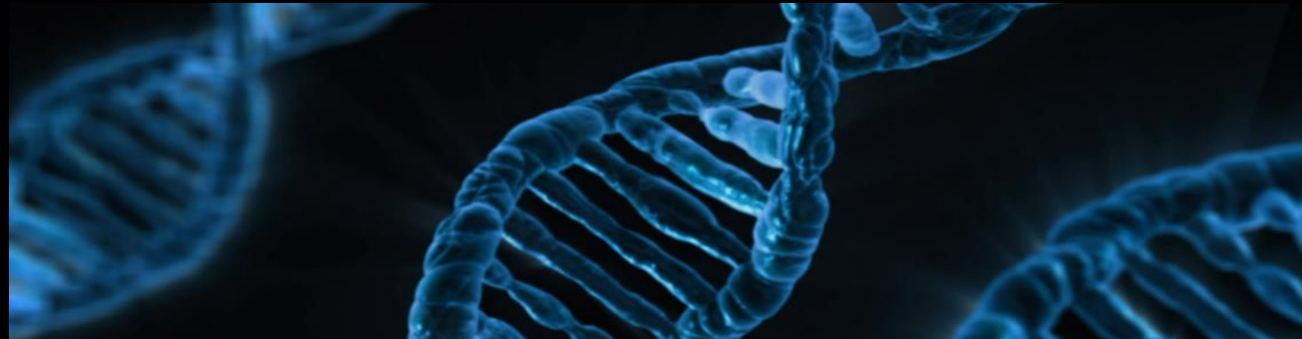


Pharmacogenetics

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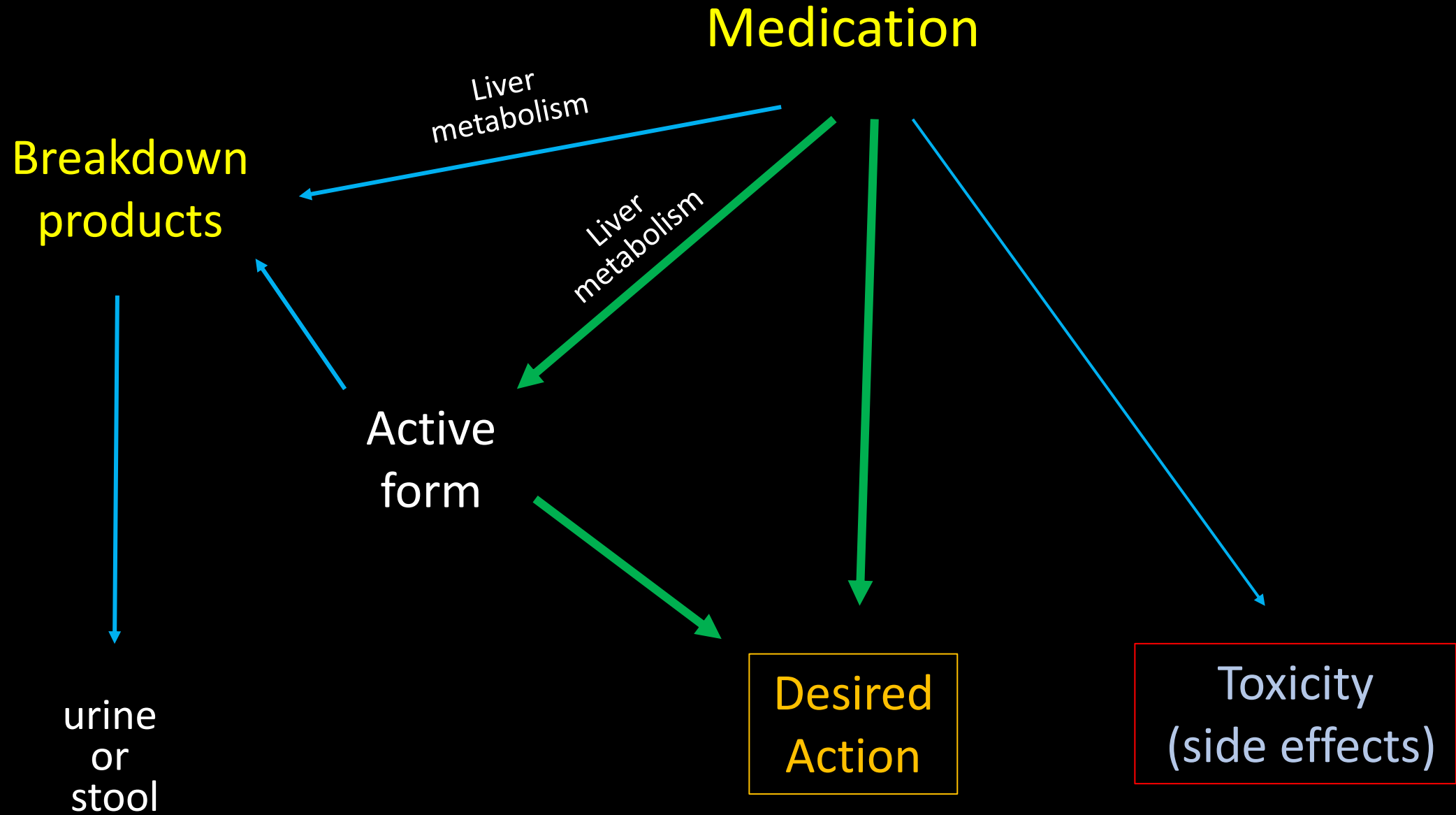
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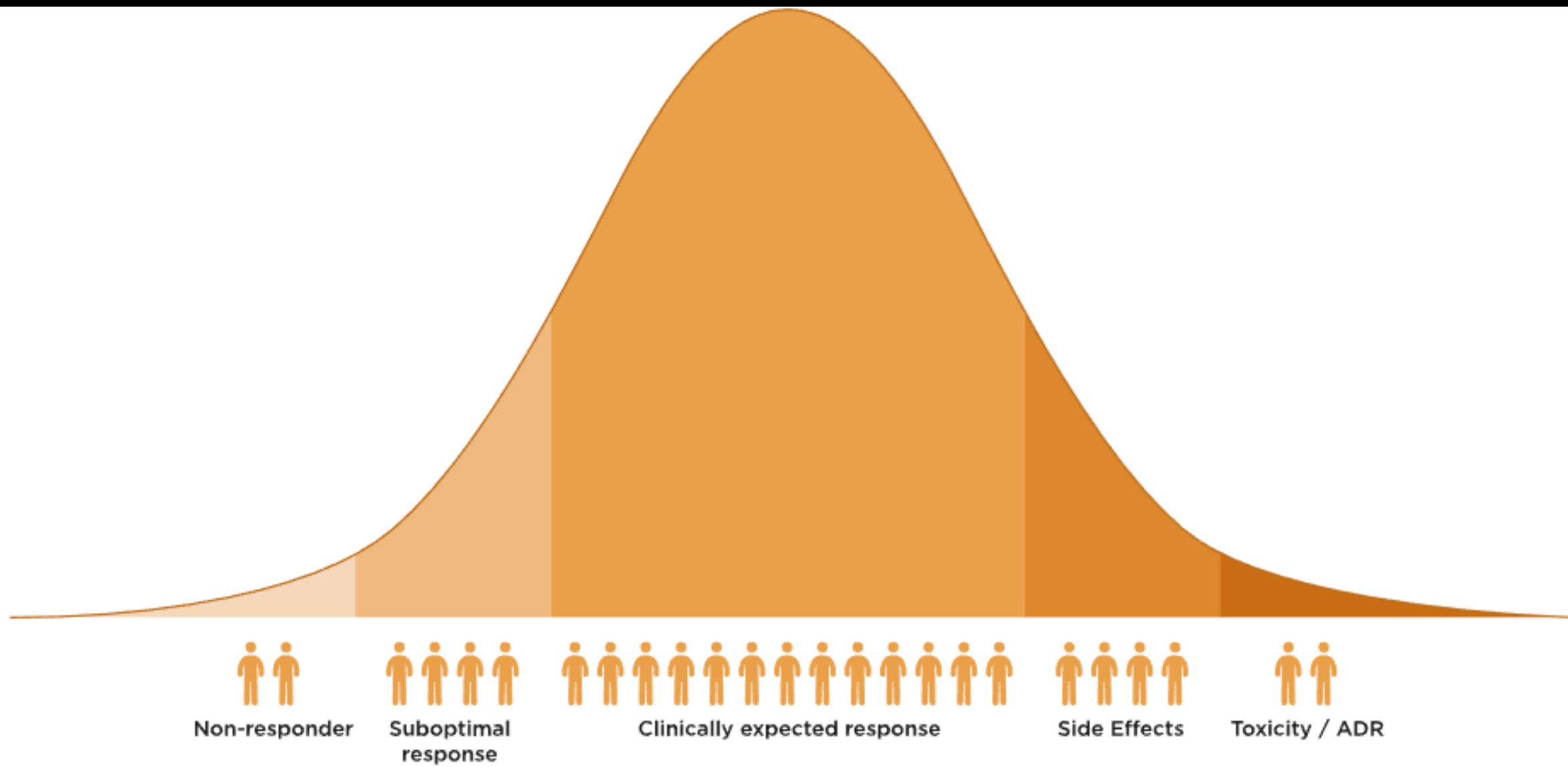
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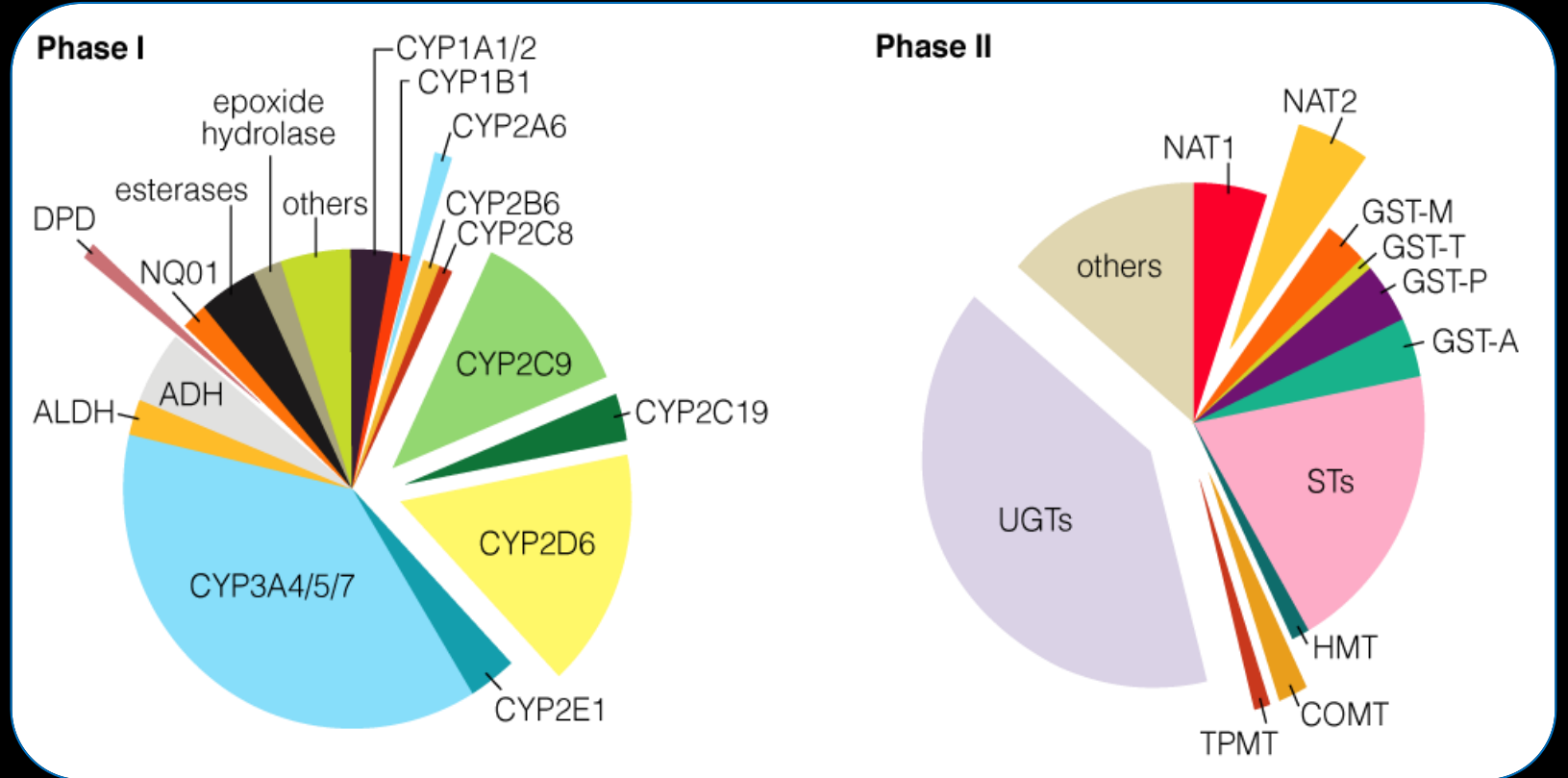
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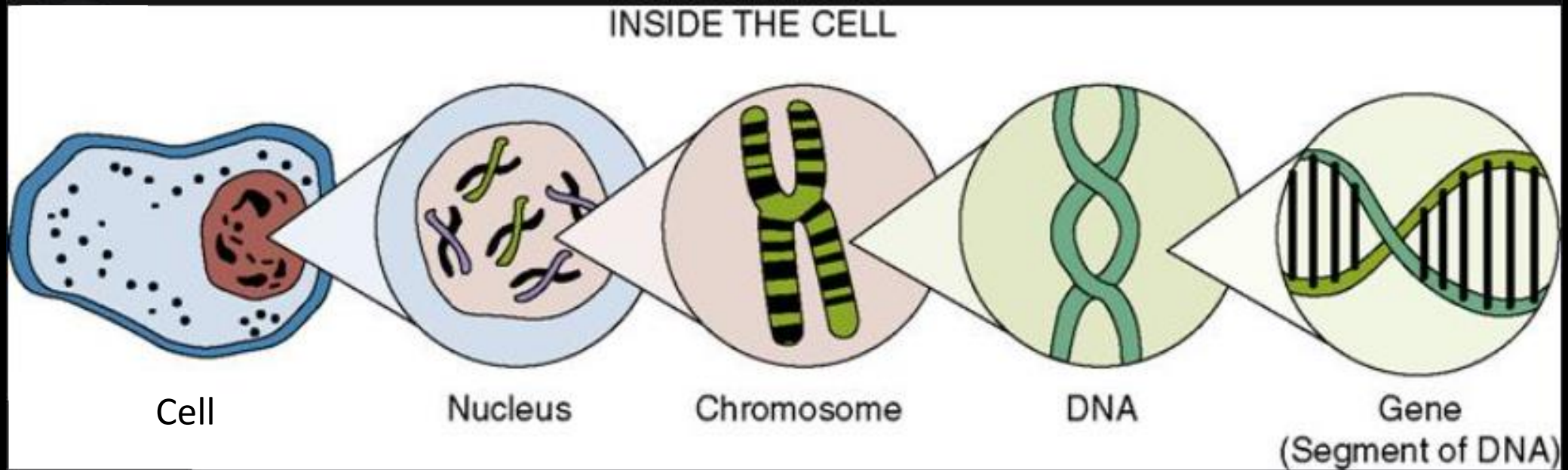




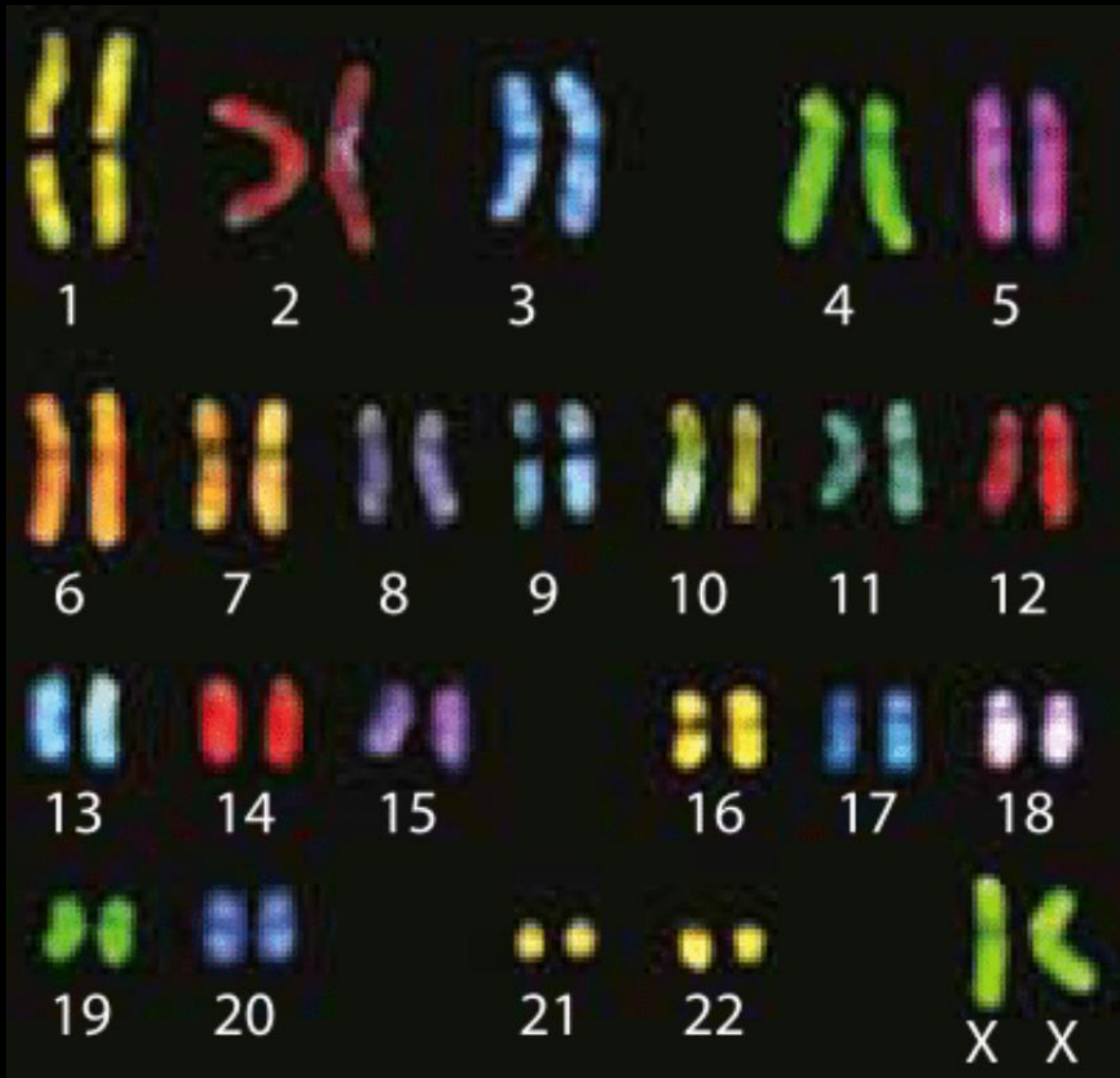


The liver is filled with various enzymes coded for by our DNA that are responsible for influencing drug effects.

Most of these enzymes are responsible for metabolism of drugs.

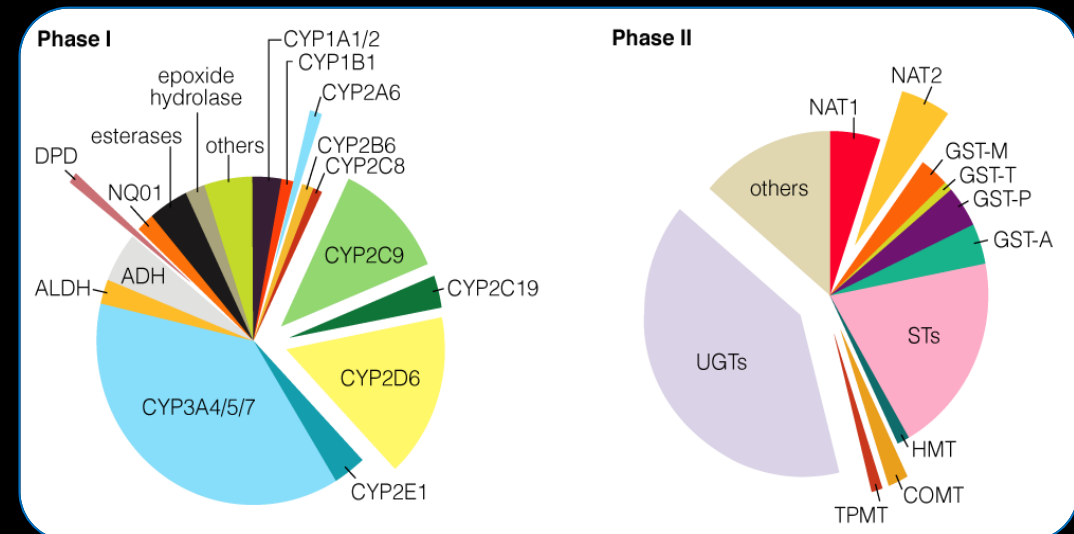


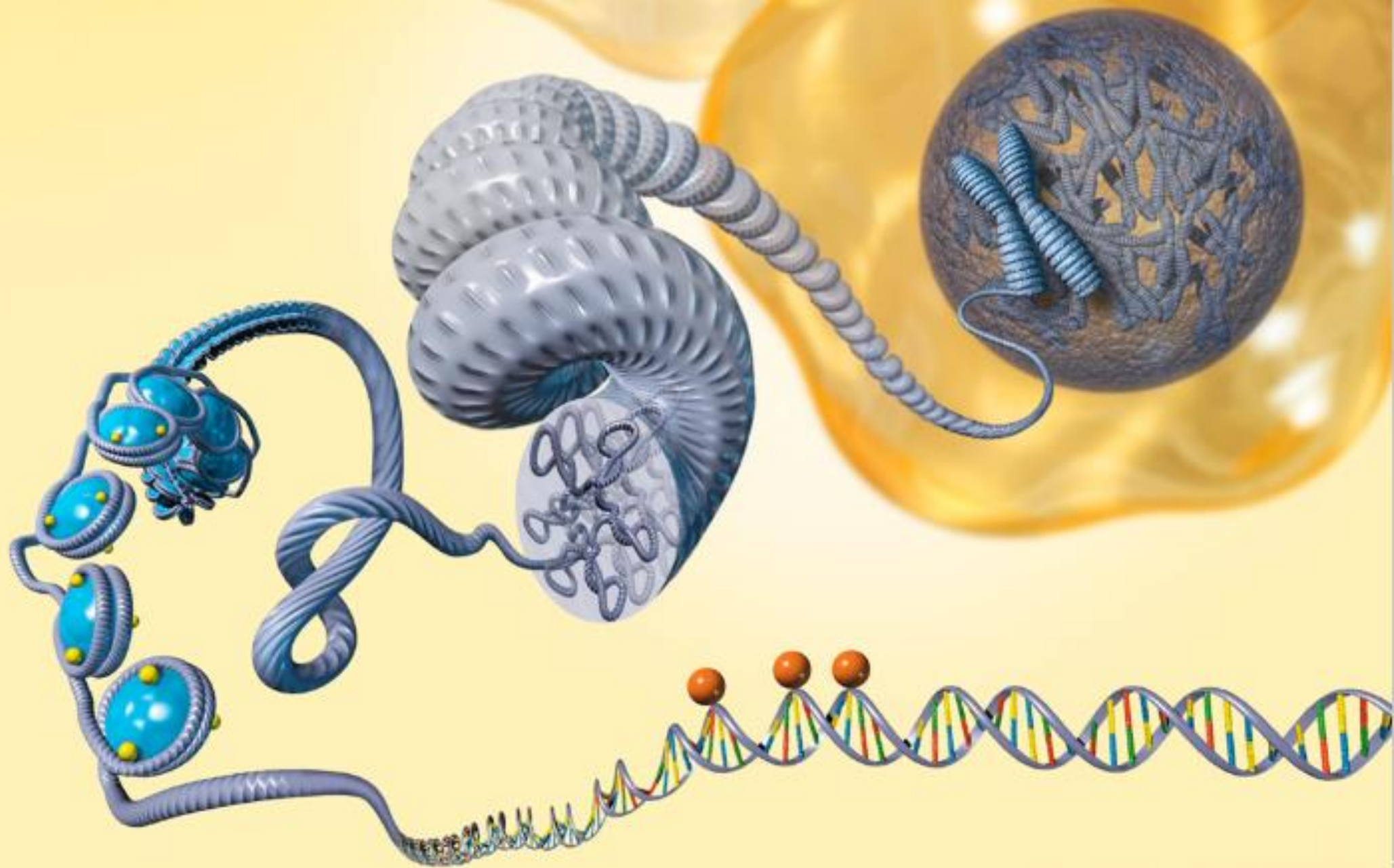
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240 billion cells
in adult liver

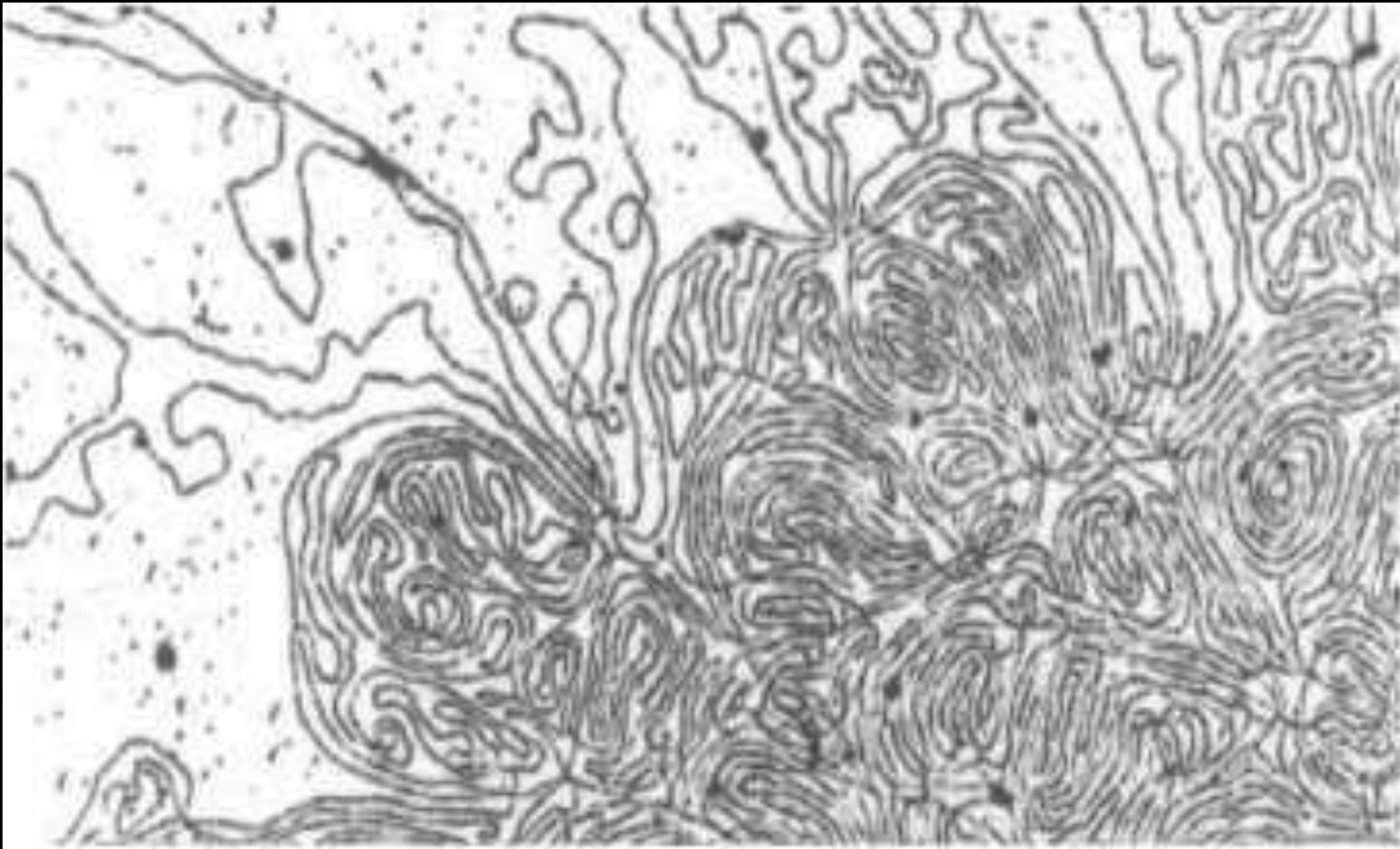


Each of us has 23 pairs of chromosomes.

For each pair, we inherit one from our father, and one from mother.



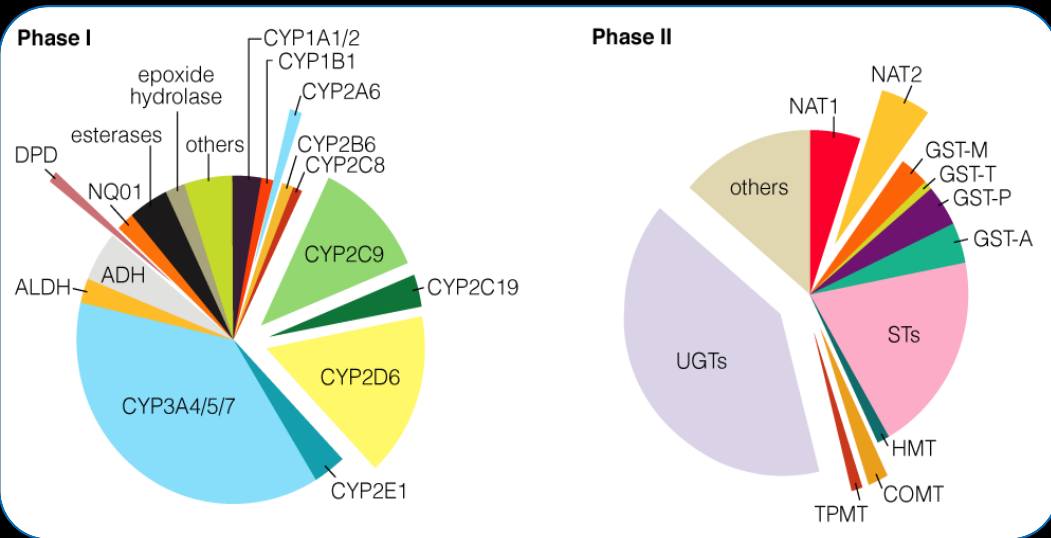




DNA in cells normally is uncoiled when the cell is not dividing.

We have about 30 trillion cells in our body, and each cell contains about 6.5 feet of DNA.

Each person has a total of 93 million miles of DNA in their body, enough to stretch from earth to the sun.



Normal variation in genes in population

Many genes are "polymorphic" - variations are commonly found in a population.

CYP2D6
(example)

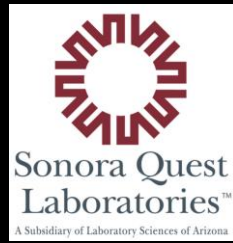
Rapid or Ultrarapid metabolizer

Normal (extensive) metabolizer

Intermediate metabolizer

Poor metabolizer

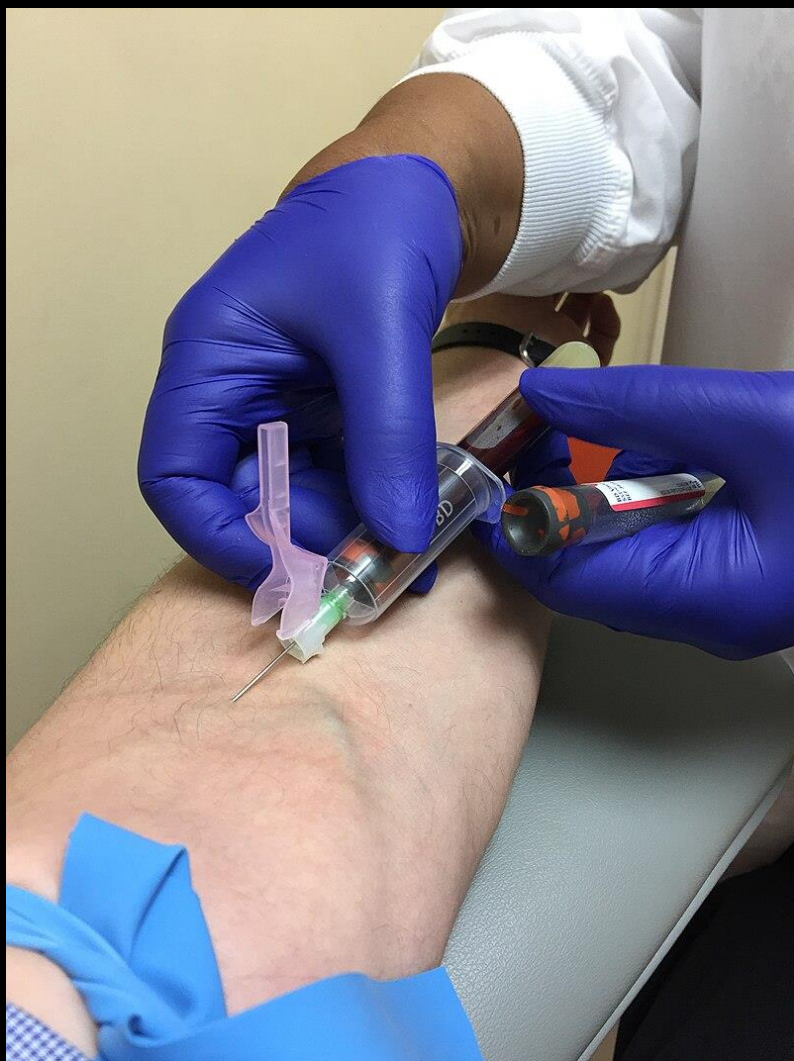
SQL PGx Panel



- 22 Genes
- >120 genetic mutations/variations



	SQL
ABCB1	3
CYP1A2	10
CYP2B6	10
CYP2C	1
CYP2C9	16
CYP2C19	15
CYP2D6	29
CYP2D6 deletions/CNV	Yes
CYP2D6 Hybrids	Yes
CYP2D6 distal enhancer (WBP2NL)	Yes
CYP3A4	6
CYP3A5	7
CYP4F2	1
DPYD	5
IFNL3	1
NAT2	5
NUDT15	2
RARG	1
SLC28A3	1
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UGT1A6	1
UGT2B15	1
VKORC1	2

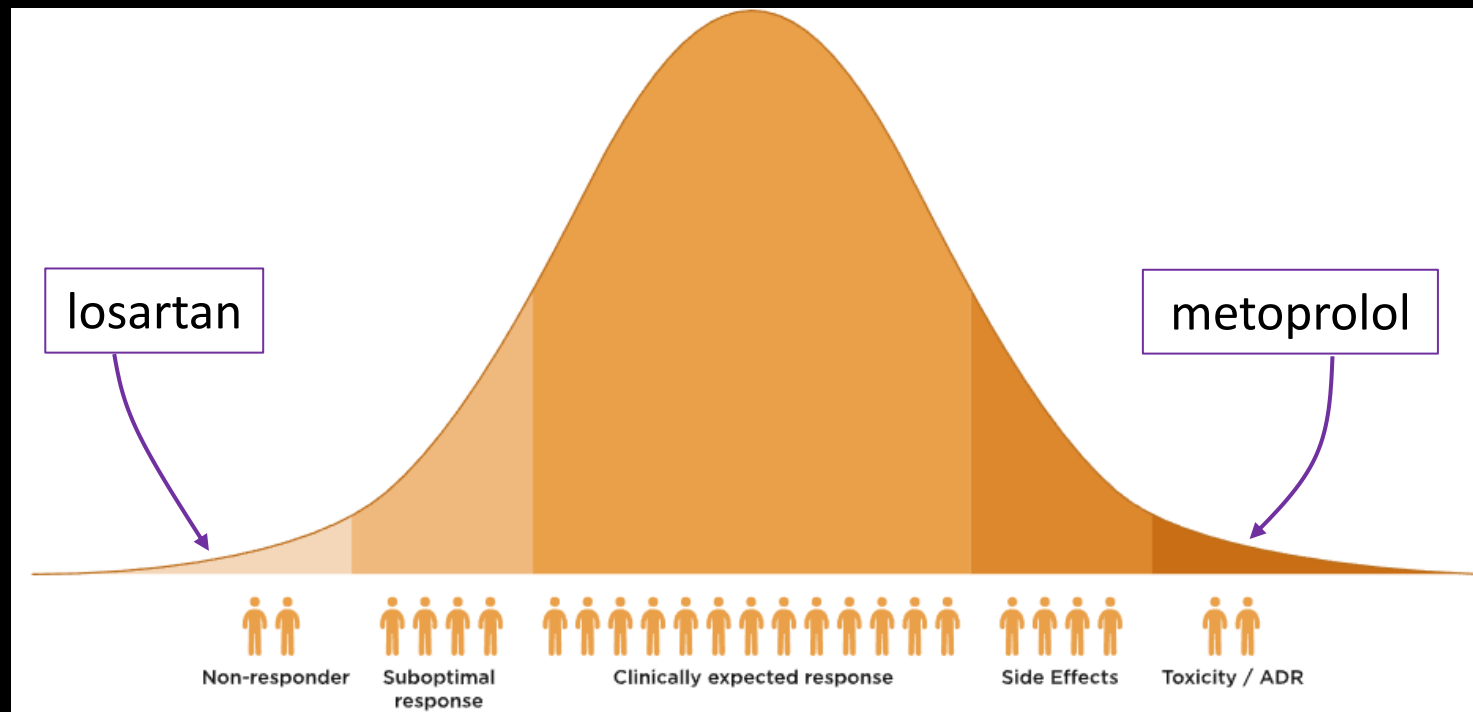


Woman with Hypertension

51-year-old woman with hypertension failed to respond to *losartan*.

She was switched to *metoprolol* and 4 days later presented to the hospital after fainting, low blood pressure and heart rate = 32/min.

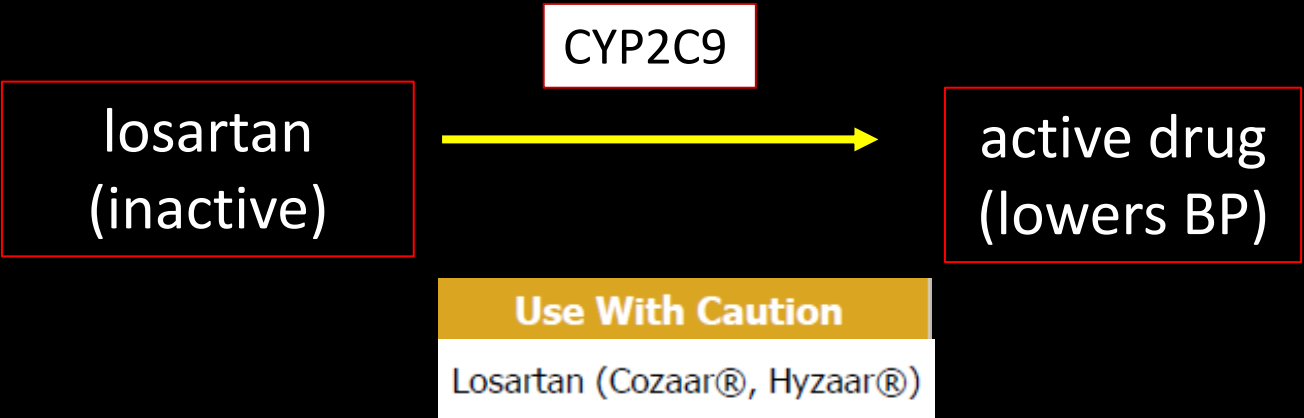
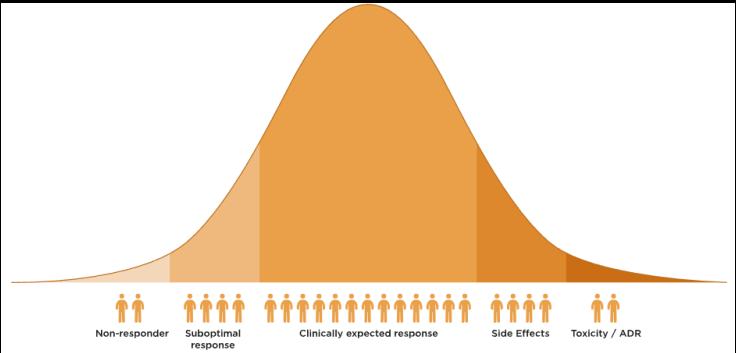
Discharged after 4 day of hospitalization.



51-year-old woman with essential hypertension failed to respond to losartan.

She was switched to metoprolol and 4 days later presented to the hospital with syncope, heart rate = 32/min, systolic BP 80.

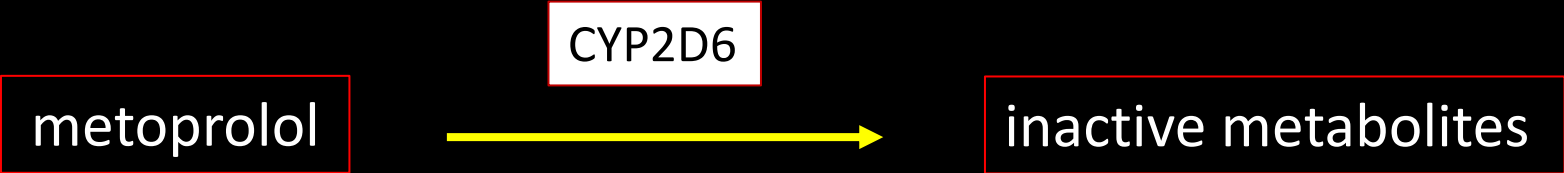
Gene	Genotype	Phenotype
CYP1A2	*1F/*1V	Normal Metabolizer- Possible Inducibility
CYP2B6	*1/*1	Normal Metabolizer
CYP2C19	*1/*1	Normal Metabolizer
CYP2C9	*1/*3	Intermediate Metabolizer
CYP2D6	*4/*5	Poor Metabolizer
CYP3A4	*1/*1	Normal Metabolizer
CYP3A5	*3/*3	Poor Metabolizer
DPYD	*1/*1	Normal Metabolizer
SLCO1B1	521T>C T/T	Normal Function
UGT2B15	*1/*1	Normal Metabolizer
VKORC1	-1639G>A G/A	Intermediate Warfarin Sensitivity



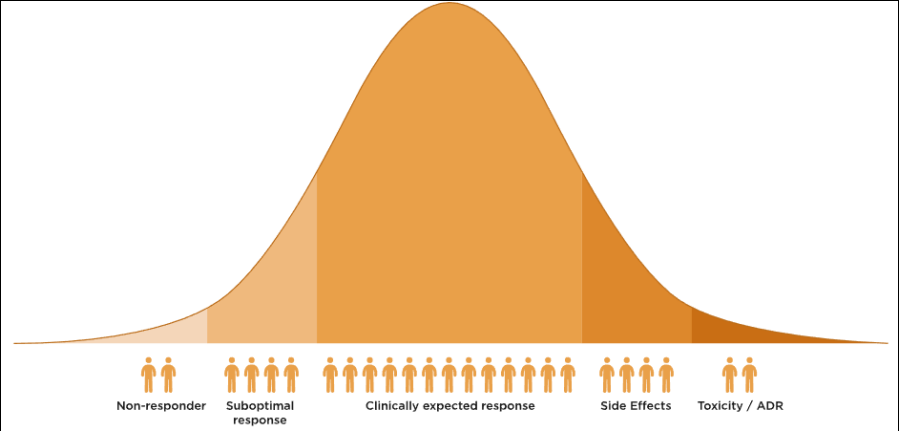
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Use With Caution	Consider Alternatives
Carvedilol (Coreg®) Timolol (Timoptic®)	Metoprolol (Lopressor®)



Tamoxifen

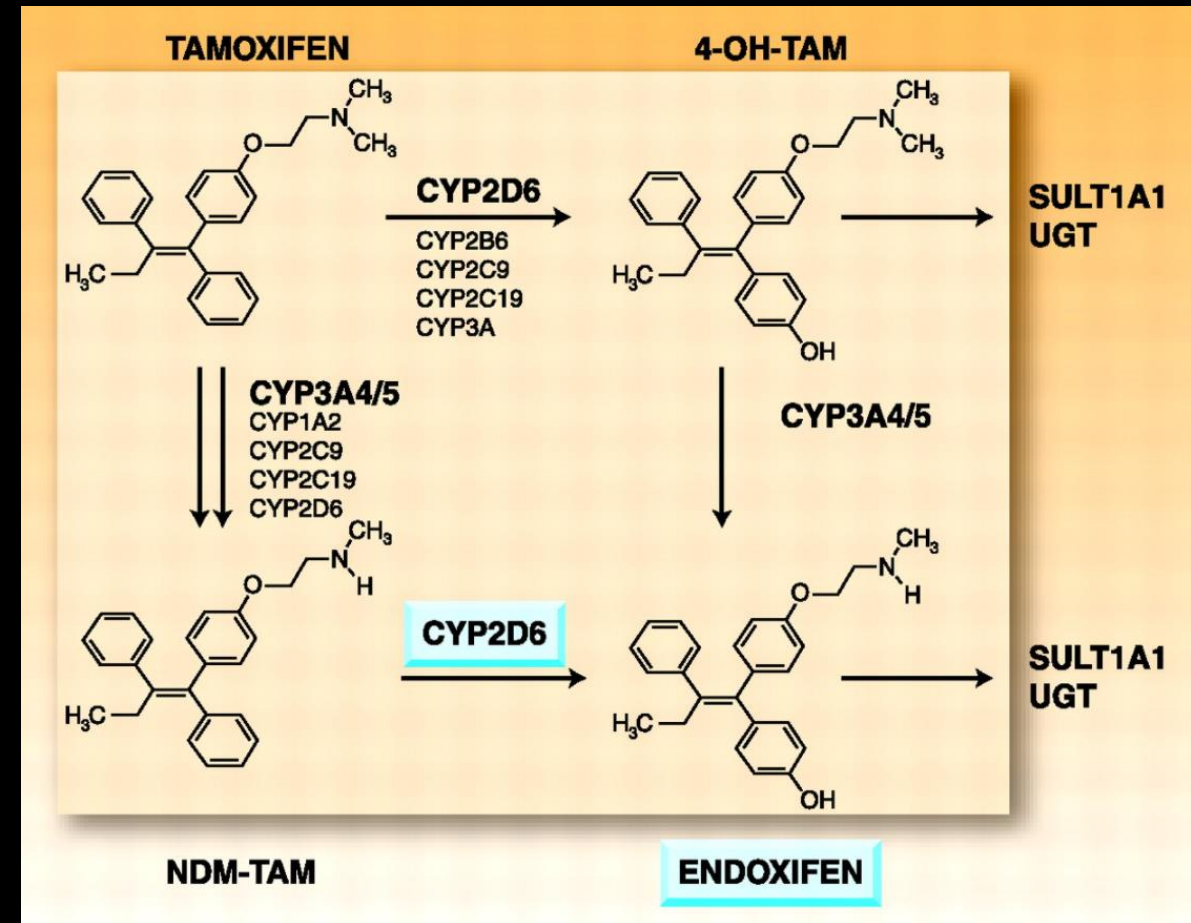
estrogen antagonist to prevent and treat breast cancer

Tamoxifen
(inactive)

CYP2D6

Endoxifen
(active)

CYP2D6 poor metabolizers have much lower blood endoxifen levels than normal metabolizers.



Comprehensive Pharmacogenetic Report

Test Details

Gene	Genotype	Phenotype	Clinical Consequences
ABCB1	1236T>C T/C	Heterozygous- Variant Allele Present	Consistent with decreased transporter expression.
ABCB1	2677G>T G/T	Heterozygous- Variant Allele Present	Consistent with decreased transporter expression.
ABCB1	3435C>T C/T	Heterozygous- Variant Allele Present	Consistent with decreased transporter expression.
CYP1A2	*1A/*1A	Normal Metabolizer- Possible Inducibility	Consistent with a typical CYP1A2 activity in absence of inducing substances. Rapid metabolism may occur in presence of inducers such as barbiturates, cruciferous vegetables, carbamazepine, rifampin and smoking.
CYP2B6	*1/*1	Normal Metabolizer	Consistent with a typical CYP2B6 activity. This test did not identify risks for side effects or loss of efficacy with drug substrates.
CYP2C	g.96405502G>A G/A	High Sensitivity	
CYP2C19	*2/*17	Intermediate Metabolizer	Consistent with a moderate deficiency in CYP2C19 activity. Potential risk for side effects or loss of efficacy with drug substrates.
CYP2C9	*1/*1	Normal Metabolizer	Consistent with a typical CYP2C9 activity. This test did not identify risks for side effects or loss of efficacy with drug substrates.
CYP2D6	*1/*2	Normal Metabolizer	Consistent with a typical CYP2D6 activity. This test did not identify risks for side effects or loss of efficacy with drug substrates.
CYP3A4	*1/*1	Normal Metabolizer	Consistent with a typical CYP3A4 activity. Caution is advised when prescribing narrow therapeutic index drugs. Alternative drugs or dose adjustment may be required if CYP3A inhibitors or inducers are co-prescribed.
CYP3A5	*3/*3	Poor Metabolizer	Consistent with a poor CYP3A5 activity. This phenotype is the most common in the general population. Caution is advised when prescribing narrow therapeutic index drugs. Alternative drugs or dose adjustment may be required if CYP3A inhibitors or inducers are co-prescribed.
CYP4F2	1347G>A G/G	Homozygous for the G allele (rs2108622)	
DPYD	Activity Score: 2	Normal Metabolizer	Consistent with a typical DPD activity and a typical risk of side effects with conventional doses of fluoropyridines.
IFNL3	rs12979860 C/T	Heterozygous for rs12979860 T allele	Unfavorable Response to Peginterferon alfa-2a and alfa-2b and Ribavirin Based Regimen for Hepatitis C Genotype 1
NAT2	c.191G>A G/G	Homozygous for rs1801279 G allele	
NAT2	c.341T>C T/C	Heterozygous for rs1801280 C allele	
NAT2	c.364G>A G/G	Homozygous for rs4986996 G allele	
NAT2	c.590G>A G/A	Heterozygous for rs1799930 A allele	



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NAT2	c.857G>A G/G	Homozygous for rs1799931 G allele	
NUDT15	*1/*1	Normal Metabolizer	Consistent with a typical NUDT15 activity and a typical risk of side effects with conventional doses of thiopurines.
RARG	rs2229774 C/C	Normal Function	Normal receptor function and normal repression of topoisomerase-II beta (TOP2B) expression
SLC28A3	rs7853758 C/C	Normal Function	Normal SLC28A3 influx transporter function
SLCO1B1	521T>C T/T	Normal Function	Consistent with a typical SLCO1B1 transporter function. The patient's risk for statin-induced myopathy is not increased.
TPMT	*1/*3A	Intermediate Metabolizer	Consistent with a moderate deficiency in TPMT activity. Increased risk for serious side effects with conventional doses of thiopurines.
UGT1A1	*1/*80	Intermediate Metabolizer	Consistent with a moderately decreased UGT1A1 glucuronidation function (intermediate activity). Potential risk for side effects with drug substrates.
UGT1A6	rs17863783 G/G	Normal Metabolizer	Consistent with typical UGT1A6 glucuronidation metabolism.
UGT2B15	*2/*2	Poor Metabolizer	Consistent with a decreased UGT2B15 glucuronidation function. Potential risk for side effects with drug substrates.
VKORC1	-1639G>A G/A	Intermediate Warfarin Sensitivity	VKORC1 is the site of action of warfarin. The patient may require a decrease in warfarin dosage.
VKORC1	c.3730G>A G/A	Heterozygous for rs7294 T allele	
WBP2NL	c.63-2604G>A A/G	Heterozygous for rs5758550 G allele	

Alleles Tested: ABCB1 3435C>T, 1236T>C, 2677G>T; CYP1A2 *1C, *1D, *1E, *1F, *1J, *1K, *1L, *1V, *1W, *7; CYP2B6 *4, *5, *6, *7, *8, *9, *11, *13, *16, *18; CYP2C g.96405502G>A; CYP2C19 *2, *3, *4, *4B, *5, *6, *7, *8, *9, *10, *16, *17, *24, *25, *35; CYP2C9 *2, *3, *4, *5, *6, *7, *8, *9, *11, *12, *13, *15, *16, *25, *31, *36; CYP2D6 *2, *3, *4, *4M, *6, *7, *8, *9, *10, *11, *12, *14A, *14B, *15, *17, *18, *19, *29, *31, *33, *35, *38, *41, *42, *44, *51, *56A, *56B, *59, *62, *5 (gene deletion), XN (gene duplication); CYP3A4 *1B, *2, *3, *12, *17, *22; CYP3A5 *1D, *2, *3, *3C, *6, *7, *8, *9; CYP4F2 1347G>A; DPYD 1905+1G>A, 1679T>G, 2846A>T, 557A>G, c.1129-5923C>G; IFNL3 rs12979860; NAT2 590G>A, 191G>A, 341T>C, 857G>A, 364G>A, c.590G>A, c.191G>A, c.341T>C, c.857G>A, c.364G>A; NUDT15 *2, *3, *5; RARG rs2229774; SLC28A3 rs7853758; SLCO1B1 521T>C; TPMT *2, *3A, *3B, *3C, *4; UGT1A1 *6, *27, *80; UGT1A6 rs17863783; UGT2B15 *2; VKORC1 3730G>A, -1639G>A, c.3730G>A; WBP2NL 63-2604G>A, c.63-2604G>A

Categories

Medications by Class

Class	Normal prescribing	Drug genomic effect (see details below)
Analgesics	codeine hydrocodone methadone oliceidine tramadol	
Anesthetics		
Anti-Infective Agents	atazanavir primaquine	efavirenz isoniazid sulfasalazine voriconazole
Cardiovascular (Antihypertensives)	carvedilol metoprolol	hydralazine
Cardiovascular (General)	flecainide mavacamten propafenone	clopidogrel

Analgesics
 Anesthetics
 Anti-Infectives
 CV - Antihypertensives
 CV - Anti-blood clotting
 CV - Statins
 GI
 Neurology
 Anticancer
 Psychiatry - stimulants
 Psychiatry - antidepressants
 Psychiatry - antipsychotics
 Rheumatology
 Transplantation
 Miscellaneous

Amitriptyline

Likely decreased efficacy. Suggest considering alternative drug.

Supporting Evidence: Strong

Genotype: CYP2C19*17 / CYP2C19*17

Atomoxetine

Possible risk of decreased efficacy. Monitor serum blood levels.

Supporting Evidence: Good

Genotype: CYP2D6*41 / CYP2D6*35

Citalopram

Decreased efficacy. Recommend an alternative drug or consider higher dose.

Supporting Evidence: Strong

CYP2C19 ultra-rapid metabolizer

Genotype: CYP2C19*17 / CYP2C19*17

Amitriptyline

This individual has a variant of the CYP2C19 gene, which may decrease the efficacy of this tricyclic antidepressant. Individuals with this variant are classified as ultra-rapid metabolizers (UM). CYP2C19 is member of the cytochrome P450 enzyme system, which is a pathway of metabolism for amitriptyline. Increased drug metabolism in this individual may result in increased drug clearance and reduced peak plasma levels, which may decrease efficacy. The prevalence of the CYP2C19 ultrarapid metabolizers is 5-30% of patients.

It is suggested to avoid the use of amitriptyline and consider an alternative non-tricyclic drug when using higher doses (>100 mg per day) for the treatment of depression.

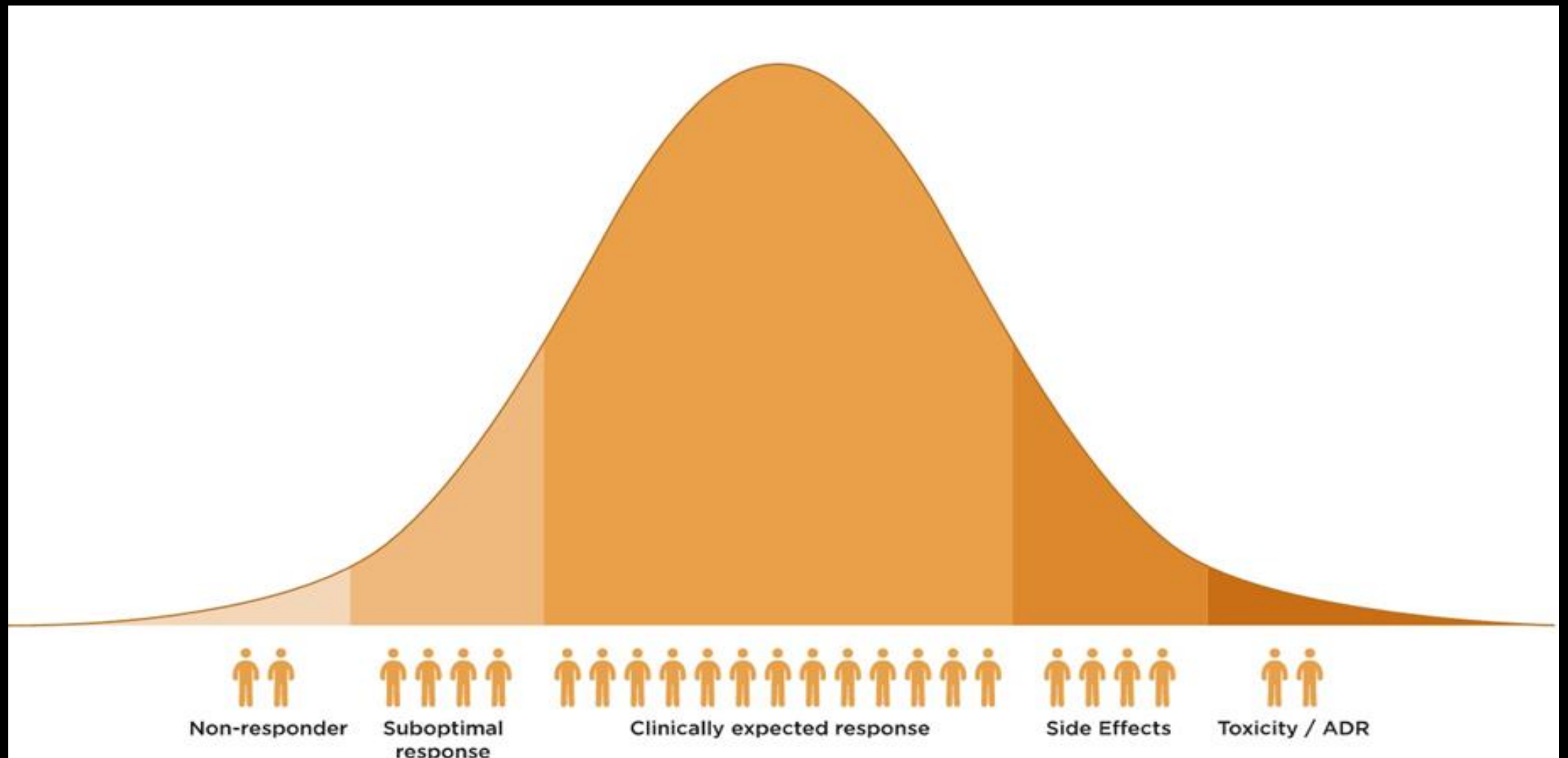
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98% of us carry at least one high risk phenotype

Percentage of the patient population for which a particular drug in a class is ineffective, on average

ANTI-DEPRESSANTS
SSRIs

38%



ASTHMA DRUGS

40%



DIABETES DRUGS

43%



ARTHRITIS DRUGS

50%



ALZHEIMER'S DRUGS

70%



CANCER DRUGS

75%



Source: Brian B. Spear, Margo Heath-Chiozzi, Jeffrey Huff, "Clinical Trends in Molecular Medicine," Volume 7, Issue 5, 1 May 2001, pages 201-204.

PGx Psychiatric Drugs

examples

Antidepressants

amitriptyline
citalopram
doxepin
escitalopram
fluvoxamine
imipramine
sertraline
venlafaxine
vortioxetine

Antipsychotics

aripiprazole
brexpiprazole
clozapine
haloperidol
quetiapine

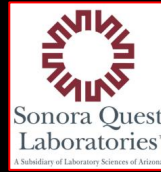
Stimulants

amphetamine
atomoxetine

Miscellaneous

tetrabenazine
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PGx results from SQL



results
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PGx test
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yes

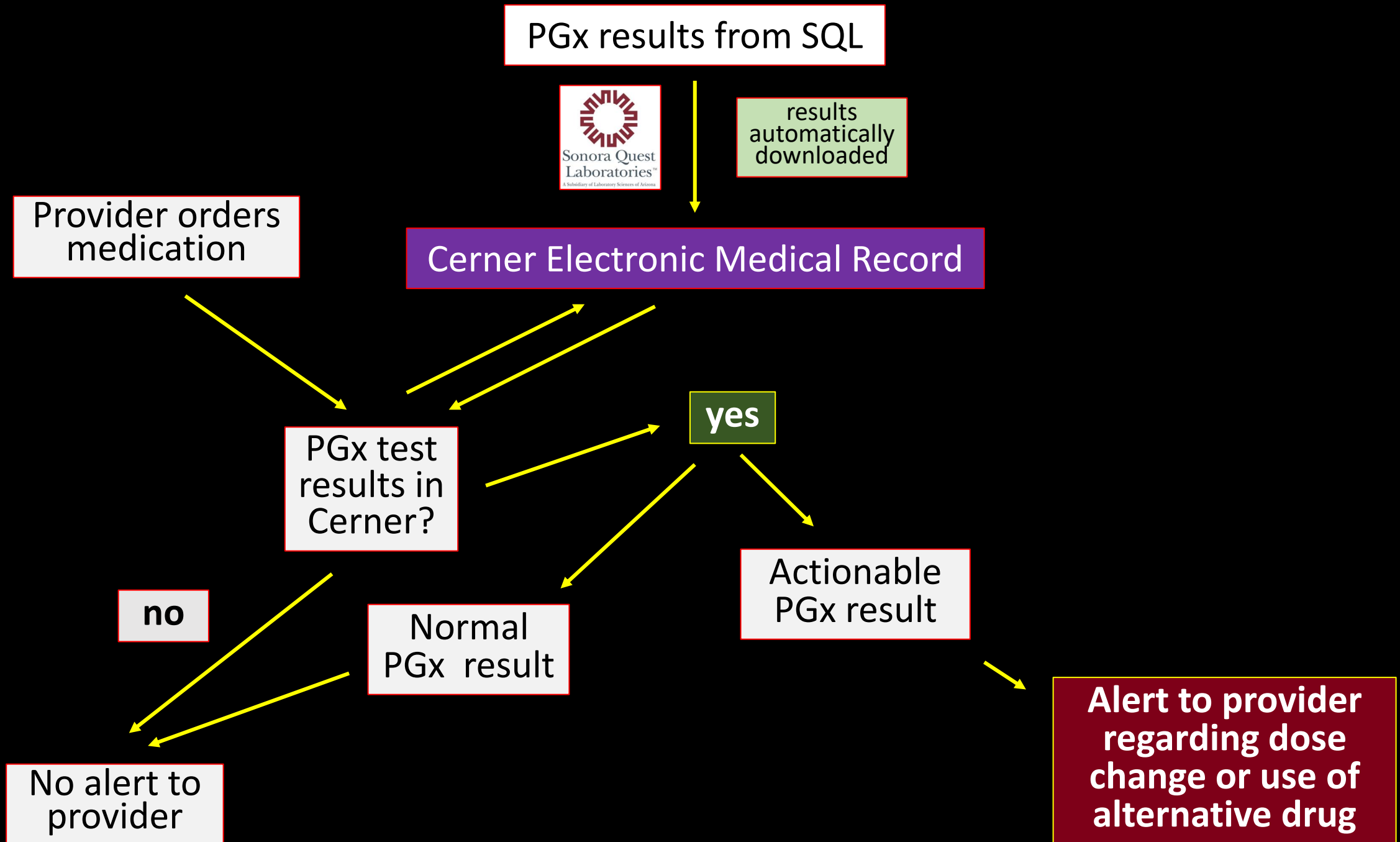
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Normal
PGx result

Actionable
PGx result

No alert to
provider

Alert to provider
regarding dose
change or use of
alternative drug



Order entered for Citalopram OR Escitalopram



CYP2C19 genetic test results on file?

NO



Do not
display
statement

YES

CYP2C19
Ultrarapid
Metabolizer



Display
Statement 1

CYP2C19
Normal
Metabolizer



Do not
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CYP2C19
Intermediate
Metabolizer



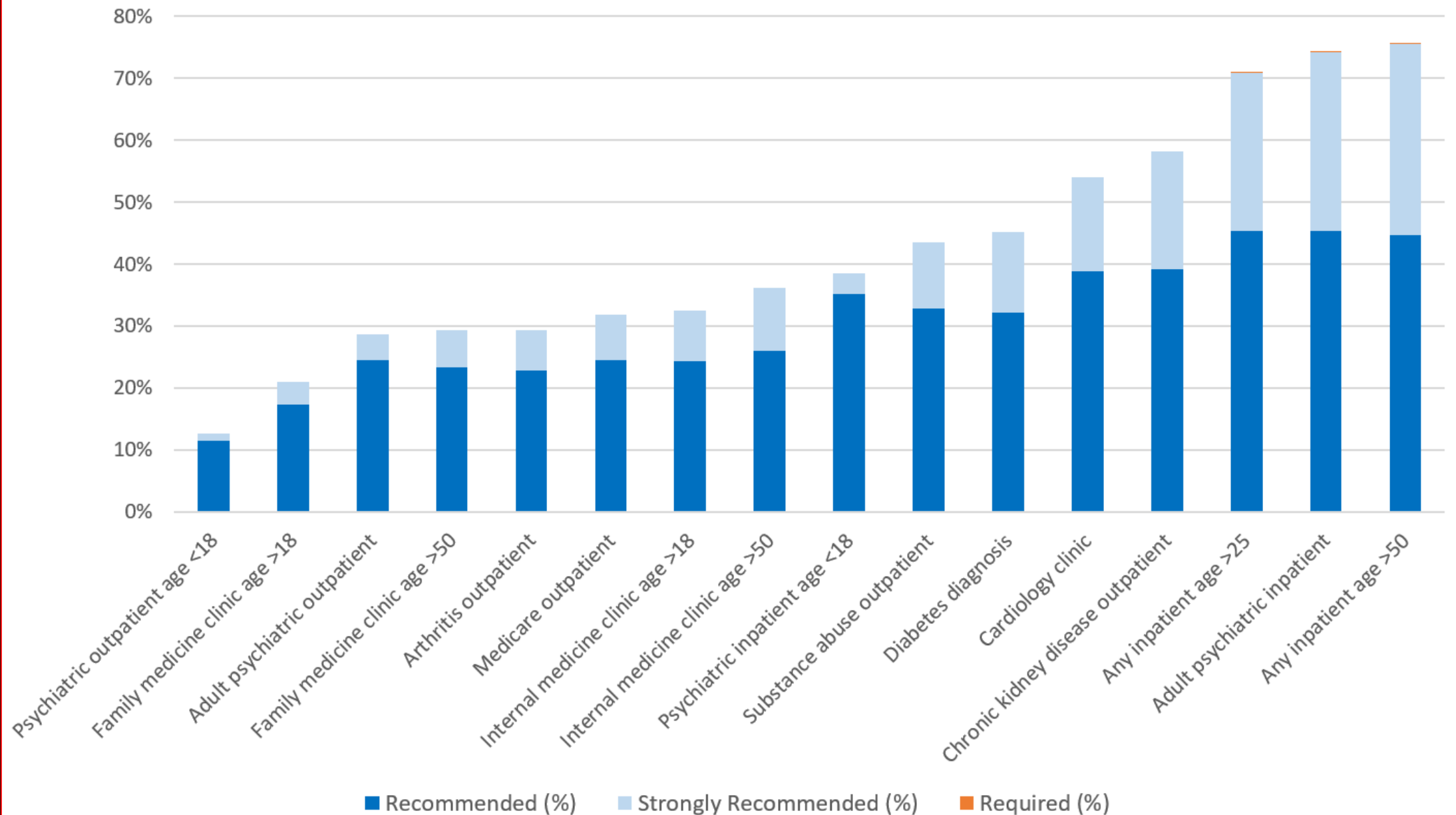
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CYP2C19
Poor
Metabolizer



Display
Statement 2

Which Patients Most Likely To Benefit From PGx Testing?



Which Psychiatric Patients Should Be Tested?

- All new psychiatric patients treated with medication?
- Patients failing to respond to drug therapy?
- Patients with unexpected side effects to drug therapy?

Patients receiving PGx-guided antidepressant treatment are 41% more likely to respond favorably compared to patients receiving standard therapy.

Brown et al: Clinical Pharmacology and Therapeutics 2022

Most studies demonstrate PGx testing in psychiatric patients is cost-effective and/or cost-saving strategy (depression).

Morris et al: Clinical Pharmacology and Therapeutics 2022

58% reduction in hospitalizations

40% reduction in ER visit.

13% reduction in clinic visits

PGx Testing

- Joint decision between patient and psychiatrist.
- Patient should never change dose or medication based on results of PGx testing alone, but only with approval of psychiatrist.
- Cost of testing ranges from ~ \$150 to \$3,000, depending on panel and lab.