











Impact of NASH on postoperative textbook outcome after bariatric surgery:
A large prospective cohort study

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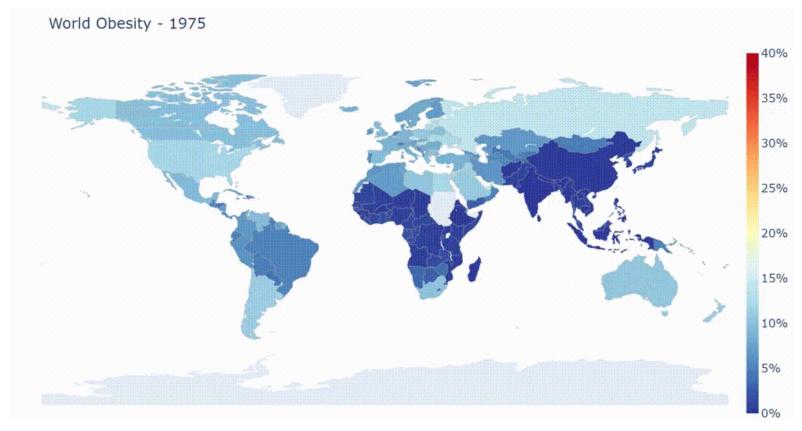
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Increased prevalence of obesity class II and III (IMC ≥ 35)



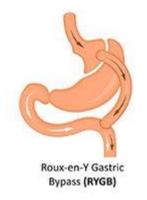
Prevalence of obesity worldwide - @CAnthonyScott







Metabolic surgery as an answer – how safe is it?





Gastric Band (AGB)





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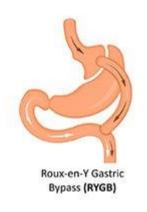


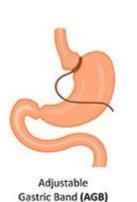






Risks factors associated with increased risk

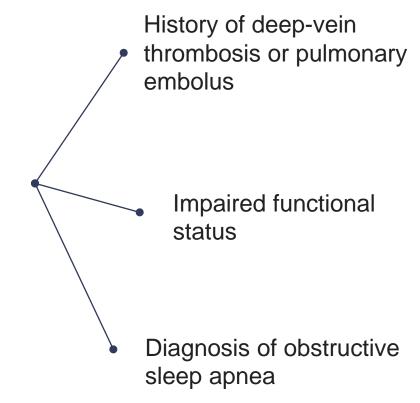








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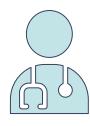


What about surgery risk and liver health?



Liver complications associated with major postoperative morbidity in all kind of surgeries

Liver complications contraindicates bariatric surgery





What are the risk for NASH patients without liver complications?

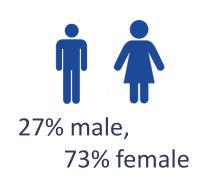






ABOS prospective cohort

1,541 patients undergoing RYGB, SG or GB between 2006 and 2021















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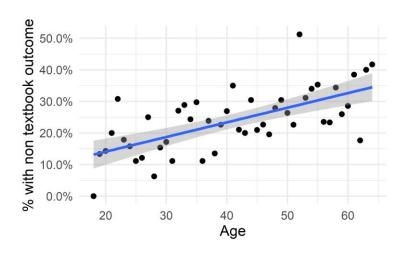




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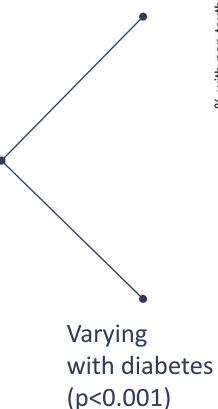


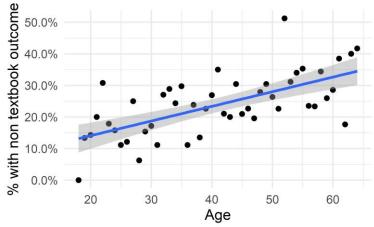


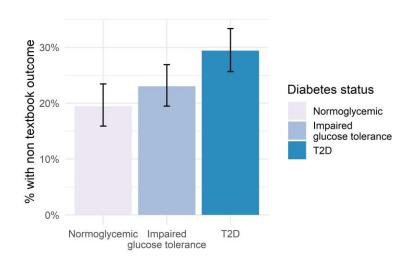
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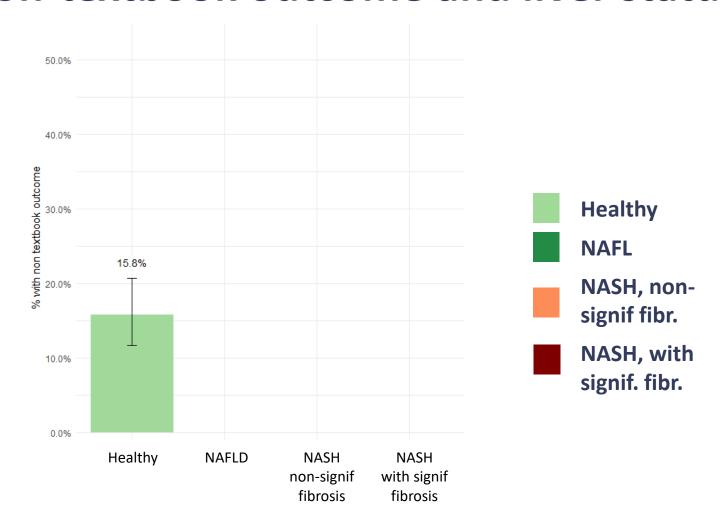








Non-textbook outcome and liver status

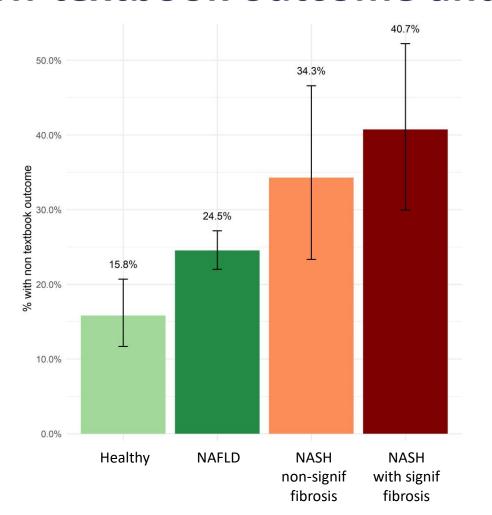








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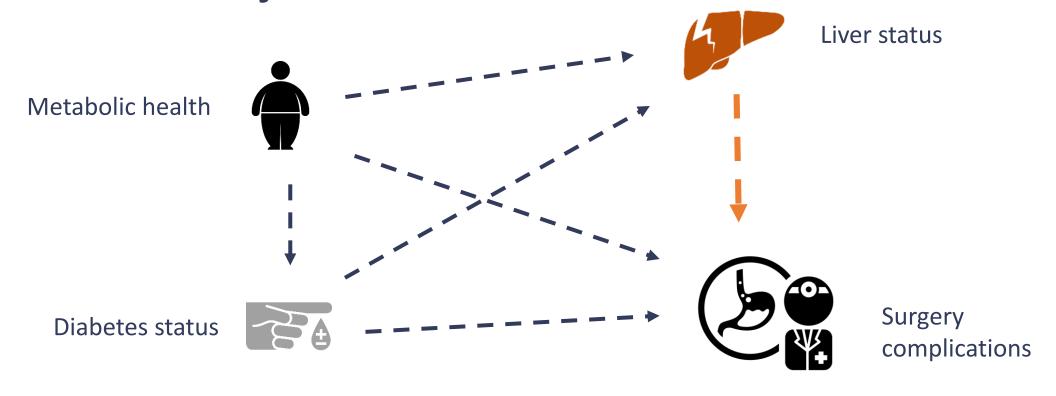
	N (%)	Odd Ratio	95% CI	P-value
Healthy	272 (18%)	1.00	Ref	Ref
NAFL	1105 (72%)	1.73	1.22-2.46	0.00235
NASH, non- signif fibr.	70 (5%)	2.78	1.54-5.02	0.0007
NASH, with signif. fibr.	81 (5%)	3.66	2.11-6.35	<0.0001







Non-textbook outcome and liver status - Necessity of a multivariable adjustment





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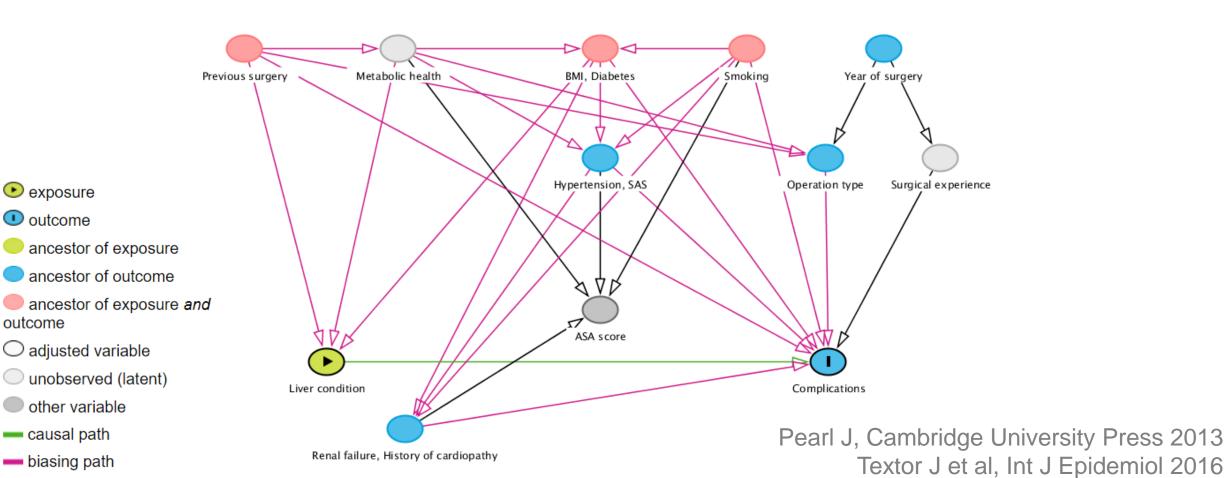
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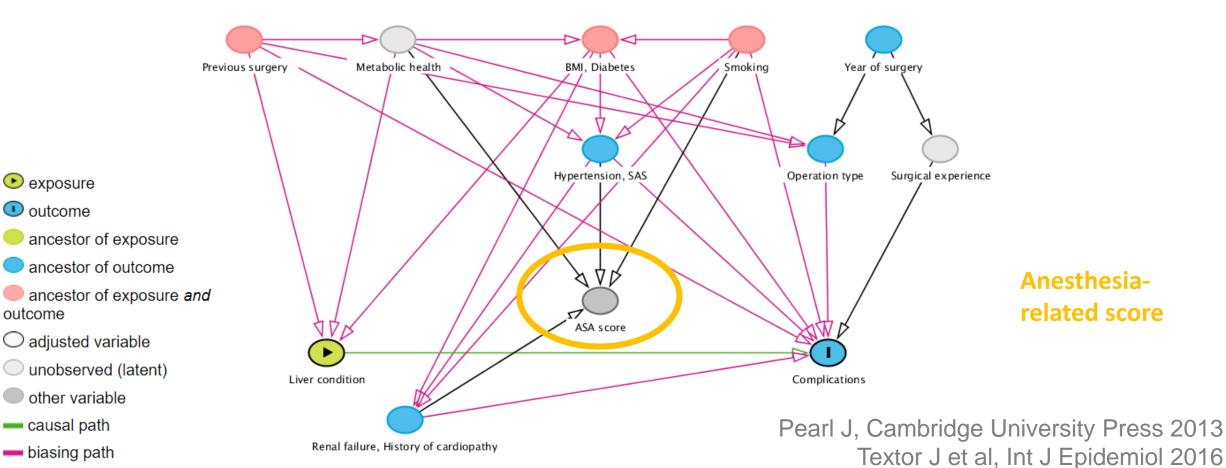
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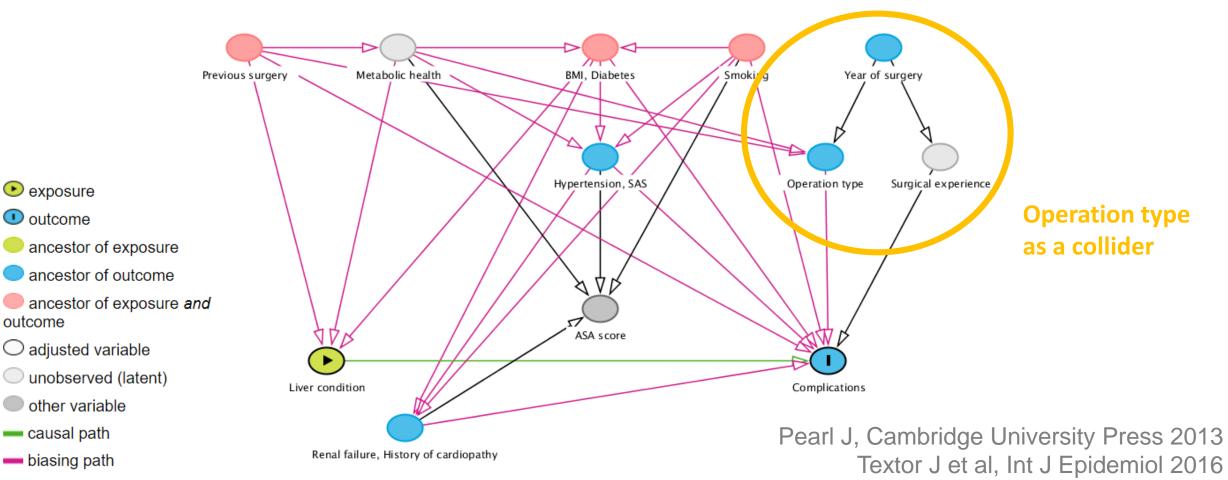
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Direct effect of liver condition on non-textbook outcome

After full adjustment on sex, age, baseline BMI, year of surgery, tobacco exposure, diabetes, hypertension and sleep apnea syndrome by multivariable analysis

	Odd Ratio	95% CI	P-value
Healthy	1.00	Ref	Ref
NAFL	1.2	0.83-1.81	0.333
NASH without fibr.	2.00	1.03-3.83	0.038
NASH with fibr.	2.18	1.17-4.08	0.0014







Conclusion

Liver condition, and most particularly presence of NASH, seems to directly influence the risk of complications after bariatric surgery.

Early identification and close monitoring of patients with NASH should be considered.

