

And in 2015, there were 627,000 deaths attributed to diabetes in Europe⁵

OBESITY AND T2D ARE A SERIOUS BURDEN TO HEALTHCARE SYSTEMS

Medical costs associated with treating obese patients can be up to than for normal

weight patients⁶

Estimates indicate that g%

of total health expenditure in the Europe region for 2015⁷

CURRENT MEASURES ARENT ENOUGH

Only 20% of obese patients on dietary treatment maintain a weight loss of $\geq 10\%$ after three years⁸

> No country has successfully decreased obesity rates in

> > DID YOU KNOW?



ACT ON EFFECTIVE TREATMENT OPTIONS

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Metabolic surgery is associated with higher diabetes remission rates, lowered mortality risk, fewer complications, higher weight loss and improved quality of life¹⁰⁻¹⁵

The Diabetes Surgery Summit (DSS) II Guidelines, recommends:

 Metabolic Surgery for patients with T2D who had a BMI ≥40 regardless of glycemic control or a BMI ≥ 35 with inadequately controlled hyperglycemia.



 Consideration of metabolic surgery for patients with T2D with a BMI 30–34.9 with inadequately controlled hyperglycaemia.¹⁶

Evidence shows that surgery is clinically and cost effective¹⁷⁻²¹



So far...the DSS-II guidelines have been endorsed by



Yet less than 2% of eligible patients

are treated in countries with the highest metabolic surgery uptake, per year²²

IT'S TIME TO TAKE CONTROL. IT'S TIME TO ACT.

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