

# Studie **FOURIER**

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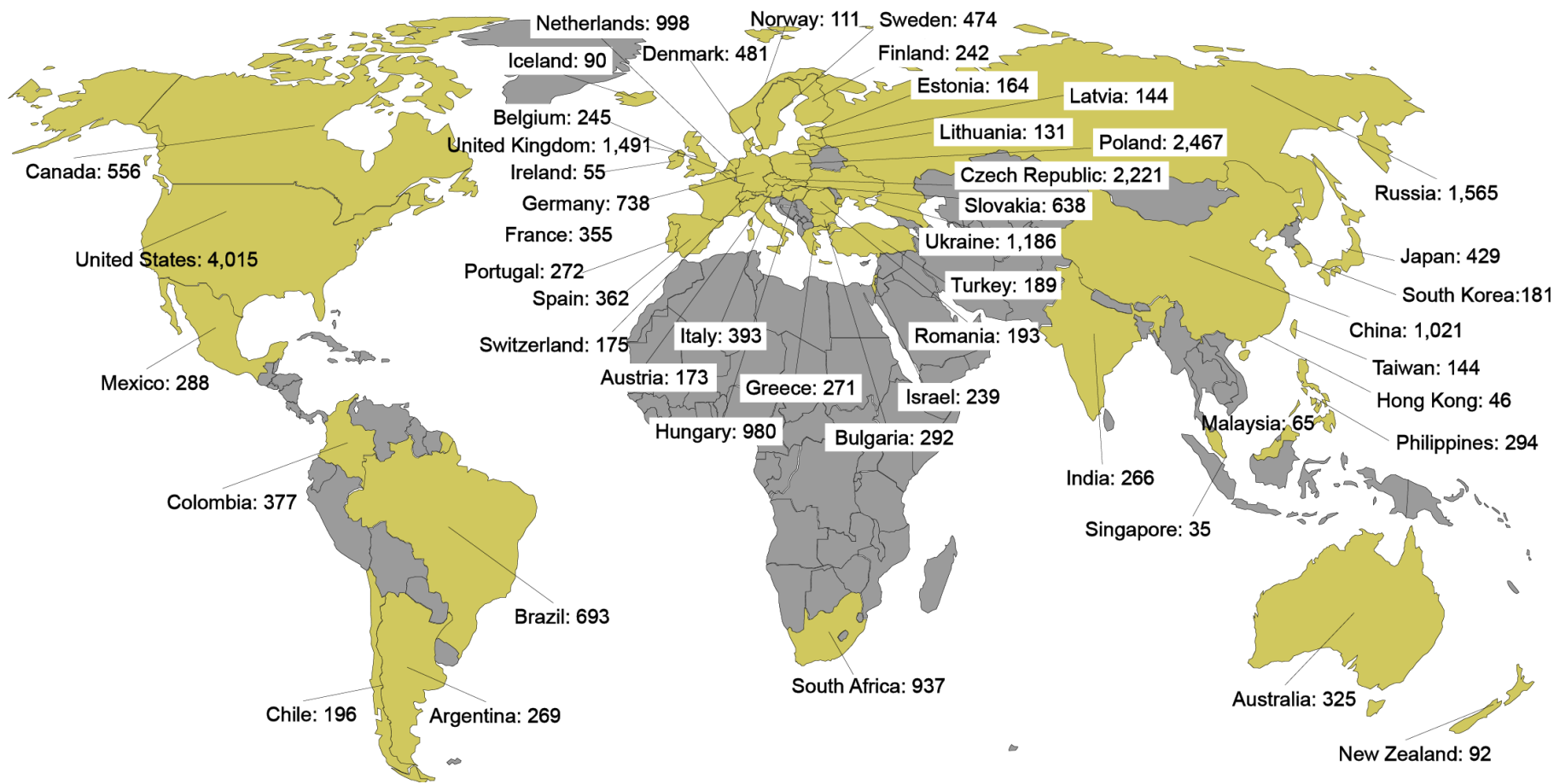


# Celosvětový nábor pacientů

27,564 patients randomized at 1242 sites  
in 49 countries between 2/2013 – 6/2015



## CZ 2221 pacientů



# Charakteristika populace studie

- FOURIER: **F**urther cardiovascular **O**utcomes **R**esearch with PCSK9 **I**nhibition in subjects with **E**levated **R**isk

27,564 patients aged 40–85 years

Clinically evident CV disease

- History of myocardial infarction
- Nonhemorrhagic stroke
- Symptomatic peripheral artery disease

Plus additional risk factors

Fasting LDL-C  $\geq 1.81$  mmol/L or non-HDL-C  $\geq 2.59$  mmol/L after > 2 weeks of optimized stable lipid-lowering therapy\*

\*Ideally a high-intensity statin, but must be at least atorvastatin 20 mg daily or equivalent

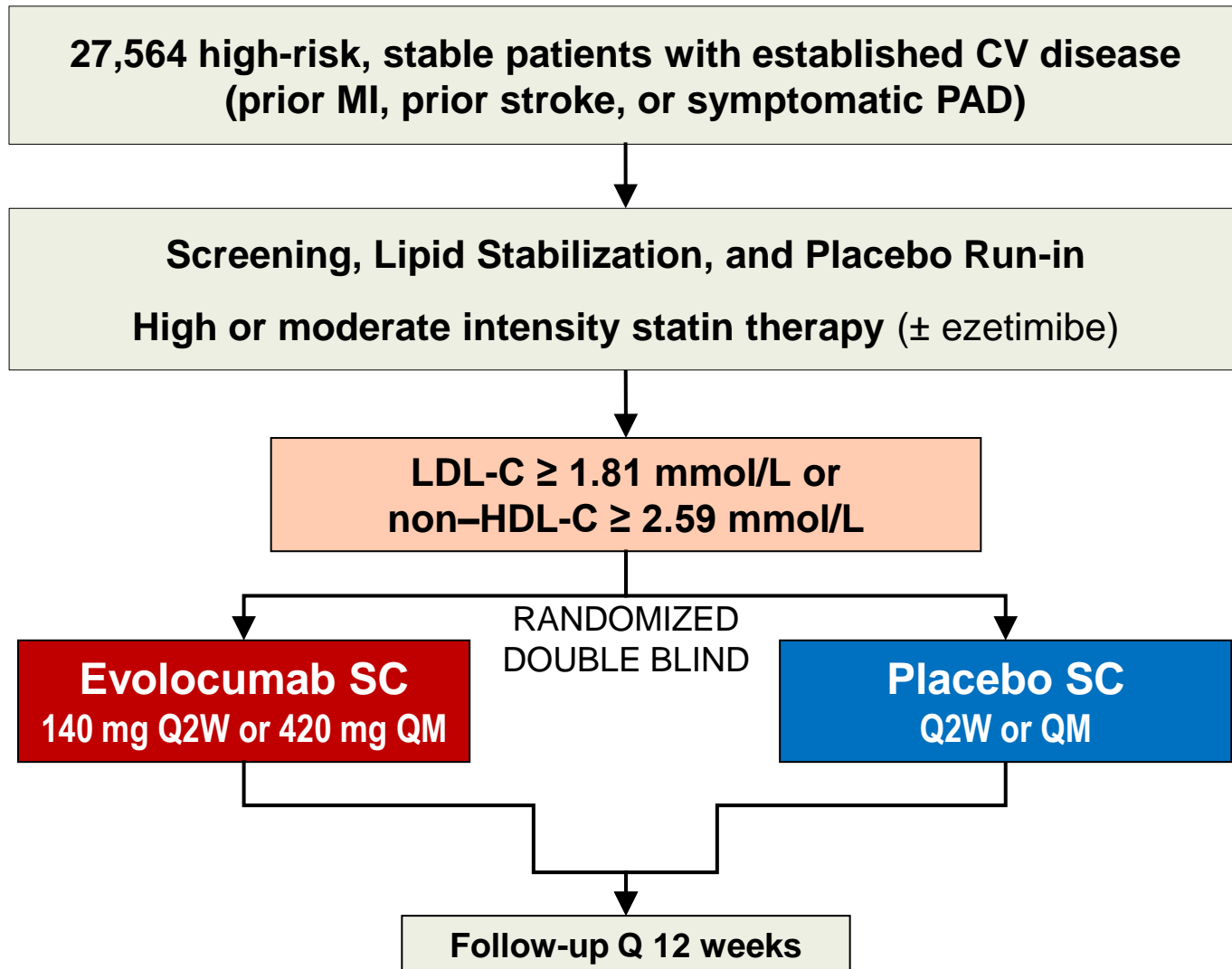
CV, cardiovascular; HDL-C, high-density lipoprotein cholesterol; LDL-C, low-density lipoprotein cholesterol; PCSK9, proprotein convertase subtilisin/kexin type 9.

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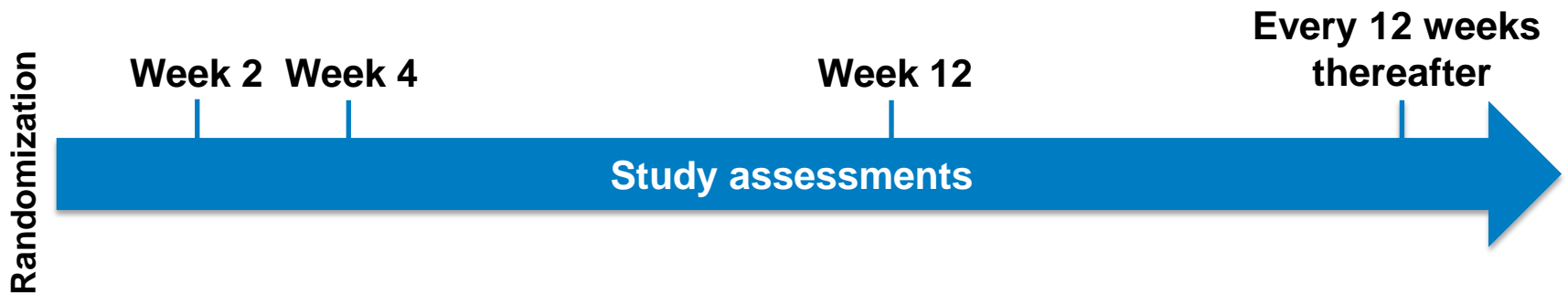
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# Design studie



# FOURIER: Průběh studie



- All patients will be assessed at follow-up visits for:
  - AEs
  - Potential endpoint events
  - Blood and urine samples for central laboratory testing
- Central laboratory results of lipid panels are blinded
  - However, if a patient's LDL-C increases by 25% and 0.52 mmol/L from prior visit, the study site is notified to instruct the patient on compliance





# Characteristika souboru

Characteristic	Value
<b>Age, years, mean (SD)</b>	<b>63 (9)</b>
<b>Male sex (%)</b>	<b>75</b>
<b>Type of cardiovascular disease (%)</b>	
Myocardial infarction	<b>81</b>
Stroke (non-hemorrhagic)	<b>19</b>
Symptomatic PAD	<b>13</b>
<b>Cardiovascular risk factor (%)</b>	
Hypertension	<b>80</b>
Diabetes mellitus	<b>37</b>
Current cigarette use	<b>28</b>

} Median time from most recent event ~3 yrs

Pooled data; no differences between treatment arms

# KV rizikové faktory

Characteristics	Evolocumab (N = 13,784)	Placebo (N = 13,780)
<b>Type of atherosclerosis* – n (%)</b>		
<b>Myocardial infarction</b>	11,145 (80.9)	11,206 (81.3)
<b>Time from most recent prior MI – yr (IQR)</b>	3.4 (1.0-7.4)	3.3 (0.9-7.7)
<b>Non-hemorrhagic stroke</b>	2,686 (19.5)	2,651 (19.2)
<b>Time from most recent prior stroke – yr (IQR)</b>	3.2 (1.1-7.1)	3.3 (1.1-7.3)
<b>Peripheral artery disease – n (%)</b>	1,858 (13.5)	1,784 (12.9)
<b>Cardiovascular risk factors</b>		
<b>Hypertension – n/total n (%)</b>	11,045/13,784 (80.1)	11,039/13,779 (80.1)
<b>Diabetes mellitus – n (%)</b>	5,054 (36.7)	5,027 (36.5)
<b>Current cigarette use – n/total n (%)</b>	3,854/13,783 (28.0)	3,923/13,779 (28.5)

\*Patients could have more than one type of atherosclerosis.

CV = cardiovascular; MI = myocardial infarction.

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# Lipidy a hypolipidemická léčba

Characteristics	Evolocumab (N = 13,784)	Placebo (N = 13,780)
<b>Statin use* – n (%)</b>		
High intensity	9,585 (69.5)	9,518 (69.1)
Moderate intensity	4,161 (30.2)	4,231 (30.7)
Low intensity, unknown intensity, or no data	38 (0.3)	31 (0.2)
<b>Ezetimibe – n (%)</b>	726 (5.3)	714 (5.2)
<b>Other cardiovascular medications – n/total n (%)</b>		
Aspirin and/or P2Y <sub>12</sub> inhibitor	12,766/13,772 (92.7)	12,666/13,767 (92.0)
Beta-blocker	10,441/13,772 (75.8)	10,374/13,767 (75.4)
ACE inhibitor or ARB and/or aldosterone antagonist	10,803/13,772 (78.4)	10,730/13,767 (77.9)
<b>Lipid measures - Median (IQR) – mmol/L</b>		
LDL cholesterol – mmol/L	2.38 (2.07, 2.82)	2.38 (2.07, 2.82)
Total cholesterol – mmol/L	4.34 (3.90, 4.86)	4.34 (3.90, 4.89)
HDL cholesterol – mmol/L	1.14 (0.96, 1.37)	1.14 (0.96, 1.37)
Triglycerides – mmol/L	1.51 (1.14, 2.07)	1.50 (1.12, 2.04)
Lp(a) - nmol/L	37 (13, 166)	37 (13, 164)

\*Statin intensity was categorized per the ACC/AHA Guidelines. Note, that in some countries where FOURIER was conducted, higher statin doses are not approved. HDL, high-density lipoprotein; LDL, low-density lipoprotein; Lp(a) = Lipoprotein(a); IQR = Inter-quartile range  
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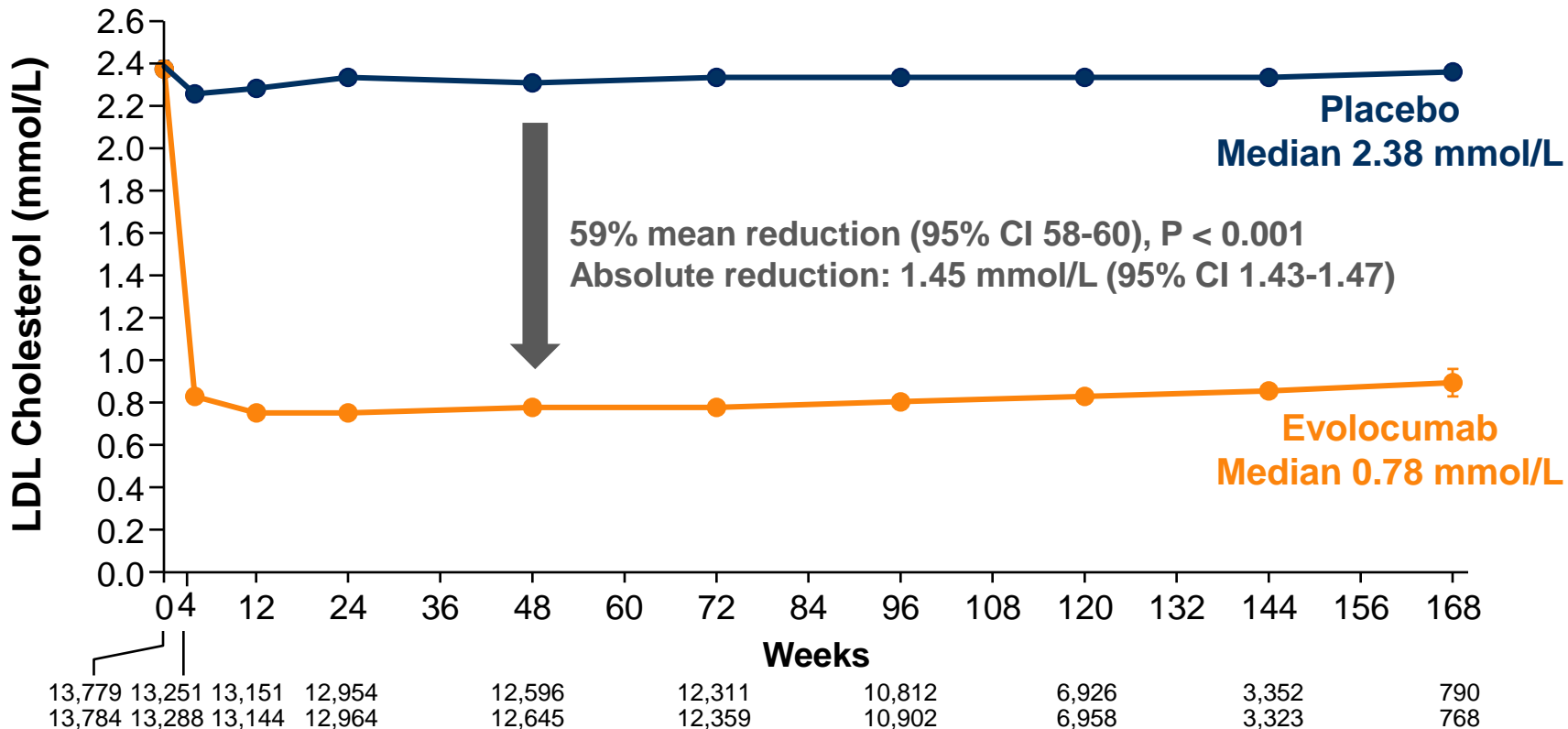
# Cílové ukazatele

- **Účinnost**
- **Primary: CV death, MI, stroke, hosp. for UA, or coronary revasc**
  - **Key secondary: CV death, MI or stroke**
- **Bezpečnost**
  - **AEs/SAEs**
  - **Events of interest incl. muscle-related, new-onset diabetes, neurocognitive**
  - **Development of anti-evolocumab Ab (binding and neutralizing)**

# Výsledky

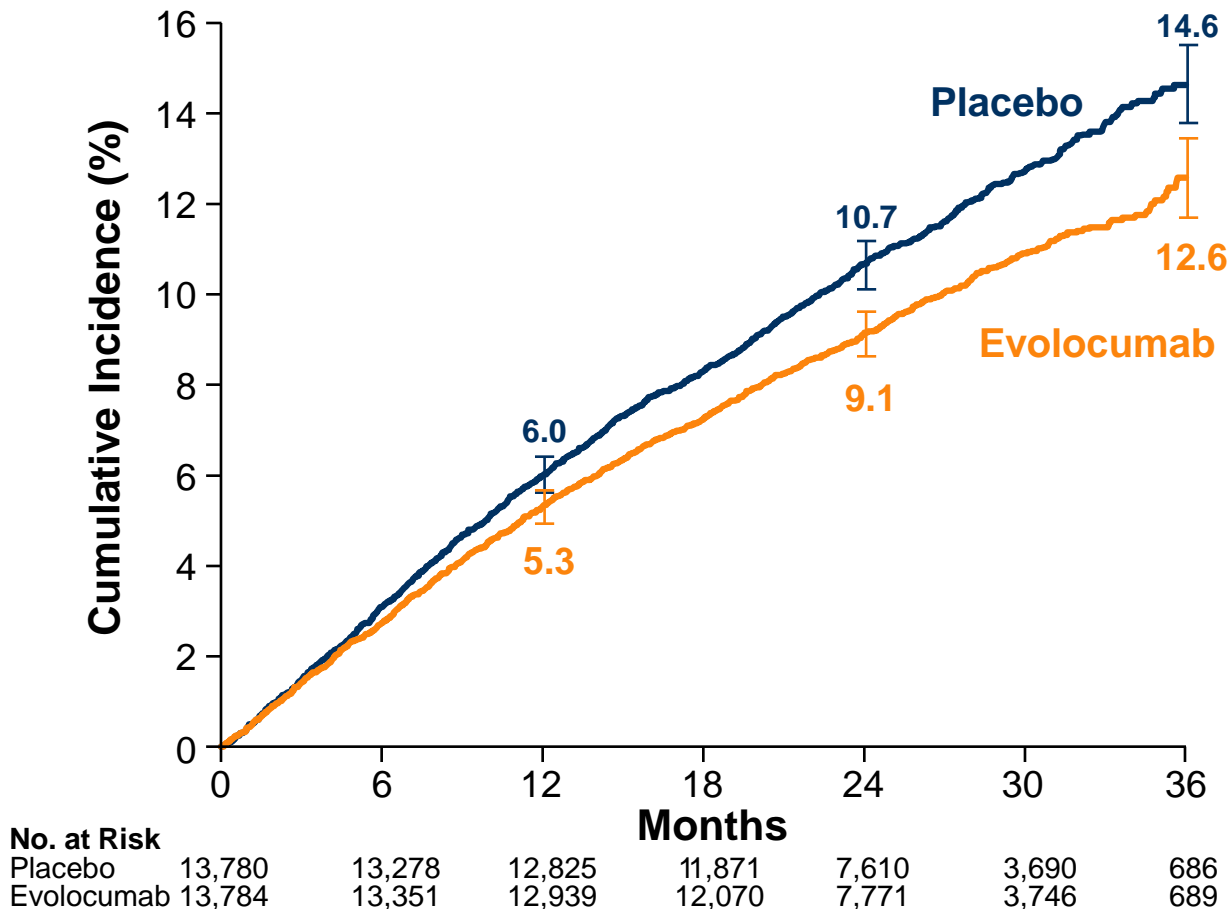


# Medián LDL-C v čase:



**LDL-C was significantly reduced in the evolocumab group (median: 0.78 mmol/L) including 42% who achieved levels  $\leq 0.65$  mmol/L vs  $< 0.1\%$  in the placebo group**

# Primární cílový ukazatel: Composite of CV Death, MI, Stroke, Hospitalization for UA, or Coronary Revascularization



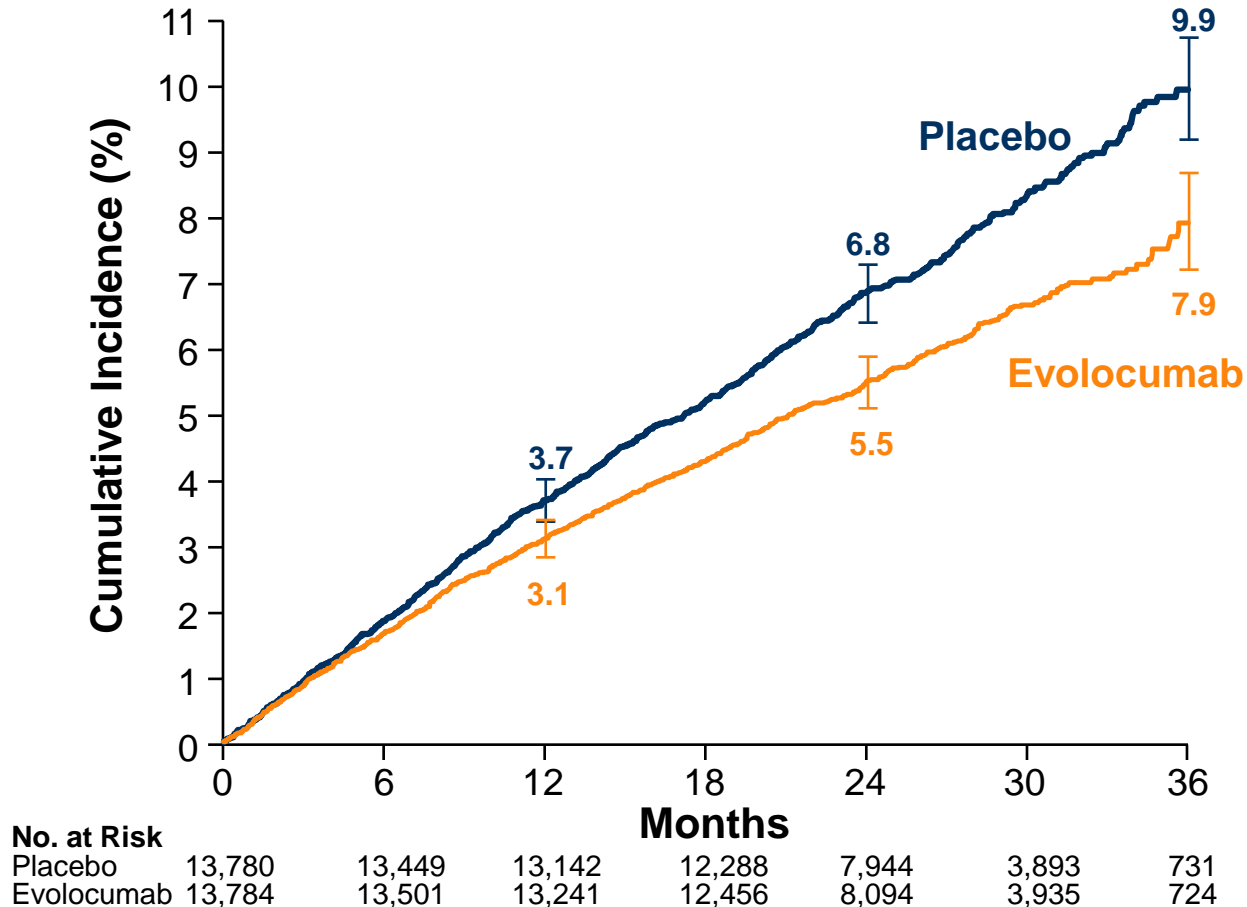
HR 0.85 (95% CI 0.79 to 0.92);  $P < 0.001$

**-15%**



# Základní sekundární cílový ukazatel:

## Composite of CV Death, MI, or Stroke



HR 0.80 (95% CI 0.73 to 0.88);  $P < 0.001$

-20%

# Analýza „endpointů“

Outcome	Evolocumab (n = 13,784) n (%)	Placebo (n = 13,780) n (%)	HR (95% CI)	P- value <sup>‡</sup>
<b>Primary endpoint*</b>	1,344 (9.8)	1,563 (11.3)	0.85 (0.79-0.92)	<0.001
<b>Key secondary endpoint<sup>†</sup></b>	816 (5.9)	1,013 (7.4)	0.80 (0.73-0.88)	<0.001
<b>Other endpoints</b>				
CV death	251 (1.8)	240 (1.7)	1.05 (0.88-1.25)	0.62
Death from any cause	444 (3.2)	426 (3.1)	1.04 (0.91-1.19)	0.54
<b>MI</b>	468 (3.4)	639 (4.6)	0.73 (0.65-0.82)	<0.001
Hospitalization for UA	236 (1.7)	239 (1.7)	0.99 (0.82-1.18)	0.89
<b>Stroke</b>	207 (1.5)	262 (1.9)	0.79 (0.66-0.95)	0.01
<b>Coronary revascularization</b>	759 (5.5)	965 (7.0)	0.78 (0.71-0.86)	<0.001
CV Death or Hospitalization for Worsening Heart Failure	402 (2.9)	408 (3.0)	0.98 (0.86-1.13)	0.82
Ischemic stroke or TIA	229 (1.7)	295 (2.1)	0.77 (0.65-0.92)	0.003
<b>CTTC composite endpoint**</b>	1,271 (9.2)	1,512 (11.0)	0.83 (0.77-0.90)	<0.001

**The primary endpoint was driven by reductions in MI, stroke, and coronary revascularization**

\*Time to CV death, myocardial infarction, stroke, hospitalization for unstable angina, or coronary revascularization, whichever occurs first †CV death, myocardial infarction, or stroke, whichever occurs first ‡Given the hierarchical nature of the statistical testing, the P values for the primary and key secondary endpoint should be considered statistically significant, whereas all other P values should be considered nominal.

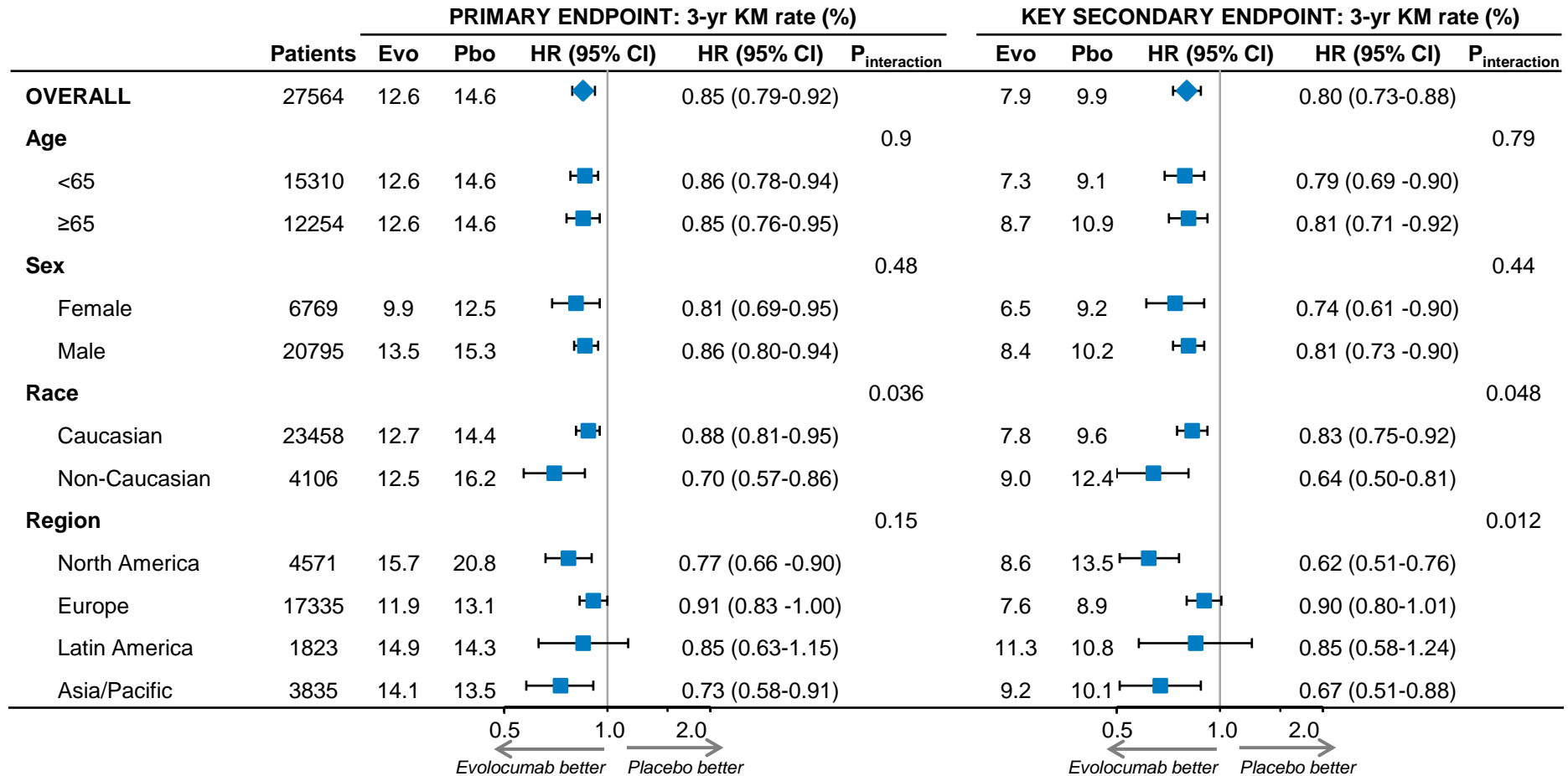
\*\*CTTC stands for Cholesterol Treatment Trialists Collaboration and the composite endpoint consists of coronary heart death, nonfatal MI, stroke, or coronary revascularization

MI = Myocardial infarction; UA = Unstable angina; TIA = Transient ischemic attack

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# Analýza podskupin

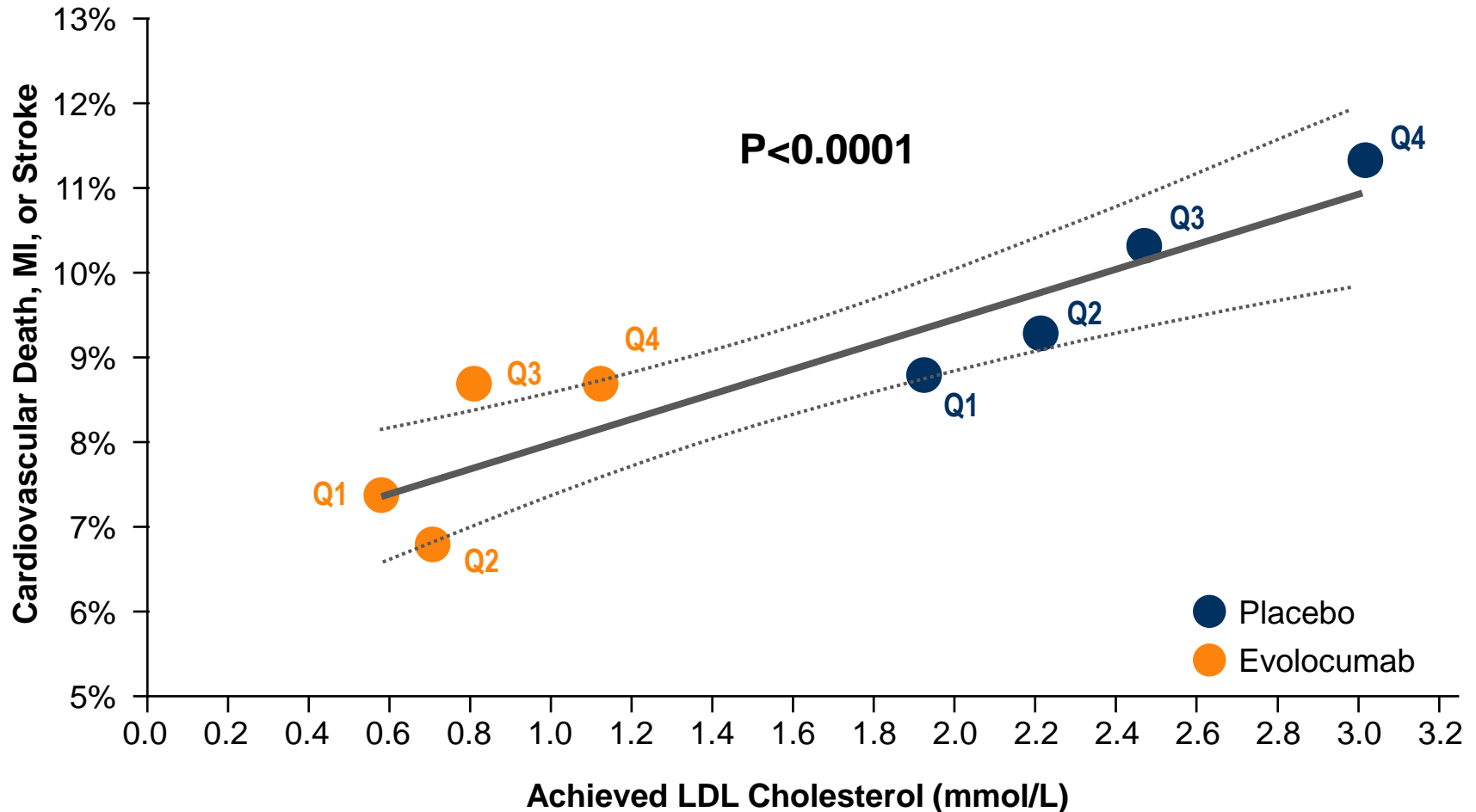


**Primary and secondary composite endpoint results were consistent across all key subgroups**



# Asociace hladin LDL-C a KV příhod

Patients divided by quartile of baseline LDL-C and by treatment arm

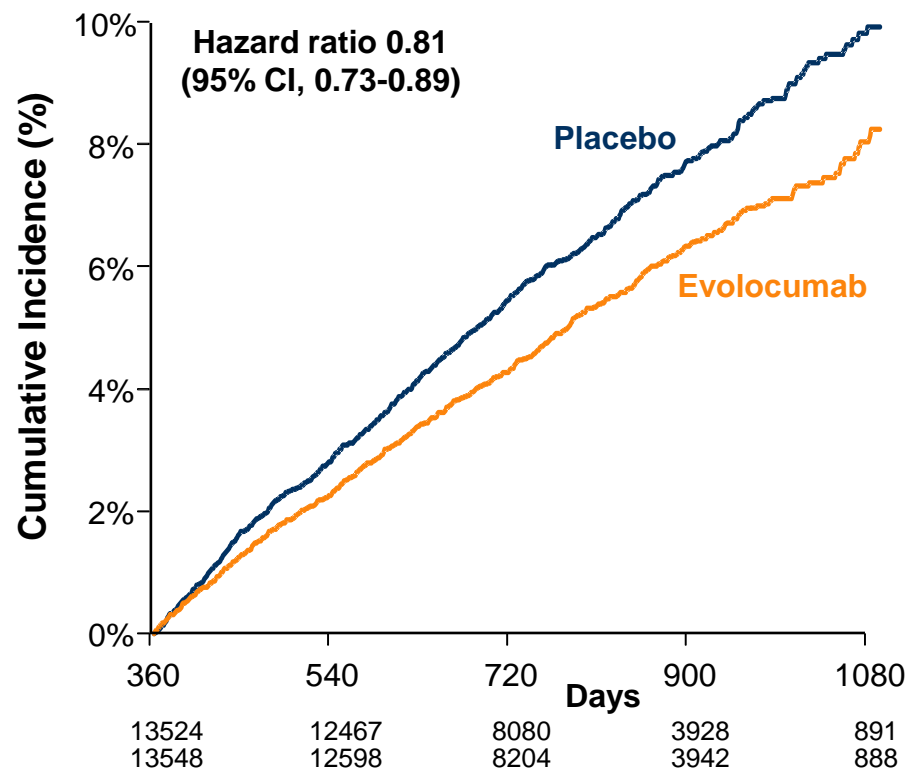
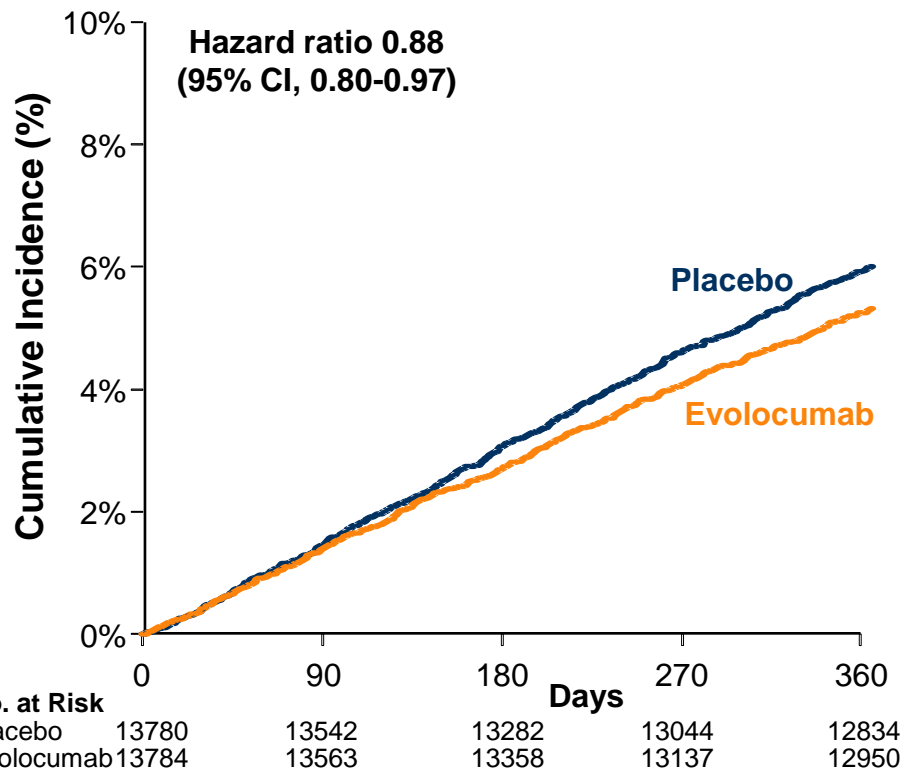




# Analýza primárního „endpointu“ v čase

Year 1: RRR 12%

> Year 1: RRR 19%



**Longer duration of treatment and follow up suggests larger risk reduction**

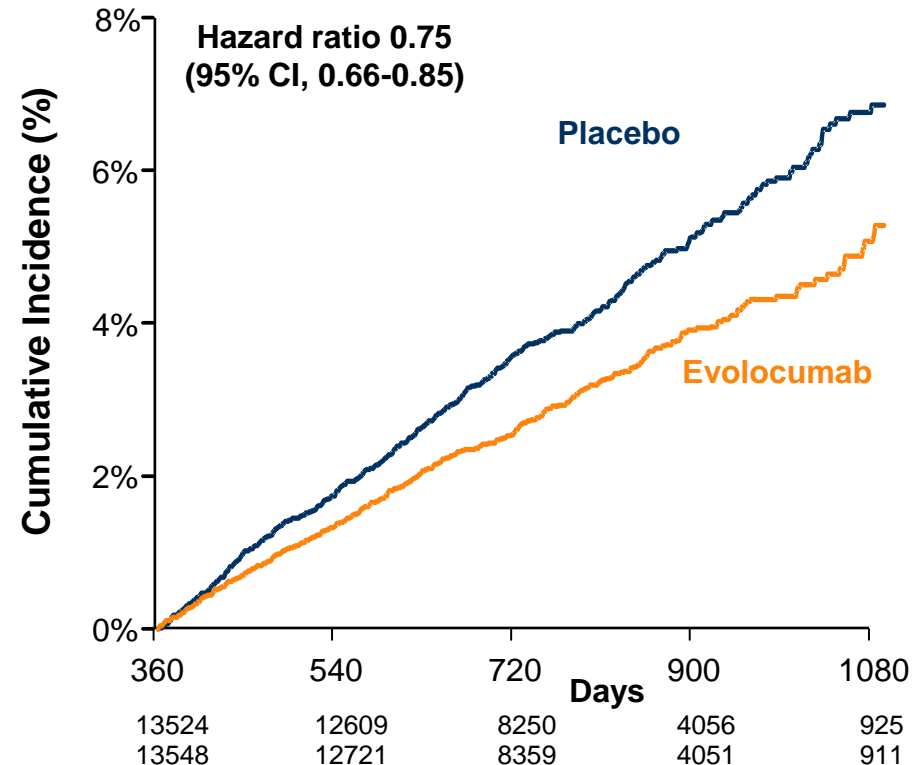
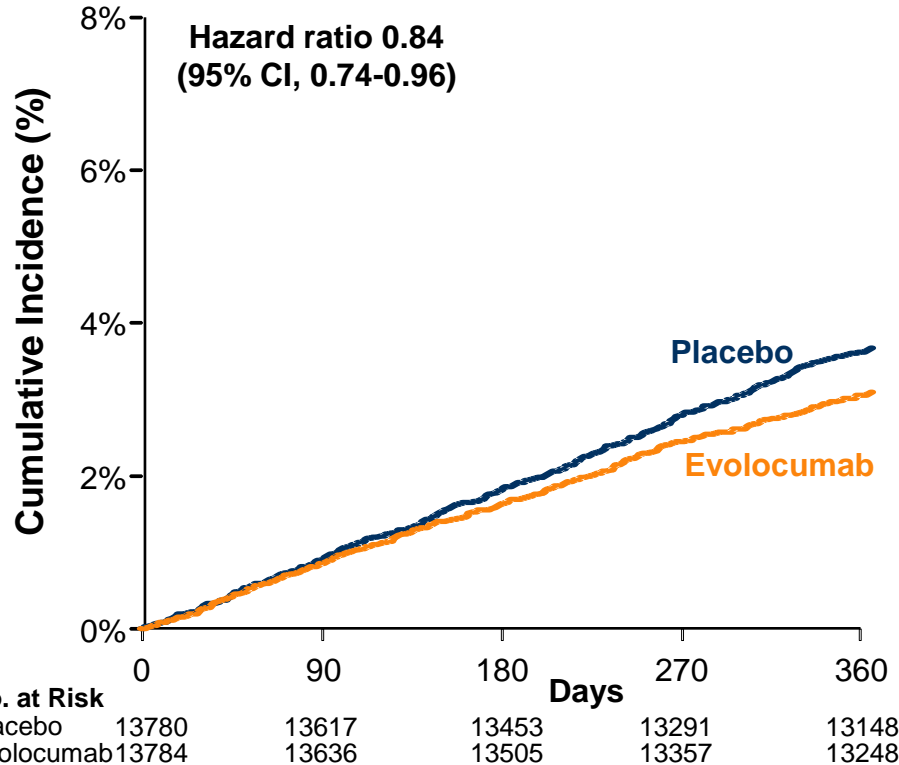
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# Analýza sekundárního „endpointu“ v čase

Year 1: RRR 16%

> Year 1: RRR 25%

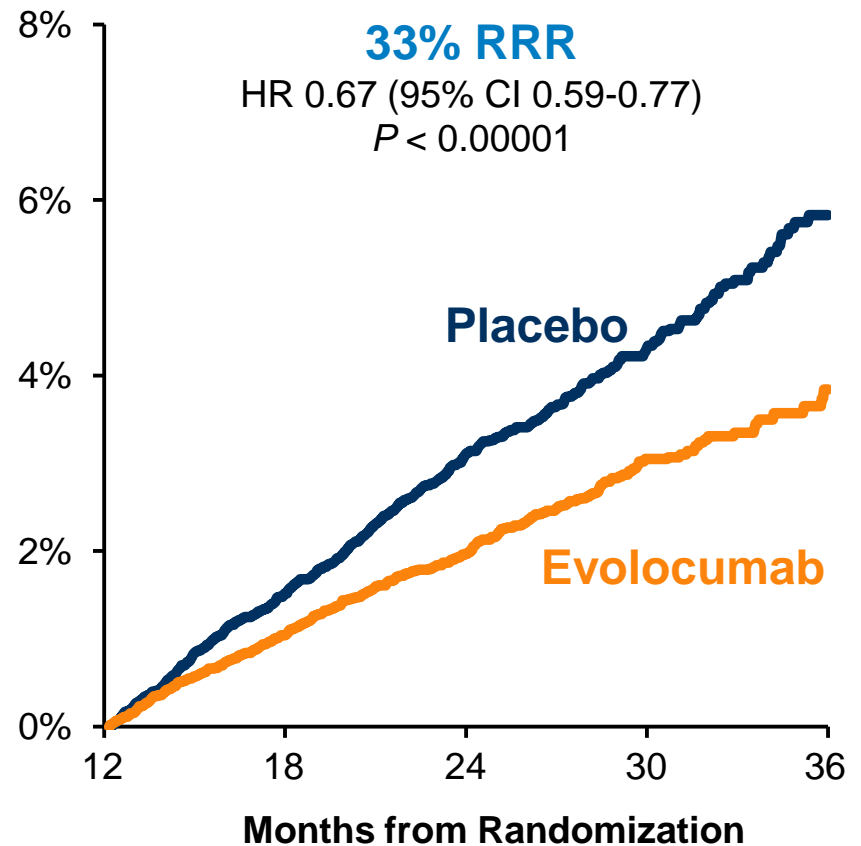
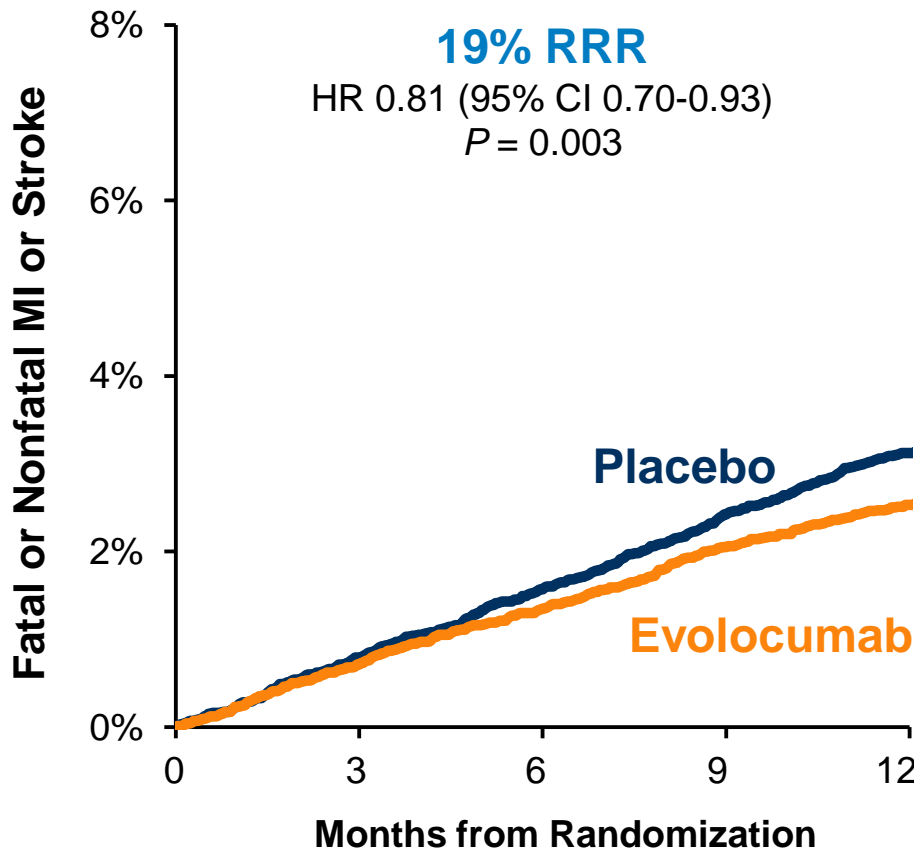


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# Fatální či nefatální IM nebo CMP po 12 a po 36 měsících



# Bezpečnost



# Nežádoucí účinky

Adverse Events, n (%)	Evolocumab (N = 13,769)	Placebo (N = 13,756)
Any	10,664 (77.4)	10,644 (77.4)
Serious	3,410 (24.8)	3,404 (24.7)
Thought to be related to the study agent and leading to discontinuation of study regimen	226 (1.6)	201 (1.5)

No notable differences in the rate of AEs, SAEs, or AEs leading to discontinuation

\*Safety evaluations included all randomized patients who received at least one dose of study treatment and for whom post-dose data are available.

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# Souhrn - Závěr



# Souhrn

- **Léčba evolocumabem vedla ke statisticky významnému poklesu**
- - 15 %                      **Primární „endpoint“**
- - 20%                      **Sekundární „endpoint“**
- 50                              NNT
- Účinek léčby se prohluboval s časem
- **Závažné KV**                      **po roce -16%**    **na konci sledování**                      **- 25%**
- **IM+CMP**                              **-19%**                              **- 33%**
- **Výsledky jsou v souladu s výsledky CTTC**



# Souhrn

- **Léčba evolocumabem u nemocných s ICHS (léčených statinem)** trvala (medián) **2.2 roku** a vedla ke statisticky významné:
  - **Redukci LDL-C o 59%** z hodnoty medianu **2.38** na **0.78** mmol/L, i **42%** dosáhlo **LDL-C  $\leq$  0.65 mmol/L**
- Léčba evolocumabem byla dobře tolerována
- **Léčba byla bezpečná (včetně sledovaných n.ú. neurokognitivních, rozvoje DM, myopatie.....)**



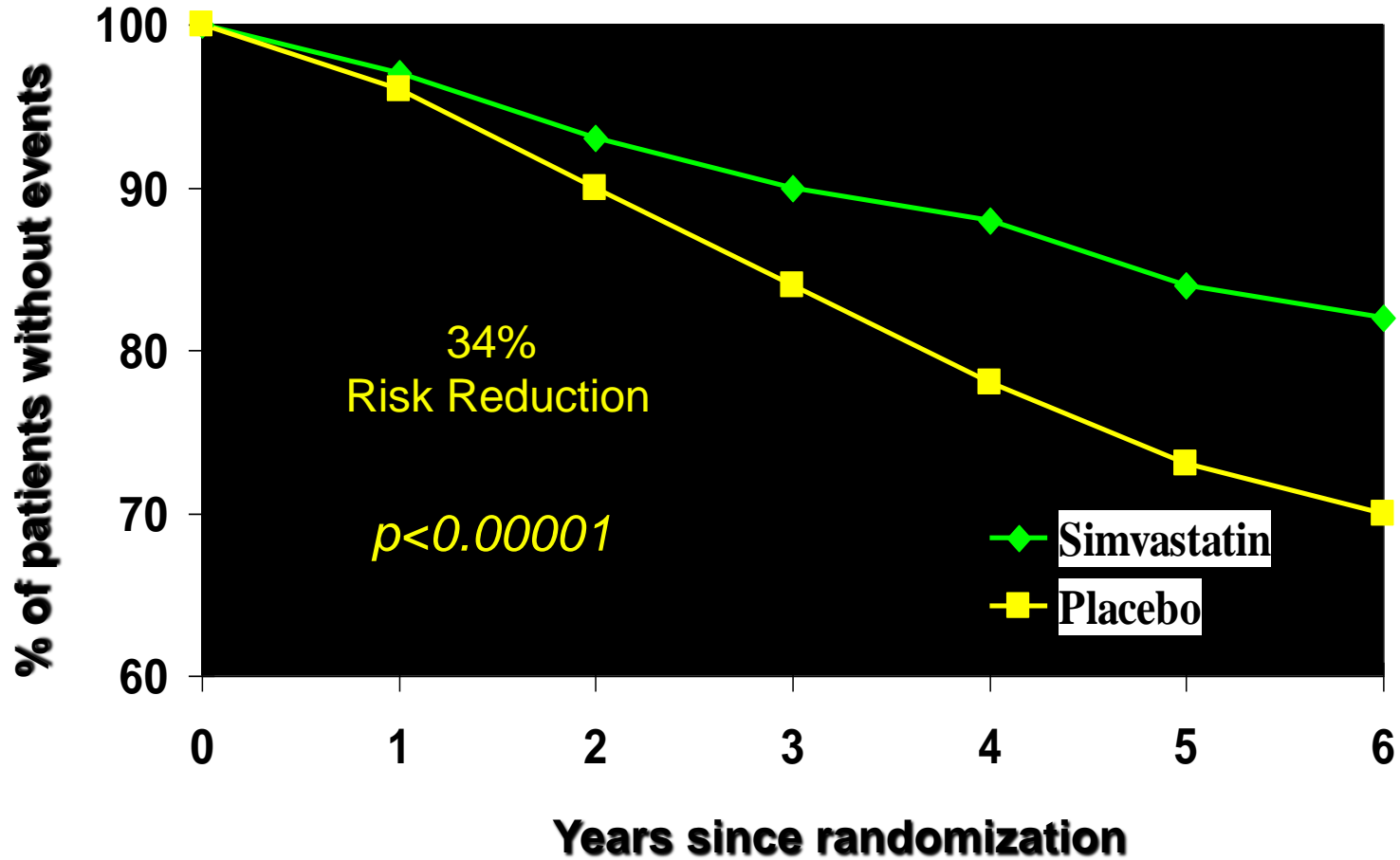


# Malá úvaha na závěr 😊

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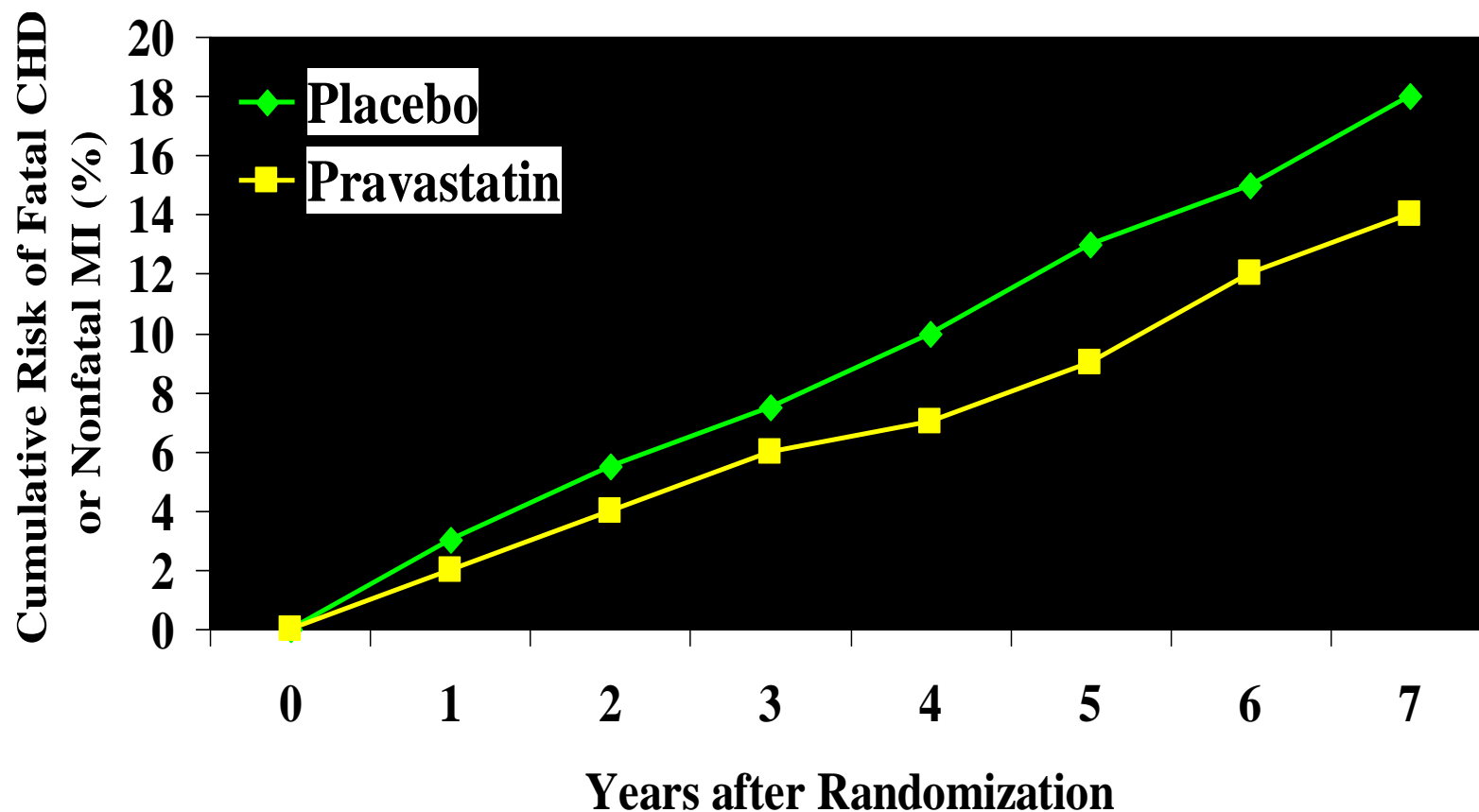
- Možná až nereálná očekávání
- Přeceňování výsledků studií OSLER a ODYSSEY
  - zatížených malými čísly a krátkým sledováním
- **Velmi krátká doba sledování 2,2 roku (3 roky)**
- **Vstupní hodnoty LDL-C 2,4, TC 4,3**
  - Téměř cílové hodnoty
  - Výrazně nižší než u dřívějších studií
  - Výborná léčba HLP statiny (méně kombinace, ezetimib)
- **Komplexní léčba ostatních RF**
- **Vlastní design studie**
- **Kolik známe z poslední doby studií které vůbec vyšly?**

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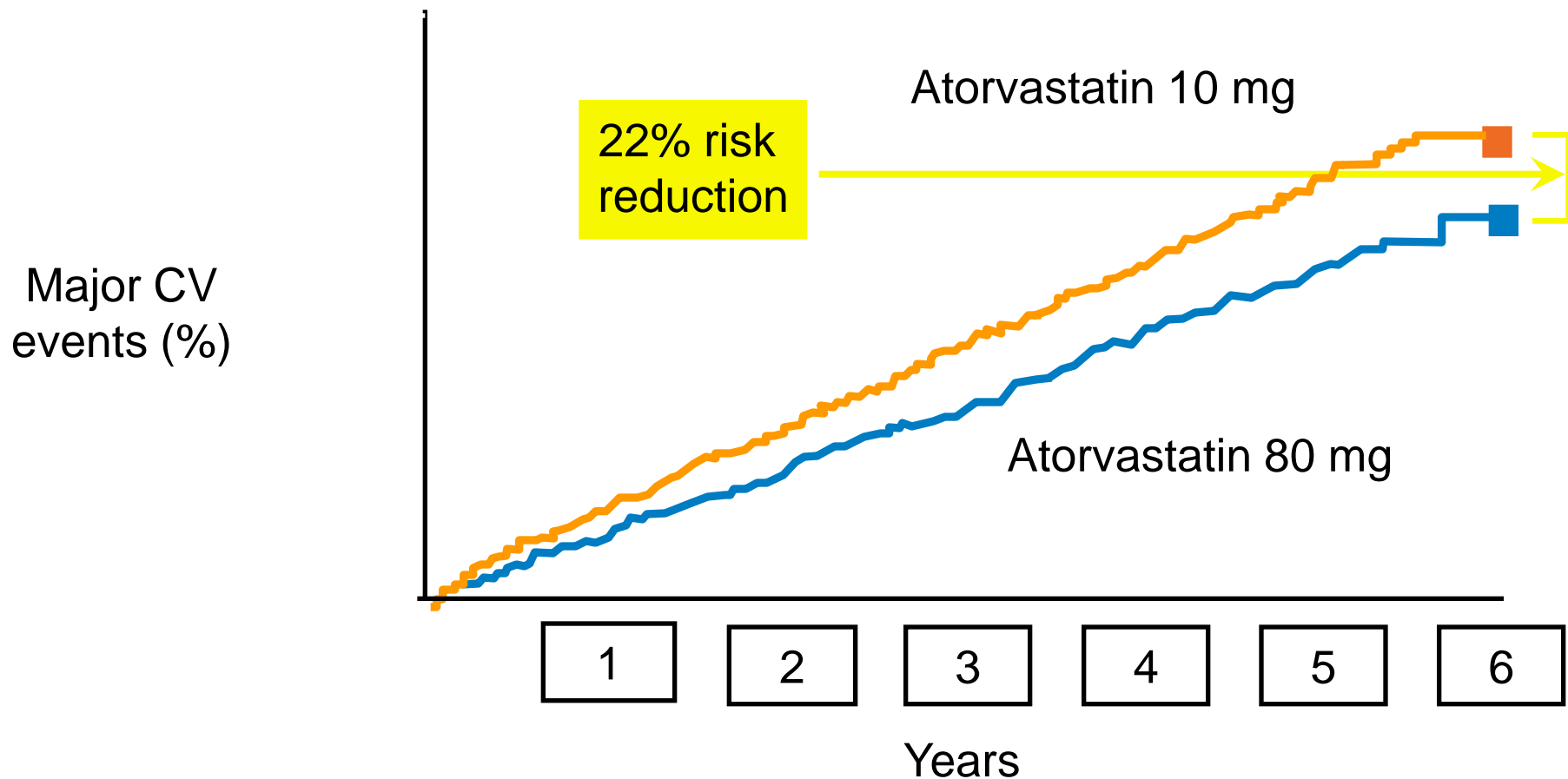


# LIPID – KV úmrtí a nefatální IM

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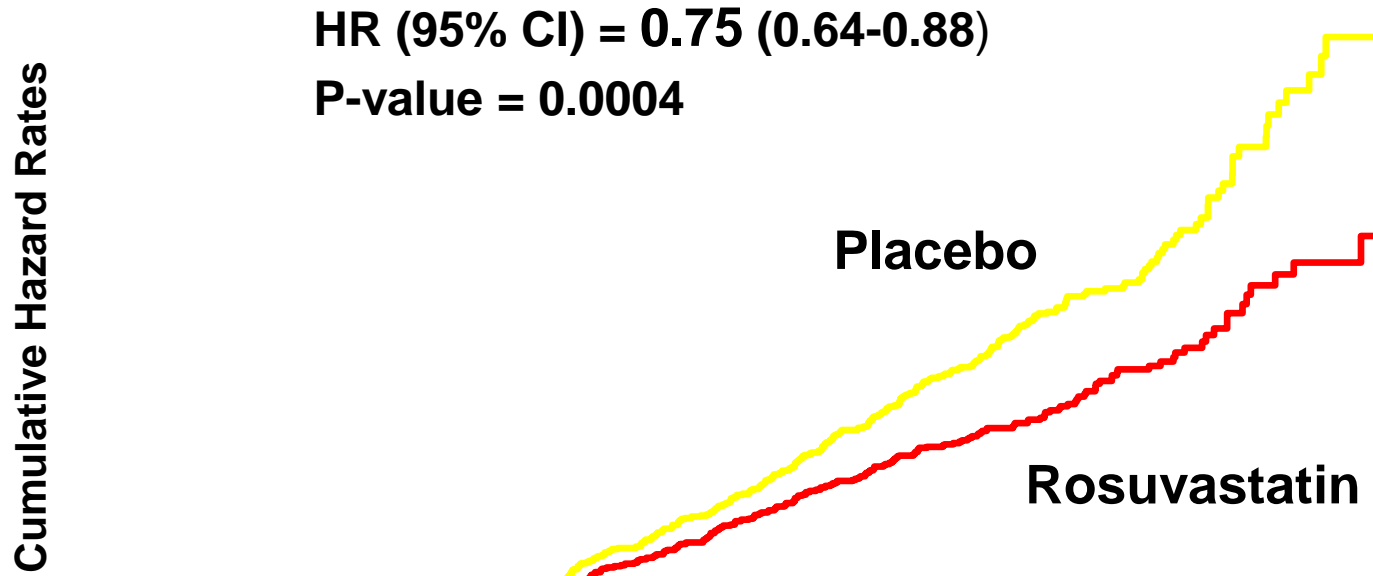


# TNT: účinek na primární cílový ukazatel



# HOPE 3:LIPID ARM: CV Death, MI, Stroke, Cardiac Arrest, Revasc, Heart Failure

**-25%**



Rosuva	6361	6241	6039	2122
Placebo	6344	6192	5970	2073

# Malá úvaha na závěr 😊

## Nemohl být výsledek ještě výraznější?

- Výsledek plně odpovídá realitě
- Výsledek plně odpovídá reálnému očekávání
  - Je v souladu s analýzou CTTC
- Výsledek je statisticky významný
- **Srovnání s posledními „lipidovými“ studii**
  - IMPROVE IT (snížení KVR o 6,4% za 8 let – hodnoceno, správně, jako relevantní, statisticky i klinicky významné v souvislostech)
- **Proč potom někteří pochybují o dostatečném snížení KV příhod ve studii FOURIER? Nechápu 😞**

# Studie FOURIER s evolocumabem prokázala

- Účinnou redukcí KV příhod inhibicí PCSK9
- Platnost LDL principu
- Pozitivní lipidové účinky léčby
- *Bezpečnost*
- *Dobrou toleranci*

# Studie FOURIER s evolocumabem

**Představuje obrovský milník a  
zásadní přelom v prevenci  
KVO, v preventivní kardiologii,  
v léčbě HLP a DLP**

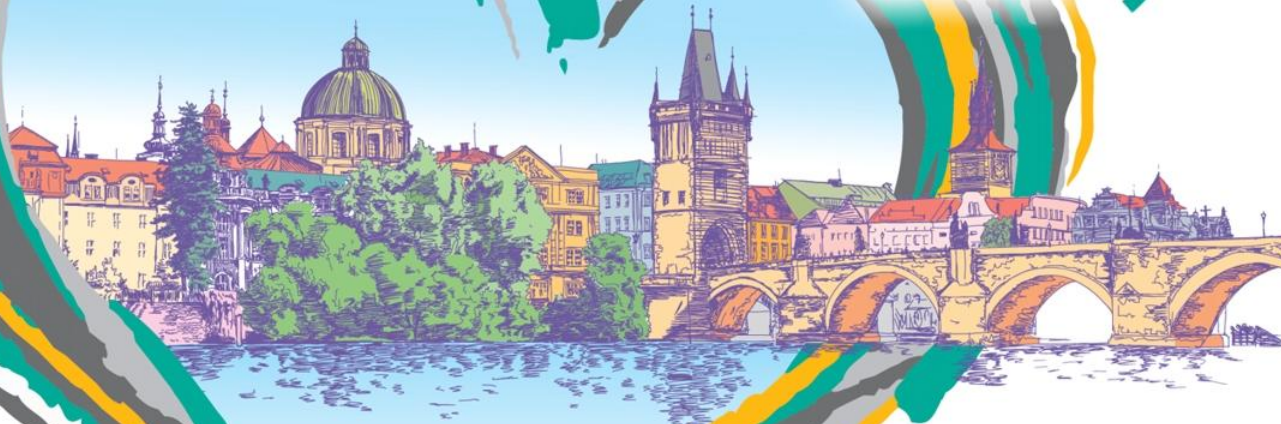
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„4S“**



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