

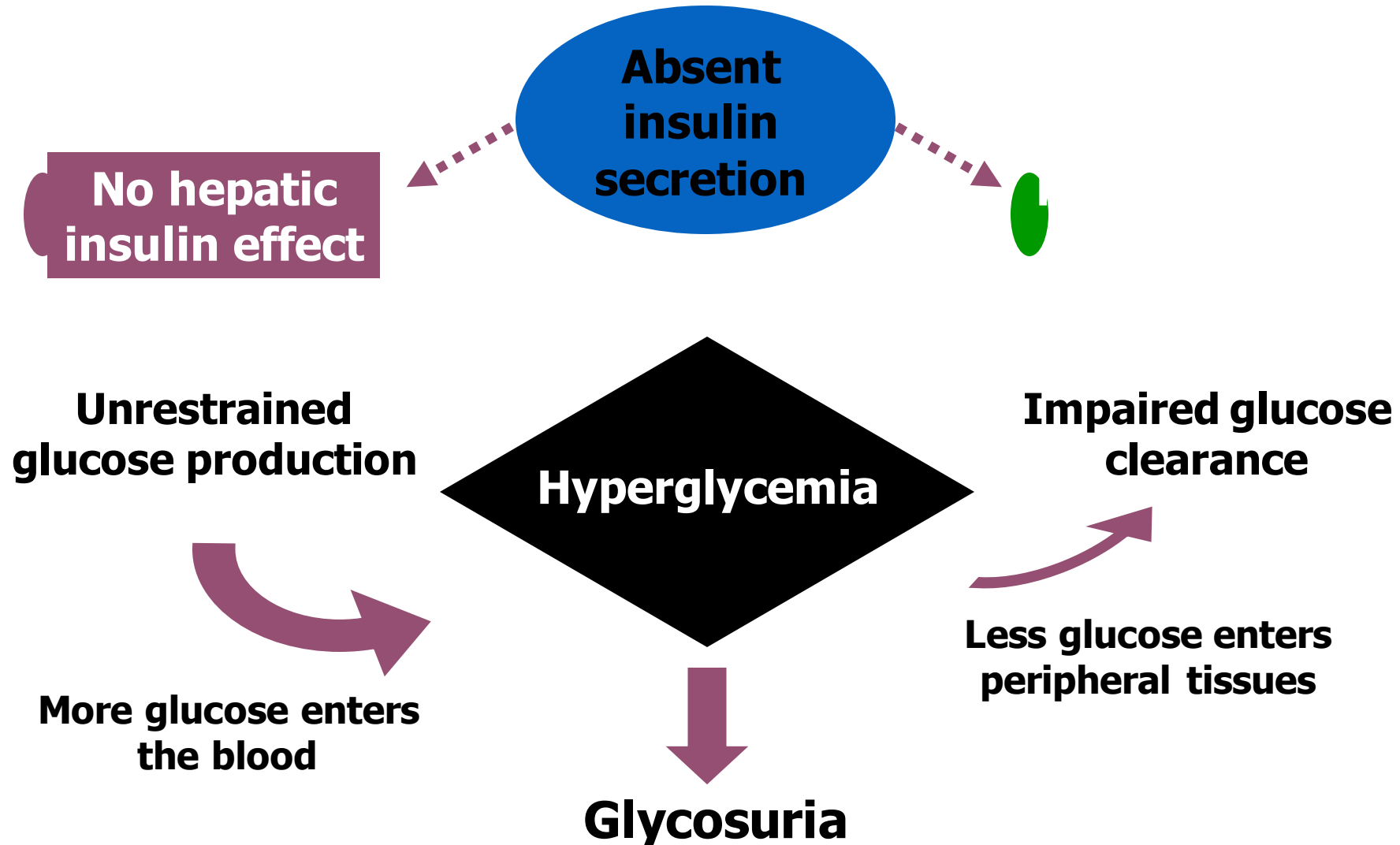
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Diabetes

# Classification of Diabetes Mellitus by Etiology

- **Type 1**                     $\beta$ -cell destruction—complete lack of insulin
- **Type 2**                     $\beta$ -cell dysfunction and insulin resistance
- **Gestational**             $\beta$ -cell dysfunction and insulin resistance during pregnancy
- **Other specific types**
  - Pancreatic diabetes.
  - Endocrinopathies
  - Drug- or chemical-induced
  - Other rare forms

# Pathogenesis of Type 1 Diabetes : One Defect



# ISLET CELLS ANTIBODIES:

- ❑ A heterogeneous group of AB against a variety of cytoplasmic islet cell antigens
- ❑ Not exclusively against *Beta* cells. Other islet cells are also targets.
- ❑ Highly positive esp. in the pre- diabetic phase
- ❑ More positive at onset than later.
- ❑ Positivity decreases rapidly with duration of diabetes .

ANTI GLUTAMIC ACID DECAROXYLASE ( GAD) AB

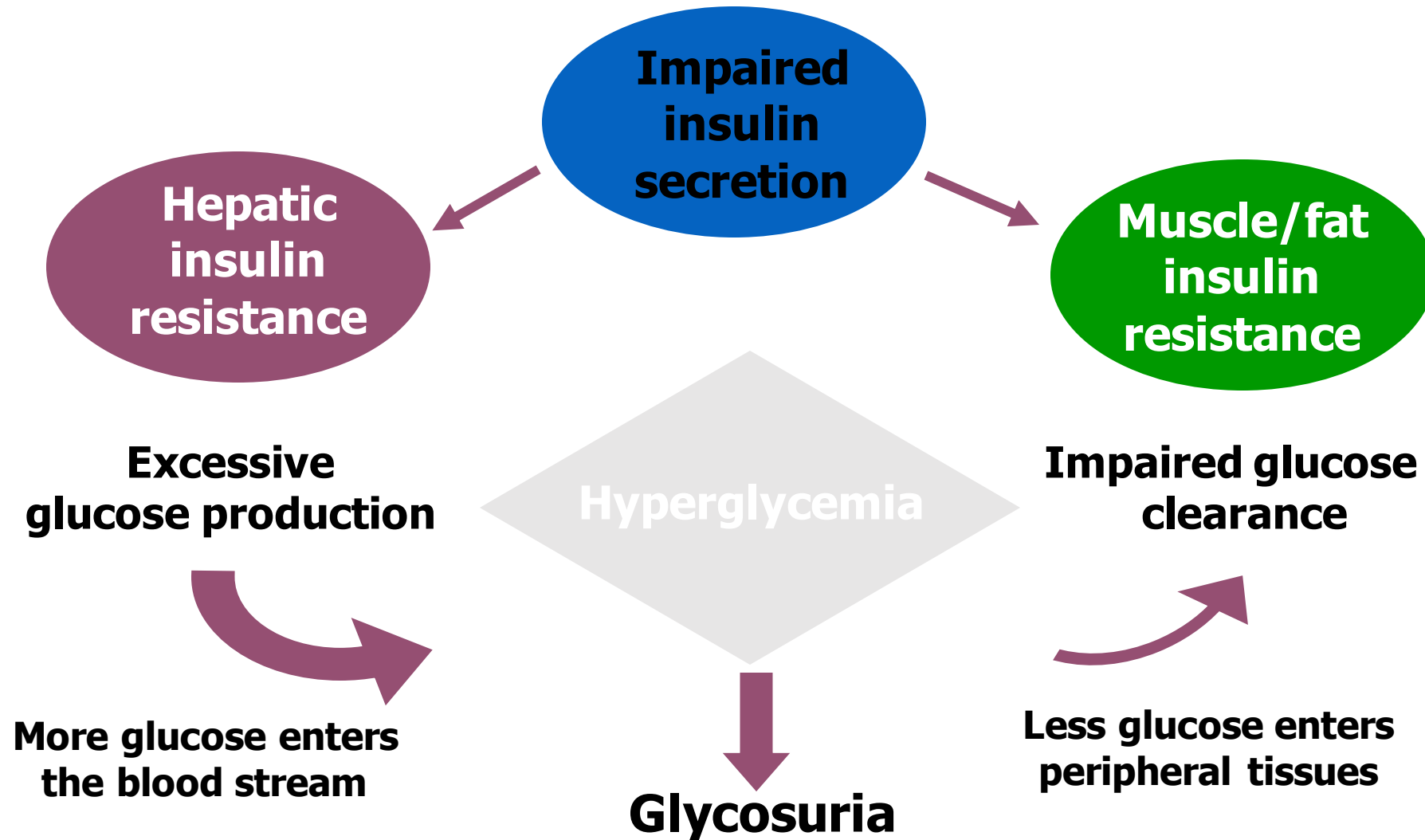
## Anti GAD Antibodies

- Present in 75- 84 % of recent onset DM type1.

# D.M. Type 1

The combination of genetic ,environmental and autoimmune factors ultimately leads to  $\beta$ - cell destruction, which is an insidious process that may take up to 10 yrs before completion; once the  $\beta$ - cell mass is <5-10% of its original amount, symptoms of diabetes become manifest.

# Pathogenesis of Type 2 Diabetes : Two Defects



# ROLE OF DIET, OBESITY, AND INFLAMMATION

- Increasing weight and less exercise
- Obesity epidemic
- Increasing T2DM in children and adolescents



# MAJOR RISK FACTORS (Type2 DM)

- FH of DM
- Overweight (BMI > 25 kg/m<sup>2</sup>)
- physical inactivity
- Race/ethnicity (African-Americans, Hispanic-Americans)
- History of IFG or IGT
- History of GDM or delivery of a baby weighing >4.5 kg
- Signs of insulin resistance or conditions associated with insulin resistance:
  - \*Hypertension (140/90 mmHg in adults)
  - \*HDL cholesterol 35 mg/dl and/or a triglyceride level 250 mg/dl
  - \*Polycystic ovary syndrome
    - \*acanthosis nigricans

# Type 1 versus type 2 diabetes

1 Body habitus :T2DM: overweight.T1DM:lean

2 Age :T2DM :after puberty.

T1DM 4 -6 yrs and 10 -14 yrs of age

3 Insulin resistance :T2DM: acanthosis nigricans, HTN, dyslipidemia, and PCOS

4 FH: (+) in both type 2 > type 1

5 T1DM is suggested by +:GAD, tyrosine phosphatase (IA2), and/or insulin Abs

Up to 30 % of T2DM have + Abs

# MODY

- MODY is non-insulin requiring form of diabetes, occurring in children and young adults, resulting from genetic defect in beta-cell function, and inherited in autosomal dominant trait (AD)

# MODY

## **MATURITY ONSET DIABETES OF THE YOUNG (MODY)**

- Clinical presentation partly similar to type 2 DM but occurring in young age group-mostly adolescents
- Autosomal dominant inheritance; 5 different gene defects described
  - All relatively rare.

# Clinical Features

	<b>Obesity</b>	<b>Insulin resistance</b>	<b>Autoimmunity</b>
<b>Type 1</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>Yes</b>
<b>Type 2</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>MODY</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>

# Gestational Diabetes

- Hyperglycemia during pregnancy—usually resolves after birth
- High risk of perinatal morbidity and mortality

# Gestational Diabetes

- High risk of later type 2 diabetes in both mother and baby.
- Diagnosed by specific glucose tolerance test methods.
- Requires intensive dietary and glycemic management.

# Symptoms

- Polyuria, increased frequency of urination, nocturia.
- Increased thirst, and dry mouth
- Weight loss
- Blurred vision
- Numbness in fingers and toes
- Fatigue
- Impotence (in some men)



# Signs

- Weight loss: muscle weakness
- Decreases sensation
- Loss of tendon reflexes
- Foot Inter-digital fungal infections
- Retinal changes by fundoscopy

# Criteria for the diagnosis of diabetes

1. **A1C  $\geq 6.5$  percent.**
2. **FPG  $\geq 126$  mg/dL .** Fasting is defined as no caloric intake for at least 8 hr.
3. **Two-hour plasma glucose  $\geq 200$  mg/dL** during an OGTT. 75 g anhydrous glucose dissolved in water.
4. In a patient **with classic symptoms** of hyperglycemia or hyperglycemic crisis, **a random plasma glucose  $\geq 200$  mg/dL .**

\* In the absence of unequivocal **symptomatic** hyperglycemia, criteria 1-3 should be confirmed by repeat testing.

# Management of diabetes

## 1. Lifestyle modifications:

- Medical nutrition therapy
- increased physical activity
- weight reduction

## 2. Oral Drug Therapy/Noninsulin SC therapy

## 3. Insulin therapy