



# **Pharmacology**

# **Subject :** Pharmacokinetics metabolism+ excretion

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Dr. Tareq's General Pharmacology Website Review

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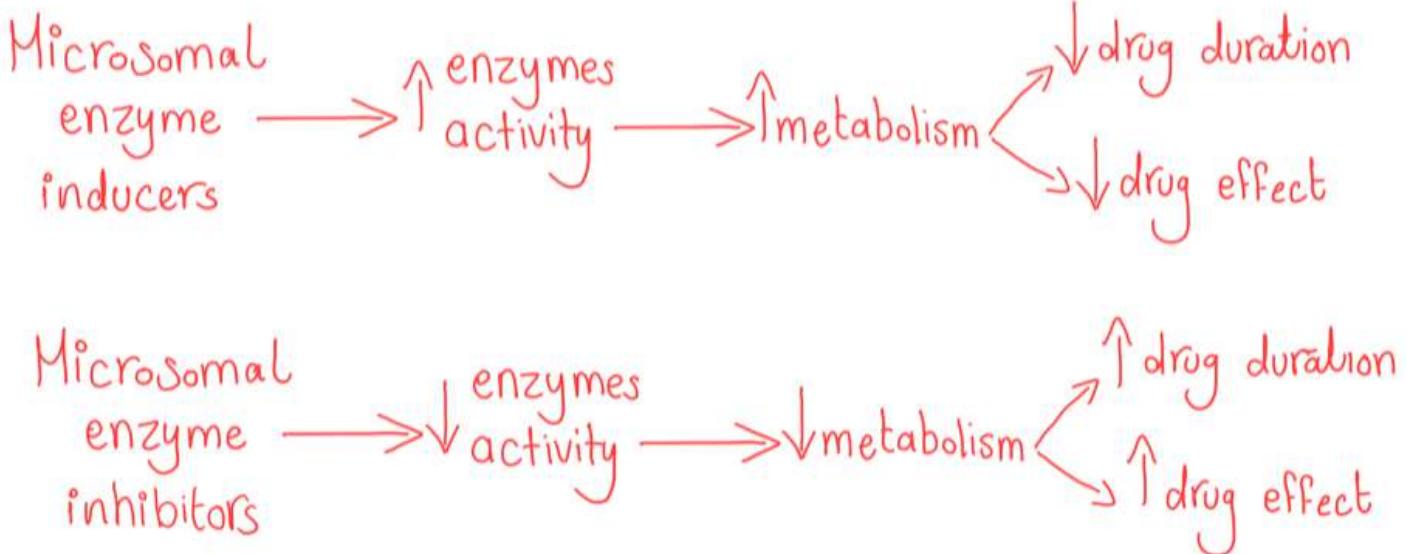
### Clinical significance of Enzyme Inhibition:

- ❖ Drugs inhibiting the microsomal enzyme systems → ↓ activity → تزييد تأثير الدواء
- (1) • ↓ their own metabolism → ↑ drug level.
- (2) • ↓ metabolism of other drugs metabolized by these enzymes → drug interactions e.g.:
  - Ciprofloxacin <sup>antibiotic</sup> → ↓ warfarin metabolism → bleeding <sup>نحو اد</sup> <sub>علاح للصرع</sub> effect
  - Cimetidine → ↓ carbamazepine metabolism → toxicity
- It occurs faster than enzyme induction.

### Examples of Enzyme Inhibitors

1 Cimetidine- 2 chloramphenicol - 3 ciprofloxacin- 4 erythromycin - 5 ketocenazol -  
♀ (F) <sup>6</sup> estrogen, <sup>7</sup> progesterone, <sup>8</sup> contraceptive pills.

### Summary



## 2. Pathological factors which affect hepatic activity e.g. liver failure

starvation, cancer → ↓ activity of HME → need to adjust dose.  
↓ Hepatic microsomal enzyme

## 3. Pharmacogenetic variations in metabolizing enzymes e.g. slow &

fast acetylators (see pharmacogenetics).

## 4. Hepatic blood flow: drugs ↓ hepatic blood flow → ↓ drug metabolism

### 5. Age: ↓ enzymatic activity in extremities of age [الكبار يتأثرون + الصغار يتأثرون]

كبار السن... مع التقدم بالعمر تقل كل وظائف الجسم ويرضو الـ liver فجرعته تكون أقل من جرعة الـ adult  
صغار السن... لسا بمرحلة النمو فـ adult liver مو مثل الـ adult liver فجرعة الطفل تكون أقل من جرعة الـ adult

- Premature babies have ↓ conjugate of chloramphenicol → fatal

gray baby syndrome.



### 6. Sex: female sex hormones are HME inhibitors → receive lower doses than male, Especially anti-cancer drugs

### 7. Drug properties: lipophilicity → hepatic metabolism of drugs. حقل عمر وكفاءة الدواء

Hydrophobic drugs -> enter the liver -> increase the metabolism -> short duration of the drug

Hydrophilic drugs -> can not enter the drug -> more prolonged of the drug

### 8. Drug dosage: toxic dose can deplete substances needed for drug detoxification استنفاد

e.g. paracetamol toxic dose → depletion of GSH → accumulation of toxic metabolite NAPQI

The gray baby syndrome is a type of circulatory collapse that can occur in premature and newborn infants and is associated with excessively high serum levels of chloramphenicol



# EXCRETION OF DRUGS

## 1- The kidney:

- It is the most important route of excretion. It occurs through:

### 1. Glomerular filtration:

- For hydrophilic free<sup>↑</sup> (non-bound) drugs with M.W. < 500 (i.e. < the glomerular pores). e.g. mannitol  
and lipophilic  
↑ molecular weight

#### Factors affecting glomerular filtration

- ① Glomerular filtration rate (GFR)  $\rightarrow \uparrow GFR \rightarrow \uparrow$  Excretion
- ② Plasma protein binding (PPB)  $\rightarrow$  prevents filtration  $\rightarrow \uparrow BPP \rightarrow$  Excretion
- ③ Molecular weight  $\rightarrow \downarrow MW \rightarrow$  Passage  $\rightarrow \uparrow$  Excretion

### From the book

Glomerular filtration: Drugs enter the kidney through renal arterioles, which divide to form a glomerular capillary plexus.

Free drug {not bound to albumin} flows through the capillary slits into the Bowman space as part of the glomerular filtrate. The glomerular filtration rate (GFR) is normally about 120 mL/min/1.73m<sup>2</sup> but may diminish significantly in renal disease.

### 2. Active tubular secretion: through special transport system (carrier) $\rightarrow$

saturable & site for competition.

#### Diuretic

اسم التجاري Lasix

- Acid carrier e.g. for penicillins, probenecid, frusemide, uric acid

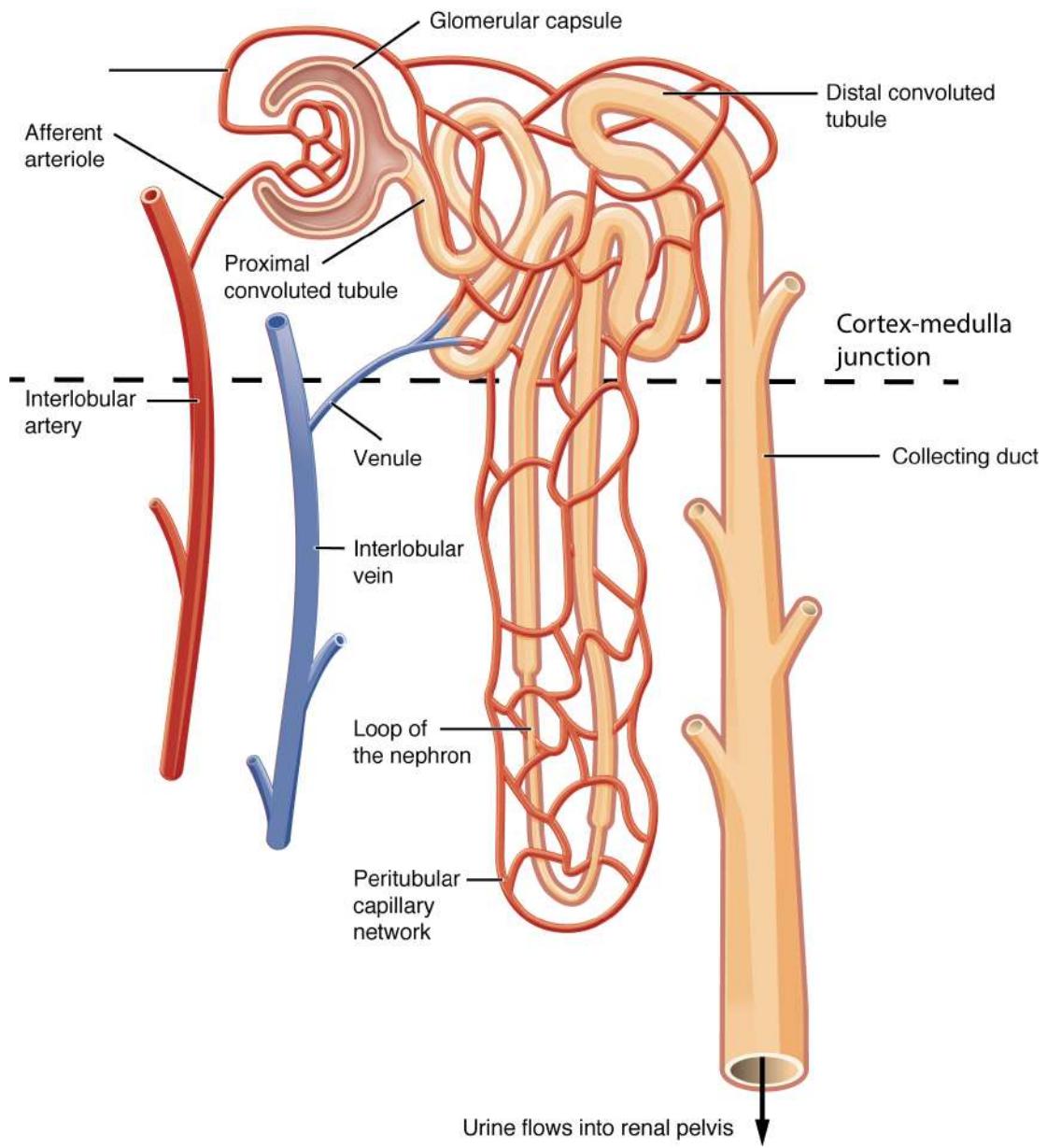
- Probenecid  $\rightarrow \downarrow$  tubular secretion of penicillin  $\rightarrow \uparrow$  duration of action of penicillin
- frusemide  $\rightarrow \downarrow$  tubular secretion of uric acid  $\rightarrow$  hyperuricemia as an adverse effect.

 There is too much uric acid in the blood

- basic carrier e.g. for digoxin, quinidine.

هلا ال carrier بینقل مربکات کتیر مو مرکب واحد... فال carrier الي بینقل ال uric acid هو نفس ال carrier الي بینقل ال frusemide (هاد ما بیشتغل وهو موجود بالدم لازم يدخل ال kidney عن طريق carrier وهای هي عملية secretion competition ف ال carrier لته بینقل ال frusemide وبرضو ال uric acid رح يصیر بینهم competition فال hyperuricemia رح يترك ال uric acid ويکمل بشغل ال frusemide عشان هیك ال uric acid بینتراکم بالدم وبيعملی

هي صورة توضيحية عشان تقدرو عليها تخياو الي بصير بكل مكان 😊



## From the book (نصيحة أقراؤه)

Drugs that were not transferred into the glomerular filtrate leave the glomeruli through efferent arterioles, which divide to form a capillary plexus surrounding the nephric lumen in the proximal tubule.

Secretion primarily occurs in the proximal tubules by two energy-requiring active transport systems:

one for anions (for example, deprotonated forms of weak acids}

one for cations (for example, protonated forms of weak bases}.

Each of these transport systems shows low specificity and can transport many compounds.

Thus, competition between drugs for these carriers can occur within each transport system.

[Note: Premature infants and neonates have an incompletely developed tubular secretory mechanism and, thus, may retain certain drugs in the blood.]

### **3. Active tubular reabsorption:**

secretion عكس ال

- Unionized form of drug (lipophilic) → tubular reabsorption

❖ Changes in urinary pH: affect excretion of drugs

ABC

- Alkalization of urine (Na or K Acetate, Bicarbonate, Citrate) → ↑ renal excretion of weak acid drugs e.g. Aspirin, Barbiturates
- Acidification of urine (NH<sub>4</sub>Cl or Ascorbic acid "vit.C") → ↑ renal excretion of weak base drugs e.g. amphetamine, ephedrine

## From the book :

Distal tubular reabsorption: As a drug moves toward the distal convoluted tubule, its concentration increases and exceeds that of the perivascular space.

The drug, if uncharged, may diffuse out of the nephric lumen, back into the systemic circulation. Manipulating the urine pH to increase the fraction of ionized drug in the lumen may be done to minimize the amount of back diffusion and increase the clearance of an undesirable drug.

Generally, weak acids can be eliminated by alkalization of the urine, whereas elimination of weak bases may be increased by acidification of the urine. This process is called “ion trapping”.

For example, a patient presenting with phenobarbital (weak acid) overdose can be given bicarbonate, which alkalinizes the urine and keeps the drug ionized, thereby decreasing its reabsorption.

# Net excretion = GF + TS - TR

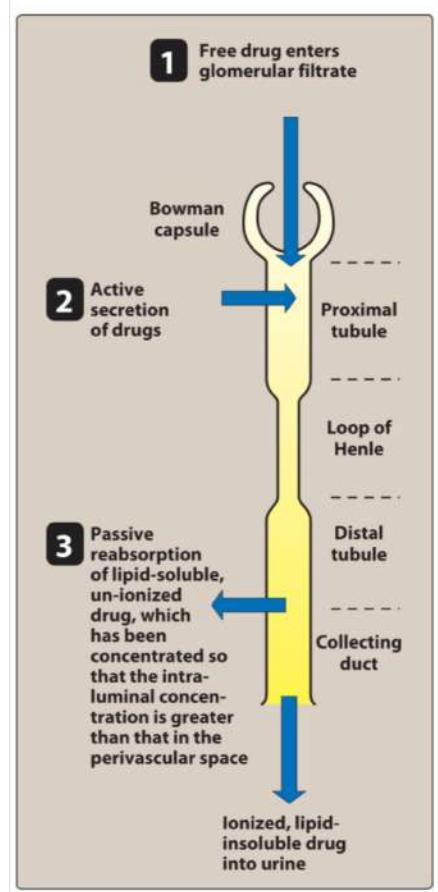


If the net excretion is 120 = excretion through GF

If the net excretion is more than 120 = Secretion mechanism

If the net excretion is less than 120 = Reabsorption dependence

مثلاً، ويجب عليه سؤال



## 2- GIT:

\* Saliva: e.g. Morphine, Iodine, Metronidazole → metallic taste [طعم معدني]

\* Stomach: e.g. Morphine → gastric wash is done in acute morphine toxicity despite it is administered by IV route.

هذا غسيل المعدة بـ<sup>غسل المعدة</sup> ينفع الـ<sup>\*</sup>toxicity فيمنع الـ<sup>oral</sup> عشان اقل الـ<sup>IV</sup> اماعه ويسهل لها reabsorption وهي بتزيد السمية عشان هي بـ<sup>غسل المعدة</sup> حتى لو اخذت عن طريق IV

\* Bile: in active or conjugated form → intestine → EITHER

- Excreted in large intestine → stool
- Free drugs ← ○ Reabsorbed → enterohepatic circulation e.g. Morphine, Rifampicin
- Some antibiotics are excreted in bile in an active form → useful in: ① treatment of cholecystitis & typhoid fever e.g. Ampicillin  
② patients with renal impairment (No need for dose adjustment)

\* Stool: conjugated metabolites & poorly absorbed orally

3- Lungs: e.g. volatile liquids (inhalant general anesthesia), gases ( $\text{CO}_2$ )

4- Sweat: e.g. Rifampicin → red discolouration of sweat

5- Breast Milk: - Many drugs are excreted in breast milk → can affect baby

- <sup>①</sup>lipid soluble and <sup>②</sup>basic drugs are trapped in breast milk



نصيحة قبل ما تبدأوا : هاد الموضوع مهم و حيجي عليها استلة كثير بالامتحان اتأكدوا من هاد الشي ، احضروا عبد المتعال فودة ، فيديو رقم 8 و بعدها اقرأوا التفريغ

## PARAMETERS OF ELIMINATION = Metabolism + Excretion

### 1. Systemic clearance (Cls)

#### Definition

- It the volume of a fluid cleared from the drug per unit time.

ثابت الـ elimination

$$Cl_s = K_{el} \times V_d$$

- $K_{el} \rightarrow$  Elimination rate constant =  $\frac{0.693}{t_{1/2}} = 0.7$

$$Cl_s = \frac{0.7 * V_d}{t_{1/2}}$$

[(0.693) is the natural logarithm of 2 (i.e. In 2) and gets into the equation because ( $t_{1/2}$ ) involves a halving of concentration →  $-K_{el} = \frac{\ln(C_2/C_1)}{t_{1/2}} = \frac{\ln(1/2)}{t_{1/2}} \rightarrow K_{el} = \frac{\ln(2)}{t_{1/2}}$ ]

- So, systemic clearance  $Cl_s = \frac{0.693}{t_{1/2}} \times V_d$

- The systemic clearance is equal to the sum of individual organs clearances  
i.e. the clearance by the liver, kidney, lung, ....etc.

$$Cl_s = renal\ clearance (Cl_r) + non-rectal\ clearance (Cl_nr)$$

#### Factors affecting drug clearance

1. Blood flow to the clearing organ (directly proportional). علاقه طردية
2. Binding of the drug to plasma proteins (inversely proportional). علاقه عكسي
3. Activity of processes responsible for drug removal as hepatic enzymes, glomerular filtration rate and secretory processes (directly proportional). علاقه طردية

#### Significance of clearance الأهمية

1. Calculation of the maintenance dose (MD)
2. Adjustment of the dosing regimen for drugs eliminated by glomerular filtration e.g. dosing of gentamicin

\*loading dose is an initial higher dose of a drug that may be given at the beginning of a course of treatment. الجرعة الكبيرة الأولى

\*maintenance dose is the maintenance rate [mg/h] of drug administration equal to the rate of elimination at steady state. الجرعات الصغيرة التي يعطيها بعد الجرعة الكبيرة

\*dosing regimen is the frequency (dosing interval) and dose at which a drug is to be administered

من خلال الـ clearance يذكروا كم نسبة الدواء الذي لازم تعطى للمريض وخصوصاً لو كان عندك failure بأحد الأعضاء التي بتعمل excretion مثلاً أدوية السرطان، بتعتمد بالـ excretion على الكلية، لو كان المريض عندك kidney failure لازم يحسبوا الـ clearance حتى ما يعطوه جرعة زيادة مثلاً لو كان الـ clearance = 50% معناته جرعة الدواء الجاي ما بعطيها كلها بس بعطي 50% منها