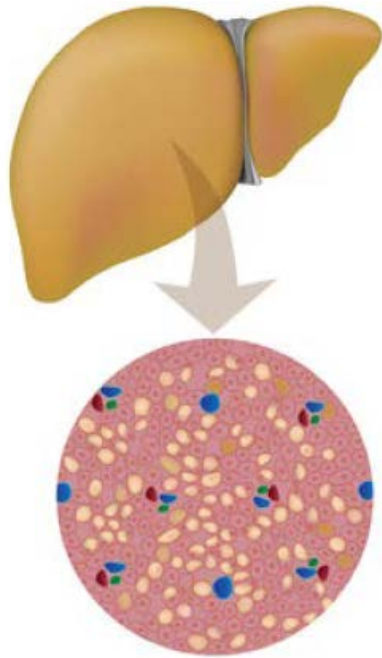


# ORBERA365™ and the management of NAFLD



# Non-alcoholic fatty liver disease (NAFLD) incidence rapidly increasing

- NAFLD incidence rate is rapidly increasing globally; reflecting the growth rate of the obesity epidemic.

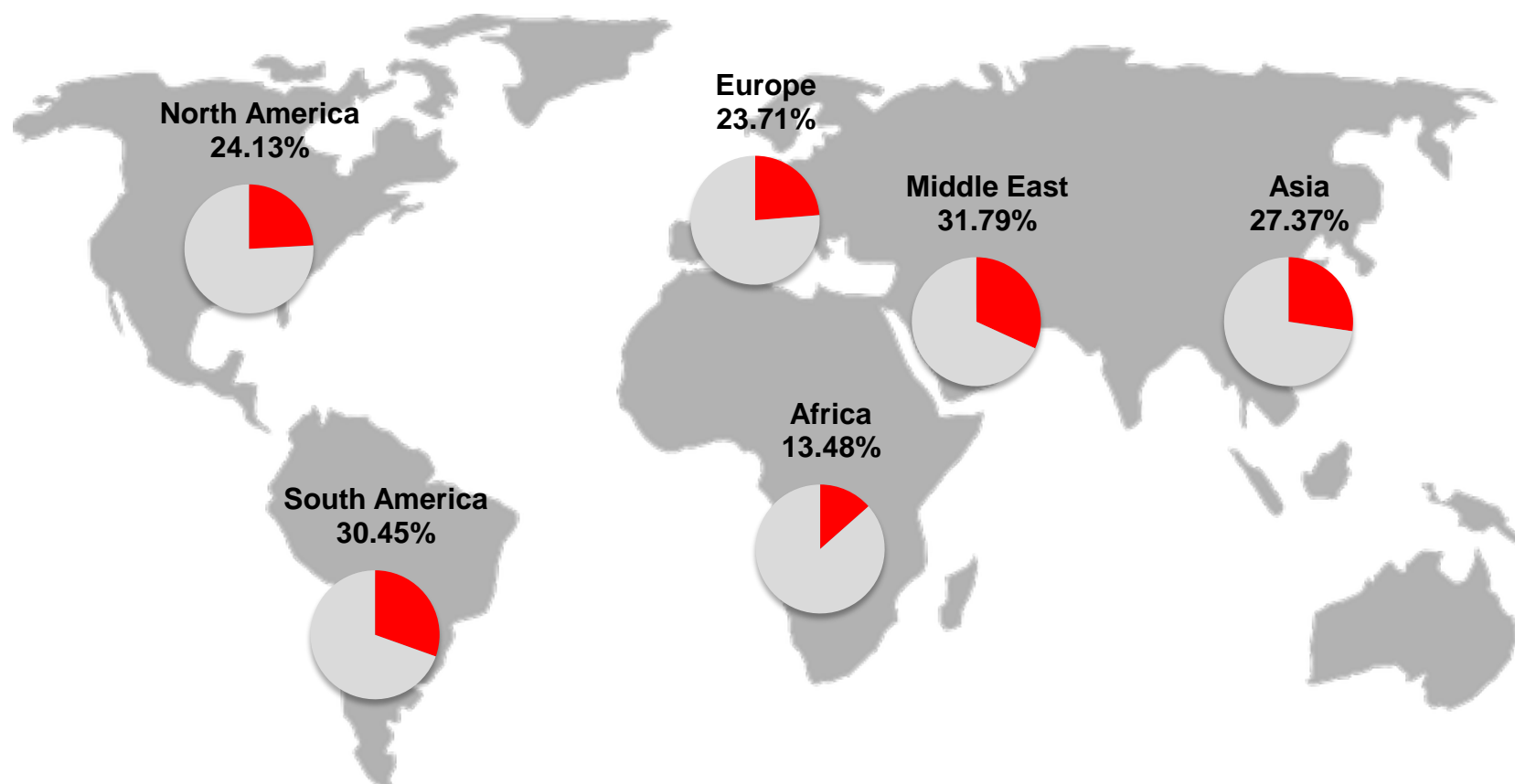


**NAFLD affects up to 70% of obese patients, and is strongly linked to metabolic syndrome.**

**NAFLD is on a trajectory of becoming the leading indication for liver transplantation in the next decade.**

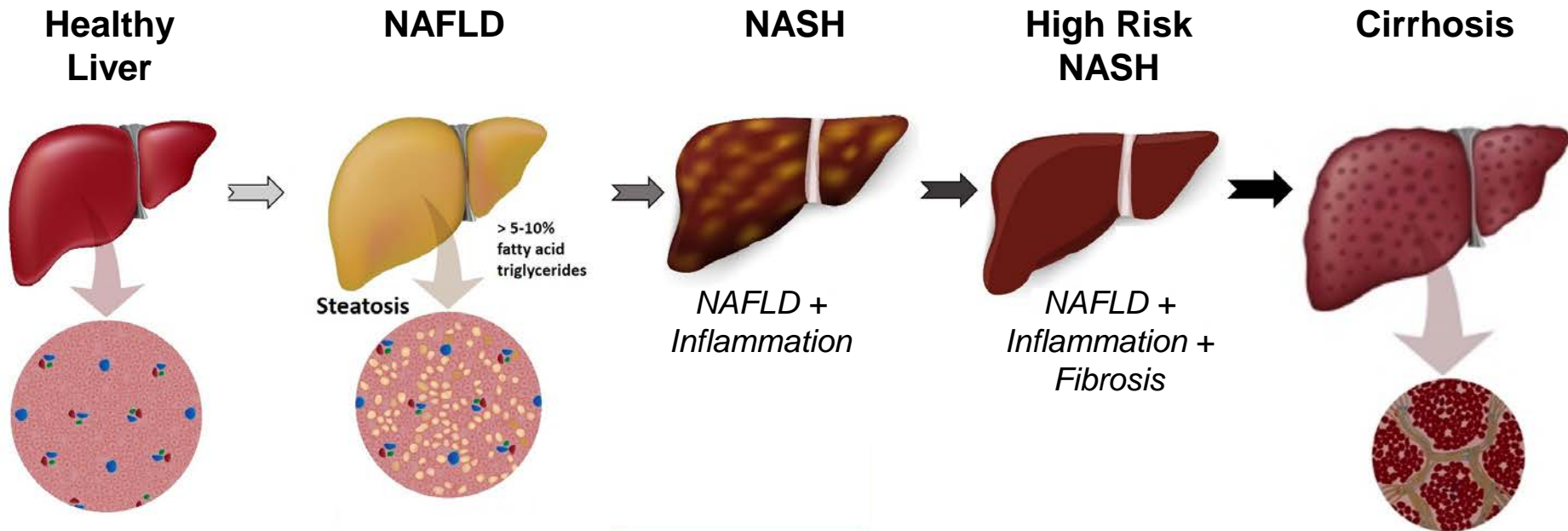
# NAFLD is having a global impact

## Global incidence rate of NAFLD



1) Contribution of Alcoholic and Nonalcoholic Fatty Liver Disease to the Burden of Liver-Related Morbidity and Mortality. Gastroenterology. 2016 Jun;150(8):1778-85.

# If left untreated, NAFLD frequently progresses to NASH, Cirrhosis or Cancer



**30 - 40%**  
*of NAFLD patients  
progress to NASH  
in 6 years*

*10-30% of NASH patients progress to  
Cirrhosis*

*2-6% of NAFLD patients develop  
hepatocellular carcinoma*

# Few treatment options for NAFLD

**✗ No approved  
pharmacotherapy**

**✗ No approved  
procedures /  
devices**

## Primary Treatment: Weight Loss / Lifestyle Modification<sup>1</sup>



**Target: 7-10% Total Body Weight  
Loss & Maintain**

1) An Overview of Dietary Interventions and Strategies to Optimize the Management of Non-Alcoholic Fatty Liver Disease. Diseases. 2017 Oct 22;5(4)

# NAFLD Guidelines

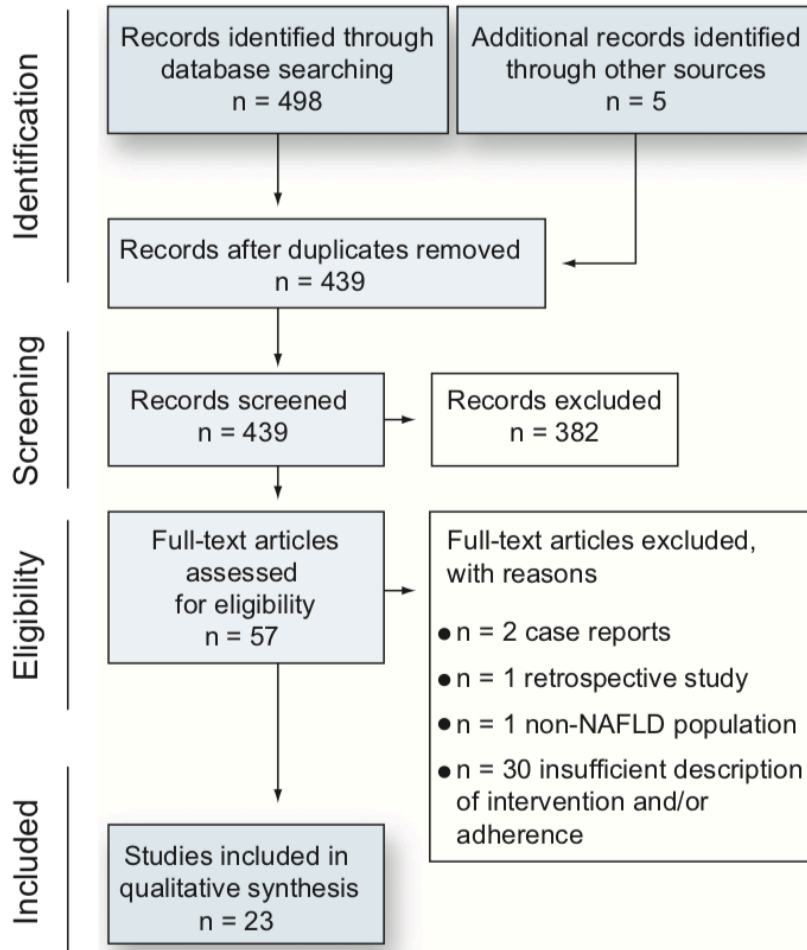
## EASL-EASD-EASO Clinical Practice Guidelines for the management of non-alcoholic fatty liver disease<sup>☆</sup>

Area	Suggested intervention
Energy restriction	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 500-1000 kcal energy defect, to induce a weight loss of 500-1000 g/week</li><li>• 7-10% total weight loss target</li><li>• Long-term maintenance approach, combining physical activity according to the principles of cognitive-behavioural treatment</li></ul>
Macronutrient composition	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Low-to-moderate fat and moderate-to-high carbohydrate intake</li><li>• Low-carbohydrate ketogenic diets or high-protein</li></ul>
Fructose intake	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Avoid fructose-containing beverages and foods</li></ul>
Alcohol intake	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Strictly keep alcohol below the risk threshold (30 g, men; 20 g, women)</li></ul>
Coffee drinking	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• No liver-related limitations</li></ul>
Exercise/physical activity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 150-200 min/week of moderate intensity aerobic physical activities in 3-5 sessions are generally preferred (brisk walking, stationery cycling)</li><li>• Resistance training is also effective and promotes musculoskeletal fitness, with effects on metabolic risk factors</li><li>• High rates of inactivity-promoting fatigue and daytime sleepiness reduce compliance with exercise</li></ul>

**7-10% TBWL  
Target**

**Long-term  
maintenance  
approach**

# Meta-analysis of lifestyle interventions for NAFLD highlights the benefits of weight loss



- Strong correlation between weight loss and reduction of intrahepatic triacylglycerol concentration (IHTAG)
- ***Weight reductions of 4–14% resulted in statistically significant reductions in IHTAG (35–81%)***
  - Most rapid weight loss results with: Low (800–1800 kCal/day), very low-calorie diets (<800 kCal/day), and carbohydrate restriction (20–50 g/d)
- Greatest limitation is the variability in program adherence and the weight loss results of any of the programs

1) Lifestyle interventions for the treatment of non-alcoholic fatty liver disease in adults: A systematic review. Journal of Hepatology 2012 vol. 56 j 255–266.



# Weight loss one of the most effective treatments for NAFLD

## **Multiple studies have shown weight loss is very effective:**

- 75% remission rate among NAFLD patients who lost >5% TBWL.<sup>1</sup>
- Weight loss of at least 5% TBLD (ideally 10% TBWL) through lifestyle changes demonstrated resolution of NAFLD or improvement of fibrosis
- >7% body weight loss has been shown to reduce fibrosis, and so referral to weight-management specialists for those patients with a BMI >30 is encouraged<sup>2</sup>

***While weight loss is effective it is difficult to achieve,  
>50% of patients fail to meet weigh loss targets<sup>3</sup>***

- 1) Predictors for incidence and remission of NAFLD in the general population during a seven-year prospective follow-up. J Hepatol. 2012 May;56(5):1145-51.
- 2) Mistakes in nonalcoholic fatty liver disease and how to avoid them. October 19, 2017 By: Sarah A. Townsend and Philip N. Newsome – UEG publication
- 3) A meta-analysis of randomized trials for the treatment of nonalcoholic fatty liver disease. Hepatology. 2010 Jul;52(1):79-104.





# ORBERA365: Effective Non-surgical weight loss



# ORBERA365™ is an effective weight loss option that fills the gap

DIET & EXERCISE

COMMERCIAL  
WEIGHT LOSS

Orbera365 

BARIATRIC  
SURGERY

- ✓ 10-18% TBWL in 6 months
- ✓ 15-20 minute, non-surgical procedure
- ✓ NOW with 12 months of therapy to help patients maintain weight loss



# Globally proven with real world results



**277,000**

Devices placed  
worldwide<sup>2</sup>



**#1**

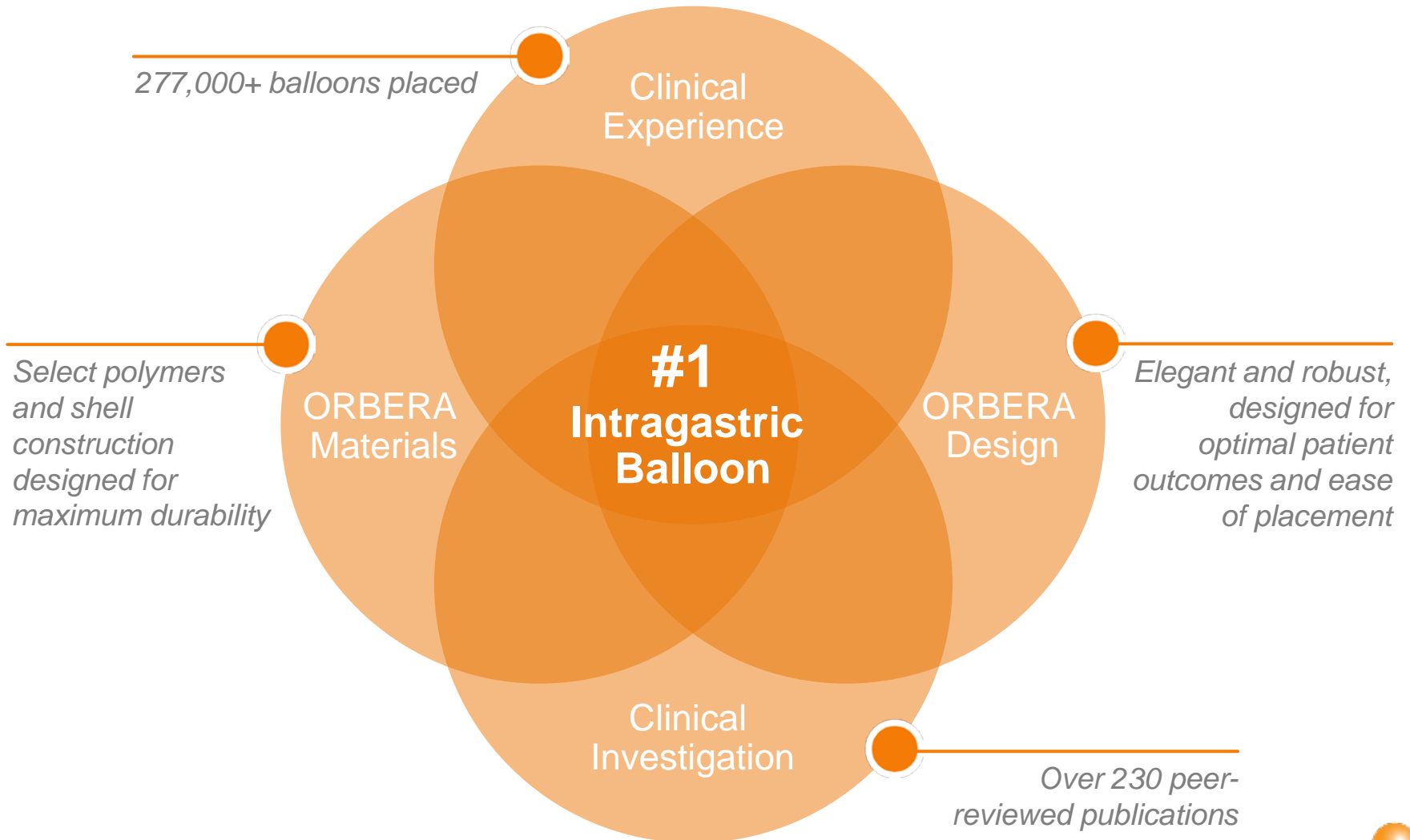
Most frequently used  
intragastric balloon around  
the world



Extended Support  
Up to 12 Months



# ORBERA: #1 Weight Loss Balloon Around the World





# Launched in 2017, ORBERA365™ expands the benefits of the #1 IGB

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## Weight Loss Balloon

- 20+ year experience
- 277,000+ distributed
- 230+ published studies



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## Extended Support

- Up to 12 months
- Expand offerings
- Weight maintenance





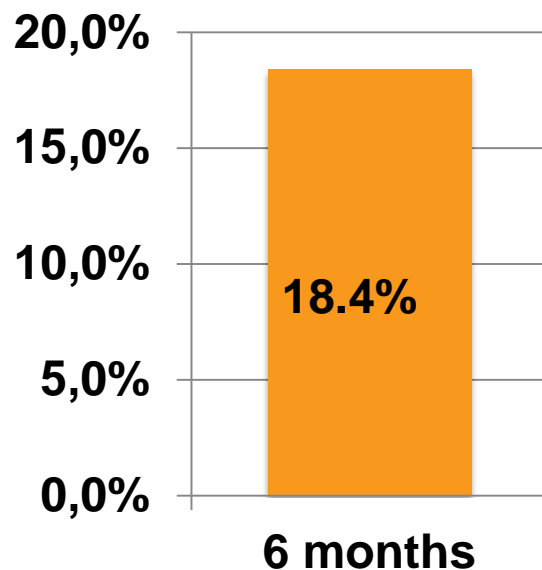
# Long and safe clinical history

## Experience with 32,735 ORBERA



### Significant Weight Loss

#### Mean %TBWL



Experienced practices are achieving 58% greater weight loss than the FDA Pivotal Study



### Strong Safety Profile

**2.0%**

Adverse Event Rate

Lowest rate of adverse events



### Very Low Early Removal Rate

**2.5%**

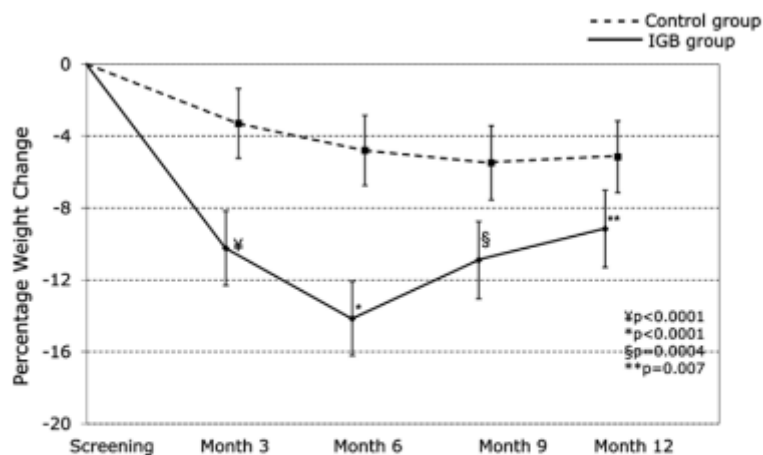
Early Removal Rate

Few early removals in experienced practices

# Effective rapid and Long-term weight loss maintenance

## Rapid Weight Loss

- 3.1x the weight loss of diet & exercise alone
- patients tend to lose 10-15 Kg



**FIGURE 2** Percentage weight loss for the two treatment groups over the 12 month period of the study.

## Long Term Weight Loss

- Meta-analyses indicated ORBERA IGB met leading US Bariatric & GI Society thresholds to use for primary obesity management and bridge to obesity surgery.
- 17 studies (1683 patients) had mean %EWL of 25.44% at 12 months
  - Exceeding their criteria of 25% EWL threshold as a primary obesity therapy.

<sup>8</sup> Abu Dayyeh, Kumar, Sullivan, Thompson et al. "ASGE Bariatric Endoscopy Task Force systematic review and meta-analysis assessing the ASGE PIVI thresholds for adopting endoscopic bariatric therapies" 2015 GASTROINTESTINAL ENDOSCOPY





# Intragastric Balloons: Clinical data with Fatty Liver Disease

# Intragastric Balloon Reduces Liver Volume in Super-Obese Patients<sup>9</sup>

- ✓ **Obese Patients:** Surgery in patients with super-obesity (BMI  $\geq 50$ ) involves technical difficulties that are related, among other factors, to increased liver volume
- ✓ **Intragastric Balloon:** Intragastric balloons were used in these patients as means of reducing liver volume, excess weight and the risks of subsequent surgery

In patients with super-obesity, preoperative treatment with intragastric balloon considerably reduces liver volume <sup>9</sup>

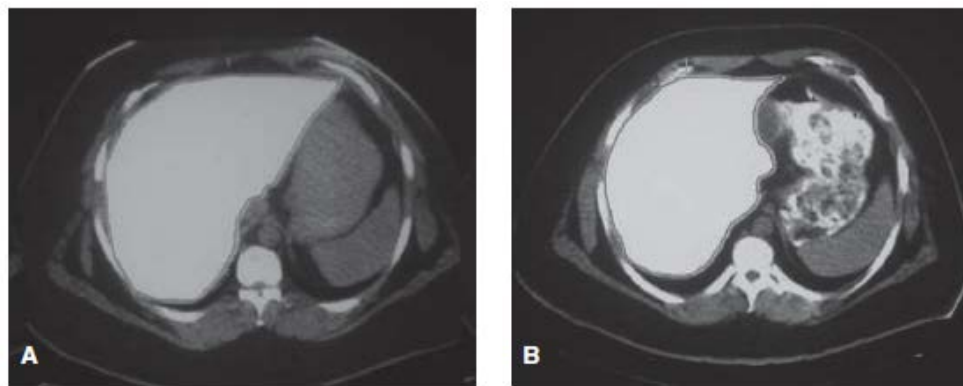


Figure 2. CT before intragastric balloon (A) and after 6 months (B) for measurement of reduction in liver volume.

# Multiple studies have investigated impact of IGB induced weight loss on NAFLD / NASH

- Meta-analysis reviewed evaluating the impact of 6mth ORBERA / BIB for the management of NAFLD / NASH
  - 11 studies / 548 patients
  - Studies included: 7 case series, 3 case–control studies and 1 RCT with diet/sham endoscopy as the control arm
- Across the studies 6 month IGB treatment was able to deliver significant weight loss in this population with a mean BMI decrease of -4.98 kg/m<sup>2</sup> (-5.6,-4.4)
- More importantly, studies demonstrated significant improvements in a number of key fatty liver indicators: Liver Enzymes, Hepatic steatosis and histological activity

# Multiple studies have investigated impact of IGB induced weight loss on NAFLD / NASH

## Liver Enzymes

Significant reduction in liver enzymes

- ALT: -10.02 U/l  
(95% CI, -13.2, -6.8)
- GGT: -9.82 U/l  
(95% CI, -12.9, -6.8)

## Hepatic steatosis

Improved after 6 mth of IGB treatment

- MRI / fat fraction:  $16.7 \pm 10.9$  to  $7.6 \pm 9.8$ ,  $p = 0.003$ ,
- Ultrasound / severe liver steatosis: 52% to 4 %,  $p = 0.0001$

## Histological Activity

NAFLD activity score was lower with IGB vs. sham endoscopy at 6 months

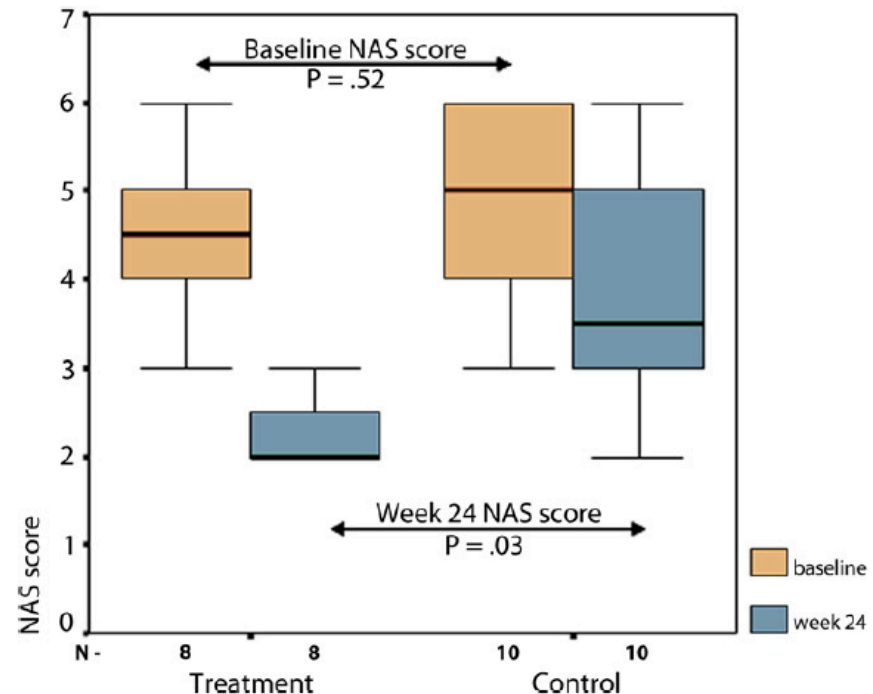
- $2 \pm 0.75$  vs.  $4 \pm 2.25$ ,  $p = 0.03$

# Pilot Study specifically evaluated impact of ORBERA on NAFLD activity score

- Randomized sham controlled study that compared ORBERA + Diet / Exercise (n=8) vs. Sham + Diet / Exercise endoscopy (n=10)
- Liver histology assessed before placement and after balloon removal

## NAFLD Activity Score

*lower in ORBERA-treated compared with sham-treated (2 [0.75] vs 4 [2.25];  $P=0.03$ )*



*Significantly lower NAFLD activity score with ORBERA Treatments*

# Mayo Clinic evaluation of ORBERA in NASH (DDW 2018)

- 6 month study with histologic and metabolic assessment of NASH before and after ORBERA balloon placement / removal (n=21)
- Significant weight loss with 80% of patients achieving  $\geq 7\%$  TBWL, recommended weight loss target for NASH. (Mean weight loss:  $12.8\%$  TBWL)

## Resolution of NASH

- **65% of patients achieved resolution of NASH (NAFLD Activity Score  $\leq 1$ )**
- **80% of patients had a  $\geq 2$  point improvement in NAFLD activity score**
- **15% had tissue evidence indicating regression of fibrosis (scarring)**

## Metabolic Improvements

- HbA1c - decreased from  $7.5 \pm 0.4$  to  $6.3 \pm 0.3$ ;  $p=0.004$ )
- Central obesity / waist circumference - decreased by  $8.6 \pm 13$  cm;  $p=0.02$

**Weight loss with ORBERA resulted in significant regression of the inflammation and fibrosis of the liver**



# Intragastric Balloons: Patient Selection Considerations



# What patients may benefit from IGB induced weight loss

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- **Target Patients:**

- NAFLD
- compensated hepatic insufficiency

- **Exclusions:**

- Acute hepatic insufficiency / end stage issues (i.e. ascites, uncorrectable coagulopathy with thrombocytopenia (<40,000), etc)
- Portal hypertension
- Varices – no gastric varices and no esophageal varices larger than grade 1
- Delayed Gastric Emptying (delayed or abnormal)– screening with breath test or similar