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## 一、摘要

歐洲糖尿病學會(European Association for the Study of Diabetes, EASD)是一個非盈利的醫學科學學會。它成立於 1965 年，總部設在德國杜塞爾多夫(Düsseldorf)。

EASD 是世界上最大的糖尿病專家網路之一，擁有來自世界 130 多個國家的 5000 多名活躍會員。會員包括來自世界各地對糖尿病或相關疾病感興趣的科學家、醫生、學生、博士後和研究員、專職衛生專業人員和護士、衛教師。EASD 旨在通過提供有關糖尿病研究的進展和資訊，提供糖尿病科學研究、教育、診療技術發展、進而達到預防和治療糖尿病、改善糖尿病患者生活品質的目標。

2020 年 9 月 21 日~25 日，歐洲糖尿病研究協會年會(EASD)第 56 屆科學年會因應新冠肺炎疫情，改為線上會議。年會聚集來自全世界 130 多個國家、參與糖尿病研究和管理的 15,000 餘名科學家和醫療專業人員。年會以糖尿病基礎科學及預防、診斷和治療中的重大進展為特色，內容涵蓋糖尿病領域的各種研究。

## 二、目的

本次參加 EASD 第 56 屆科學年會線上會議，旨在代表醫院參加國際糖尿病會議，促進國際交流與合作研究，提升醫院學術地位及聲譽。

## 三、過程

本屆年會在 EASD 名譽主席 Stefano Del Prato 的帶領下，大會組委會共計從投稿的兩千多篇摘要中篩選出一千多篇展示糖尿病領域的最新成果。大會內容形式多樣豐富多彩，既包括精彩激烈的專題討論，又包括口頭及壁報展示，旨在表彰傑出研究人員突出成就的幾大獲獎講座更是值得期待、不容錯過。

2020 歐洲糖尿病研究協會 (EASD) 年會公布了 DiRECT( Diabetes UK-funded Diabetes Remission Clinical Trial)研究結果。研究顯示，逆轉的糖尿病人胰腺在逐步恢復正常的形態與大小，說明了 2 型糖尿病的逆轉不僅是功能的恢復，在生理形態也在恢復，有機會走向治癒。英國糖尿病協會研究主席 Robertson 博士甚至表示：2 型糖尿病不是終身性疾病！

## 一、第 2 型糖尿病人胰腺比正常人小

根據研究開始的檢查，2 型糖尿病人的胰腺的尺寸減小、形態異常。與血糖正常的對照組相比，2 型糖尿病患者的胰腺平均小 20%（對照組平均為 80 立方厘米，糖尿病組為 64 立方厘米），而且胰腺邊界也不規則。這些從大小、形態的改變，說明 2 型糖尿病人的胰腺的整體功能要比正常人顯著不足。過去我們推出肥胖的 2 型糖尿病人應該肥大，類似脂肪肝一樣，但是這項研究發現胰腺是萎縮了。

## 二、胰腺恢復需要漫長的 2 年時間

研究發現，就算經過 5 個月的減肥，血液檢查發現胰島分泌已經達標，但是胰腺體積沒有出現明顯變化。但是，經過兩年的恢復，逆轉的糖尿病人的胰腺體積從 63 立方厘米增加到了 76 立方厘米，而且脂肪含量也從 1.6%減少到了 0.5%，接近正常水平。同時，血液檢查也發現，胰島  $\beta$  細胞的功能在持續改善，胰島素（特別是第一時相，也就是餐後迅速釋放）釋放增加。也就是說，第 2 型糖尿病人通過逆轉，胰腺從功能到形態都恢復了，但是需要長期堅持。

## 四、心得

本次會議的參與，除了吸收新知，了解最新的研究發展方向，也增進與世界各地的專家學者之交流，尋找未來研究方向與合作機會。透過了意見的交換，提昇國際視野，體察了先端研究之方向及進展，收穫匪淺。不論是基礎研究、流行病學研究、藥物研發、血糖監測系統，均有日新月異的進展，讓我深深體會到學如逆水行舟，不進則退，未來需要更加持續努力，才能跟上世界的進步與發展。

## 五、建議

有此機會參與本次國際研討會議，所吸收到的經驗與新知，十分寶貴，將落實於日後的醫療照護與醫學研究。因此，建議本院人員有機會多多參加國內和國際的大型會議，相信對自己的研究領域、論文撰述能力與活動實施將有實質助益，同時，更能透過交流與互動，進一步擴大國際視野與世界觀。

# 六、附錄

海報論文：

## Association between exercise capacity and all-cause mortality in people with type 2 diabetes

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### Background and aims:

Exercise improves insulin sensitivity, inhibits inflammation, and reduces the risk of cardiovascular disease. Despite the effect of exercise capacity on all-cause mortality in people with diabetes has not been fully explored. We aimed to investigate the association between exercise capacity and mortality in people with type 2 diabetes.

### Results:

In total, 4,506 adult participants with type 2 diabetes were included. The mean (SD) age was 62.9 (11.7) years, male and female mean (SD) age of 58.5 (11.5) years. During the study period from 2009 to 2016, 665 death outcomes confirmed.

Kaplan-Meier curves of all-cause mortality stratified by exercise capacity demonstrated significant findings (Fig 1) ( $P < 0.001$ ). Univariate Cox regression analysis showed that those with higher exercise capacity had a significantly decreased risk of all-cause mortality, compared with those with no exercise capacity (hazard ratio with 95% confidence interval (CI): 0.71 (0.67-0.75)). After adjusting for potential confounders, multivariate Cox regression analysis showed that those with higher exercise capacity had a significantly decreased risk of all-cause mortality, compared with those with no exercise capacity (hazard ratio with 95% CI: 0.62 (0.58-0.67)). Significant findings were also observed in HRV (HRV: 0.55 (0.51-0.59),  $P < 0.001$ ).

### Table 1. Characteristics and results of univariate Cox regression analysis of people with type 2 diabetes in Taiwan (n=4,506) (death counts)

Characteristic	n	HR	95% CI	P-value
Age (years)	4,506	1.02	1.01-1.03	<0.001
Male (%)	2,812	1.00	1.00-1.00	<0.001
Female (%)	1,694	0.98	0.97-0.99	<0.001
Mean (SD) age (years)	62.9 (11.7)	1.00	1.00-1.00	<0.001
Mean (SD) age (years) (male)	58.5 (11.5)	1.00	1.00-1.00	<0.001
Mean (SD) age (years) (female)	67.3 (11.9)	1.00	1.00-1.00	<0.001
Exercise capacity (MET-min/week)	4,506	0.99	0.99-1.00	<0.001
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HRV (ms)	4,506	0.99	0.99-1.00	<0.001
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### Materials and methods:

We used data from the National Health Interview Survey and the National Health Insurance Research Database in Taiwan, including demographic characteristics including socioeconomic status and health behaviors were obtained by standardized face-to-face interviews in 2009, 2010, 2016, and 2017. Measurements were taken at a physical location at 2016.

Information about physical activity during leisure time was collected by asking the question "How often do you exercise during your leisure time? If you exercise, how long do you do the exercise?" It was calculated using the equation: weekly minutes = weekly frequency per week (times) × duration for each time (minutes). Categories were assigned from the PACE online language information. Disease diagnosis in the National Health Insurance Research Database was coded from the International Classification of Diseases, 10th Revision Clinical Modification (ICD-10-CM). All-cause mortality was determined by the National Death Register from 2009 to 2016.

Height, weight, and exercise capacity were measured for differences across the three categories of leisure time physical activity assessed by the questionnaire. Univariate and multivariate Cox proportional hazards regression models were used to evaluate the hazard ratios (HRs) and 95% confidence intervals (CIs) for mortality.

### Figure 1. Kaplan-Meier survival curve estimates for all-cause mortality in people with type 2 diabetes.

The graph shows survival probability on the y-axis (0.0 to 1.0) and time in years on the x-axis (0 to 7). Three curves are shown: 'No exercise capacity' (lowest survival), 'Low exercise capacity' (middle survival), and 'High exercise capacity' (highest survival). All curves show a downward trend over time, with the 'High exercise capacity' group maintaining a significantly higher survival rate throughout the study period.

### Table 2. Results of multivariate Cox regression analysis of people with type 2 diabetes on all-cause mortality

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### Conclusion

Among people with type 2 diabetes, those with increased exercise capacity had a significant decreased risk of all-cause mortality. Further studies would investigate the type and dose of exercise that could improve prognosis while not posing the expectancy.

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