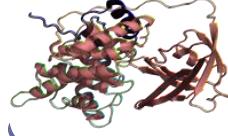
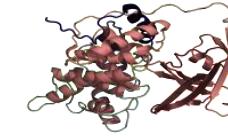
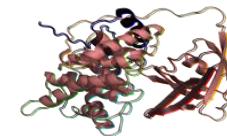
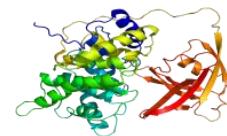
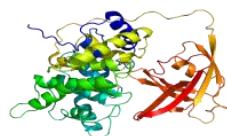
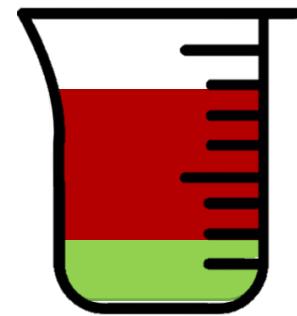
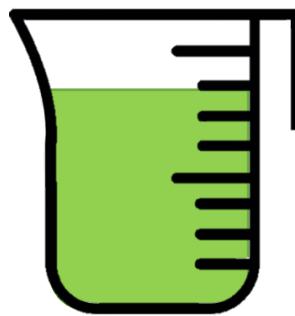
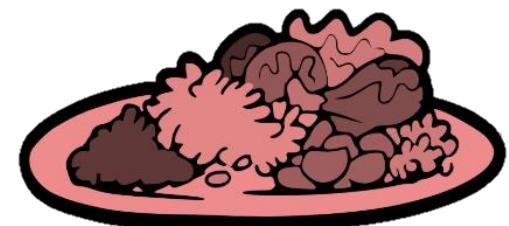
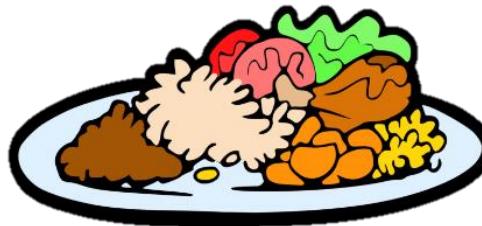
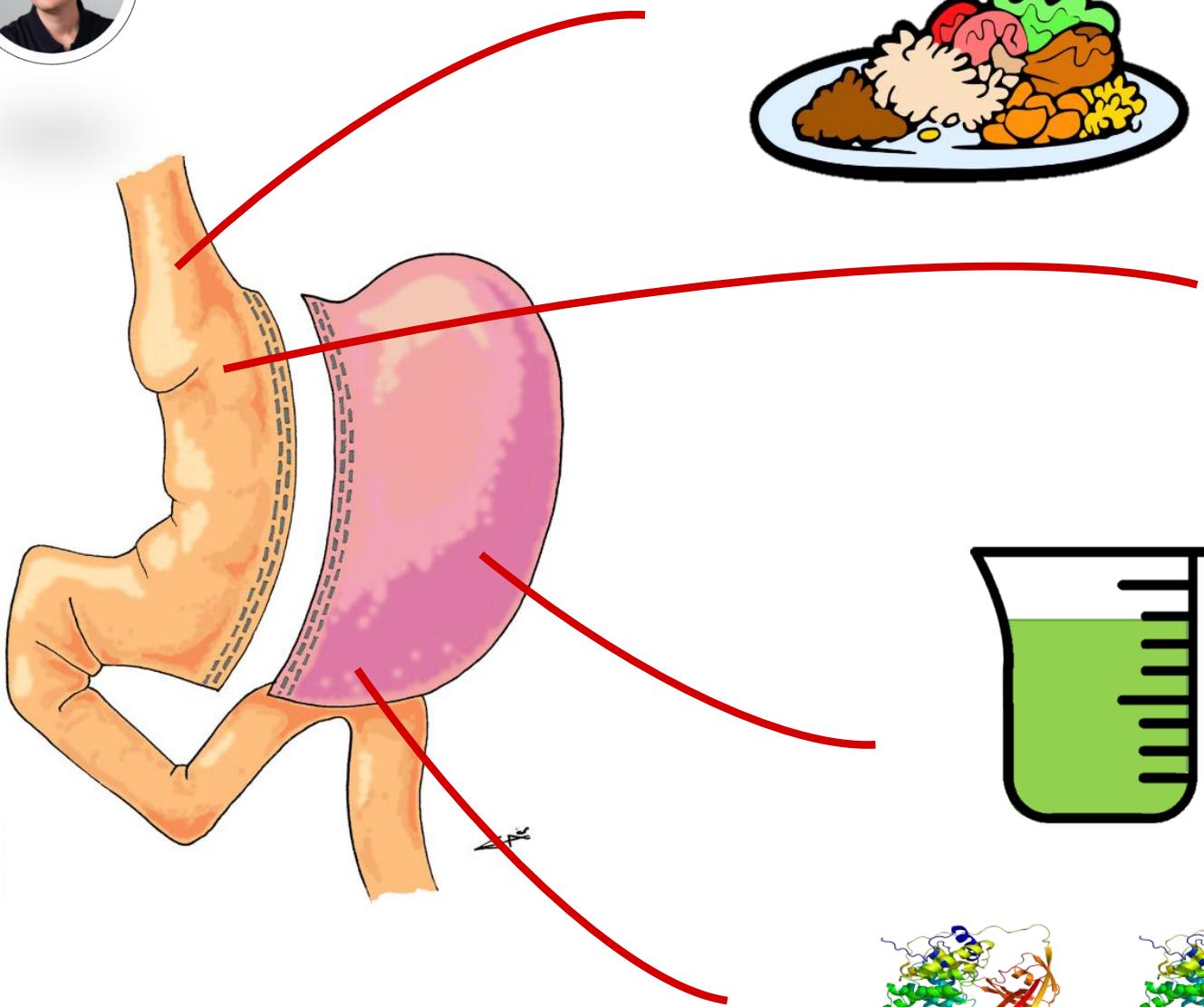




The necessity for long term multivitamin use after Sleeve Gastrectomy

Dr Edo Aarts *MD, PhD*



Test Preoperatively

Hb

MCV

K

Na

Ur

Kr

Blood Type

Albumin

Calcium

PTH

Vit D

(Mg)

Zn

Fe

Folic Acid

Vit B12

(Vit B1)

(Glucose)

(HbA1c)

(Cholesterol)

(Liver function)





The development of WLS Optimum

Results of the VITAAL I study



The True Story on Deficiencies After Sleeve Gastrectomy: Results of a Double-Blind RCT

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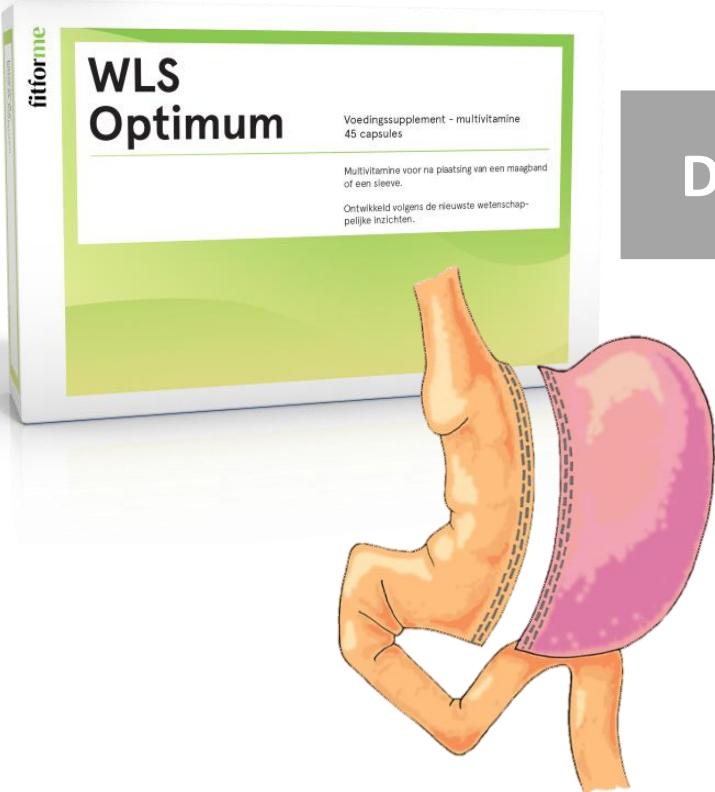


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Double-blind RCT

N=75

Gastric Sleeve

N=150

Informed Consent

Randomization

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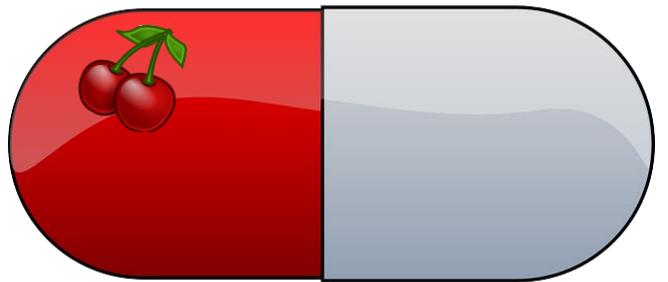
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N=75

Deficient

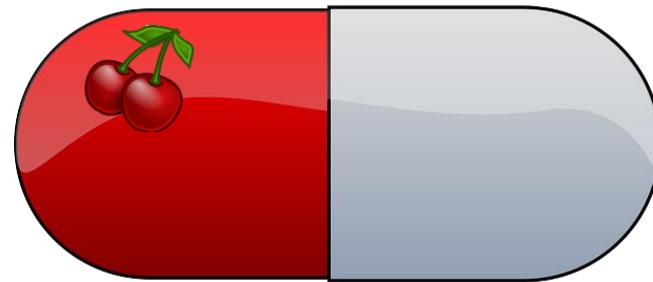
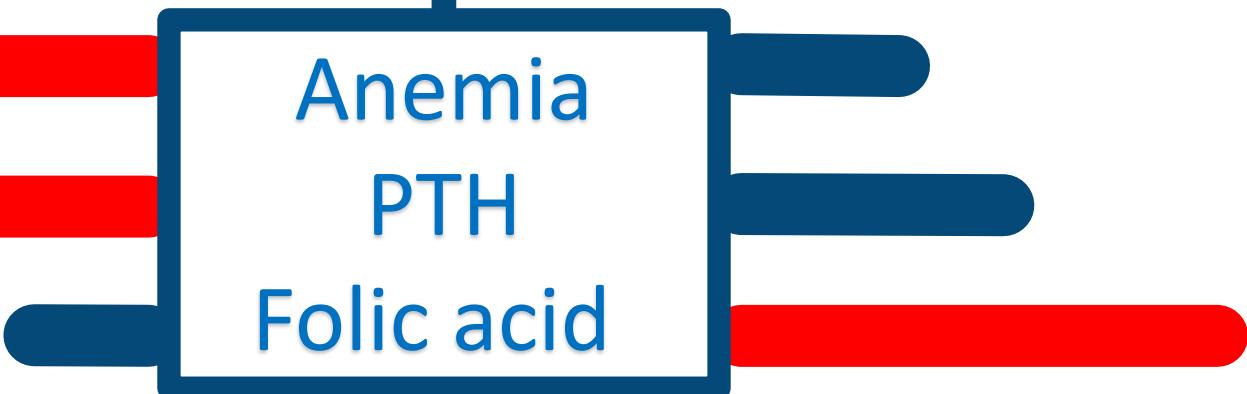
Serum baseline

Serum 6 – 12m



sMVS

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16%
3%



WLS Optimum

3%
6%
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Do specialized multivitamins lower deficiencies?

A retrospective analysis





Do specialized bariatric multivitamins lower deficiencies after Sleeve Gastrectomy?

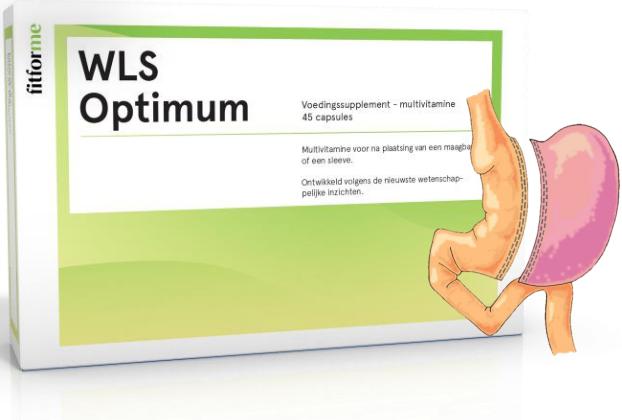
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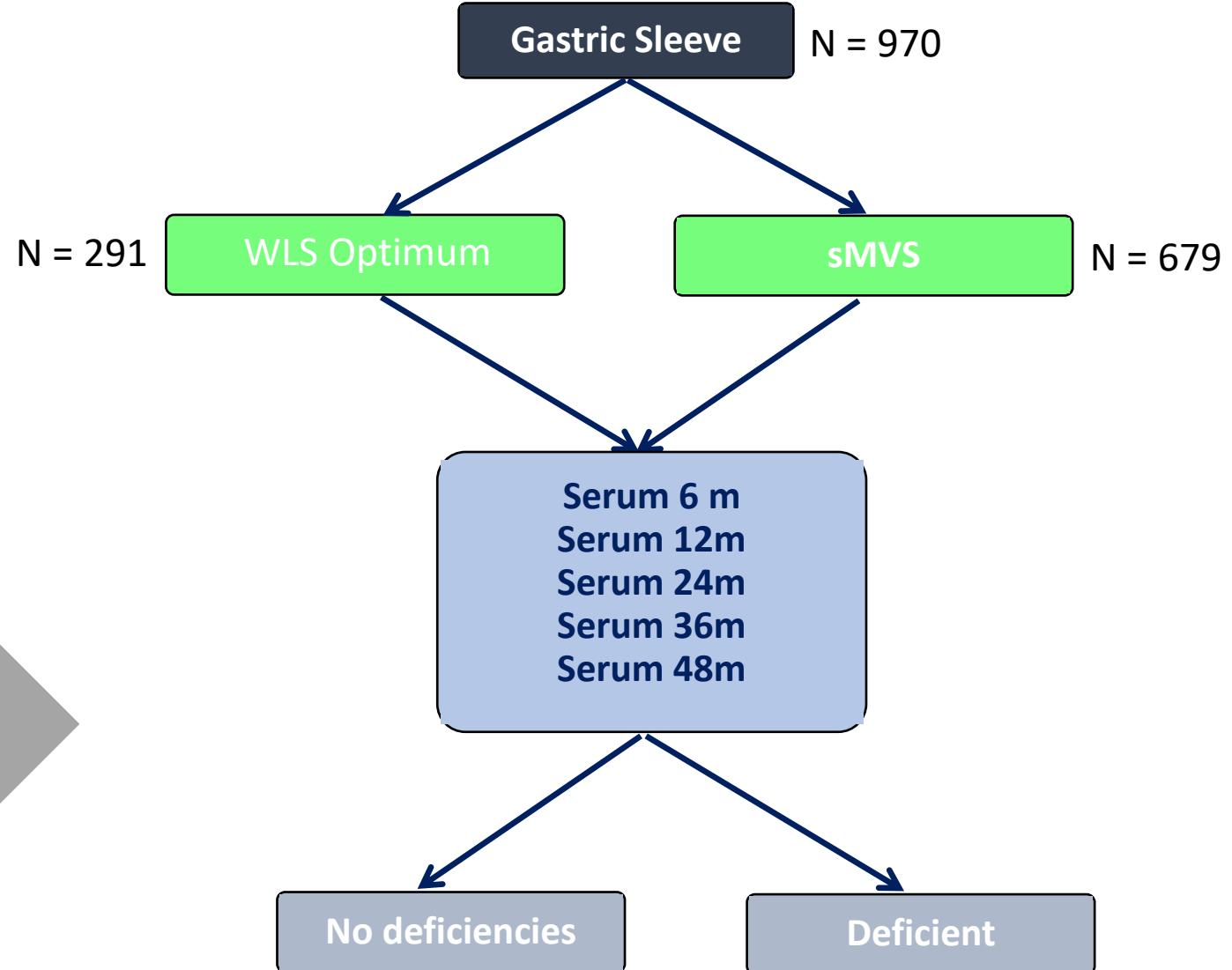
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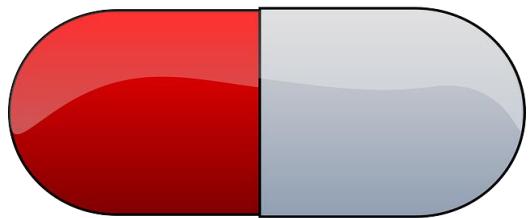


Retrospective study



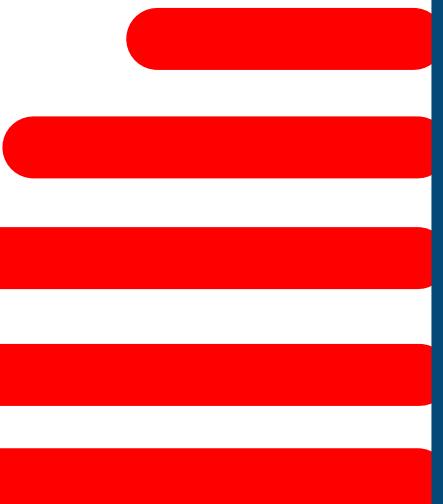


Total patients with deficiencies de novo

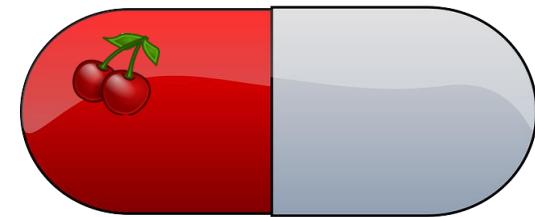


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42%
46%
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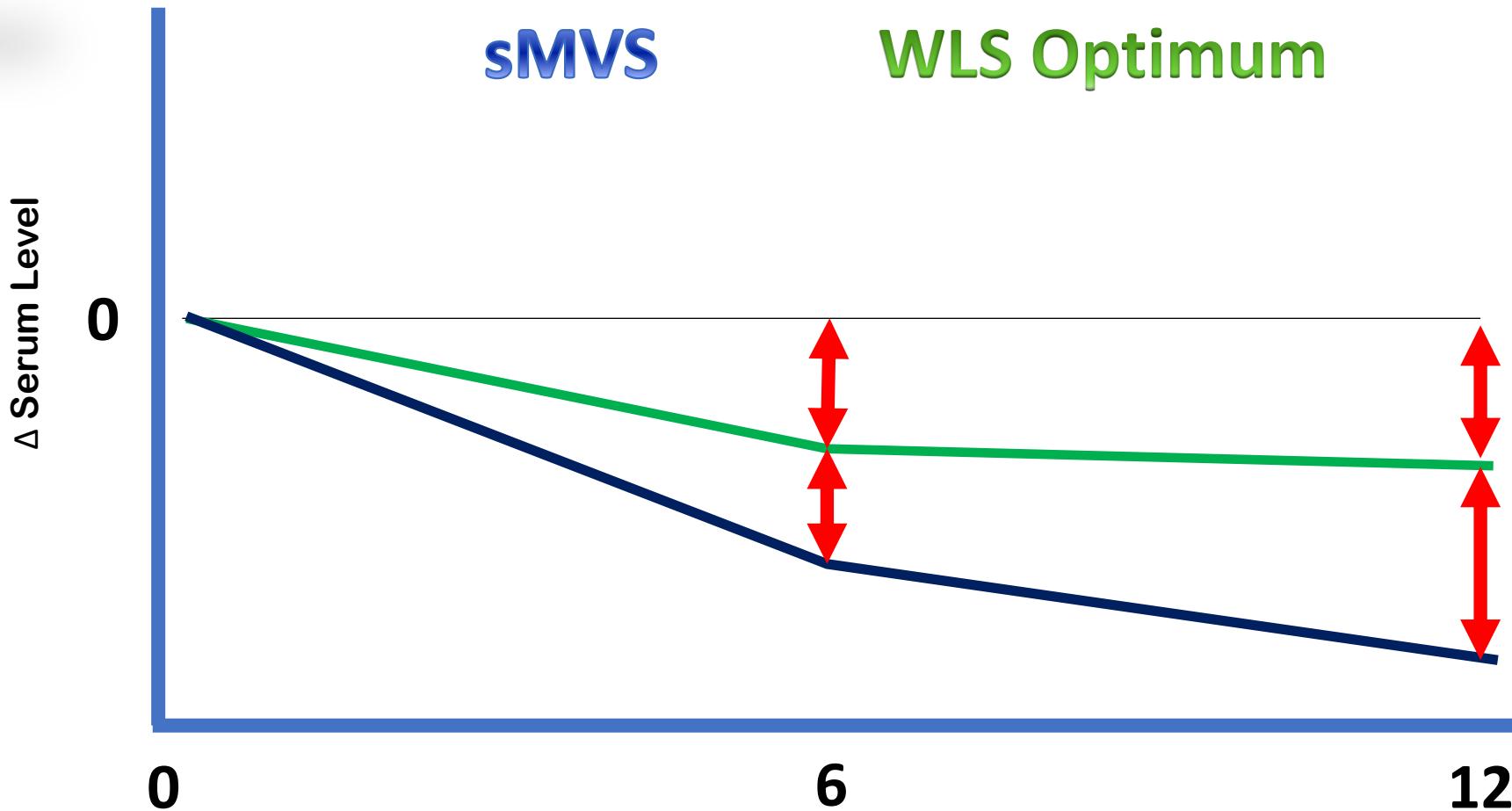
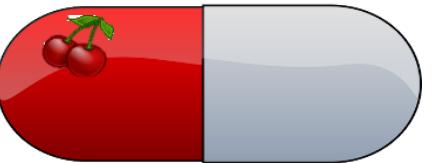
6m
12m
24m
36m
48m



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7%
13%
18%
34%
15%





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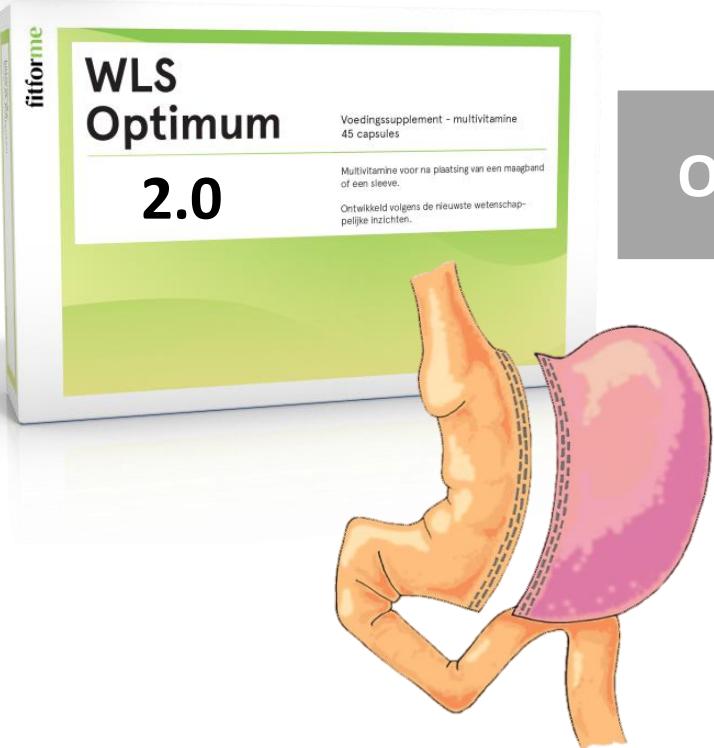
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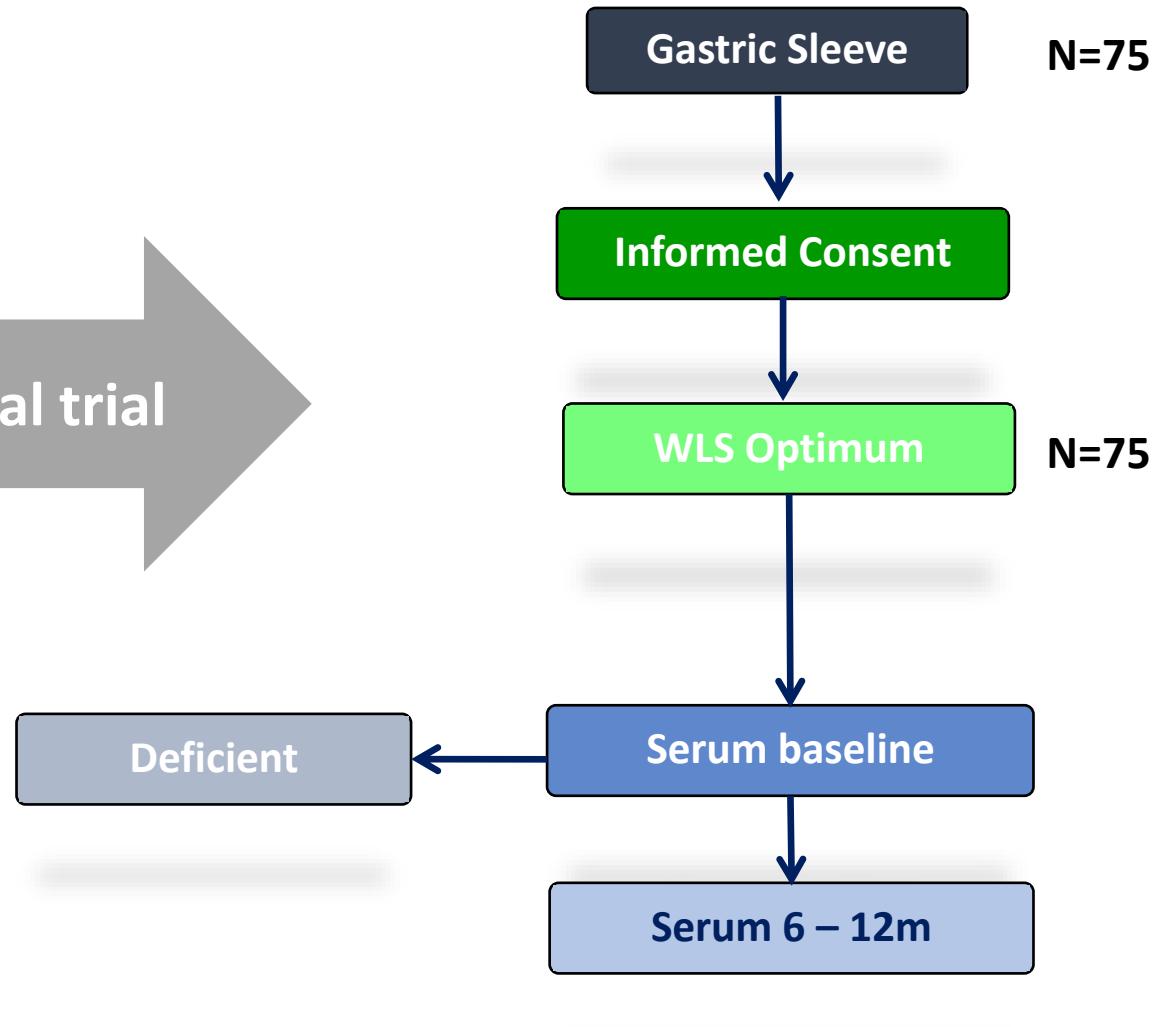
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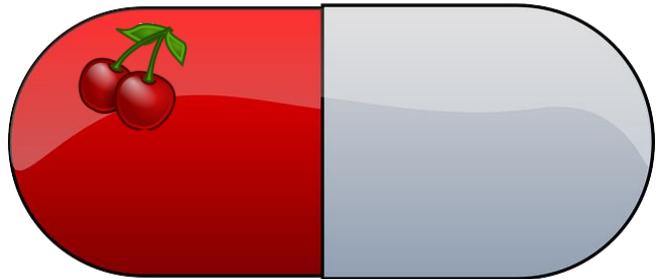
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Open clinical trial





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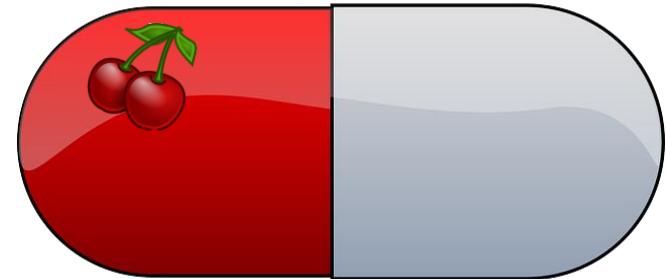
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Vitamin B12

Phosphate

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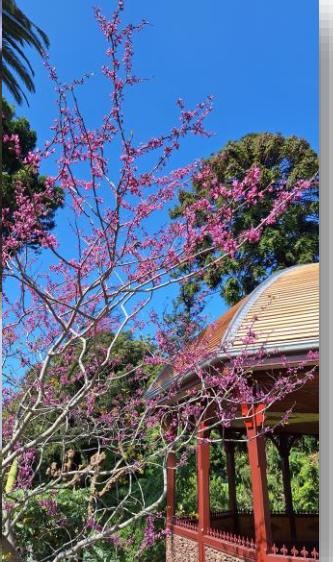
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Pre-operative status
A Sleeve is serious surgery
Absorption alterations
Multivitamin compliance
Number 1 complication!



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