

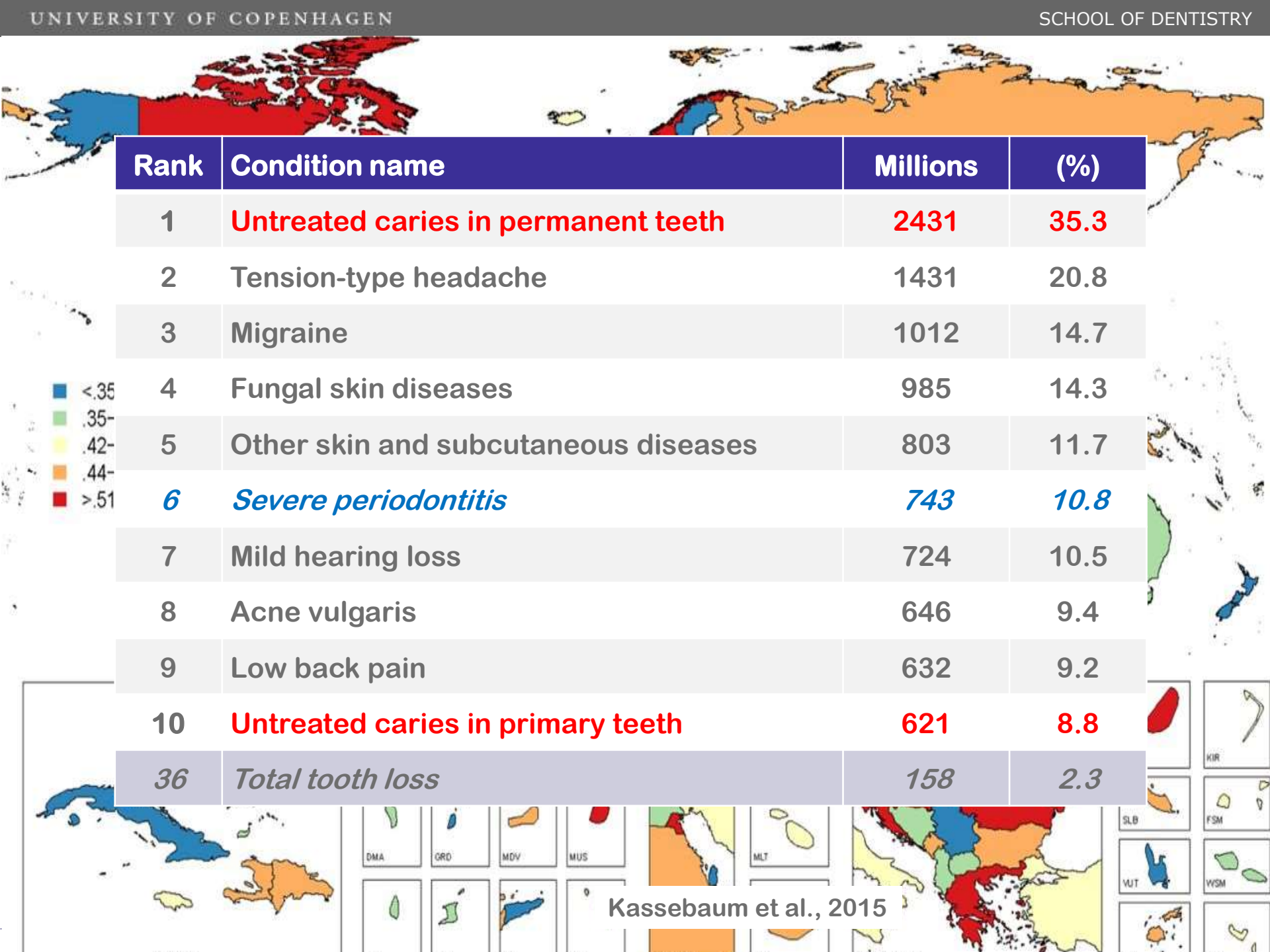


probiotika



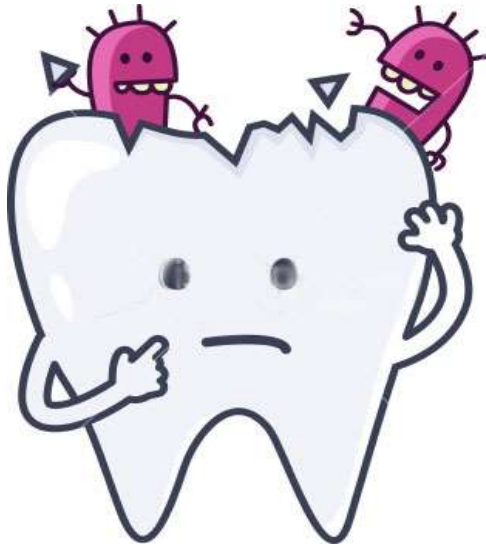
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Rank	Condition name	Millions	(%)
1	Untreated caries in permanent teeth	2431	35.3
2	Tension-type headache	1431	20.8
3	Migraine	1012	14.7
4	Fungal skin diseases	985	14.3
5	Other skin and subcutaneous diseases	803	11.7
6	Severe periodontitis	743	10.8
7	Mild hearing loss	724	10.5
8	Acne vulgaris	646	9.4
9	Low back pain	632	9.2
10	Untreated caries in primary teeth	621	8.8
36	Total tooth loss	158	2.3

caries is a biofilm-mediated disease



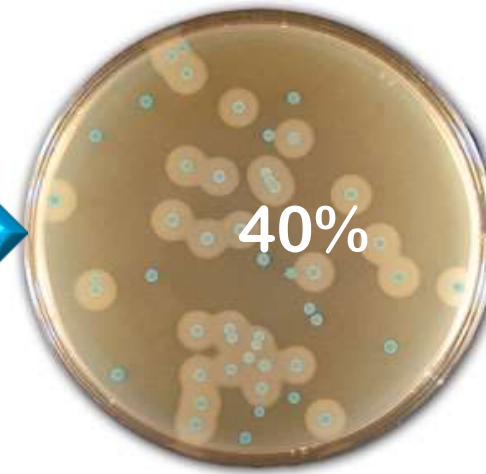
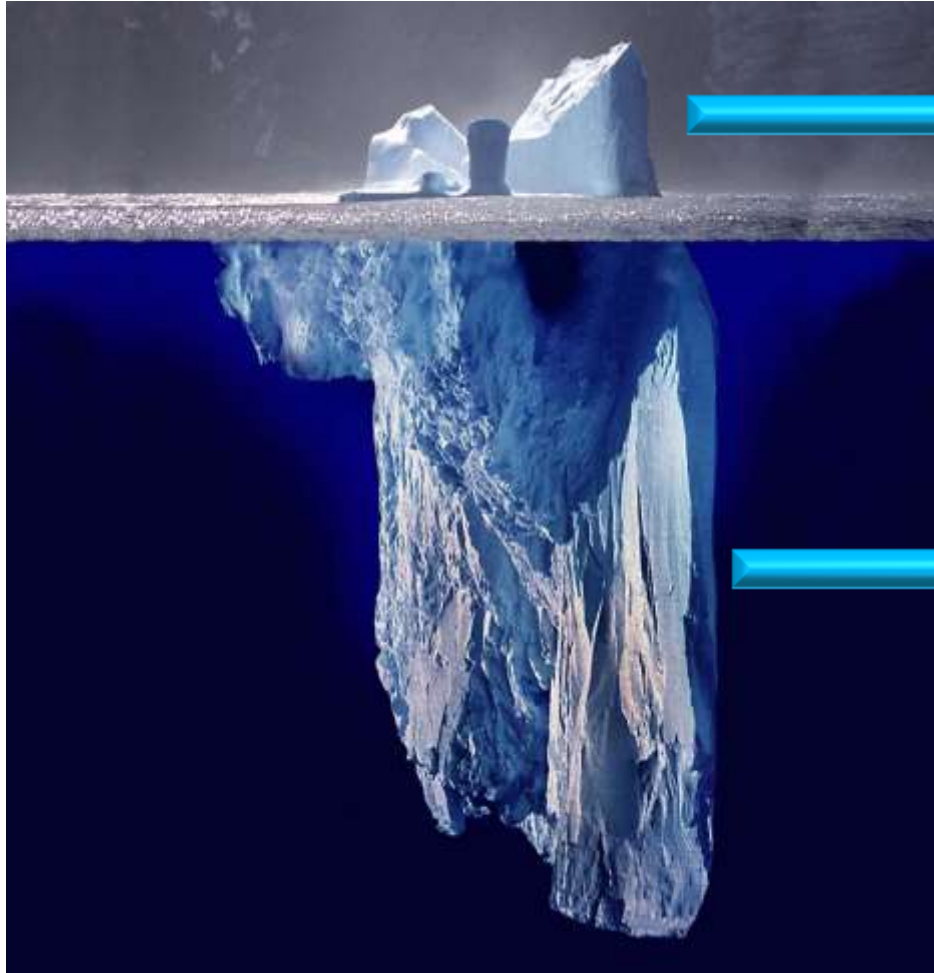
“...result from a complex interaction between the **commensal** microbiota, host susceptibility and environmental factors such as diet.”

Wade, 2013

a non-communicable disease



an
important
role for
oral health



40%

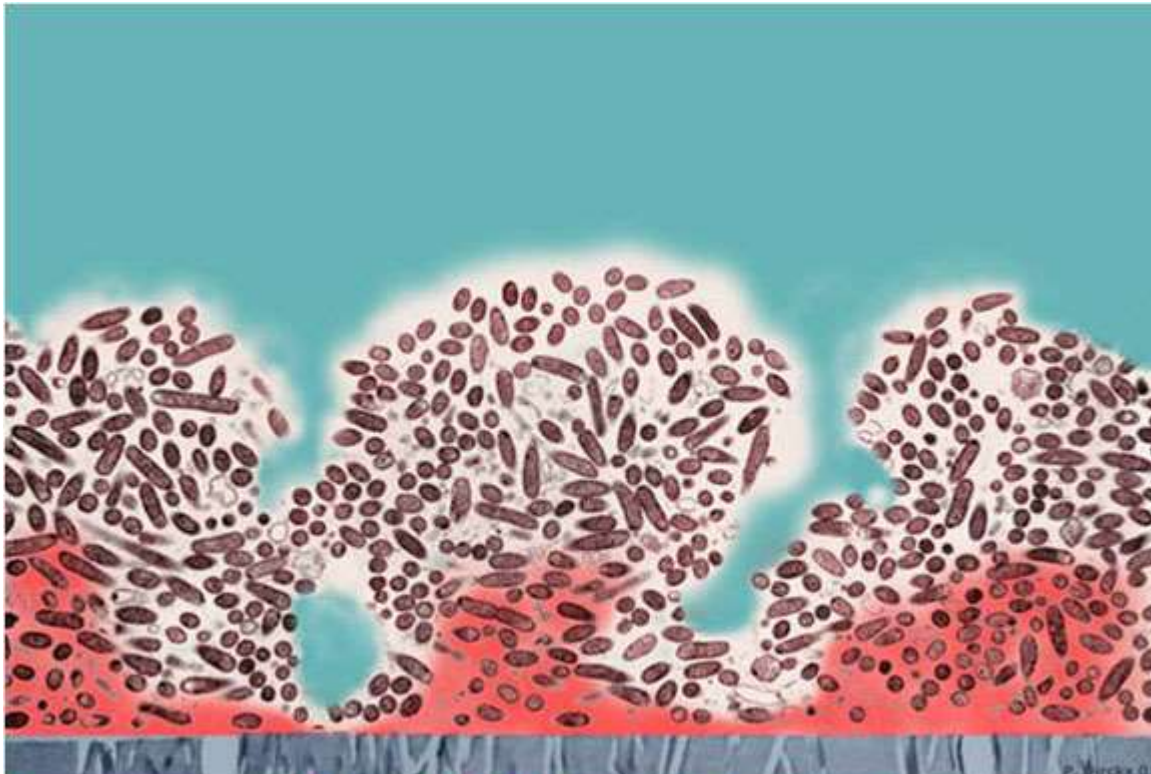
selective
non-selective
aerobic
anaerobic

**molecular
methods
60%**



- 16s rRNA, cloning and sequencing
- pyrosequencing
- whole genome sequencing
- PCR
- quantitative PCR
- DNA-DNA hybridization
- microarray

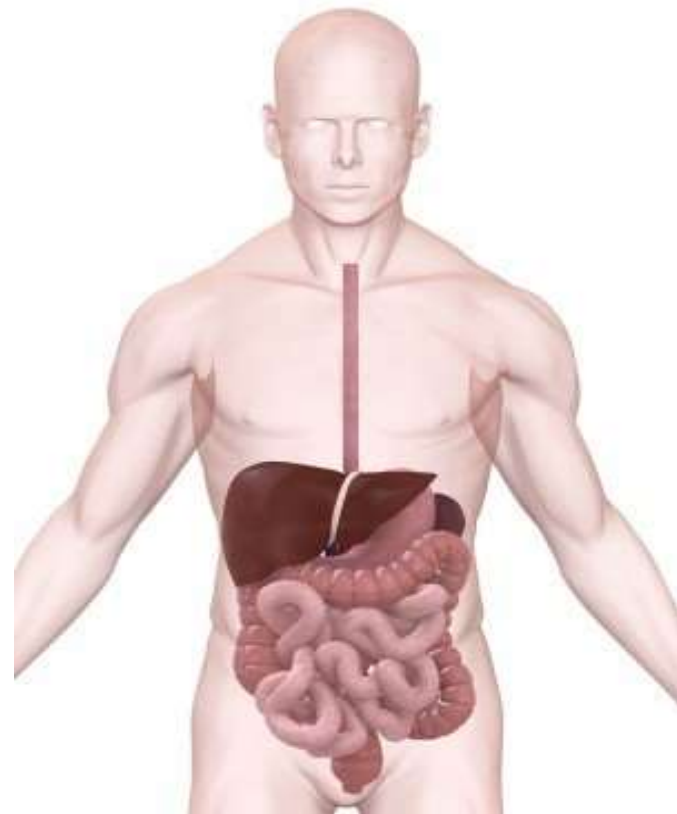
a **biofilm** is an aggregate or cluster of microorganisms in which cells adhere to each other on a surface that is **protected**



microorganisms in polysaccharide matrix

a crucial role in health

- break down food
- convert to energy
- excludes bacteria that are harmful
- **80% of our immune response located in the intestines**



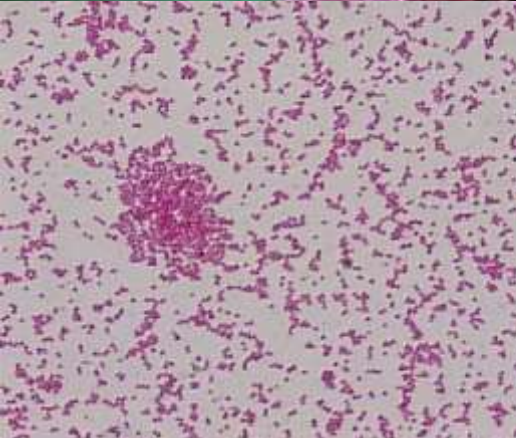
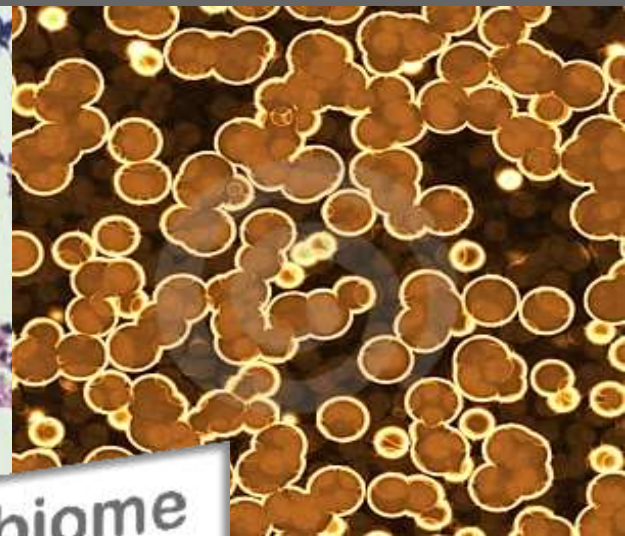
microbial diversity and stability associated with health



STRESSED, DESTABILIZED BIOFILM WITH REDUCED DIVERSITY ASSOCIATED WITH DISEASE



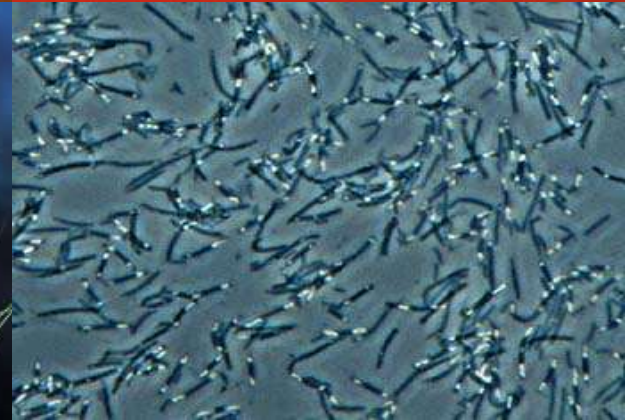
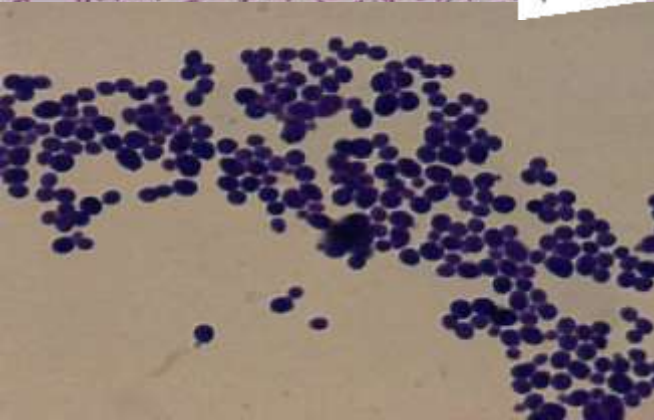
dysbiosis

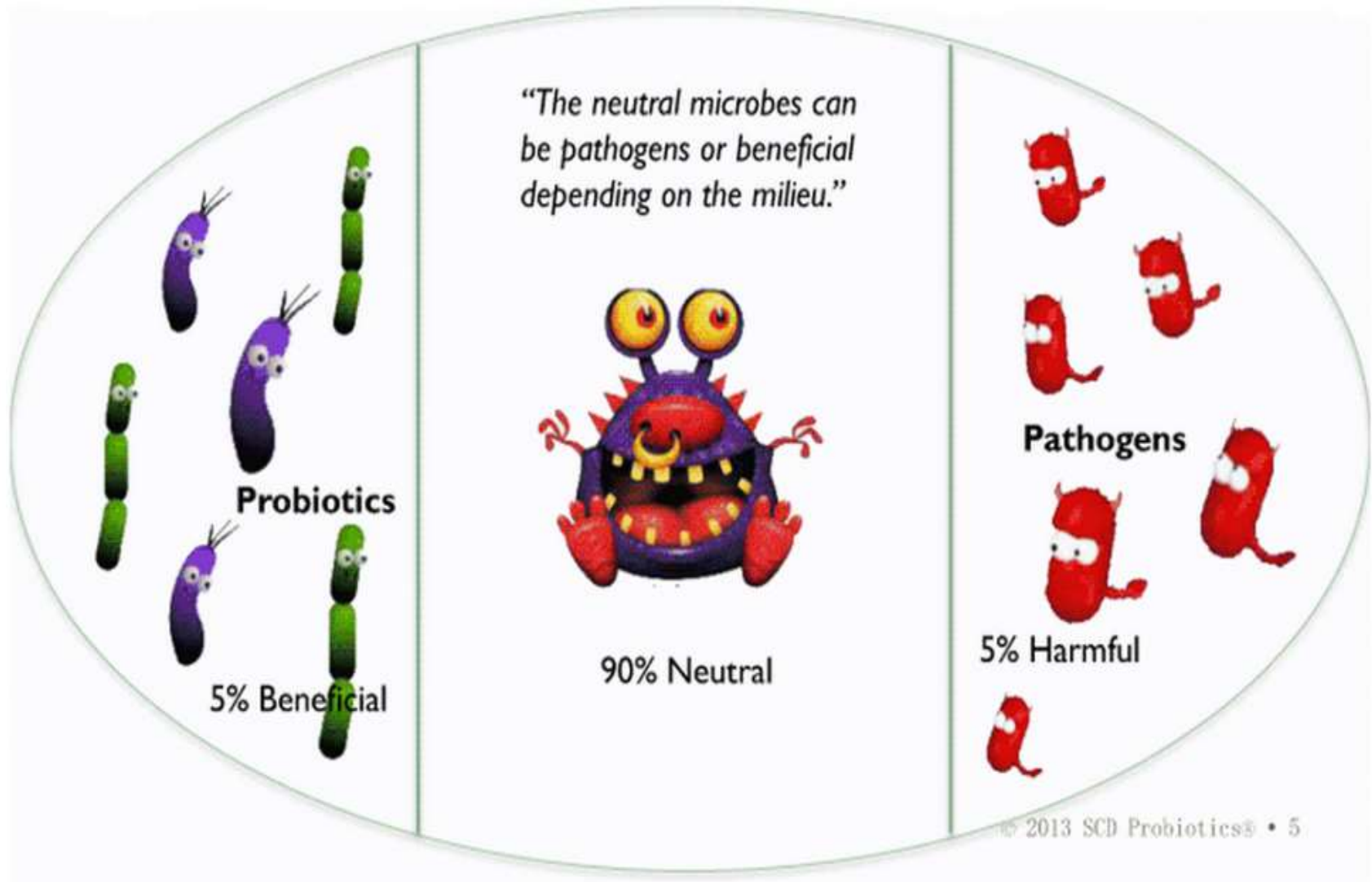


**The Human Oral Microbiome
Database contains over 600
taxa and 13 phyla**
(Dewhirst et al., 2010)



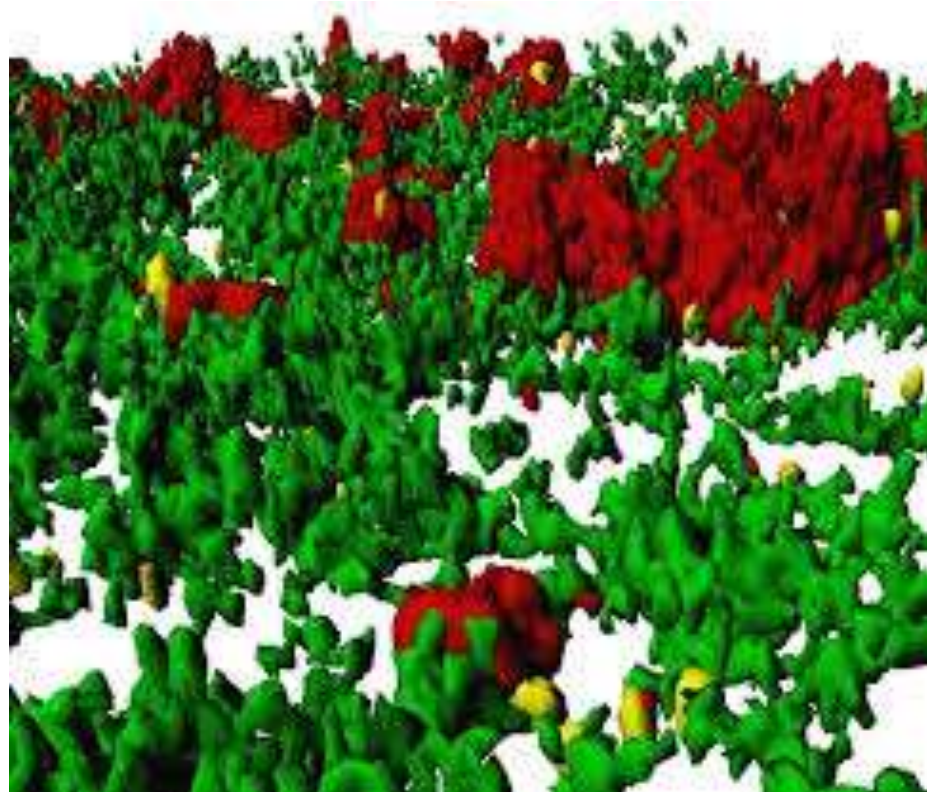
P intermedia





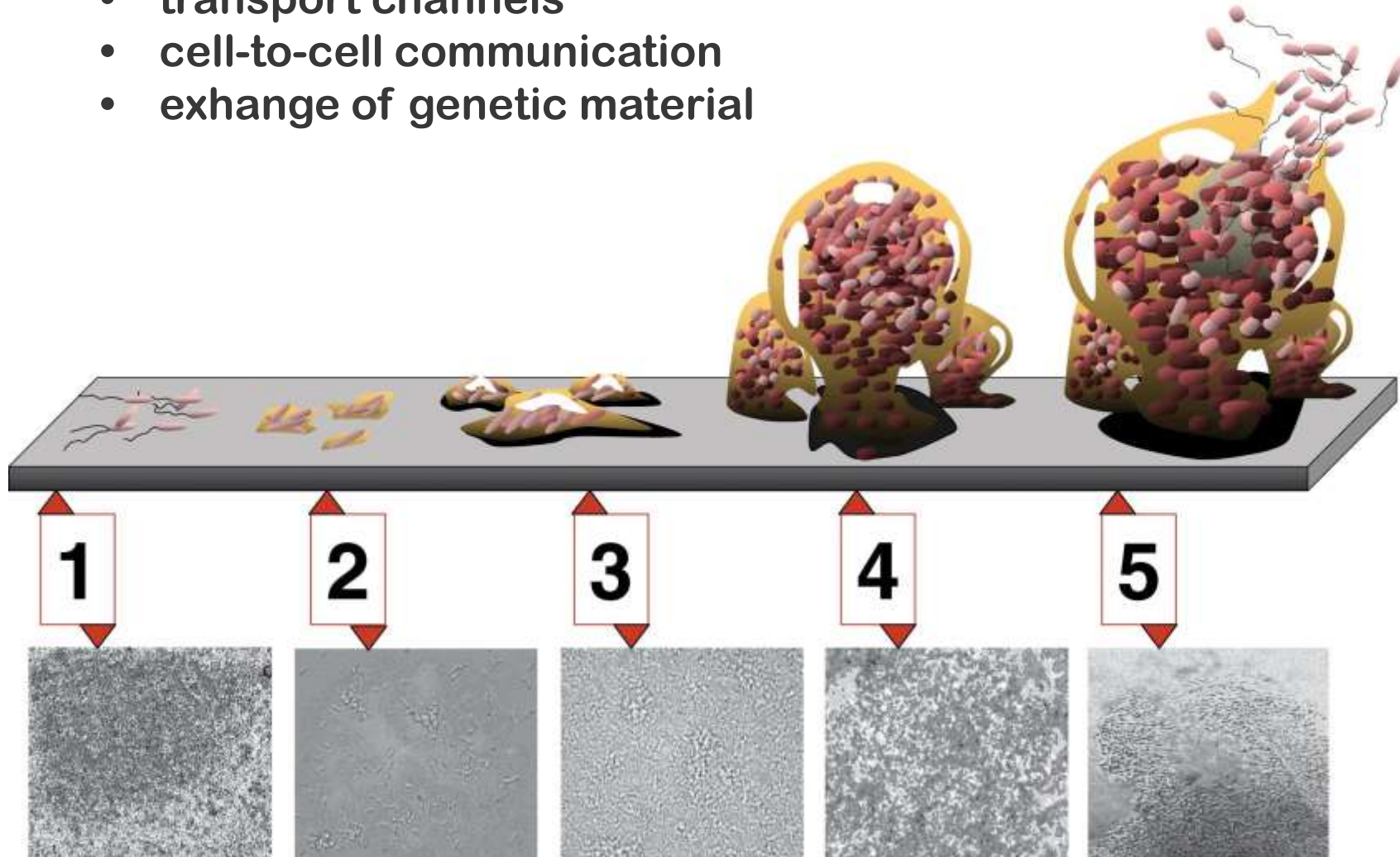
proposed genera in the core oral microbiome

Streptococcus
Veillonella
Granulicatella
Neisseria
Haemophilus
Corynebacterium
Rothia
Actinomyces
Prevotella
Capnocytophaga
Porphyromonas
Fusobacterium

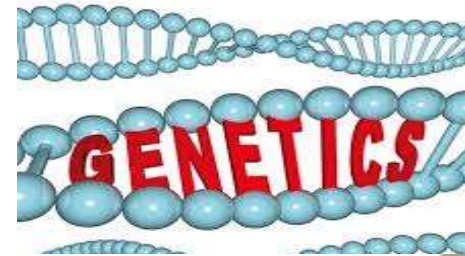


Zaura 2009, Marsh 2015

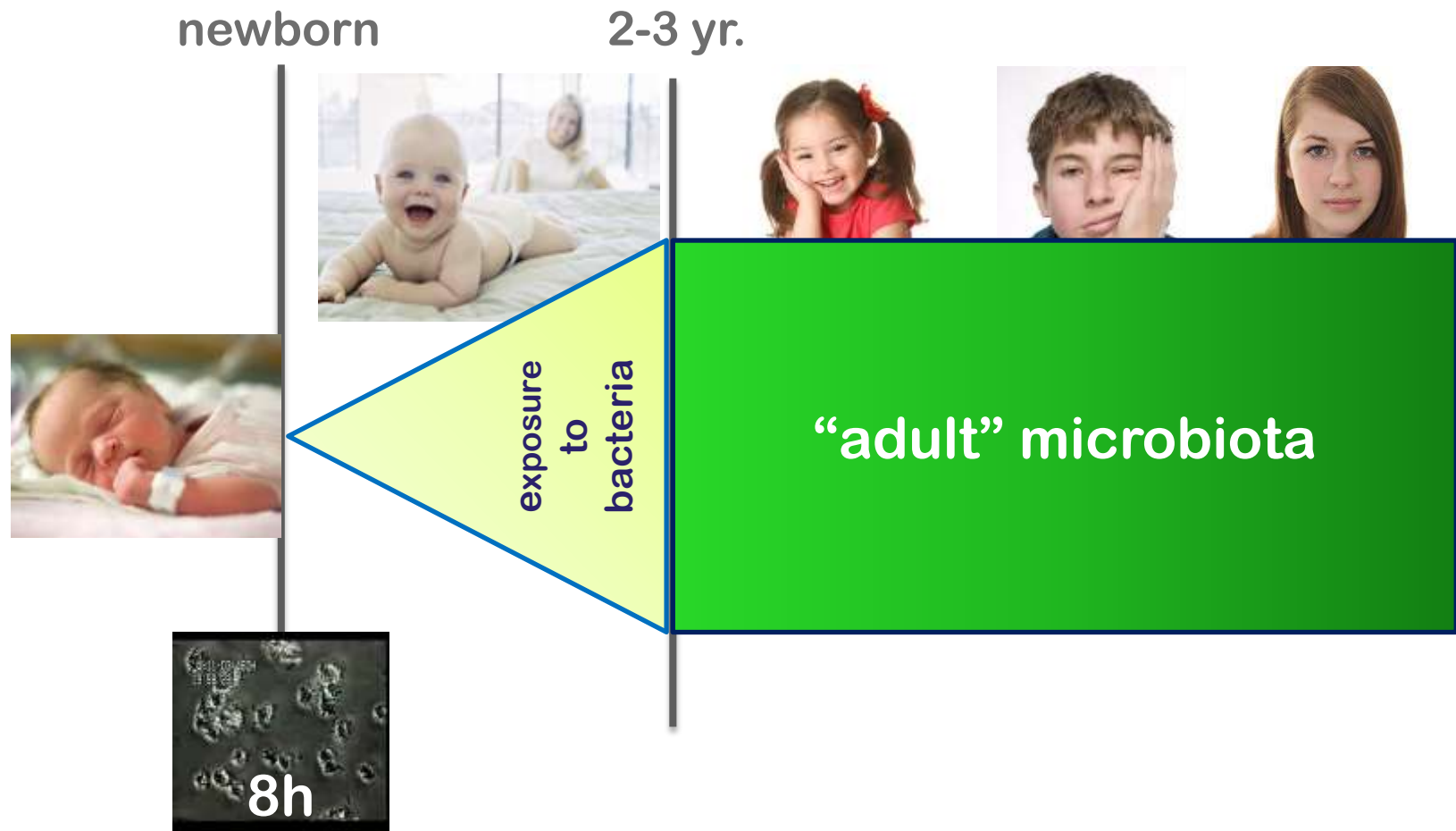
- co-aggregate
- metabolic exchange
- transport channels
- cell-to-cell communication
- exchange of genetic material



- genetics
- location
- age
- diet
- sexual behavior
80.000.000 cfu in one kiss



sequence and timing of exposure to microbes
dictate the composition of the oral biofilm
“first come, first served”





the microbiota of the mouth differs between 3-month-old breast-fed and formula-fed infants



lactobacilli 0%



lactobacilli 28%

- more bifidobacteria
- greater diversity

Holgerson et al., 2013 J Pediatr Gastroenterol Nutr

“the oral microbiota does not play a passive role but actively contributes to the maintenance of health”

Devine and Marsh, 2009



“the resident oral microbiota is diverse, natural and beneficial to the host”

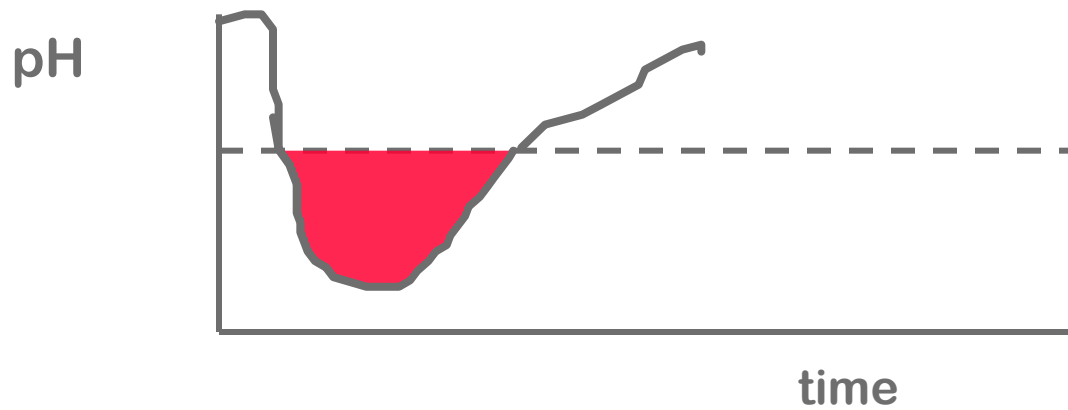
Marsh, 2015

sucrose in diet is fueling the caries process





acid-tolerating bacteria

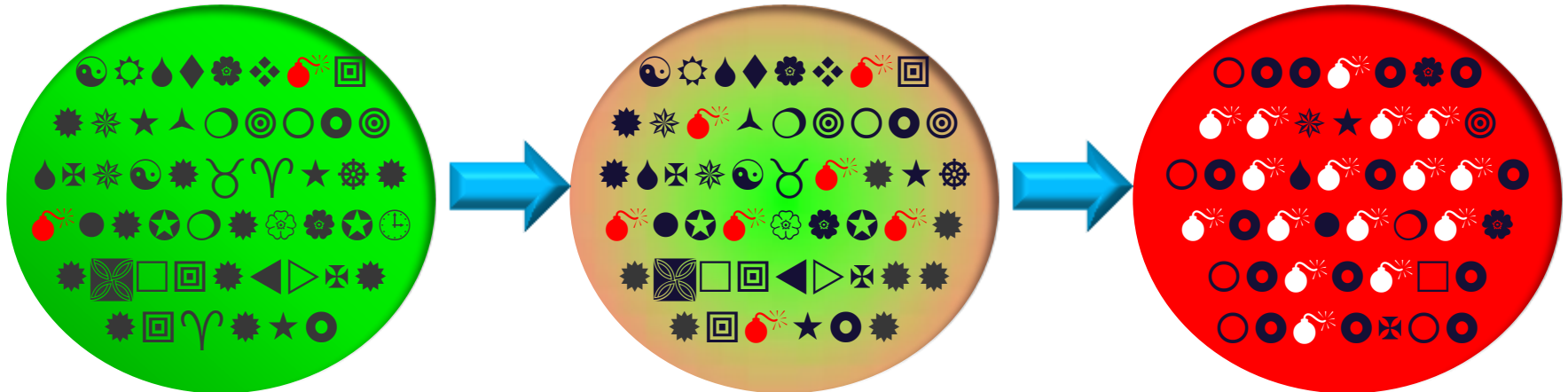


acid stress leads to microbial shift

stable and
diverse

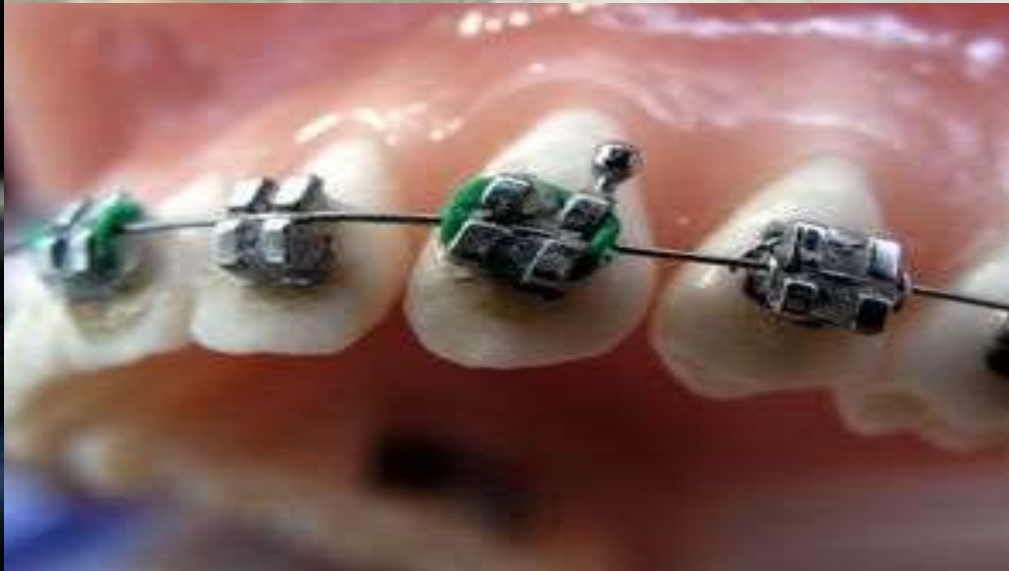
adaptation to low
pH

overgrowth of aciduric
bacteria,
reduced diversity

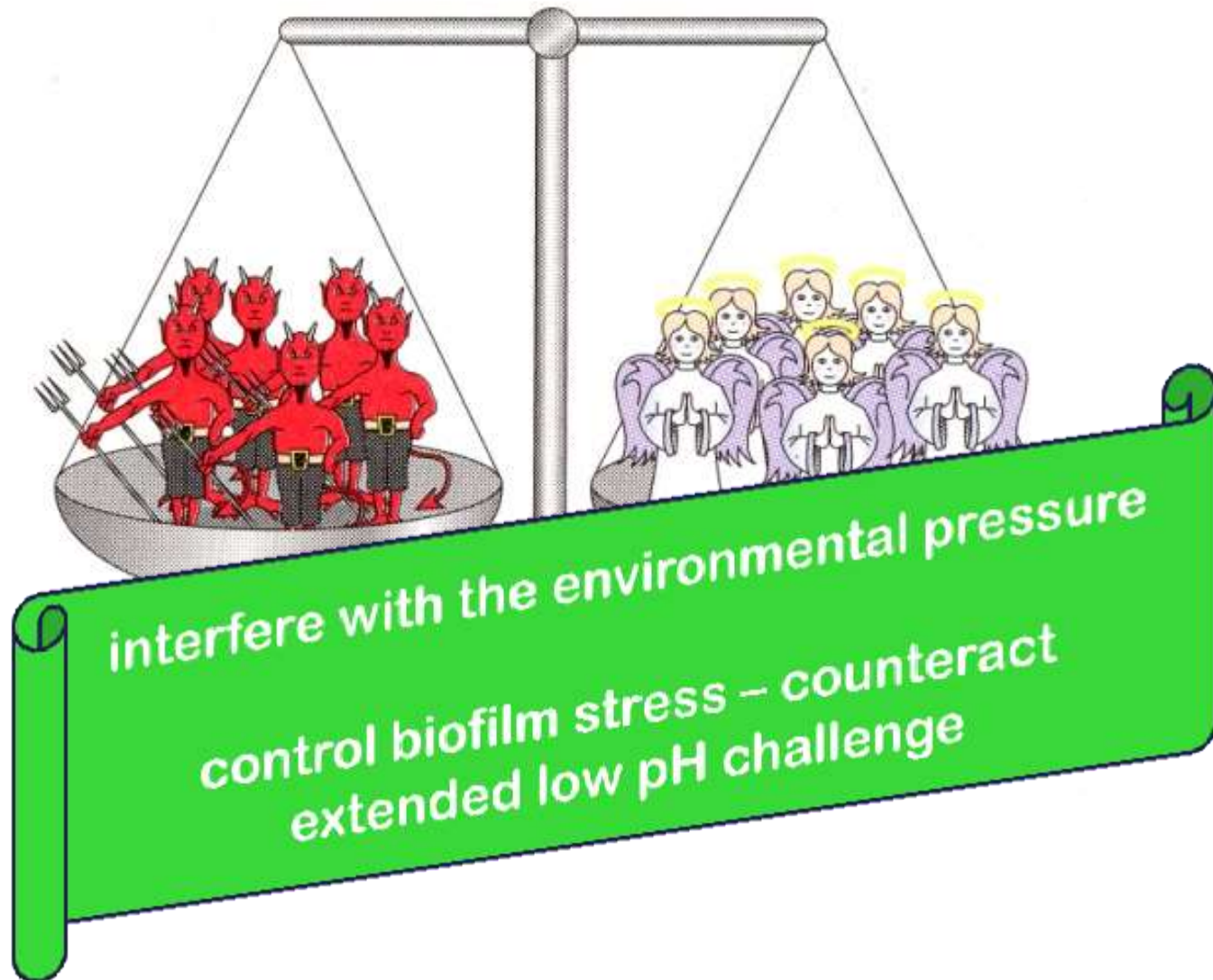


reversible

other examples of biofilm stress

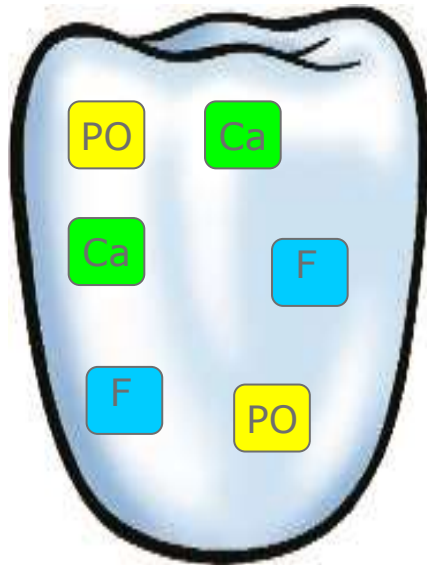
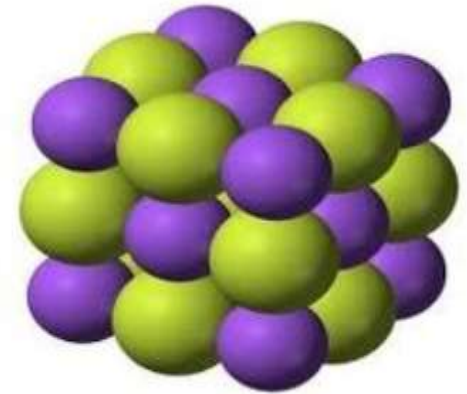


maintain or restore homeostasis



1) inhibition of biofilm acid production

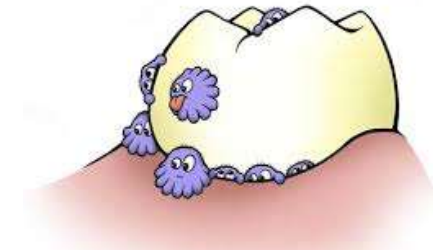
- e.g. fluoride-containing products or metabolic inhibitors (xylitol)



presence low $[F]$ can inhibit the aciduric adaption of the biofilm and lower the critical pH

fluoride works locally in the biofilm/tooth interspace

in very low concentrations
e.g. F milk, water F

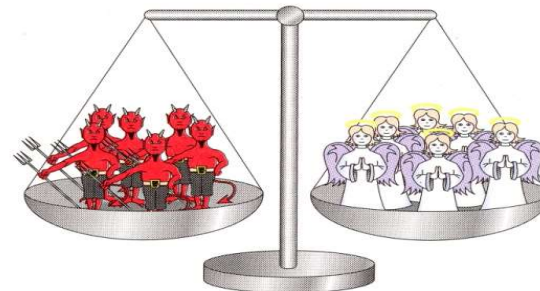


stress adaption



in low concentrations
e.g. toothpaste

in high concentrations
e.g. F-varnish



metabolic inhibitor

2) mechanical plaque removal



- toothbrush
- flossing
- tooth sticks
- professional tooth cleaning

a "healthy" biofilm



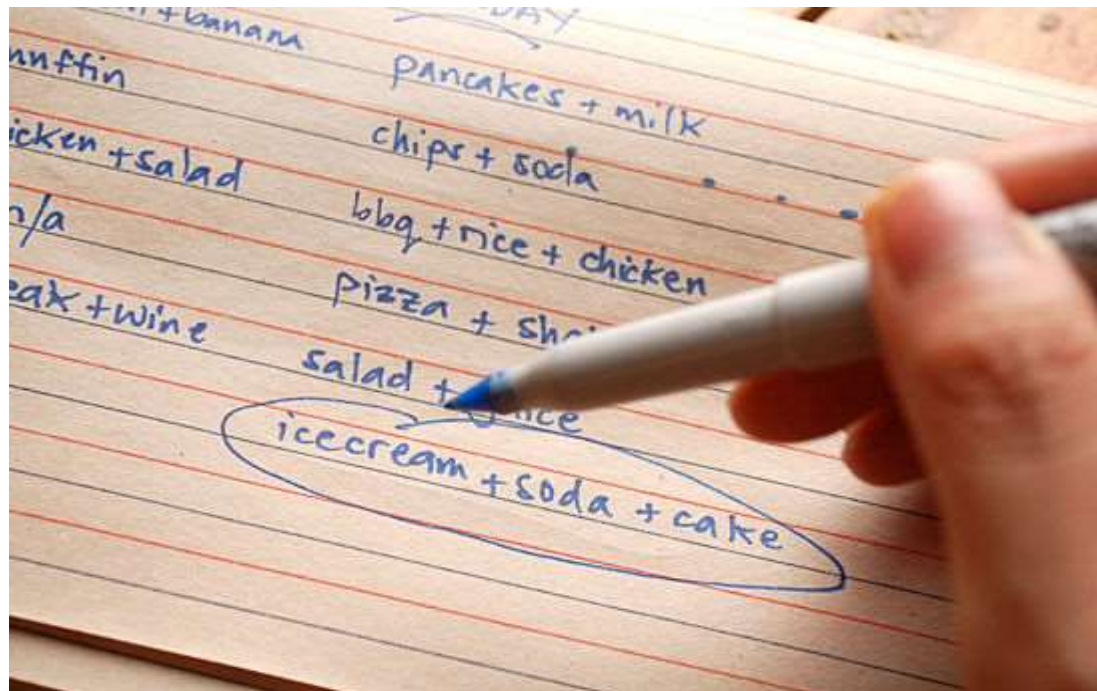
a stressed biofilm



good but not meticulous!

3) reduce sugar frequency

- reduction of repeated low-pH conditions





sugar amount =
obesity/overweight



sugar frequency =
caries

Average Sugar Intake Per Day:



1700's an average Englishman had 5g / day
= just over 1 teaspoon / day



1800's this increased to 22.4g / day
= 5 ½ teaspoons / day



1900's that jumped to 124g / day
= 31 teaspoons / day



2000's an average American had
189g / day = 47 teaspoons / day

WHO (the World Health Organisation)

recommend less than 50g / day
= 12.5 teaspoons / day.

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reduce free-sugar
intake to < 10% E

Moynihan PJ, Kelly SA.
J Dent Res. 2014
Jan;93:8-18.

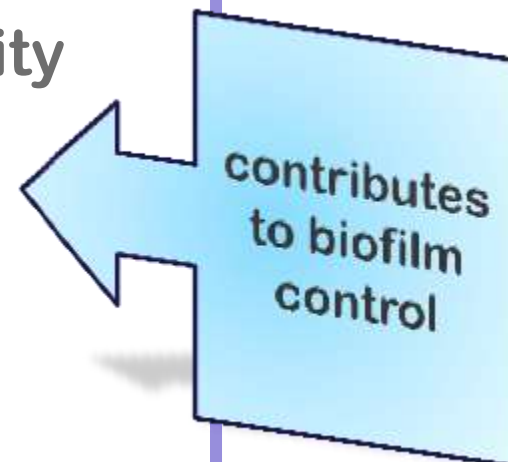


4) stimulation of saliva flow after meals - pH returns to resting levels more quickly

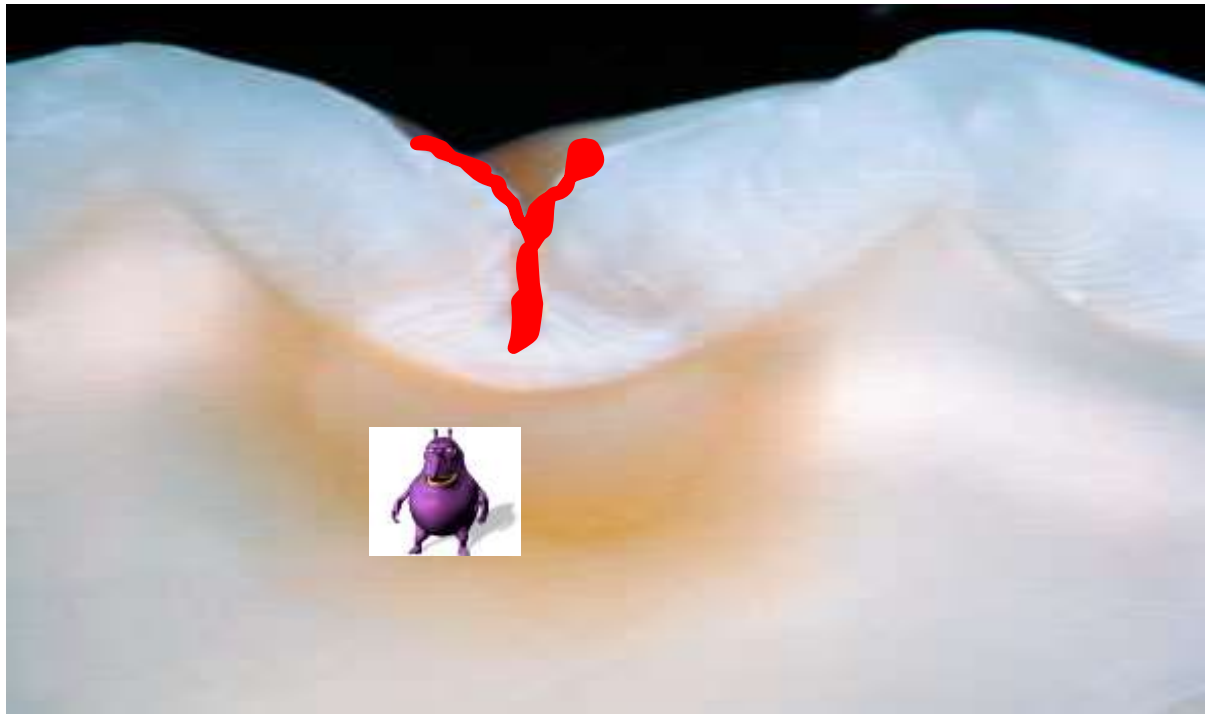




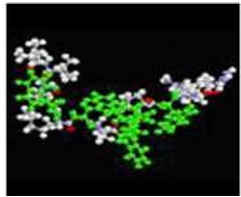
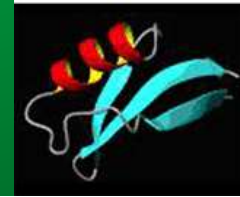
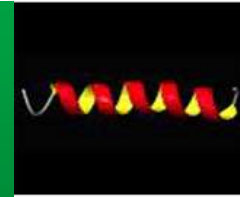
- 1.0-1.5 liter per 24h - clearance
- pH 6.5-6.9 - buffering capacity
- mucins, glycoproteins
- enzymes
- salt – electrolytes, minerals
- immunoglobulins, AMP



5) blocking of substrate - ie. fissure sealants, ART



- 6) any other approach designed to maintain pH around neutrality
- e.g. bacteriotherapy (prebiotics, probiotics), antimicrobial agents, alkali supplements, targeted antimicrobial peptides



replacement/bacterio-/probiotic therapy

a harmless effector strain is implanted in the host's microflora to maintain or restore a natural microbiome by interference and/or inhibition of other microorganisms



Florey, 1946, Hillman, 1999



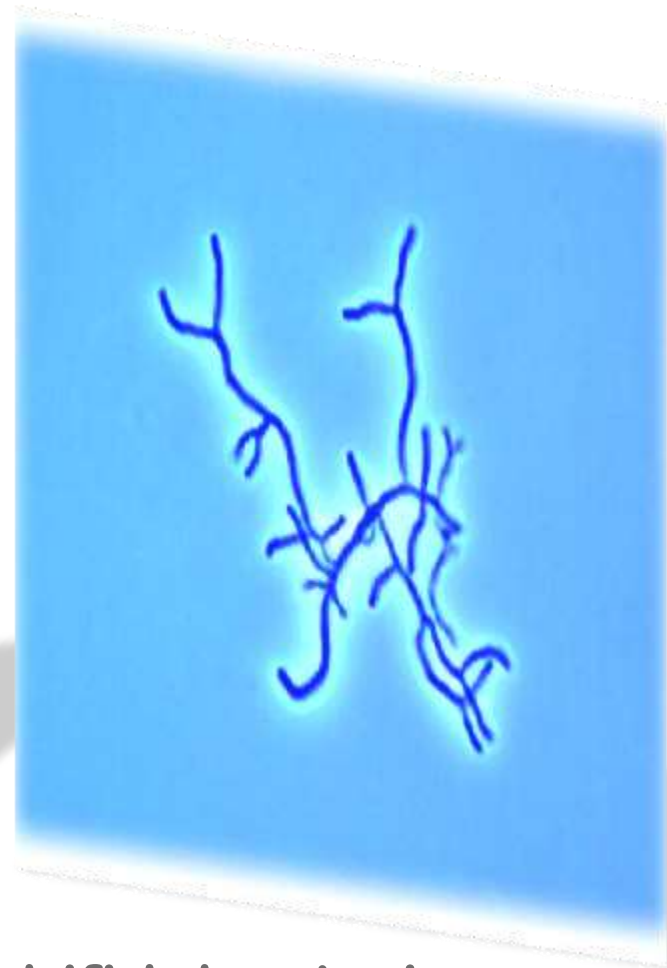
defense through diversity

daily addition of health-promoting bacteria

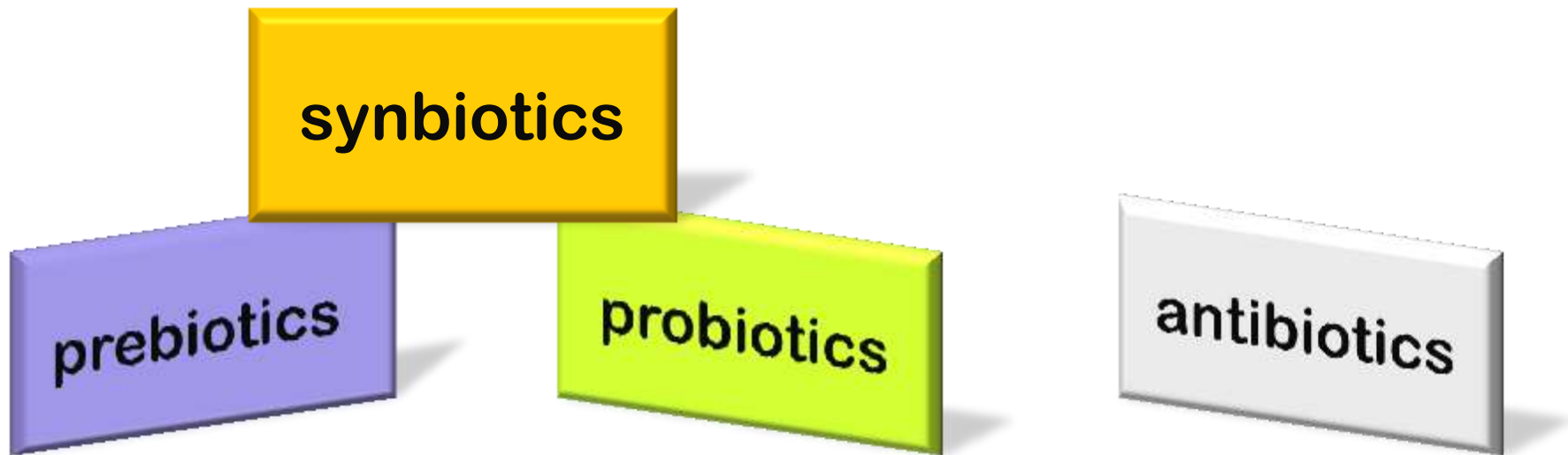
pro bios = for life



lactobacilli



bifidobacteria



FAO/WHO definition of probiotics (2001):

- “**live** microorganisms which when administered in adequate amounts confer a health benefit on the host”
- host benefits to probiotics are strain specific

pharmaceutical medicine and bioecological medicine



+



daily intake of 10^{8-9} probiotic cells (FAO/WHO, 2003)



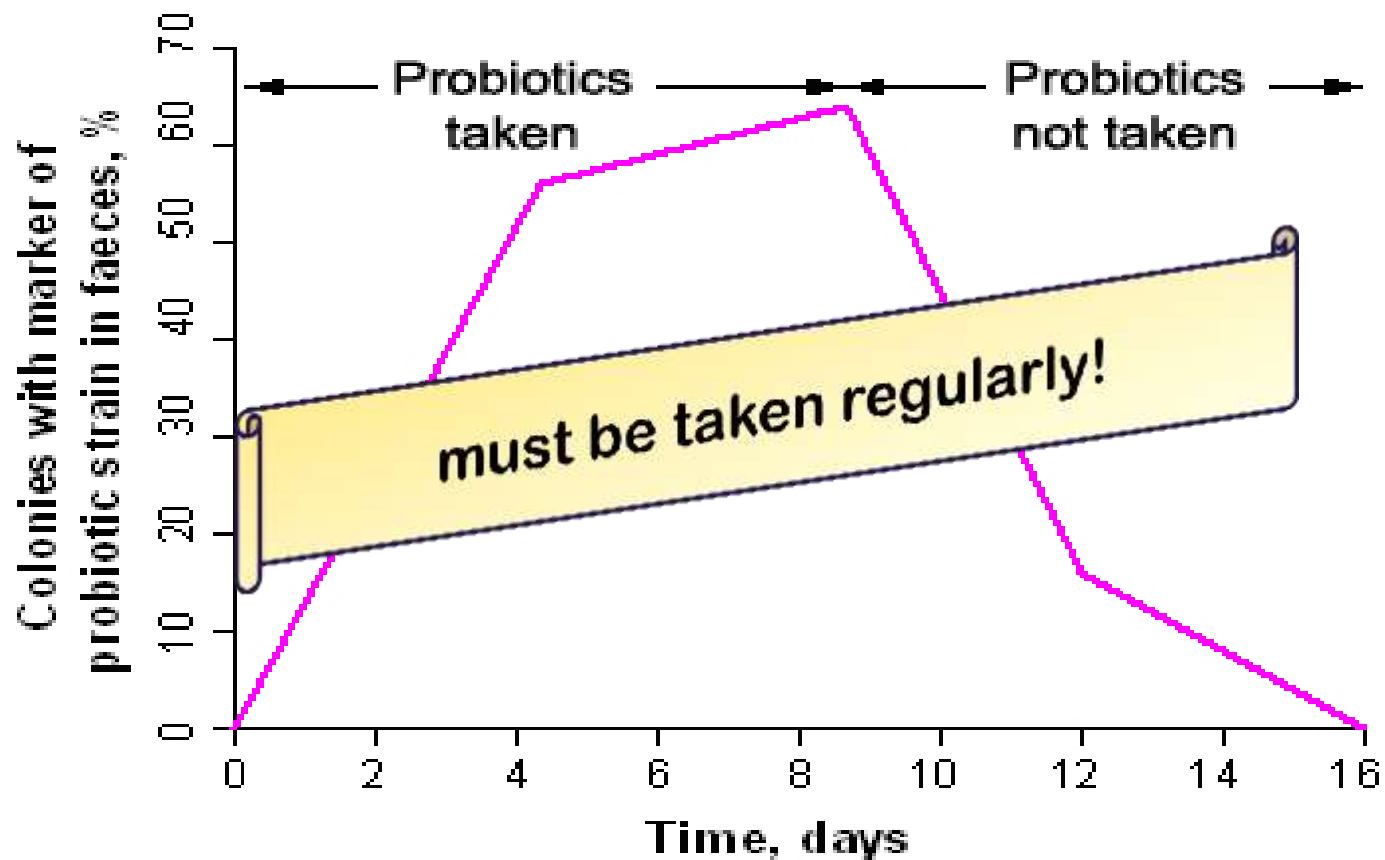
- 1-2 dl yoghurt
- less costly
- Ca, P comes "free"



- 1-2 tablets
- practical
- a mix of different strains
- less sugar

Fate of Ingested Probiotics

The appearance of ingested probiotics bacteria in faeces



Yli-Knuuttila et al., 2006; Caglar et al., 2009



- early colonizers have an ecological advantage
- the earlier the start, the greater the chance of a persisting beneficial effect
- before 1 year



probiotics may affect oral cavity

direct contact
local effect

Matstrupen

Tolvfingertarmen

Tunntarmen

Tjocktarmen

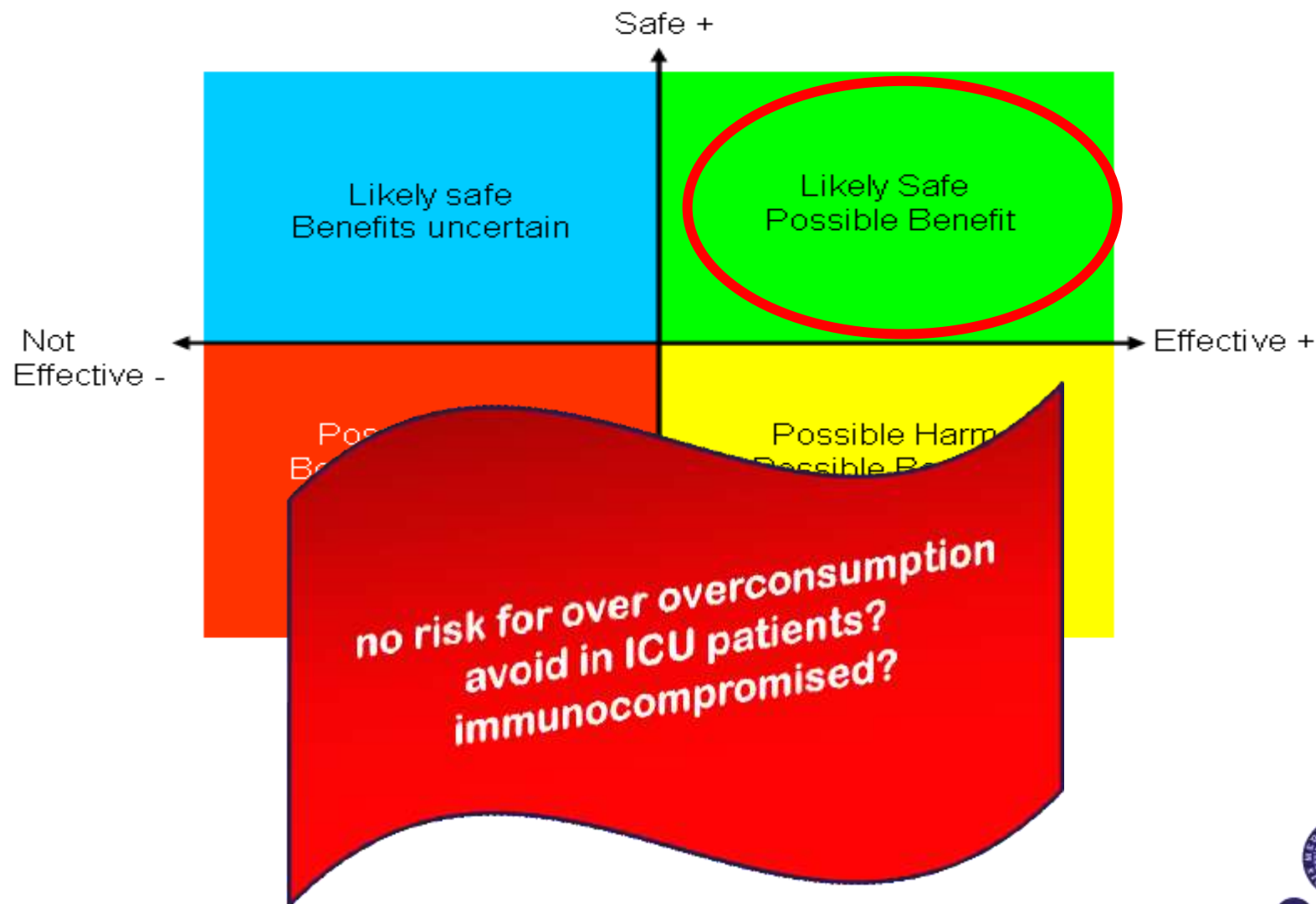
Ändtarmen

Magsäcken

systemic effect
immune modulation

© Toverud

GRAS = generally regarded as safe food additive



probiotics and oral health

caries



gingivitis, tooth loss
mucositis, candidosis



halithosis (bad breath)



tooth whitening

dry mouth



two systematic reviews

included: 23 papers

quality:

4 low risk of bias, 9 moderate, 10 high

conclusion:

reduces *S. mutans* in plaque and saliva

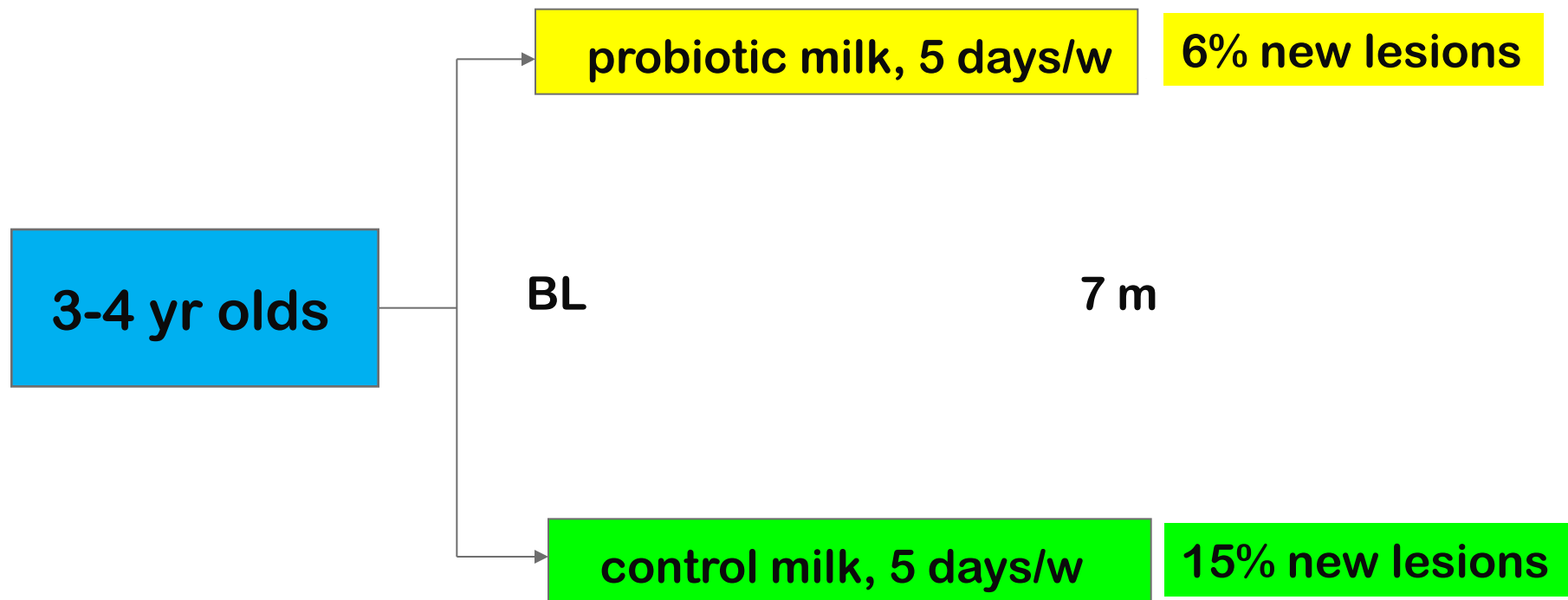
Cagetti et al., 2013 Nutrients

....it may be concluded that probiotics decrease the mutans streptococci counts. **This suggests that probiotics could have a positive effect in the prevention of caries**

Laleman et al., 2014 Clin Oral Invest

randomized double-blind placebo-controlled trial

L. rhamnosus GG

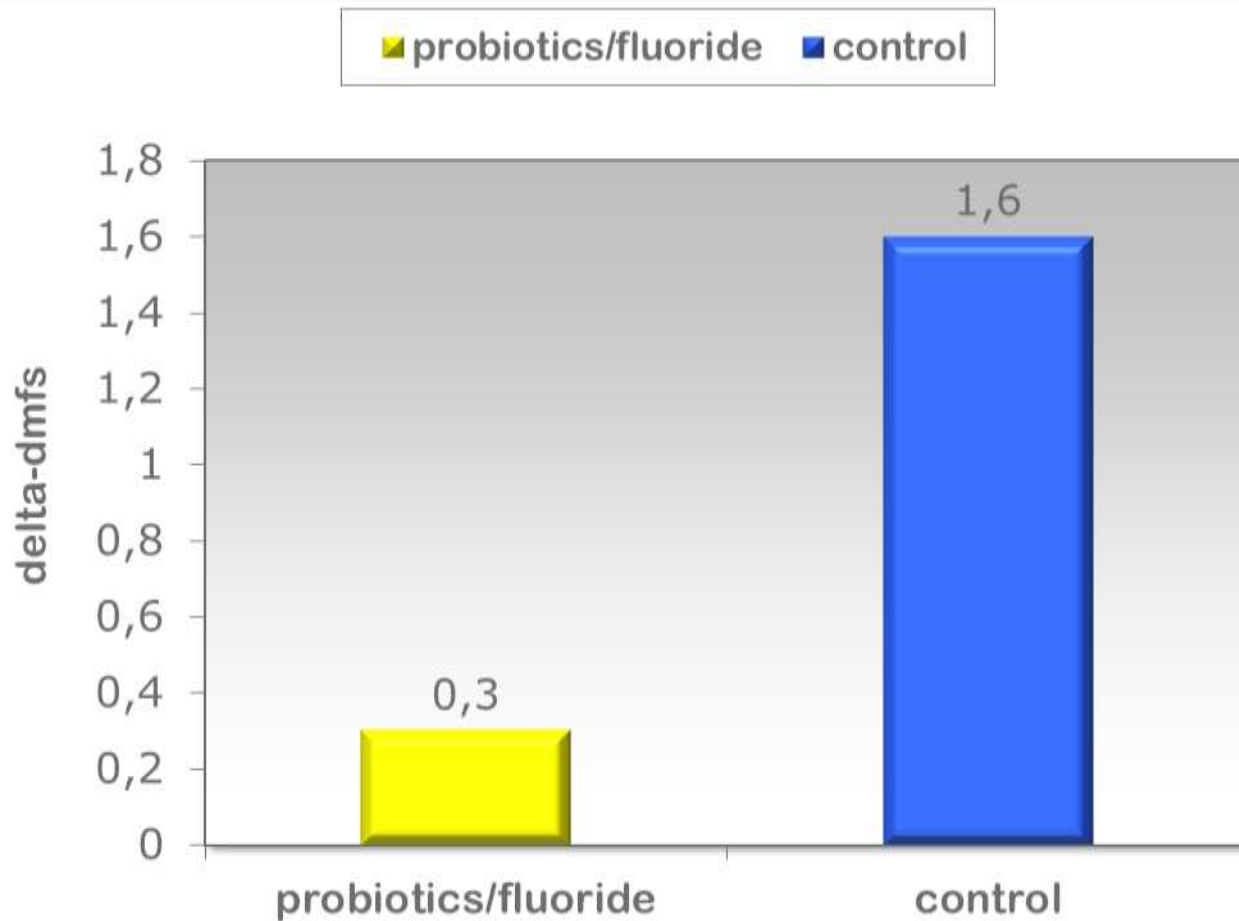


additional effects

- 16% less absence from daycare
- 17% reduction of URI
- 19% less antibiotics



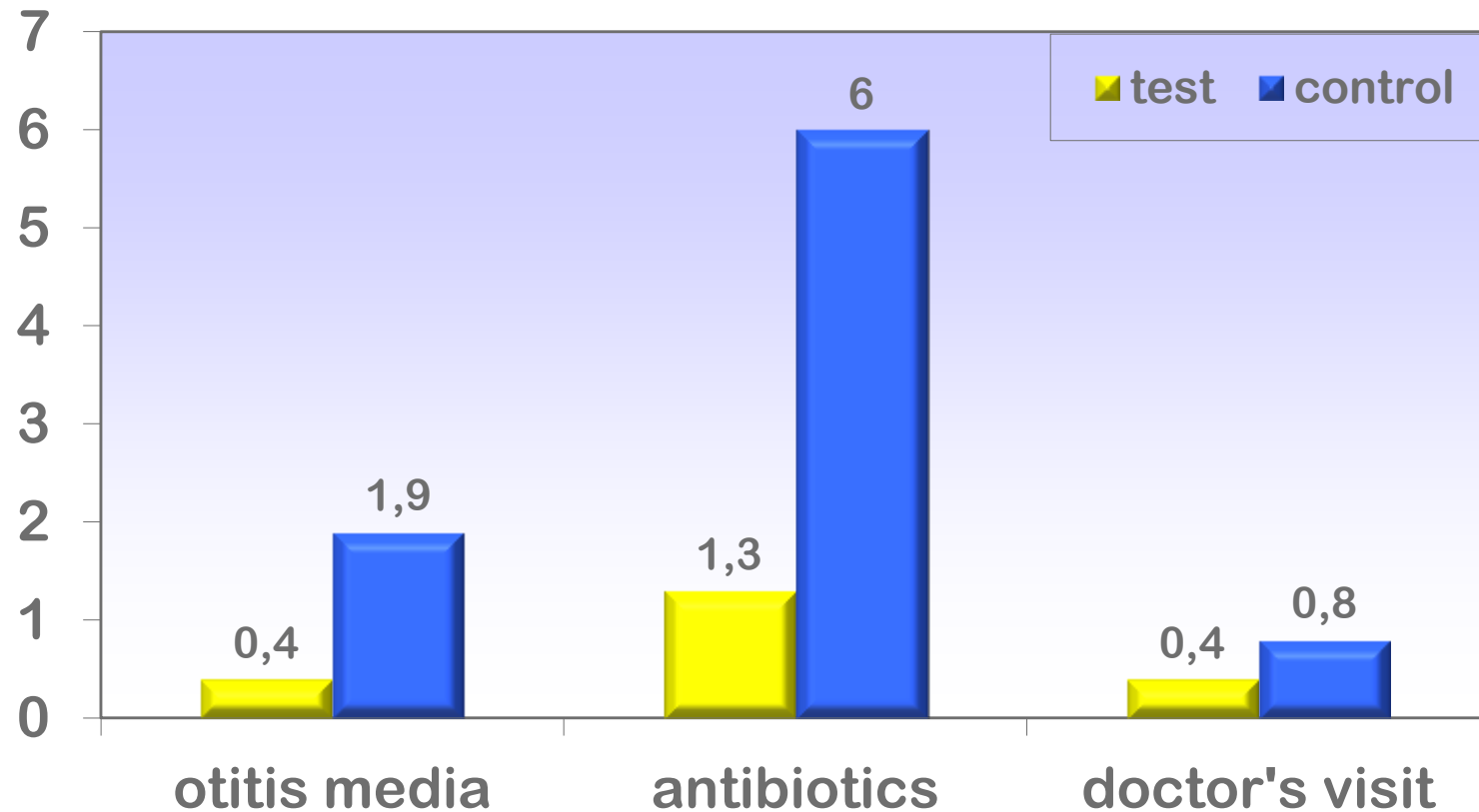
caries incidence after 21 months



Stecksen-Blicks et al., Caries Res 2009;43:374–81



effects on general health



Stecksen-Blicks et al., Caries Res 2009;43:374–81



metabolic domino effect

- link between oral and general health

oral health
improvement

mouth



GI-channel

general
health
improvement

long-term effect on caries after probiotic supplements during infancy

birth

L. reuteri, 5 drops, 0-12 months

IgE-mediated eczema

caries
9 years

n=113

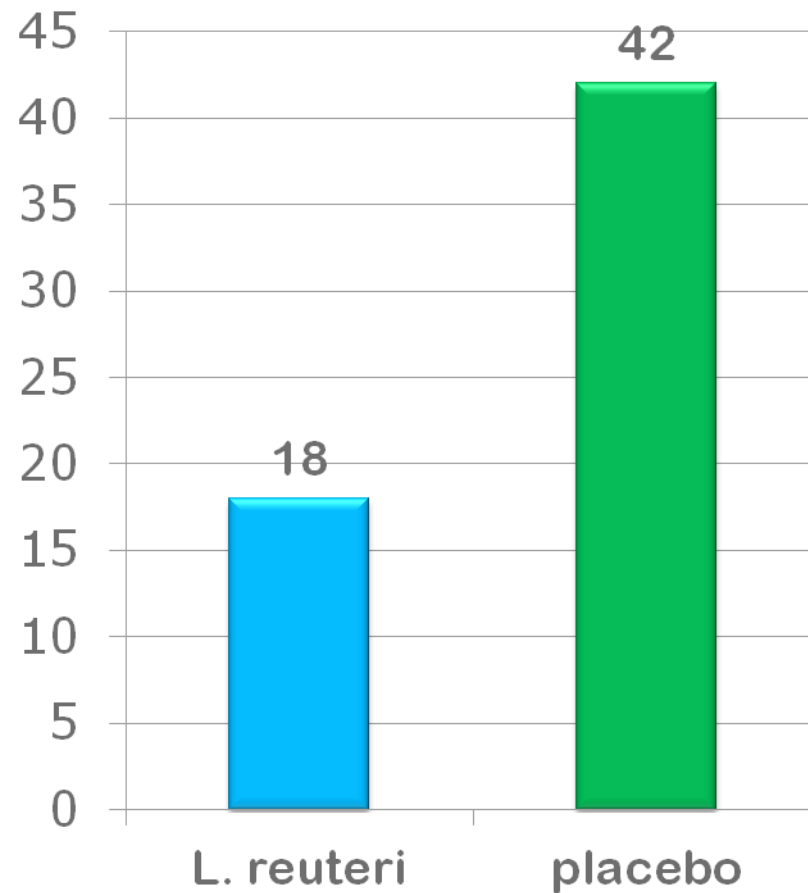
n=188

placebo, 5 drops, 0-12 months

birth



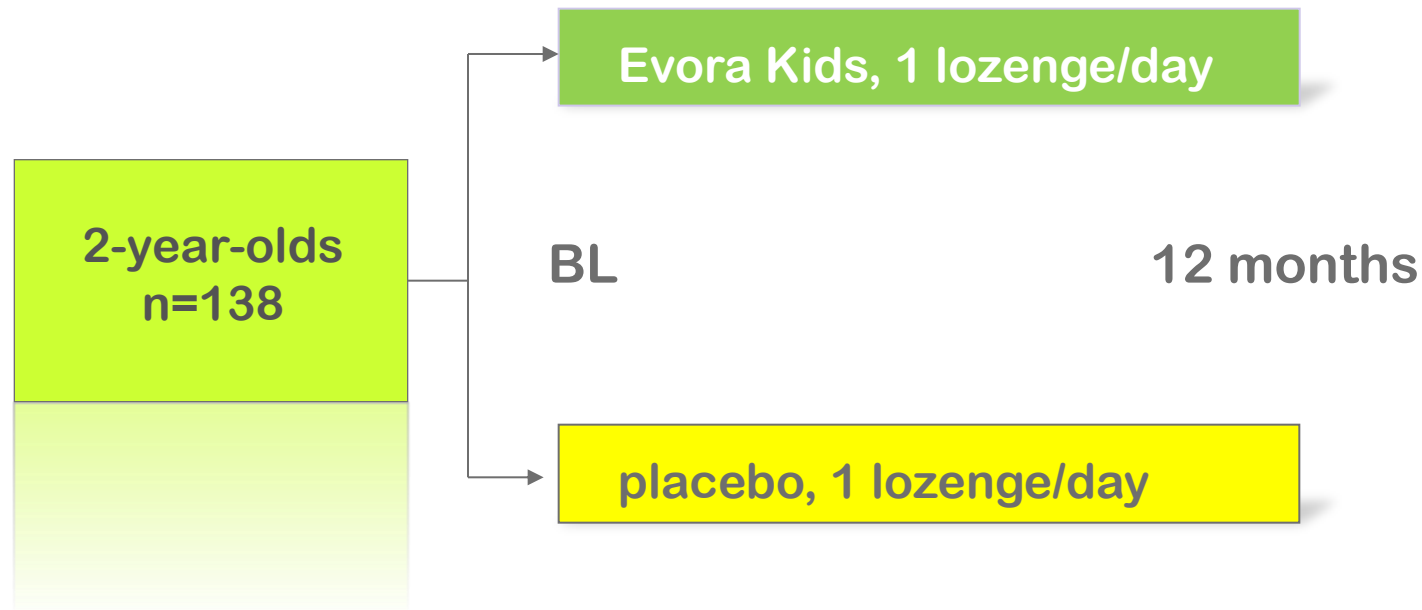
caries prevalence (dmf>0), 9 year



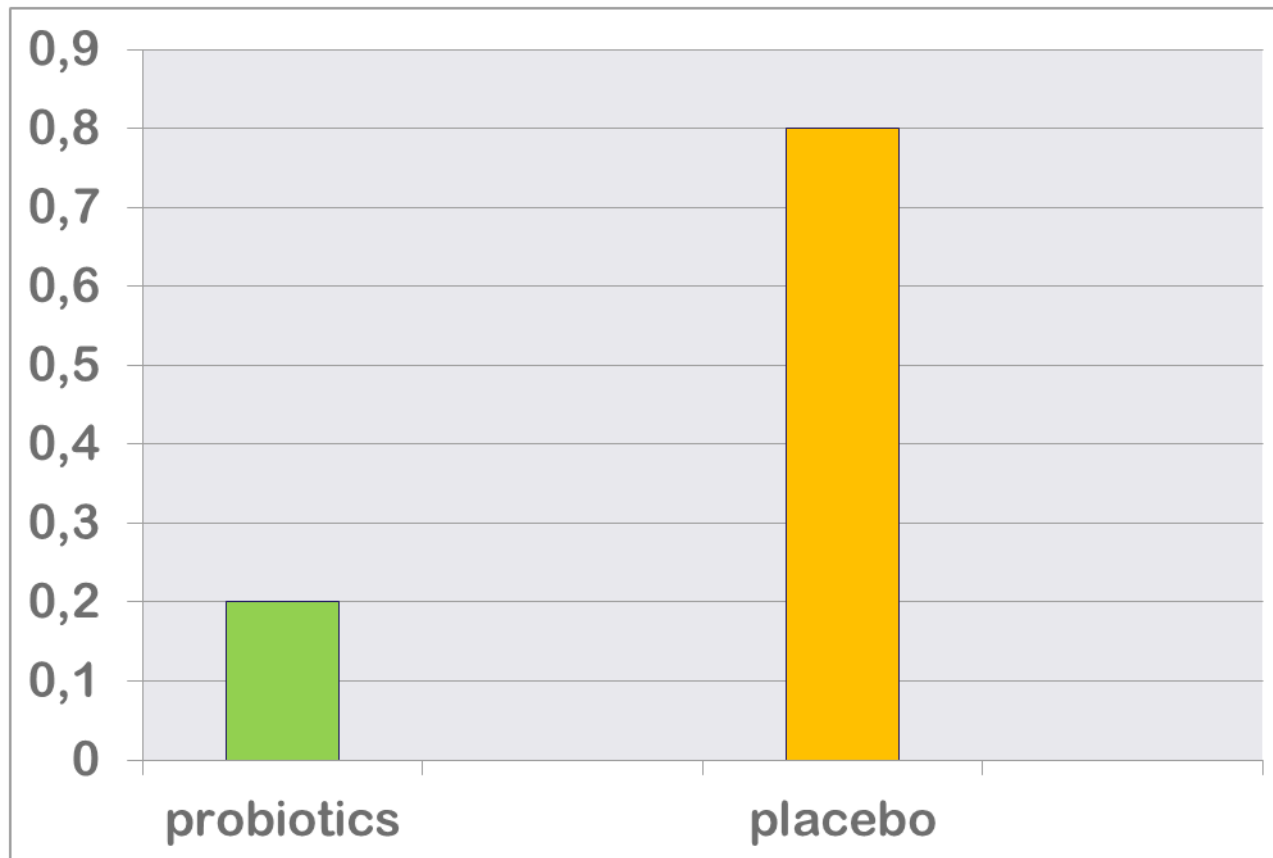
Stensson et al., 2013, Car Res



probiotic lozenges for toddlers



development of early childhood caries (Δ dmfs) in 2-3 yr-old multicultural children – 1 year RCT



Twetman et al., 2015



clinical trials with caries endpoint

First author, yr	design ^a	n; age (yr)	vehicle, time ^b	strain	caries test/ctr	PF ^c (%)
Näse, 2001	RCT	594; 1-6 164; 3-4	milk, 7m milk, 7m	<i>L. rhamnosus</i> GG <i>L. rhamnosus</i> GG	15%/19% ^d 10%/23% ^d	21% 56%
Stecksén-B, 2009	CRCT	174; 1-5	milk, 21m	<i>L. rhamnosus</i> LB21 +2.5 ppm F	Δdmfs 0.4/1.6	75%
Petersson, 2011	RCT					65% 55%
Taipele, 2013						5% (NS)
Hasslöf, 2013		180; 6	cereals	<i>L. paracasei</i> T15	CF 80%/74%	6% (NS)
Stensson, 2013	RCT	113;9	drops, 1 st yr	<i>L. reuteri</i>	CF 82%/58%	29%
Teanpaisan, 2015	RCT	54; 14	milk powder, 1yr	<i>L. paracasei</i>	0.2/0.9	82%
H-Hajikand, 2015	RCT	150;2-4	tablets	Probiora ³	0.2/0.8	75%

mean caries preventive fraction 45%

^a RCT=randomized controlled trial; CRCT=cluster randomized controlled trial; ^bm=months; ^cPF=prevented fraction;

^dcaries prevalence (%); ^e root caries reversals (%), CF= caries free

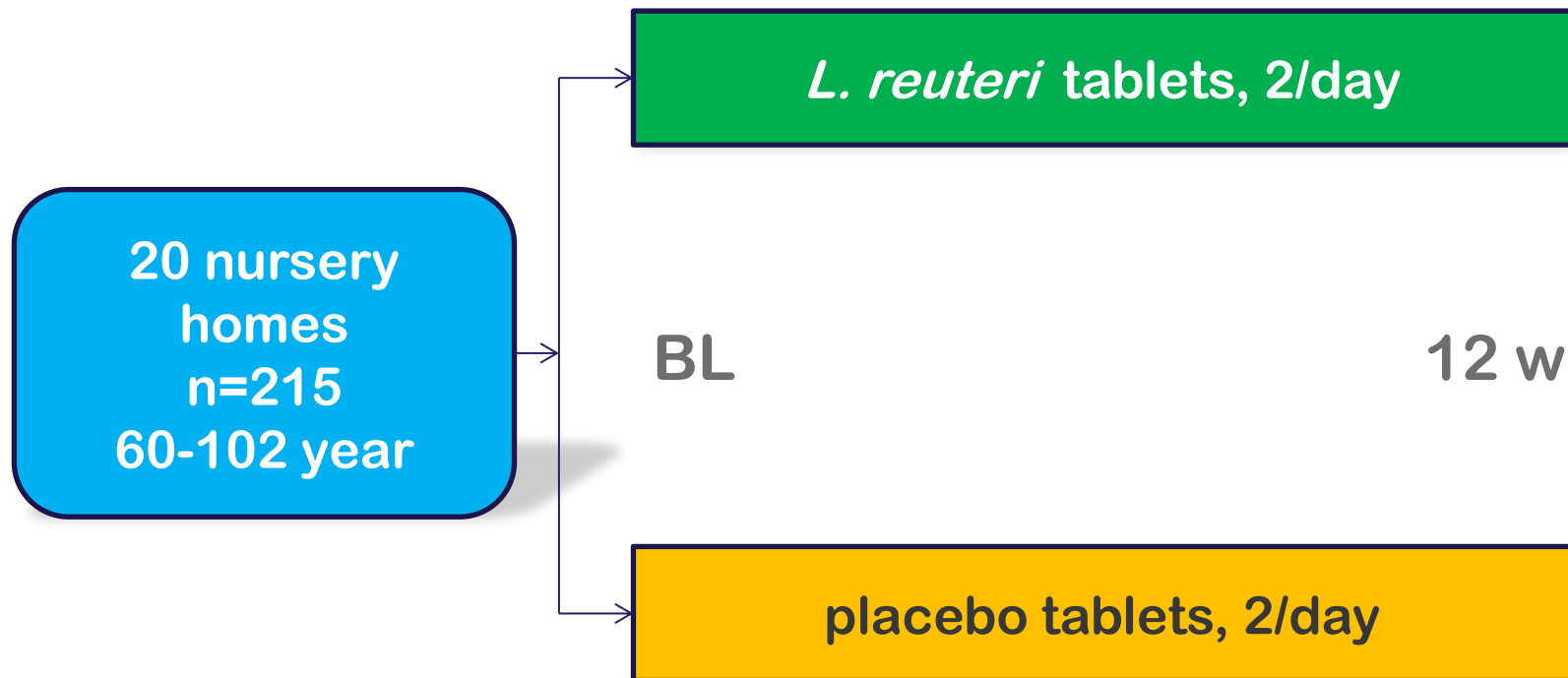
candidiasis



root caries

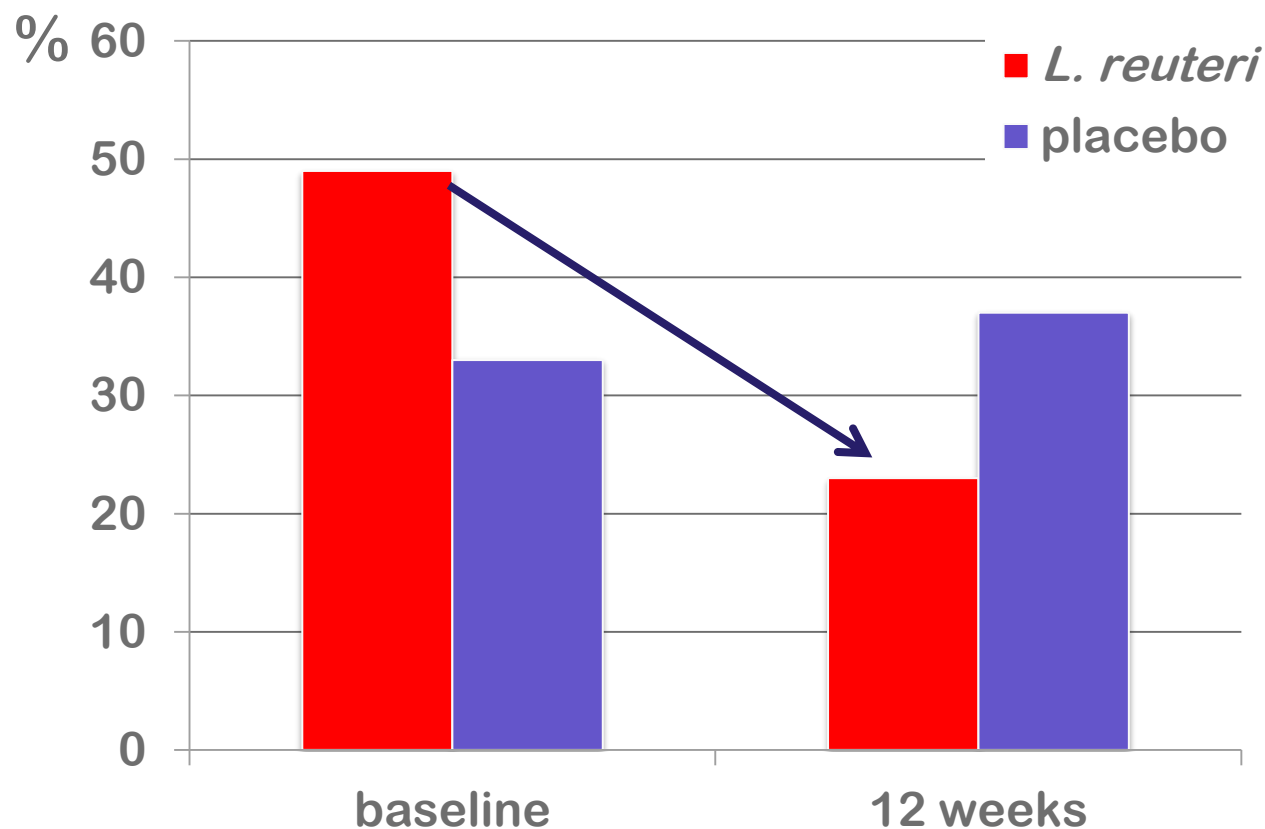


double-blind randomized placebo-controlled trial



Kraft-Bodi et al 2015 JDR

high counts of salivary *C. albicans* after intake of *L. reuteri* tablets in elderly nursing home residents (n=227)



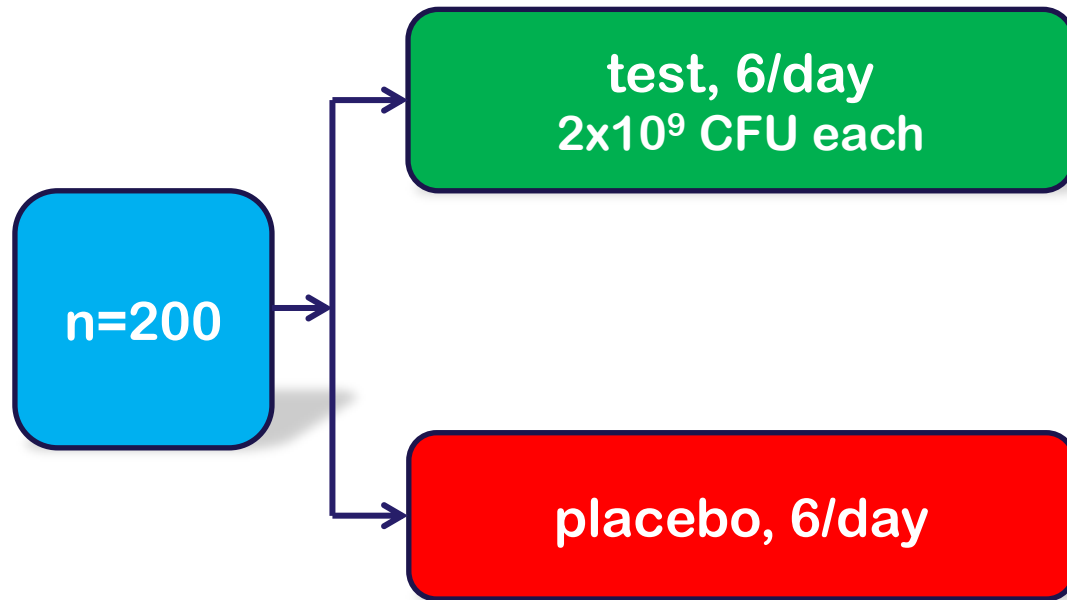
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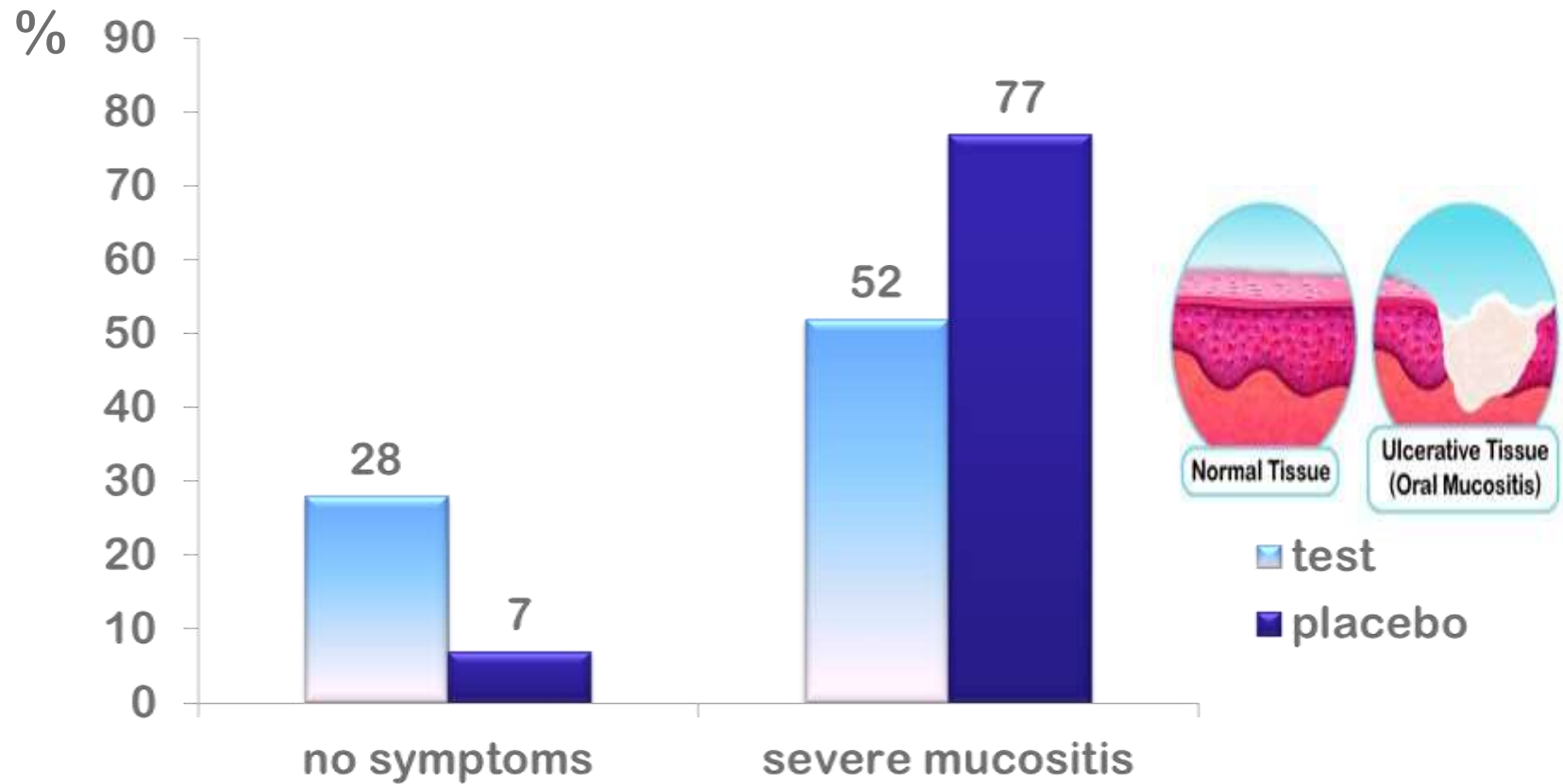
probiotic supplements can relieve mucositis among patients with head- and neck cancer, treated with chemo and radiation



probiotic lozenges (*L. brevis*) and mucositis



probiotic lozenges (*L. brevis*) and mucositis



probiotic reduction of gingivitis – clinical observations

day 0



day 14





after treatment with the probiotic *L. reuteri* in patients with implants presenting mucositis, the **clinical parameters improved**, and the **cytokine levels decreased** - in contraposition to the observations in the placebo group

Flichy-Fernandez et al., 2015 J Period Res



- early probiotic start may prevent caries
- a metabolic domino effect is obvious in childhood
- probiotics may reduce PI, GI, BOP and PPD
- probiotics beneficial to maintain oral balance in elderly
- probiotics supplements adjunct to fluoride and periodontal therapy

bad breath

volatile sulphur compounds (VSC) produced by
oral bacteria i.e. *F. nucleatum*



probiotics reduces VSC?



- use of tablets with *Streptococcus salivarius* K12 beneficial for long-term reduction of malodour
- similar findings for *Weissella cibaria*
- reduction of volatile sulphur compounds

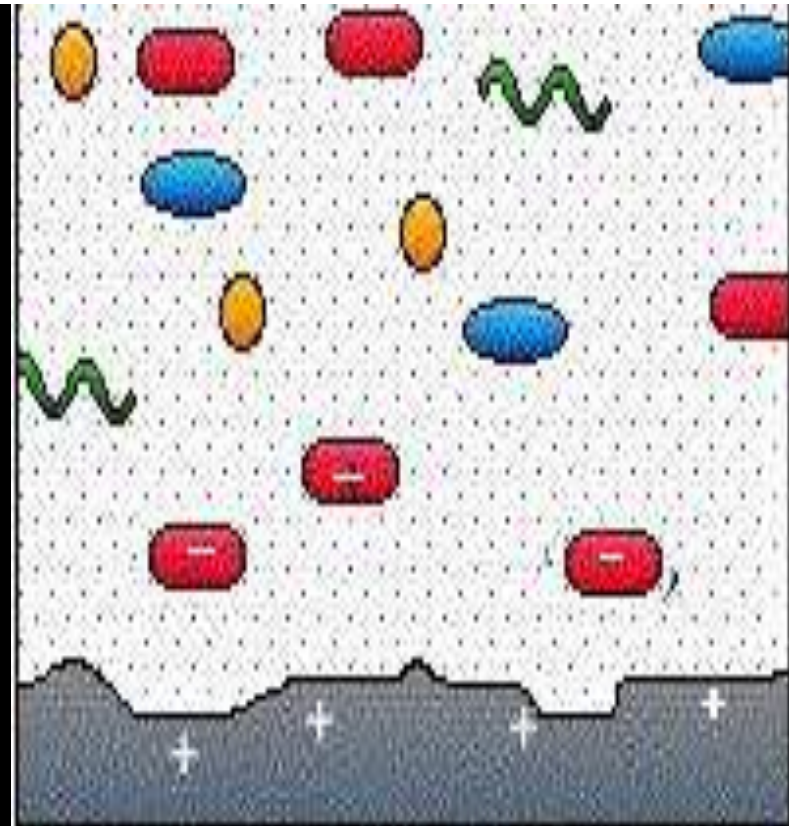
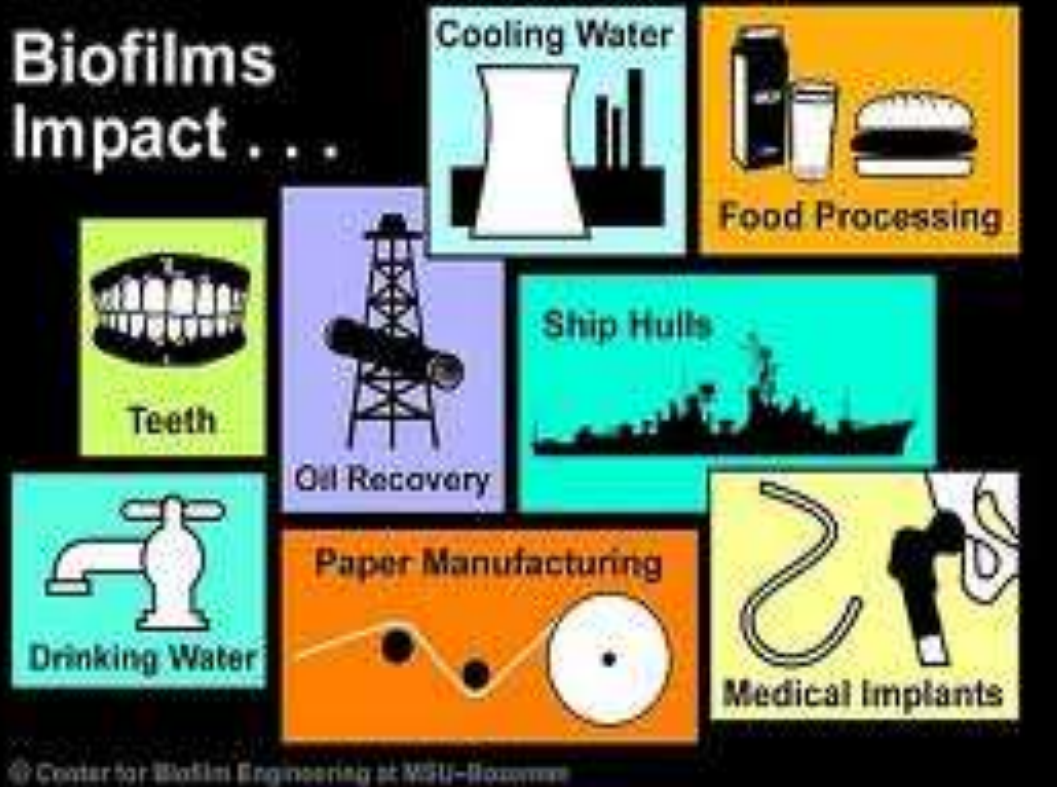
(Burton et al., 2005; 2006; Kang et al., 2006).



- health by nature
- control biofilm rather than killing and eradication

future in preventive dentistry is biofilm control and biofilm engineering

Biofilms Impact ...



examples of strategies to control biofilm stress

