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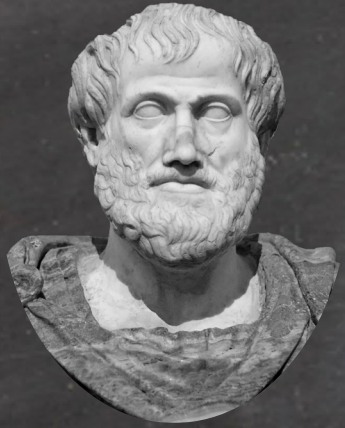
“Sleep is the golden  
chain that ties health  
and our bodies  
together.”

Thomas Dekker

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Mary ET Boyle, Ph. D.

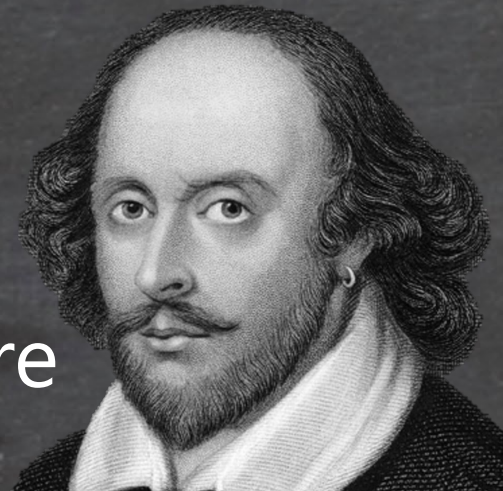
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First, then, this much is clear, that waking and sleep appertain to the same part of an animal, inasmuch as they are opposites, and sleep is evidently a privation of waking.

Aristotle

Sleep dwell upon thine eyes, peace in thy breast!  
Would I were sleep and peace, so sweet to rest.  
Shakespeare



Think in the morning.  
Act in the noon.  
Eat in the evening.  
Sleep in the night.

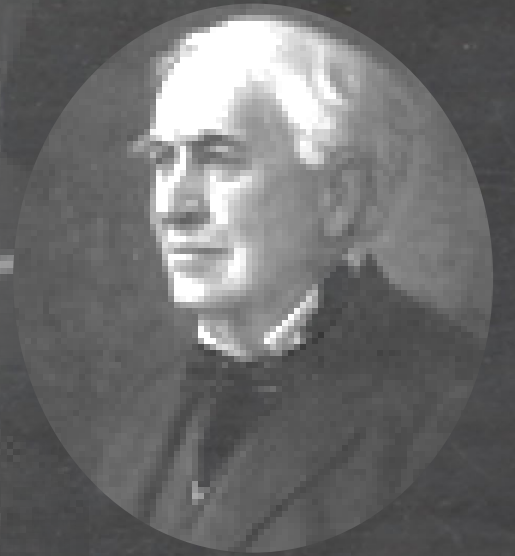
William Blake



350 B.C.

1500's

1700's



Thomas Edison

"We are always hearing people talk about 'loss of sleep' as a calamity. They better call it loss of time, vitality and opportunities."

Photos: Henry Ford Museum

"Sleep is a criminal waste of time and a heritage from our cave days."

1800's



Margaret Thatcher

“Sleep is for wimps!”

1980's



# Bill Clinton

"Every important  
mistake I've made in  
my life, I've made  
because I was too tired."

1990's

- Sleep is essential



imprecise communication

Sleep deprived bees cannot communicate the direction of the food source when they are sleep deprived.

## Sleep deprivation impairs precision of waggle dance signaling in honey bees

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# Shuttle Explodes; All 7 Die

## Teacher on Board as Challenger Blows Up on Liftoff



### Reagan Postpones Future Space Flights Pending a Probe

By MICHAEL SEILER and PETER H. KING, Times Staff Writers

KENNEDY SPACE CENTER, Fla.—The space shuttle Challenger exploded in a huge fireball less than two minutes after takeoff today, with all seven crew members—including New Hampshire teacher Sharon Christa McAuliffe—feared dead.

Airborne paramedics parachuted quickly into the churning waters off Cape Canaveral in a vain search for survivors. Though there was no immediate announcement on the fate of the crew, all were believed dead.

The disaster—the worst in the history of America's manned space program—came shortly after the Challenger blasted off on a cool day.

As the controls flared to life, the shuttle appeared in the clear blue sky.

Sleep deprivation has been indicated as a cause in 7.8 percent of all the Air Force's Class A mishaps (Luna, 2003). Disasters such as Chernobyl, Three Mile Island, Davis-Besse, and Rancho Seco all occurred in the early morning (2:00 a.m. to 4:00 a.m.), a time when sleep deprivation effects are especially powerful, and all involved errors made by people working in groups (Harrison & Horne, 2000). Furthermore, sleep loss was specifically cited as a factor that contributed to the collective human error and poor judgment related to the Space Shuttle Challenger disaster (*Presidential Commission on Space Shuttle Challenger Accident, 1986*).

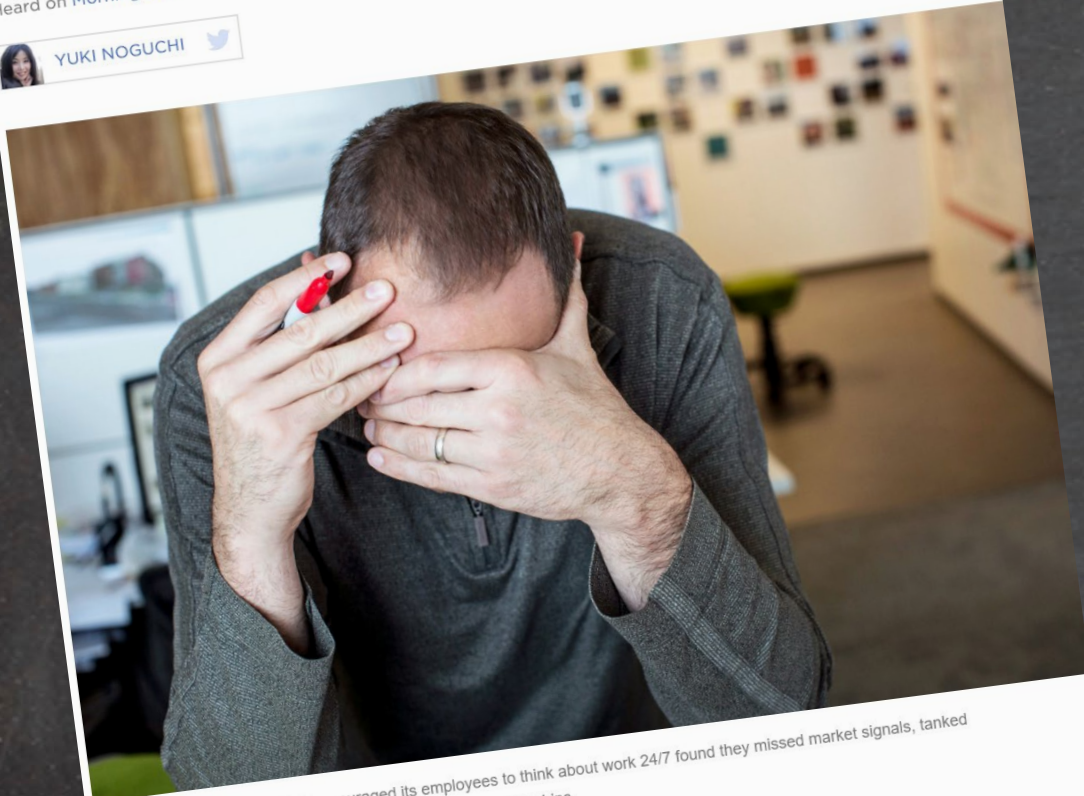
TREATMENTS

# Many Grouchy, Error-Prone Workers Just Need More Sleep

April 26, 2016 · 4:29 AM ET  
Heard on Morning Edition



YUKI NOGUCHI



One Silicon Valley startup that encouraged its employees to think about work 24/7 found they missed market signals, tanked deals and became too irritable to build crucial working relationships.

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Hey! Wake up! Need another cup of coffee?

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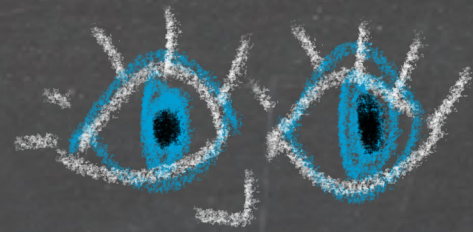
**The New York Times**

PERSONAL HEALTH

# An Underappreciated Key to College Success: Sleep

Many college-bound students start out with dreadful sleep habits that are likely to get worse once the rigorous demands of courses and competing social and athletic activities kick in.

Studies show...



"sleep quantity and sleep quality  
outrank such popular campus  
concerns as alcohol & drug use  
in predicting student's grades  
& a student's chances of  
graduating."

NYT J. Prody

“... in one survey **60 percent of students said they wanted information** from their colleges on how to manage sleep problems, **few institutions of higher learning do anything to counter the devastating effects of sleep deprivation on academic success and physical and emotional well-being.**

**Some, in fact, do just the opposite, for example, providing 24-hour library hours that encourage students to pull all-nighters.”**

J. Brody, NYTimes

# GEISEL OVERNIGHT STUDY COMMONS

OPEN CONTINUOUSLY FROM 10 AM SUNDAY-6 PM FRIDAY

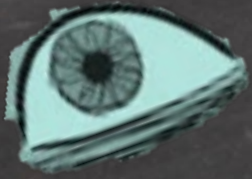
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← THIS ENCOURAGES  
all-nighters



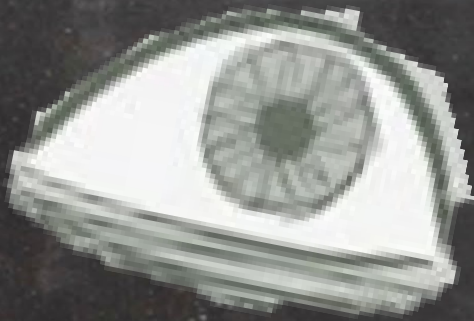
“ For me, nothing captures the idea of sleep debt quite like my years as a college student. In a story that repeated itself weekly, if not daily,...

I would squander my days soaking up the “college experience” (details spared) and spend all-nighters cramming, only to find myself wandering through a suffocating mire of brain fog as I walked into my exam the next morning.

Research has supported what I learned firsthand: **that sleeping too little (or not at all) can inhibit your productivity and ability to remember and consolidate information.”**



# WHAT HAPPENS WHEN WE DON'T SLEEP?



The world's record for the longest sleep deprivation period is 11 days!



1. cognitive & behavioral changes
2. ↓↓ ability to concentrate
3. ↓↓ short-term memory
4. Paranoia & hallucinations

NO SLEEP → COGNITIVE IMPAIRMENT



17-19 HOURS → 0.05 BAC

28 HOURS → 0.1 BAC





Stanford  
study



## EFFECTS OF SLEEP EXTENSION ON ATHLETIC PERFORMANCE

DOI: 10.5665/SLEEP.1132

# The Effects of Sleep Extension on the Athletic Performance of Collegiate Basketball Players

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**Study Objectives:** To investigate the effects of sleep extension over multiple weeks on specific measures of athletic performance as well as reaction time, mood, and daytime sleepiness.

**Setting:** Stanford Sleep Disorders Clinic and Research Laboratory and Maples Pavilion, Stanford University, Stanford, CA.

**Participants:** Eleven healthy students on the Stanford University men's varsity basketball team (mean age  $19.4 \pm 1.4$  years).


**Interventions:** Subjects maintained their habitual sleep-wake schedule for a 2-4 week baseline followed by a 5-7 week sleep extension period. Subjects obtained as much nocturnal sleep as possible during sleep extension with a minimum goal of 10 h in bed each night. Measures of athletic performance specific to basketball were recorded after every practice including a timed sprint and shooting accuracy. Reaction time, levels of daytime sleepiness, and mood were monitored via the Psychomotor Vigilance Task (PVT), Epworth Sleepiness Scale (ESS), and Profile of Mood States (POMS), respectively.

**Results:** Total objective nightly sleep time increased during sleep extension compared to baseline by  $110.9 \pm 79.7$  min ( $P < 0.001$ ). Subjects demonstrated a faster timed sprint following sleep extension ( $16.2 \pm 0.61$  sec at baseline vs.  $15.5 \pm 0.54$  sec at end of sleep extension,  $P < 0.001$ ). Shooting accuracy improved, with free throw percentage increasing by 9% and 3-point field goal percentage increasing by 9.2% ( $P < 0.001$ ). Mean PVT reaction time and Epworth Sleepiness Scale scores decreased following sleep extension ( $P < 0.01$ ). POMS scores improved with increased vigor and decreased fatigue subscales ( $P < 0.001$ ). Subjects also reported improved overall ratings of physical and mental well-being during practices and games.

**Conclusions:** Improvements in specific measures of basketball performance after sleep extension indicate that optimal sleep is likely beneficial in reaching peak athletic performance.

**Keywords:** Sleep extension, extra sleep, athletes, athletic performance, sports, basketball, collegiate, reaction time, mood, fatigue

**Citation:** Mah CD; Mah KE; Kezirian EJ; Dement WC. The effects of sleep extension on the athletic performance of collegiate basketball players. *SLEEP* 2011;34(7):943-950.

\* SLEEP IS A PART OF, 

[NOT an alternative to,]

a successful training regimen.



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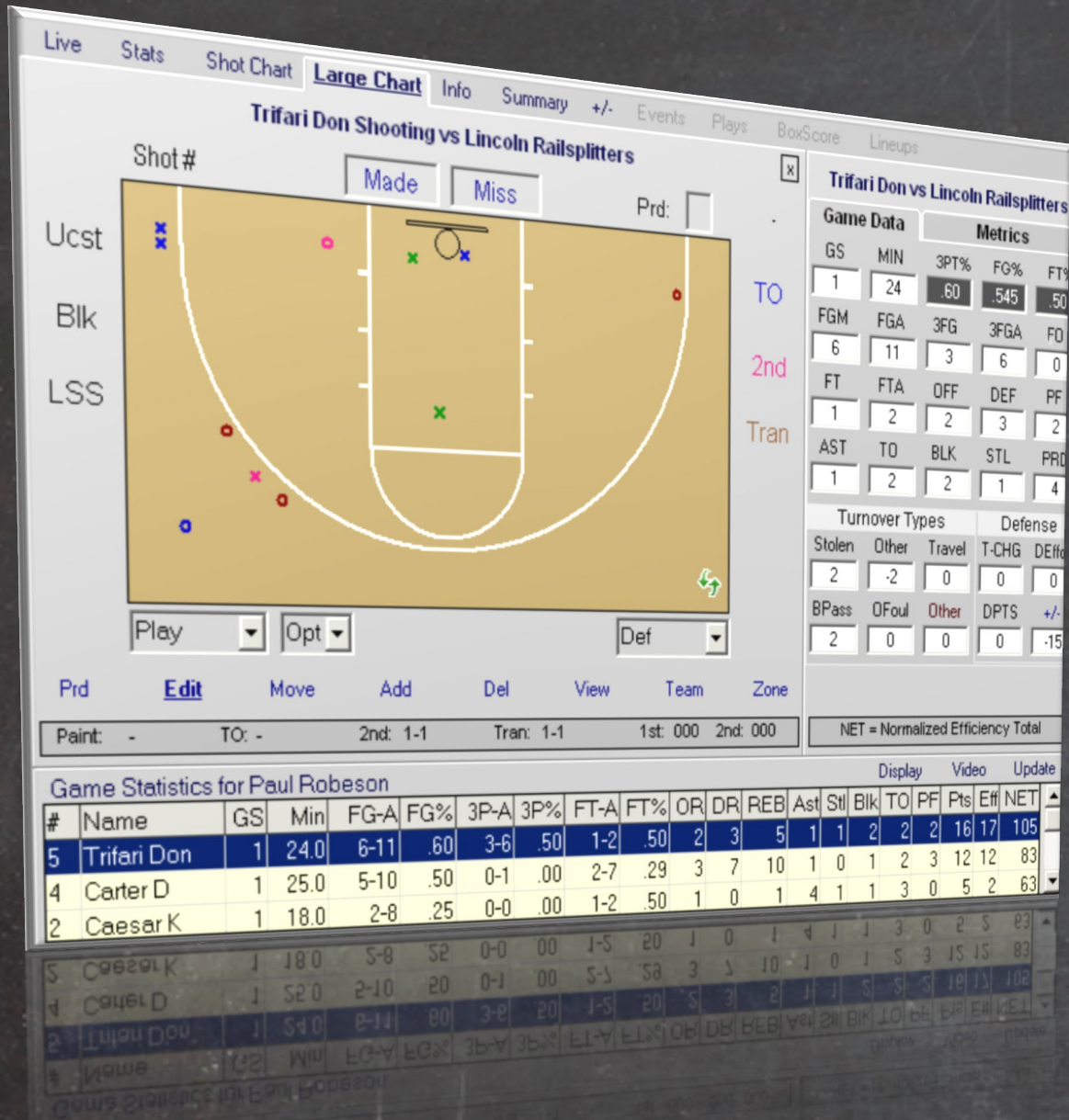
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FOR 6 WEEKS:

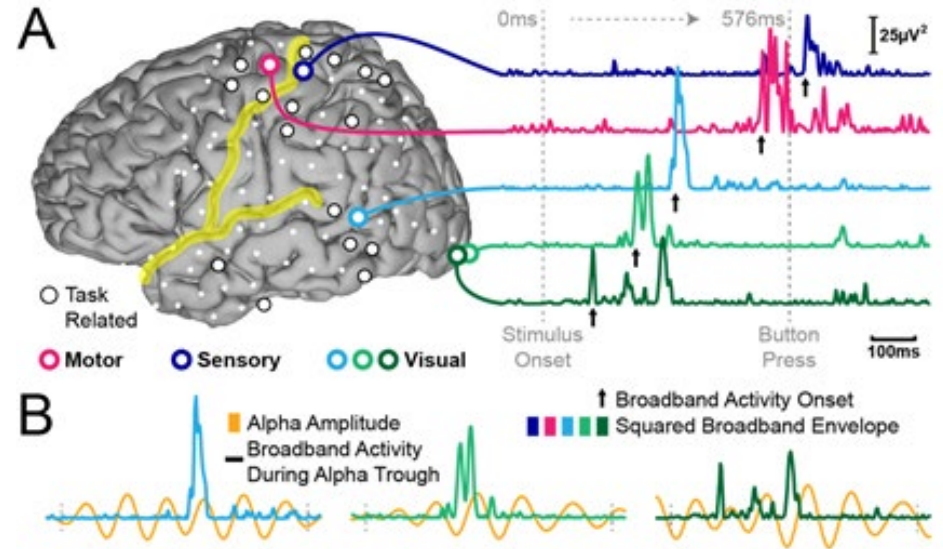
10 hrs sleep/  
night



# Results: STATS

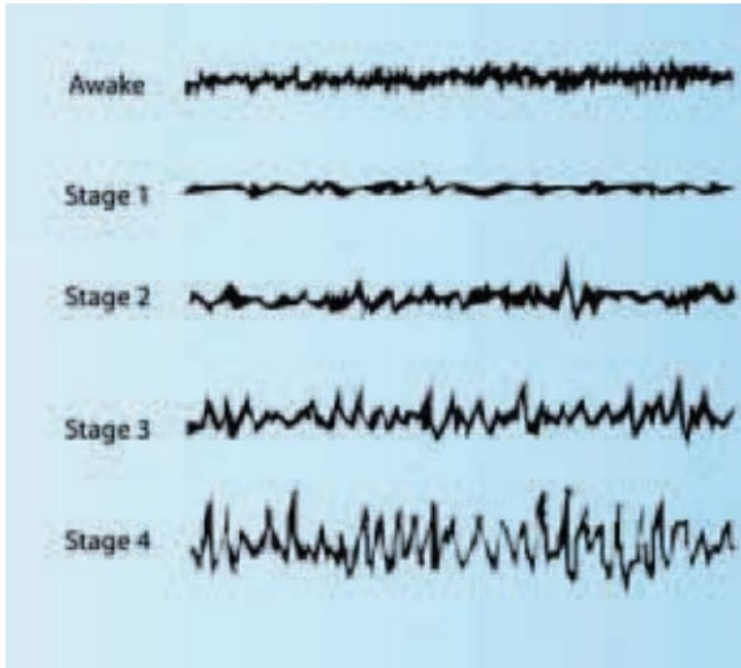


- \* more accurate shooting
- \* faster rxn time
- \* ↑ mental health
- \* ↑ physical well-being

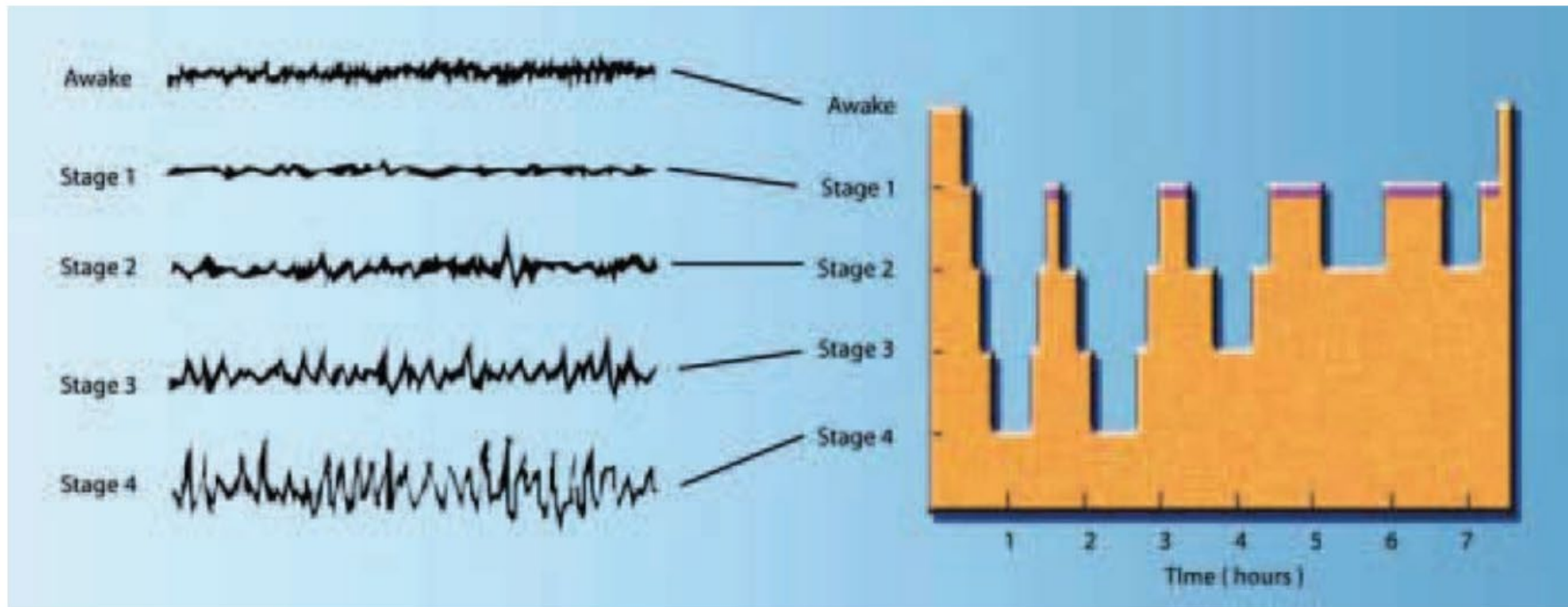


We can measure brain activity and function by using an electroencephalogram (EEG).

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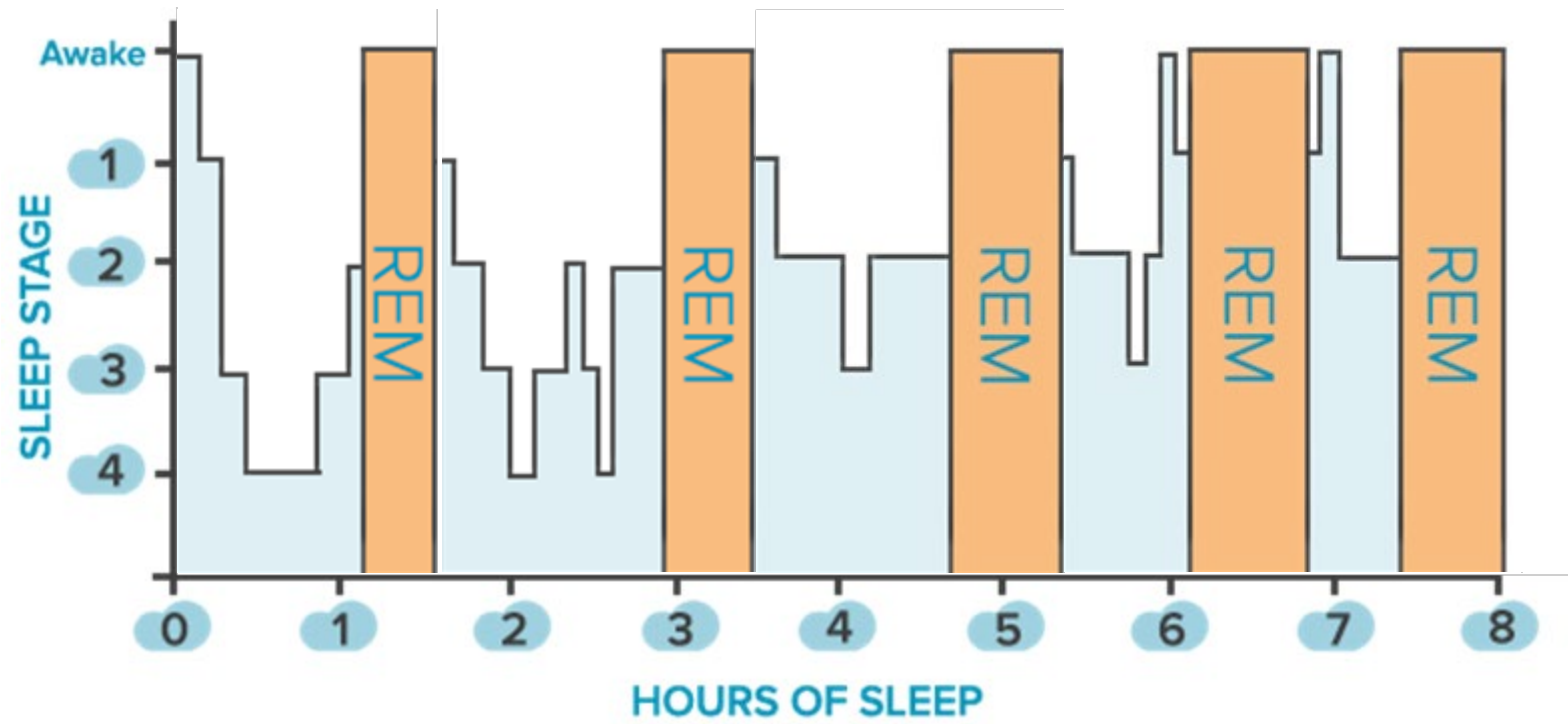


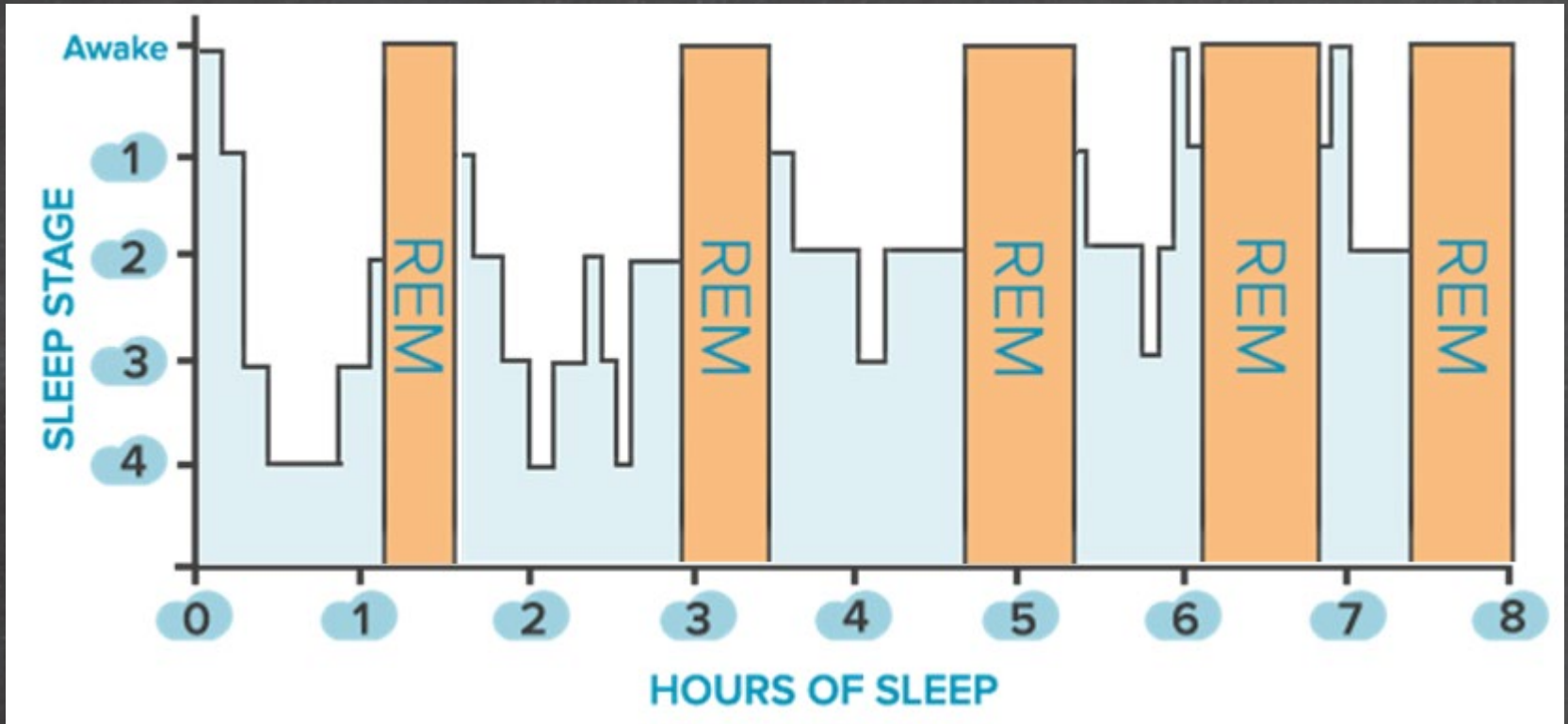
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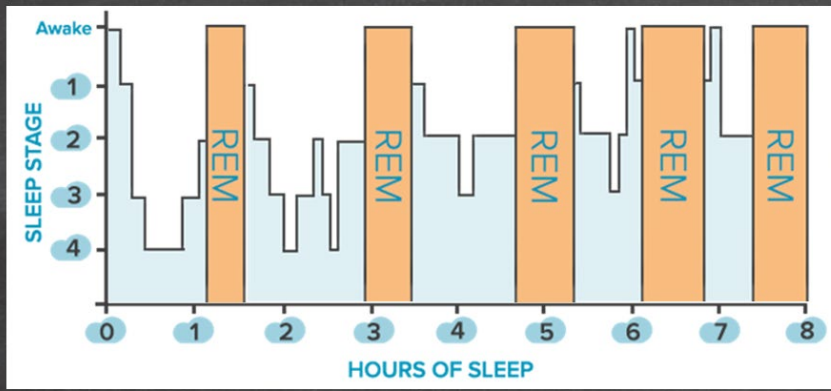






Deep  
sleep

more  
REM SLEEP



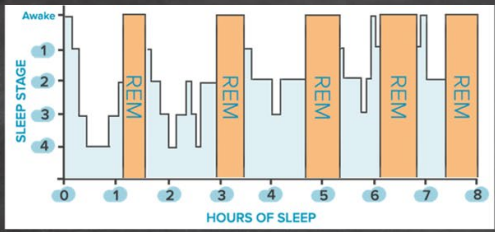
Deep sleep

more REM SLEEP

DURING DEEP SLEEP:

\* Growth hormone released

BUILDING & REPAIRING



# CHRONIC SLEEP DEPRIVATION



Deep sleep

more REM SLEEP

DURING DEEP SLEEP:

\* Growth hormone released  
 BUILDING & REPAIRING

→ HGH ↓↓

\* Just a few consecutive days of decreased sleep Δ's your metabolism!

NEW WAY

TO



think

ABOUT

SLEEP



← 1/3

**Sleep is important; our bodies demand it.**

What  
regulates  
sleep?



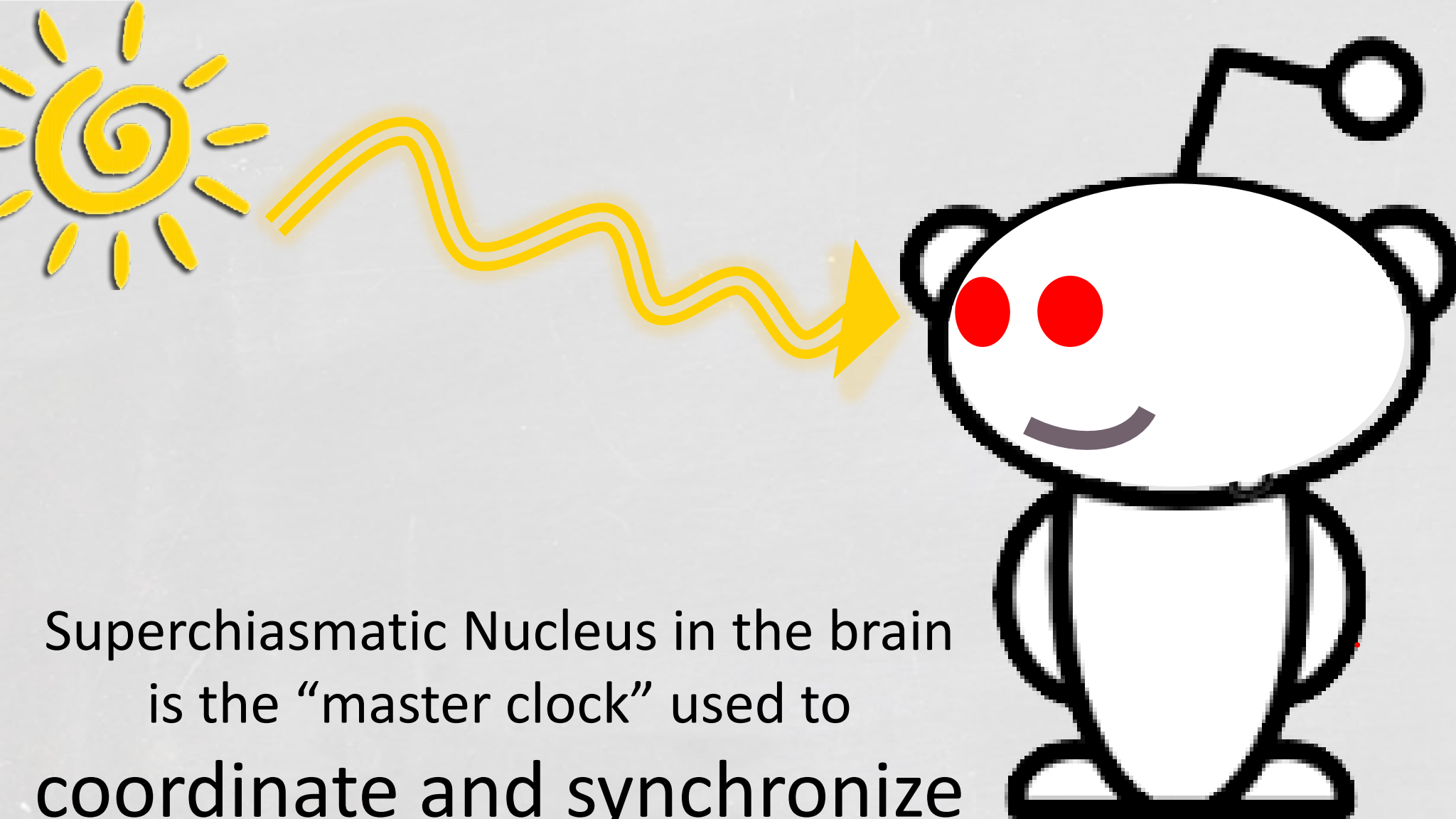
Light & Melatonin  
are the two most  
influential external cues  
that synchronize the  
circadian rhythm

EXTERNAL

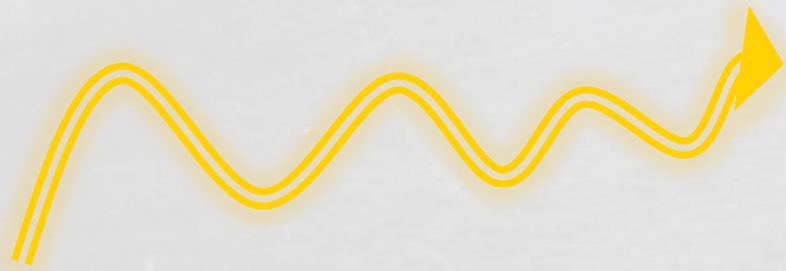
*melatonin*

Sleep wake cycle is regulated by the circadian system.

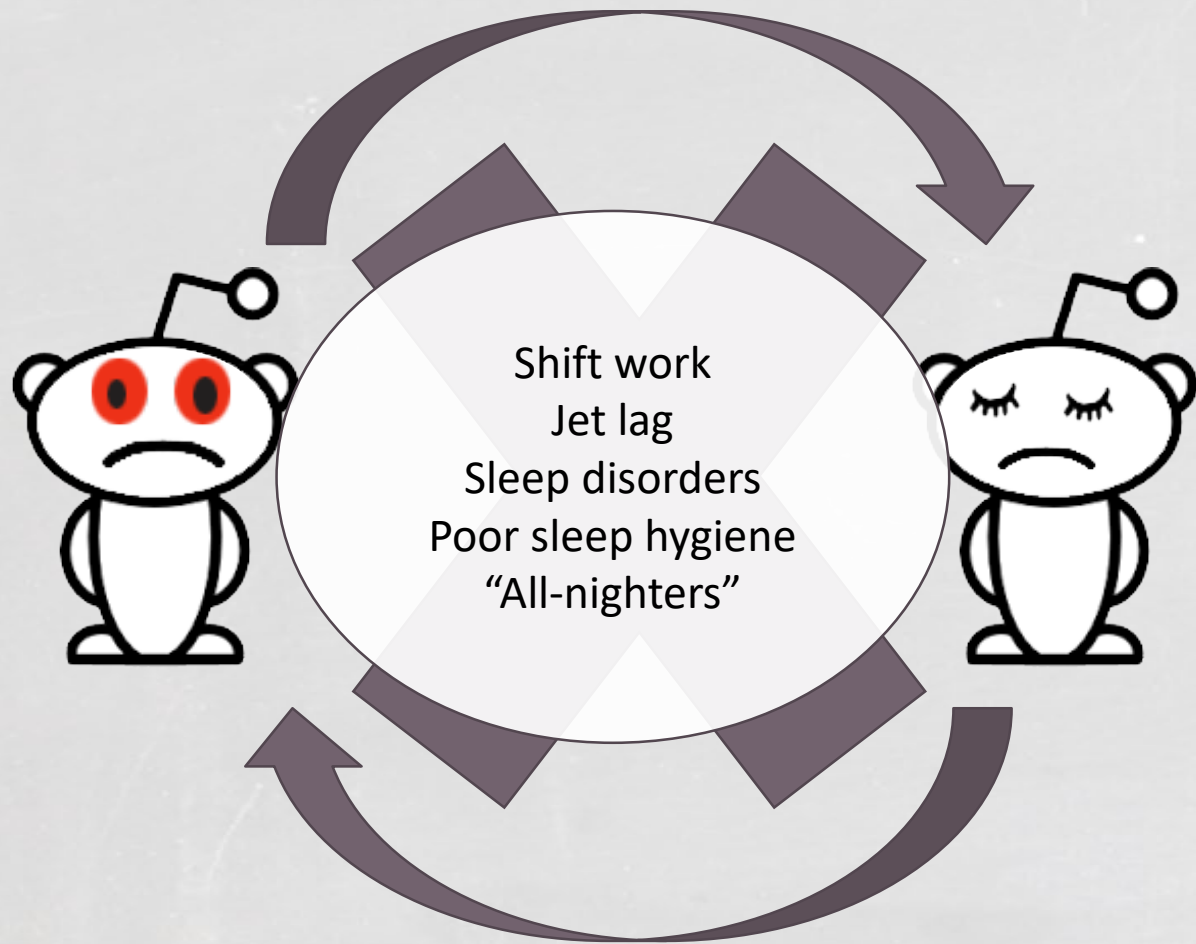




Suprachiasmatic Nucleus in the brain  
is the “master clock” used to  
**coordinate and synchronize**  
most of the body clocks in the  
periphery.



*melatonin*



metabolic disruption

weight gain, obesity

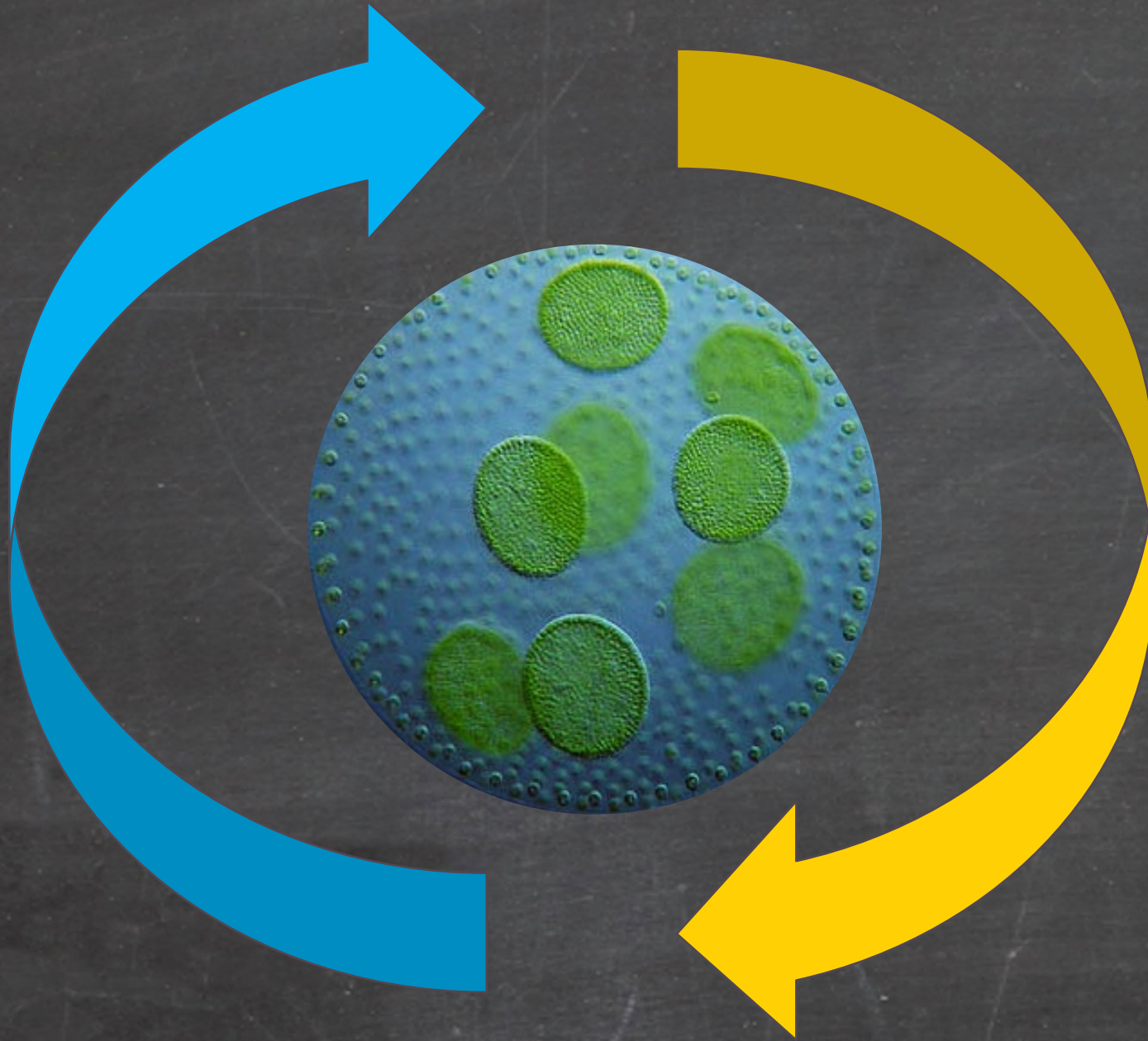
impaired immunity

cognitive malfunction

If the sleep wake cycle is disrupted it can cause metabolic dysregulation

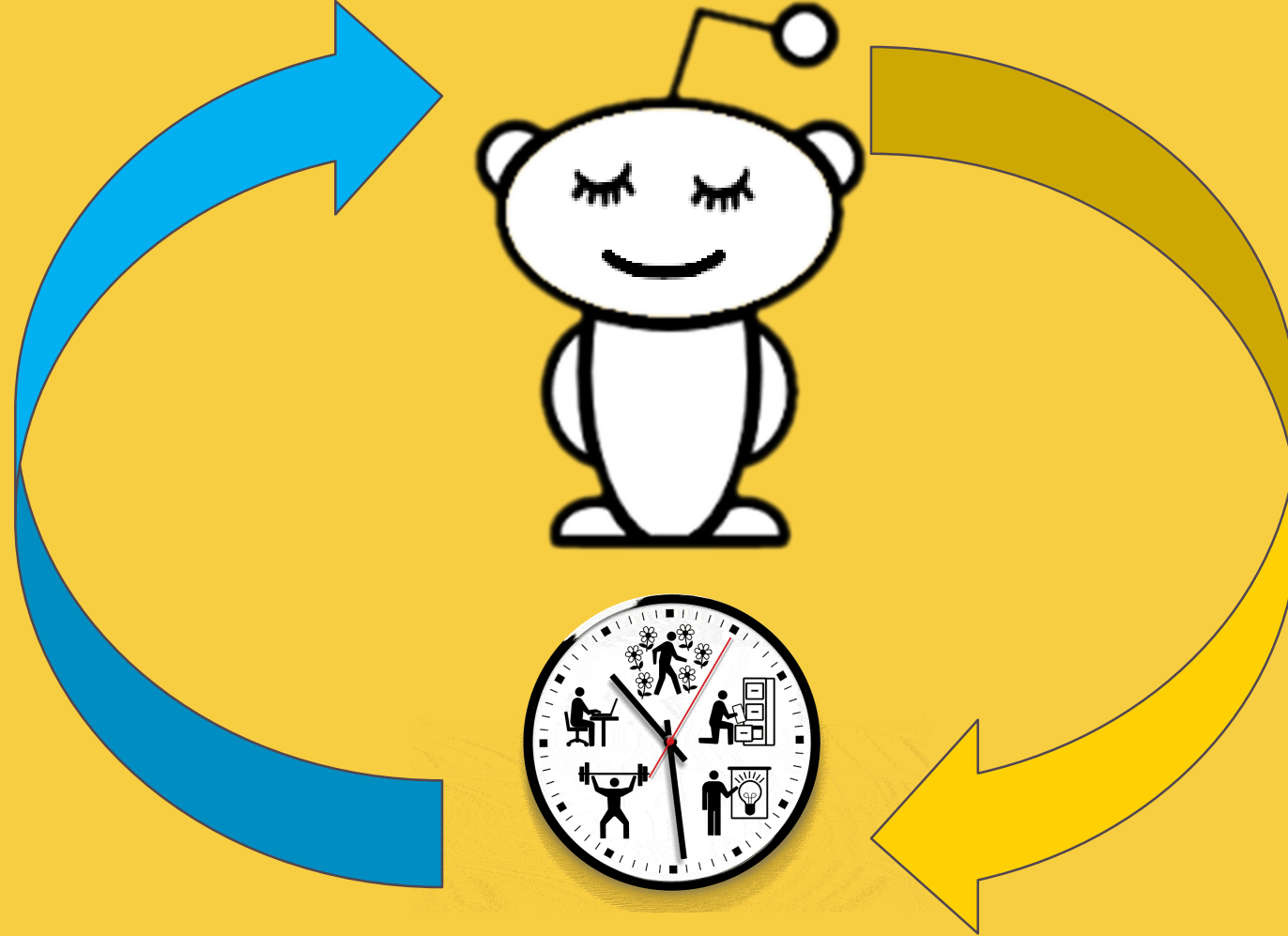


repairs DNA



harvests  
energy

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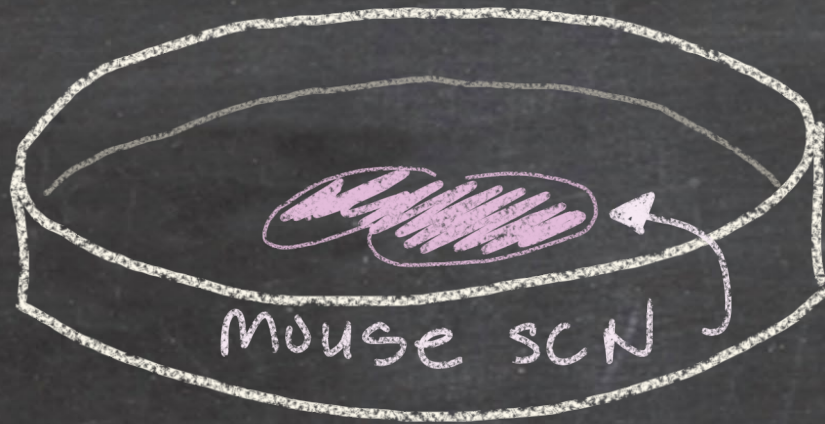
- Fasting
- Release of hormones
- Immune system activity
- Resting

- Eating
- Exercising
- Thinking
- Working

(GIF: DOUG CHAYKA)

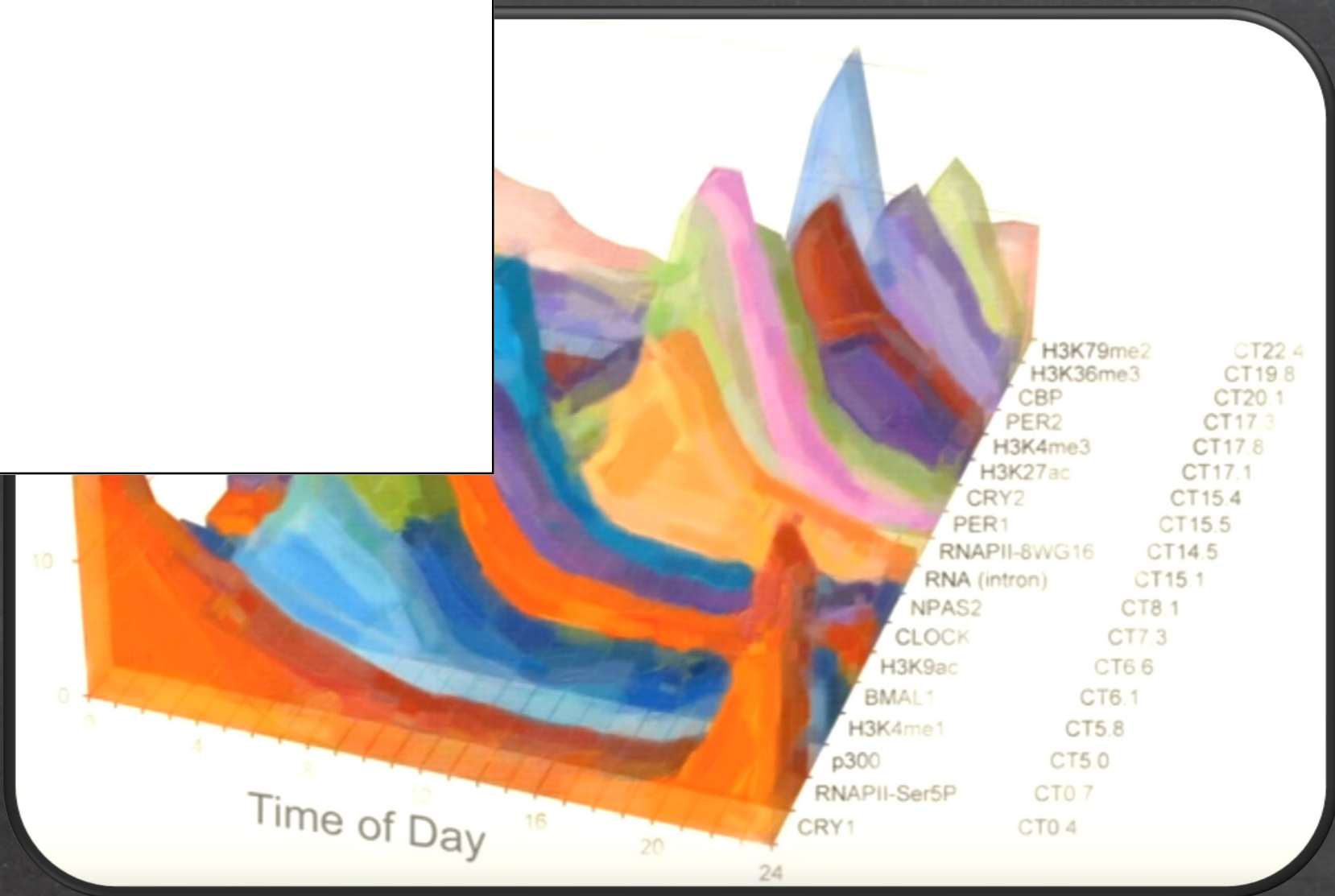
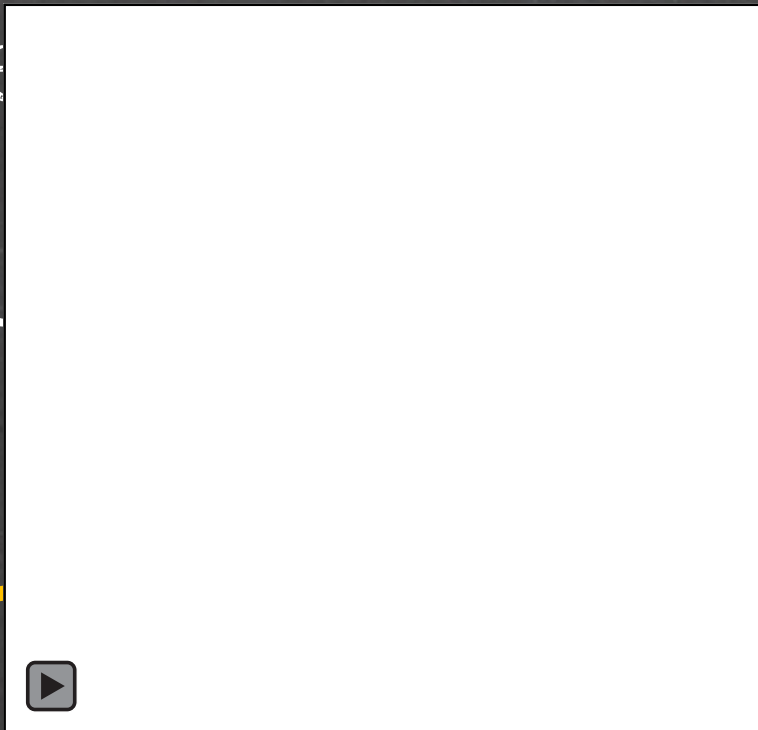
Our metabolic clocks are based on the diurnal rhythm – it is in our genes.

Watch  
brain  
ticking →



# Day in the cell 0-24 hours

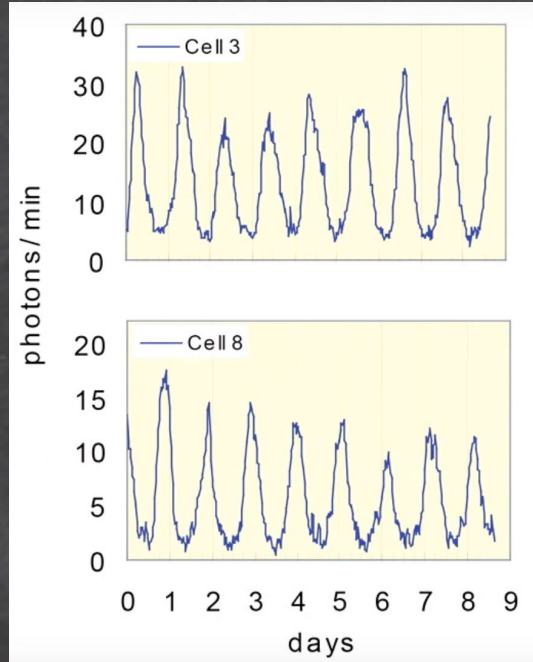
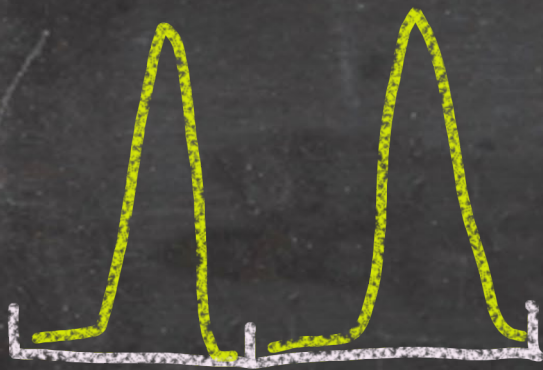
Genes in cells cycle on and off every 24 hours



Every cell has it's own clock!

SKIN CELLS!

24 HOURS



video recorded for 42 days!



## Effects of insufficient sleep on circadian rhythmicity and expression amplitude of the human blood transcriptome

Carla S. Möller-Levet, Simon N. Archer, Giselda Bucca, Emma E. Laing, Ana Slak, Renata Kabiljo, June C. Y. Lo, Nayantara Santhi, Malcolm von Schantz, Colin P. Smith, and Derk-Jan Dijk

Insufficient sleep and circadian rhythm disruption are associated with negative health outcomes, but the mechanisms involved remain largely unexplored. We show (pp. E1132–E1141) that one week of insufficient sleep alters gene expression in human blood cells, reduces the amplitude of circadian rhythms in gene expression, and intensifies the effects of subsequent acute total sleep loss on gene expression. The affected genes are involved in chromatin remodeling, regulation of gene expression, and immune and stress responses. The data imply molecular mechanisms mediating the effects of sleep loss on health and highlight the interrelationships between sleep homeostasis, circadian rhythmicity, and metabolism.

One week of insufficient sleep alters gene expression in human blood

Introduction of subsequent acute total sleep loss on



# Immune and stress response

# Shift workers are more prone to developing metabolic disorders

Alcoholic  
liver disease

40% more  
likely to have:  
cardiovascular  
disease

Higher  
incidence of  
Diabetes Type  
II

Higher risk  
of cancer  
— melatonin  
disruption



### **Circadian rhythm disruptions**

Body temperature  
Respiratory rate  
Hormonal production  
Menstrual cycle  
Urinary excretion  
Cell division

### **Mental Health**

Stress  
Anxiety  
Depression  
Neuroticism  
Reduced vigilance  
'Burnout syndrome'

### **Cardiovascular disorders**

40% increased risk for:  
Angina pectoris  
Hypertension  
Myocardial infarction



### **Brain effects**

Sleep loss  
REM sleep reduction  
Stage 2 sleep reduction  
Fatigue  
Reduced brain volume

### **Gastrointestinal disorders**

Dyspepsia  
Heartburn  
Abdominal pains  
Flatulence

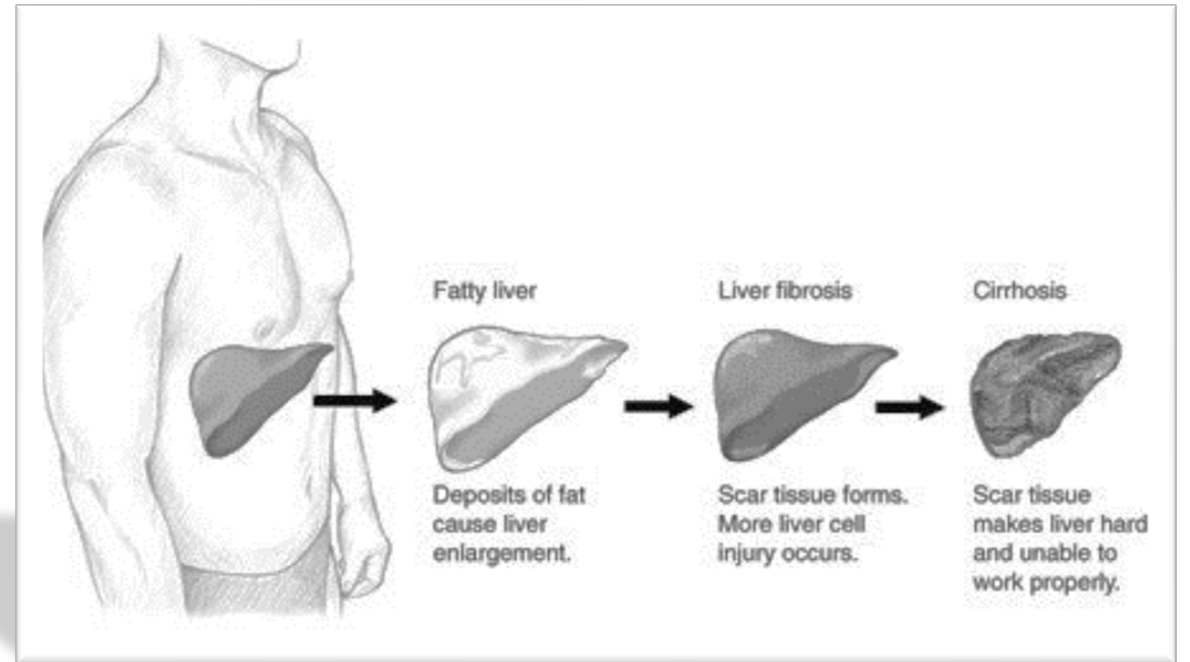
### **Reproductive effects**

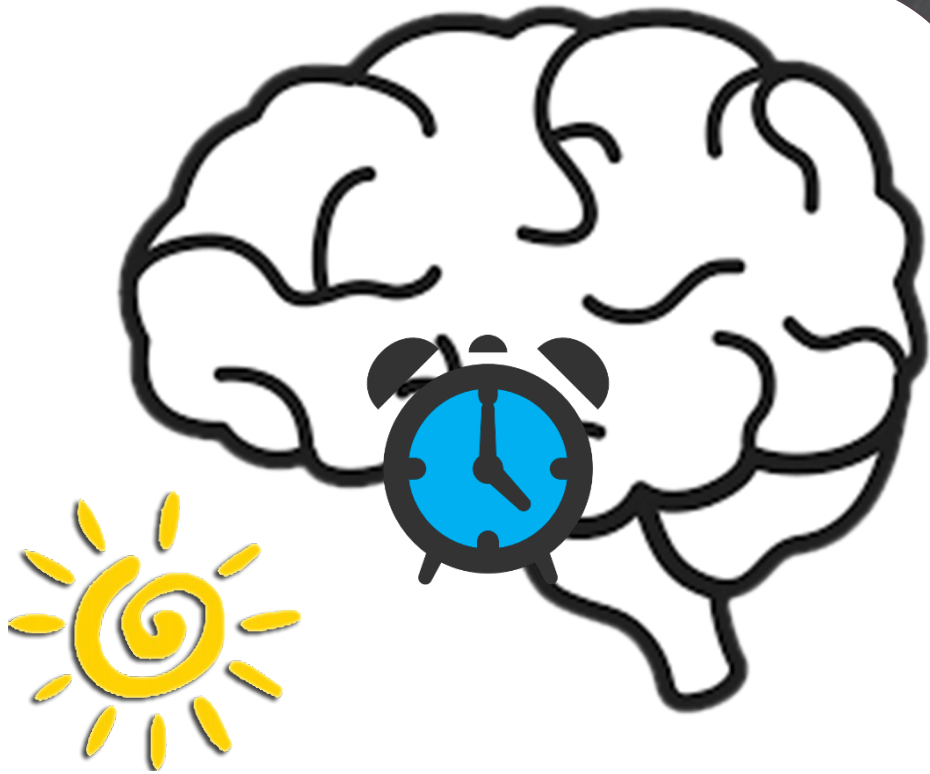
Spontaneous abortion  
Low birth weight  
Prematurity

### **Increased cancer**

Breast cancer  
Colorectal cancer

# Disruption of the Circadian Clock in Mice Increases Intestinal Permeability and Promotes Alcohol-Induced Hepatic Pathology and Inflammation





**zeitgeber**

**Food can be a  
zeitgeber for  
the gut.**



intestinal activity and its ability to  
absorb nutrients are dependent on  
the time of day.

**SCN is not the only clock in the body**



**GLUCOSE**

**FAT**



**Cellular response to  
INSULIN is dependent  
on the circadian cycle.**



Johnston, J. (2014) Nutrition Research Reviews, 27, 107–118

**Time of eating has a huge effect on the liver and insulin efficacy**



Insulin-sensitivity is dependent on the peripheral clock in muscle cells.



Glucose uptake in muscle is dependent on the circadian rhythm.

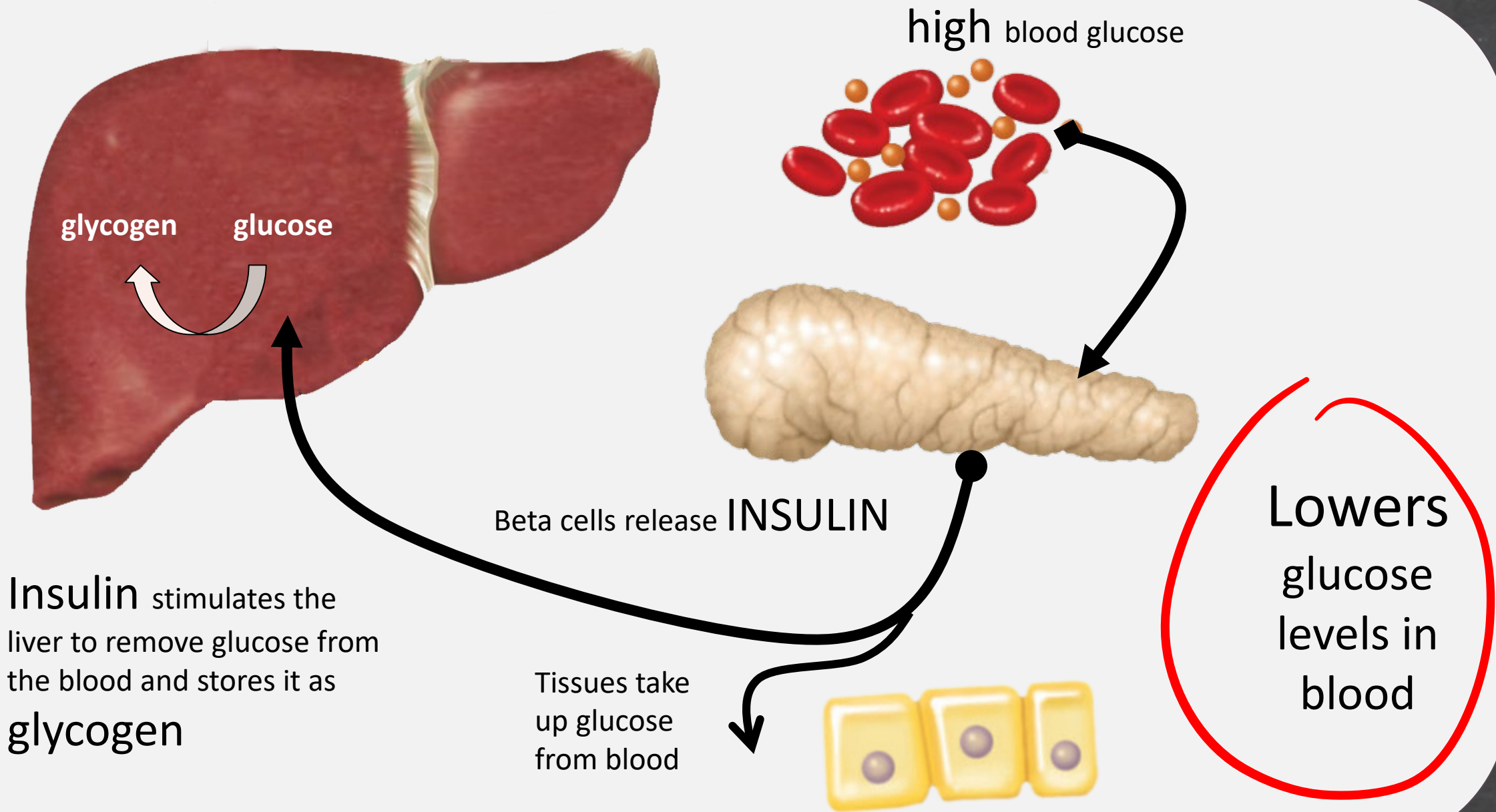
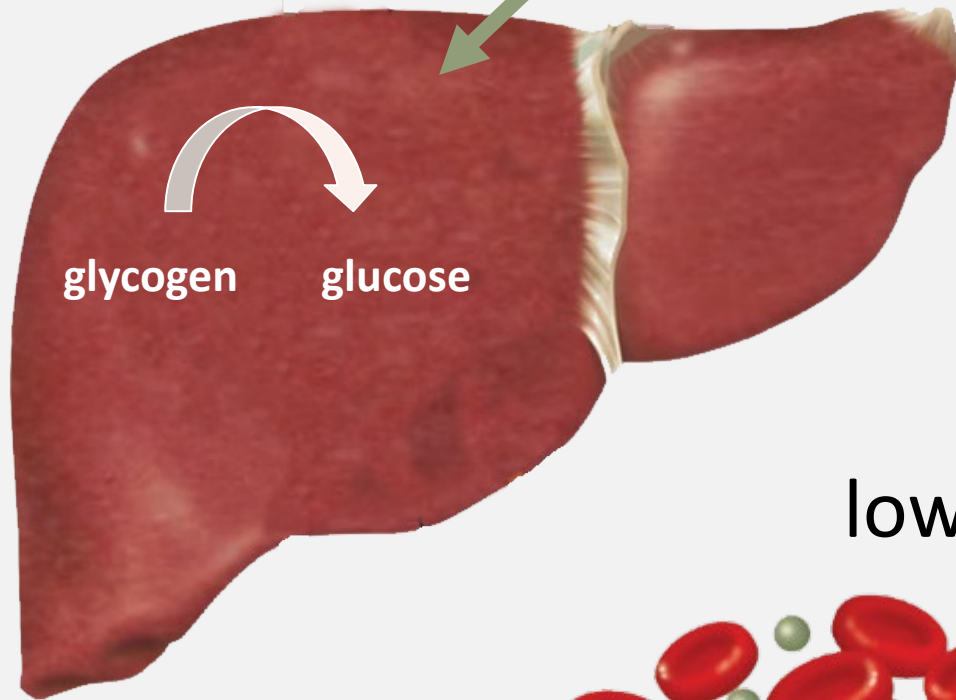


Figure adapted from Kaidanovich-Beilin, O. et al 2012



Glucagon stimulates the conversion of stored glycogen in the liver into glucose.



glycogen

glucose

low blood glucose

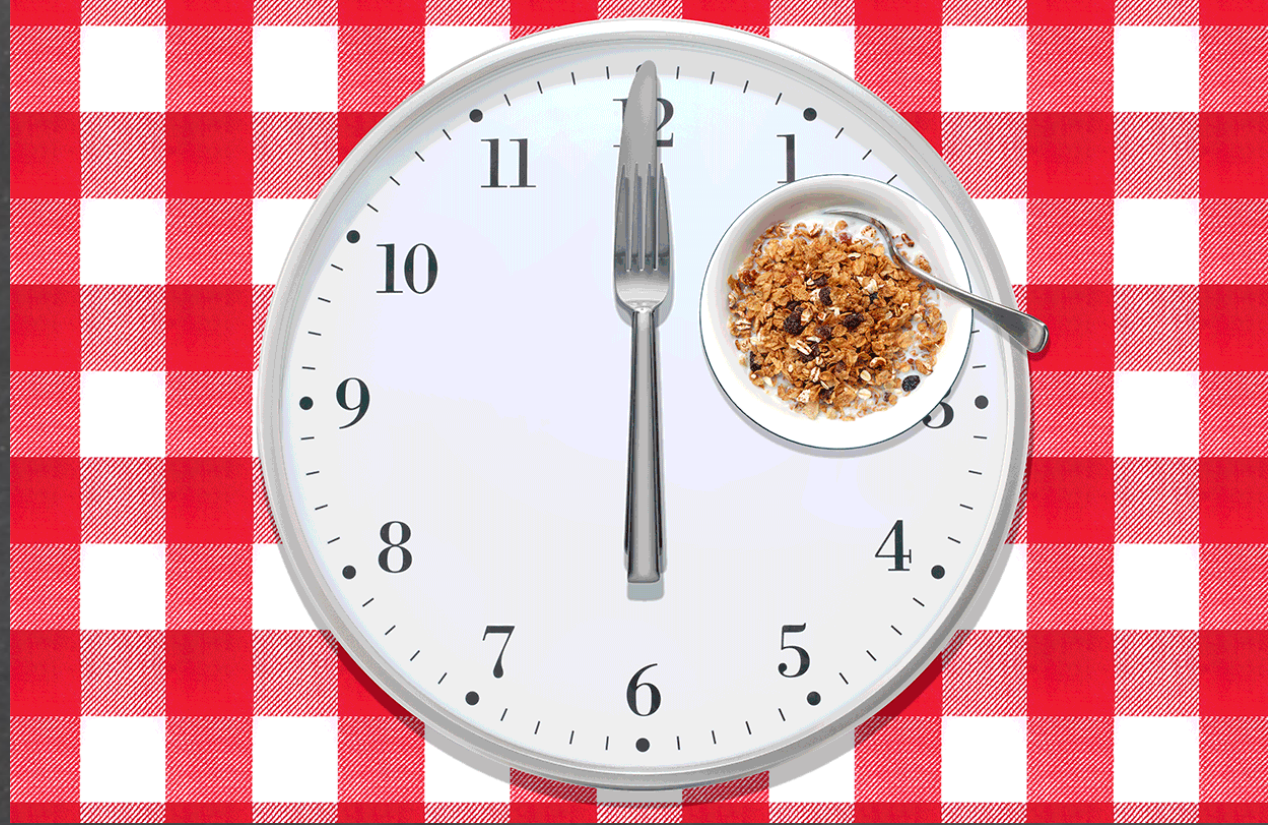


Increases  
glucose levels in  
blood

Alpha cells release  
GLUCAGON



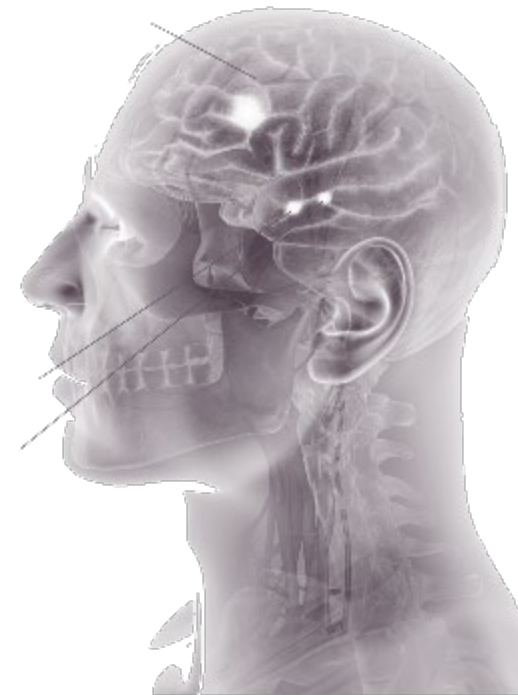
When you eat  
sugar determines  
how your body  
will respond



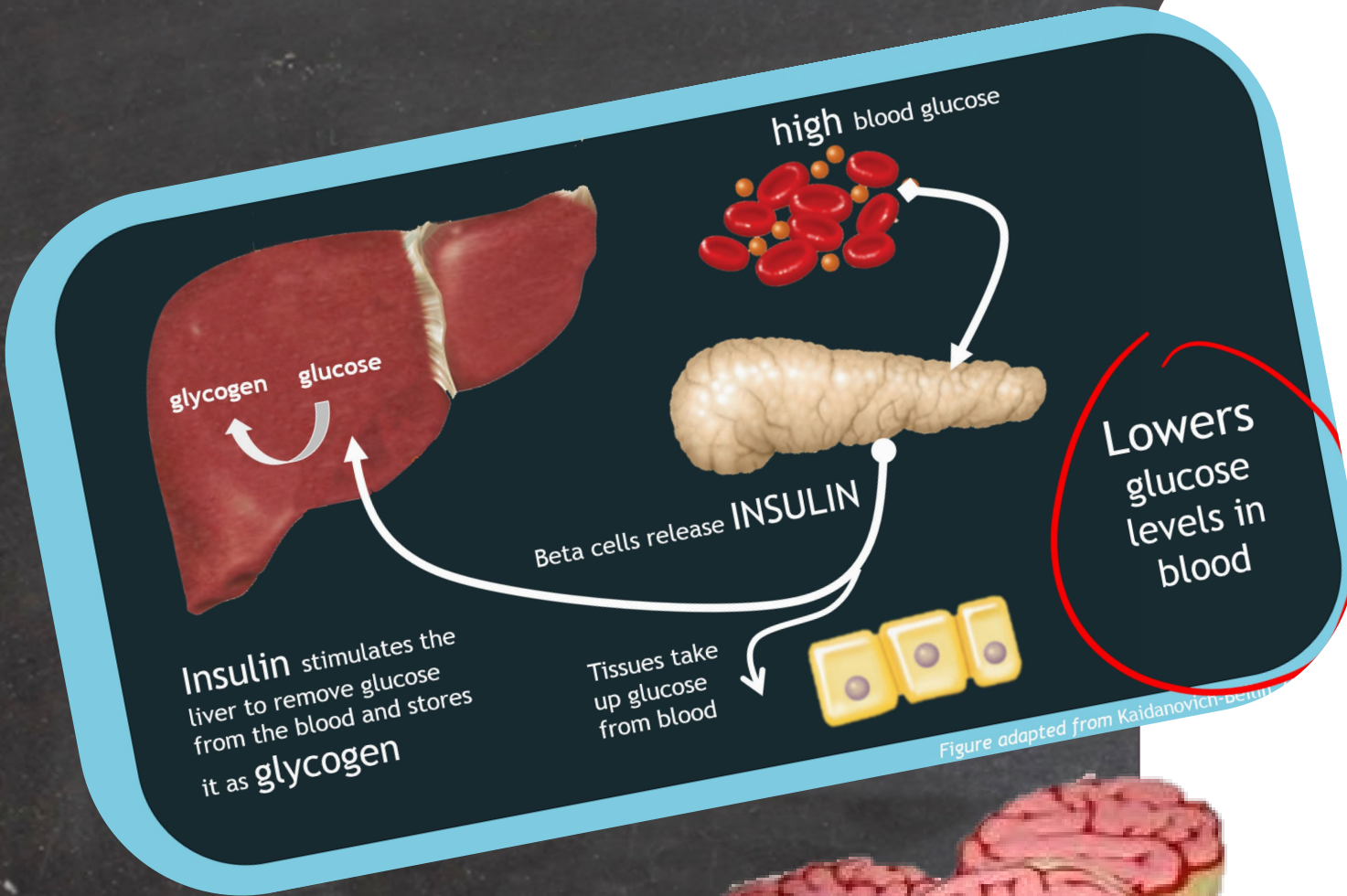
EATING  
SUGAR  
AT NIGHT

→ HIGHER  
BLOOD  
SUGAR

**Insulin activates insulin receptors in the brain → affects feeding behaviors, reward, body metabolism, normal emotion & cognitive behaviors.**



insulin receptors are found throughout the brain – cortex, midbrain and hypothalamus.



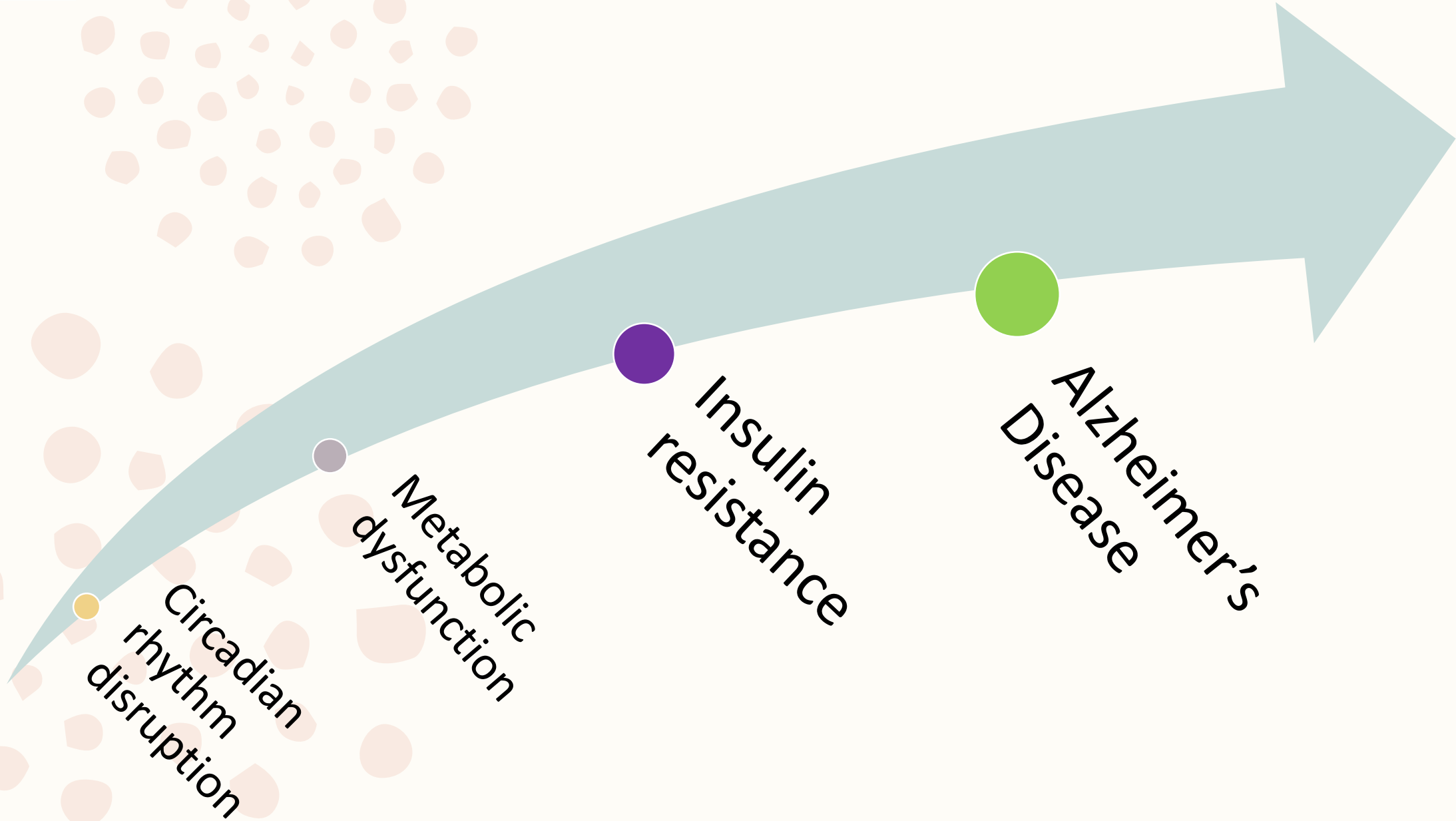


The risk of developing Alzheimer's disease is increased by 50 percent in people with diabetes.

Craft, S. Nat. Rev. Neurol. 8, 360–362 (2012);

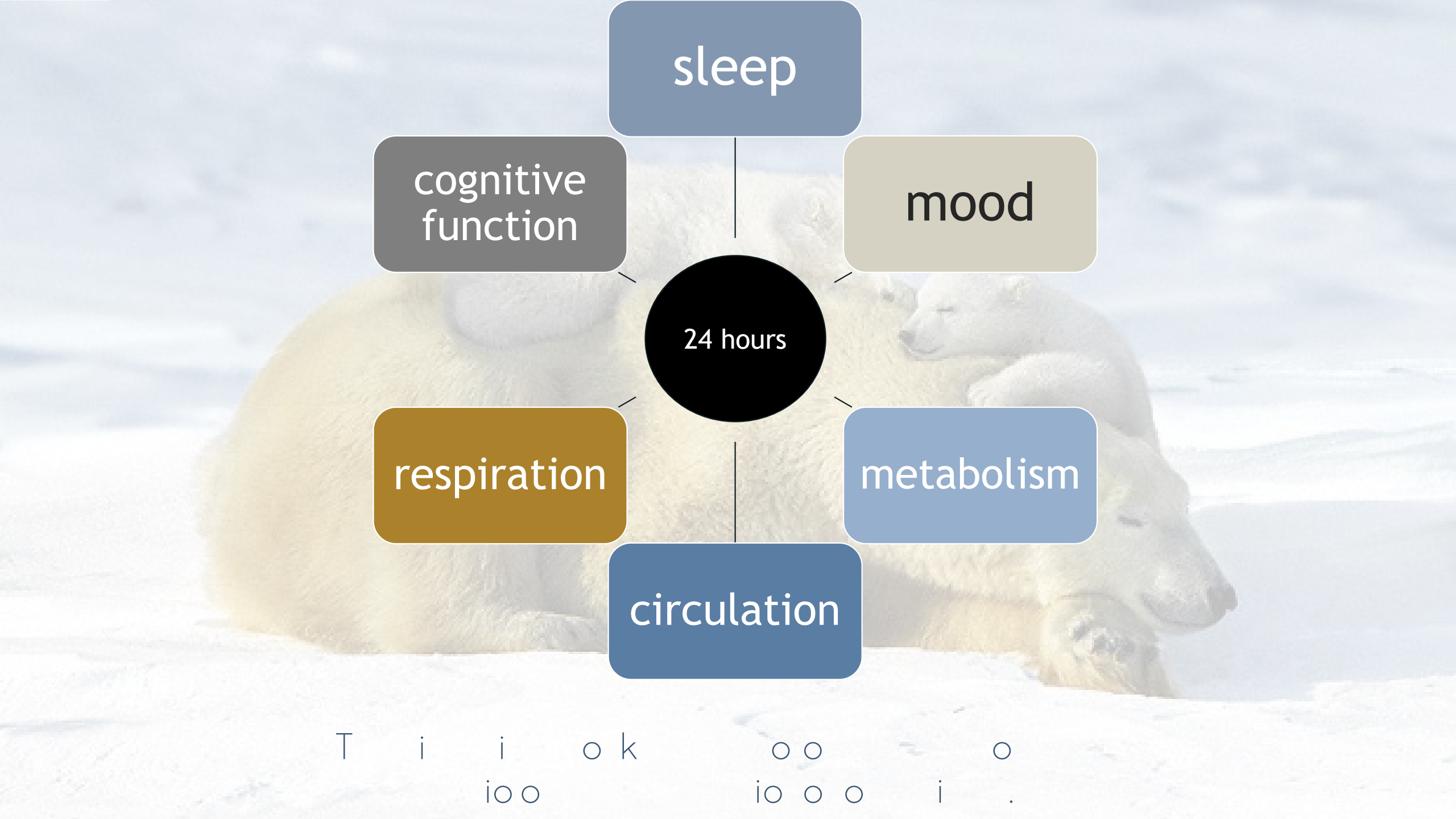
**Diabetes is a risk factor for dementia**







The circadian clock has a profound effect on the physiology and behavior of organisms.



sleep

cognitive  
function

mood

24 hours

respiration

metabolism

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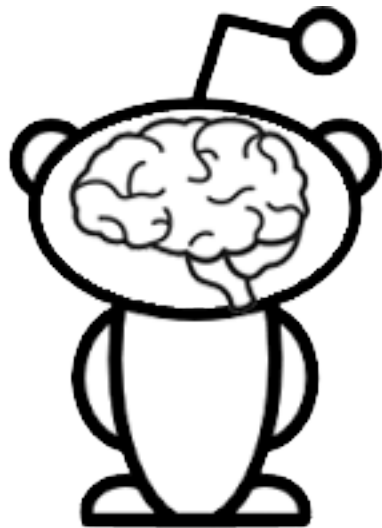
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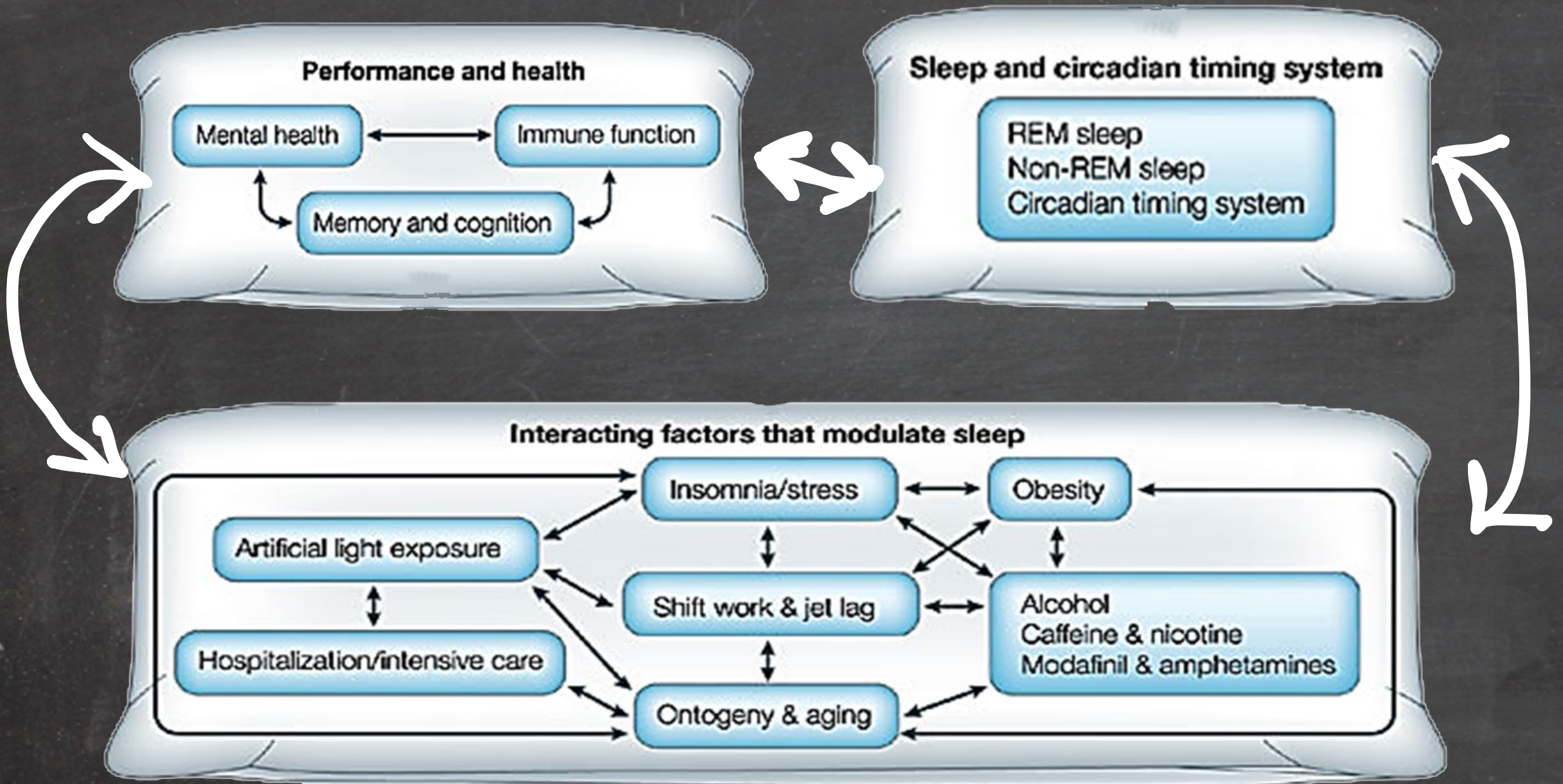
# **A Single Night of Partial Sleep Deprivation Induces Insulin Resistance in Multiple Metabolic Pathways in Healthy Subjects**

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the effect of a single night of partial sleep on insulin sensitivity



Imagine the  
benefits that would  
await you if you got  
one more hour of  
sleep?



