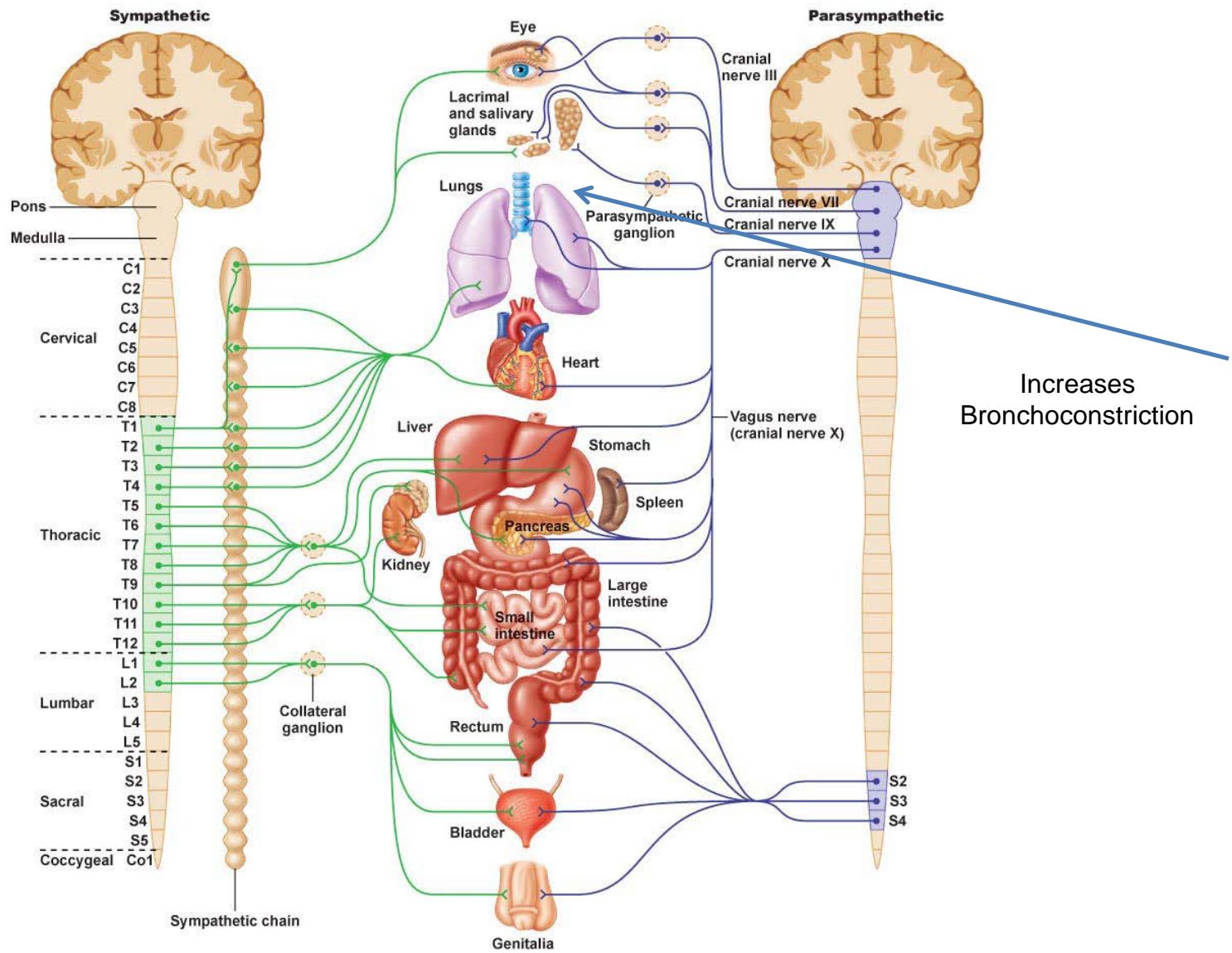
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Urinary CC16 after challenge with dry air hyperpnoea and mannitol in recreational summer athletes

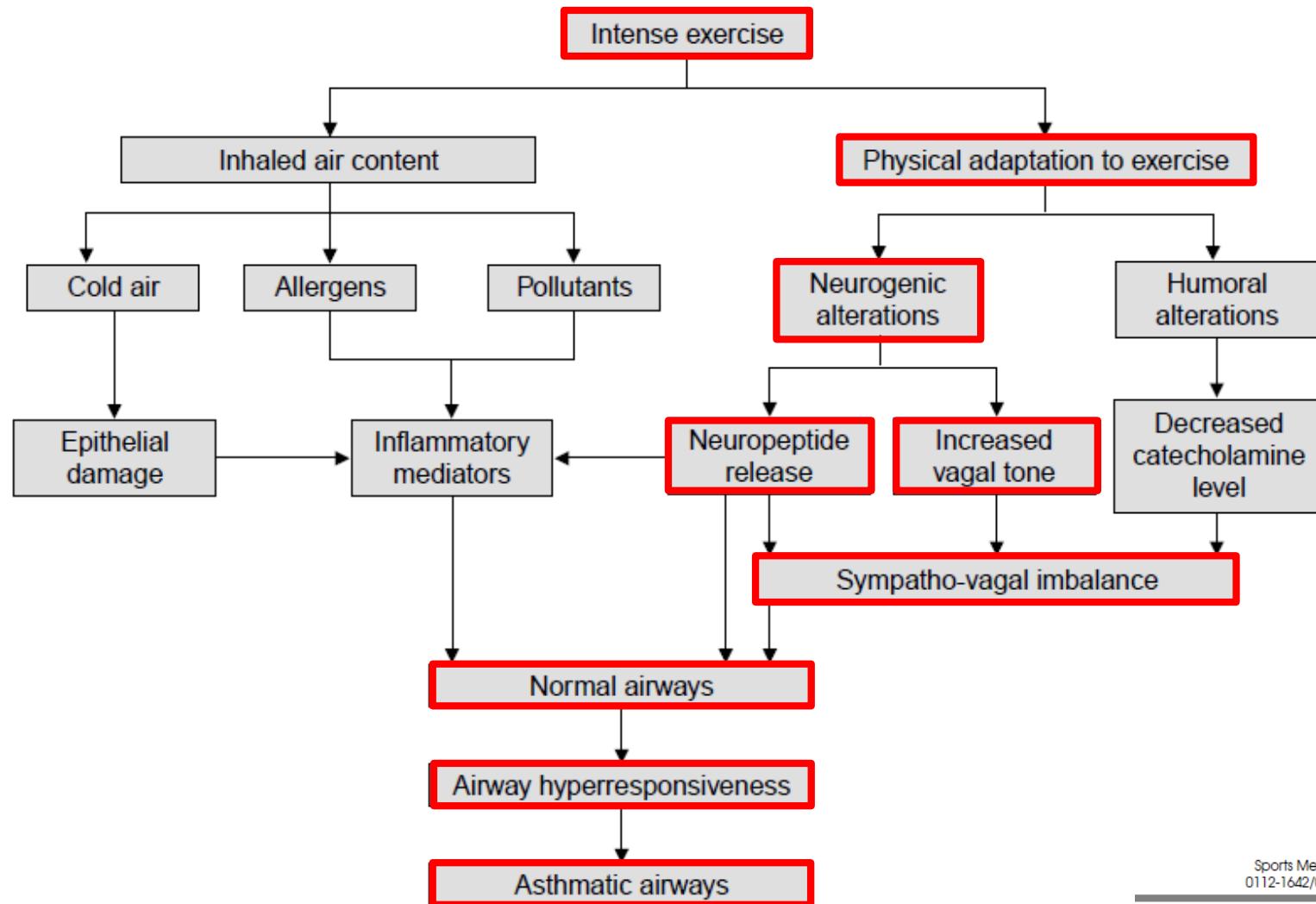
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The autonomic nervous system



Prevalence and Mechanisms of Development of Asthma and Airway Hyperresponsiveness in Athletes

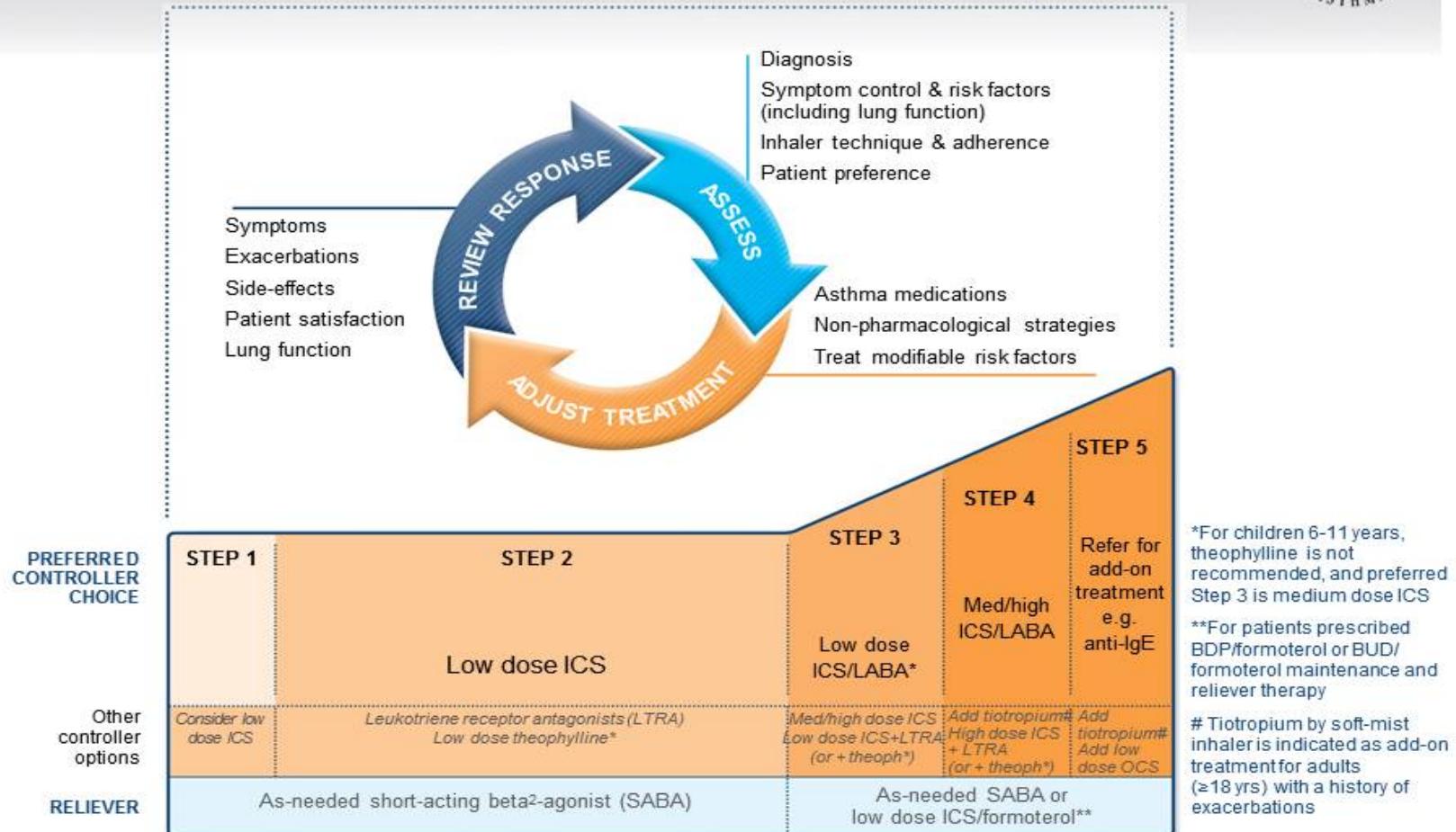


Management of EIB

- The two main principles of treating exercise-induced bronchospasm consist in:
 - **reversing** the bronchial obstruction induced by exercise with bronchodilators
 - **preventing** it either by the chronic use of controller drugs in subjects with asthma or by administering, just before exercise, drugs which have been shown to be able to inhibit symptoms as well as the decrease of pulmonary function parameters

Management of EIB with asthma

Stepwise management - pharmacotherapy



Management of EIB without asthma

Treatment

Drugs

Beta-2 agonists (short-acting)

Prevention

Drugs

Beta-2 agonists (short-acting)

Time of administration

15 min before exercise

Beta-2 agonists (long-acting)

60 min before exercise

Cromons

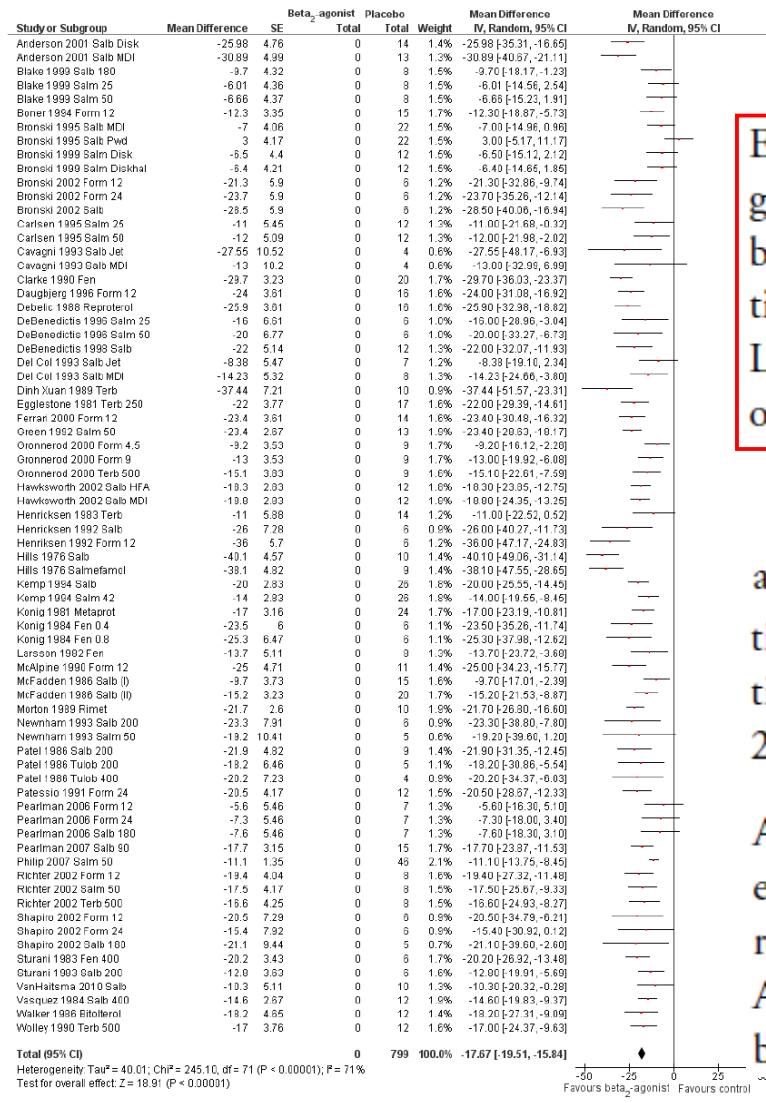
15 min before exercise

Leukotriene modifiers

60 min before exercise

Beta₂-agonists for exercise-induced asthma

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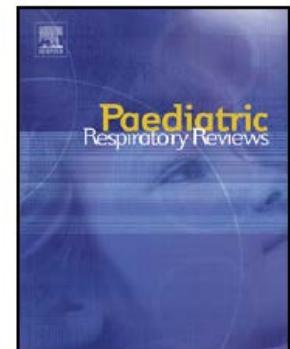
Evidence emerging from the meta-analysis of 45 short-term (single administration) studies shows that both short- and long-acting beta₂-agonists administered as preventive treatment (within the time-effect period set at one hour for SABA and at 12 hours for LABA) prevent exercise-induced asthma, as shown by the primary outcomes related to the FEV₁ fall.

... secondary outcomes considered show that the beta₂-agonist preventive effect is also documented by the number of participants protected (complete protection detectable in 68% of participants) and by other pulmonary function variables (PEF, FEF 25%-75%, MEF 50%)

As far as they concern secondary outcomes related to safety, side effects were assessed in 55 trials (Figure 5). Among these, 42 arms reported no adverse event for either active or placebo treatment. Analysis of the remaining 13 trials showed no significant difference between beta₂-agonists and placebo.

Beta-2 agonists for exercise-induced bronchoconstriction in children

Matteo Bonini



The analysis of the pediatric studies highlights that the beta2-agonist acute preventive effect, is significant, although highly heterogeneous. It is also interesting to note that all the trials which failed to prove a significant beta2-agonist effect compared to placebo were performed in children. Only two papers addressed the efficacy and safety of a chronic beta-2 agonist treatment in children, preventing from any general conclusive statement.

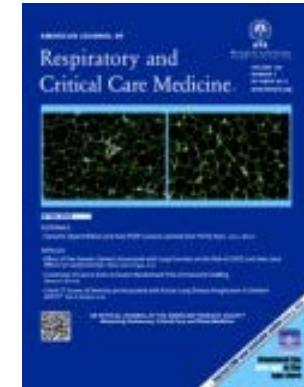
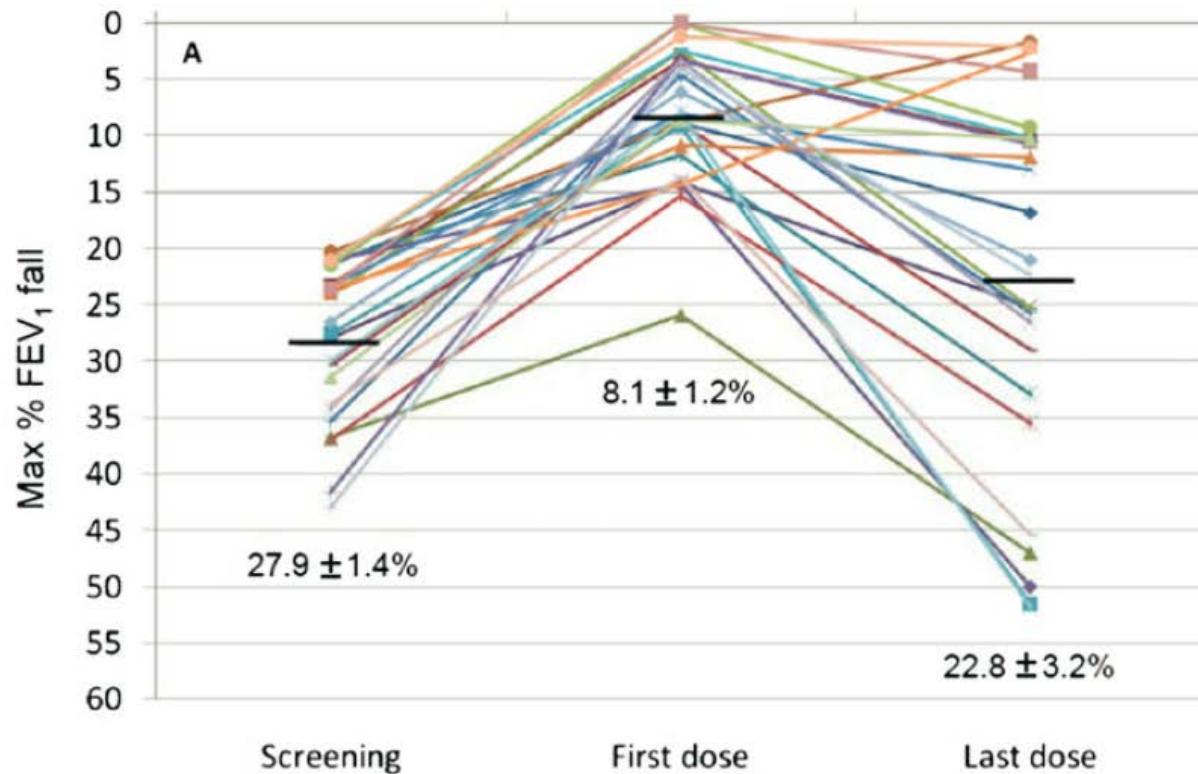
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Loss of Salmeterol Bronchoprotection against Exercise in Relation to ADRB2 Arg16Gly Polymorphism and Exhaled Nitric Oxide



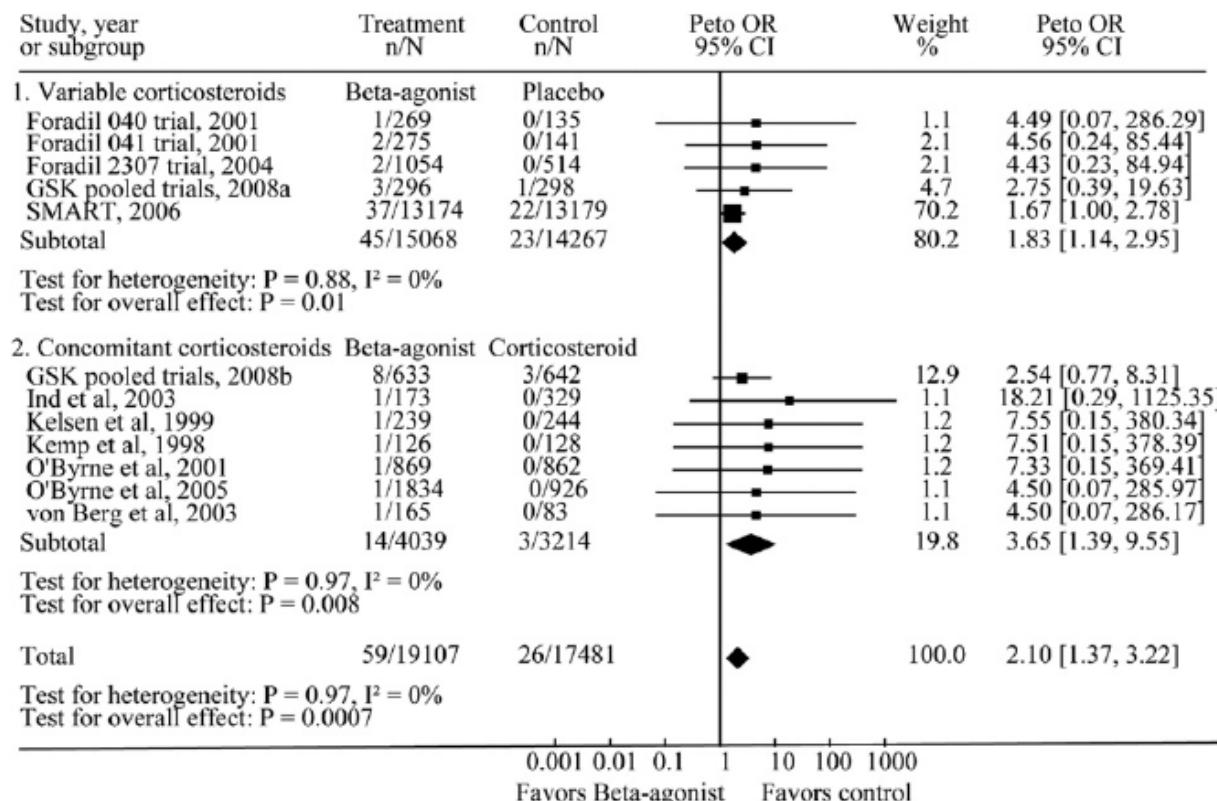
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Long-acting Beta-Agonists with and without Inhaled Corticosteroids and Catastrophic Asthma Events

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Figure 2 Effect of long-acting β -agonists on asthma intubations and deaths.

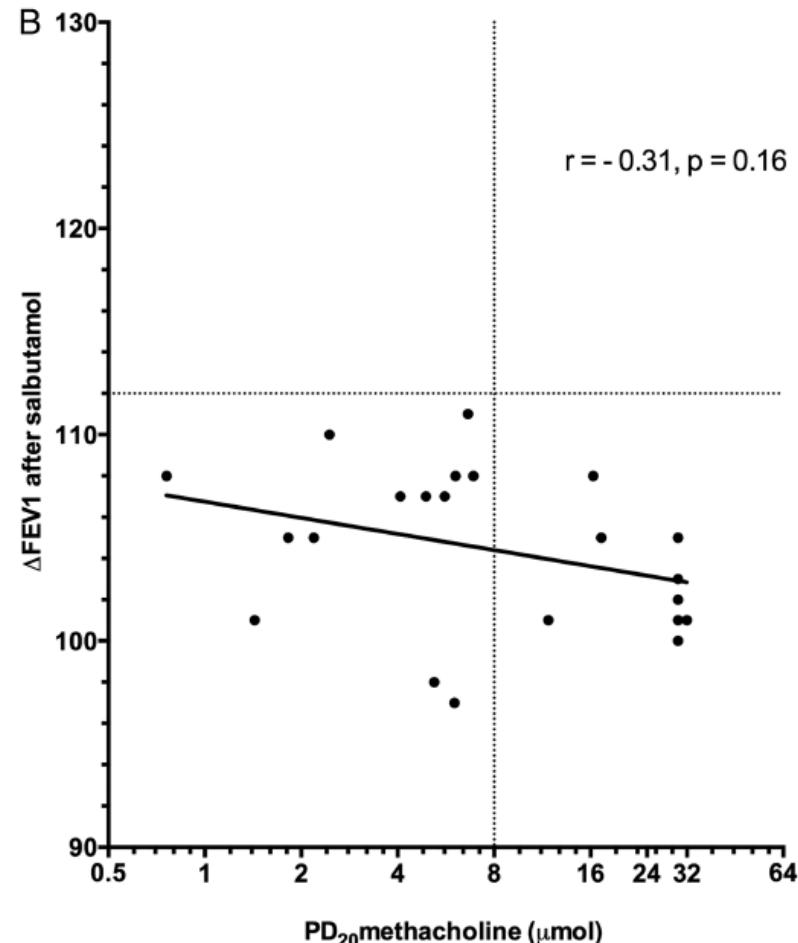
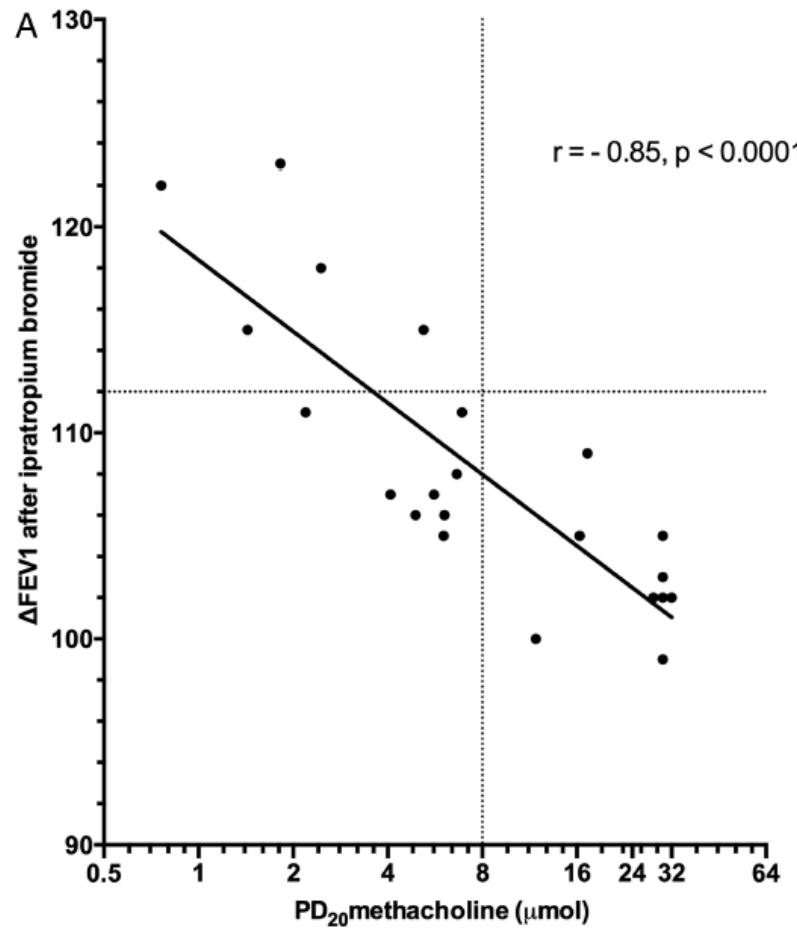


Increased bronchial parasympathetic tone in elite cross-country and biathlon skiers: a randomised crossover study



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2015 WADA anti-doping rules

Treatment	WADA rules	Notes
Antihistamines	Permitted	Second generation molecules should be preferred to avoid side effects
Leukotriene modifiers	Permitted	
Inhaled steroids	Permitted	
Immunotherapy	Permitted	SCIT should not be performed before or after physical exercise
β2 agonists	Inhaled <i>Salbutamol</i> (max 1600 mcg/24H) <i>Formoterol</i> (max 54 mcg/24H) and <i>Salmeterol</i> All others prohibited in and out competition	The presence in urine of salbutamol >1000 ng/mL or formoterol >40 ng/mL is presumed not to be an intended therapeutic use of the substance and will be considered as an Adverse Analytical Finding
Systemic steroids	Prohibited in competition	
Ephedrine, methylephedrine	Prohibited in competition	A concentration in urine greater than 10 ug/ml represent an adverse analytical findings

Airway dysfunction in elite athletes – an occupational lung disease?

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In the meantime, it is our opinion that the evidence is currently sufficient to afford elite athletes the same considerations for their airway health as other individuals with potential and relevant occupational exposures.