Diabetes Mellitus and Antipsychotics

Findings from A Retrospective Cohort Study

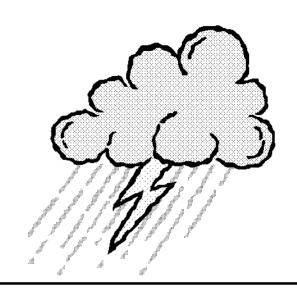
Introduction

A common perception of psychiatrists in US

➤ that Zyprexa has a greater association with diabetes than most other antipsychotics

• FDA request

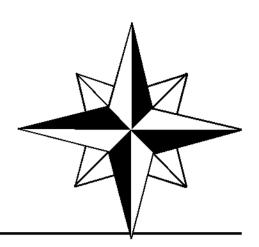
Lilly to look into the possibility of conducting an epidemiology study to assess the diabetogenic potential of Zyprexa



Introduction (con't)

- Janssen Pharmaceutical Company claimed that in their epidemiology studies:
 - ➤ Olanzapine had a greater association with diabetes than risperidone
 - ➤ Olanzapine was the only antipsychotic to demonstrate dose-dependent changes in the incidence of diabetes
 - Risperidone had no apparent diabetogenic effect

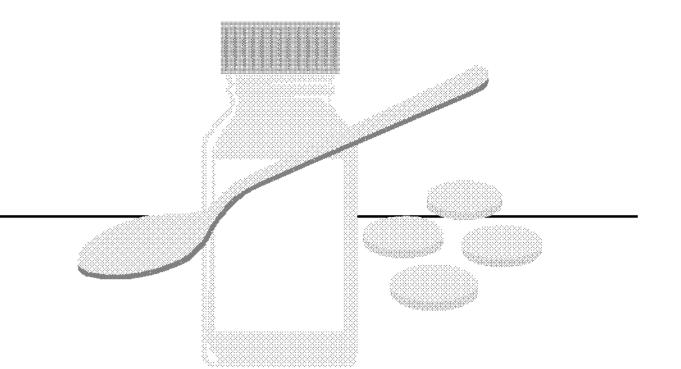
Diabetes Study in US



Objectives:

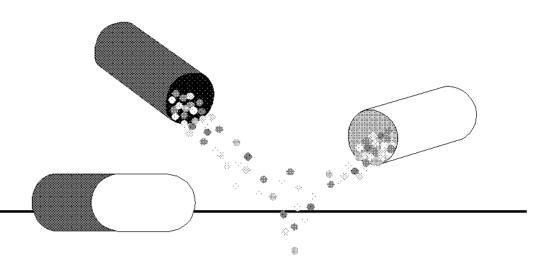
- To compare the diabetogenic potential of
 - Atypical vs conventional antipsychotics as a class
 - Olanzapine vs Risperidone
 - To determine whether the incidence of DM increased with the dosage of
 - ➤ Olanzapine
 - Risperidone
 - Haloperidol

Method



- Study Design
 - Retrospective cohort study
- Database
 - AdvancePCS prescription claim database
- Onset of diabetes mellitus (DM) was identified by
 - Prescription claims for diabetes drugs for the first time during exposure to antipsychotics
- Statistical method
 - Logistic regression model to estimate the odds of diabetes
 - Age and gender as covariates

Cohorts Compared



Monotherapy Cohorts

- All conventional antipsychotics (N=19,782)
- Haloperidol (N= 8,476)
- All atypical antipsychotics (N= 38,735)
- Olanzapine (N= 13,863)
- Risperidone (N= 20,633)
- Seroquel (N= 4,196)
- Clozapine (N= 277)

General PCS patient cohort (N= 6 millions)

 Served as the reference group for comparison with antipsychotic cohorts in regression analysis

RESULTS Odds of Developing Diabetes for the Conventional and Atypical Antipsychotics

Antipsychotic Cohort	Odds	95% Confidence Interval	
		Lower	Upper
Conventional	1.5*	1.3	1.7
Atypical	1.8*	1.6	1.9

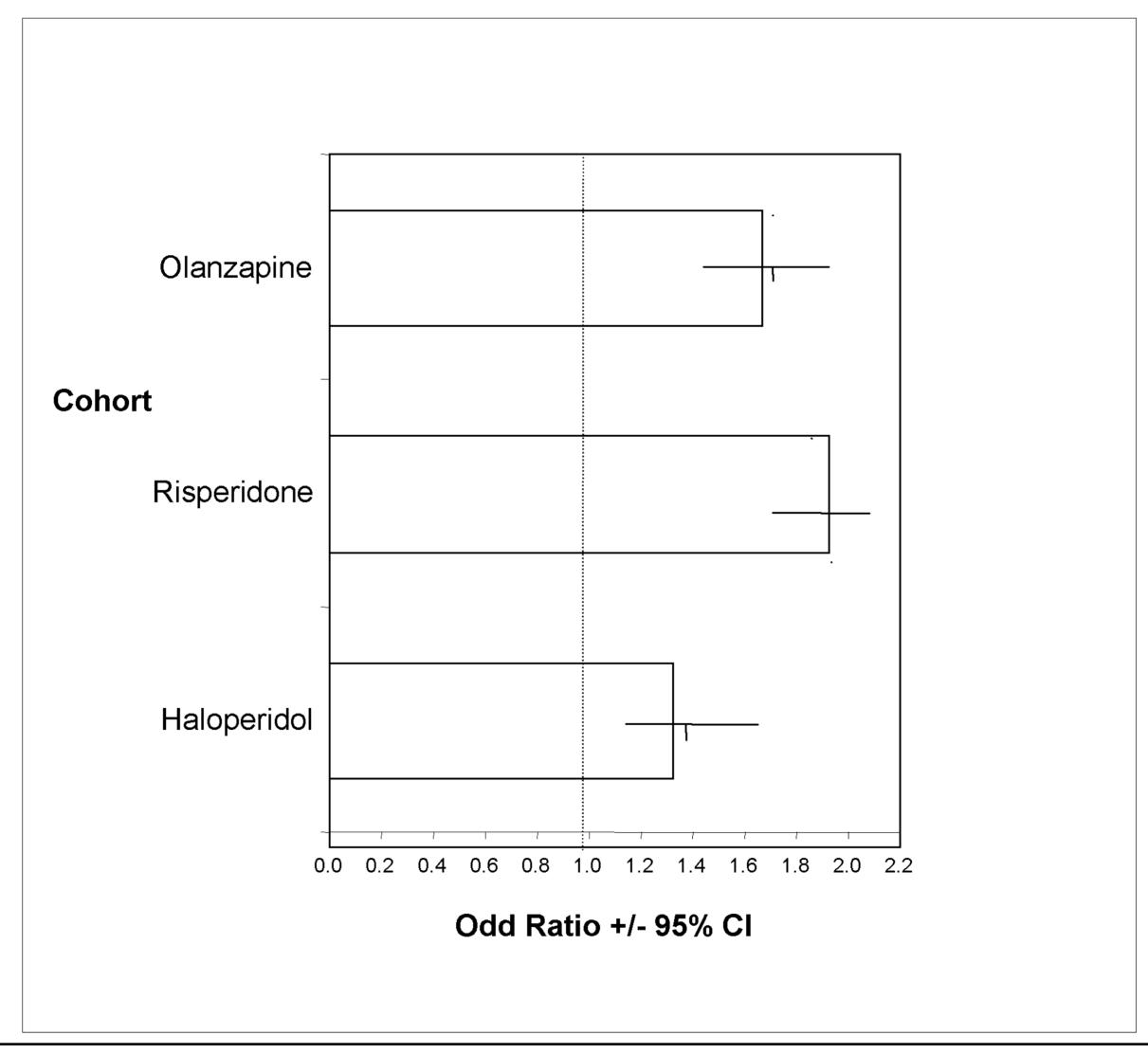
^{*} Significantly different (p<0.05) from the general patient population (odds =1.0) after adjusting for age and gender difference.

Odds of Diabetes for individual Antipsychotic Cohorts (relative to general patient population)

COHORTS	Odds	95% Confidence Interval	
		Lower	Upper
Haloperidol	1.3*	1.1	1.6
Seroquel	1.1	0.8	1.5
Olanzapine	1.7*	1.4	1.9
Risperidone	1.9*	1.7	2.1
Clozapine	2.9*	1.2	5.6

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The Odds of Developing Diabetes while taking Antipsychotics

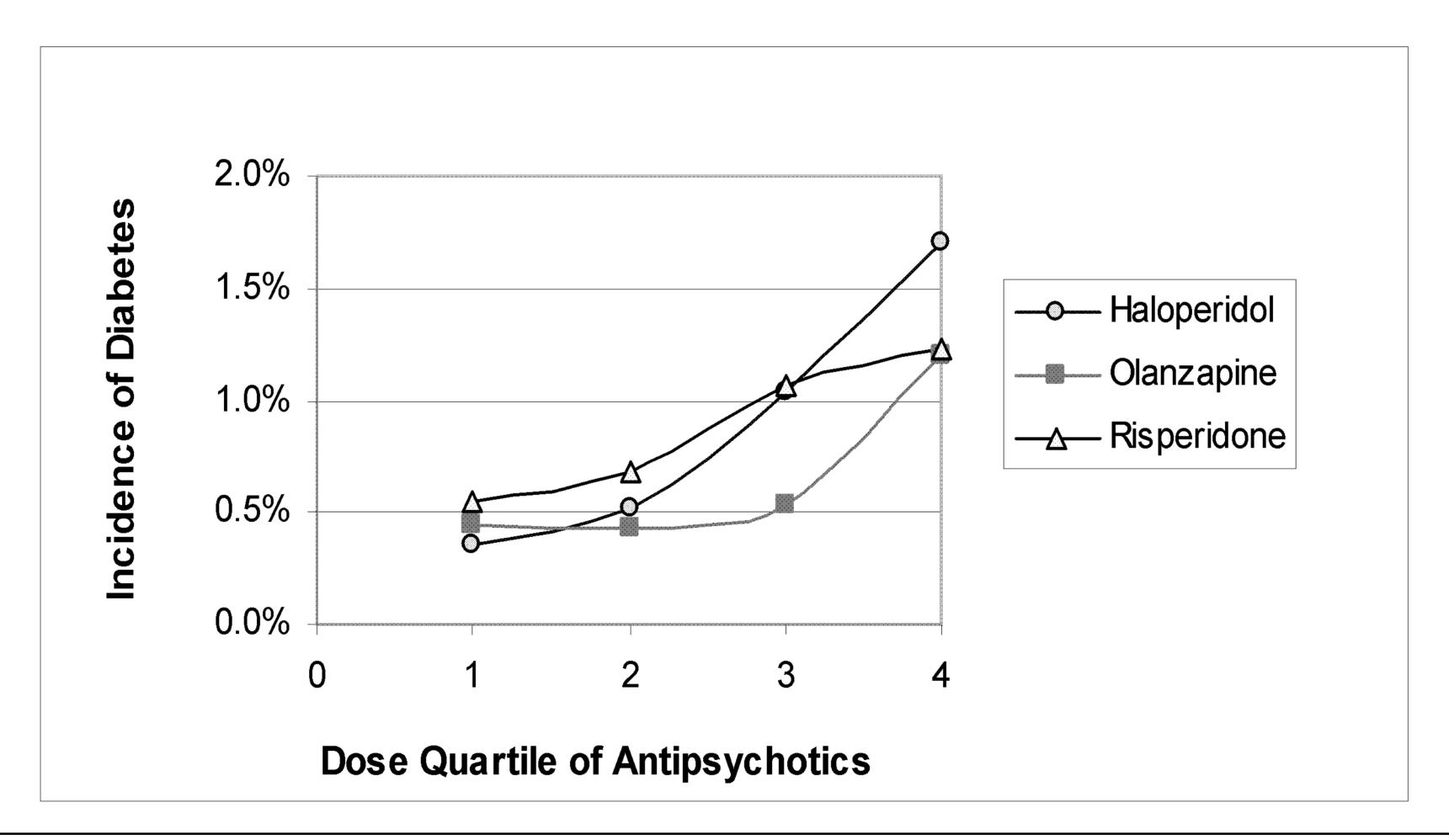


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DOSE-INCIDENCE RELATIONSHIP

(between antipsychotics and diabetes)



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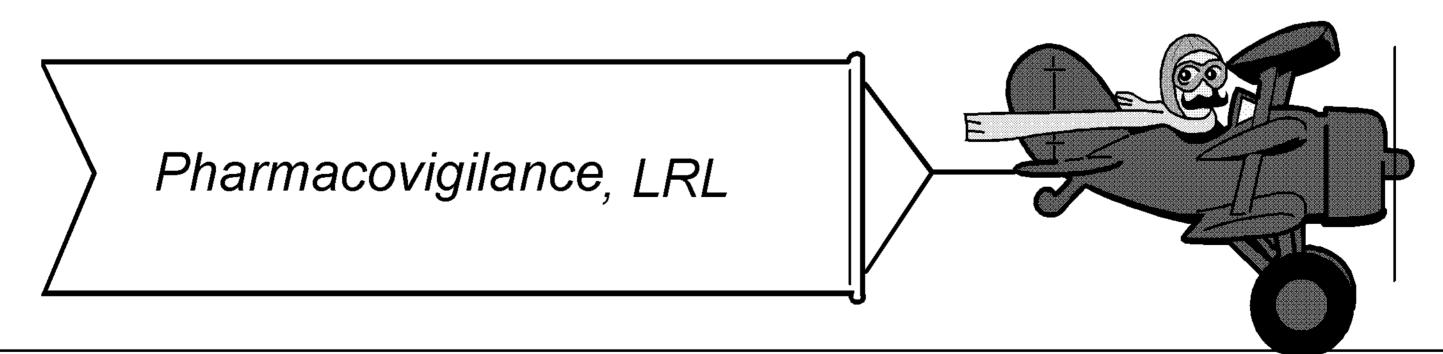
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Answers That Matter

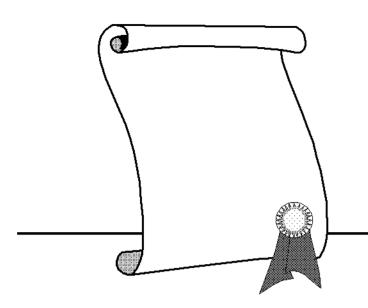
CONCLUSIONS

- Hyperglycemia appears to be a class effect of both conventional and atypical antipsychotics
- Contrary to the claims of Janssens Pharmceutical:
 - ➤ The diabetogenic potential of risperidone was comparable to that of olanzapine.
 - ➤ A dose-incidence relationship was suggested not only for olanzapine, but also for risperidone.



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NEXT STEPS

To perform Cox regression analyses

➤ for direct comparisons between antipsychotic cohorts in their risk of diabetes development

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- Key regulatory agencies
- > Practitioners worldwide
 - * through publications, scientific conferences, and our marketing folks