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Susceptibilidad Genética al cáncer de mama: recientes avances y aplicación al diagnóstico molecular

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GENES DEL CÁNCER DE MAMA HEREDITARIO

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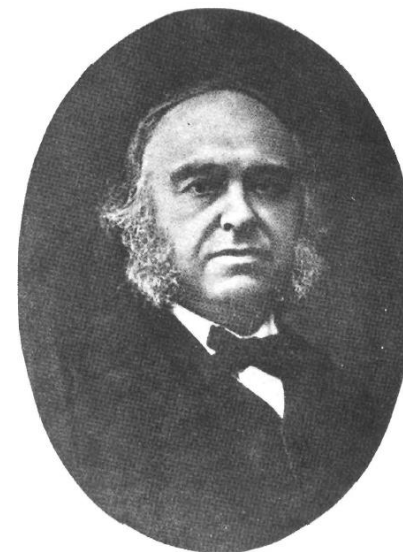
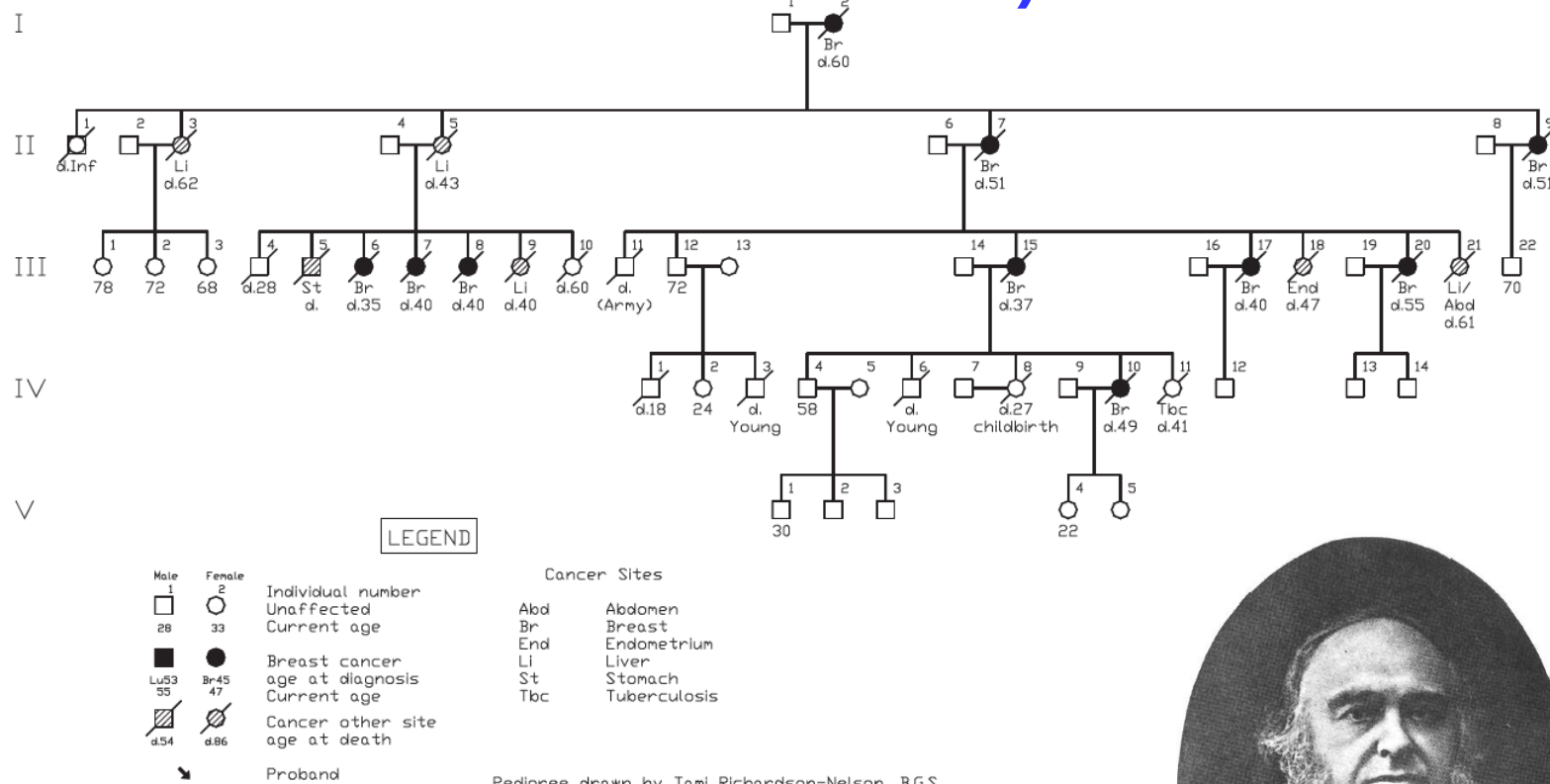


Figure 1. Pierre Paul Broca (1824-80).

**Mary-Claire King Identifica en 1990 el sitio en el cromosoma 17
asociado con una historia familiar de cáncer mama/ovario**



En 1994-1995 se describe los genes *BRCA1* y *BRCA2* como responsables de casos de cáncer mama/ovario familiar

BRCA1 (17q21)

5.592 nt



BRCA2 (13q12)

11.385 nt



Genes con función en la reparación del DNA

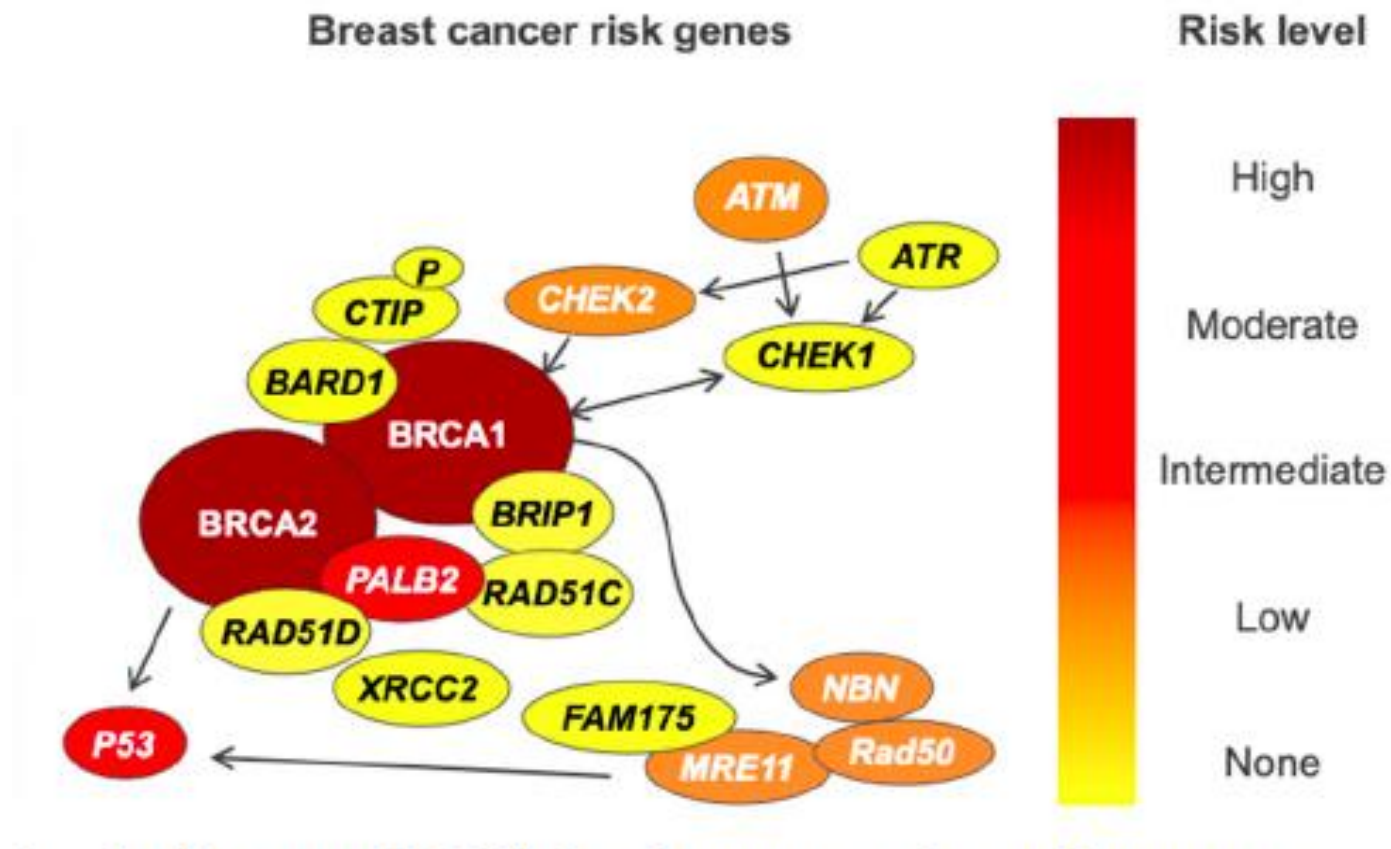


Figure 1. Susceptibility genes present in the double-strand DNA break repair pathway for breast cancer and its different correspondent risks levels in each disease.

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ORIGINAL ARTICLE

Breast Cancer Risk Genes — Association Analysis in More than 113,000 Women

Breast Cancer Association Consortium*

ABSTRACT

BACKGROUND

Genetic testing for breast cancer susceptibility is widely used, but for many genes, evidence of an association with breast cancer is weak, underlying risk estimates are imprecise, and reliable subtype-specific risk estimates are lacking.

METHODS

We used a panel of 34 putative susceptibility genes to perform sequencing on samples from 60,466 women with breast cancer and 53,461 controls. In separate analyses for protein-truncating variants and rare missense variants in these genes, we estimated odds ratios for breast cancer overall and tumor subtypes. We evaluated missense-variant associations according to domain and classification of pathogenicity.

RESULTS

Protein-truncating variants in 5 genes (*ATM*, *BRCA1*, *BRCA2*, *CHEK2*, and *PALB2*) were associated with a risk of breast cancer overall with a P value of less than 0.0001. Protein-truncating variants in 4 other genes (*BARD1*, *RAD51C*, *RAD51D*, and *TP53*) were associated with a risk of breast cancer overall with a P value of less than 0.05 and a Bayesian false-discovery probability of less than 0.05. For protein-truncating variants in 19 of the remaining 25 genes, the upper limit of the 95% confidence interval of the odds ratio for breast cancer overall was less than 2.0. For protein-truncating variants in *ATM* and *CHEK2*, odds ratios were higher for estrogen receptor (ER)-positive disease than for ER-negative disease; for protein-truncating variants in *BARD1*, *BRCA1*, *BRCA2*, *PALB2*, *RAD51C*, and *RAD51D*, odds ratios were higher for ER-negative disease than for ER-positive disease. Rare missense variants (in aggregate) in *ATM*, *CHEK2*, and *TP53* were associated with a risk of breast cancer overall with a P value of less than 0.001. For *BRCA1*, *BRCA2*, and *TP53*, missense variants (in aggregate) that would be classified as pathogenic according to standard criteria were associated with a risk of breast cancer overall, with the risk being similar to that of protein-truncating variants.

CONCLUSIONS

The results of this study define the genes that are most clinically useful for inclusion on panels for the prediction of breast cancer risk, as well as provide estimates of the risks associated with protein-truncating variants, to guide genetic counseling. (Funded by European Union Horizon 2020 programs and others.)

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A Population-Based Study of Genes Previously Implicated in Breast Cancer

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ABSTRACT

BACKGROUND

Population-based estimates of the risk of breast cancer associated with germline pathogenic variants in cancer-predisposition genes are critically needed for risk assessment and management in women with inherited pathogenic variants.

METHODS

In a population-based case-control study, we performed sequencing using a custom multigene amplicon-based panel to identify germline pathogenic variants in 28 cancer-predisposition genes among 32,247 women with breast cancer (case patients) and 32,544 unaffected women (controls) from population-based studies in the Cancer Risk Estimates Related to Susceptibility (CARRIERS) consortium. Associations between pathogenic variants in each gene and the risk of breast cancer were assessed.

RESULTS

Pathogenic variants in 12 established breast cancer-predisposition genes were detected in 5.05% of case patients and in 1.63% of controls. Pathogenic variants in *BRCA1* and *BRCA2* were associated with a high risk of breast cancer, with odds ratios of 7.62 (95% confidence interval [CI], 5.33 to 11.27) and 5.23 (95% CI, 4.09 to 6.77), respectively. Pathogenic variants in *PALB2* were associated with a moderate risk (odds ratio, 3.83; 95% CI, 2.68 to 5.63). Pathogenic variants in *BARD1*, *RAD51C*, and *RAD51D* were associated with increased risks of estrogen receptor-negative breast cancer and triple-negative breast cancer, whereas pathogenic variants in *ATM*, *CDH1*, and *CHEK2* were associated with an increased risk of estrogen receptor-positive breast cancer. Pathogenic variants in 16 candidate breast cancer-predisposition genes, including the c.657_661del5 founder pathogenic variant in *NRN*, were not associated with an increased risk of breast cancer.

CONCLUSIONS

This study provides estimates of the prevalence and risk of breast cancer associated with pathogenic variants in known breast cancer-predisposition genes in the U.S. population. These estimates can inform cancer testing and screening and improve clinical management strategies for women in the general population with inherited pathogenic variants in these genes. (Funded by the National Institutes of Health and the Breast Cancer Research Foundation.)

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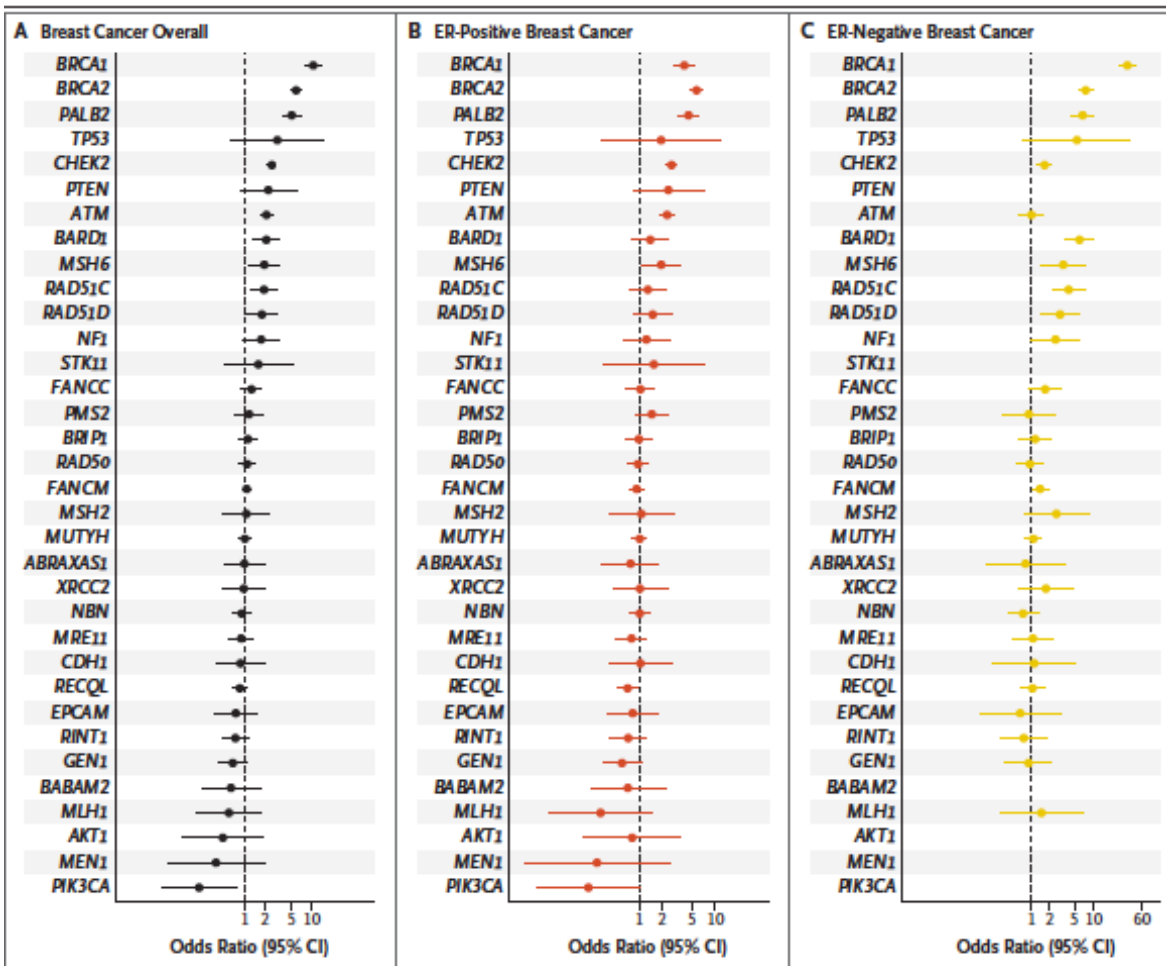
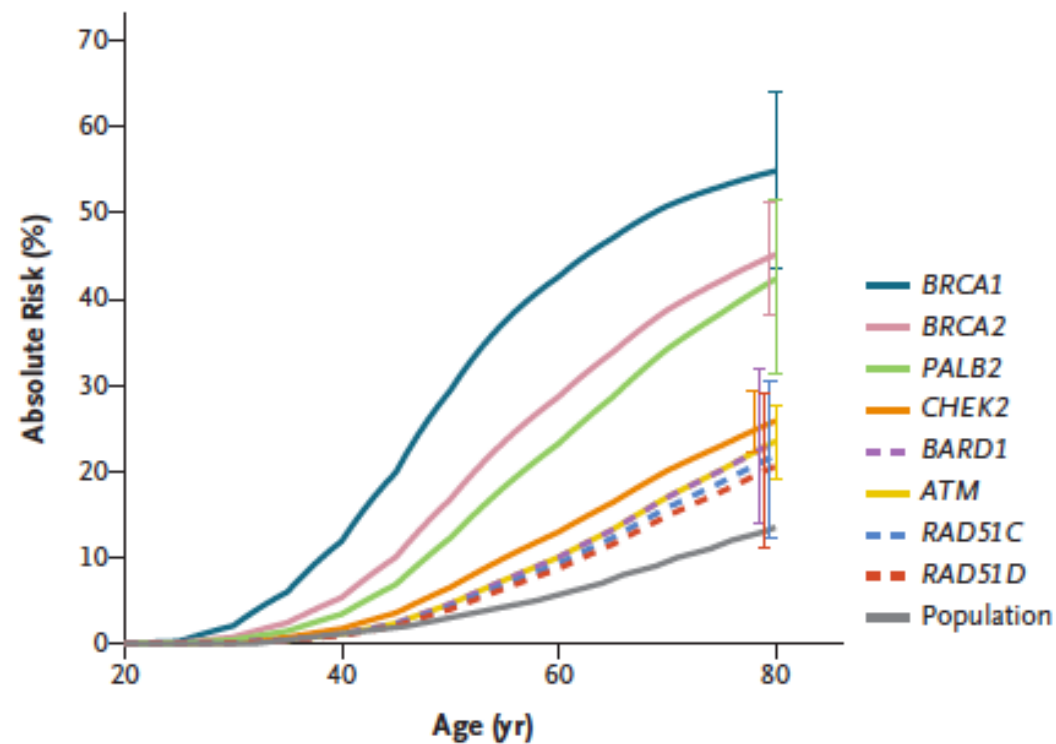


Figure 2. Risk of Breast Cancer Overall and Tumor Subtypes Associated with Protein-Truncating Variants in 34 Genes in Population-Based Studies.



- Approximately **3%** of unselected patients with breast cancer carry a germline *BRCA1/2* pathogenic variant
- This rate increases with:
 - Young age
 - Triple negative phenotype
 - High grade
 - Family history
 - Male breast cancer

BRCA1/BRCA2 GENES QUE EXPLICAN EL MAYOR NÚMERO DE CASOS

Table 2. Associations between Pathogenic Variants in Established Breast Cancer–Predisposition Genes and Risk of Breast Cancer.*

Breast Cancer– Predisposition Gene ^{1,2,7}	Case Patients (N = 32,247)	Controls (N = 32,544)	Odds Ratio (95% CI) [†]	P Value
<i>no. with pathogenic variant (%)</i>				
ATM	253 (0.78)	134 (0.41)	1.82 (1.46–2.27)	<0.001
BARD1	49 (0.15)	35 (0.11)	1.37 (0.87–2.16)	0.18
BRCA1	275 (0.85)	37 (0.11)	7.62 (5.33–11.27)	<0.001
BRCA2	417 (1.29)	78 (0.24)	5.23 (4.09–6.77)	<0.001
CDH1	17 (0.05)	6 (0.02)	2.50 (1.01–7.07)	0.06
CHEK2	349 (1.08)	138 (0.42)	2.47 (2.02–3.05)	<0.001
NF1‡	19 (0.06)	11 (0.03)	1.93 (0.91–4.31)	0.09
PALB2	148 (0.46)	38 (0.12)	3.83 (2.68–5.63)	<0.001
PTEN	8 (0.02)	3 (0.01)	NA	NA
RAD51C	41 (0.13)	35 (0.11)	1.20 (0.75–1.93)	0.44
RAD51D	26 (0.08)	14 (0.04)	1.72 (0.88–3.51)	0.12
TP53‡	19 (0.06)	2 (0.01)	NA	NA
Total	1621 (5.03)	531 (1.63)	—	—

*Puntos sobre esperanza de vida.

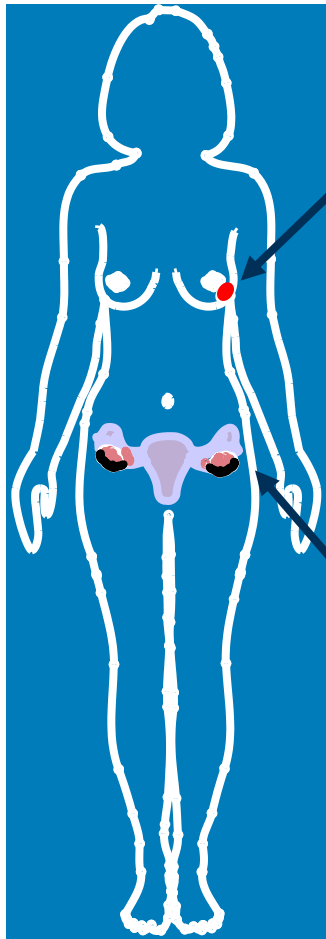
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Table 1. BC risks conferred by PVs in established BC susceptibility genes in both sexes. Estimates may vary according to study population and/or study design.

Female Breast Cancer					Male Breast Cancer	
Gene	OR	Absolute Risk	Study	OR	Absolute Risk	Study
<i>BRCA1</i>	>10	>50%	[23,24,45,46]	4	0.4%	[34]
<i>BRCA2</i>	>5	>50%	[23,24,45,46]	40	4%	[34]
<i>PALB2</i>	3.4–7.18	40–60%	[23,24,47]	7.3	0.9%	[47]
<i>CHEK2</i>	2.5	20–40%	[23,24]	2.43–3.78	na	[25,31,32]
<i>ATM</i>	2.5–5	20–30%	[33,48–54]	1.78–4.8	na	[31–33]

Valentini V, et al., Gender-Specific Genetic Predisposition to Breast Cancer: *BRCA* Genes and Beyond. *Cancers*. 2024; 16(3):579.

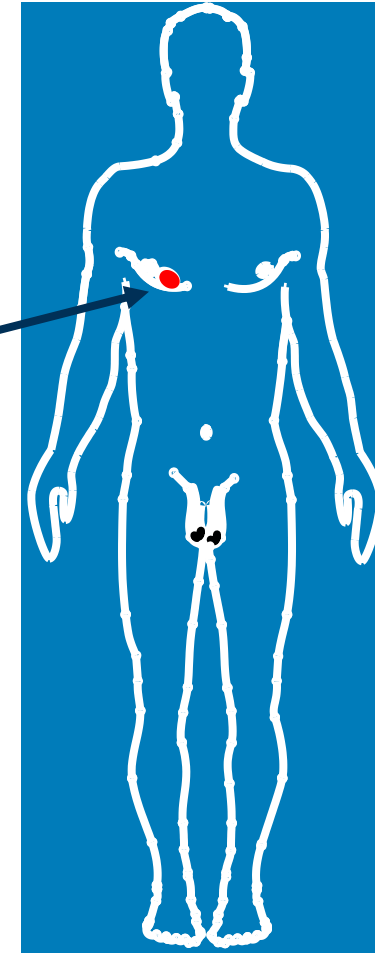
OTROS TUMORES ASOCIADOS A *BRCA1/BRCA2*: OVARIO, PÁNCREAS Y PRÓSTATA



MAMA
50% - 85%

OVARIO
BRCA1: 15% - 45%
BRCA2: 5% - 20%

(páncreas, próstata)



MAMA
BRCA2: 6%

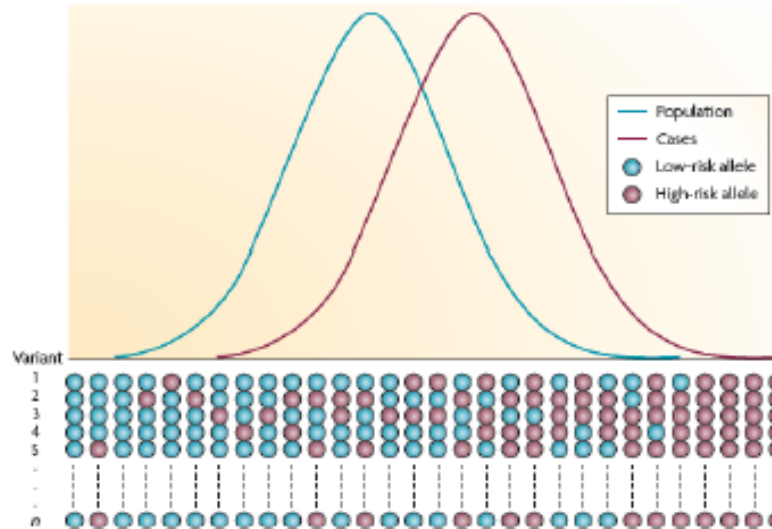
Alelos de baja riesgo

- identificados mediante estudios pangenómicos de asociación (GWAS: genome-wide association studies) de grandes cohortes de pacientes e individuos sanos.
- genes o *loci* de susceptibilidad cuyas variantes son frecuentes en la población y confieren cada una de ellas un $RR < 1,5$

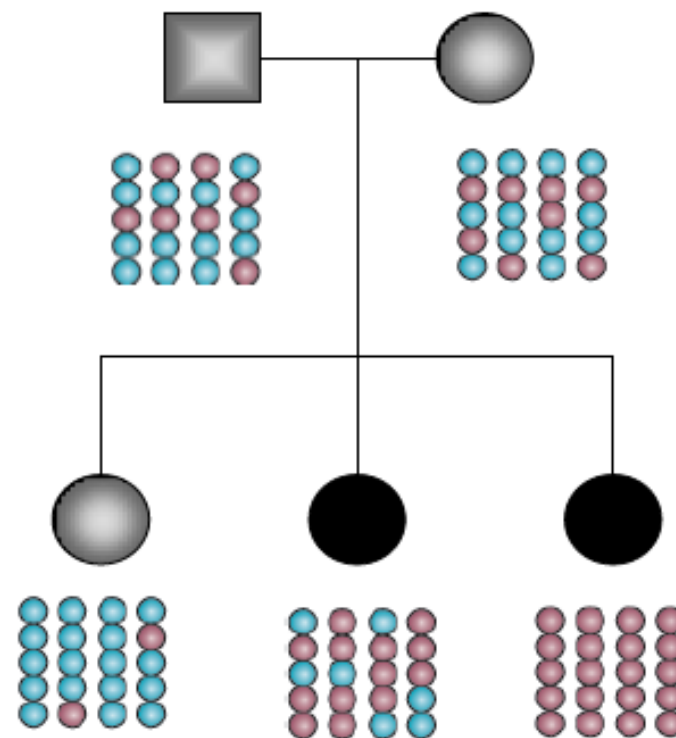
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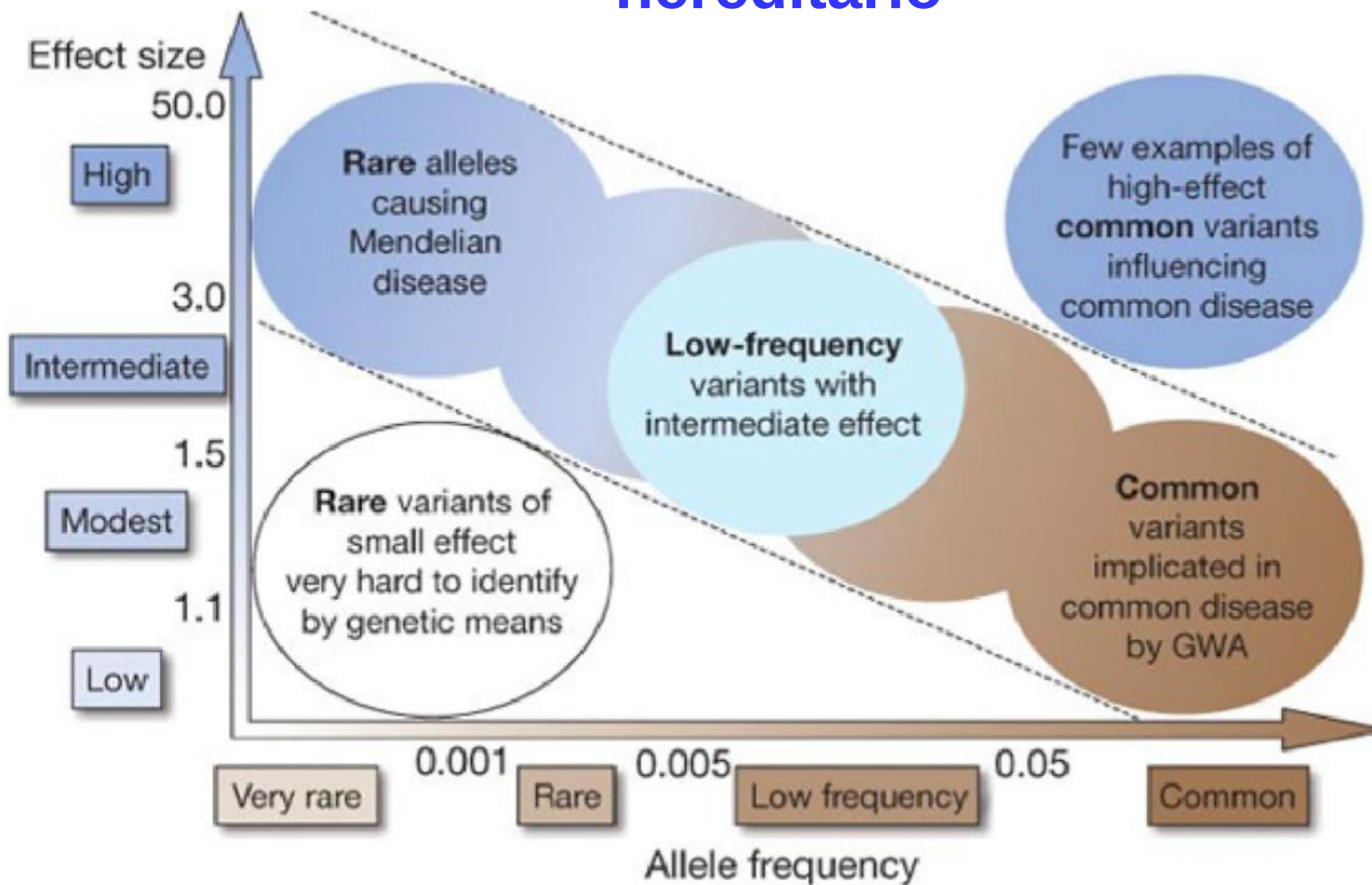
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Arquitectura genética del cáncer de mama hereditario



DIAGNÓSTICO GENÉTICO: GERMINAL

Opportunistic testing of *BRCA1*, *BRCA2* and mismatch repair genes improves the yield of phenotype driven hereditary cancer gene panels

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Table 1. Genes included in each phenotype-based panel

	BC	OC	BOC	HNPCC	Adenomatous polyposis	Li-Fraumeni
<i>BRCA1</i> ¹	<i>BRCA1</i>	<i>BRCA1</i>	<i>BRCA1</i>	<i>BRCA1</i>	<i>BRCA1</i>	<i>BRCA1</i>
<i>BRCA2</i> ¹	<i>BRCA2</i>	<i>BRCA2</i>	<i>BRCA2</i>	<i>BRCA2</i>	<i>BRCA2</i>	<i>BRCA2</i>
<i>PALB2</i>	<i>PALB2</i>		<i>PALB2</i>			
<i>ATM</i>	<i>ATM</i>		<i>ATM</i>			
<i>TP53</i>	<i>TP53</i>		<i>TP53</i>			<i>TP53</i>
<i>CHEK2</i>	<i>CHEK2</i>		<i>CHEK2</i>			<i>CHEK2</i>
<i>BRIP1</i>		<i>BRIP1</i>	<i>BRIP1</i>			
<i>RAD51C</i>		<i>RAD51C</i>	<i>RAD51C</i>			
<i>RAD51D</i>		<i>RAD51D</i>	<i>RAD51D</i>			
<i>MLH1</i> ¹	<i>MLH1</i>	<i>MLH1</i>	<i>MLH1</i>	<i>MLH1</i>	<i>MLH1</i>	<i>MLH1</i>
<i>MSH2</i> ¹	<i>MSH2</i>	<i>MSH2</i>	<i>MSH2</i>	<i>MSH2</i>	<i>MSH2</i>	<i>MSH2</i>
<i>MSH6</i> ¹	<i>MSH6</i>	<i>MSH6</i>	<i>MSH6</i>	<i>MSH6</i>	<i>MSH6</i>	<i>MSH6</i>
<i>MUTYH</i>				<i>MUTYH</i>	<i>MUTYH</i>	
<i>POLD1</i>				<i>POLD1</i>	<i>POLD1</i>	
<i>POLE</i>				<i>POLE</i>	<i>POLE</i>	
<i>APC</i>					<i>APC</i>	
<i>BMPRI1A</i>					<i>BMPRI1A</i>	
<i>NTHL1</i>					<i>NTHL1</i>	
<i>SMAD4</i>					<i>SMAD4</i>	

Qué genes evaluar en un panel?

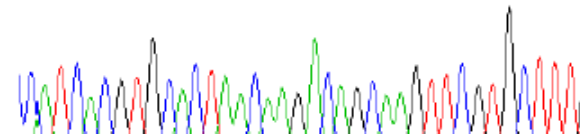
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Panel de genes en cáncer de mama y ovario (casos o familias con cáncer de mama o cáncer de mama y cáncer de ovario): **BRCA1, BRCA2, MLH1, MSH2, MSH6, TP53*, BARD1, PALB2, CHEK2, ATM, BRIP1, RAD51C, RAD51D, PTEN, CDH1****

Criterios clínicos:

- Cáncer de mama ≤ 40 años.
- Cáncer de mama ≤ 50 , si familia no informativa.
- Cáncer de mama triple negativo ≤ 60 años.
- Cáncer de mama en el hombre.
- Tres o más familiares de primer o segundo grado afectados por cáncer de mama (al menos uno en edad ≤ 60 años).
- ≥ 3 casos entre cáncer de mama y páncreas y/o ovario y/o próstata metastática Gleason ≥ 7 .
- Dos casos de cáncer de mama en ≤ 50 años.
- Un caso de cáncer de mama bilateral (el primer diagnosticado ≤ 50 años).
- Un caso de cáncer de mama bilateral y otro de cáncer de mama (uno ≤ 60 años).
- Cáncer de mama HER2- para las que se considere opción de tratamiento con inhibidores de PARP según indicación CatSalut.
- Cáncer de mama e historia familiar de cáncer de ovario
- Cáncer de ovario epitelial invasivo no mucinoso (en los tumores de bajo grado se individualizará en función de edad, historia familiar y posible beneficio a familiares).

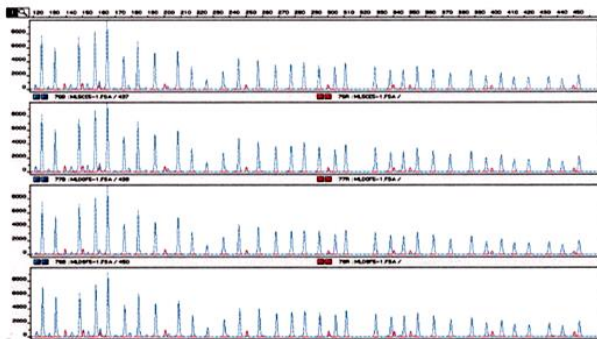
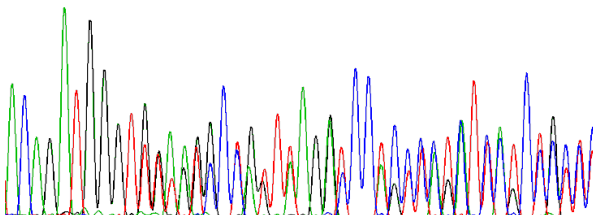
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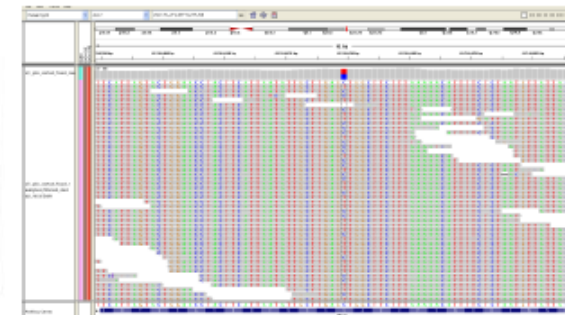
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- secuenciación capilar

- múltiples genes
- secuenciación masiva

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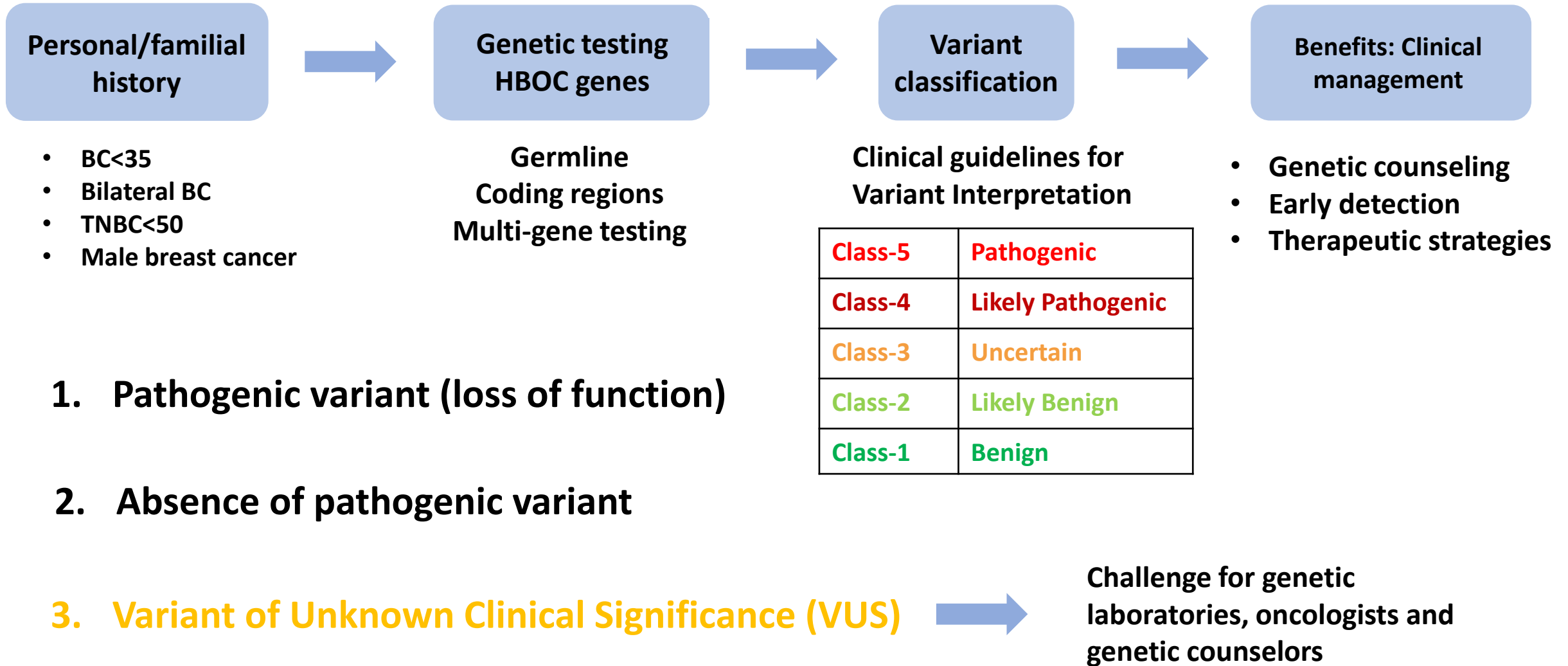


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• Cómo se hace actualmente el diagnóstico genético germinal



Listas de variantes obtenidas después de secuenciación masiva de un panel de genes

T...	Gene	Coding consequence	c.DNA	Depth	VF%	ref	alt
SNP	PALB2	nonsense	c.3256C>T	2282	47.1 G	A	
SNP	ATM	intronic	c.6348-54T>C	442	49.5 T	C	
SNP	ATM	intronic	c.4237-54T>C	924	50.4 T	C	
SNP	FAM175A	missense	c.1042G>A	5557	50.1 C	T	
SNP	ATM	intronic	c.3403-15T>A	2089	24.2 T	A	
INDEL	ATM	intronic	c.72+37_72+38...	5154	99.3 TAA	T	
SNP	ATM	intronic	c.8787-55C>T	2162	99.6 C	T	
INDEL	ATM	intronic	c.6006+191_60...	3360	99.3 ACT	A	
SNP	ATM	intronic	c.8850+60A>G	2095	99.8 A	G	
SNP	ATM	intronic	c.2377-56A>G	1622	99.8 A	G	
SNP	ATM	missense	c.5948A>G	3322	99.8 A	G	
INDEL	ATM	intronic	c.3403-13dupA	2108	65.4 TAA	TAAA	
SNP	BARD1	5'UTR	c.-30G>C	1535	54.9 C	G	
SNP	BARD1	intronic	c.1811-77A>G	697	51.5 T	C	
SNP	BARD1	intronic	c.1811-69T>C	695	51.1 A	G	
SNP	BARD1	intronic	c.1315-19G>A	918	52.4 C	T	
SNP	BARD1	missense	c.1518_1519de...	1268	51.0 CA	TG	
SNP	BARD1	intronic	c.1568+14C>T	1257	51.2 G	A	
SNP	BARD1	missense	c.70C>T	1568	54.7 G	A	
SNP	BARD1	missense	c.1134G>C	4735	100.0 C	G	
SNP	BARD1	intronic	c.158+46A>C	1568	54.2 T	G	
INDEL	BLM	intronic	c.3210+44delT	796	51.6 ATTTT...	ATTTTTTT	
INDEL	BLM	intronic	c.4077-59_407...	1843	96.7 G	GGAA	

Consecuencia clínica de la clasificación de variantes genéticas en genes asociados a cáncer hereditario

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Table 4 IARC five-tier classification, adapted from [49]. *Based on the recommendations from the EMQN (European Molecular Genetics Quality Network)

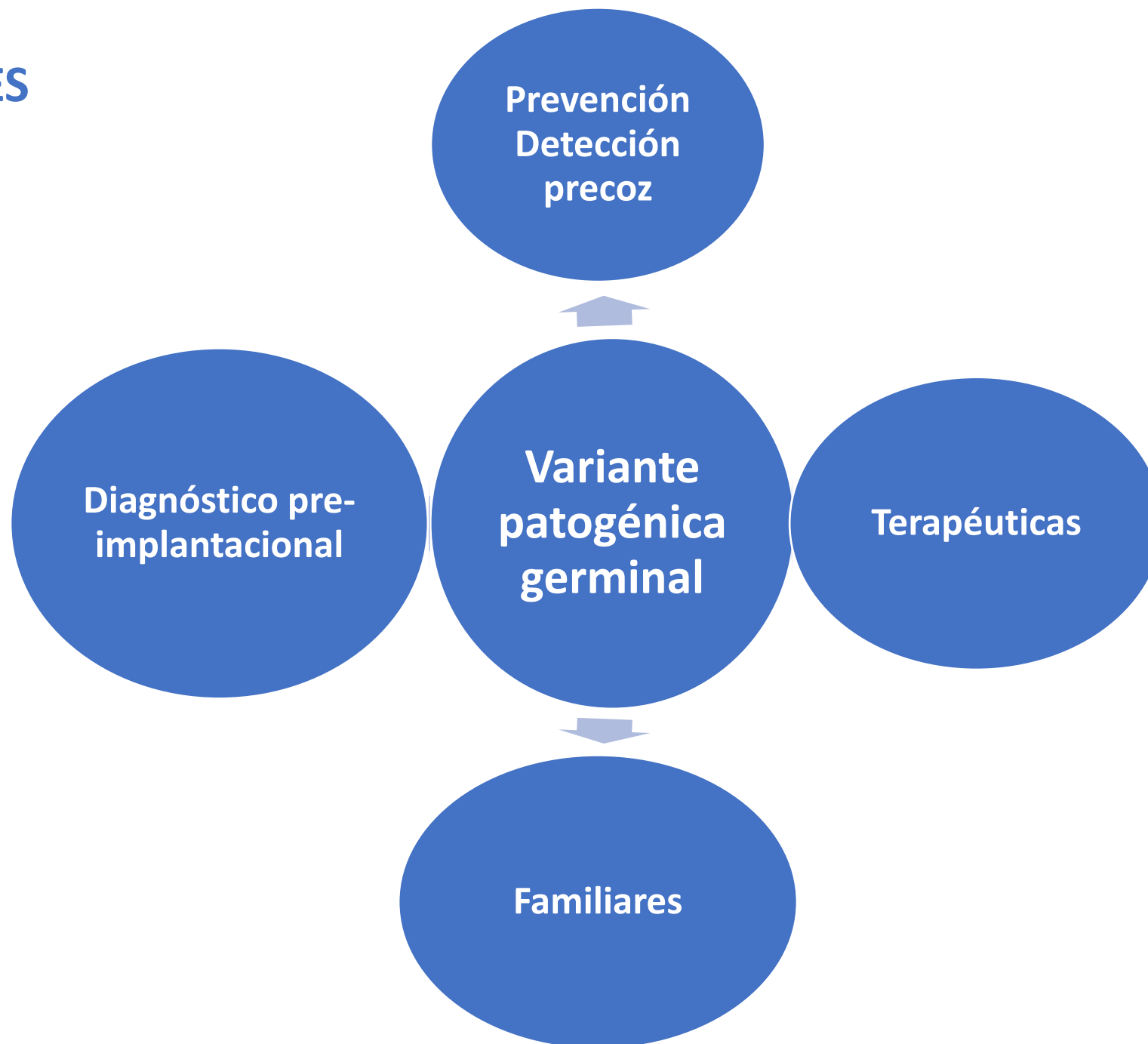
Class	Probability (quantitative)	Description qualitative	Report?	Predictive testing?	Management of carriers	Research testing
5	>0.99	Definitely pathogenic	Yes	Yes	Full high-risk guidelines	No
4	0.95–0.99	Likely pathogenic	Yes	Yes	Full high-risk guidelines	May be helpful
3	0.05–0.949	Uncertain	Yes*	No	Variant irrelevant to risk assesment (Manage risk based on family history)	May be helpful
2	0.001–0.049	Likely not pathogenic	No*	No	Variant irrelevant to risk assesment (Manage risk based on family history)	May be helpful
1	<0.001	not Pathogenic	No*	No	Variant irrelevant to risk assesment (Manage risk based on family history)	No

GESTIÓN CLÍNICA DE PACIENTES CON UN DIAGNÓSTICO POSITIVO

Consecuencias del diagnóstico genético de un cáncer de mama hereditario



IMPLICACIONES DIAGNÓSTICO GENÉTICO EN CÁNCER HEREDITARIO

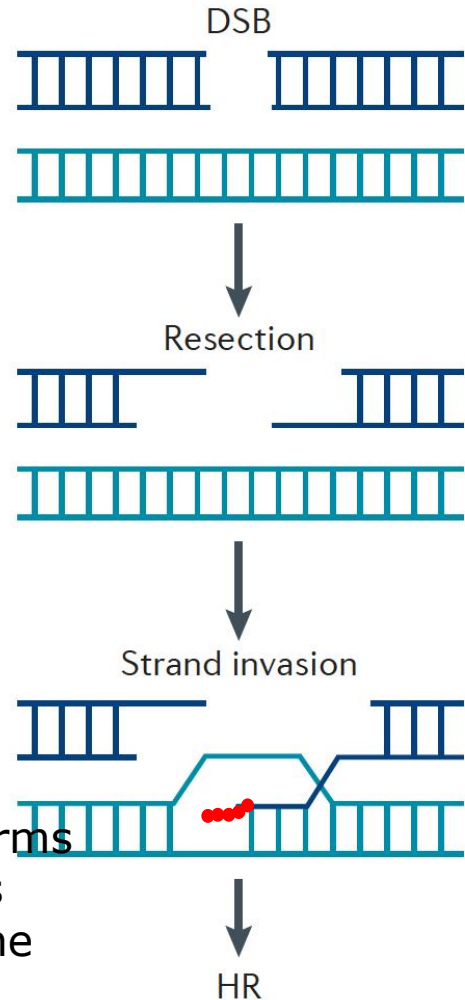


Porqué es importante diagnosticar este trastorno genético

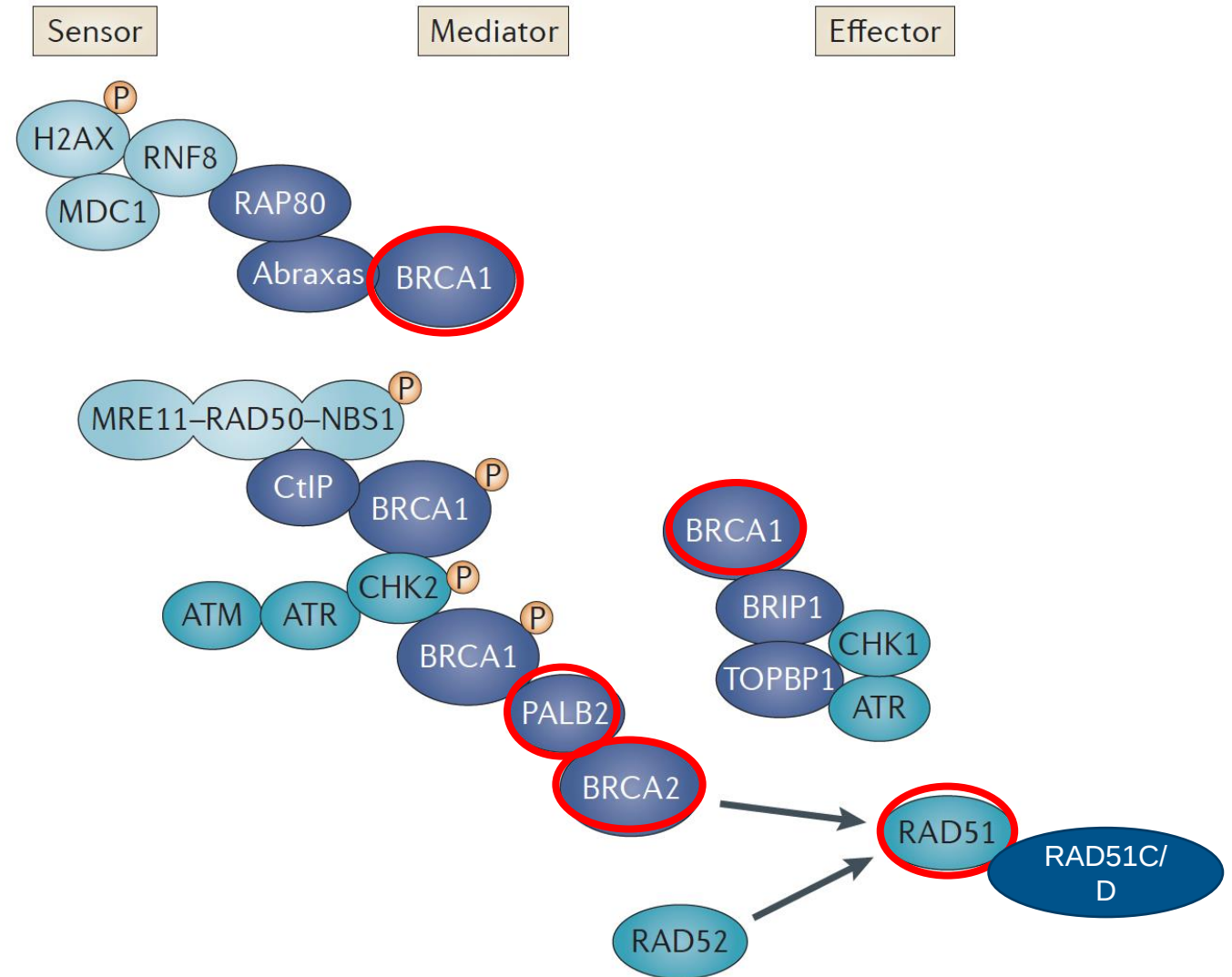
- Beneficio terapéutico específico para portadores de alteraciones en *BRCA1/2*: **tratamiento con inhibidores de PARP y con cisplatino**
- Prevención de **segundos tumores primarios** en **pacientes afectas**: mastectomía contralateral y/o cirugía profiláctica
- En **portadores sanos**, medidas de prevención y/o detección precoz: mamografías más resonancia magnética, cirugías profilácticas
- Diagnóstico preimplantacional

TRATAMIENTO ESPECÍFICO DE LOS TUMORES *BRCA1/BRCA2*

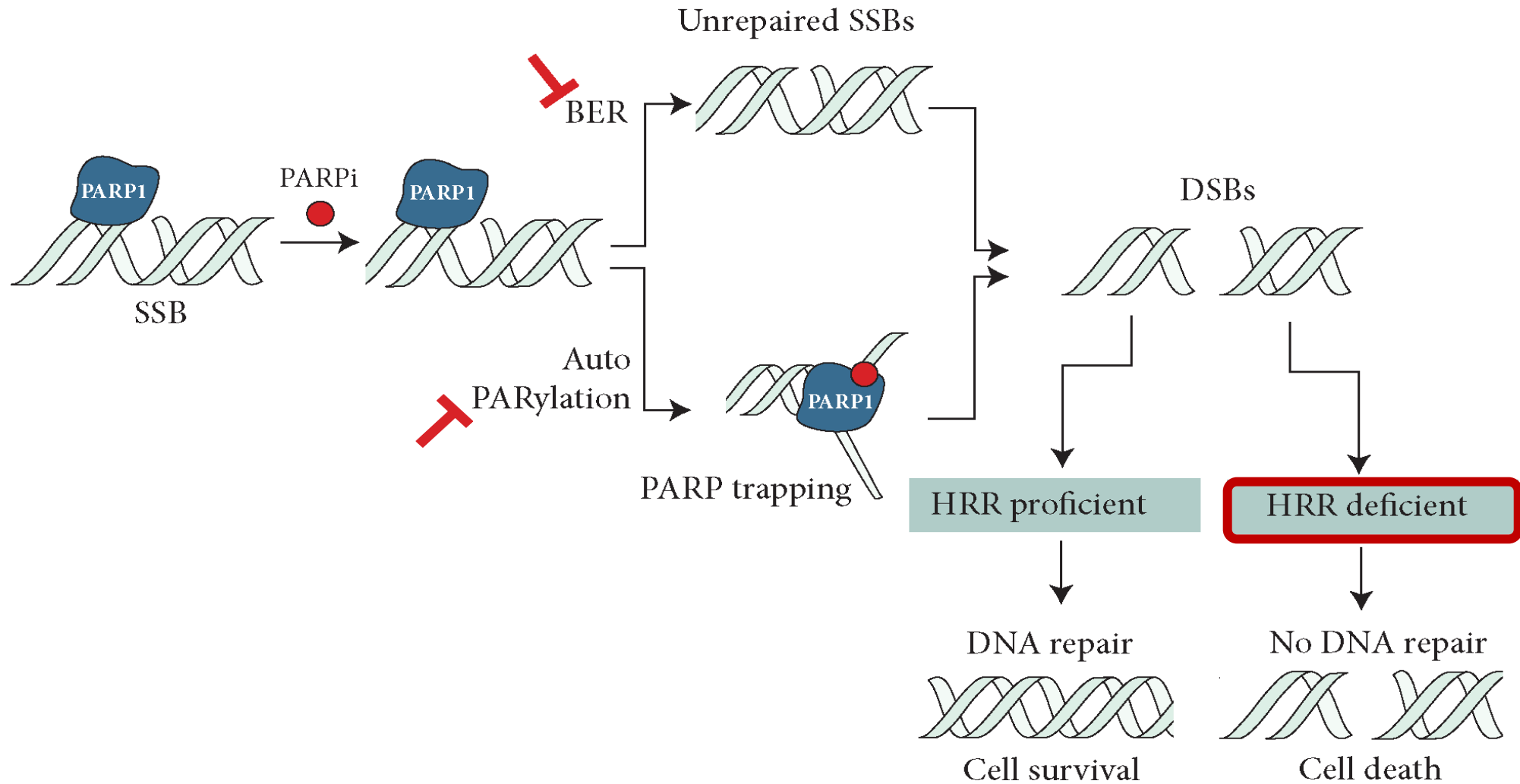
Double strand DNA repair by homologous recombination



 RAD51 recombinase forms nucleoprotein filaments that are essential for the homology search and strand exchange



Homologous recombination deficiency as therapeutic target: Mechanism of action of PARPi



PARPi in the Adjuvant setting

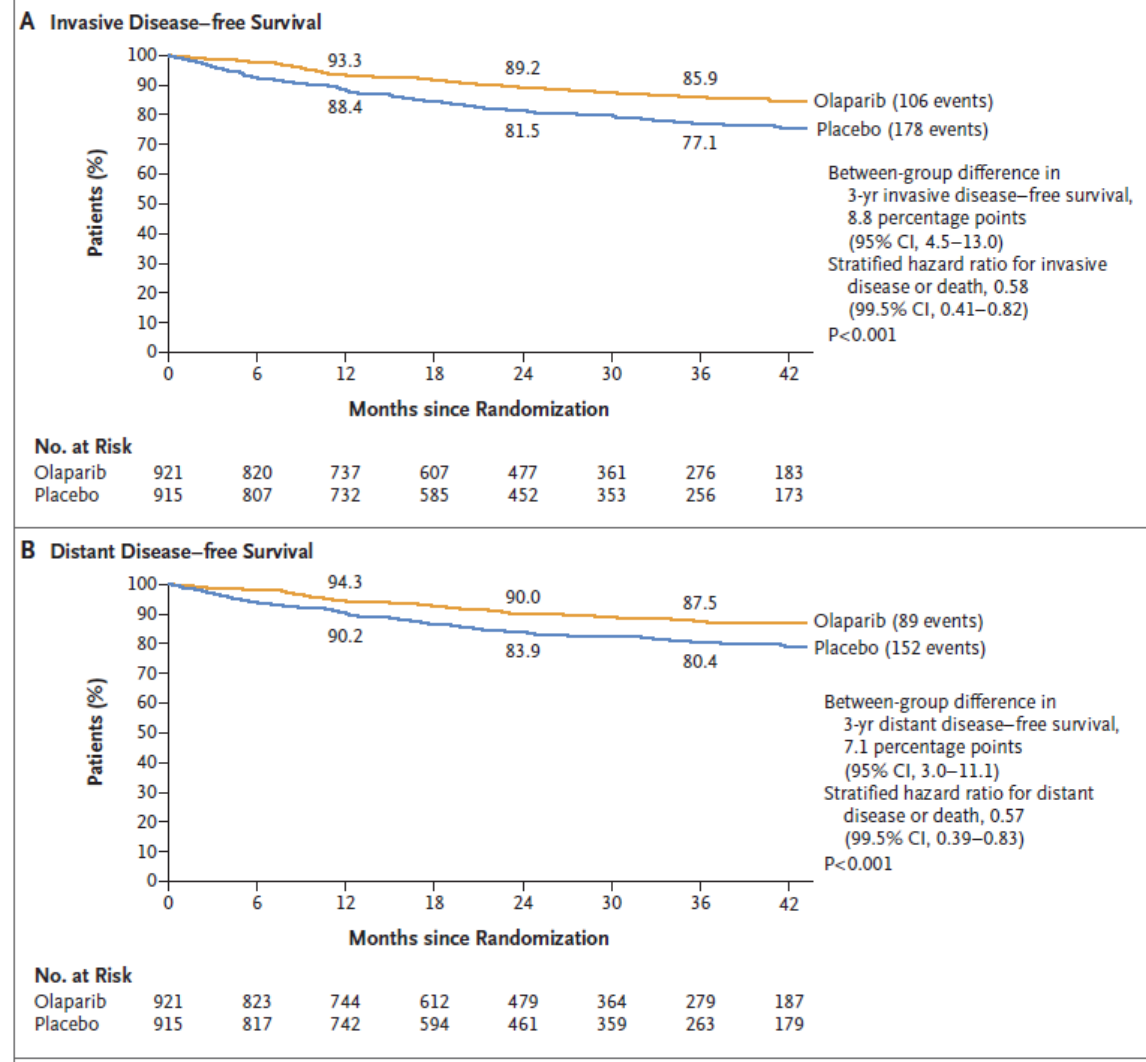
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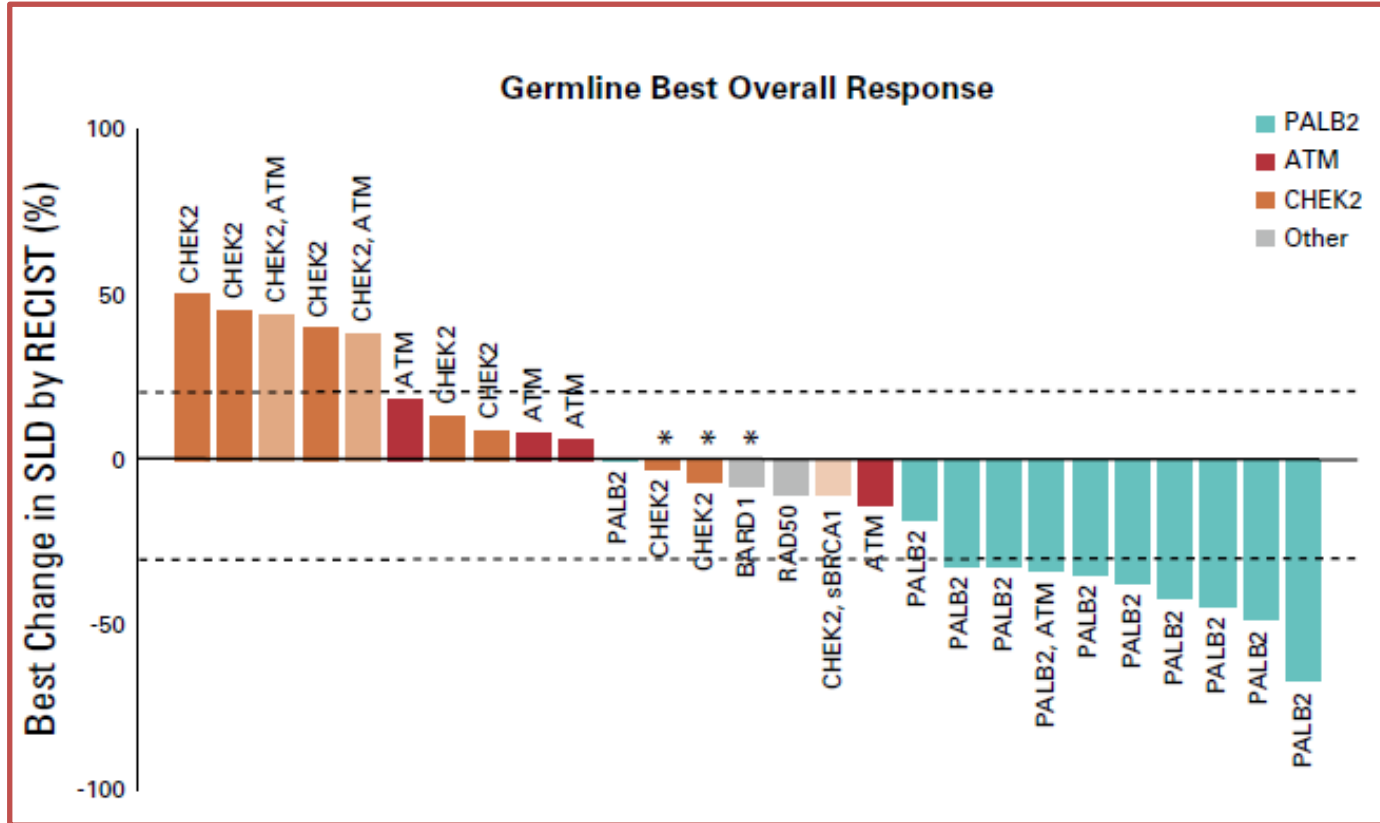
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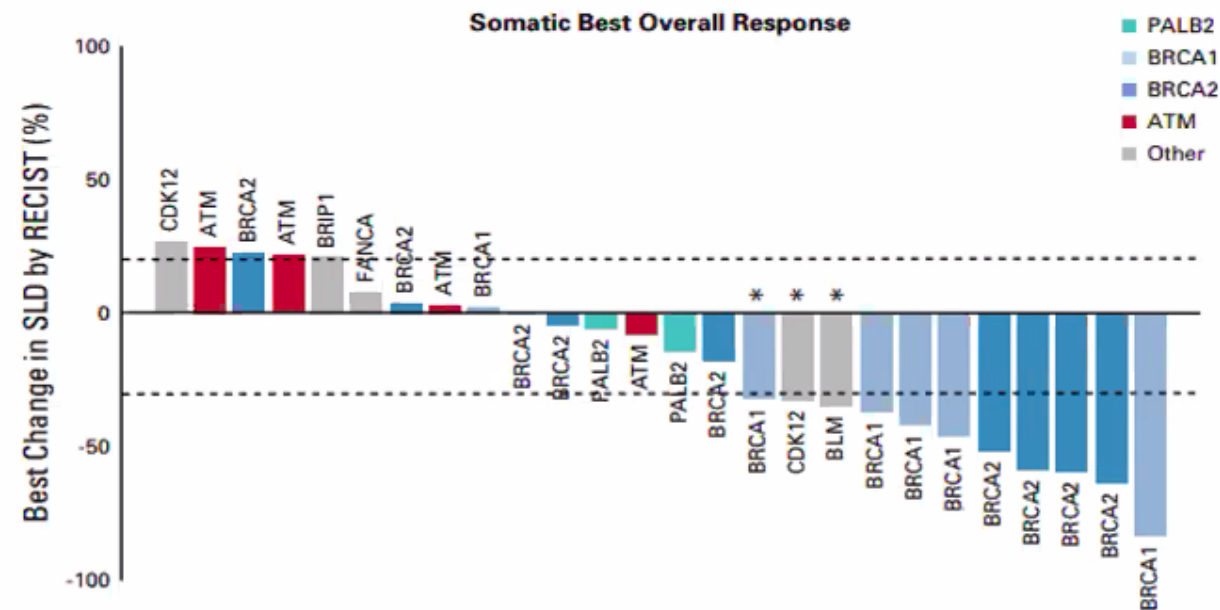
Patients with a germline *PALB2* pathogenic variant respond as good to olaparib as *BRCA*



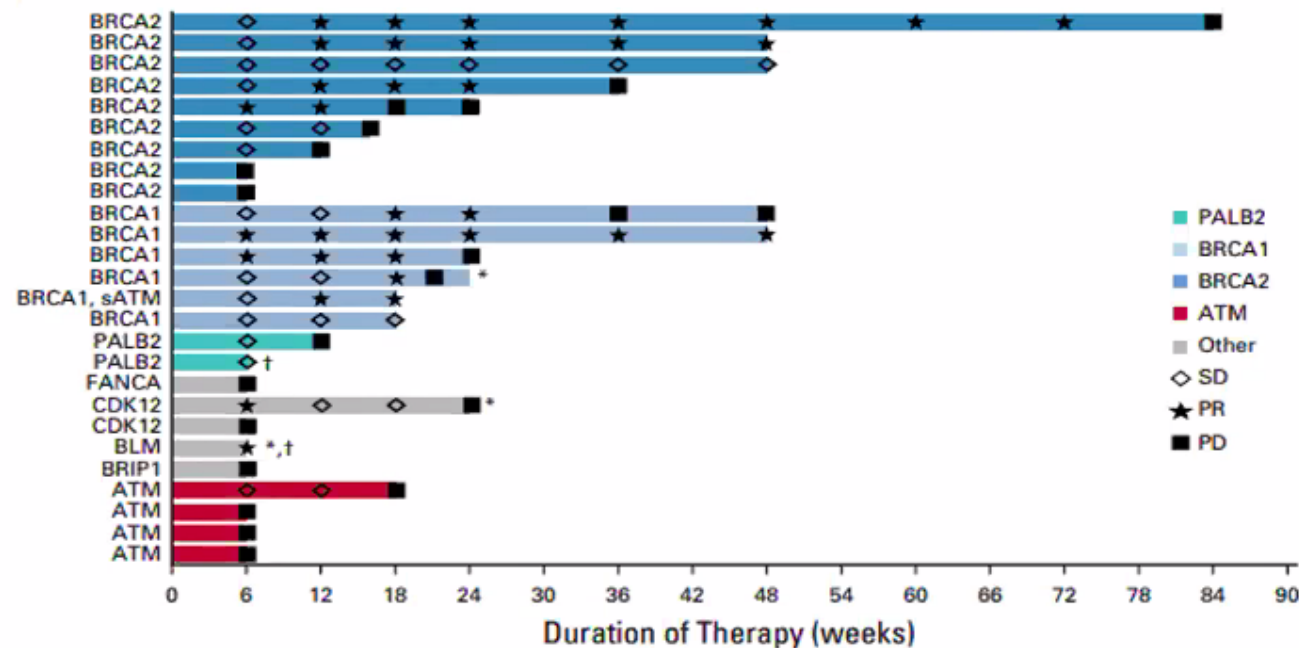
PALB2 N=13	sBRCA1/2 N=17^	ATM & CHEK2** N=17
Germline: 9/11 PR (82%) 10/11 had tumor regression; 1 SD > 1 yr Somatic: 0/2 – both SD* (limited assessments)	8/16 PR (50%)	0/13 germline 0/4 somatic

And for somatic HRD related genes?

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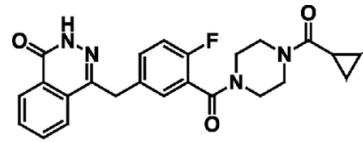


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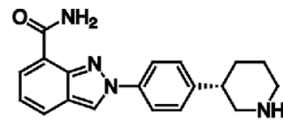


PARP inhibitors in the clinics

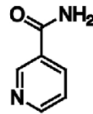
Approved PARPi



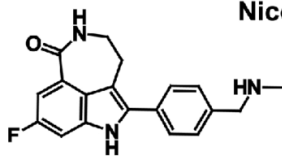
4 Olaparib
AstraZeneca
Approved: 2014



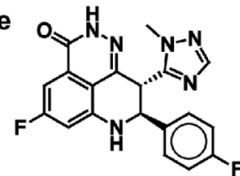
2 Niraparib
Tesaro
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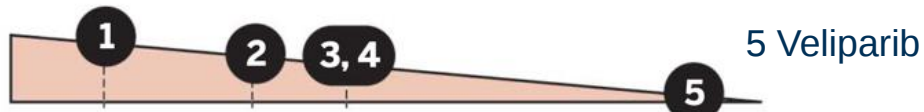
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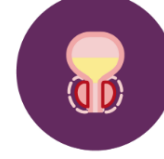
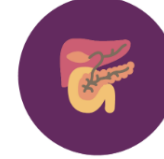
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Clovis
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1 Talazoparib
Pfizer
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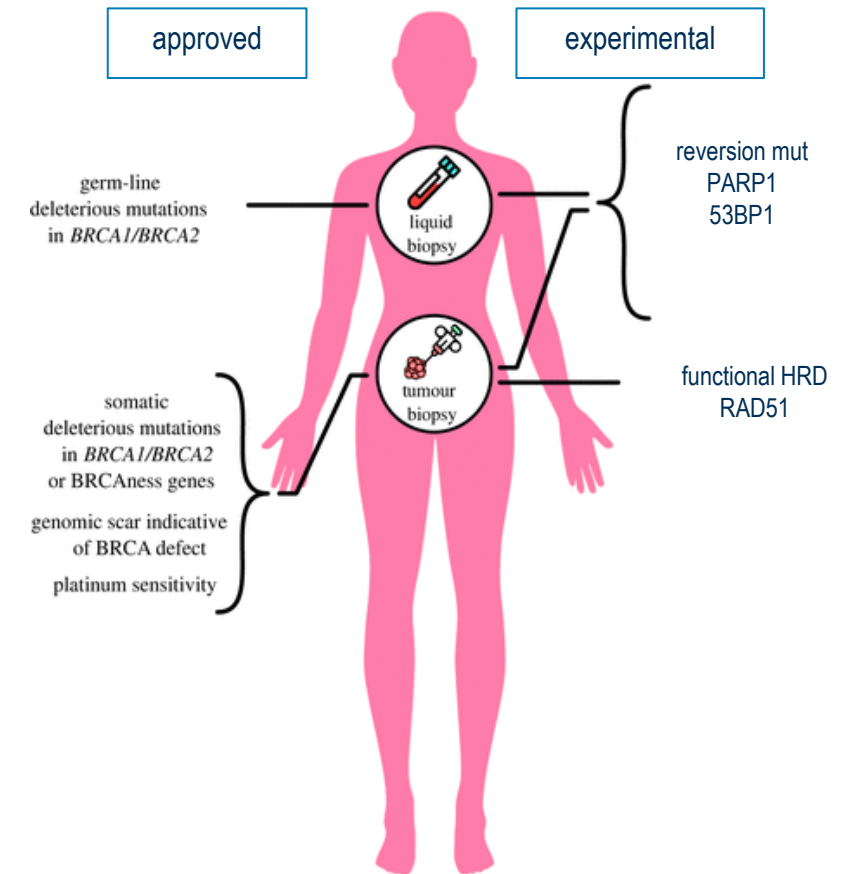


Cancer types



Monotherapy
Maintenance

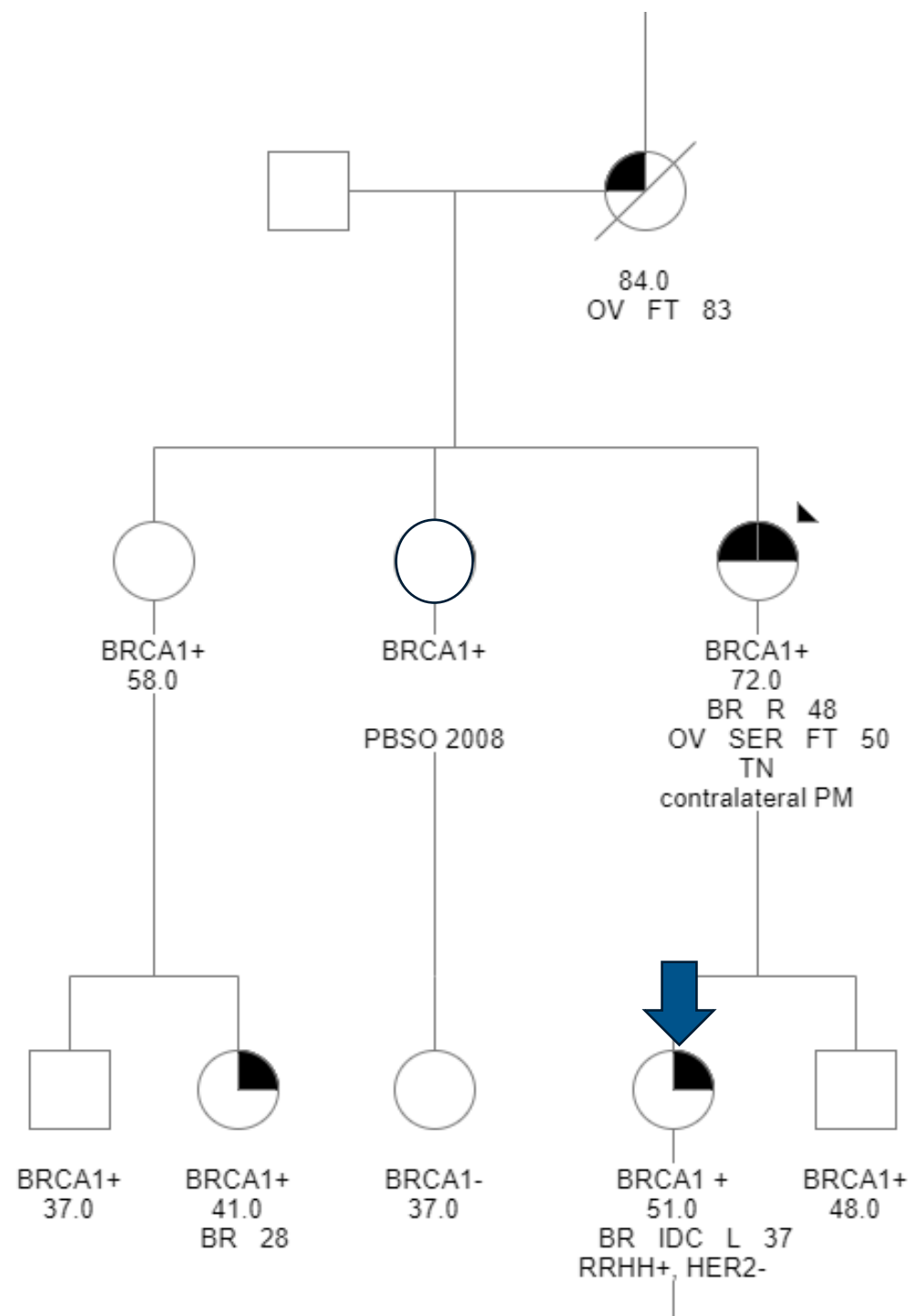
Biomarkers for PARPi



Spiegel et al, DNA Repair. 2021

Adapted from Lord & Ashworth, Science 2017

Adapted from Wicks et al, Open Biol. 2022



2010: 37 year old, left invasive breast cancer cT2N0M0

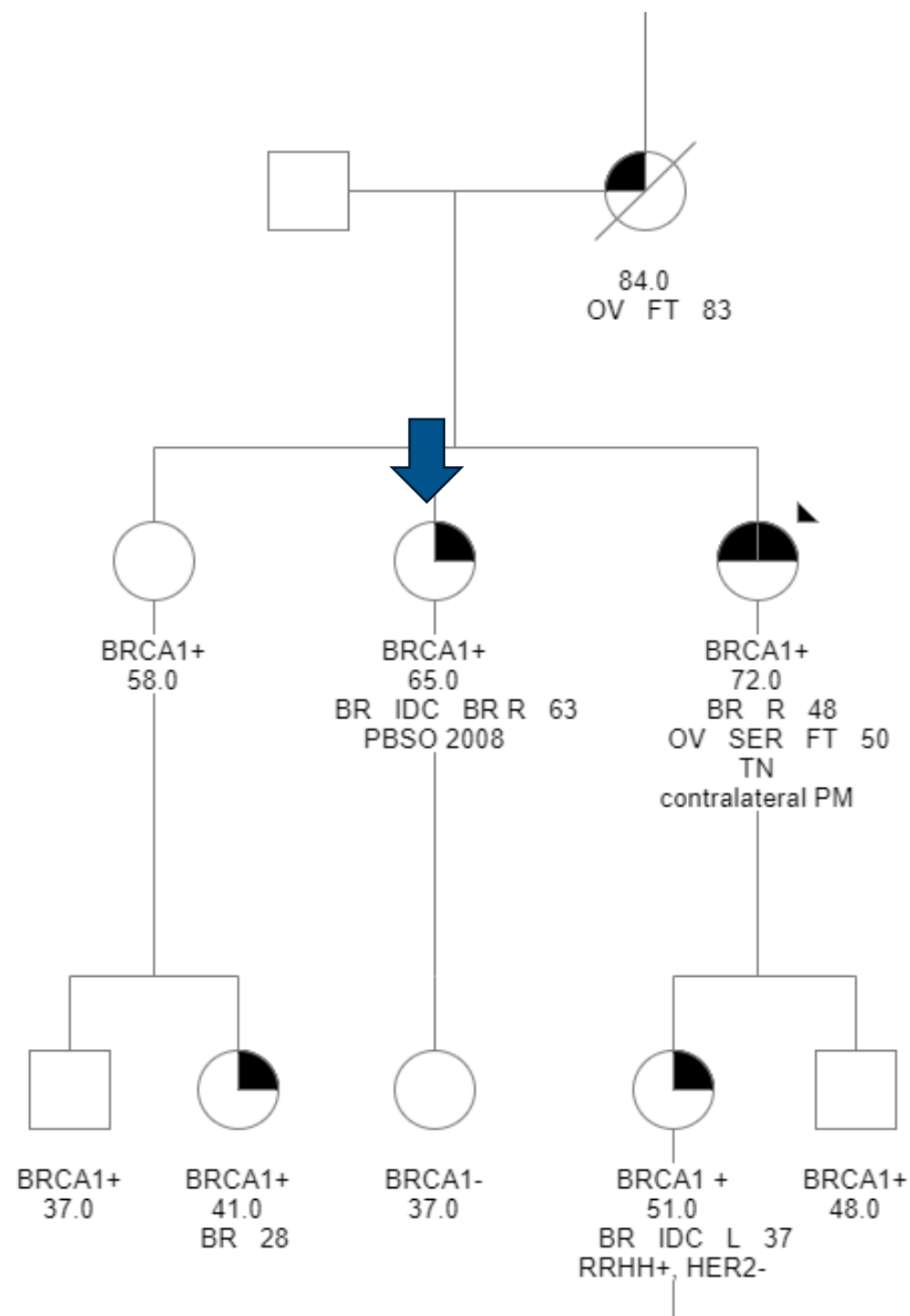
Bilateral mastectomy + risk reduction salpyngoophorectomy + breast reconstruction

Adjuvant chemotherapy with anthracyclies and carboplatin + taxane

Aromatase inhibitor x 7 years

Multiple complications: implants, early abrupt menopause, osteoporosis, depression, sensitive neuropathy grade 2, fatigue, thyroid

Discharged in december 2023



4/2023: 63 year old, right breast triple negative breast cancer, cT2N0M0 ki67 85%, TILs>50%

Neoadjuvant therapy within a clinical trial with a PARP inhibitor + immunotherapy

Breast conservative surgery + sentinel lymph node biopsy → pathological complete response

Adjuvant radiotherapy

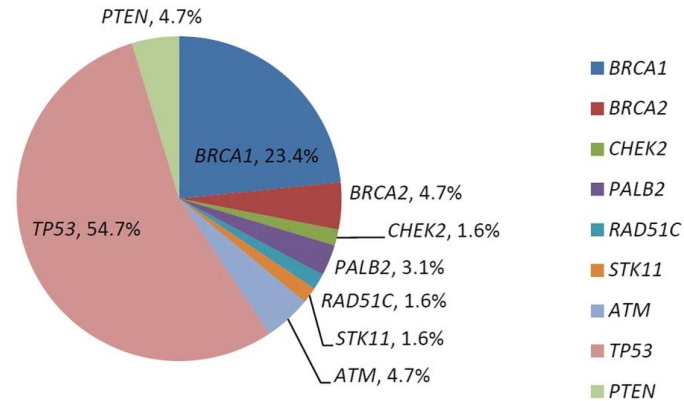
Adjuvant PARPi adjuvant x 6 months

No toxicity

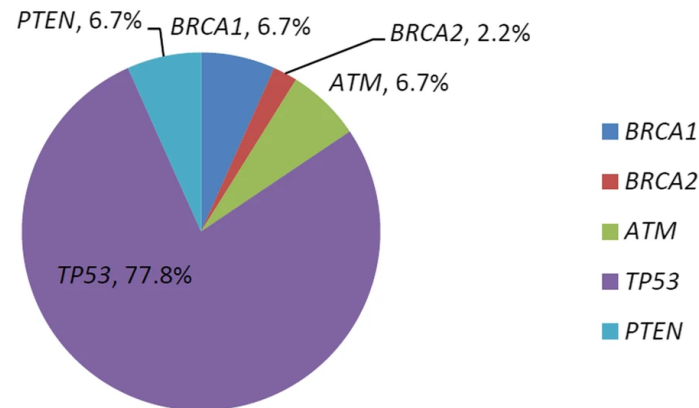
No evidence of disease

DIAGNÓSTICO GENÉTICO: TUMORAL

Somatic *BRCA1/2* mutations, what is the prevalence?



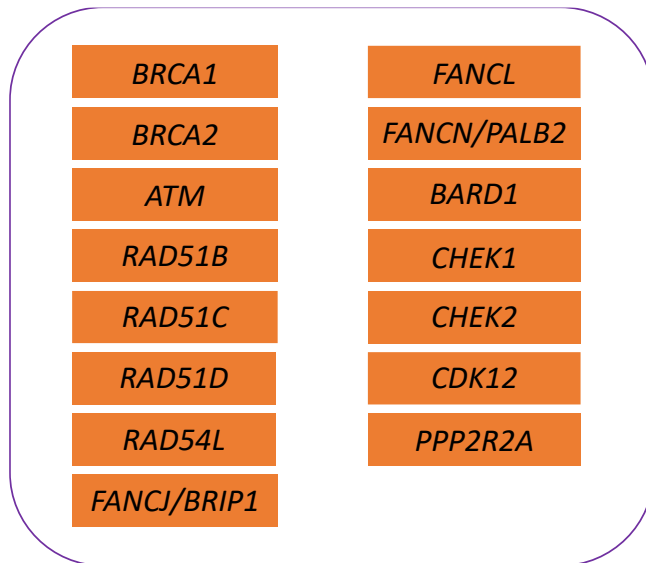
Deleterious mutations germline + somatic
28% BRCA1/2



Somatic mutations
8,9% BRCA1 y BRCA2

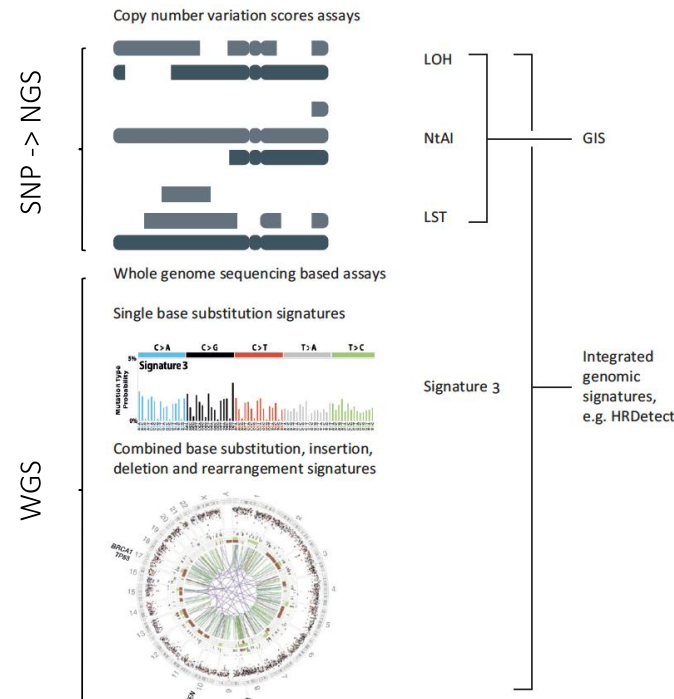
Biomarkers of HRD

Cause of HRD HRR-gene alterations

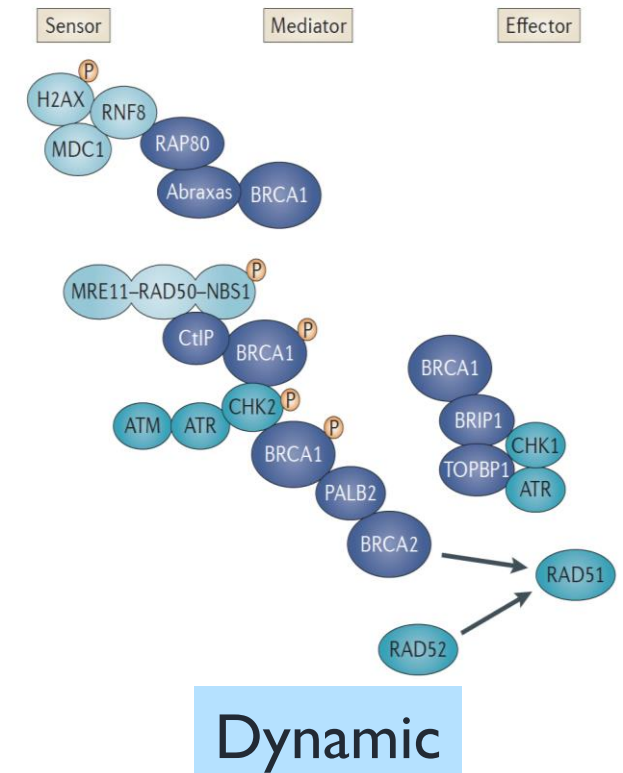


HRR, homologous recombination repair;
SNP (arrays), single nucleotide polymorphism (array);
NGS, next generation sequencing;
WGS, whole genome sequencing

Consequence of HRD Genomic scars



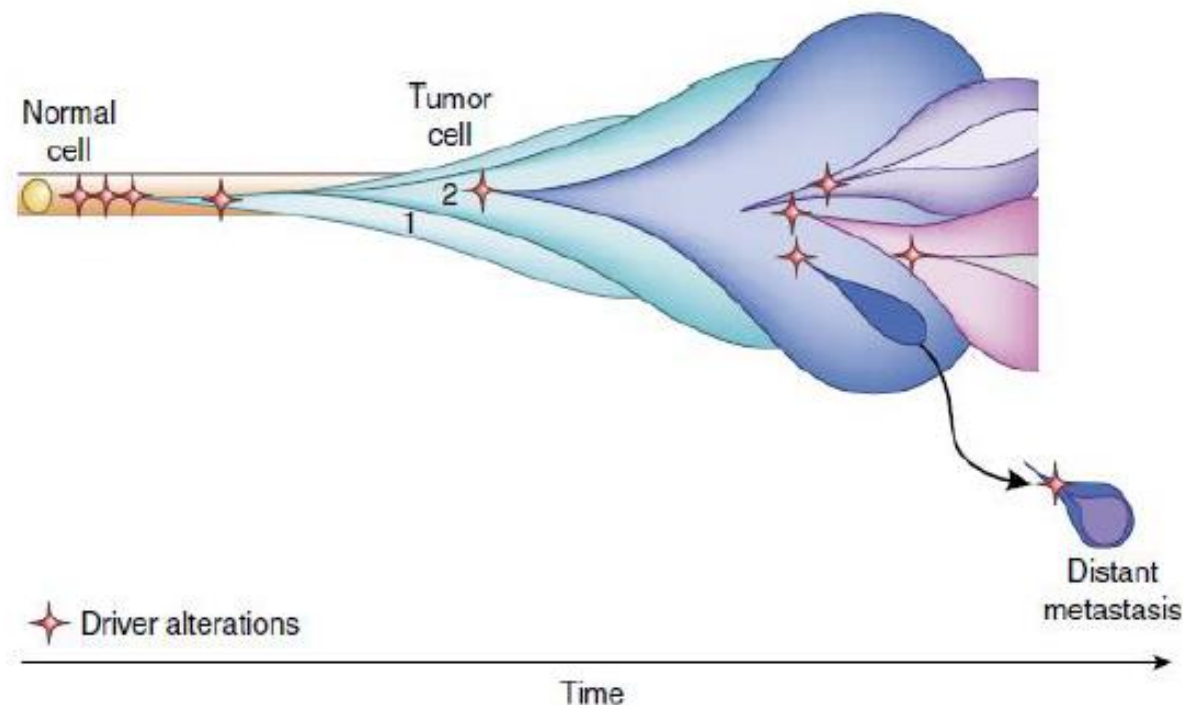
Current status of HRD Functional tests



RETOS DEL DIGNÓSTICO GENÉTICO

Análisis de tejido tumoral

- tejido suficiente
- tumor fresco
- DNA fragmentado
- artefactos (C:G>T:A)
- métodos-PCR: amplicones cortos
- pureza celular (microdissección)
- límite de detección
- cobertura, profundidad (500X)
- heterogeneidad intratumoral



Toward understanding and exploiting tumor heterogeneity

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Análisis de tejido tumoral



-secuenciación germinal → somática

-variante patogénica identificada = predisposición

“ “ NO identificada = repetir el estudio tumor

-secuenciación somática → germinal

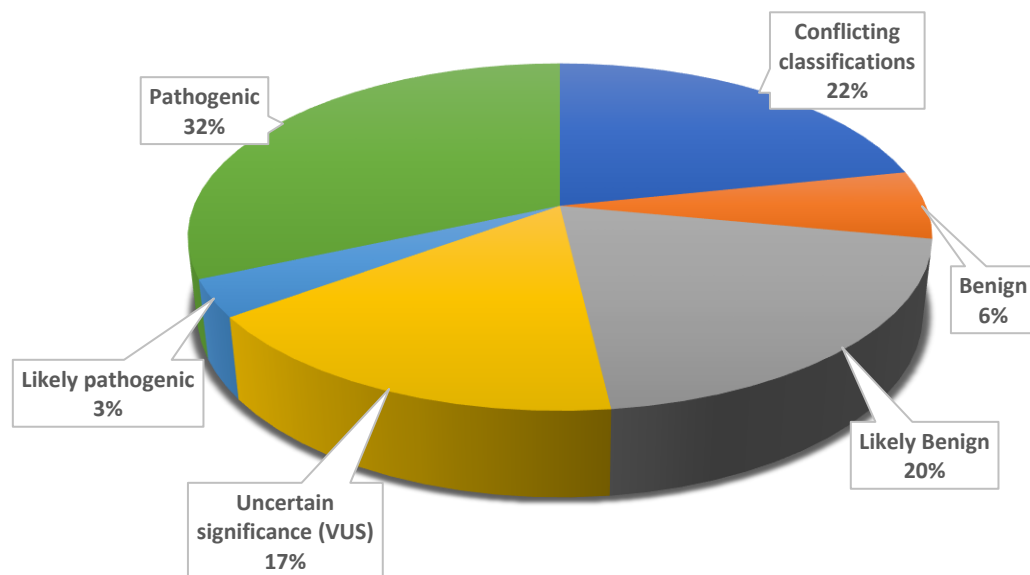
-variante patogénica identificada = verificar o descartar la variante en línea germinal

“ “ NO identificada = ausencia de la variante

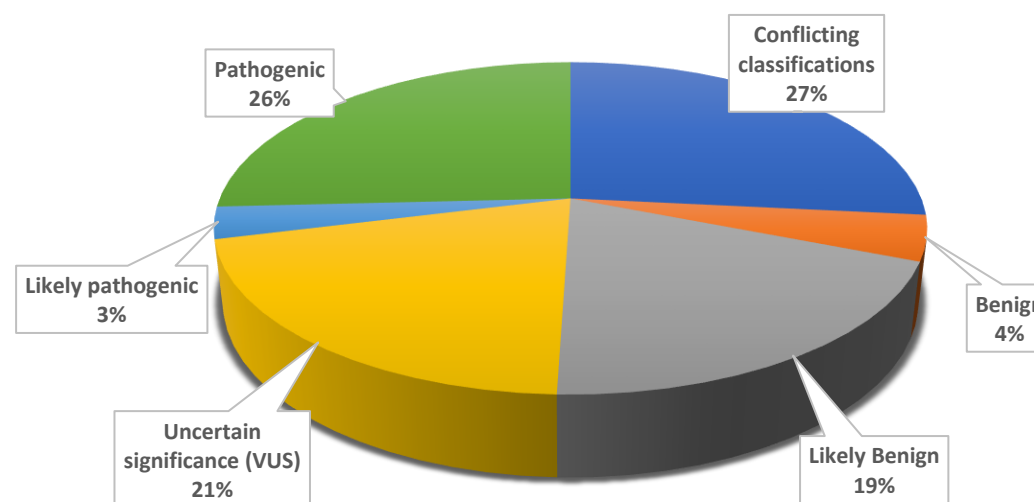
Retos:

VUS variantes con insuficiente información y/o contradictoria

BRCA1



BRCA2



ClinVar (May 12 2024)

FUTURO DEL DIAGNÓSTICO GENÉTICO

Futuro:

Ampliación del tipo de casos a diagnosticar con un panel de genes o únicamente *BRCA1/2*

A quién se le realiza el diagnóstico con un panel de genes

Familias muy seleccionadas

Todos tumores mama triple negativo ≤ 60 anys

Todos los tumores de ovario epitelial invasivo no mucinoso

Futuro:

Ampliación del tipo de casos a diagnosticar con un panel de genes o únicamente *BRCA1/2*



Futuro

- Evaluación de todas las regiones de los genes, codificantes y no codificantes
- Implementación del diagnóstico genético en DNA y RNA
- Implementación del genotipado en la rutina diagnóstica de los más de 300 alelos para estimación del riesgo poligénico

Conclusiones

- Los genes de alto y moderado riesgo del cáncer de mama hereditario tienen función en reparación de las roturas del DNA
- Combinación de cientos de diferentes cambios genéticos repartidos por el genoma confieren un riesgo bajo de cáncer de mama
- Las variantes de significado incierto no permiten una gestión médica de los portadores
- El descubrimiento de los genes de *BRCA1* y *BRCA2* fue determinante para completar la arquitectura genética del cáncer de mama y el desarrollo de terapia específica para este tipo de tumores

Genetic susceptibility to breast and ovarian cancer



Missing heritability

Genetic diagnosis based on RNA and WGS

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New susceptibility genes

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