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Understanding the Shift from

Fee-for- Volume

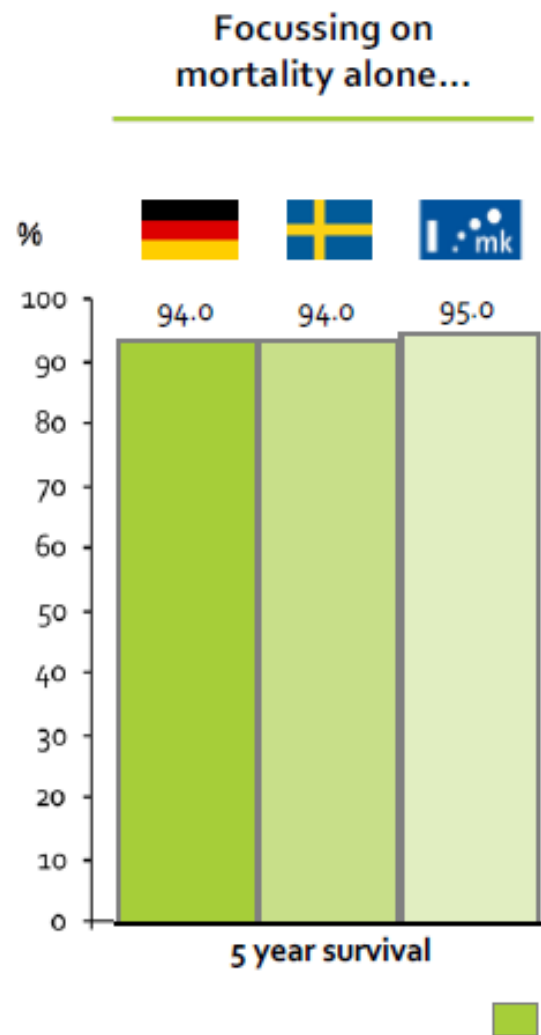
to

Fee-for-Value

Fee-for-Volume (Old World)	Fee-for-Value (New World)
Providers make money by negotiating higher rates and performing as many services as possible	Providers make money by not only providing services, but other results valued by the industry, such as quality, efficiency, wellness, care coordination, and prevention
Payers see providers as vendors	Payers begin to see providers as partners
Providers see every touch as revenue	Providers see every touch as an expense to be managed
Most providers have little regard for evidence-based medicine.	Providers care a great deal about evidence based medicine
Payers primarily pay providers based on claims	Payers pay providers based on claims plus many other inputs (few of which are automated)

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Comparing outcomes of prostate cancer care



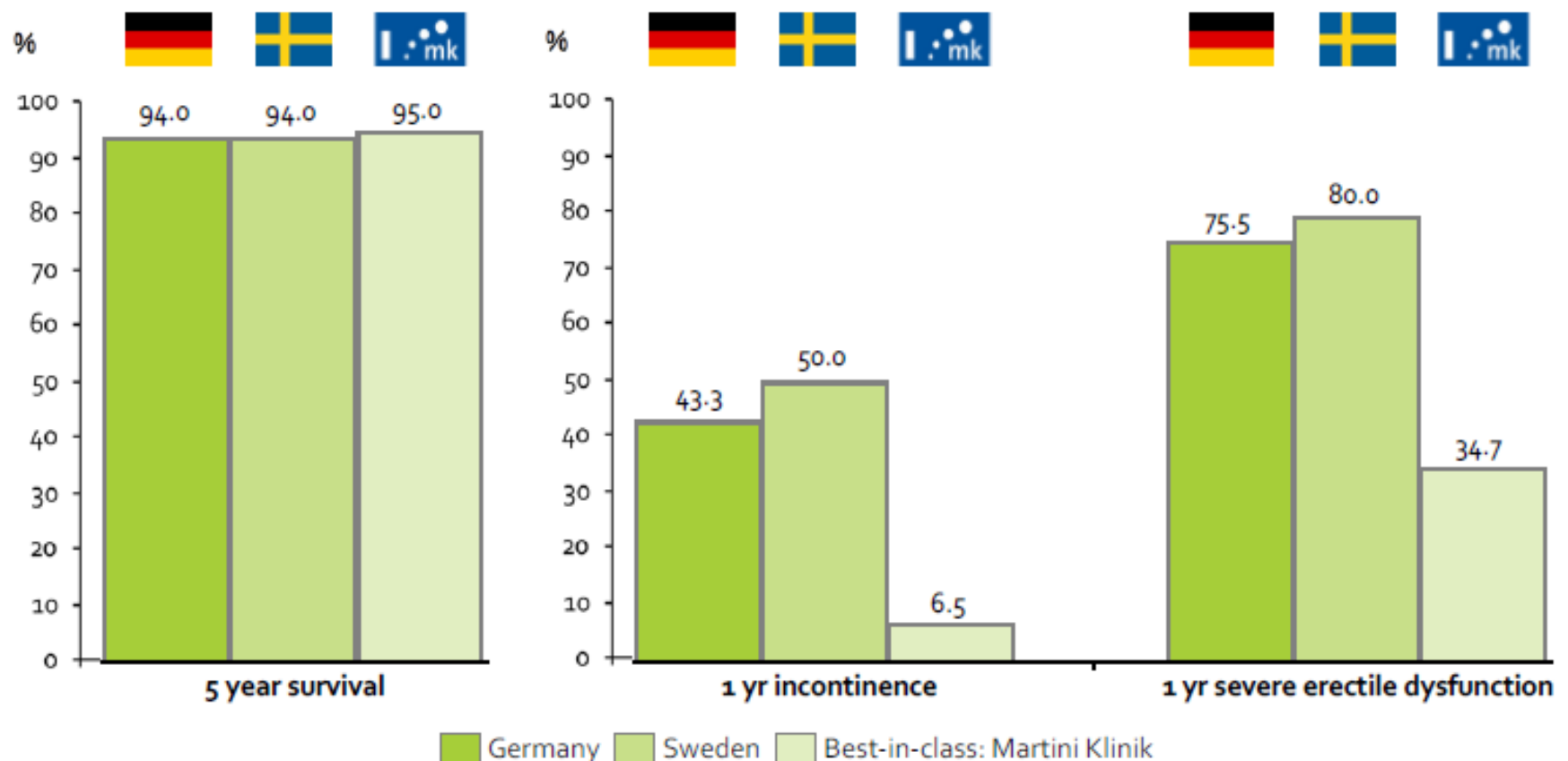
Swedish data rough estimates from graphs; Source: National quality report for the year of diagnosis 2012 from the National Prostate Cancer Register (NPCR) Sweden, Martini Klinik, BARMER GEK Report Krankenhaus 2012, Patient-reported outcomes (EORTC-PSM), 1 year after treatment, 2010

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Focussing on mortality alone...

...may obscure large differences in outcomes that matter most to patients



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**Changing culture of care
to
focus on patient experience**



What we can learn from a DIY knitted sweater.....

- Done with the best intentions, and with great skill
- “Producer” happy: (thinks) she has done something useful for me
- Voice of recipient not heard or asked....
- For me it is sufficient to know she CARES for me, I do not want a sweater....

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Incidence of dialysis per age category, per million population

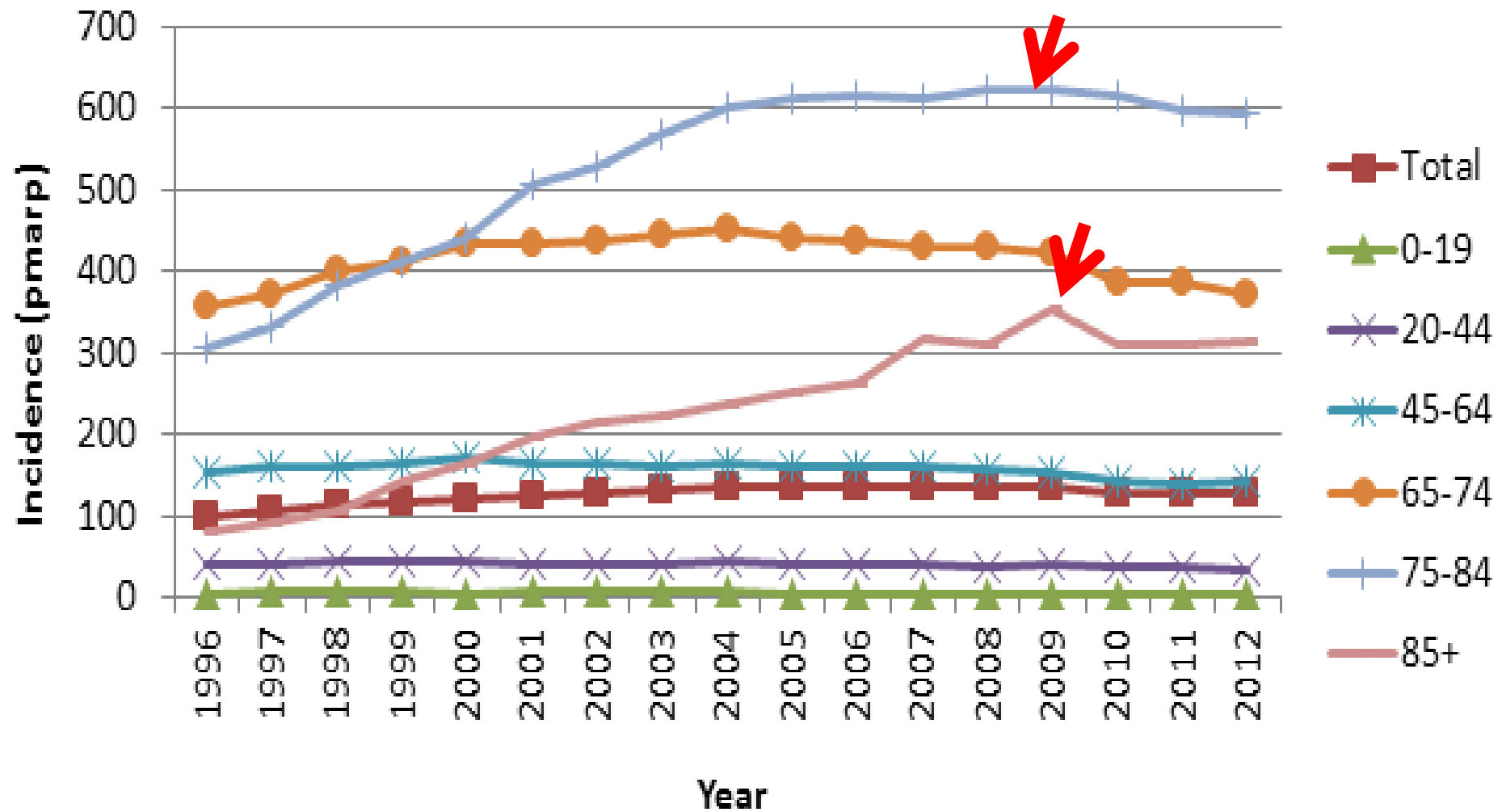


Table 2. Withdrawals per 100 patient-years of dialysis and withdrawal as a cause of death

Year	Total Withdrawals (n)	Withdrawal Rate per 100 Patient-Years of Dialysis (%)	Withdrawal as Cause of Death (%) ^a
2001	233	1.5	7.9
2002	303	1.8	9.9
2003	376	2.2	11.8
2004	441	2.4	13.8
2005	543	2.8	16.1
2006	538	2.7	15.4
2007	657	3.2	18.4
2008	660	3.1	18.3
2009	667	3.0	19.5


^aDate of death not available in 25% of patients who withdrew from dialysis.

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Opportunity!!



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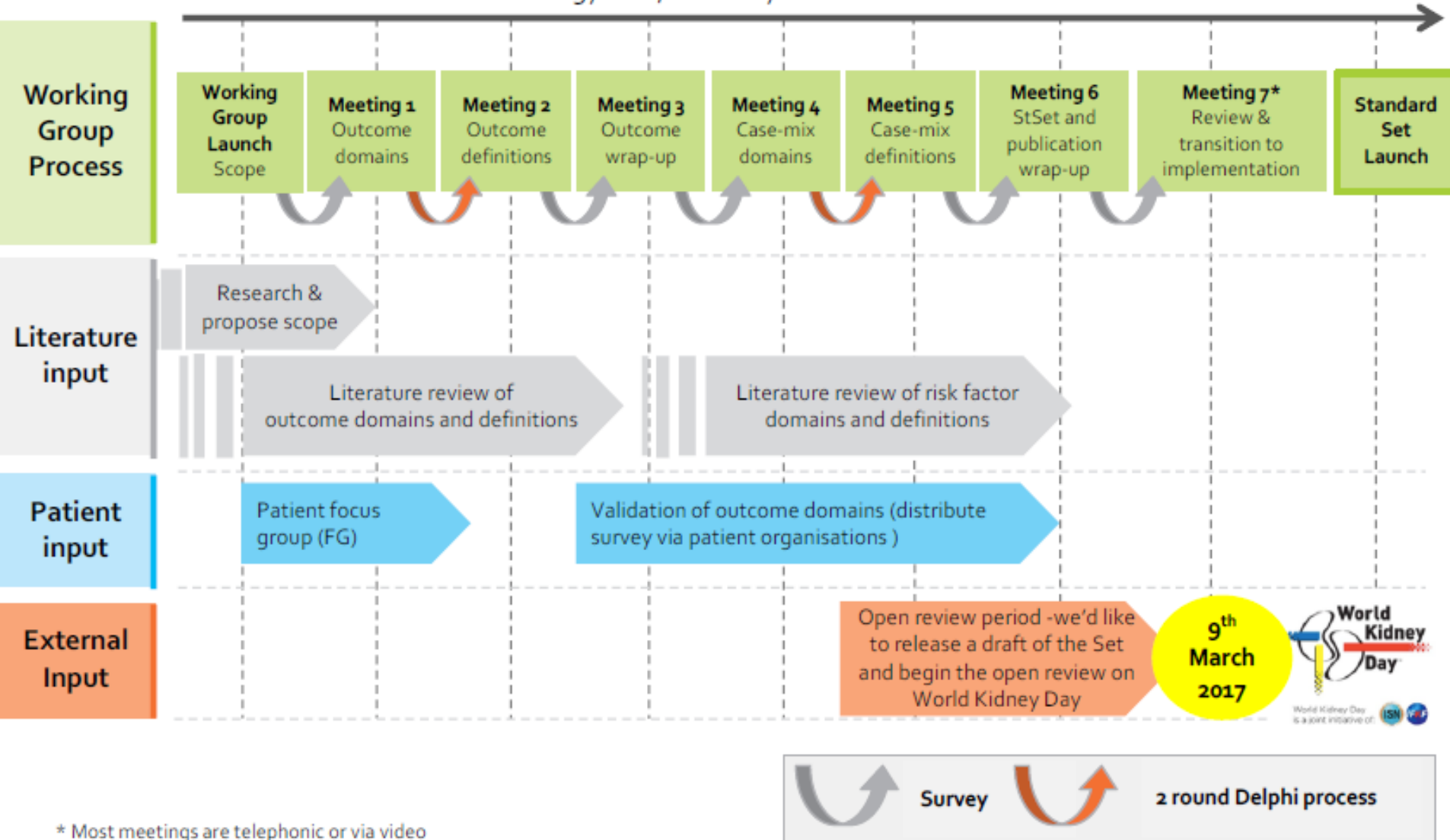
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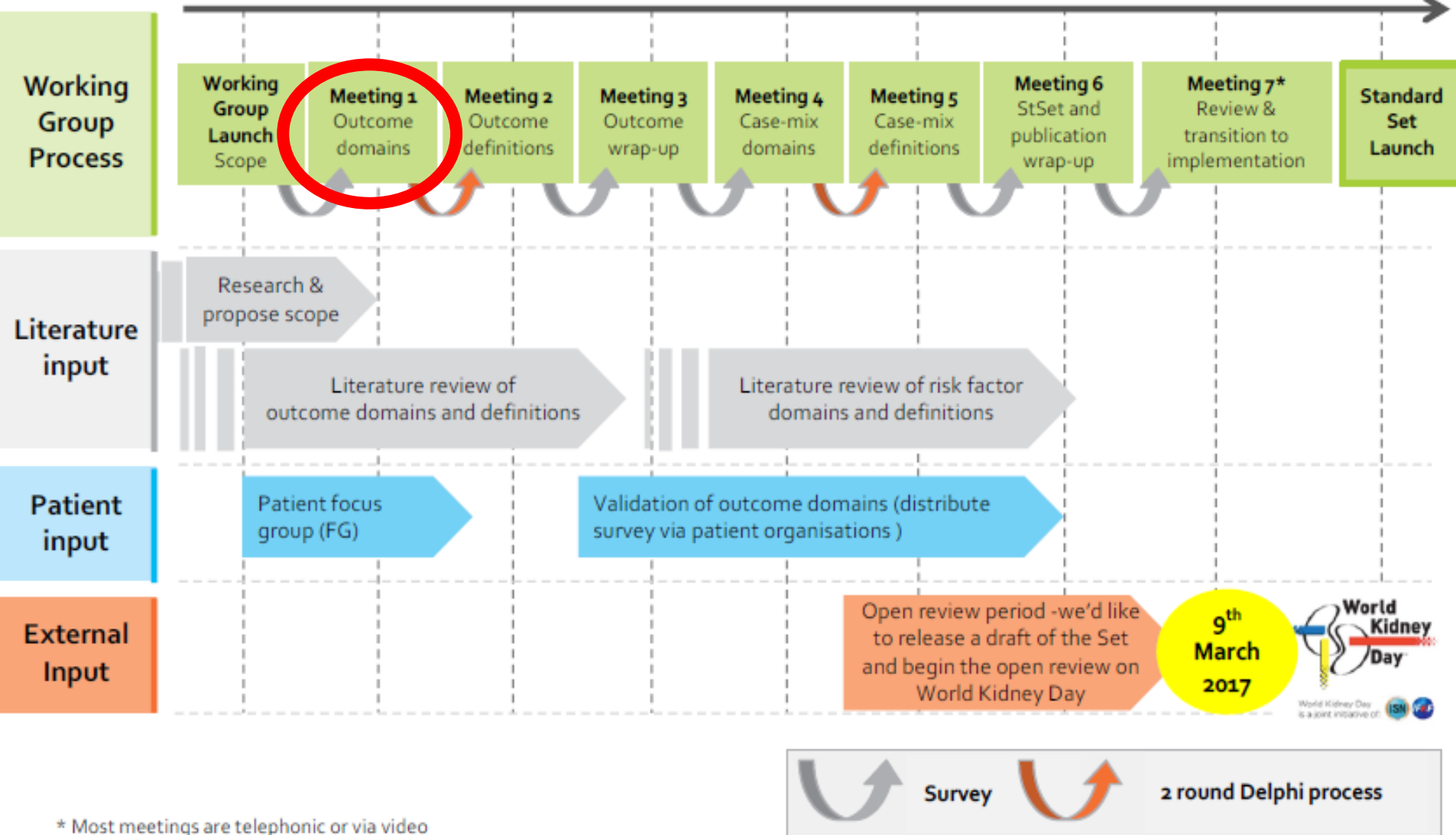
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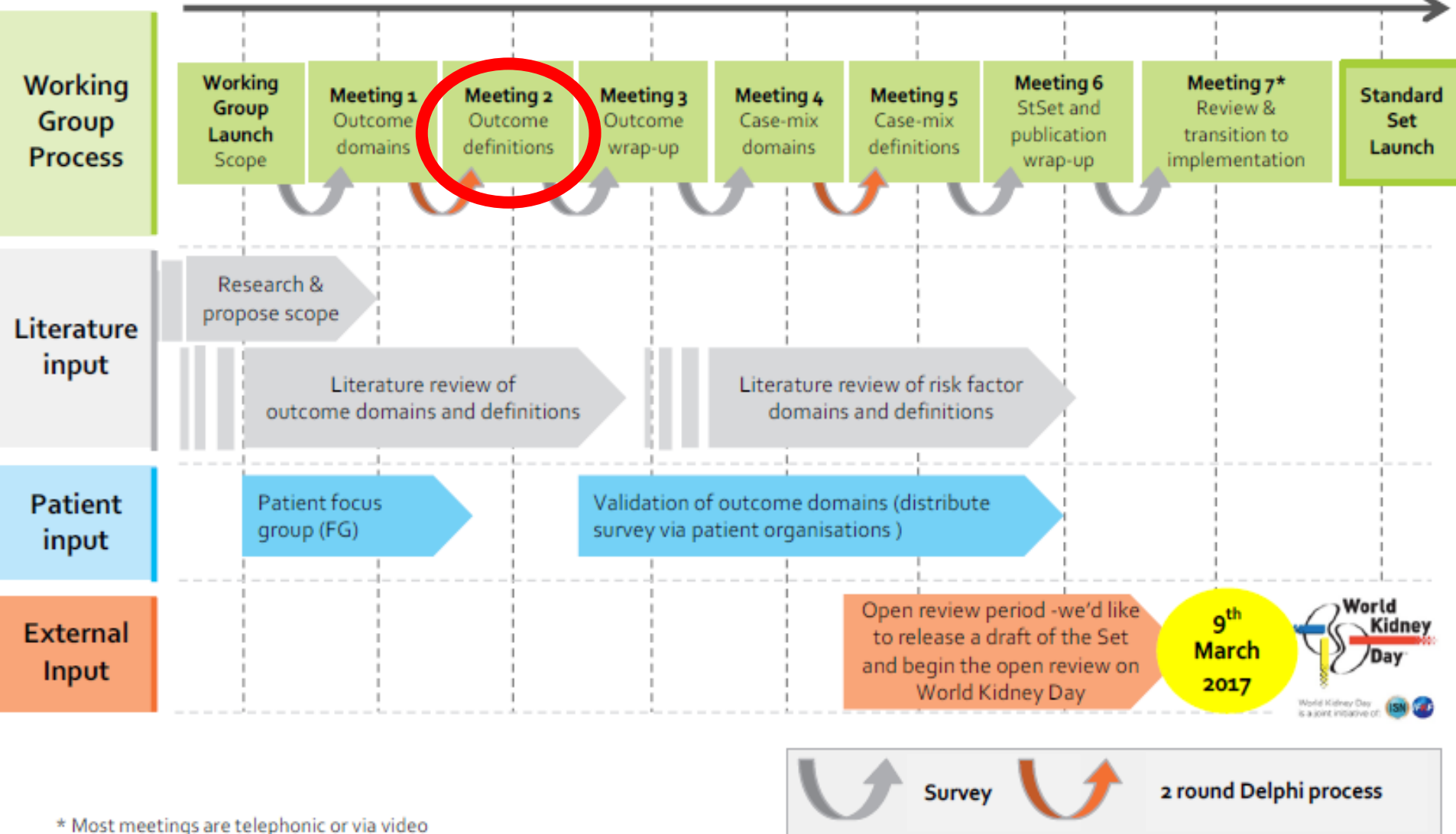
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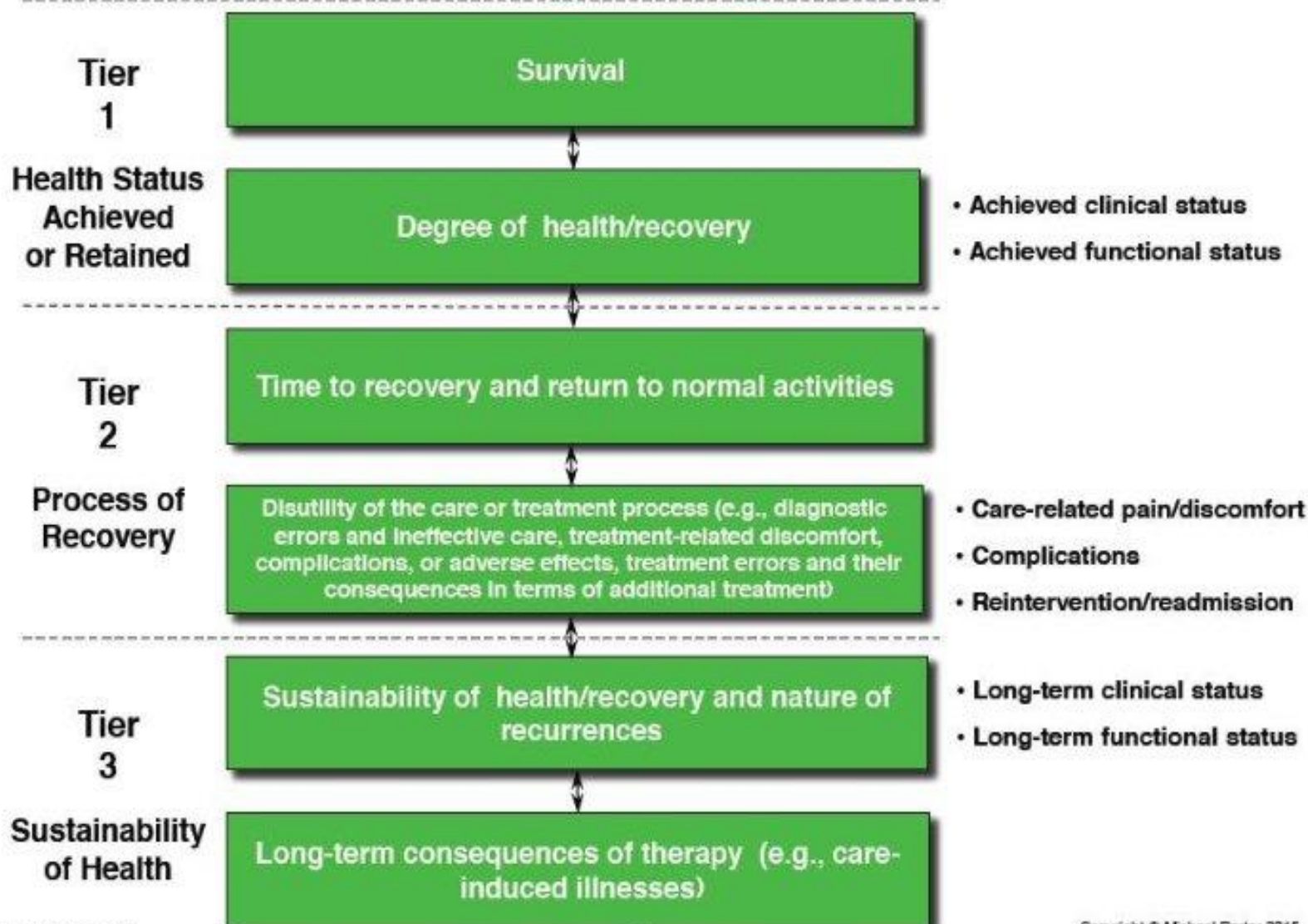


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The Outcome Measures Hierarchy



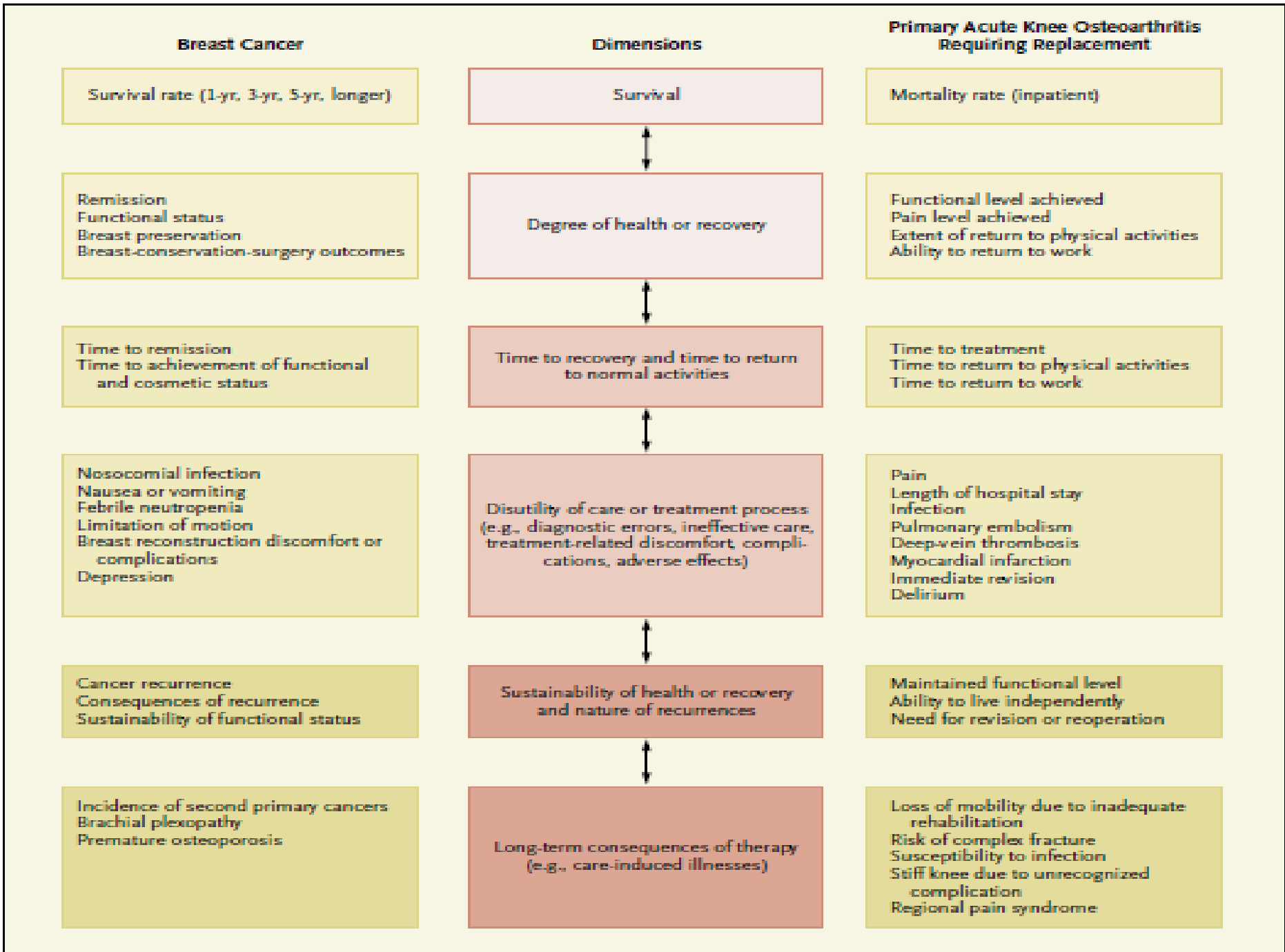


Figure 2. Outcome Hierarchies for Breast Cancer and Knee Osteoarthritis.

To measure is my pleasure...



Measuring quality

* Measures vs indicators



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graph LR; A["* Measures vs indicators"] --> B["Some representation that reflects another entity"]; A --> C["Direct measuring of a physical concept eg body weight"]
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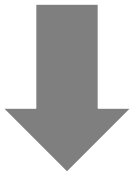
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Indicator categories

Structure

Characteristics of the health care setting

Example: have a nutritional counselling programme, how many nurses/patient, is there a CT scan etc



Process

Care is actually being delivered

Example: hepatitis B vaccination in seronegative patients, % follows handwashing protocol, % prescription of statin



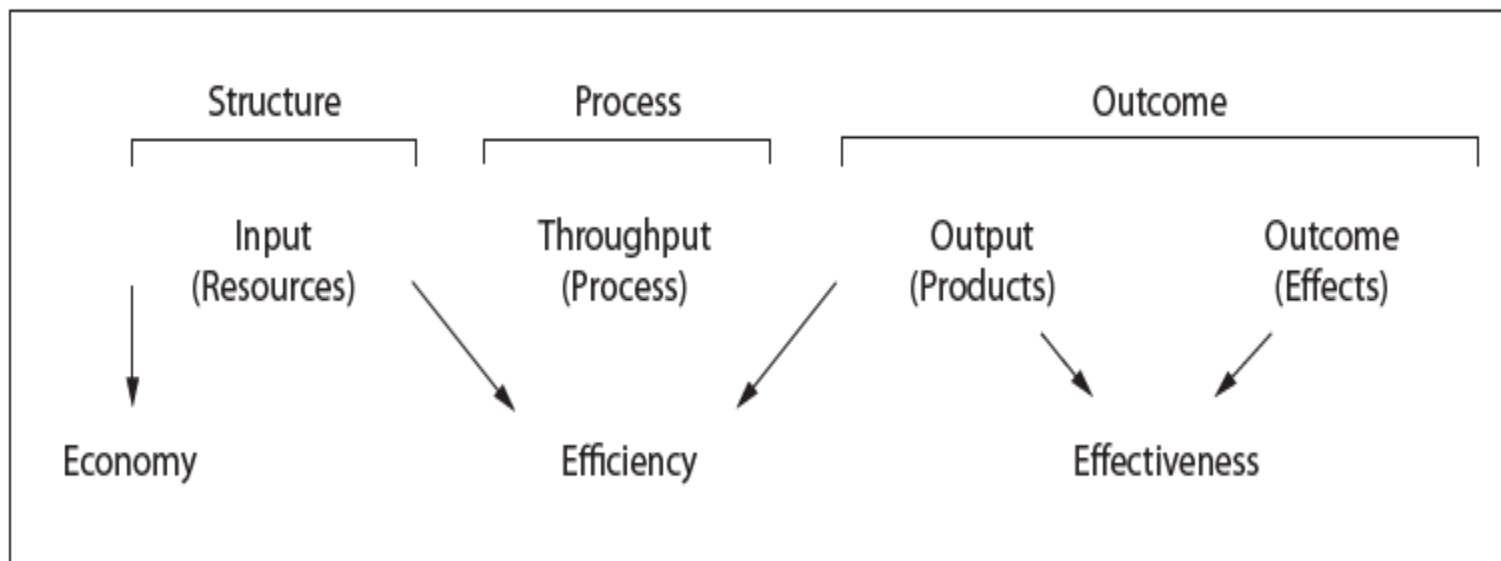
Outcome

Patients' ultimate health status or occurrence of adverse events after having received treatment

Examples: CV death in ESRD patients (observed); quality of life after transplantation (patient-reported) (Type of outcomes: clinical outcomes, Clinical correlates, surrogate markers)

From Donabedian, 1966 Milbank Quarterly

2000



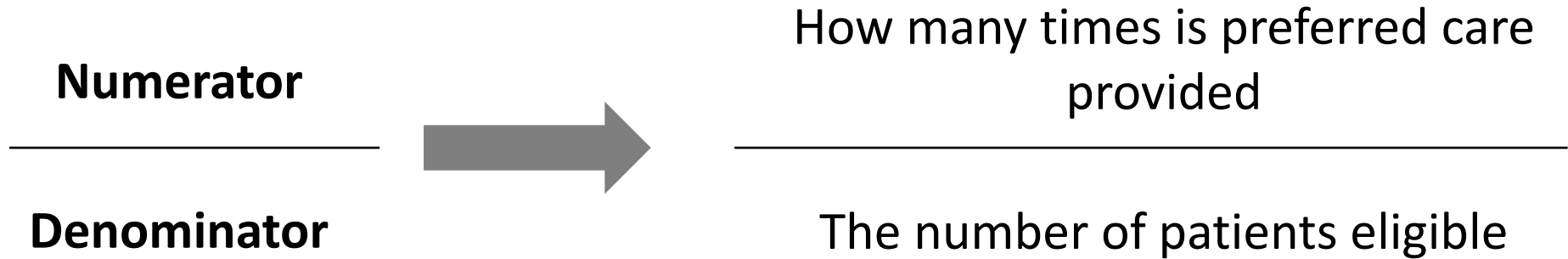
2014

Year	Structures	Process	Outcome
2002	Availability of jointcare program (orthopedics)	-	-
2005	Specialisation surgeon	Waiting time for TKA	-
2009	-	Pre-operative antibiotics	Wound infections (not publicly available)
2011	-	Volume	Δ Oxford hip score - PROM
2014			Value = Quality Costs

Figuur 1. Van structuur naar outcome en waarde

How to balance the advantages of different indicator categories against the disadvantages depends on why you measure them. What is the aim of your measurement initiative?

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Indicator C

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Indicator D

$$\begin{array}{l}
 \text{Numerator} \\
 \text{Screened for AVF suitability } \geq 1 \text{ before start HD} \\
 \hline
 \text{Denominator} \quad \text{All incident HD patients}
 \end{array}
 \rightarrow
 \frac{418}{536} = \boxed{78\%}$$

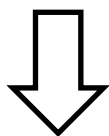
Composing an indicator set

Examples of potential indicators

STRUCTURE

Nurse practitioner for CV risk management

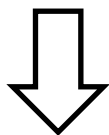
Having an allocated nurse practitioner responsible for monitoring and improving compliance to lifestyle modifications for at least 6 months in the last year (yes/no)



PROCESS

Prescription of statins

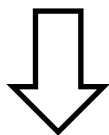
% CKD patients aged ≥ 18 years (stages 1-5, not on dialysis) who were prescribed statins in the last year



SURROGATE OUTCOME

Low-density cholesterol level

% calendar months within the last year during which CKD patients aged ≥ 18 years (stages 1-5, not on dialysis) had a LDL cholesterol level < 2.6 mmol/L



OUTCOME

Risk of cardiovascular event

% CKD patients aged ≥ 18 years (stages 1-5, not on dialysis) who had a (non-)fatal myocardial infarction and/or a (non) fatal non-hemorrhagic stroke and/or an arterial revascularisation procedure in the last year

Opportunity Cost

YOU CAN DO ANYTHING,
BUT NOT EVERYTHING.

-DAVID ALLEN



Scarcity & Opportunity Cost



Opportunity Cost

- **Monetary cost of the basket ball = 20 dollar**
- **opportunity cost= the ticket**



Opportunity cost in health care: the cost of the loss of alternative actions that cannot be done because of the chosen intervention

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Voor het primaire eindpunt, ziektevrije overleving, laat de hazard ratio zich vertalen naar een absoluut voordeel voor de Herceptin-arm, namelijk een 2 jaar lange ziektevrije overlevingskans van 7,6 procentpunt (85,5% vs 78,2%).



Table 1 Cost and potential benefits of adjuvant cancer treatments in Norfolk and Norwich University Hospital Trust

Treatment	No of patients given treatment	Drug cost (£000)	Proven benefit	Potential benefit at our hospital	Cost per patient cured (£000)
Adjuvant chemotherapy for lung cancer	15	23	5-15% improved 5 year overall survival ^{w3}	1 extra patient cured	23
Oxaliplatin as adjuvant therapy for colon cancer compared with fluorouracil alone	20	137	5% improved 3 year disease-free survival; no benefit to overall survival ^{w4}	1 extra patient without recurrence at 3 years	137
Neoadjuvant chemotherapy for oesophageal cancer	25	8	9% improved 5 year survival ^{w5}	3 extra patients cured	2.67
Rituximab in addition to CHOP for non-Hodgkin lymphoma in patients over 60	25	215	13% improved 2 year overall survival ^{w6}	3 extra patients cured	71.67
Adjuvant aromatase inhibitors in postmenopausal breast cancer	270	120	3.7% improved disease-free survival compared with tamoxifen; no benefit to overall survival ^{w7}	8 extra patients without recurrence at 5 years	15
Total	355	503		16 extra patients cured	
Herceptin for early stage breast cancer	75	1940	0-4% improved 4 year overall survival ^{w1 w2}	3 extra patients cured	650

CHOP=cyclophosphamide, doxorubicin, vincristine, and prednisolone.



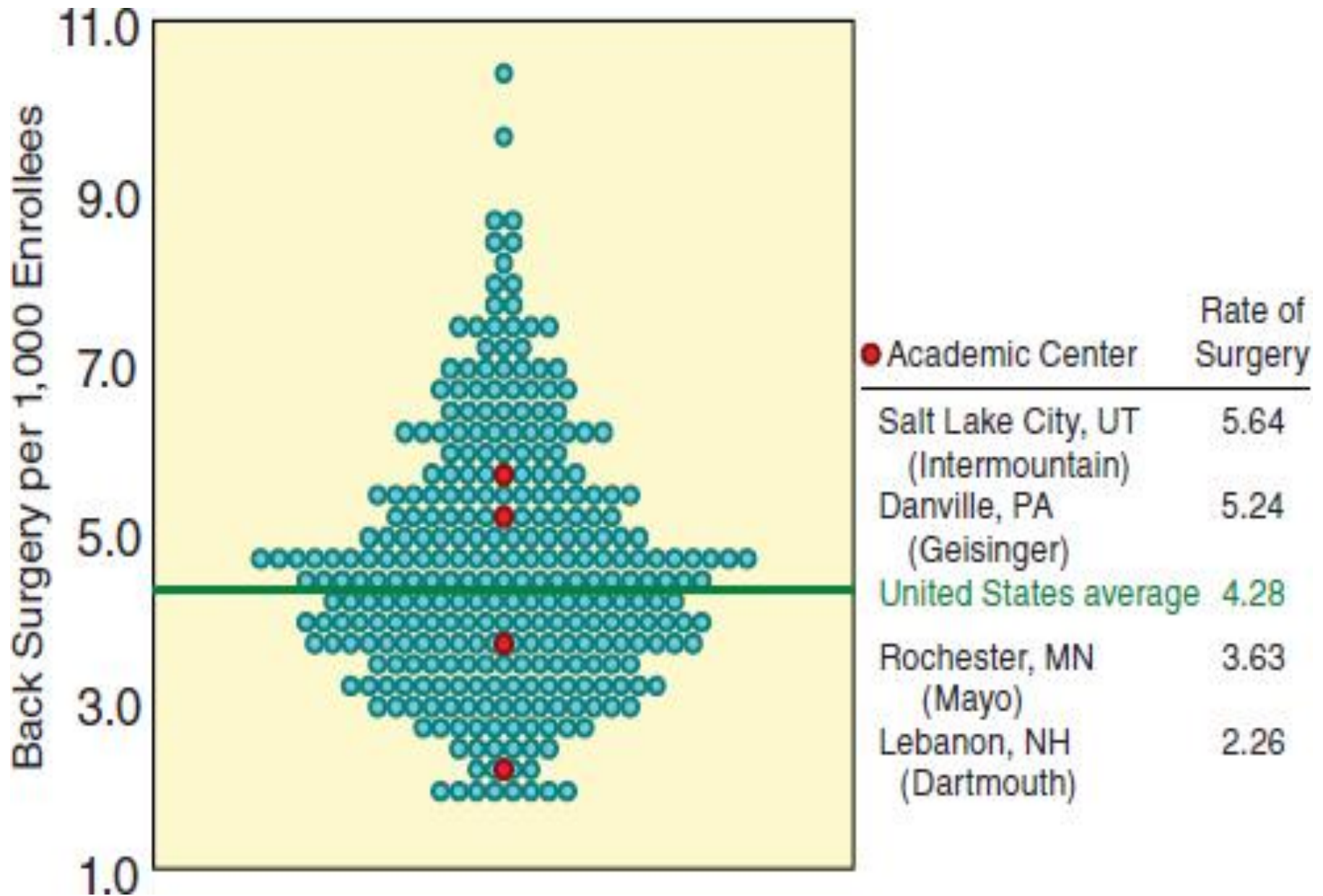
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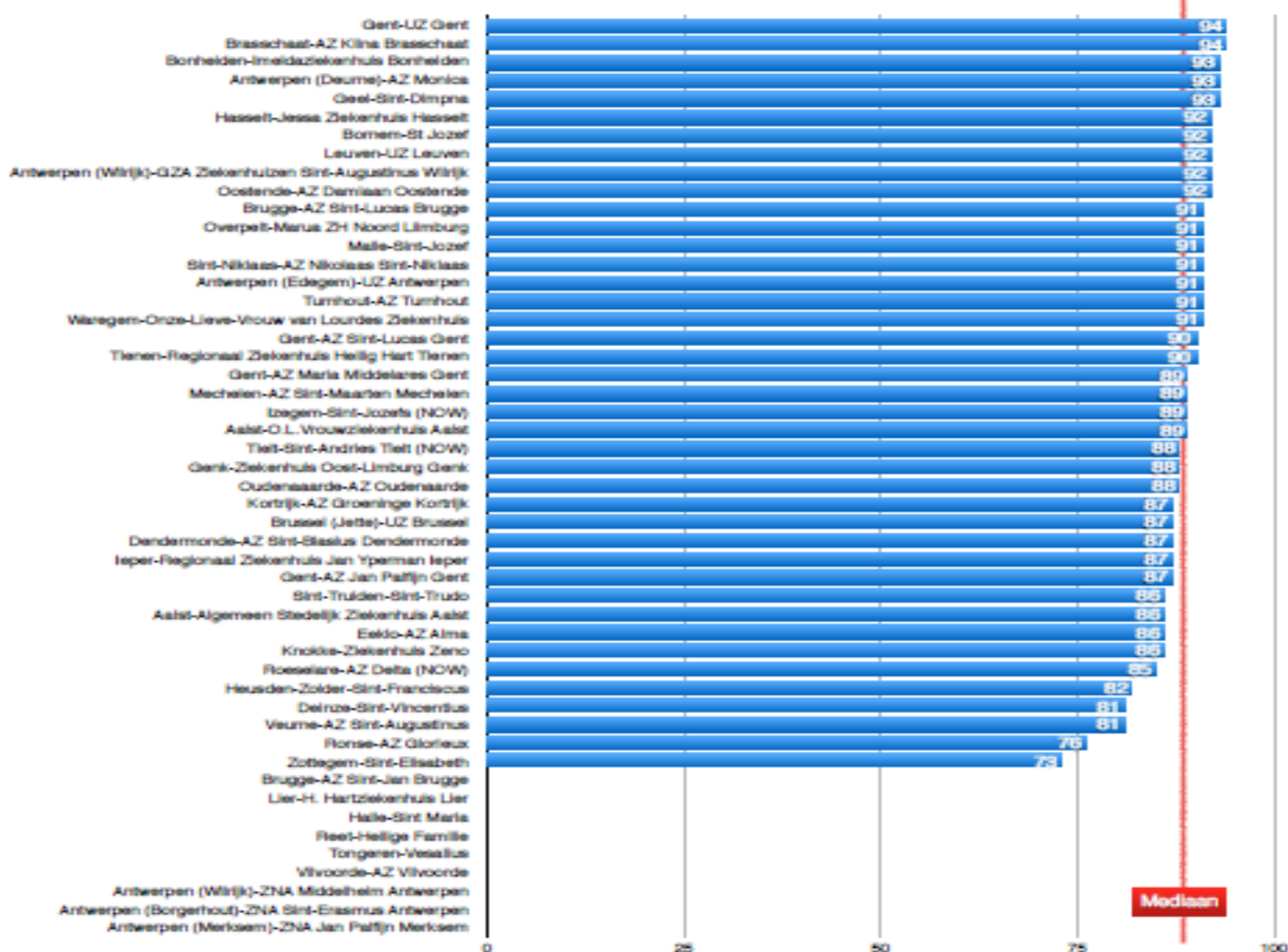
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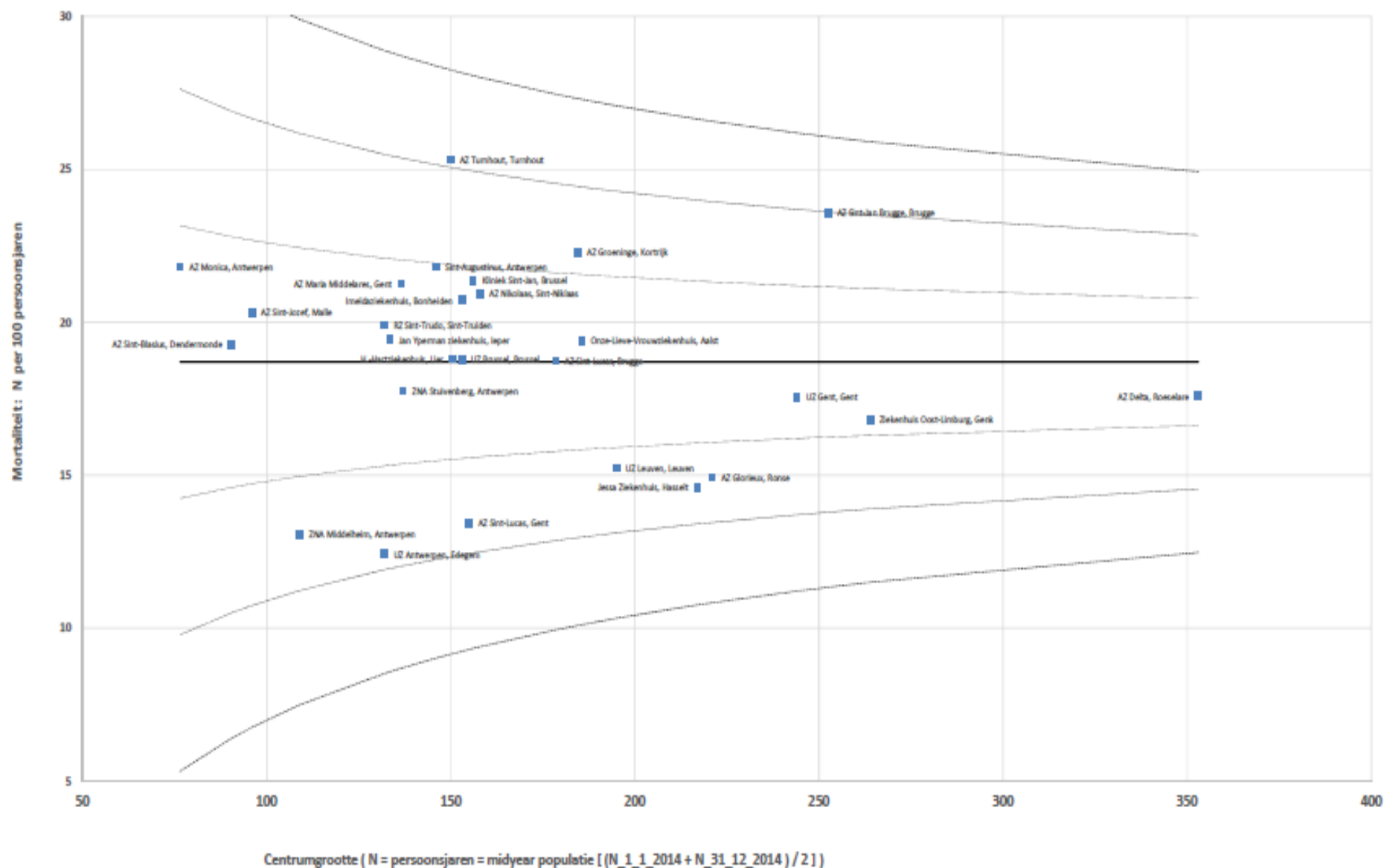
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Understanding Variability





voor leeftijd gestandaardiseerde mortaliteit - NBVN - per centrum in kalenderjaar 2014




Adjusting for patient characteristics

- The case mix fallacy: unknown and unmeasured case-mix factors hampering complete risk adjustment.

From Lilford, 2004 Lancet

- Registration of risk factors (such as comorbidities) may differ between health care providers. *From Collier, 2011 NDT*
- Not only (surrogate) outcome indicators, but also process indicators should be adjusted for patient factors:
 - sicker patients need more complex care
 - influence of patient preference



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