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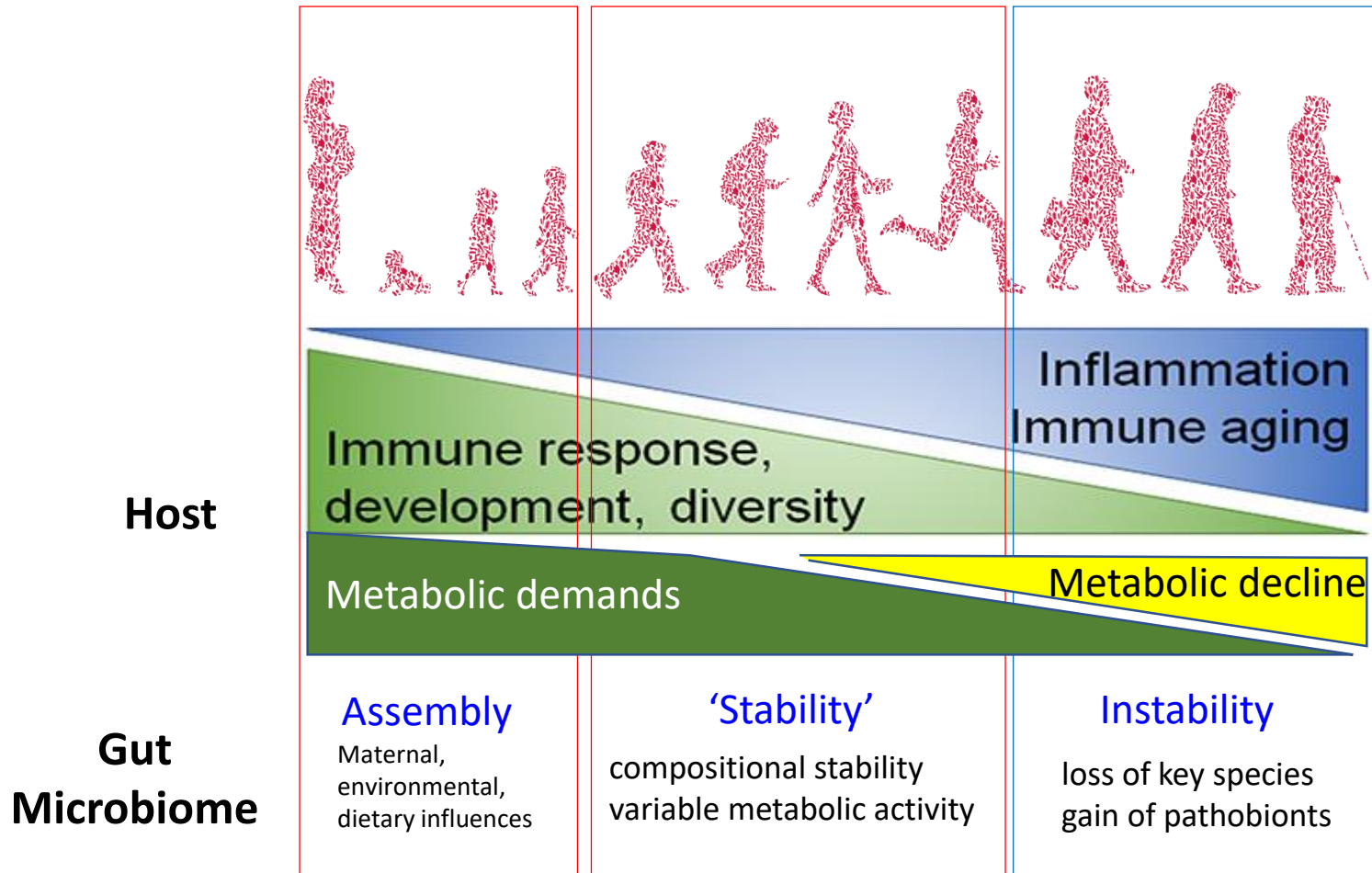
# **Age: the microbiome through life and its impact on host**



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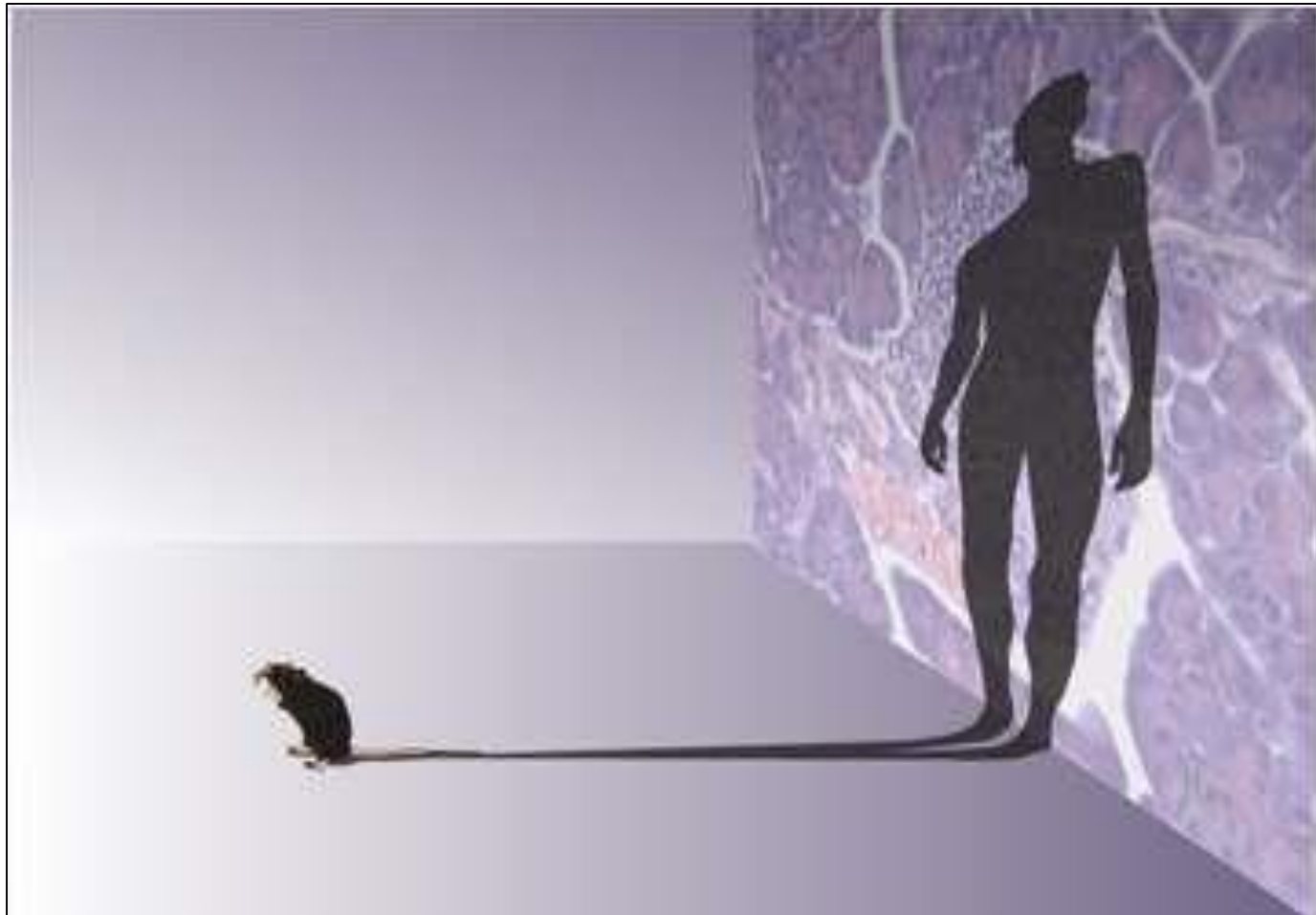
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# Host-microbiome states change with age: Impact on human health and disease



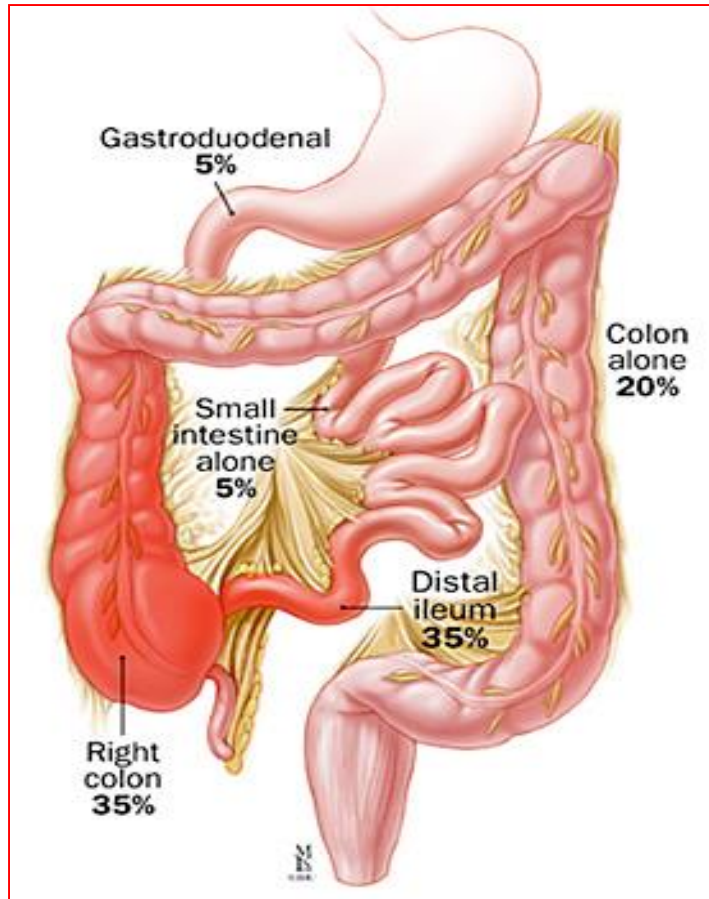
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# Potential insights gained through a combination of human and experimental models

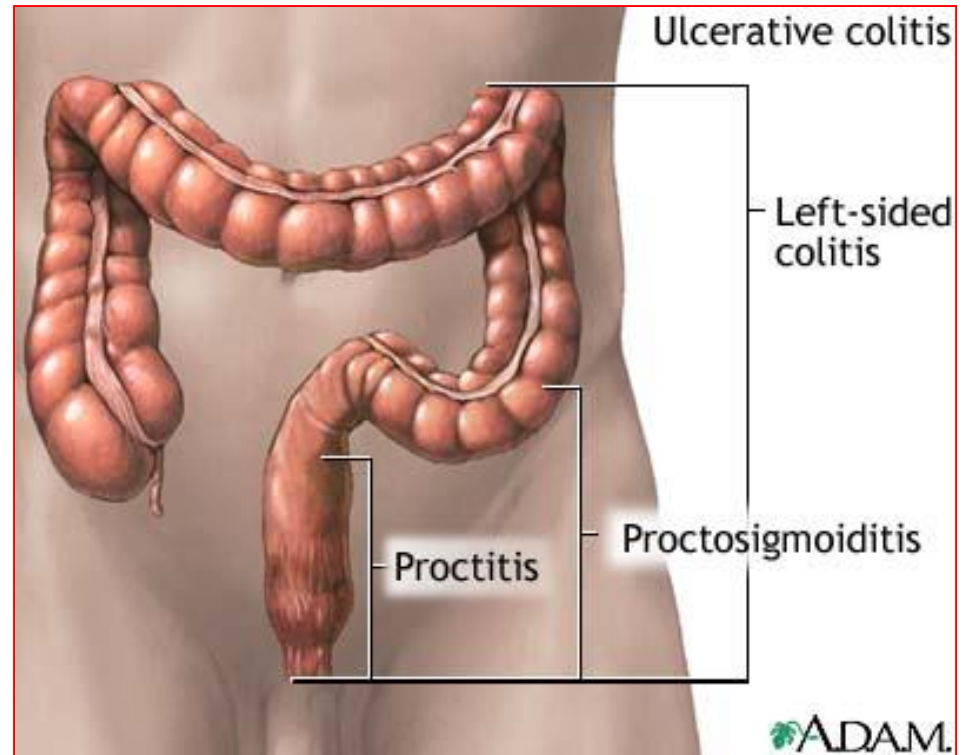


# Crohn's disease and ulcerative colitis are **clinical phenotypes** of inflammatory bowel diseases

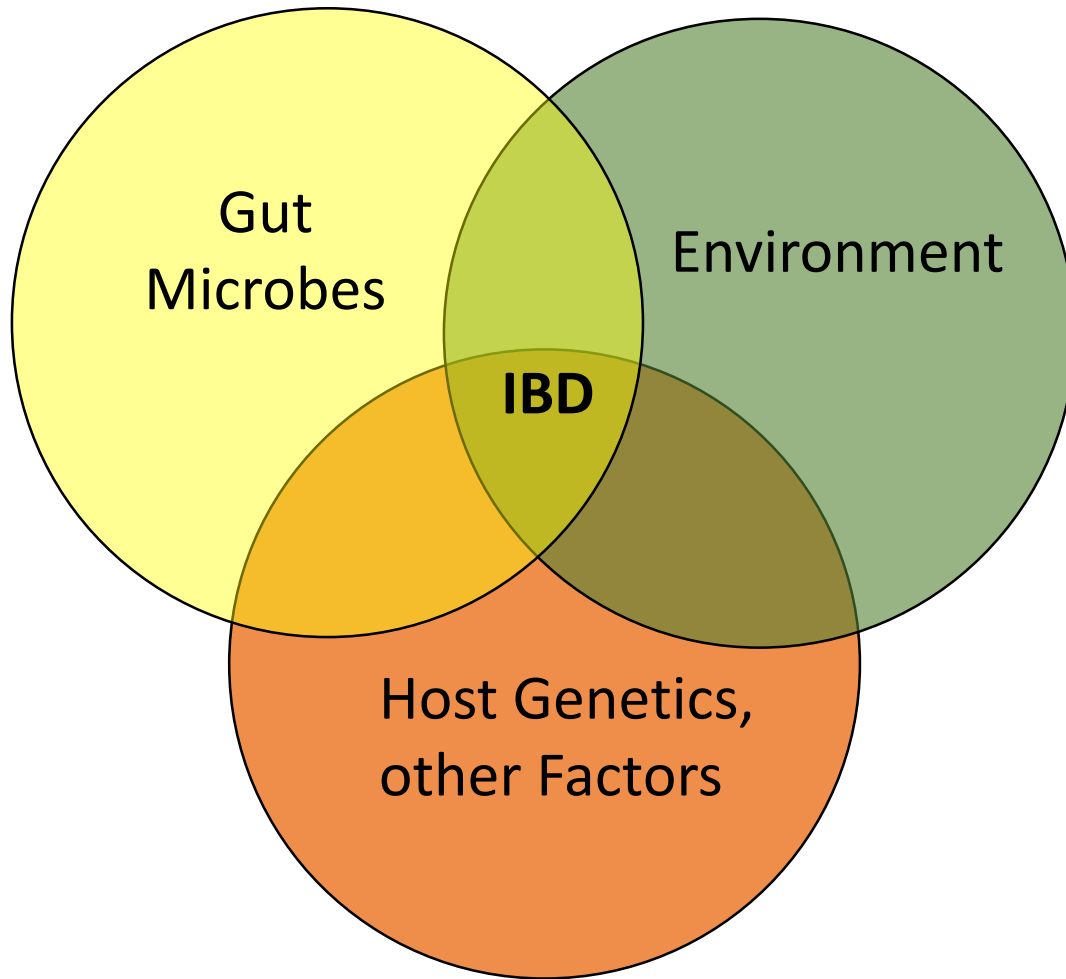
## Crohn's disease



## Ulcerative Colitis

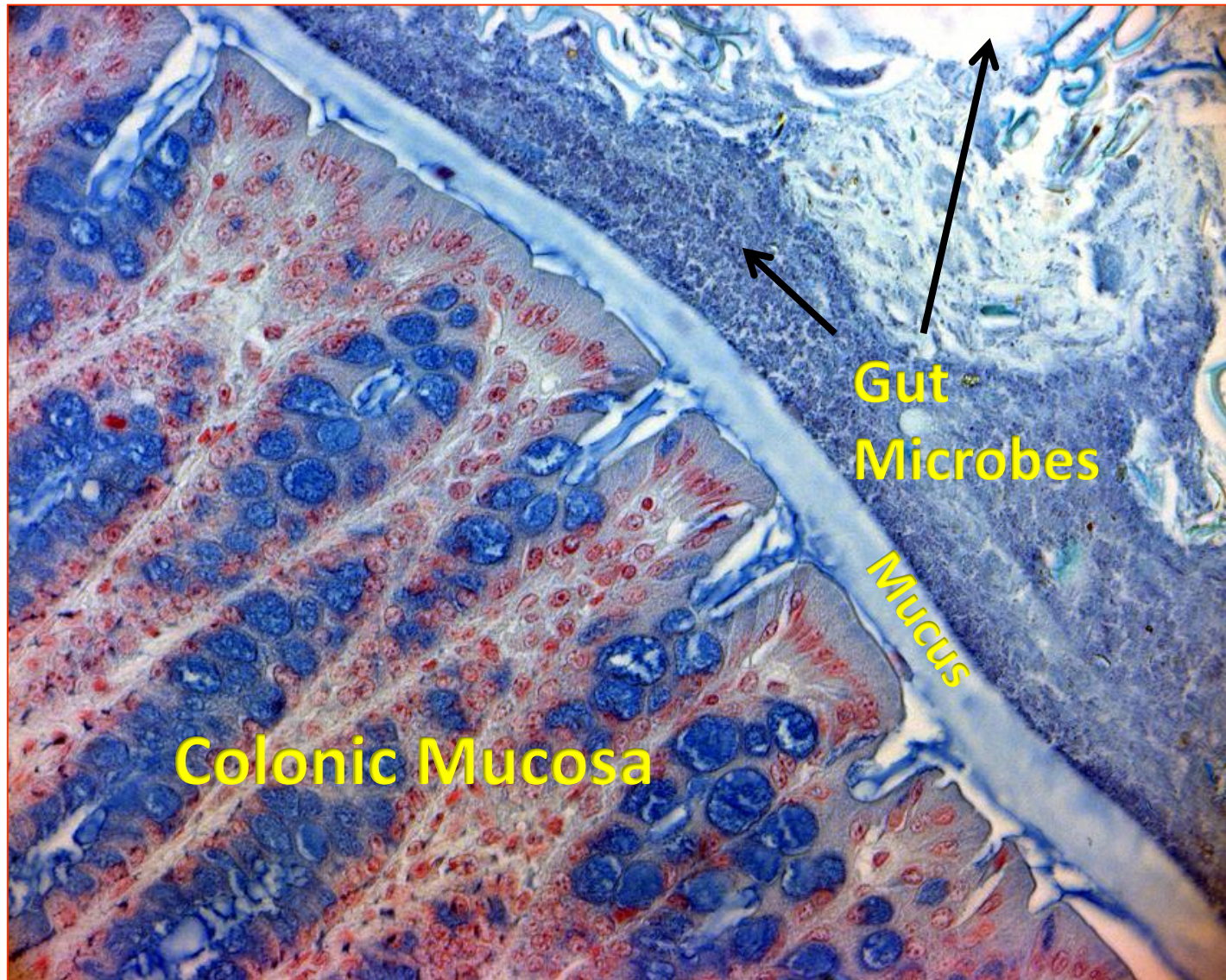


# Inflammatory Bowel Diseases (IBD): prototypes of complex immune disorders





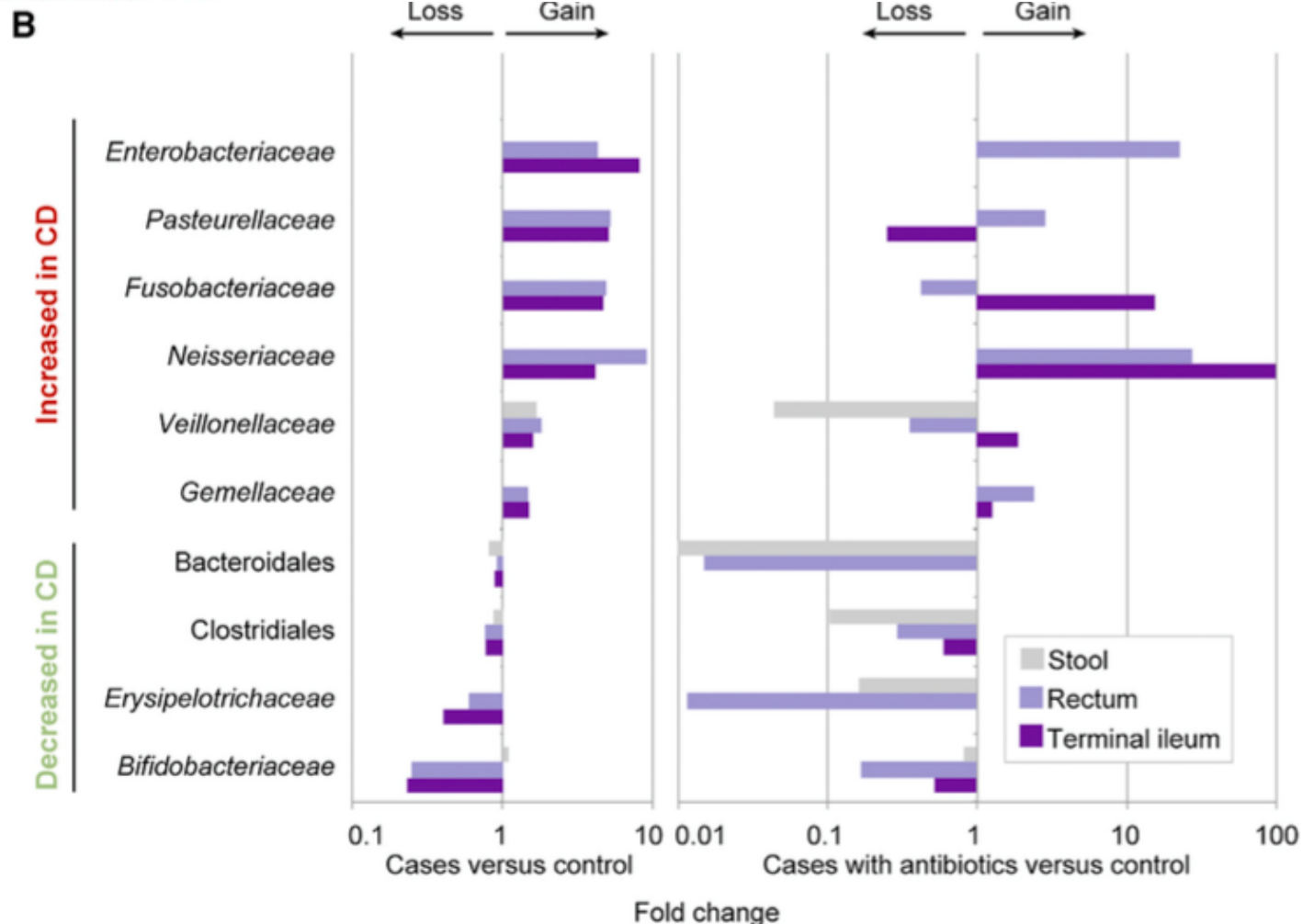
# Our gut microbial organ up close



# The Treatment-Naive Microbiome in New-Onset Crohn's Disease

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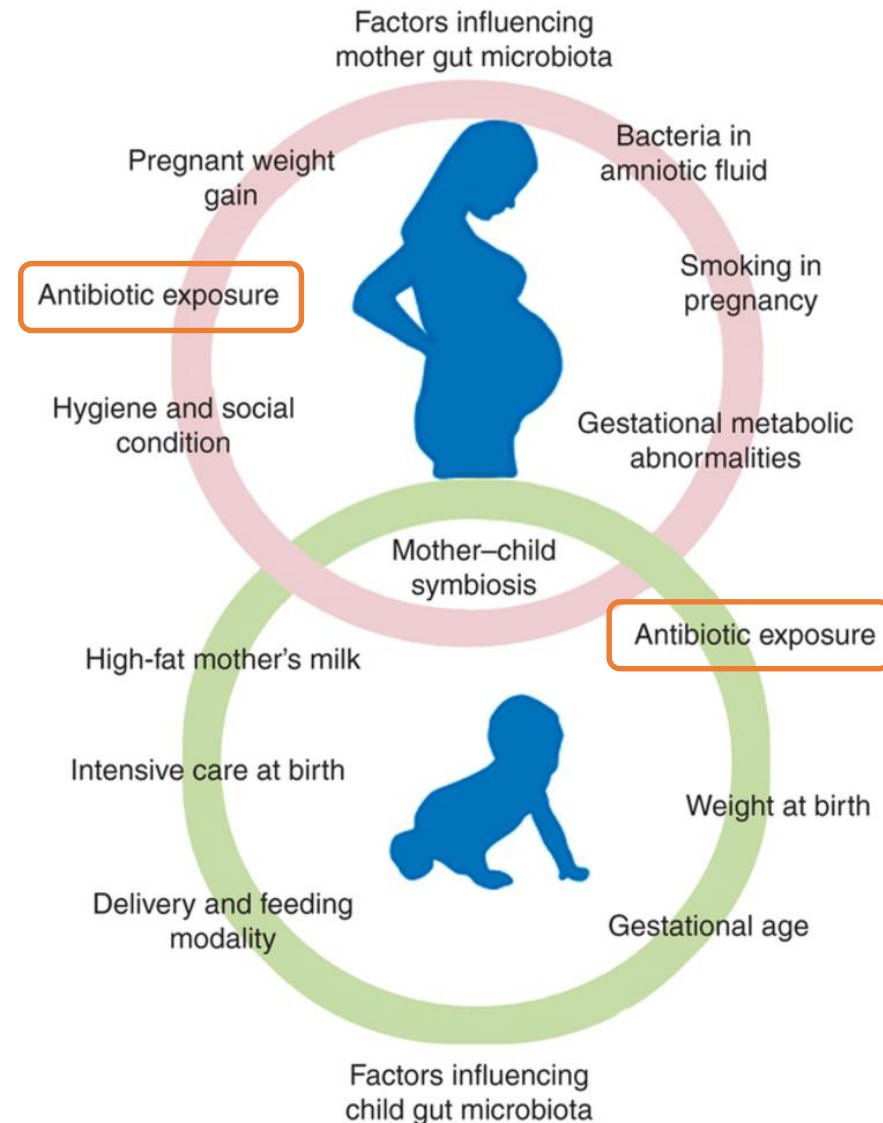




# Peripartum antibiotics are commonly used in mothers and infants

## Facts:

- ~ 40% of pregnant women at term
- In developed countries, broad-spectrum antibiotics are prescribed more frequently during pregnancy. (Petersen et al., 2010)
- >30% of neonates are exposed to antibiotics. (Broe et al., 2014; Stockholm et al., 2013)
- In most cases, indications for antibiotic use during the peripartum period are unclear





# Early-in-life antibiotics, altered immune states, disease risk

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## Peripartum Antibiotics Promote Gut Dysbiosis, Loss of Immune Tolerance, and Inflammatory Bowel Disease in Genetically Prone Offspring

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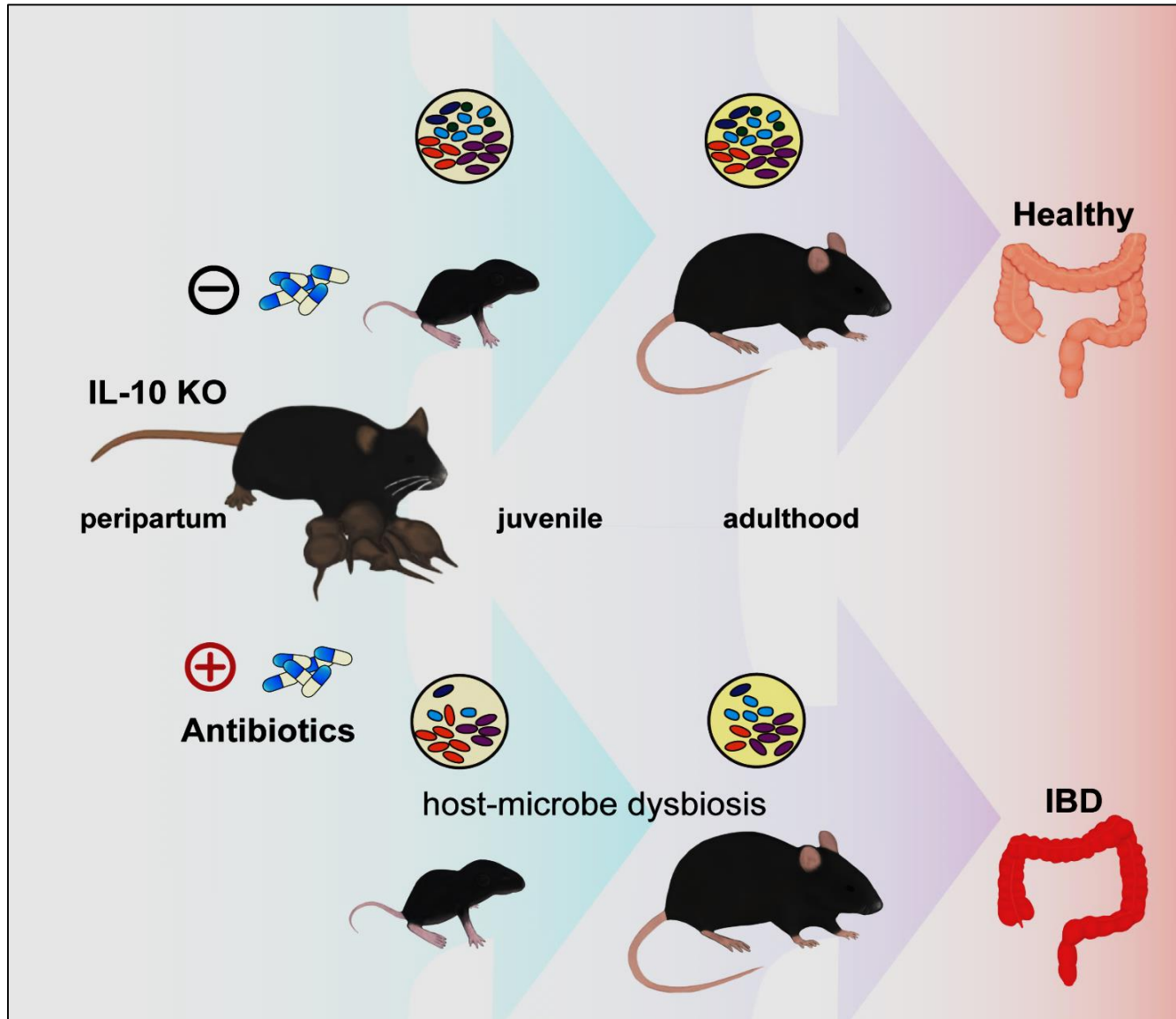
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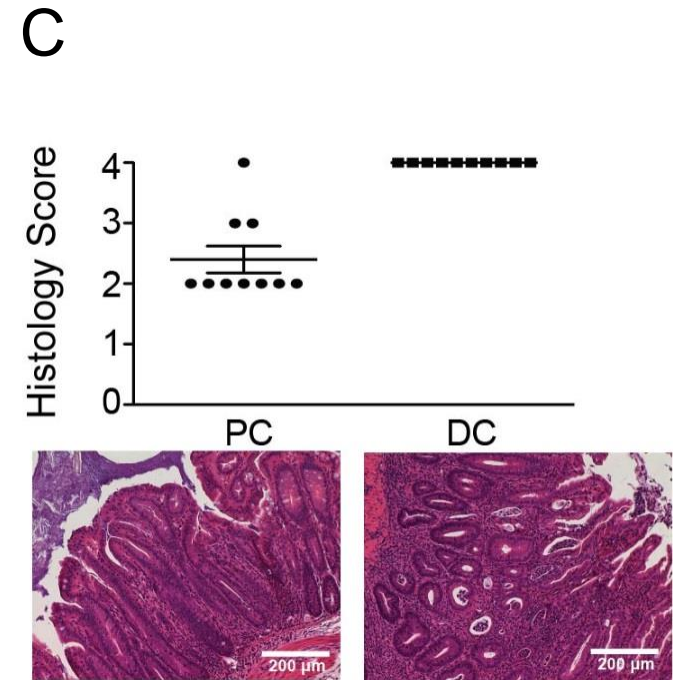
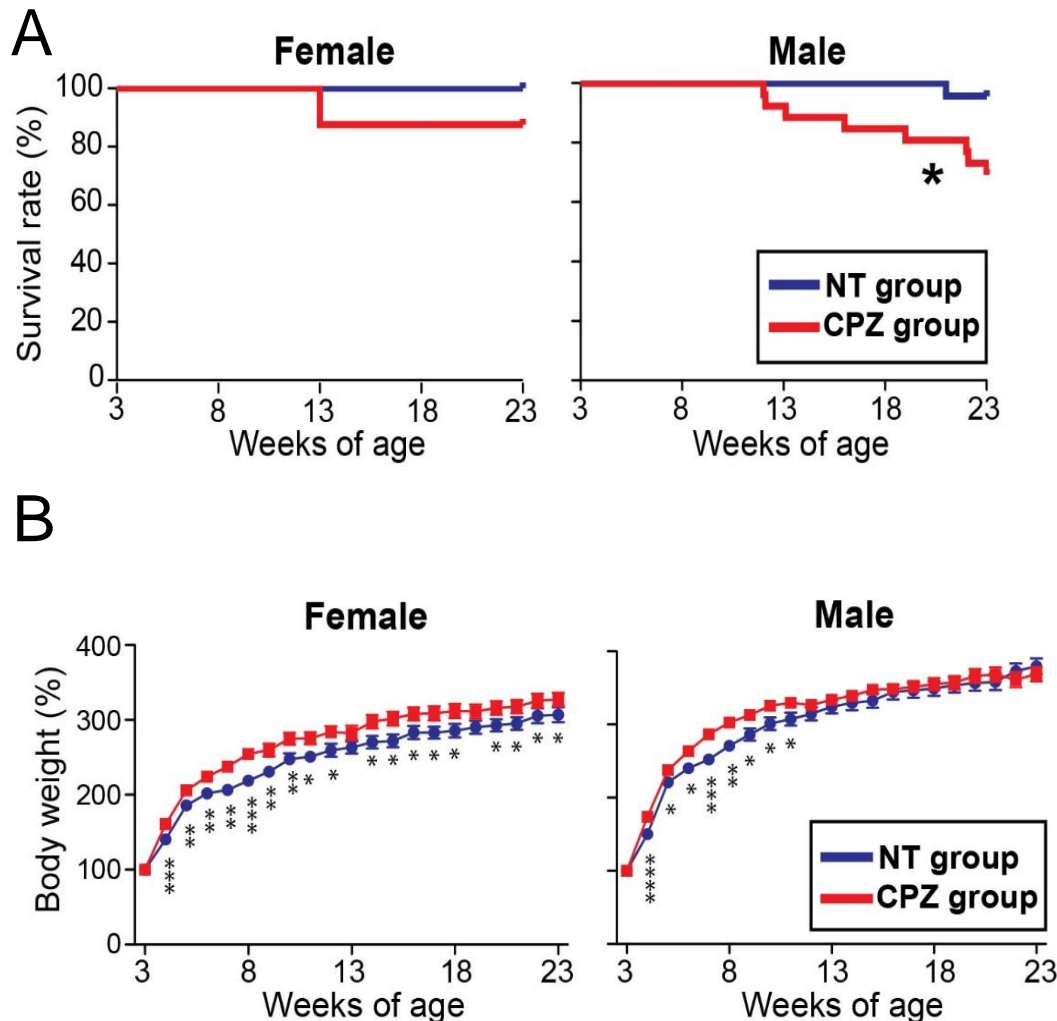
## Intergenerational transfer of antibiotic-perturbed microbiota enhances colitis in susceptible mice

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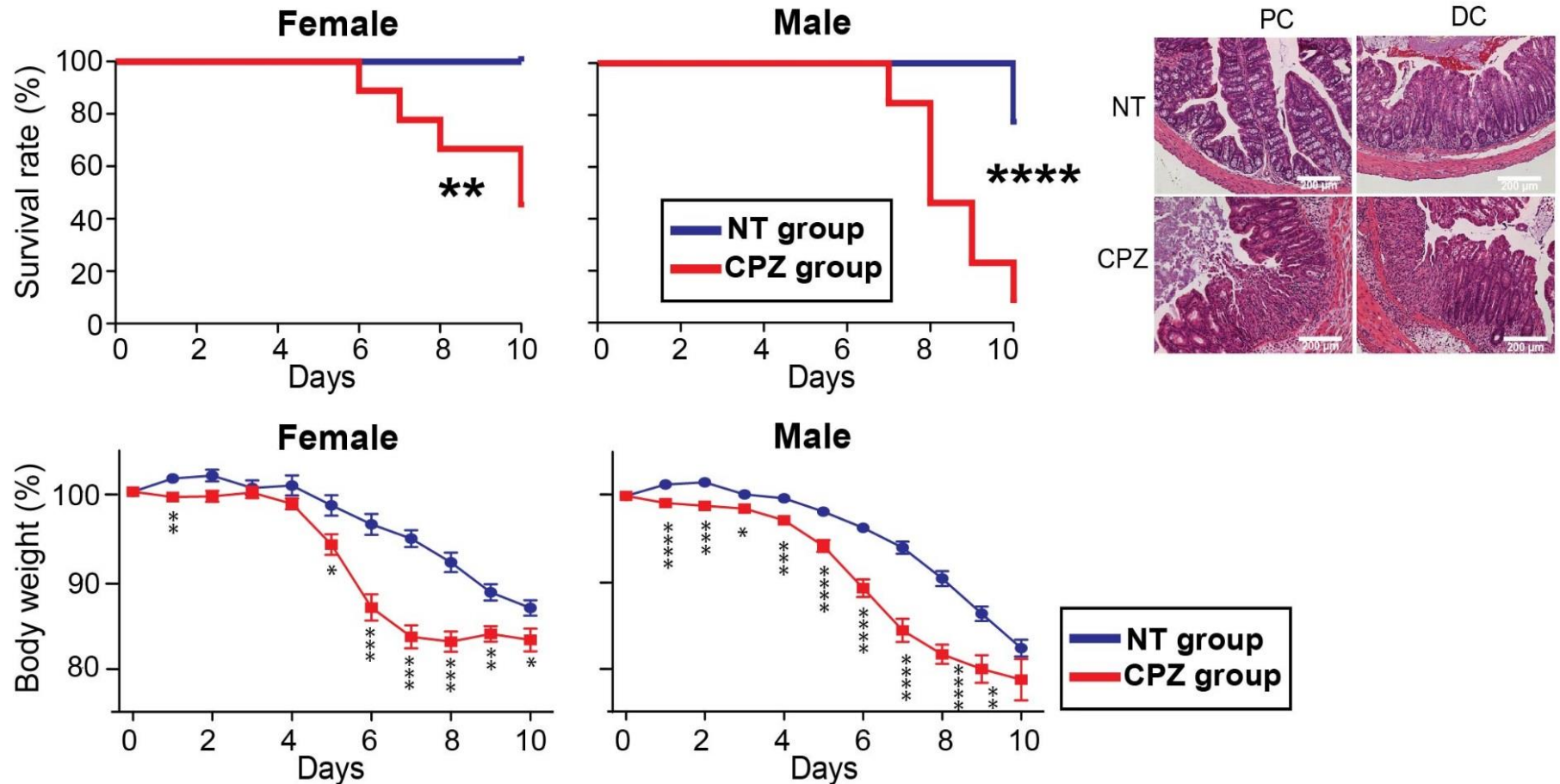
# Does early life exposure to antibiotics causes gut dysbiosis, skewed immune development and increase risk for IBD in genetically prone subjects?



# Peripartum antibiotic exposure increases the risk for spontaneous colitis in IL-10 KO offspring



# IL10KO offspring without frank colitis after exposure to peripartum CPZ are more susceptible to DSS-induced colitis



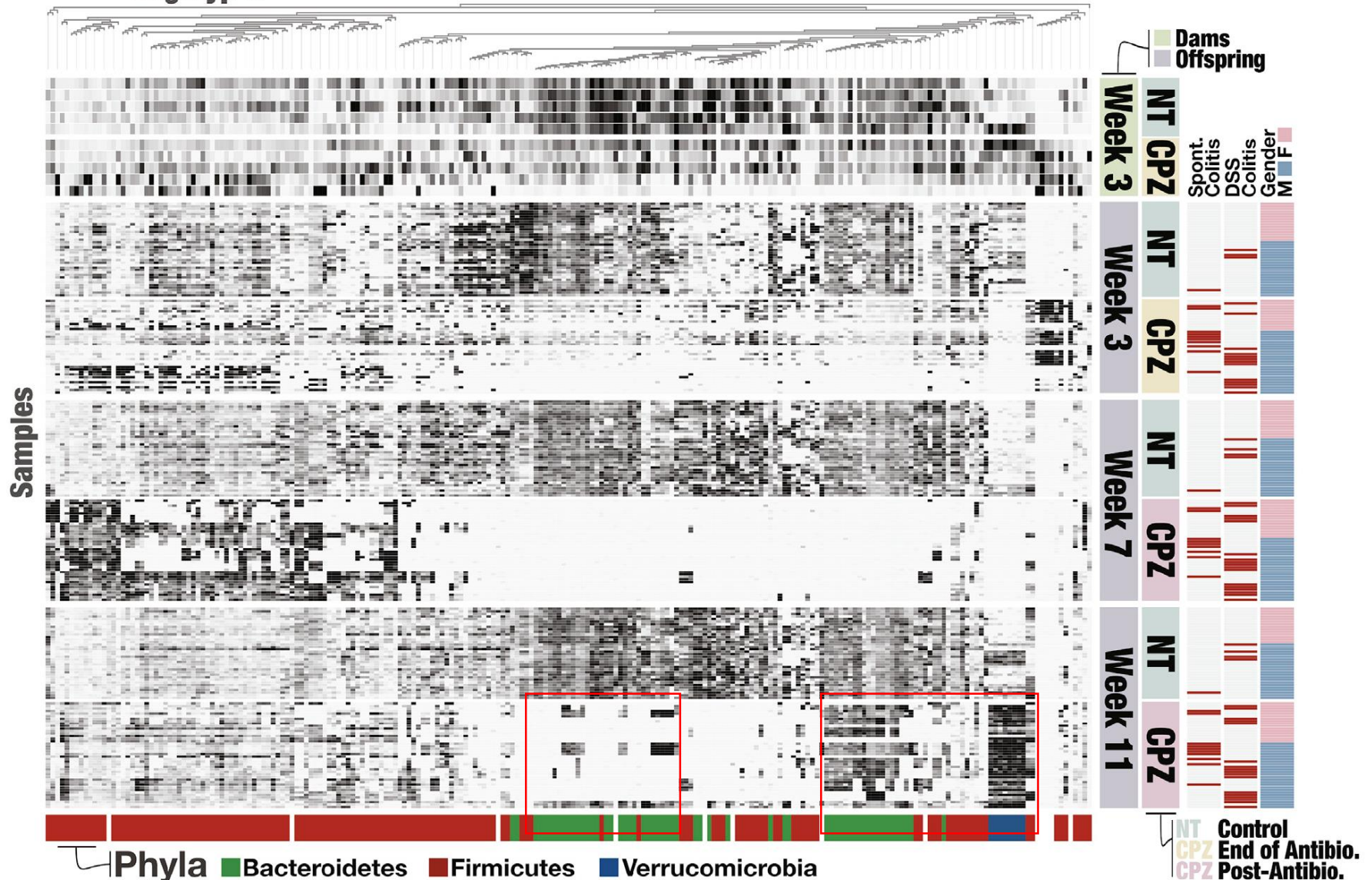
IL-10 KO mice exposed to CPZ during a critical window of development exhibit increased susceptibility to developing both spontaneous and chemically-induced colitis later in life.



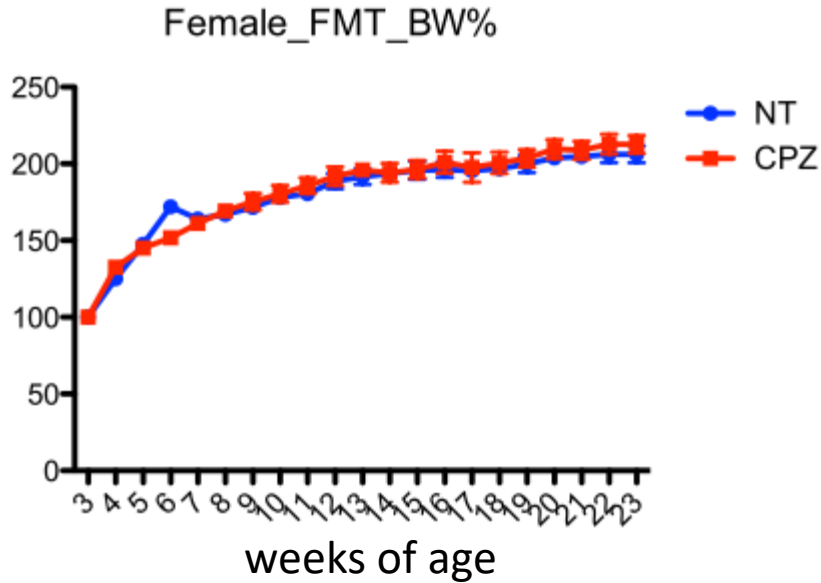
# Peripartum CPZ treatment induces persistent and significant gut dysbiosis in IL-10 KO offspring

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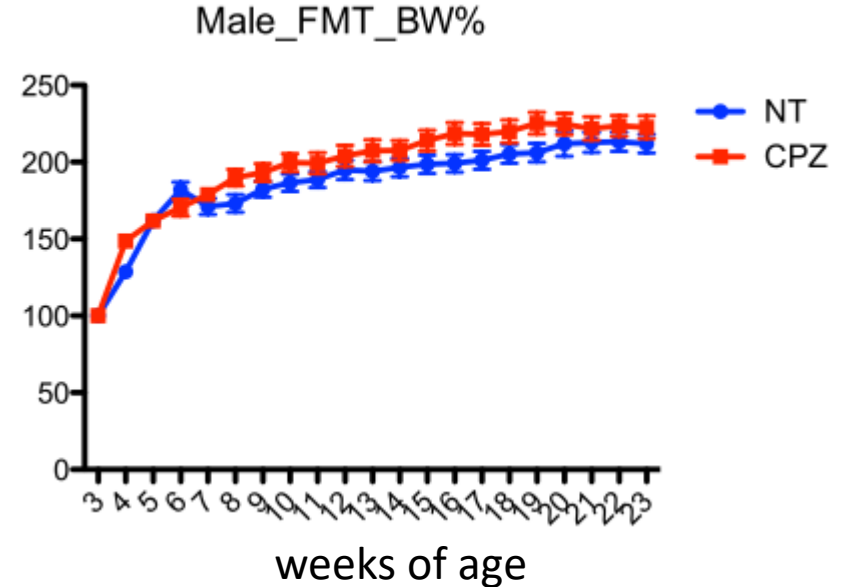
Miyoshi, et al Cell Reports 2017



# Gain or loss of microbiota function?

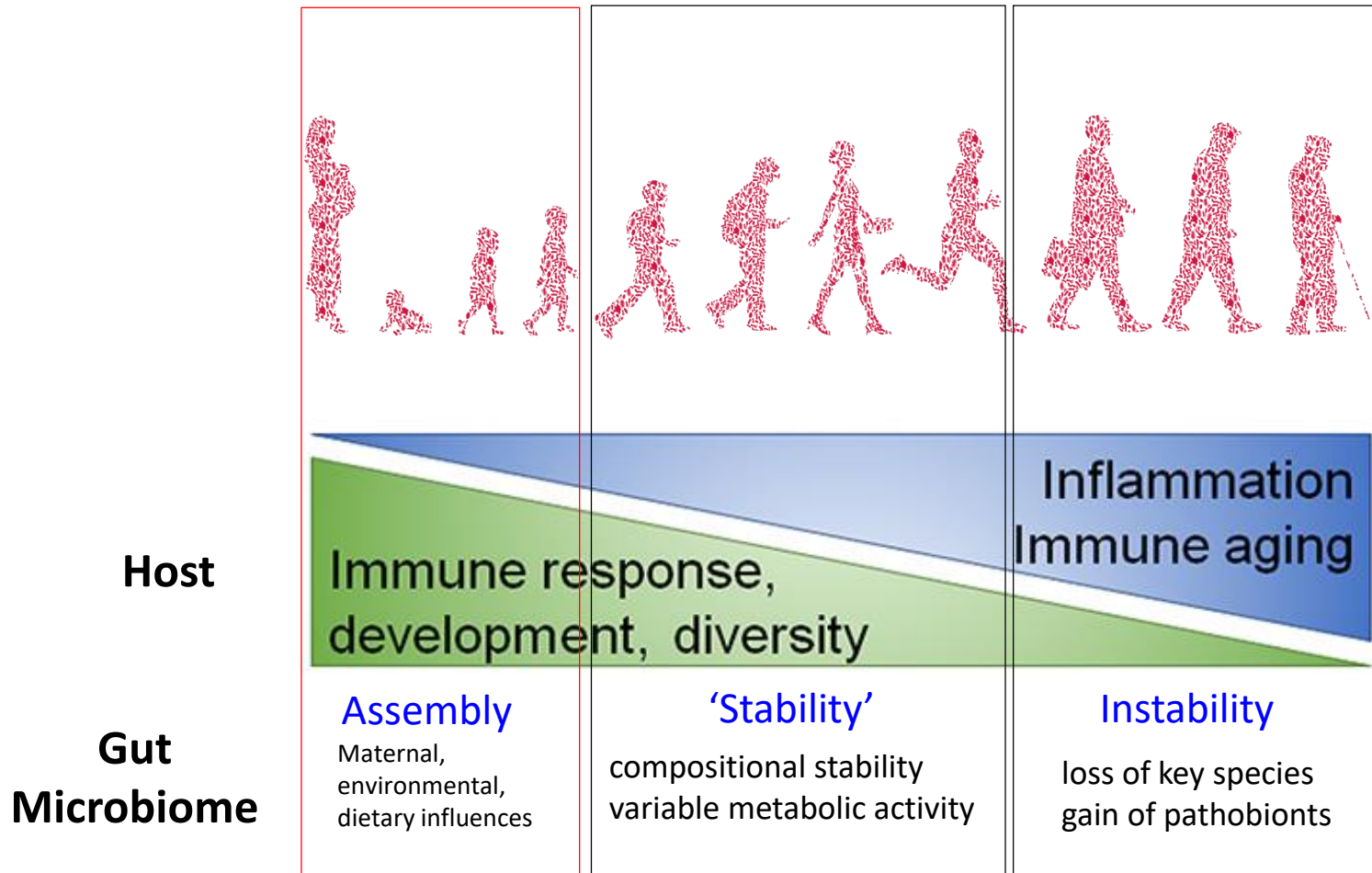


10 female pups in each group



10 male pups in each group

# Host-immune states with aging: Impact on human health and disease

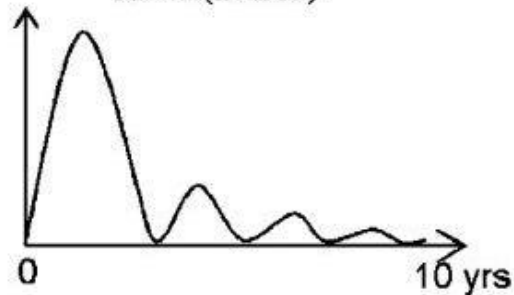


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# Limitations of cross-sectional studies in IBD

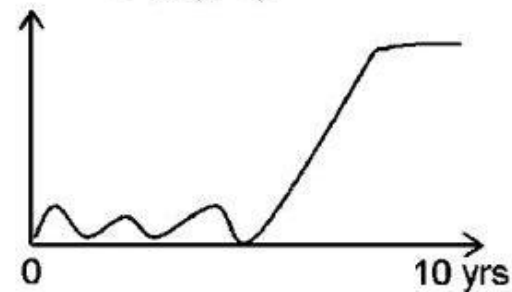
Medscape

55 % (n=208)



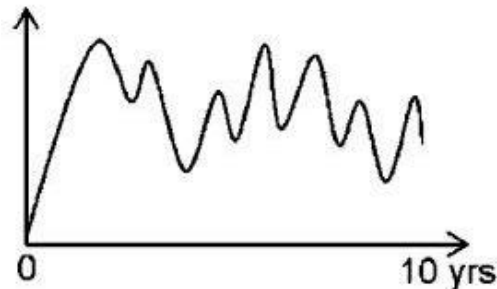
**Curve 1:** Remission or mild severity of intestinal symptoms after initial high activity

1 % (n=4)



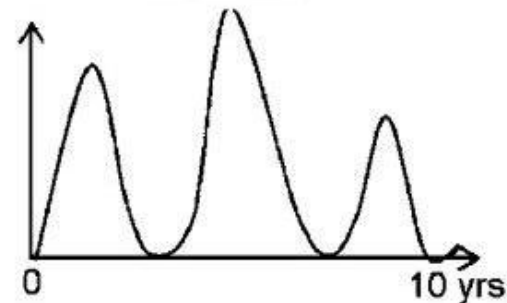
**Curve 2:** Increase in the severity of intestinal symptoms after initial low activity

6 % (n=22)



**Curve 3:** Chronic continuous symptoms

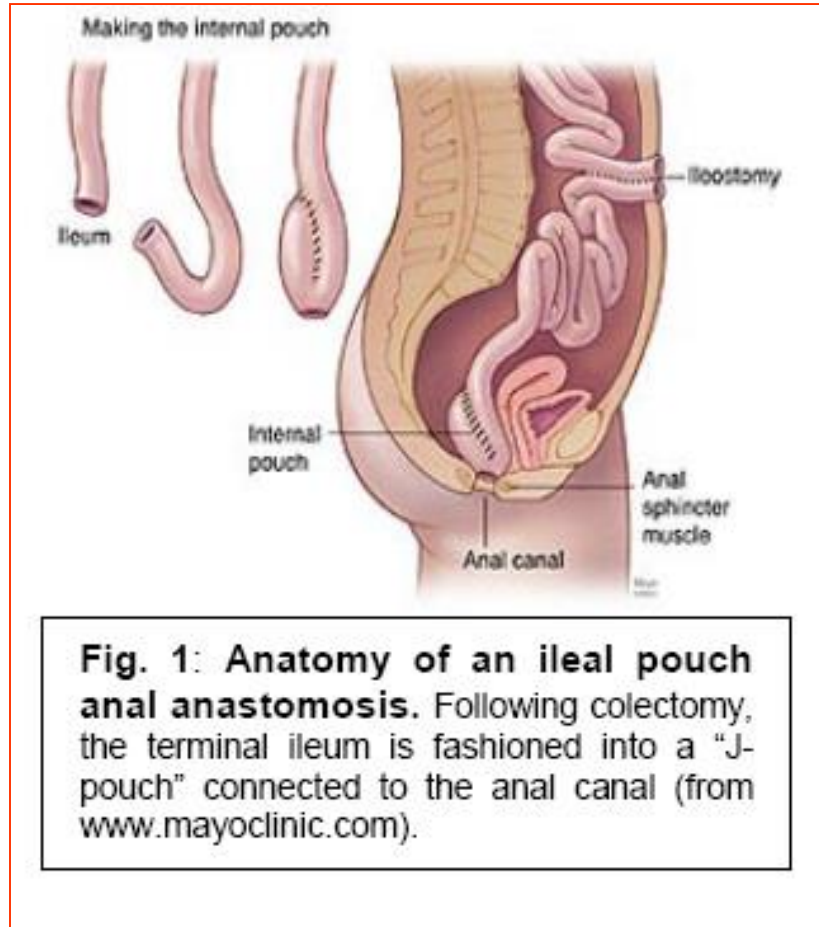
37 % (n=139)



**Curve 4:** Chronic intermittent symptoms



# Why study ulcerative colitis with total colectomy and ileal pouch anal anastomosis (IPAA)?



**Pouchitis**

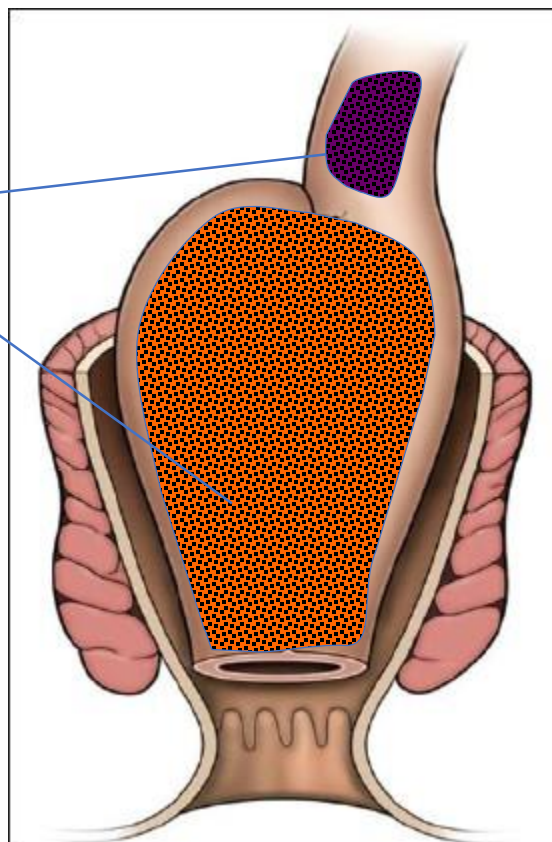
## Highlights

- ~50% pts will develop it in <2y
- Incidence in UC>>FAP
- Microbe-dependent
- Prospective design
- Easy to sample (unprepped)
- Pts as their own controls
- Control group (FAP)

# Study design and sampling points

Mucosal biopsy  
and luminal  
aspirate

FAP patients –  
studied only at  
one time point > 2  
yrs after IPAA

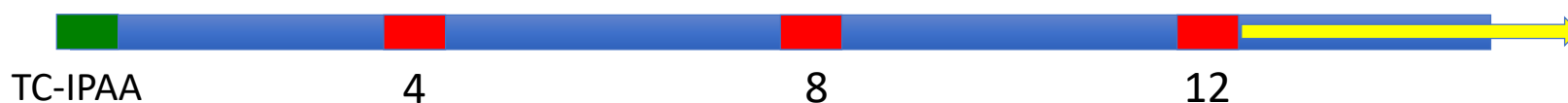


## Sample analysis

- **Patient**
  - Histology
  - Gene Expression
  - Clinical metadata
- **Microbiome**
  - Membership (16S)
  - Function profile
  - Cultivars

Pouchoscopy and biospecimen collections

Track outcome



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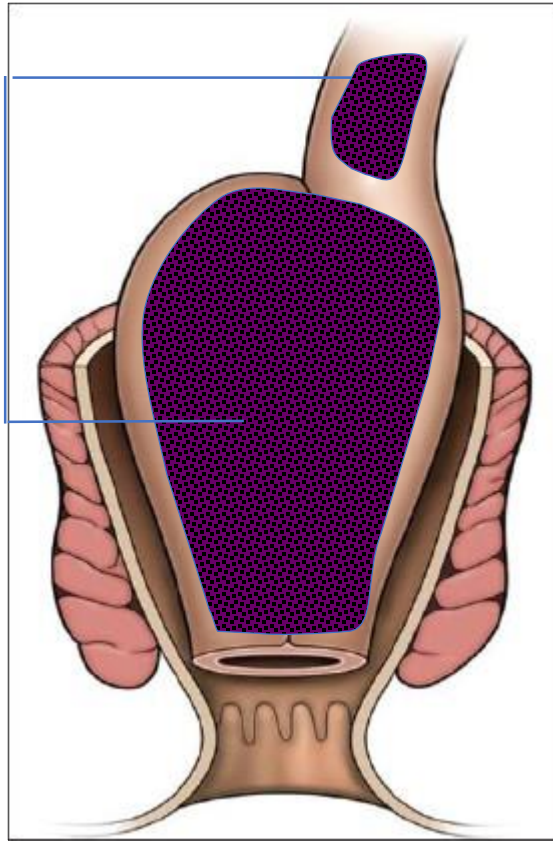


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# UC patients exhibit differences in tissue response to gut microbiota (coding and nc RNA)

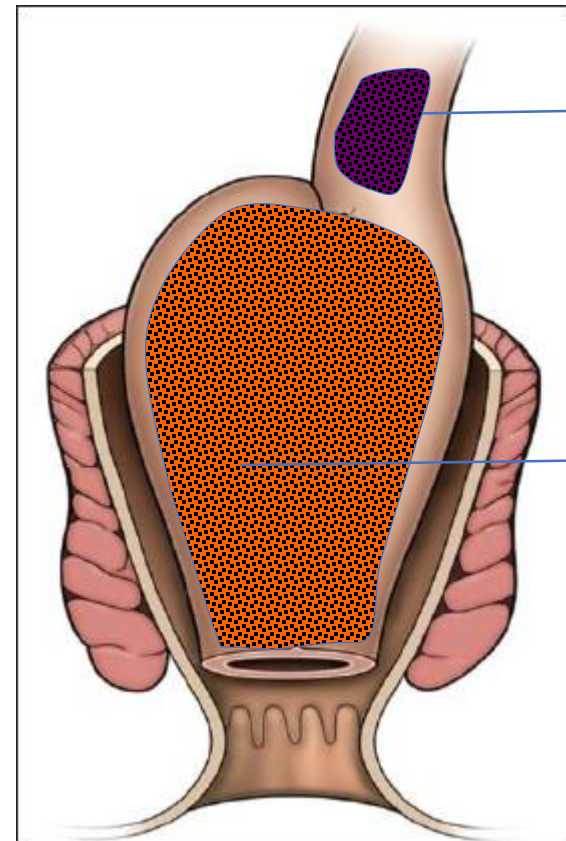
Non-UC (FAP) patients

No significant differences in genes in transcriptomes



UC patients

>6000 genes different



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# Pathways represented in the UC pouch transcriptome

- Colonic metaplasia
- Changes in the extracellular matrix and growth factors
- Enhanced immune activation
- Suppressed xenobiotic metabolism and P450 signaling

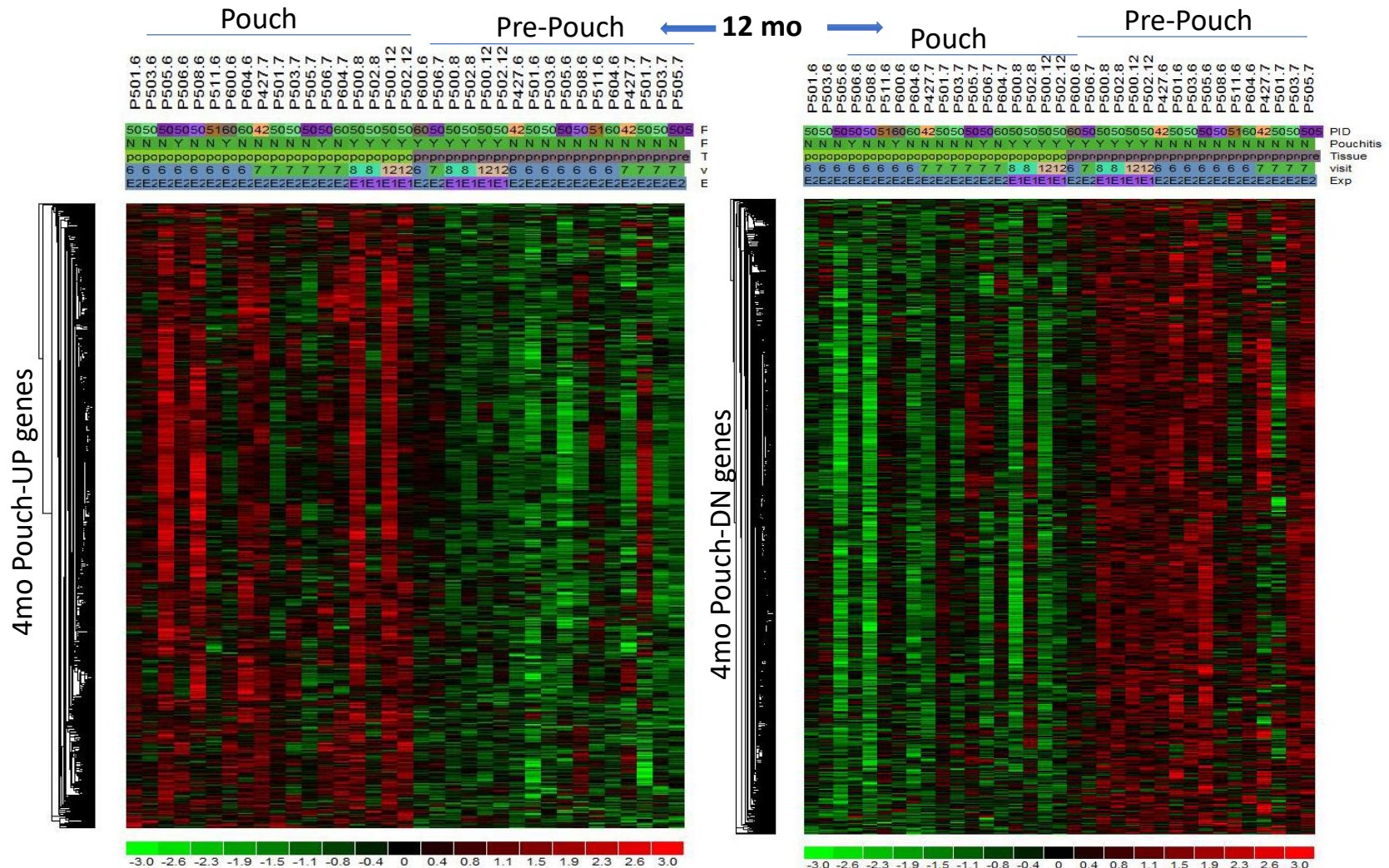


# Aberrant gene expression profiles of the UC pouch are evident at 4 months after pouch functionalization

(Illumina HiSeq 75bp, PE)

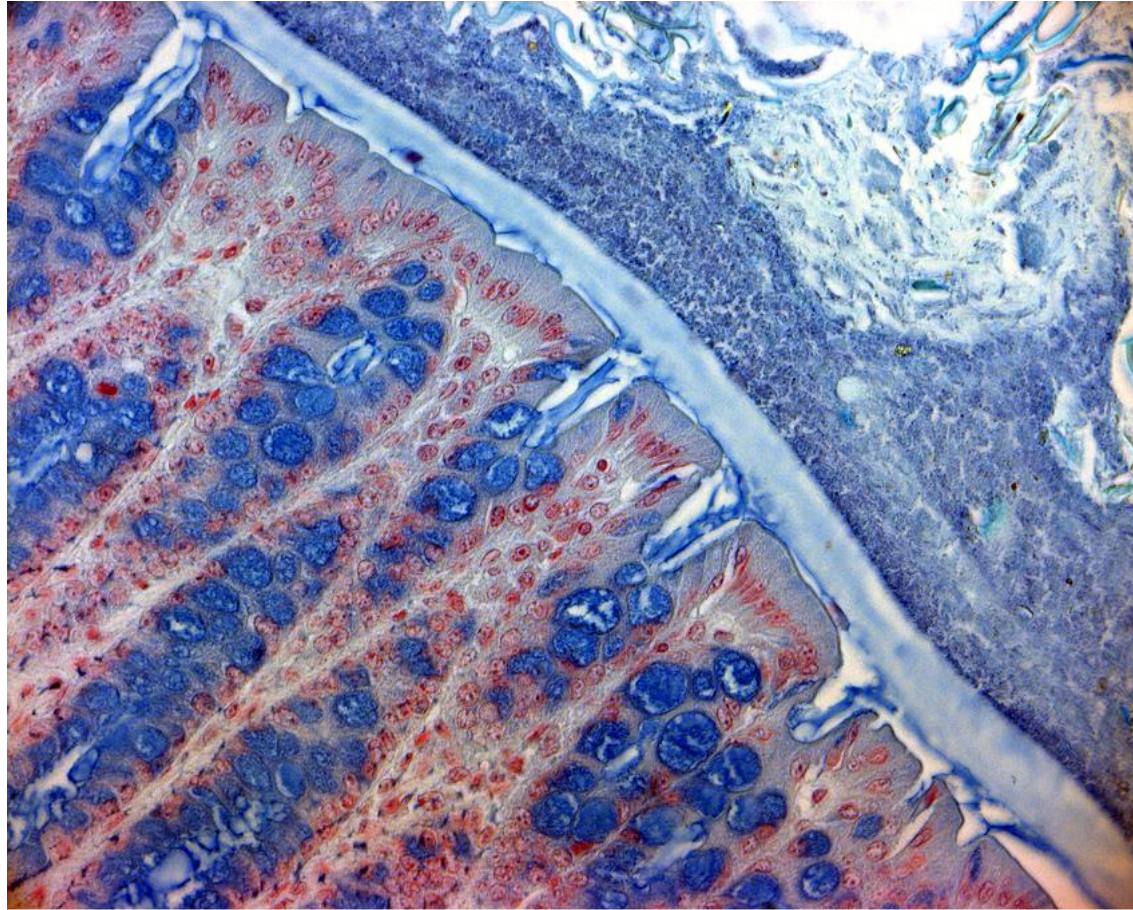
Upregulated DEGs

Downregulated DEGs





# What about the role of gut microbes in the development of UC pouchitis?



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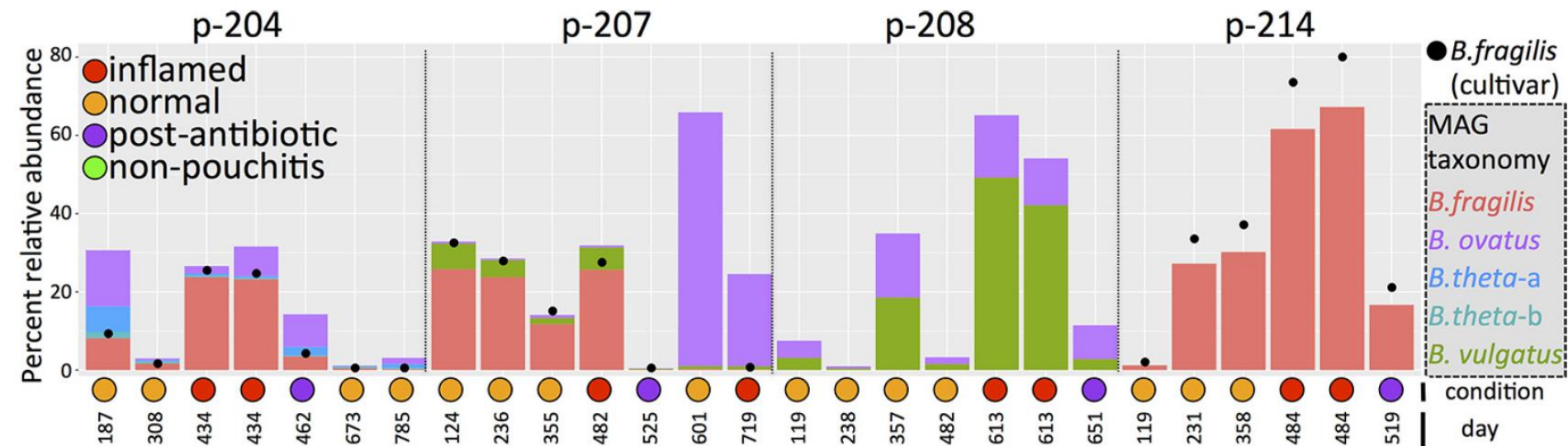
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# Patient-Specific *Bacteroides* Genome Variants in Pouchitis

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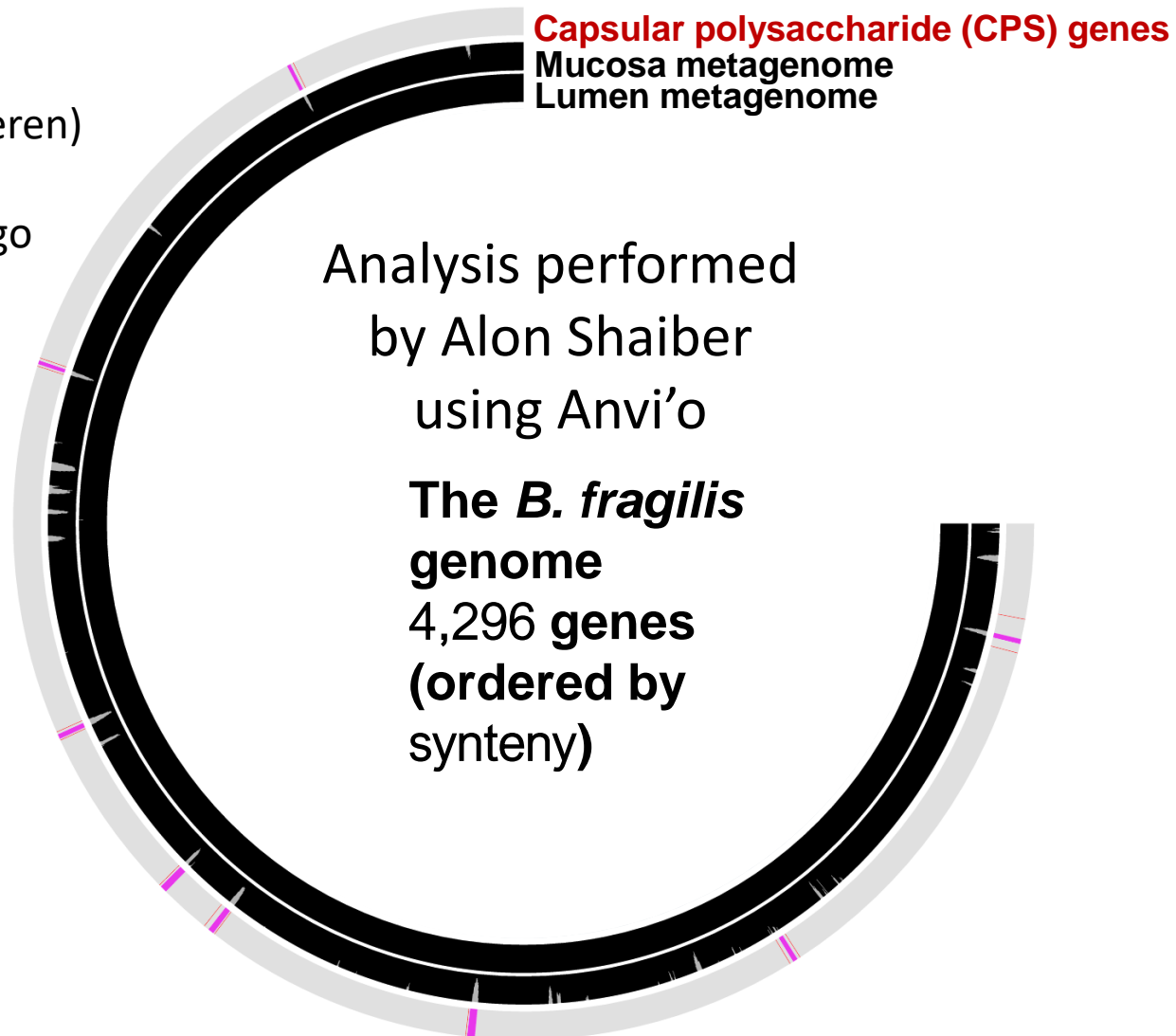
*B. fragilis* blooms before and during pouchitis in some, but not all patients





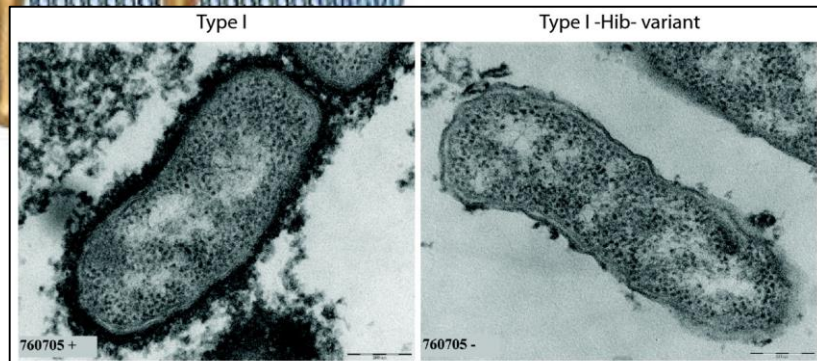
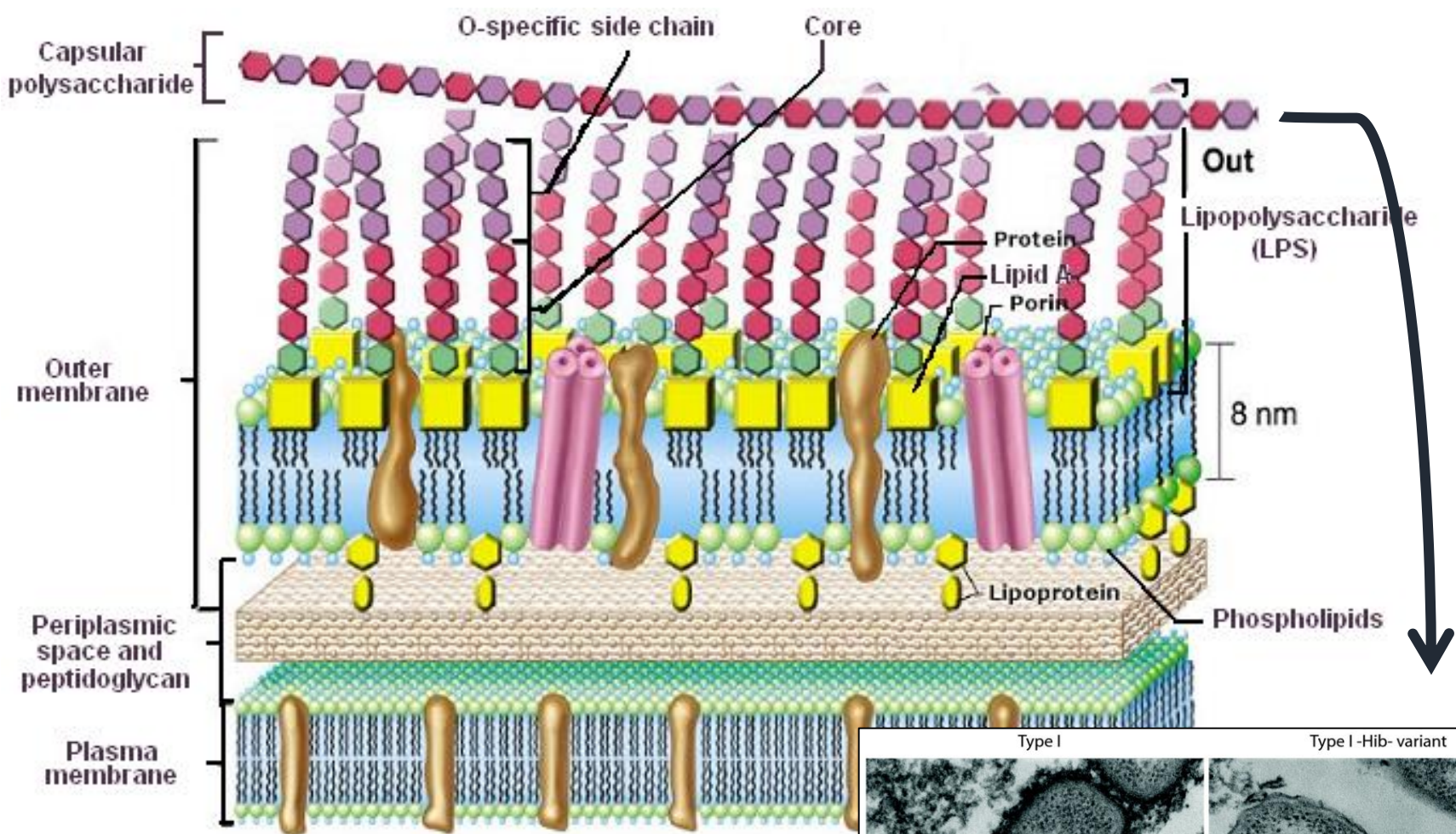
# Anvi'o [Analysis and Visualization Platform for 'omics Data]

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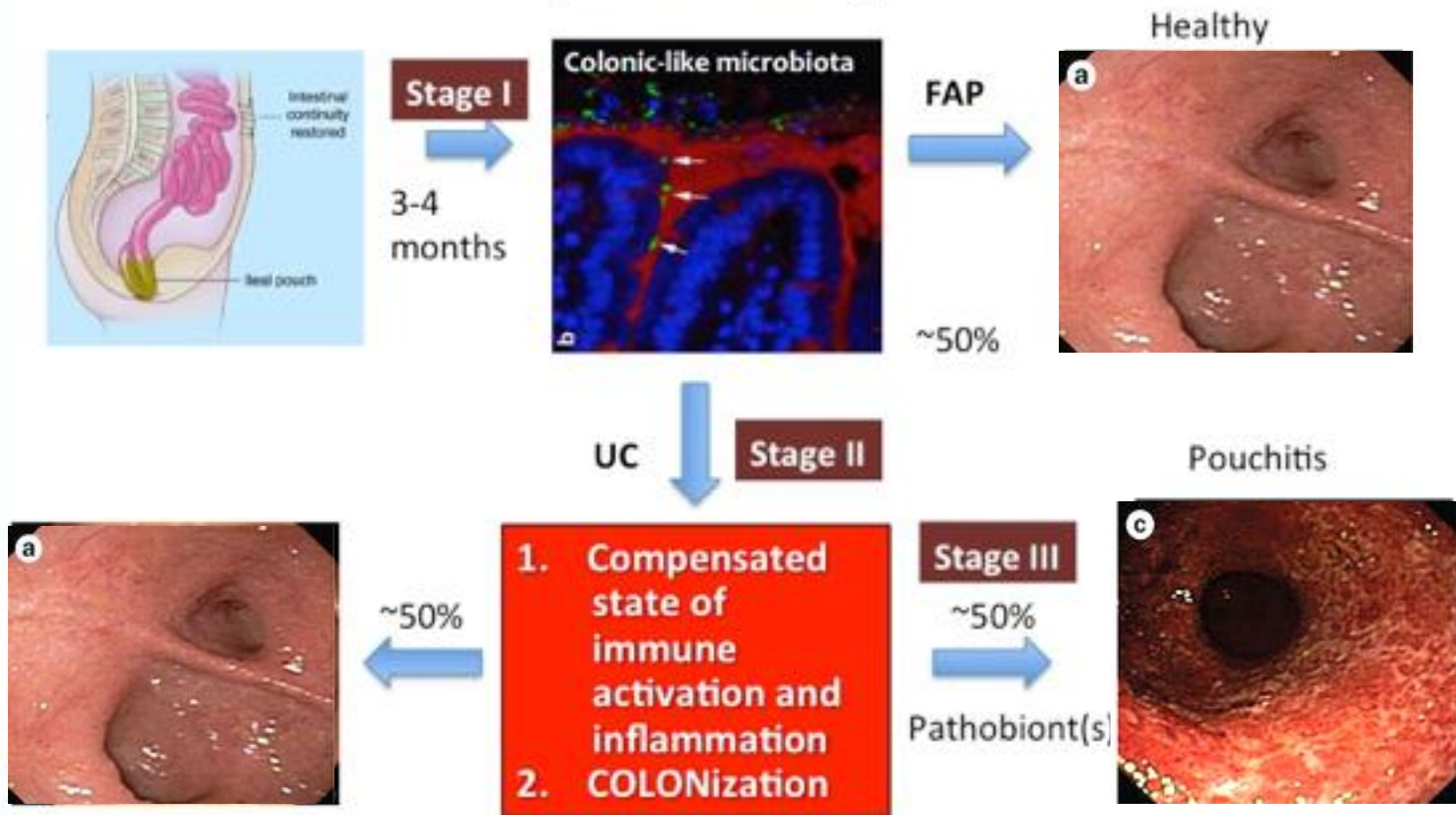




# Genomic hot spots: Capsular polysaccharides

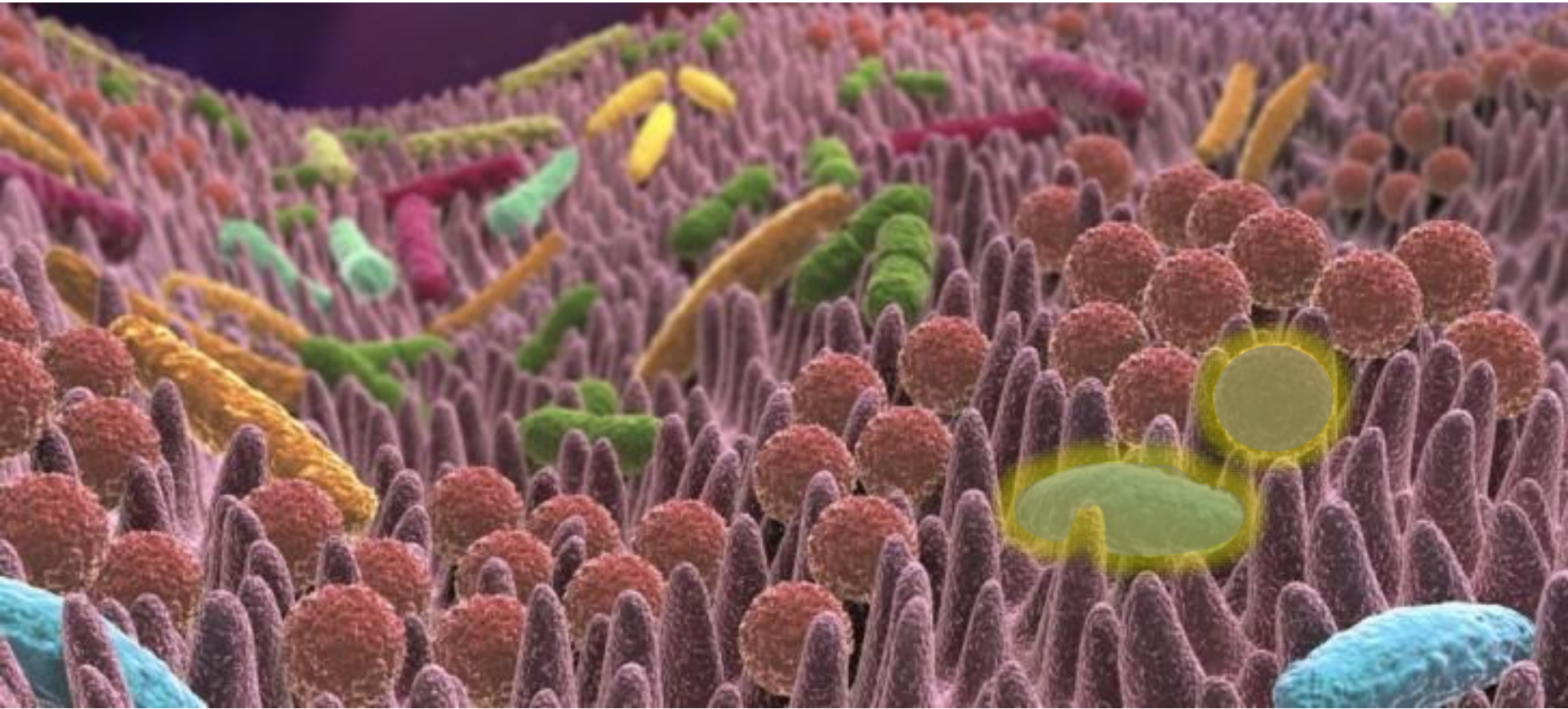


# Proposed three stage model for the development of pouchitis





# IBD pathobionts – what should we be looking for?



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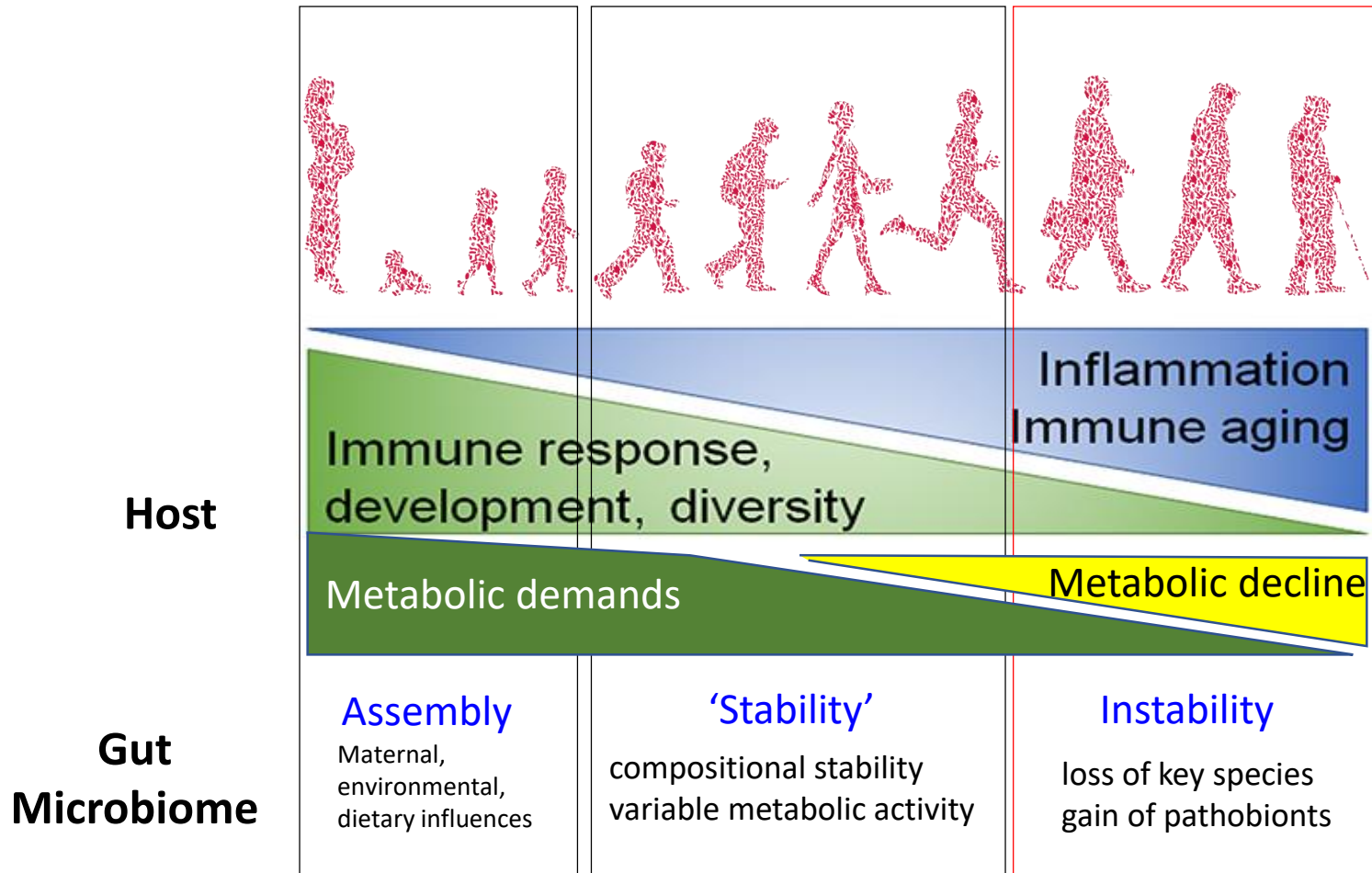
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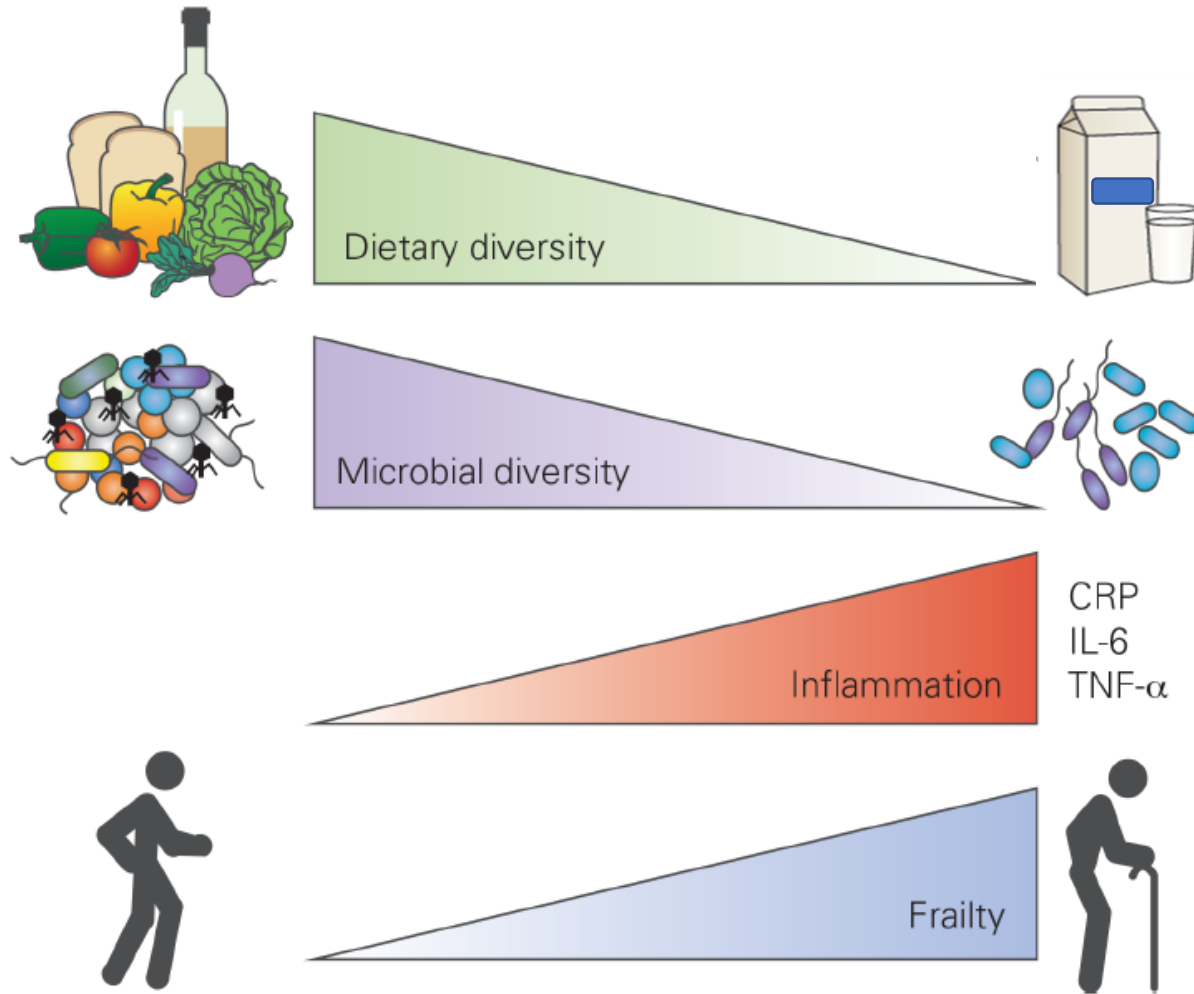


# Host-microbiome states change with age: Impact on human health and disease



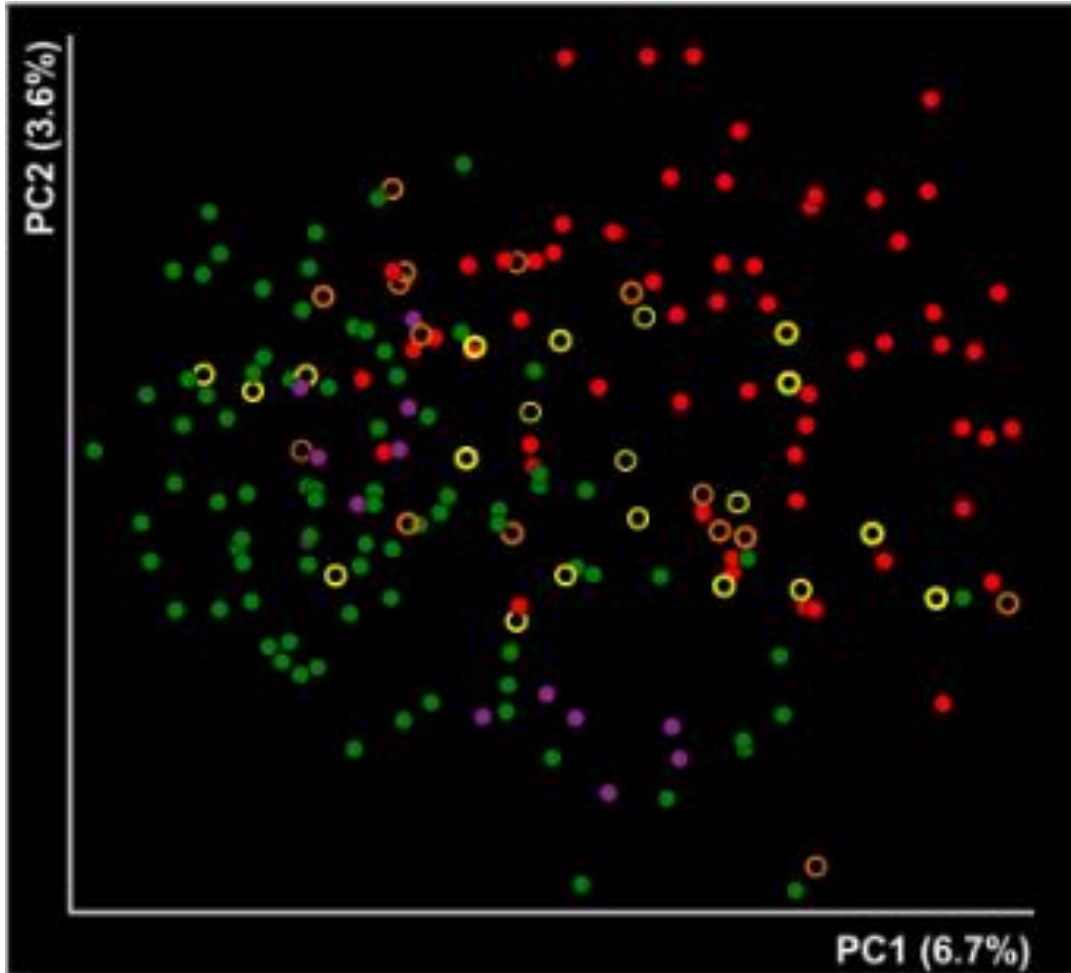
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# Diversity as staple not spice of life





# Gut bacteria vary with where you live

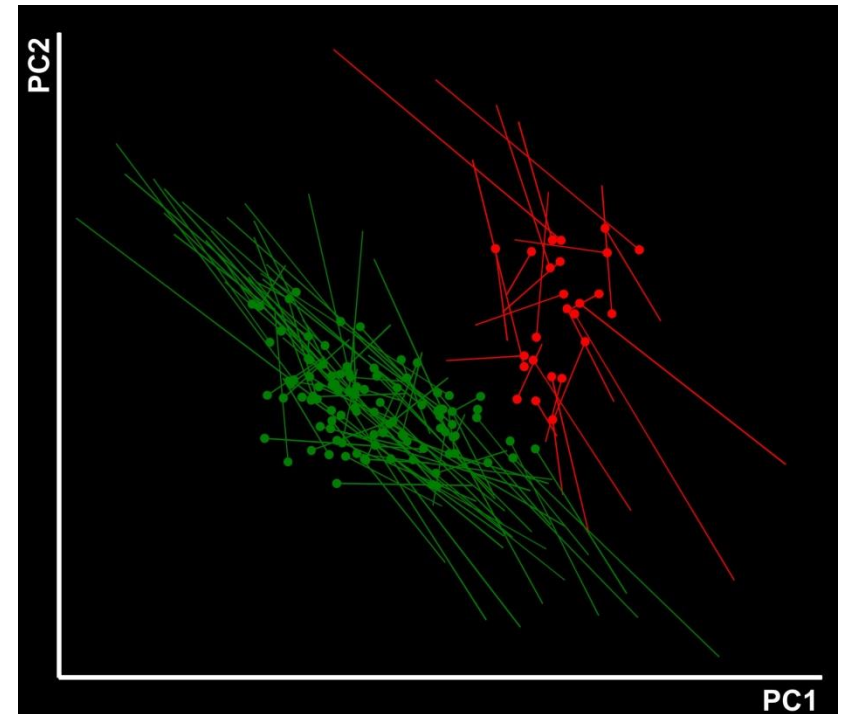
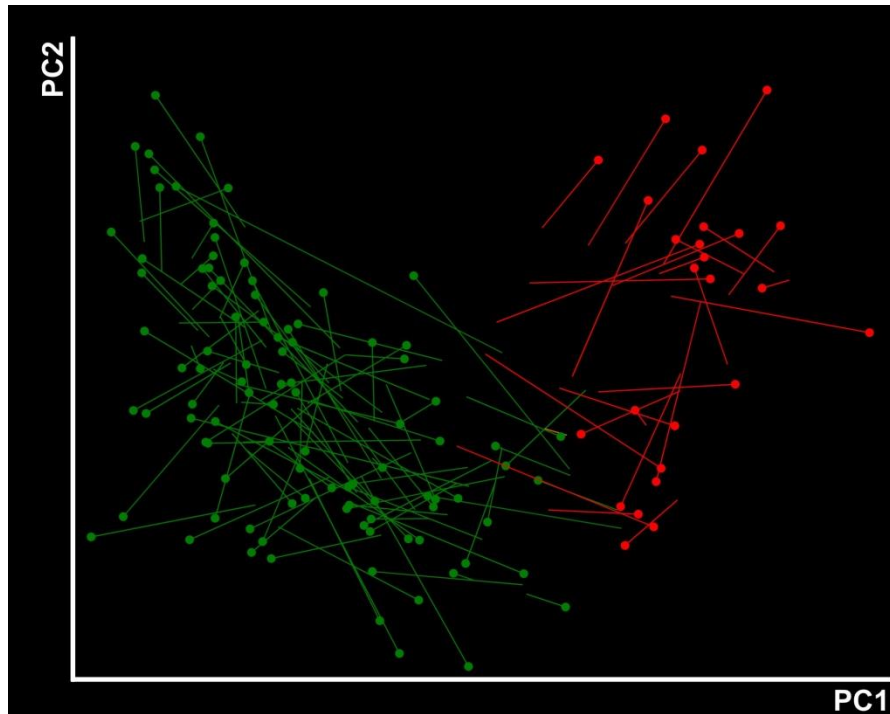


Community   Day Hospital   Rehab   Long-stay   Young control

— Elderly —

Claesson *et al.*, 2012 *Nature*

# Microbiota & diet correlation by duration in long-stay care



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Microbiota

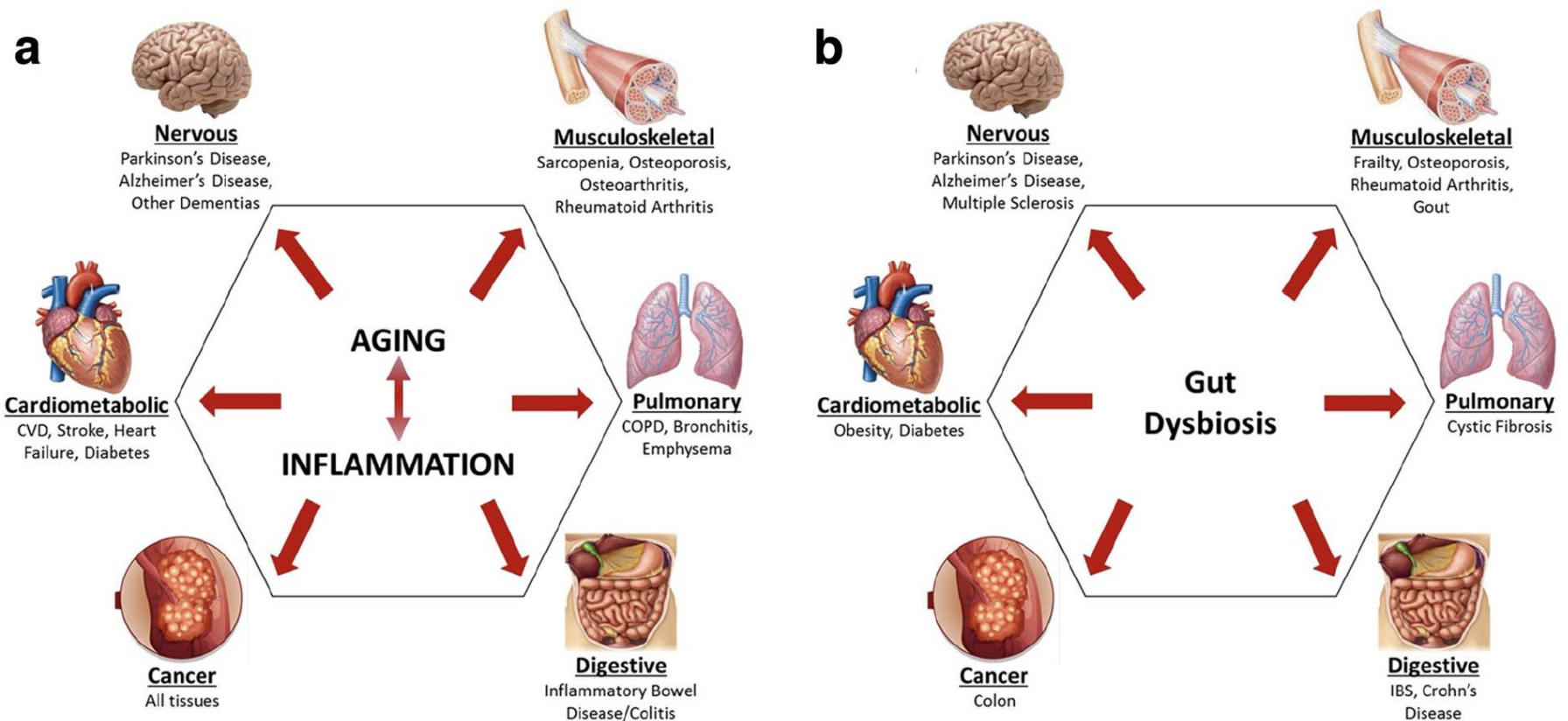
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Week 0 to 6 (Rehab)

Week 6 to Year 1

Year 1+

# Potential impact of the aging gut microbiome on human health

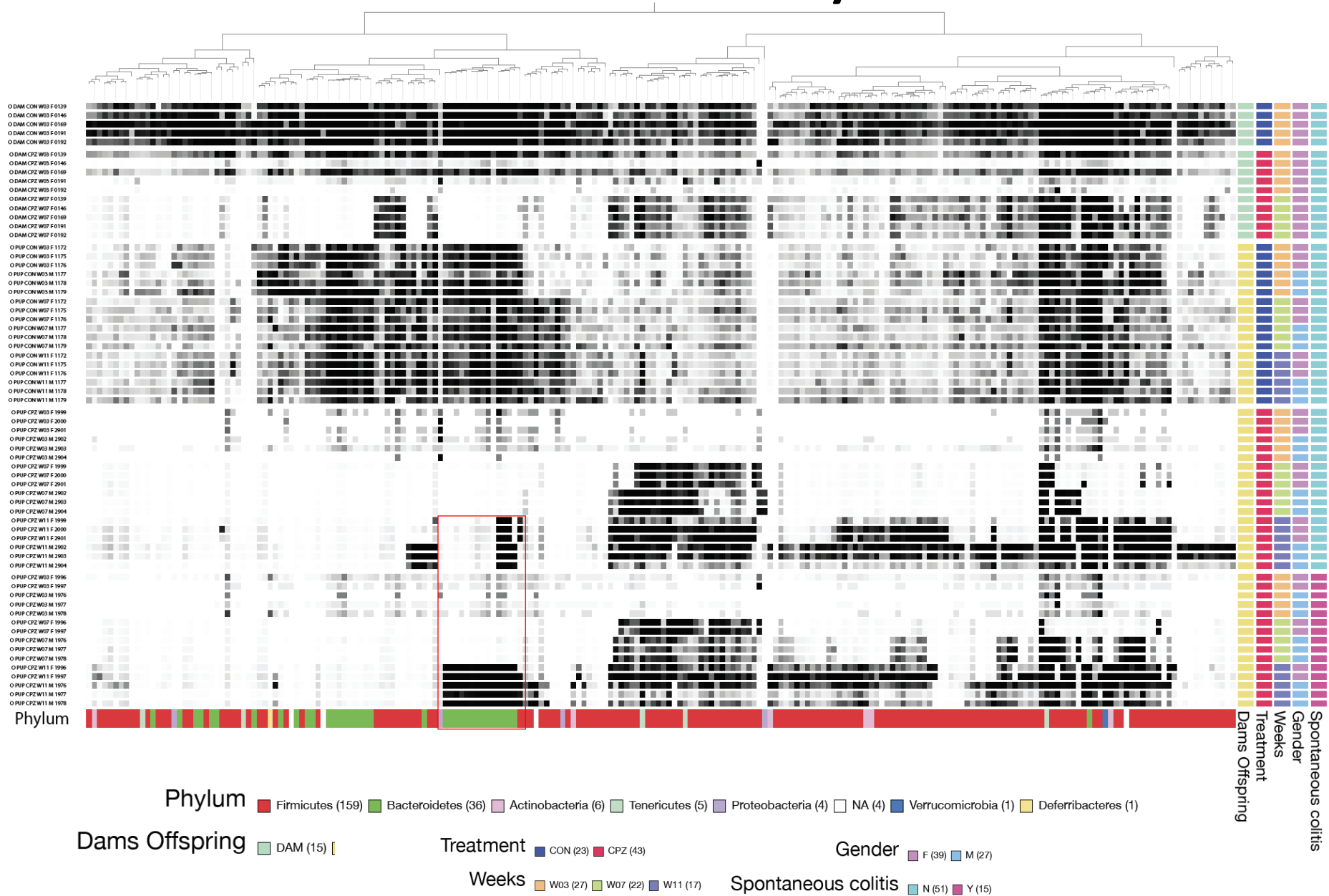


**Fig. 2** **a** Prominent health conditions with both biologic age and chronic inflammation as central risk factors. **b** Prominent health conditions with evidence linking them to gut dysbiosis. Note the similarities between the conditions associated with aging and inflammation and those associated with gut dysbiosis

# Key questions posed for this workshop

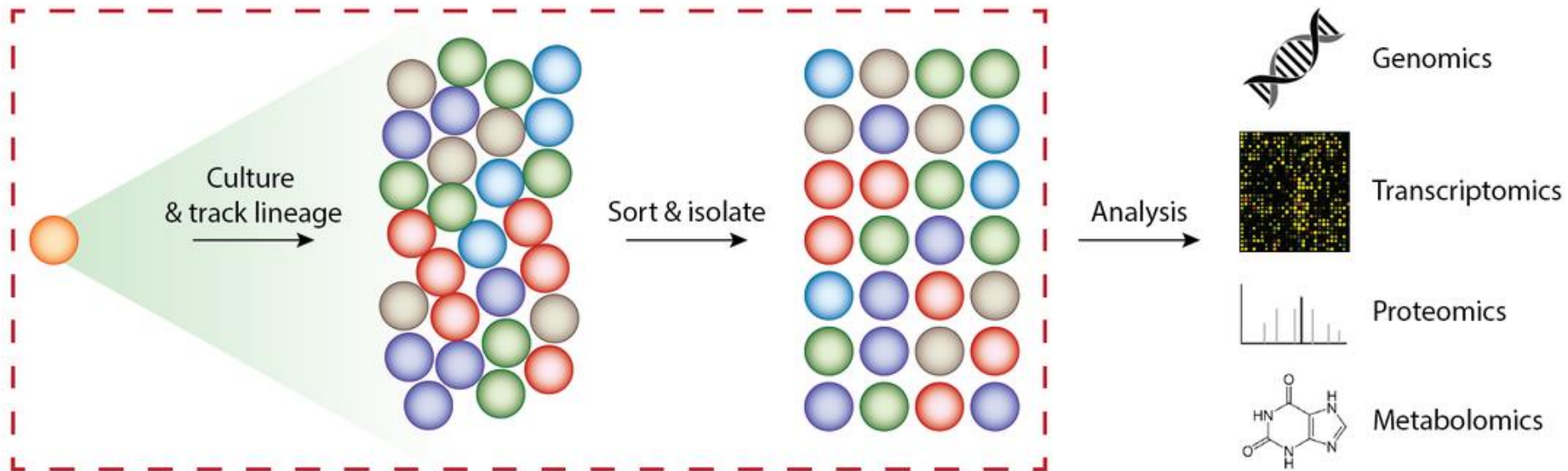
- Many factors can influence responses such as genetics of the individual/subpopulation, diet, concomitant disease and drugs, etc. **Maybe.** What evidence do we have on these factors playing a role in the microbiome particularly as it affects human susceptibility? **Shown**
- Are there groups of bacteria that signal impact on the microbiome? How would you go about ranking or prioritizing the bacterial subgroups? **(1) Building next generation of functional tools to study microbial strains and consortia in context. (2) Combination of human and experimental models, (3) longitudinal and interventional study designs**
- How do we account for different functioning capacities when we think of species level diversity? (combine with second question?) **Species-level is insufficient resolution**
- What would the most impactful work that a public-private consortium could contribute to this area? **Promoting and funding innovative team science that goes beyond description and observation; Focus on bold, transformative agendas. Use both human and experimental approaches.**
- How do changes in the gut microbiome produce adverse effects that can impact the health of the host and result in the presence of biomarkers? What approaches have been successful? What have failed? **Too early to tell**
- What would the most impactful work that a public-private consortium like HESI could contribute to this area? **See above**

# Metagenomic-assembled genomes (MAGs) selected for further study





# Tay Lab – Microfluidics for Life Sciences



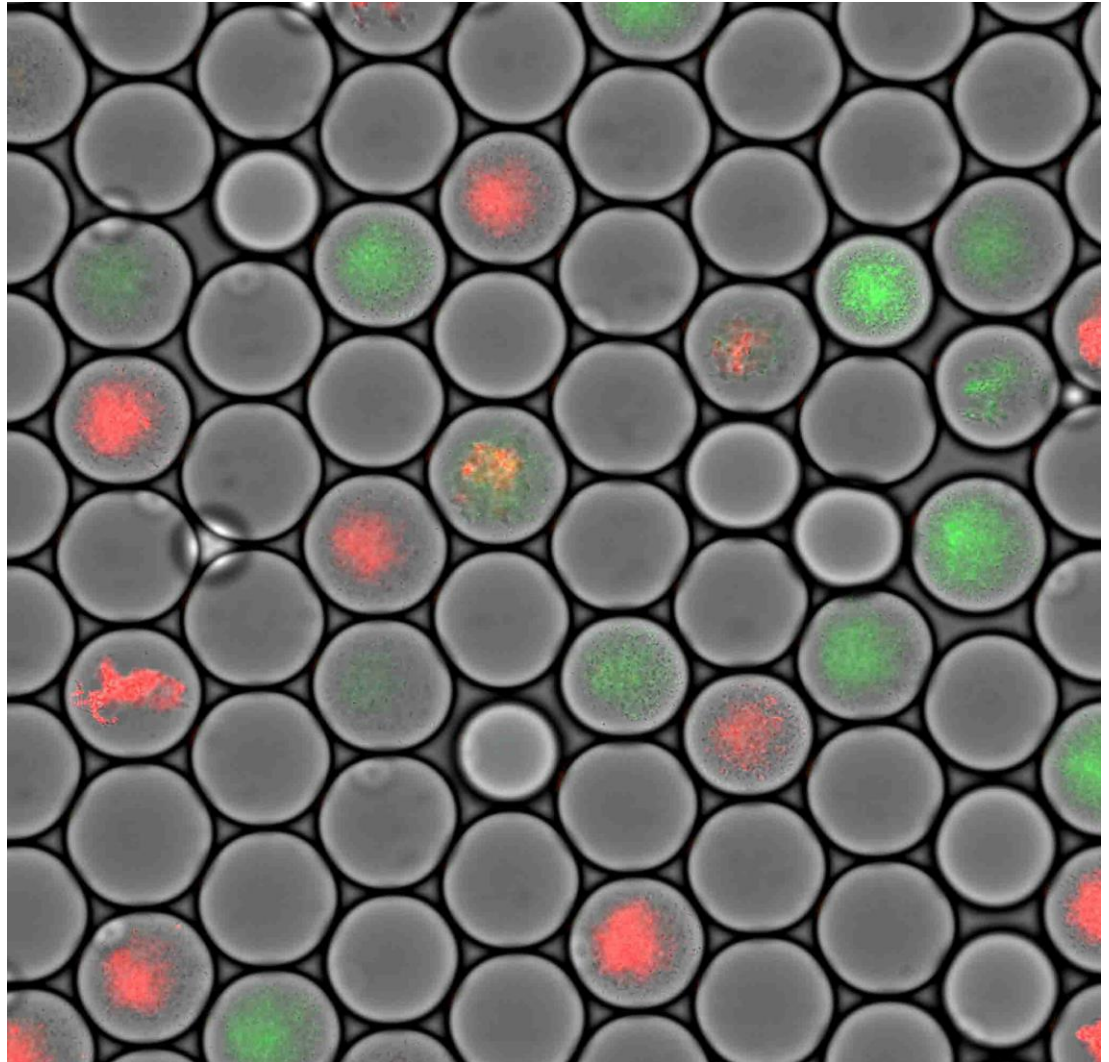
# Microfluidic separation of Microbes

Poisson Distribution

$$P(X = x) = \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^x}{x!}$$

x: number of bacteria in a single droplet

$\lambda = (\text{Number cells/mL}) / (\text{Number drops/mL})$



Red and Green E. Coli after Culture

# Perinatal Antibiotics and Immune Tolerance Team

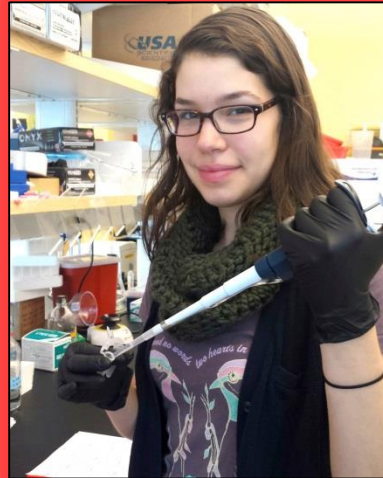
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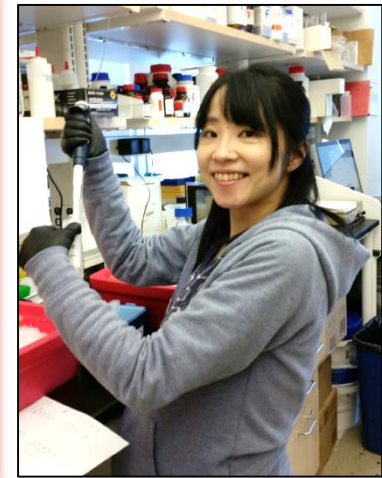
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