

EARLY PROSTATE CANCER DETECTION: THE WAY TO GO !

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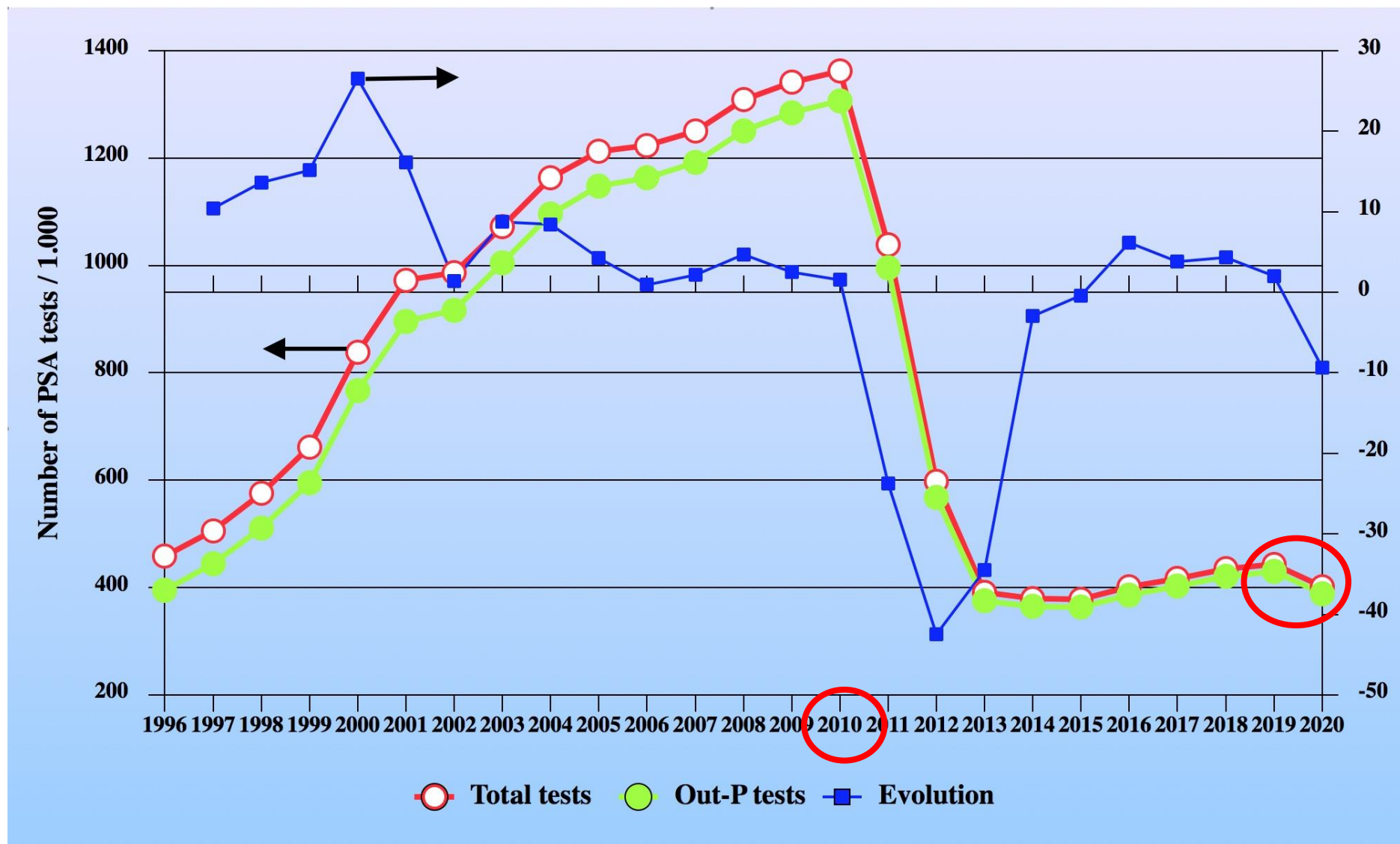
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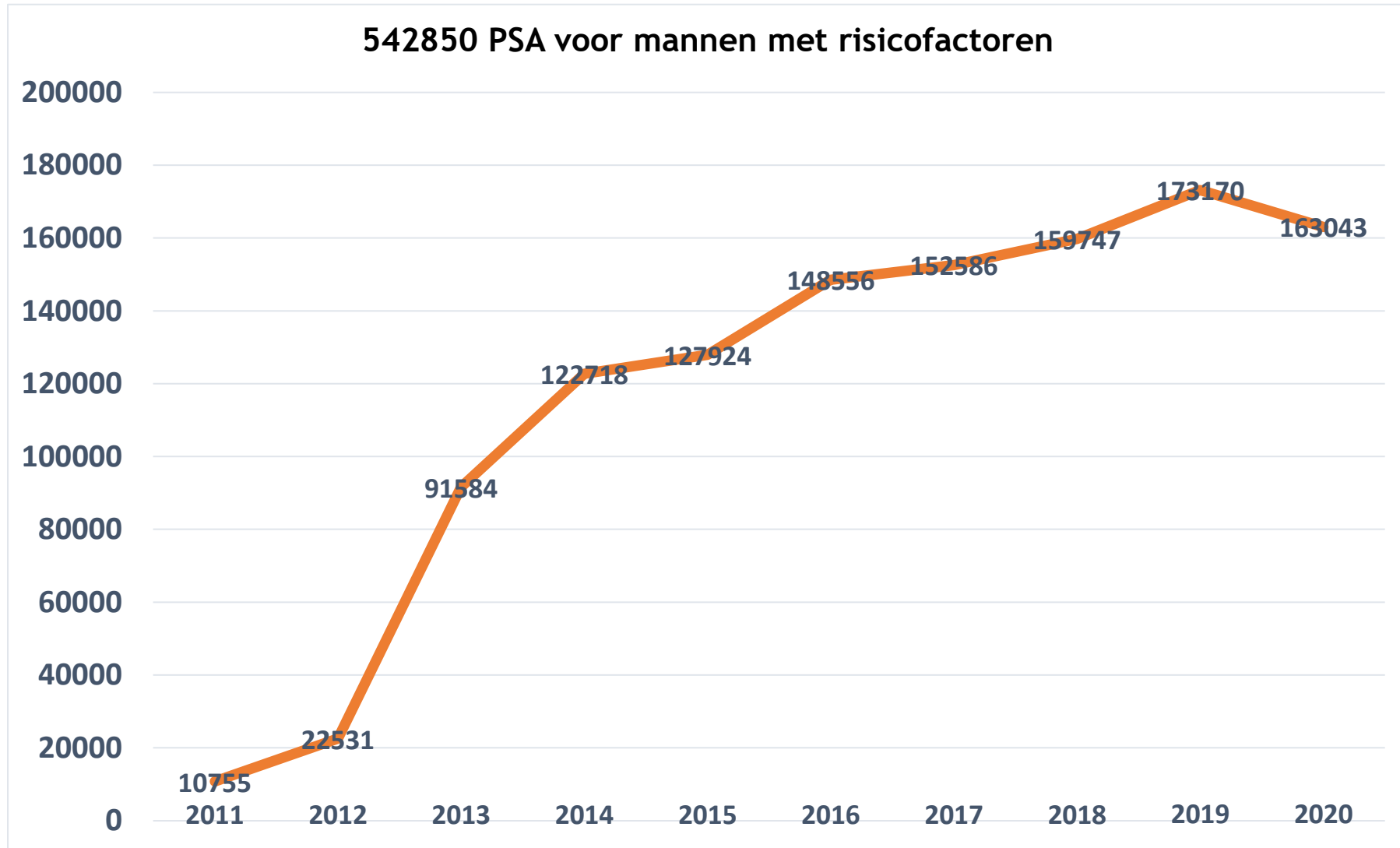
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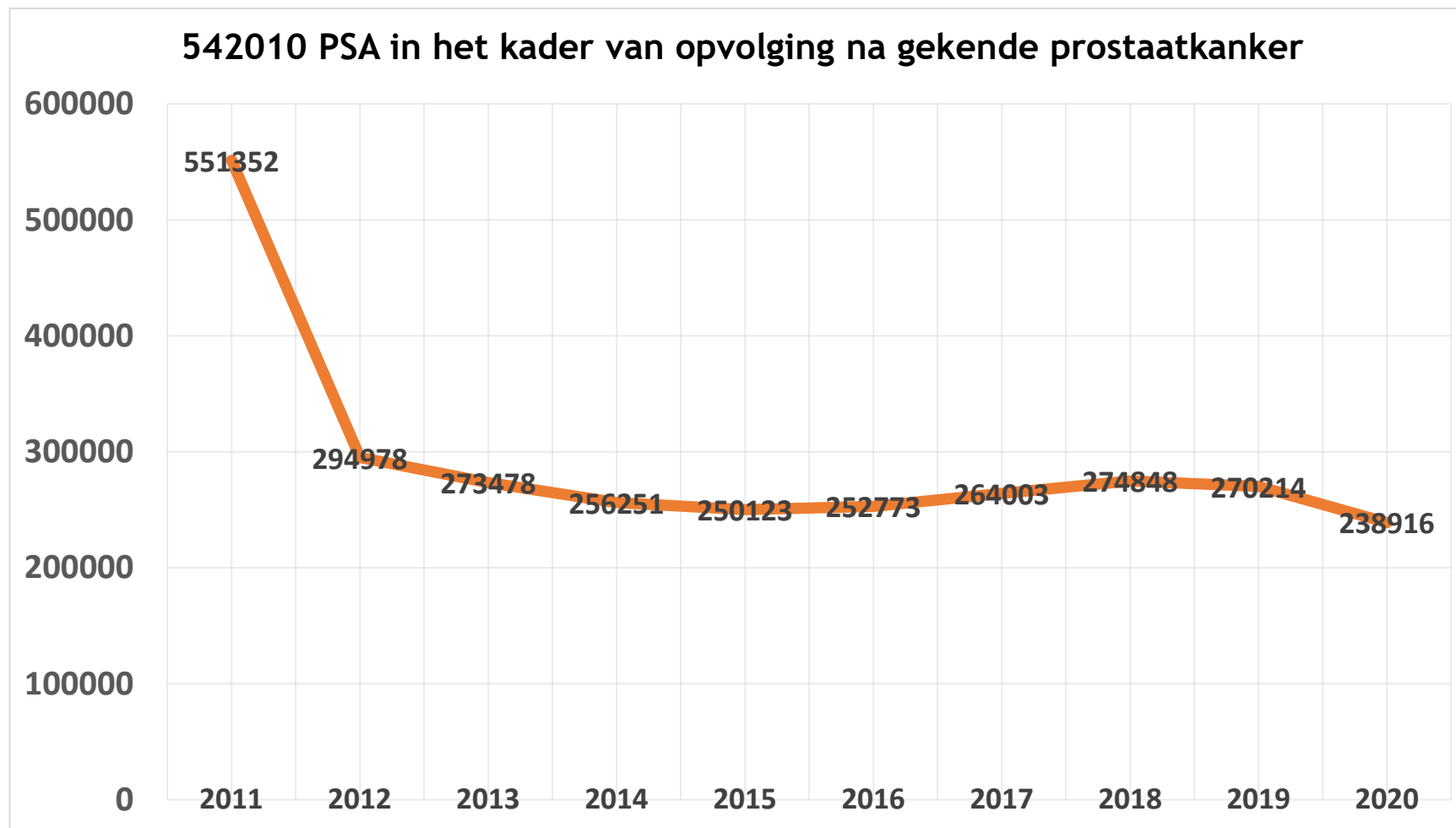
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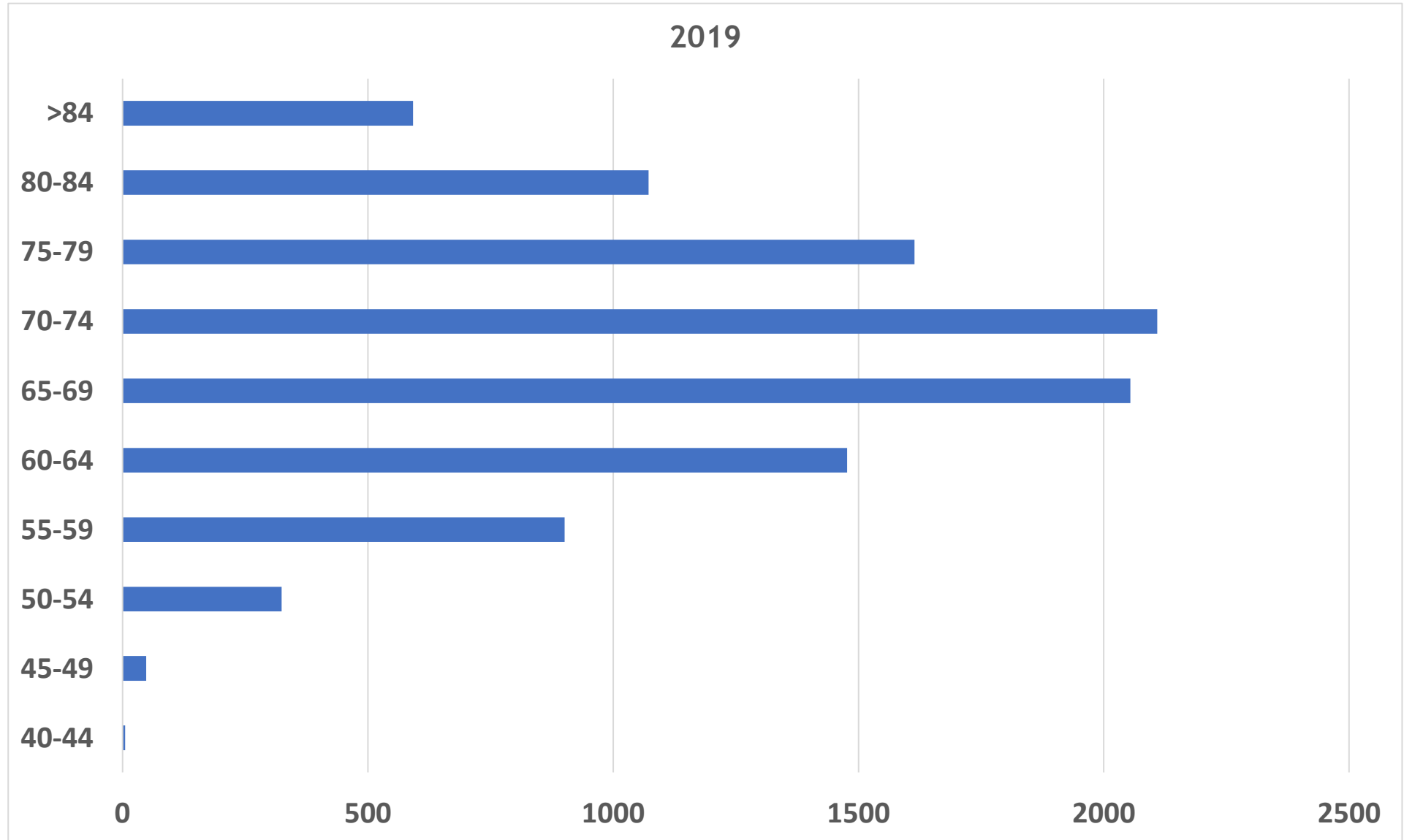
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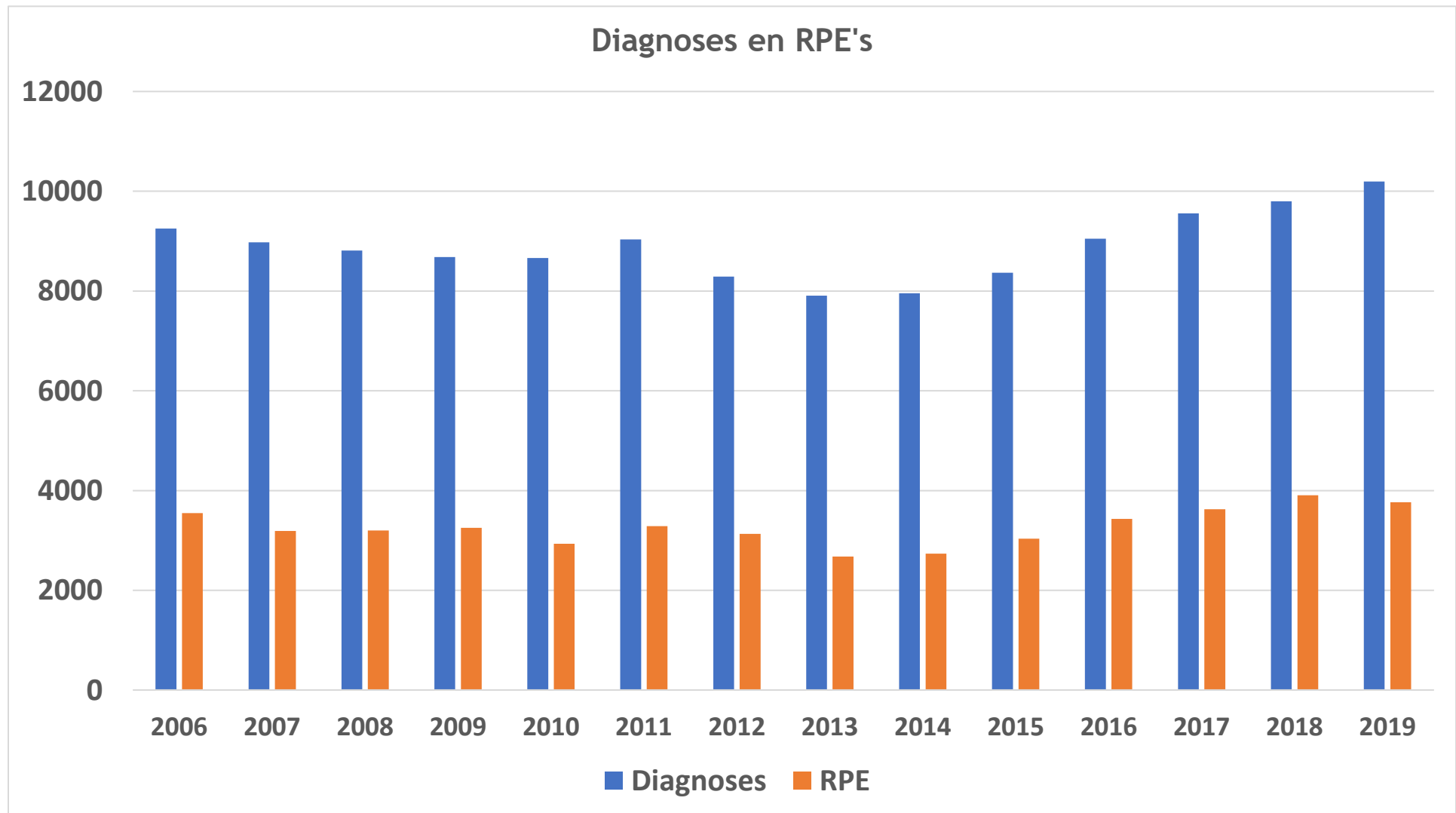
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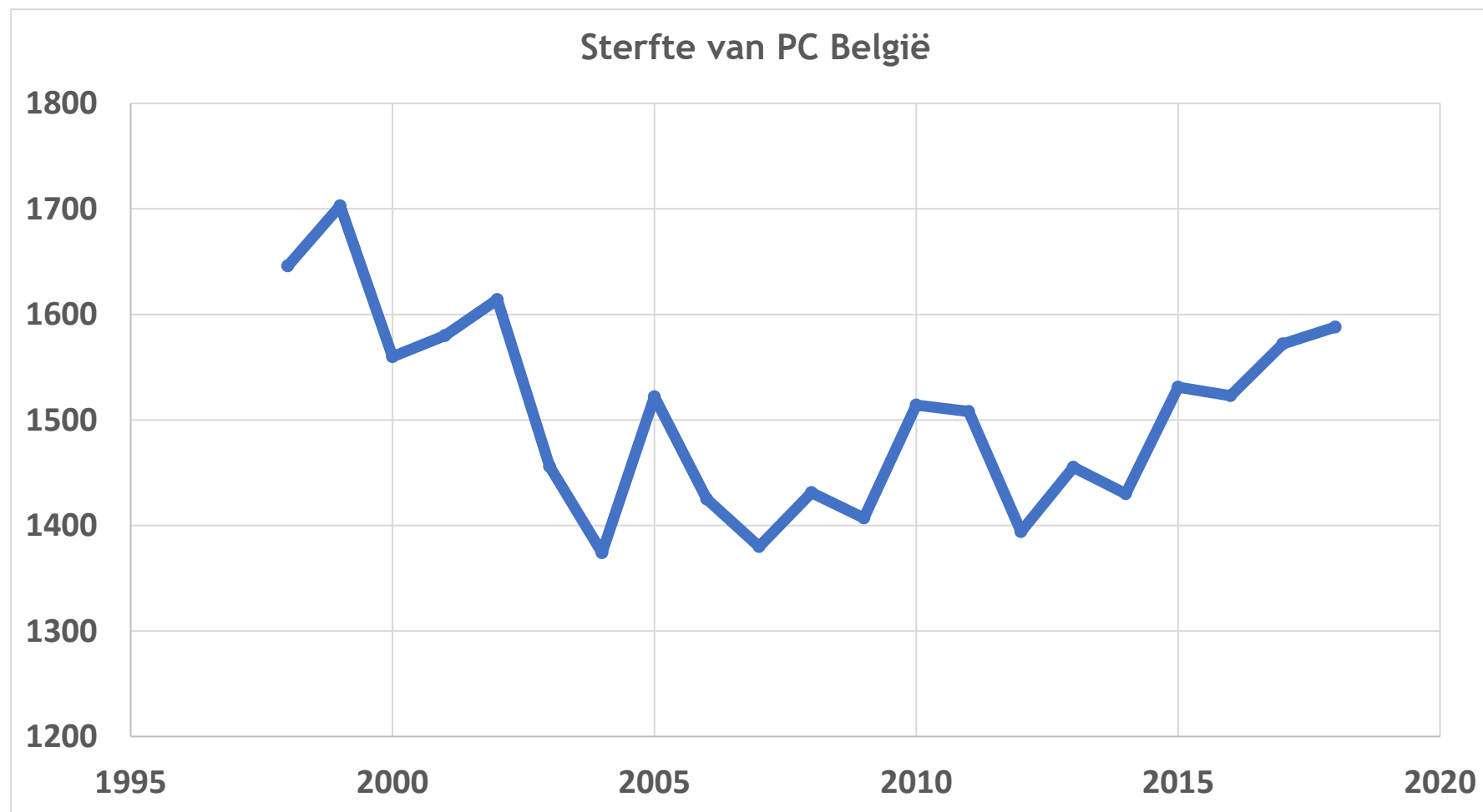
Prostate Cancer diagnosis: patient numbers ifo age.



Prostate Cancer: radical prostatectomy versus diagnosis.



Prostate Cancer: mortality in Belgium.



PROSTATE CANCER

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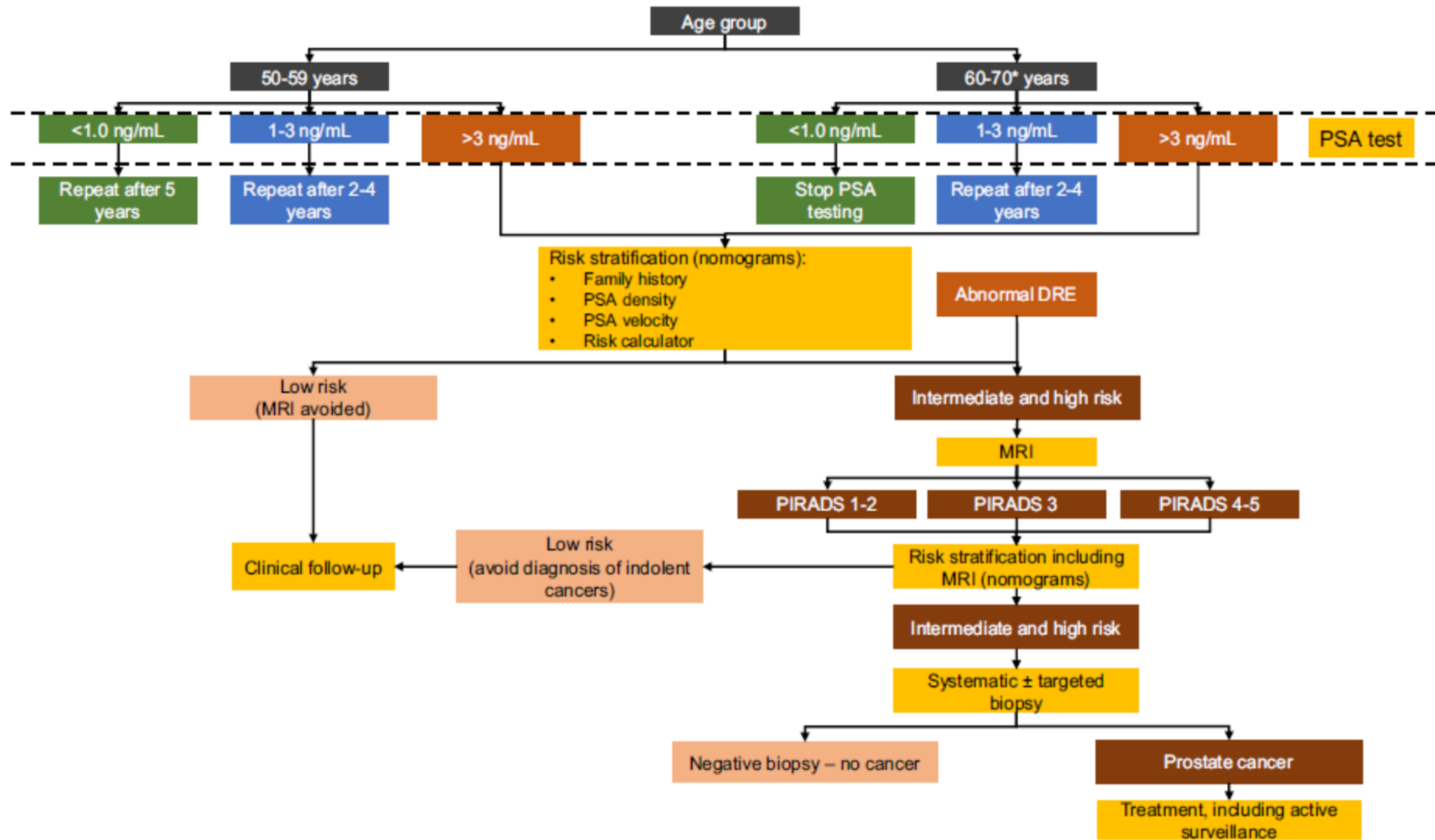
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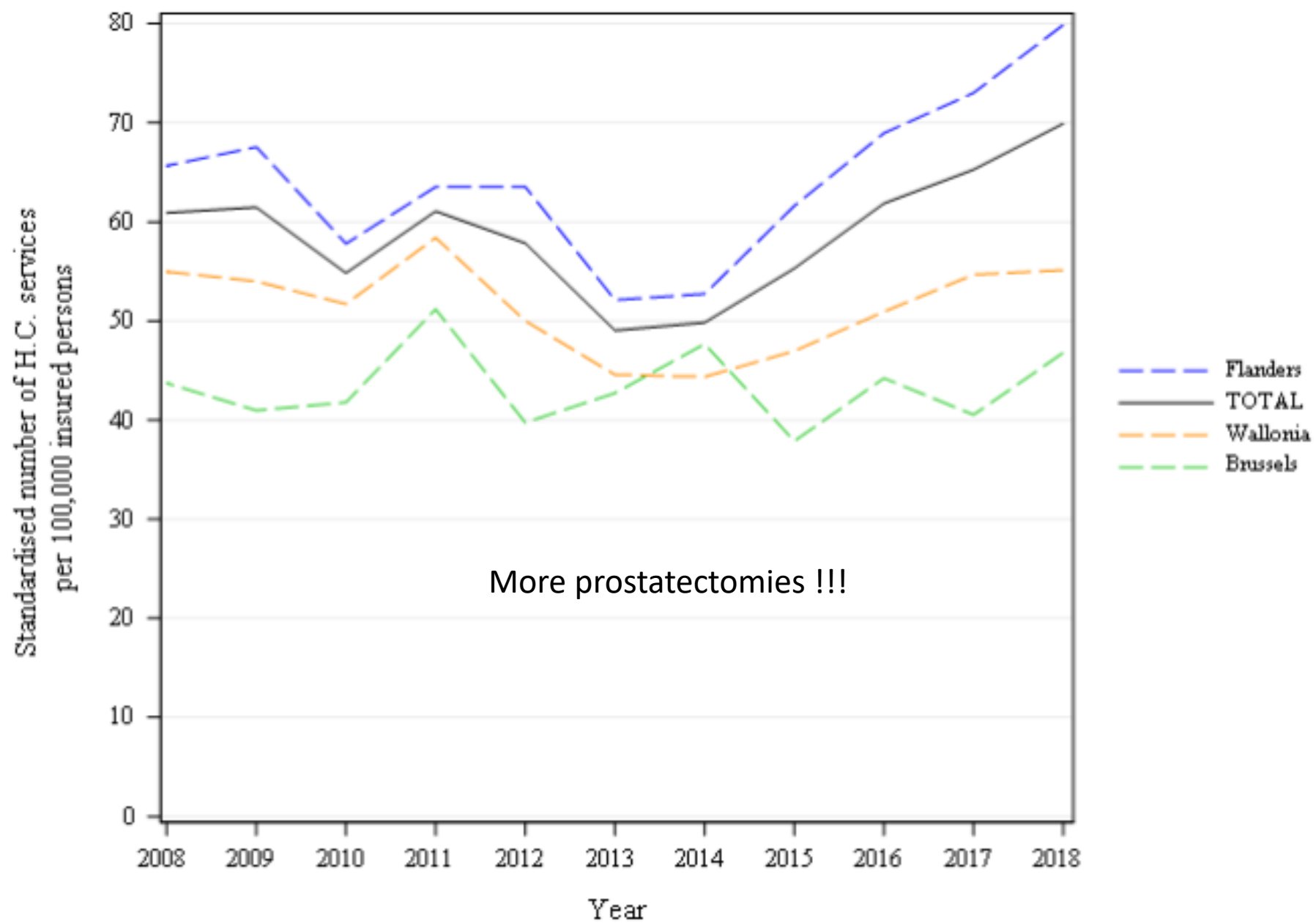
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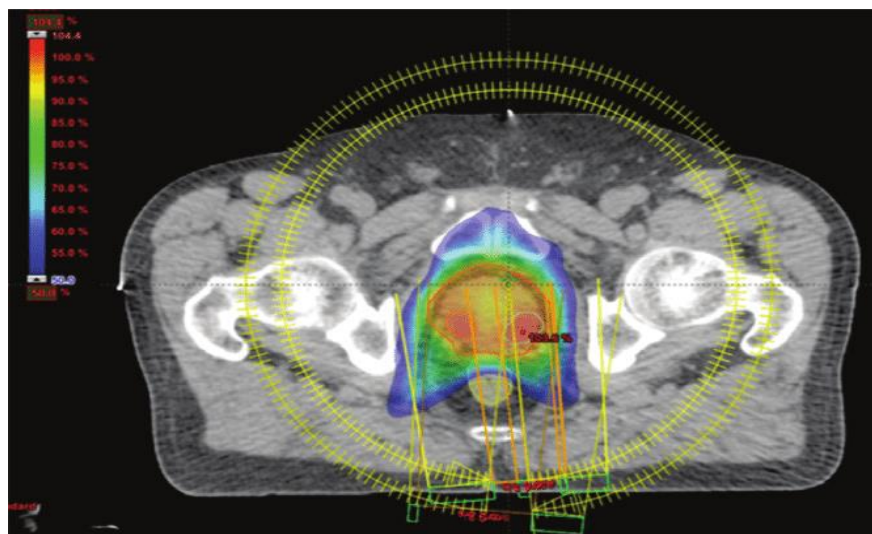
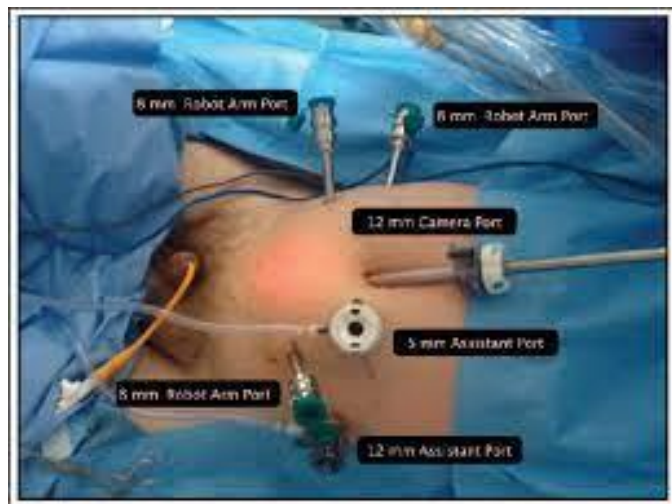
- *Early PSA testing can be offered to (EAU strong, consensus):*
 - Men > 50 years
 - Men > 45 years with a family history of prostate cancer
 - Men with African origin > 45 years
 - BRCA2 carriers > 45 years

“dying from prostate cancer can be prevented”.

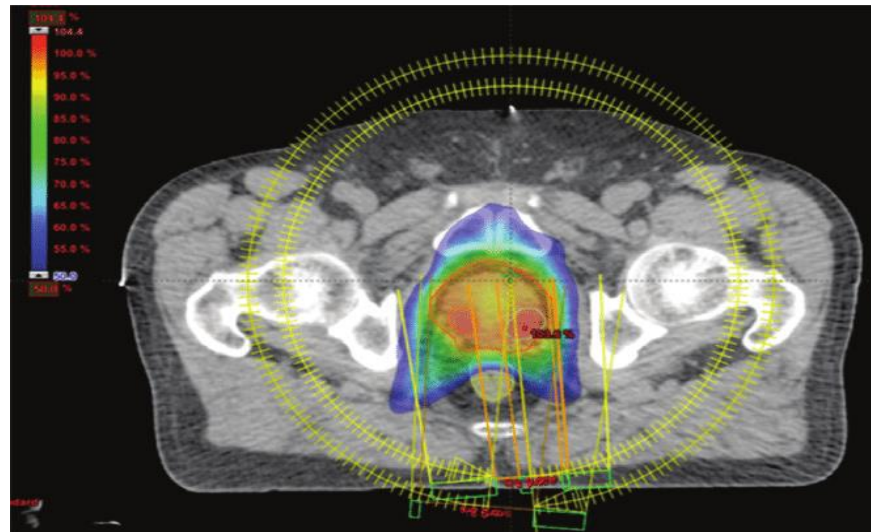
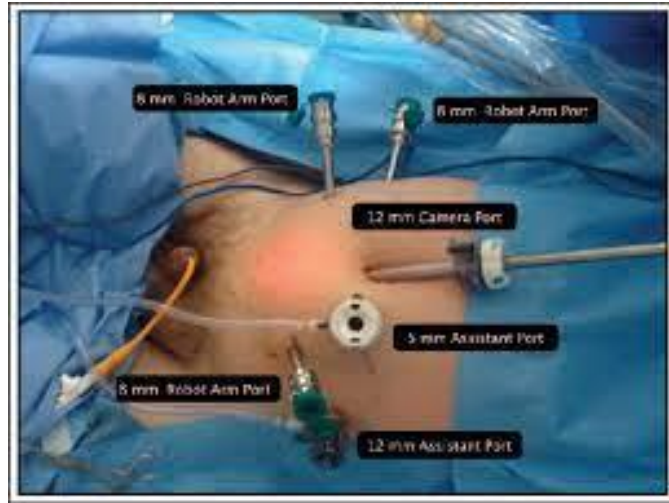




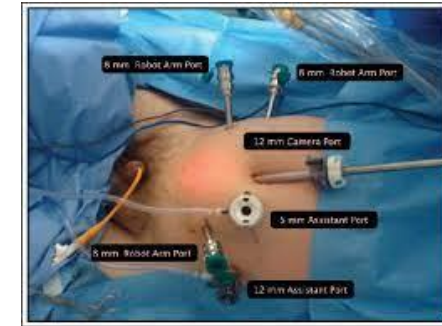
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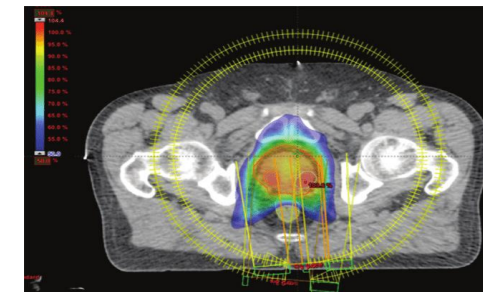
Early detection: If curative treatment needed ...



(Too) late detection: If curative treatment possible ...



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Month 0
58 years

Month 24
60 years

Month 48
62 years

Month 50

Month 60 – 240
64 – 78 years

Month 264
80 years

PSA testing:
1.9 ng/ml

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2.9 ng/ml

PSA testing:
5.7 ng/ml
MRI: Pi-RADS 5
APO: Group 3

RALP
successful
complete removal

PSA undetectable
cured
rarely loss of urine drip
excellent QOL
cholesterol too high
satisfying sex life

Exitus



Months 0 – 60:
58 – 63 years

Month 72:
64 years

Month 75:

Month 84:
65 years

Month 96-114:
67 years

GP: don't do PSA testing!

miction problems
hard prostate
urology: PSA 57!
APO: group 5
large tumor
large nodes

RALP + nodes
incomplete removal
tumor also in nodes

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"salvage" radiotherapy
6 months castration

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Month 120:
68 years

Month 132:
69 years

Months 144 - 192:
70 - 74 years

Months 200:
74 years

Months 200 - 228:
74 – 77 years

Months 240:
78 years

Months 240 - 262 :
74 – 77 years

Month 264
80 years

PSA: 0.22

PSA: 0.55
metastasis bone
castration lifelong

PSA: undetectable



PSA: 0.59
new metastases
start second-line

PSA: stable
tired / oedema
QOL poor



PSA: rises
new metastasis
start chemotherapy
QOL poor

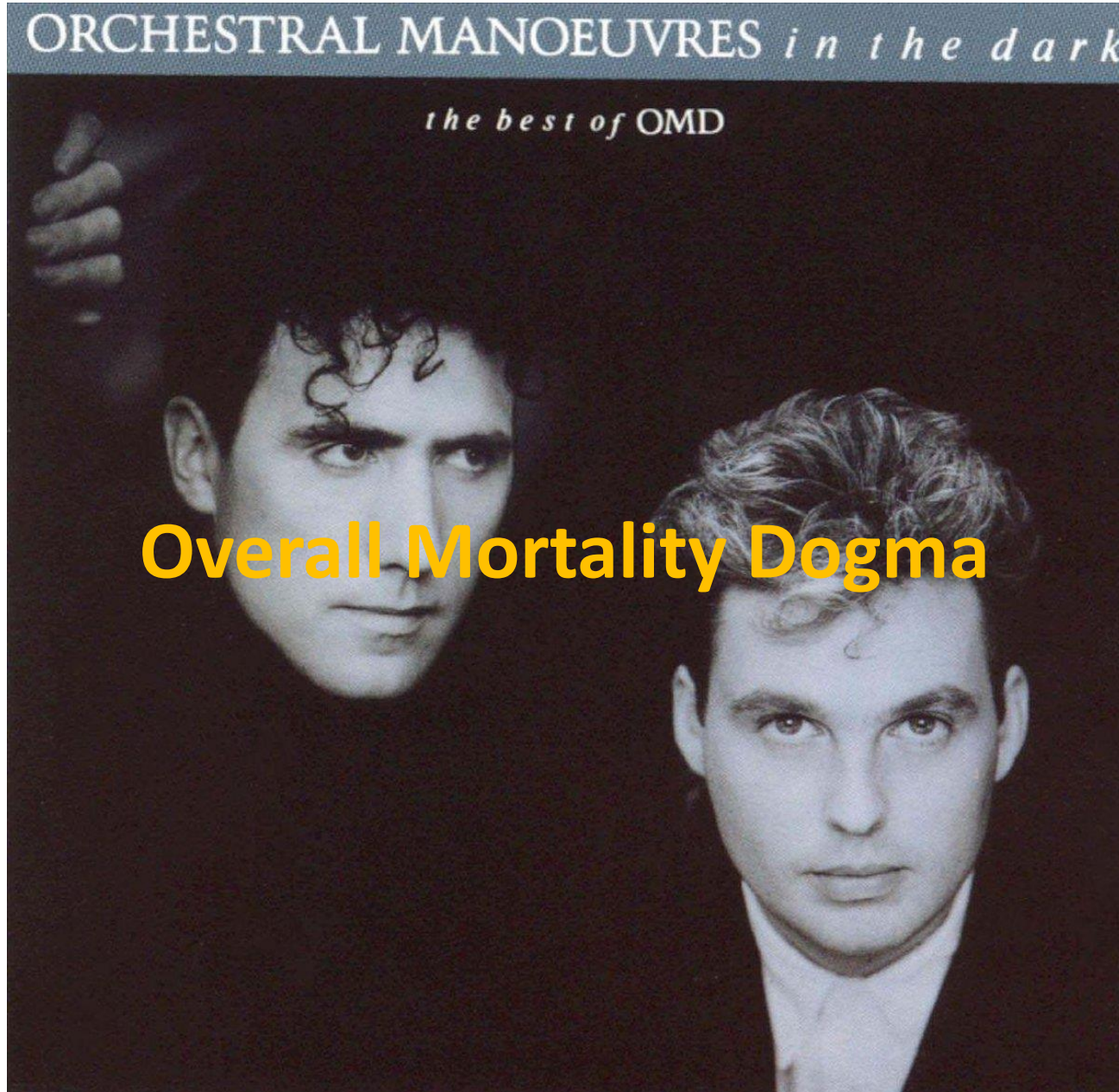
PSA: stable
poor QOL
bad taste
sepsis

agony / sedation
exitus

ORCHESTRAL MANOEUVRES *in the dark*

the best of OMD

Overall Mortality Dogma



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CONCLUSION:

Early detection does not improve survival.

Two questions:

- 1. Which patient will have cost most to our RIZIV /ENAMI?**
- 2. Which patient would you prefer to be?**

