



NORTHWEST AIDS EDUCATION AND TRAINING CENTER

HIV and Aging

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Objectives

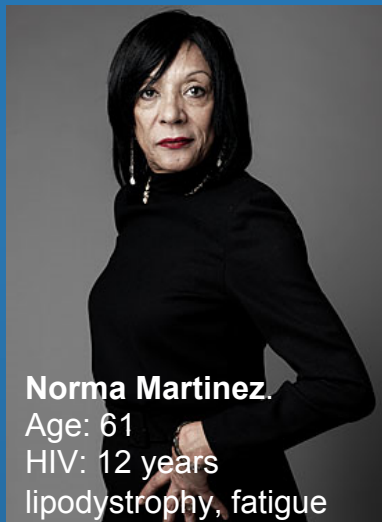
- Review Current Knowledge about HIV in older patients
(Epidemiology, Clinical Outcomes w ART)
- Discuss Aging Phenomena in HIV
- Discuss the Advent of Non-AIDS health-related conditions in older patients with HIV Infection
- Discuss Psychosocial Issues / Advance Directives

Faces of HIV



Enrico McLane

Age: 52
HIV: 17 years
Short-term memory loss
two hip replacements



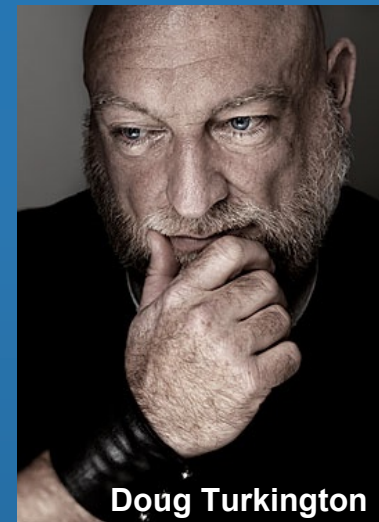
Norma Martinez

Age: 61
HIV: 12 years
lipodystrophy, fatigue



Joe Westmoreland

Age: 53
HIV: 27 years
memory loss, fatigue,
peripheral neuropathy
in feet and hands



Doug Turkington

Age: 52
HIV: 20 years
osteoporosis, two
hip replacements



**Cesar
Figueroa /**

Age: 50
HIV: 20 years
Dementia,
neuropathy,
depression



**Mike
Weyand.**

Age: 58
HIV: 20 years
Osteoporosis,
lipodystrophy,
memory loss

NA-ACCORD

North American AIDS Cohort Collaboration on Research and Design

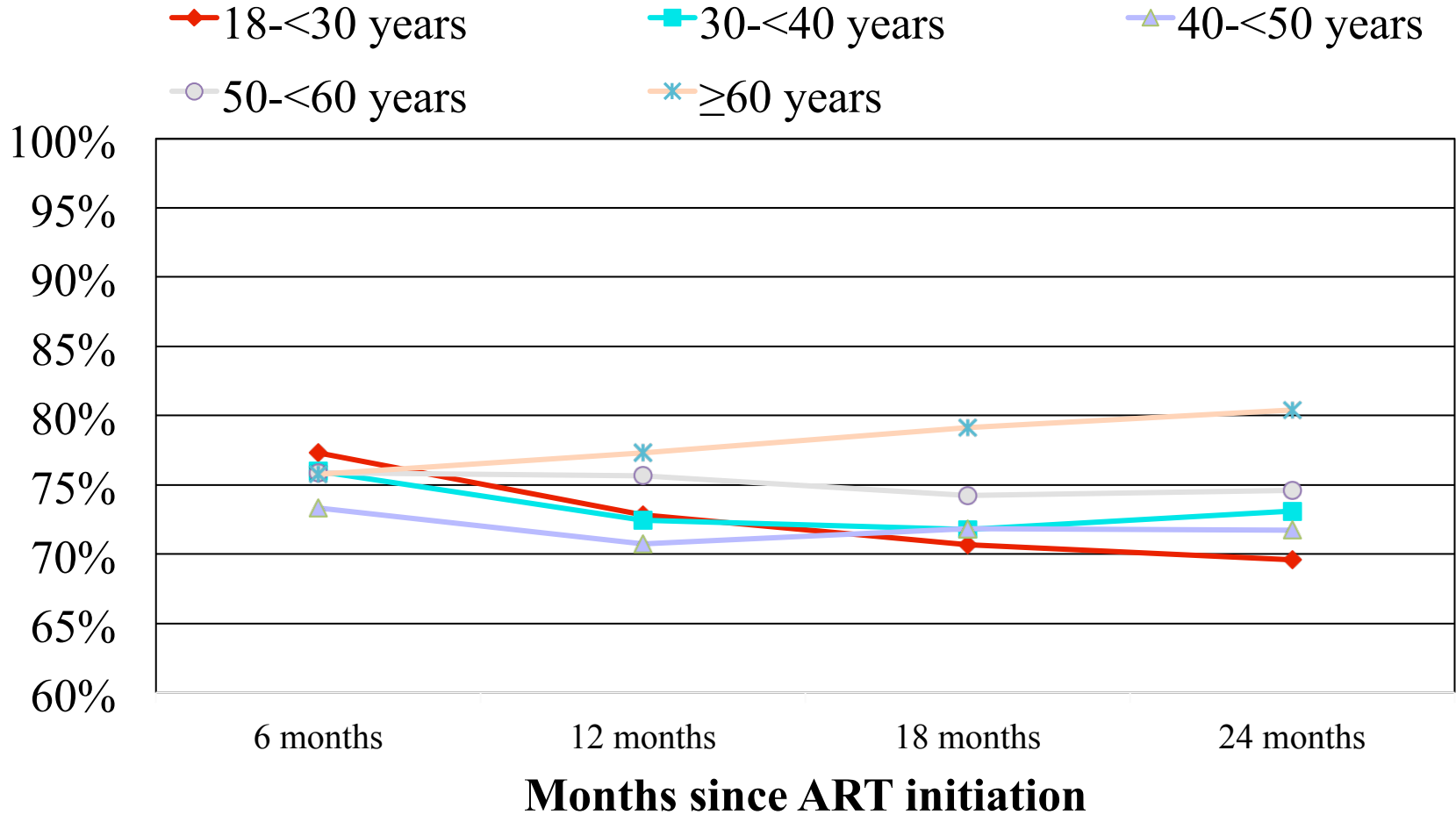
Age	US	NA-ACCORD
18-19	3764	38
20-24	21197	468
25-29	39603	1164
30-34	54895	1863
35-39	83935	3128
40-44	121465	4765
45-49	128546	5455
50-54	94957	4236
55-59	57359	2658
60-64	28141	1345
>64	22103	910

US Trends in ARV Use AIM 157:325-35, 2012

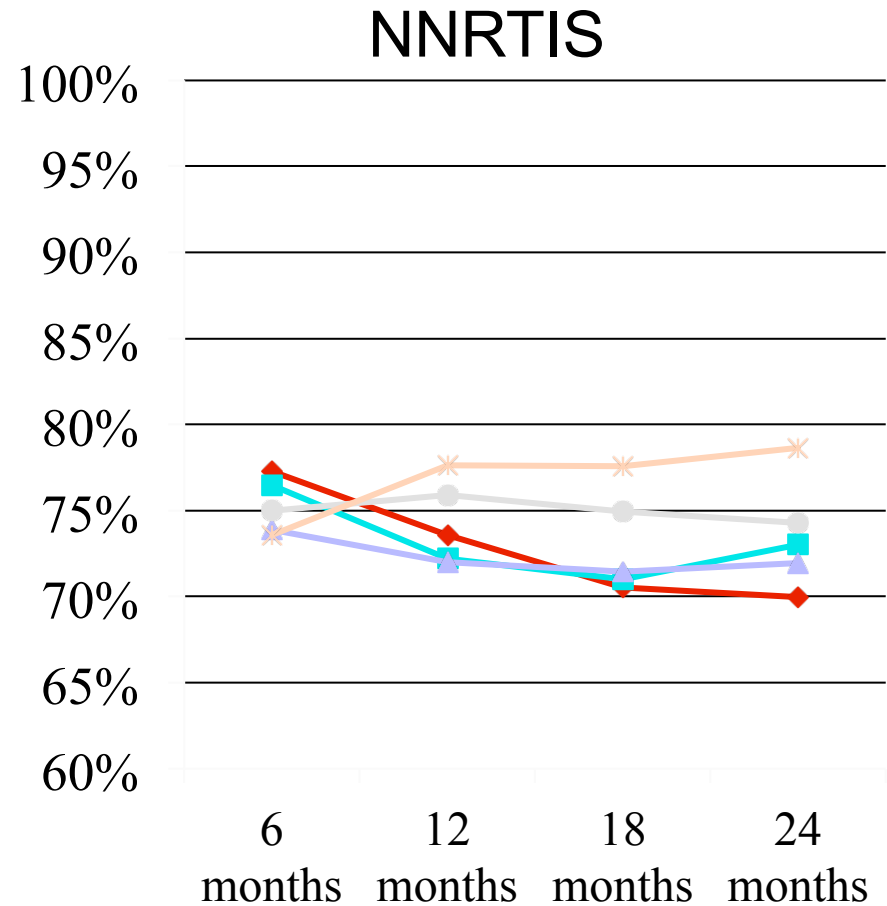
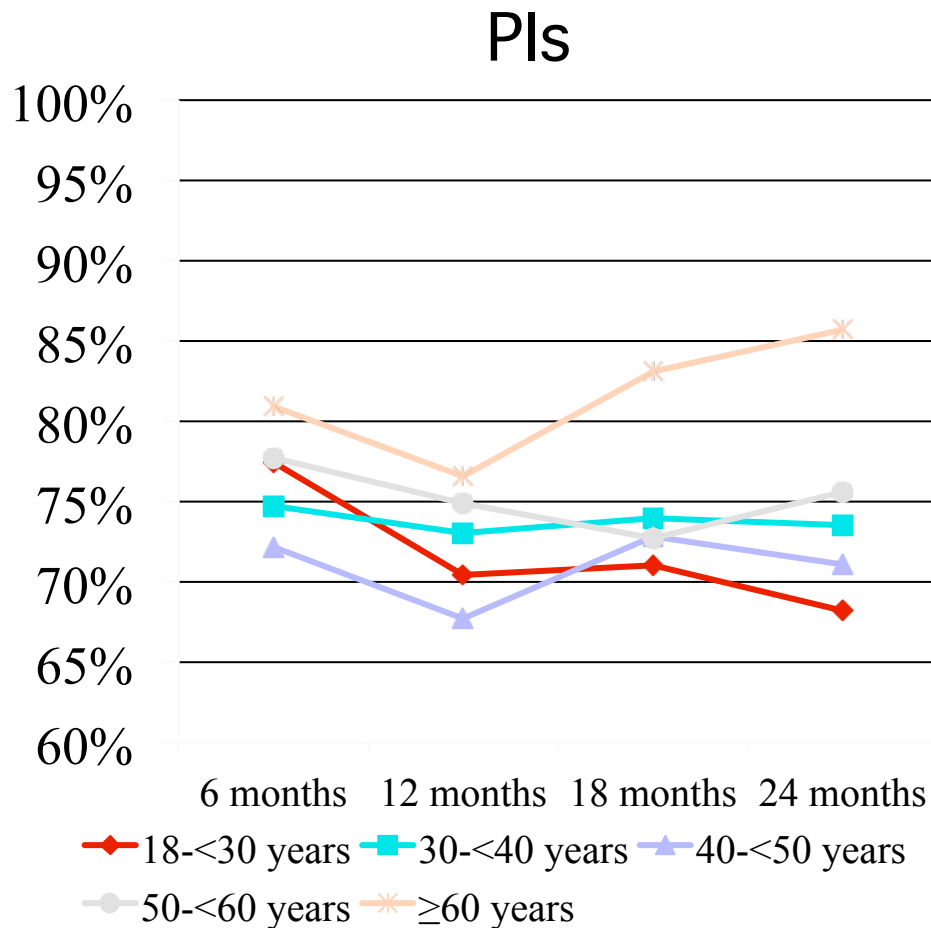
Clinical Outcomes in Older Patients Treated with ART

- Virologic Suppression
- Immunologic Response
- Mortality

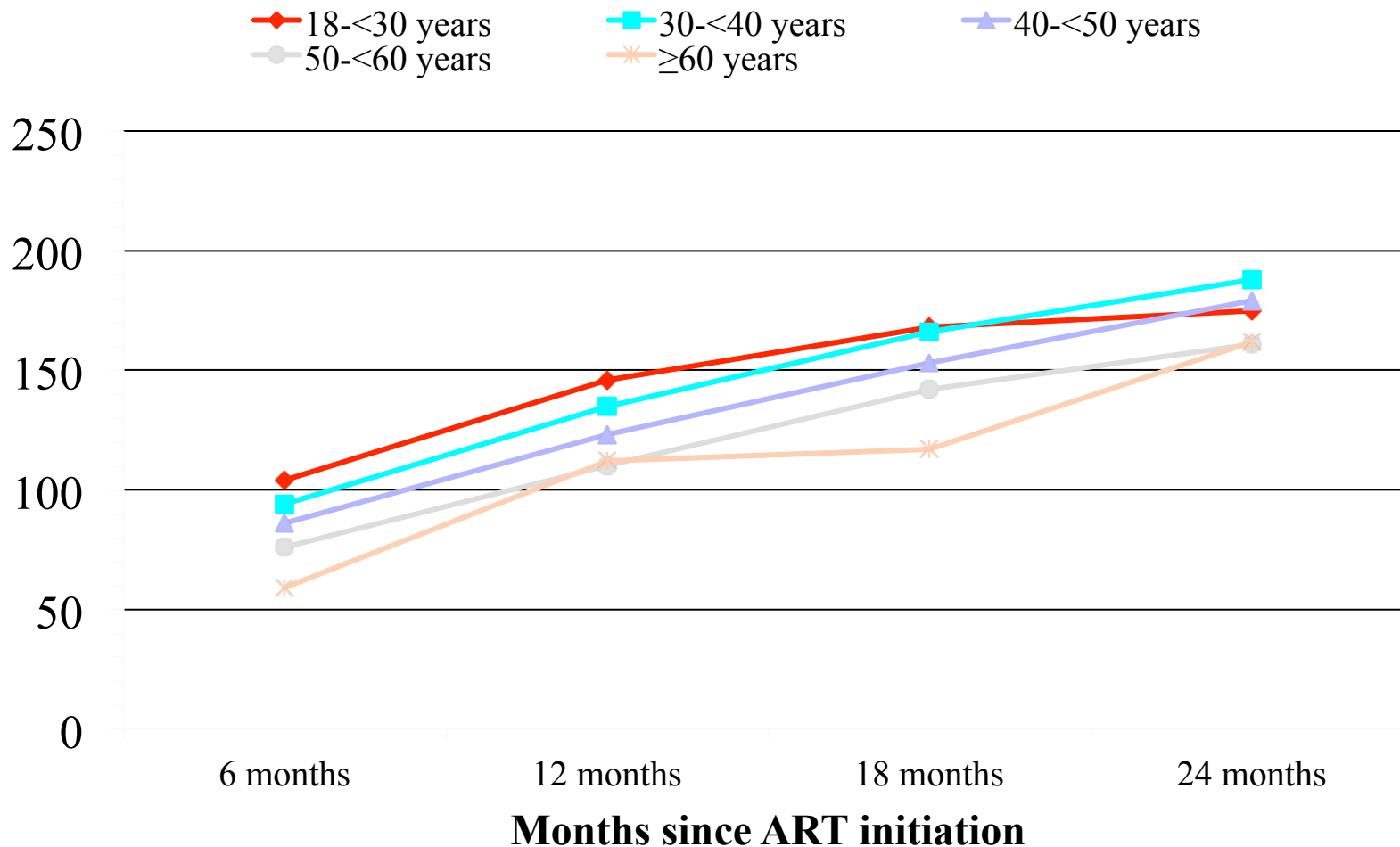
Percent with VL suppression across time by Age



Percent with VL suppression across time by Age group and Regimen

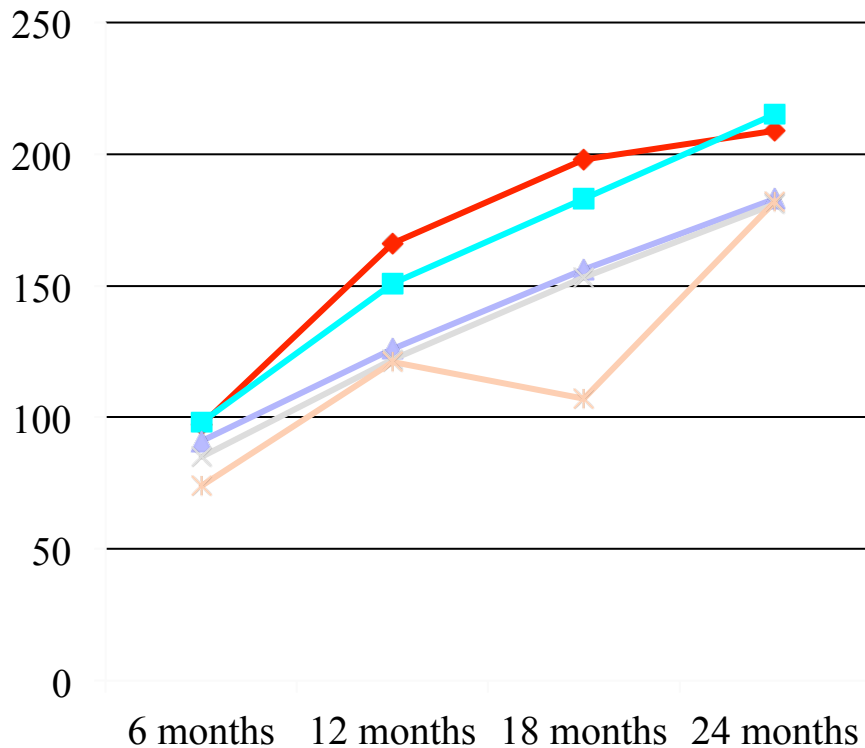


Mean Increase in CD4 by Age 2 years after HAART



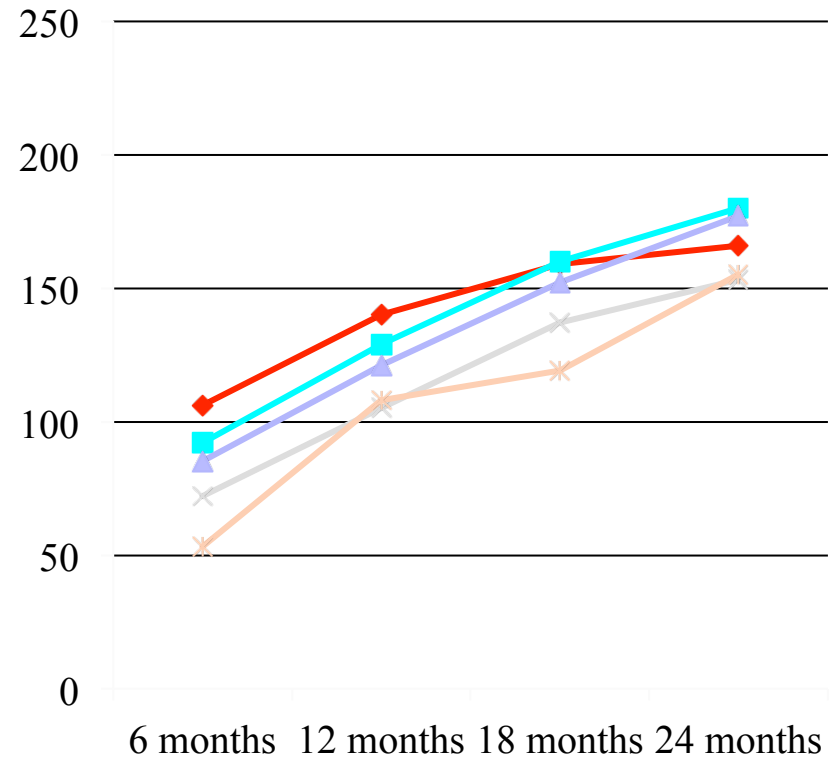
Mean Increase in CD4 by age and regimen

Boosted PIs

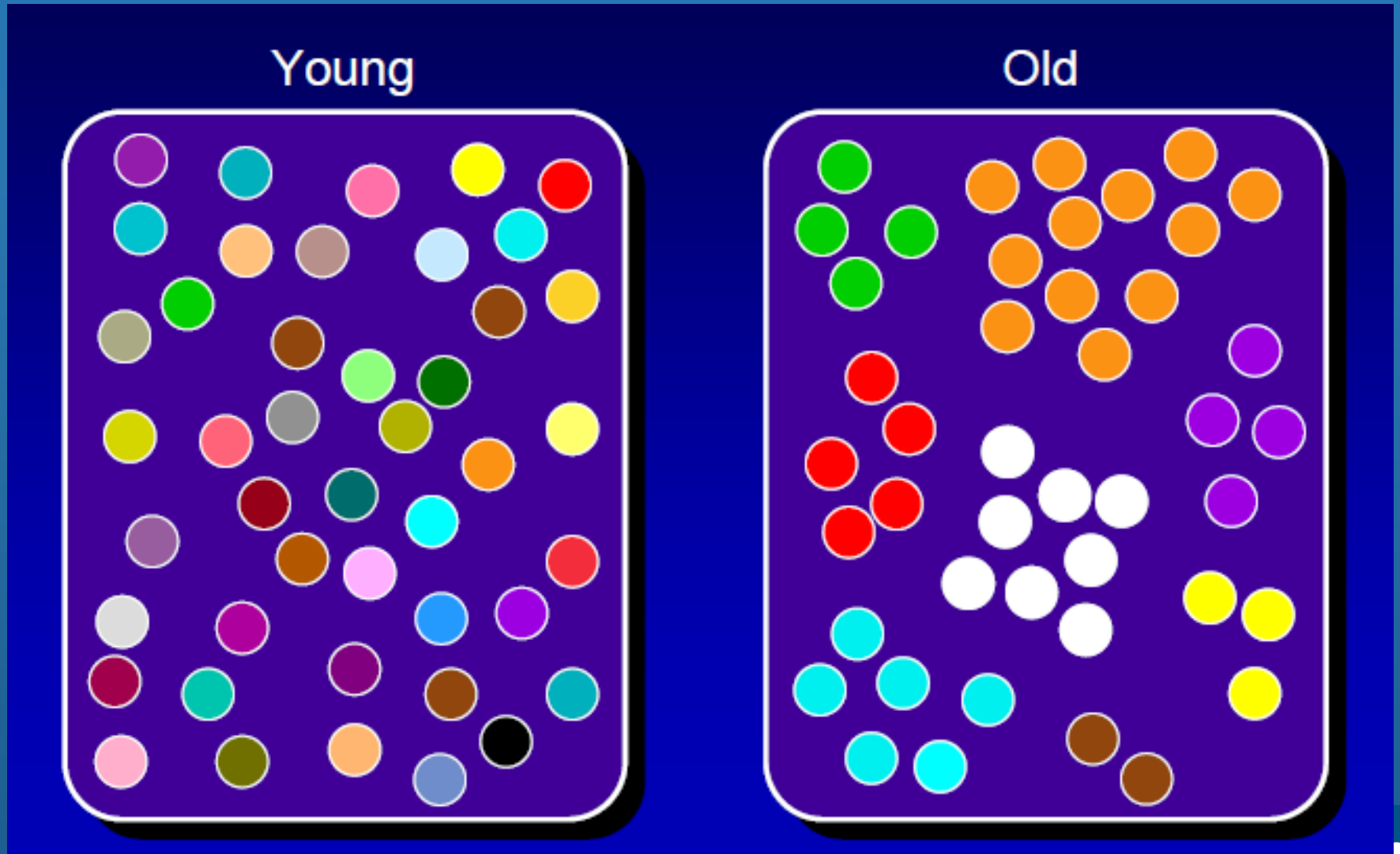


- ◆ 18- < 30 years
- 30- < 40 years
- ▲ 40- < 50 years
- × 50- < 60 years
- * ≥ 60 years

NNRTIs



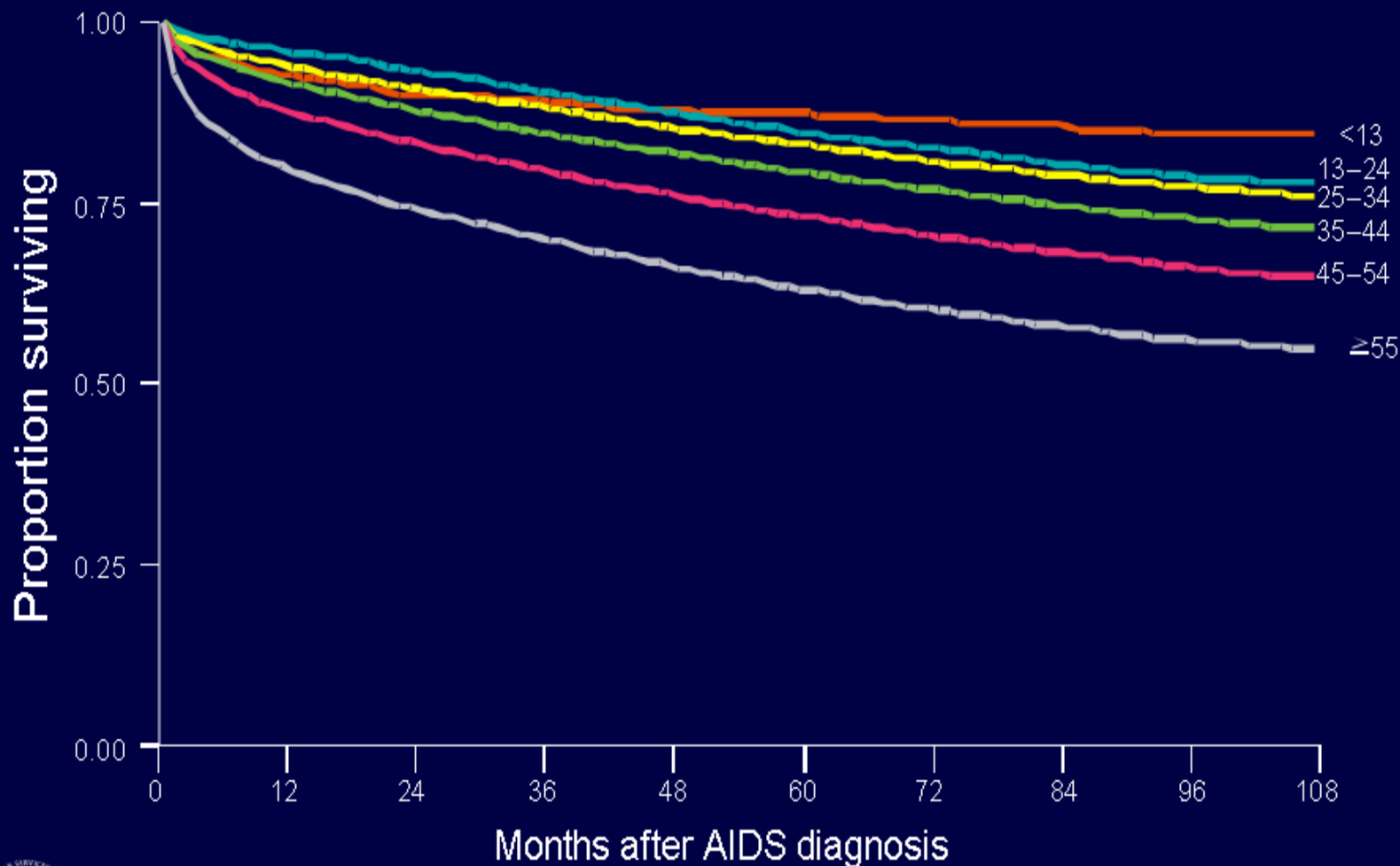
Aging Reduces T cell Diversity



Immunosenescence

- Immune system in older persons
 - Increased populations of terminally differentiated CD8 cells (CD28 negative)
 - Reduced level of naïve CD4 and CD8 cells, with reduced T cell proliferation
 - Increased T cell activation, with increased levels of inflammatory markers
 - Thymic insufficiency / failure
- All are accelerated in HIV

Proportion of Persons Surviving, by Number of Months after AIDS Diagnosis during 1997–2004 and by Age Group—United States and Dependent Areas



HIV Outcomes: What we Know Already

Adherence	Older>Younger
HIV-1 RNA suppression	Older >Younger, doesn't vary by class
CD4 response	Younger>Older
Mortality	Older >Younger, usually due to non HIV causes

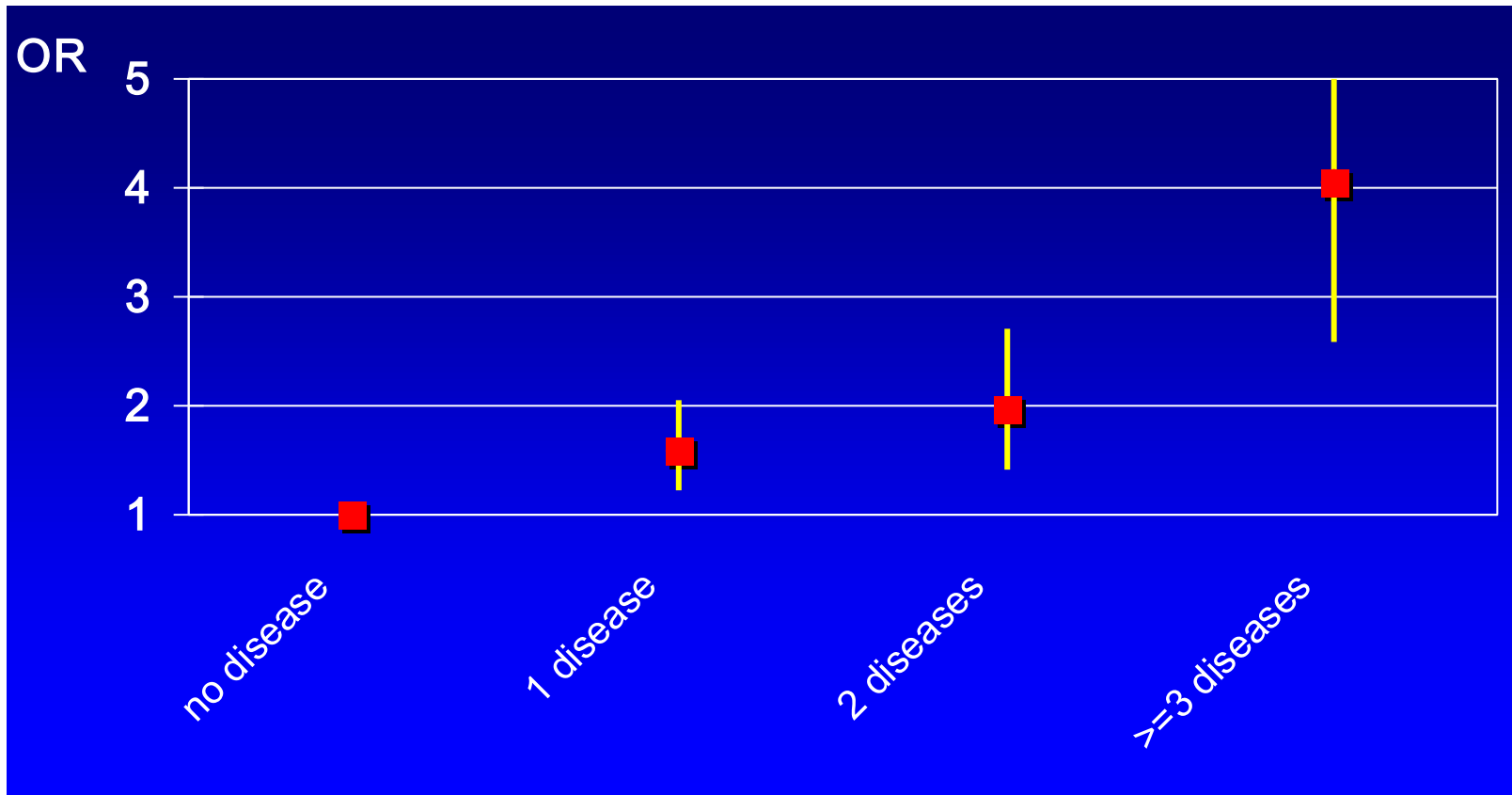
Non HIV Causes of Death Since ~2000

Source	Of Known	Leading Causes (%)	Reference
NY State Death Certificates	26%	Alcohol/drug abuse (31%), CVD (24%), Cancer (21%)	Ann Intern Med 2006;145:397-406
Barcelona Death Certificates	60%	Liver (23%), Infection (14%), Cancer (11%), CVD (6%)	HIV Med 2007;8:251-8
HOPS Ascertainment	63%	Liver (18%), CVD (18%), Pulmonary (16%), Renal (12%), GI (11%), Infection (10%) Cancer (8%)	J Acquir Immune Defic Syndr 2006;43:27-34
Cascade Ascertainment	63%	Liver (20%), Infections (24%), Unintentional (33%), Cancer (10%), CVD (9%)	AIDS 2006; 20;741-9

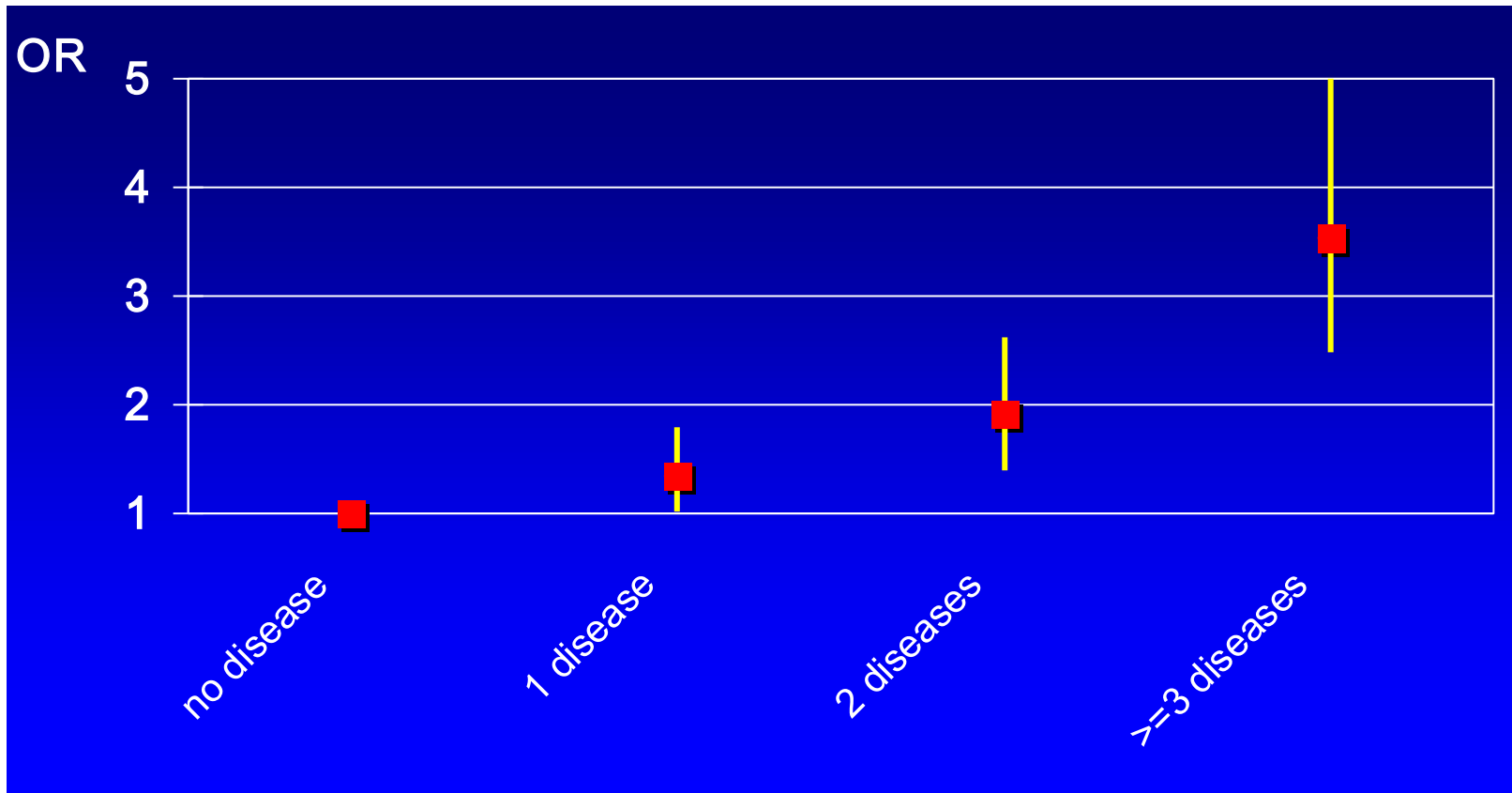
Definitions

- Comorbidity: additional diseases beyond the index disease
- Multimorbidity: co-occurrence of diseases and functional consequences (the whole is worse than sum of the parts) = the aggregate burden of illness
- Age, several conditions, function/cognition

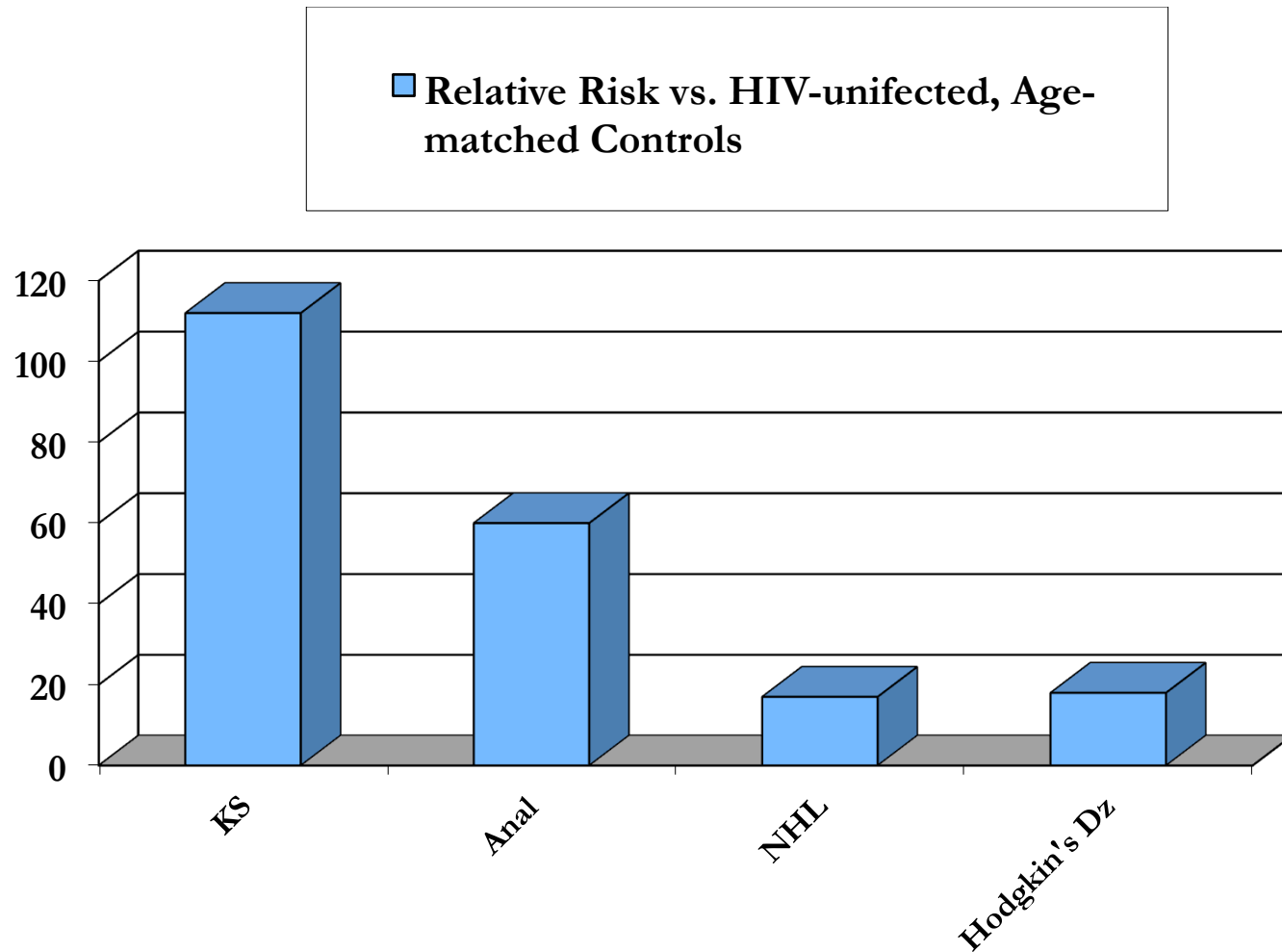
Impact of multimorbidity on 3-year decline in physical functioning



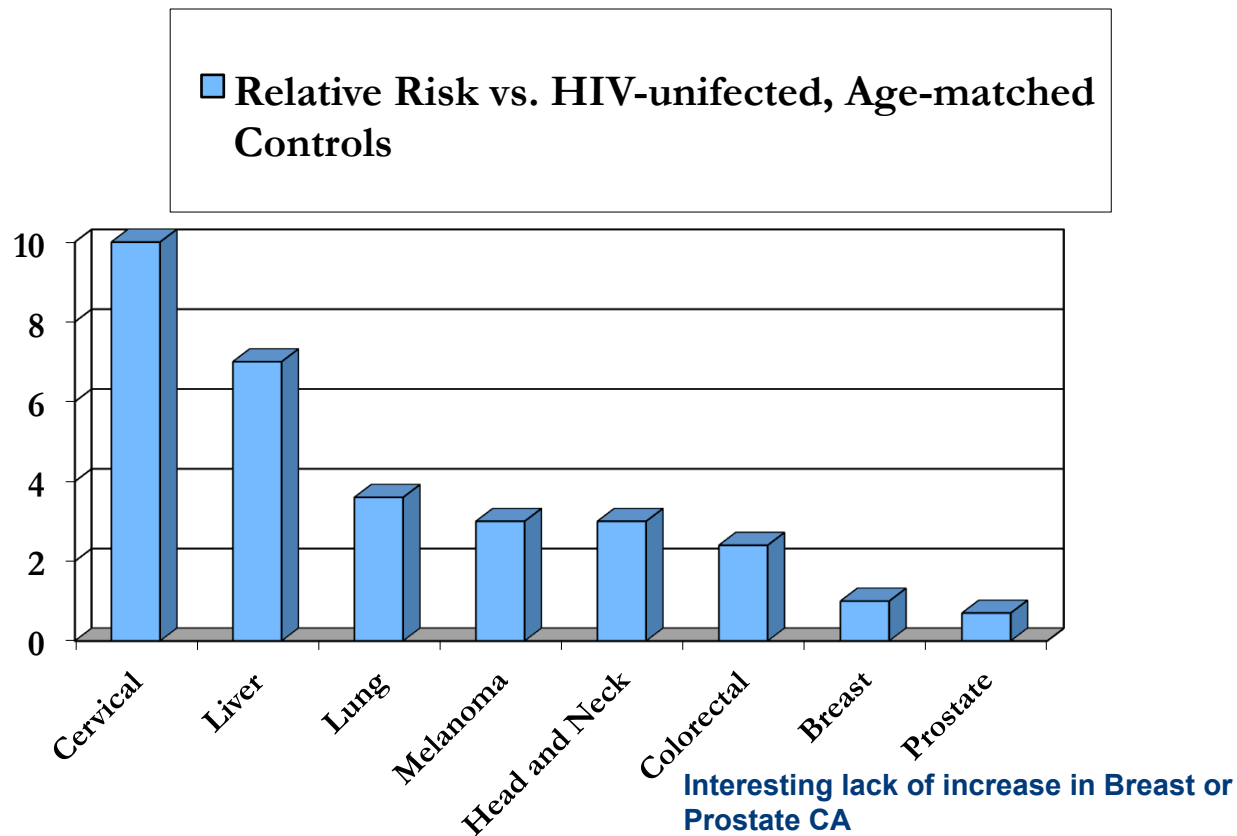
Impact of multimorbidity on 3-year mortality



Incidence of Cancer in HIV-Infected Persons in the Post-HAART Era



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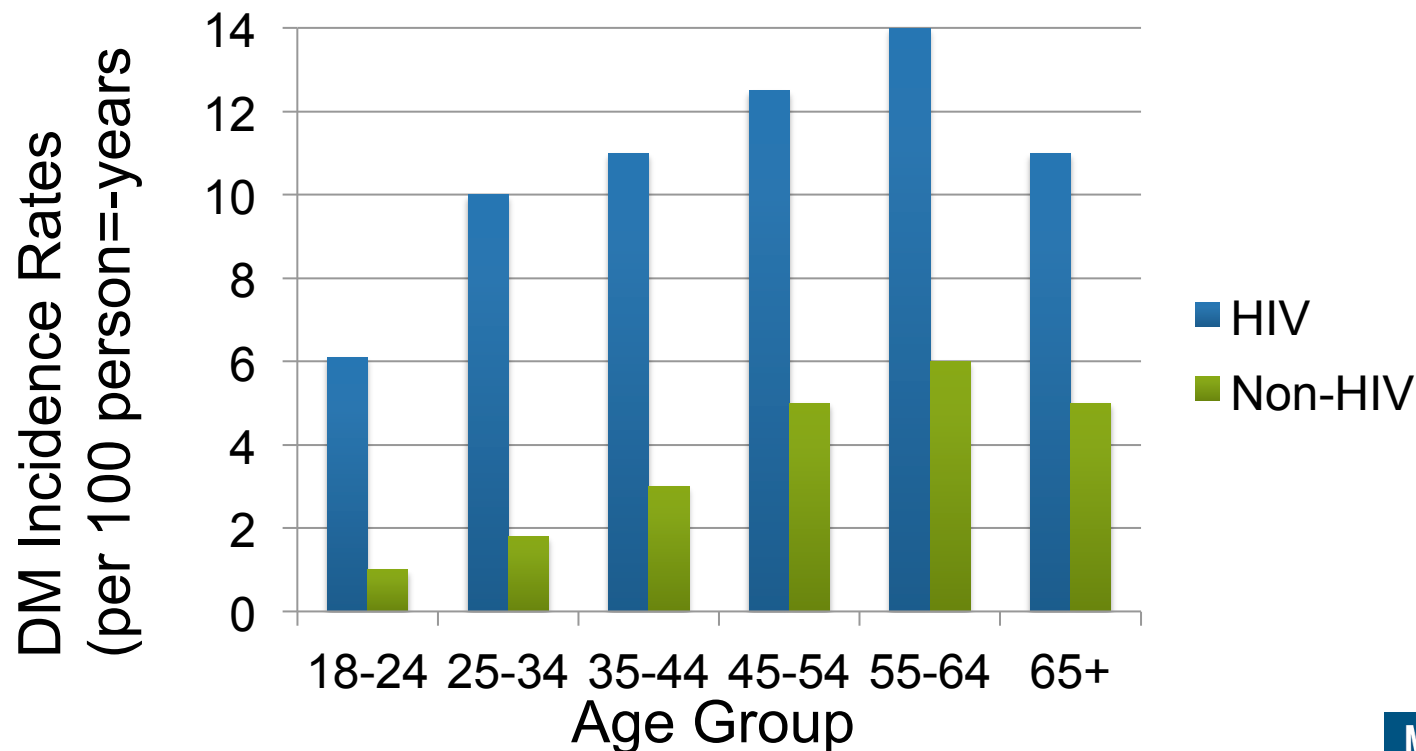
Age at cancer diagnosis among people with AIDS and in the general population 1980-2006

	Observed	Expected in age adjusted group	P value
Cervical	39	41	.03
Rectal	46	51	.002
Lung	49	53	.001
Hodgkin's	41	38	<.001
Breast	44.5	45	.2
Prostate	59	59	.5

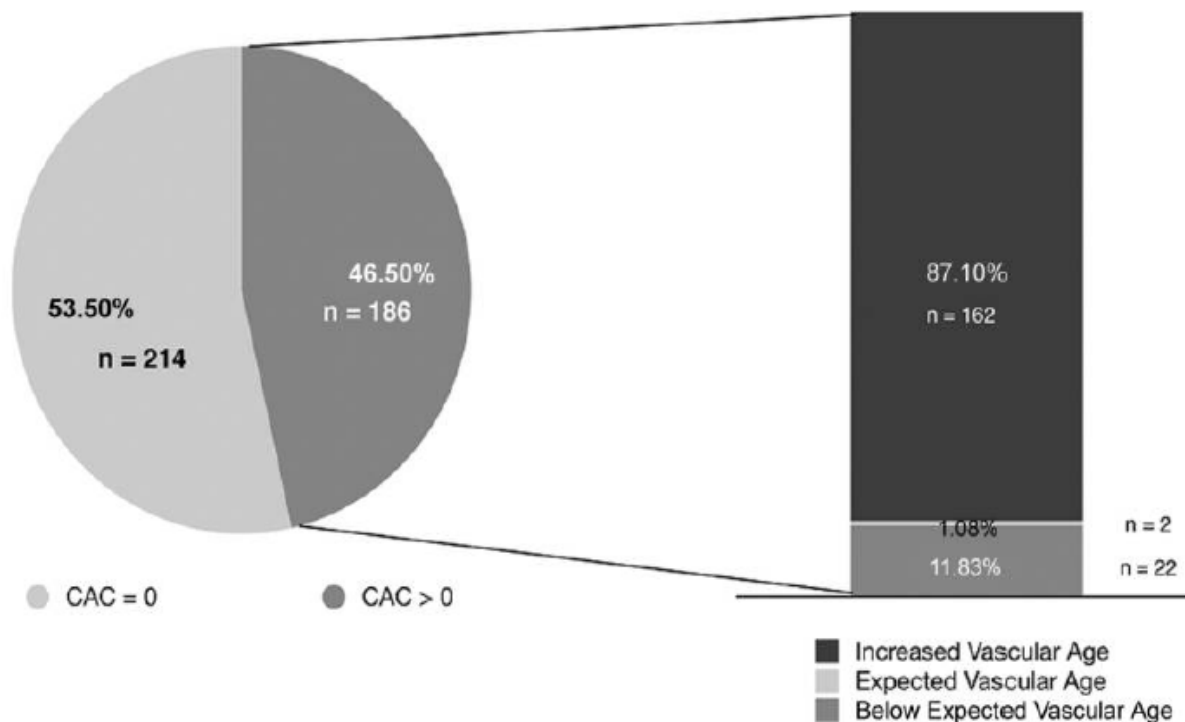
For most cancers: there is no difference in age at cancer diagnosis among persons with AIDS compared to the general population.

Increasing Prevalence in Diabetes With Age in Both HIV-Infected and Non-Infected Populations

- Medi-Cal database July 1994–June 2000 examined for diabetes mellitus (DM) age-specific incidence rates (DM diagnosed by ICD-9 codes)
- 7219 HIV (61% male) and 2,792,971 non-HIV (30% male) individuals, for a total 7,101,180 person-years



Accelerated Coronary Aging in HIV-infected patients > age 40 (avg. ART ~ 11 yrs)

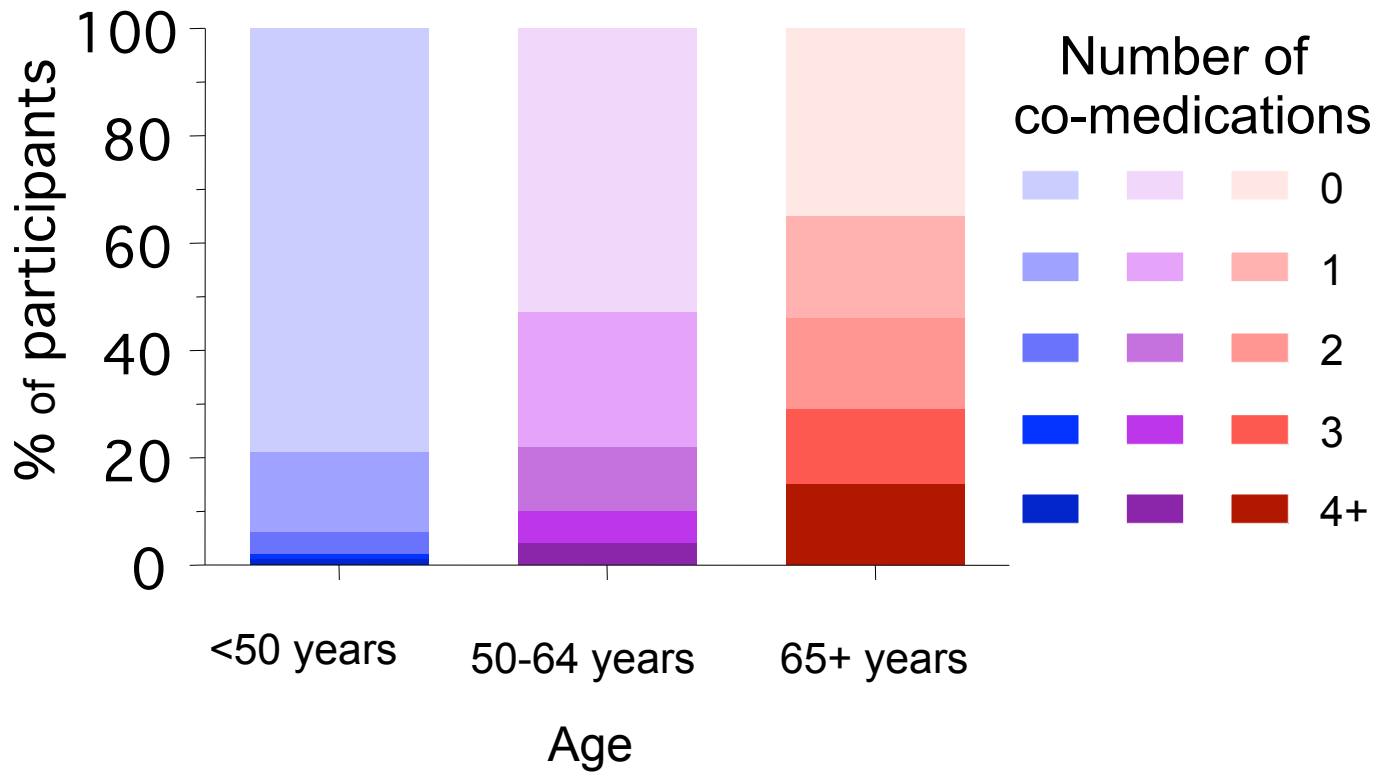


Avg vascular age
15 yrs >
chronologic age

Thus Increased
Arterial Calcium

Increased Risk
Factor Profiles =
Increased CAD

Number of non-HIV meds by age



Neurologic Issues in HIV and Aging

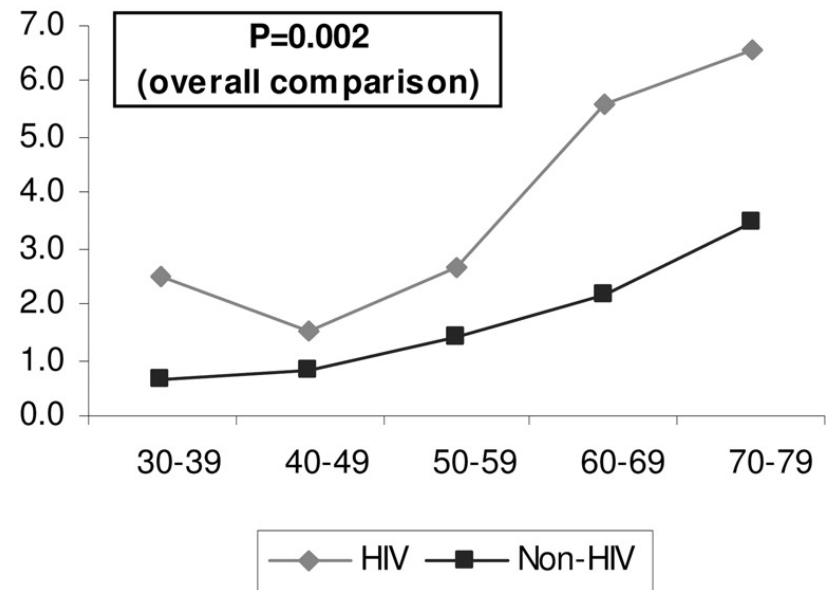
- In patients enrolled in the Hawaii Aging HIV Cohort:
 - HIV-associated dementia 2x greater in subjects age ≥ 50 vs those age 20-39 (OR 2.13 [1.02-4.44])
 - Increased Risk of HAD remains significant after adjustment for ART, HIV-1 RNA, CD4, education, race, drug use, and Beck Depression Inventory score (OR 3.26, [1.32-8.07])

Endocrinologic Morbidity

- **Testosterone Deficiency:** 54% of HIV-infected patients had testosterone <300 ng/dL.
- Low androgen levels were associated with increasing age, HIV+ IDU, HCV+ and use of psychotropic medications
- **Menopause:** Occurs at younger age in HIV infection average age 46 (IQR 39-49)
- Associated with increased symptoms of estrogen withdrawal

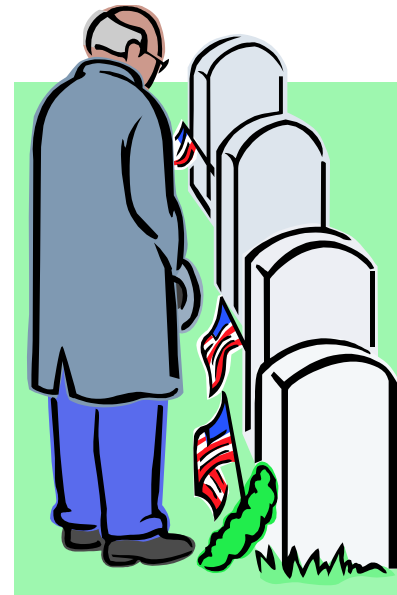
BMD is lower and Fracture Prevalence is higher in HIV infection

- BMD lower in HIV+ men at the femoral neck ($p < .05$) and lumbar spine ($p = 0.06$);
- Differences significant after adjusting for age, weight, race, testosterone level, and prednisone and IDU
- A 38% increase in fracture rate among HIV+ men



Psychosocial Issues

- Isolation
- Lack of support
- Financial issues
- DPOA /
Directives



Eras of the HIV Epidemic

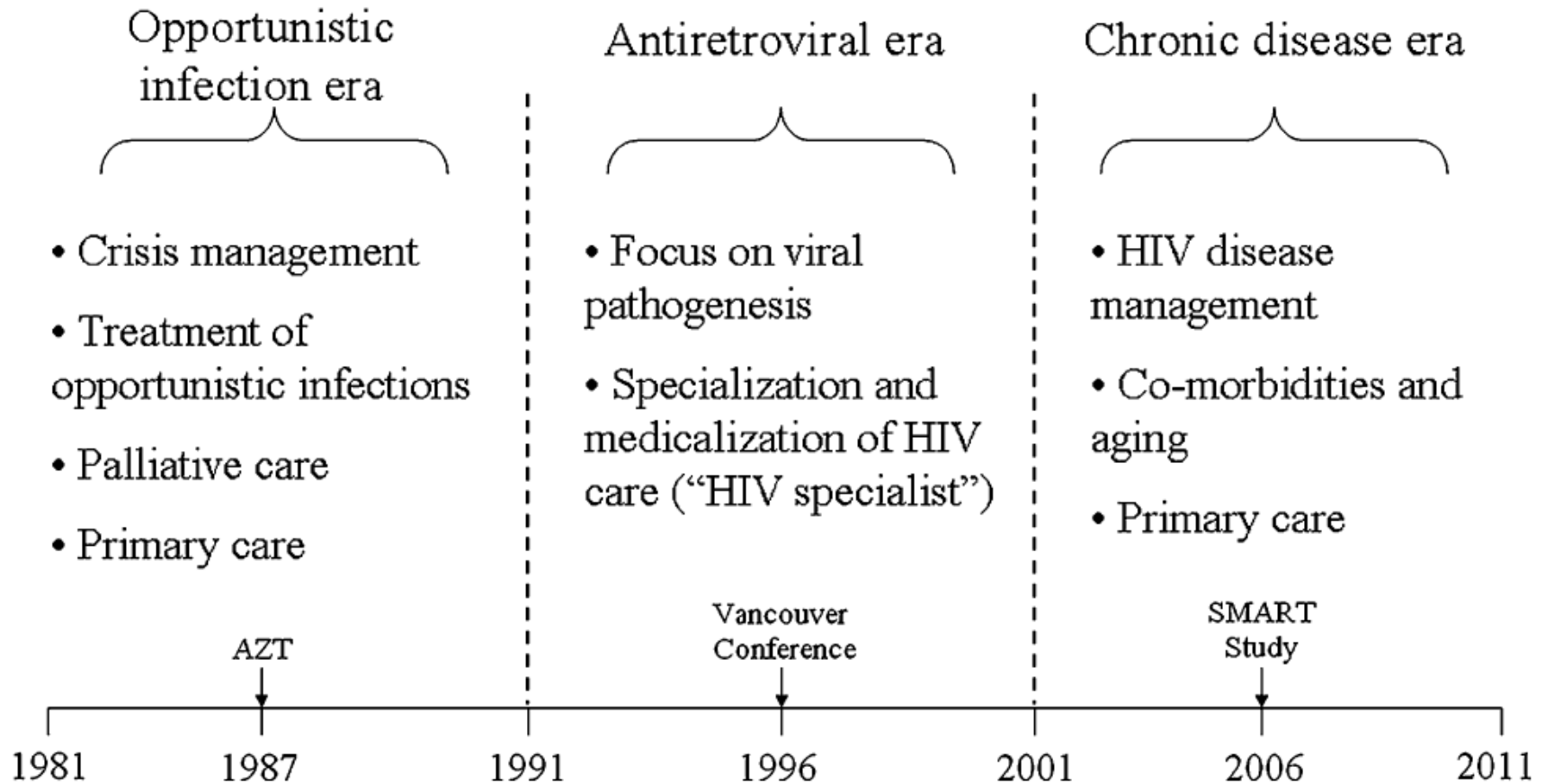


FIGURE 1. The HIV/AIDS epidemic: major clinical themes over 3 distinct eras, 1981–2011.

Conclusions

- HIV / AIDS in US is increasingly an older population
- Compared to younger patients, older HIV patients have:
 - Better virologic response, Less immunologic boost, Shortened survival
- Comorbid disease is prevalent
- Psychosocial issues and advanced directives are important, especially in the setting of multi-morbidity

Resources

- <http://aidsinfo.nih.gov/guidelines>
- <http://www.aahivm.org/hivandagingforum>
- <http://www.americangeriatrics.org>
- Summary Report from the HIV & Aging Consensus Project: Treatment Strategies for Clinicians Managing Older Individuals with HIV Infection. JAGS 60:974-9, 2012
- Patient-Centered Care for Older Adults with Multiple Chronic Conditions. JAGS 60:1957-68, 2012