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# **Daño orgánico en el LES: causas y consecuencias**

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**ACTIVIDAD LÚPICA**



**DAÑO ORGÁNICO**

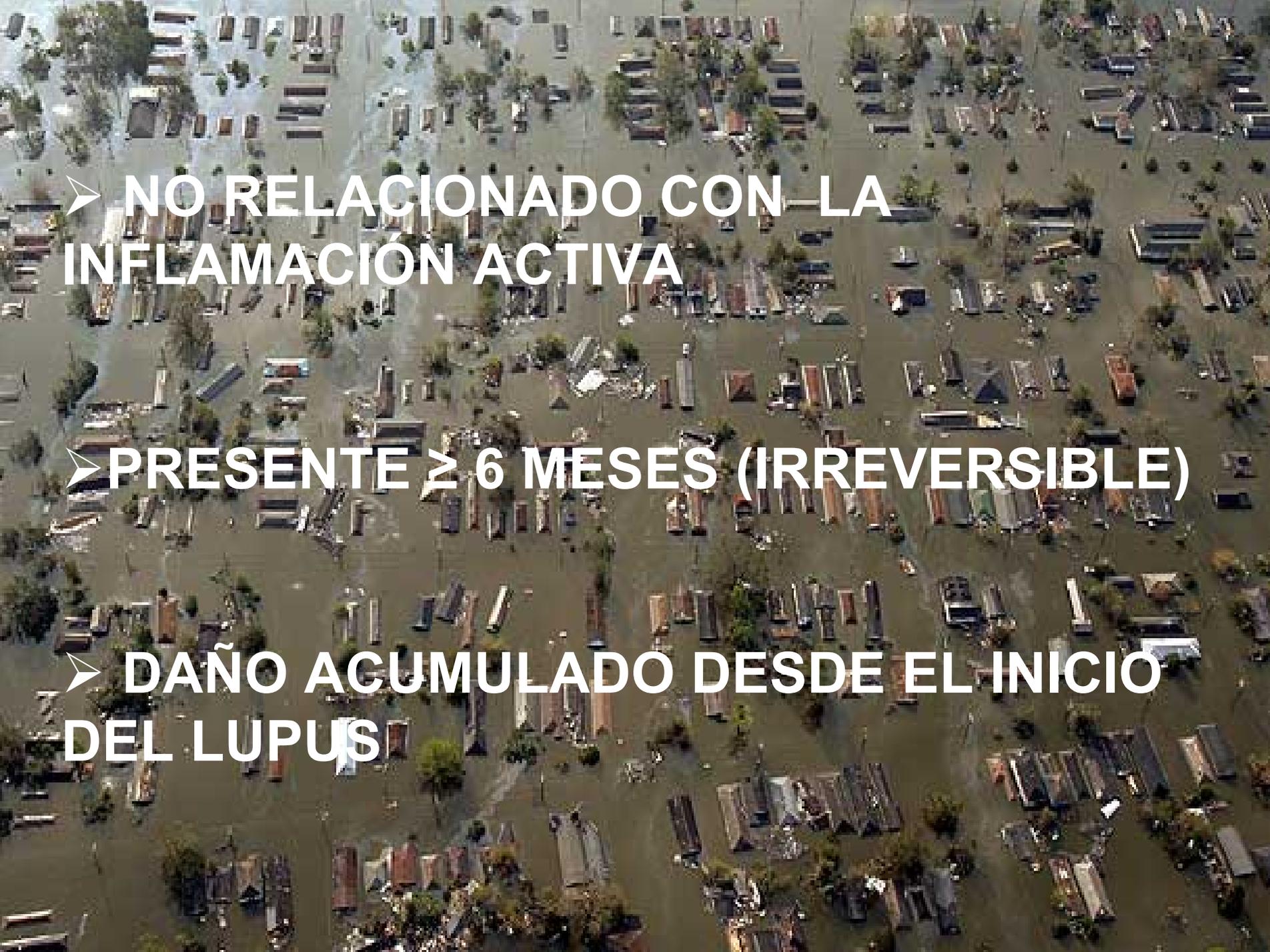


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## Ocular

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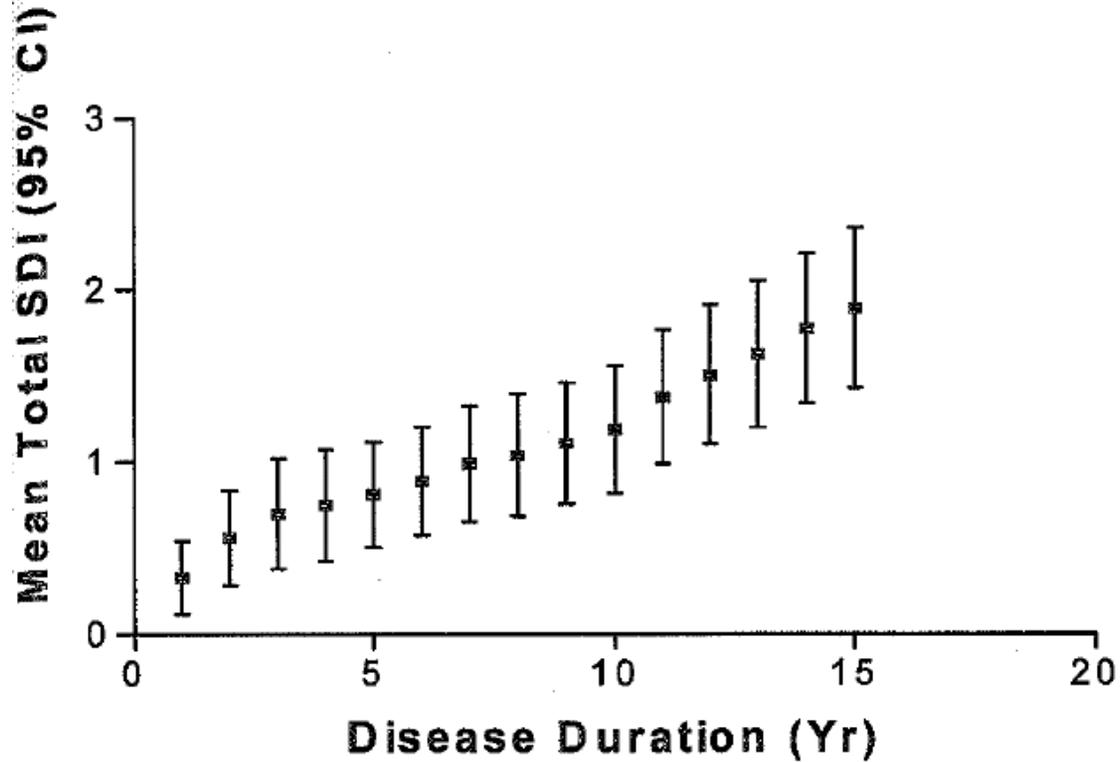
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**FACTORES  
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# ➤ 1. Duración del LES

# Daño orgánico y duración de la enfermedad



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Category	Year 1 (232 patients)	Year 5 (232 patients)	Year 10 (232 patients)	Year 15 (143 patients)	Year 20 (75 patients)	Year 25 (6 patients)
Neuropsychiatric	6 (2.6)	26 (11.2)	34 (14.7)	18 (12.5)	12 (16.0)	1 (16.7)
Seizures	1	6	7	6	2	0
Cerebrovascular accident	3	4	5	2	5	1
Cognitive impairment or major psychosis	1	14	19	7	3	0
Cranial/peripheral neuropathy	1	2	2	3	1	0
Transverse myelitis	0	0	1	0	1	0
Ocular	0 (0)	0 (0)	3 (1.3)	3 (2.1)	1 (1.3)	0 (0)
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End-stage renal disease	1	3	6	6	4	1
Pulmonary	0 (0)	0 (0)	8 (3.4)	7 (4.9)	3 (4)	0 (0)
Pulmonary hypertension	0	0	3	2	1	0
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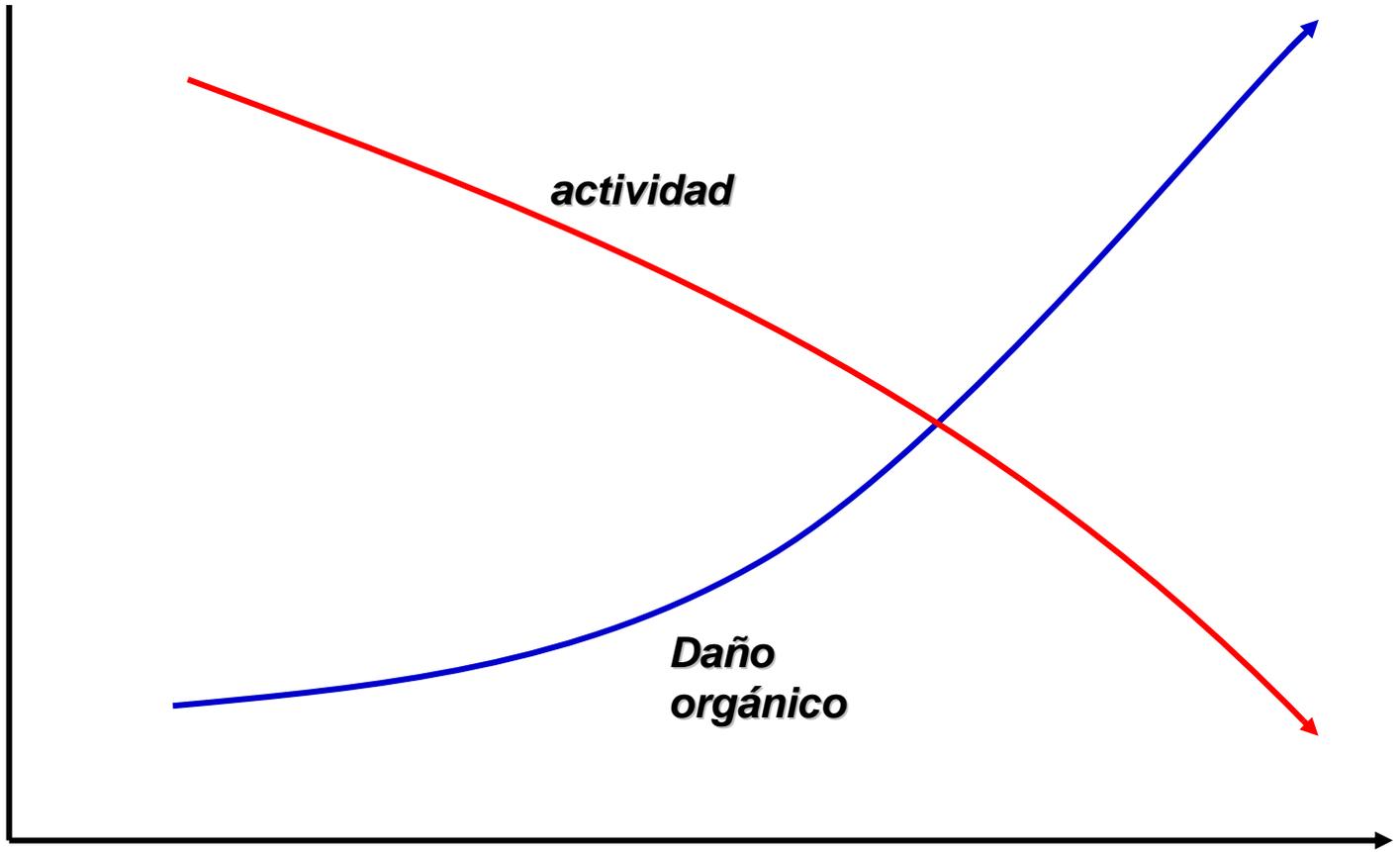
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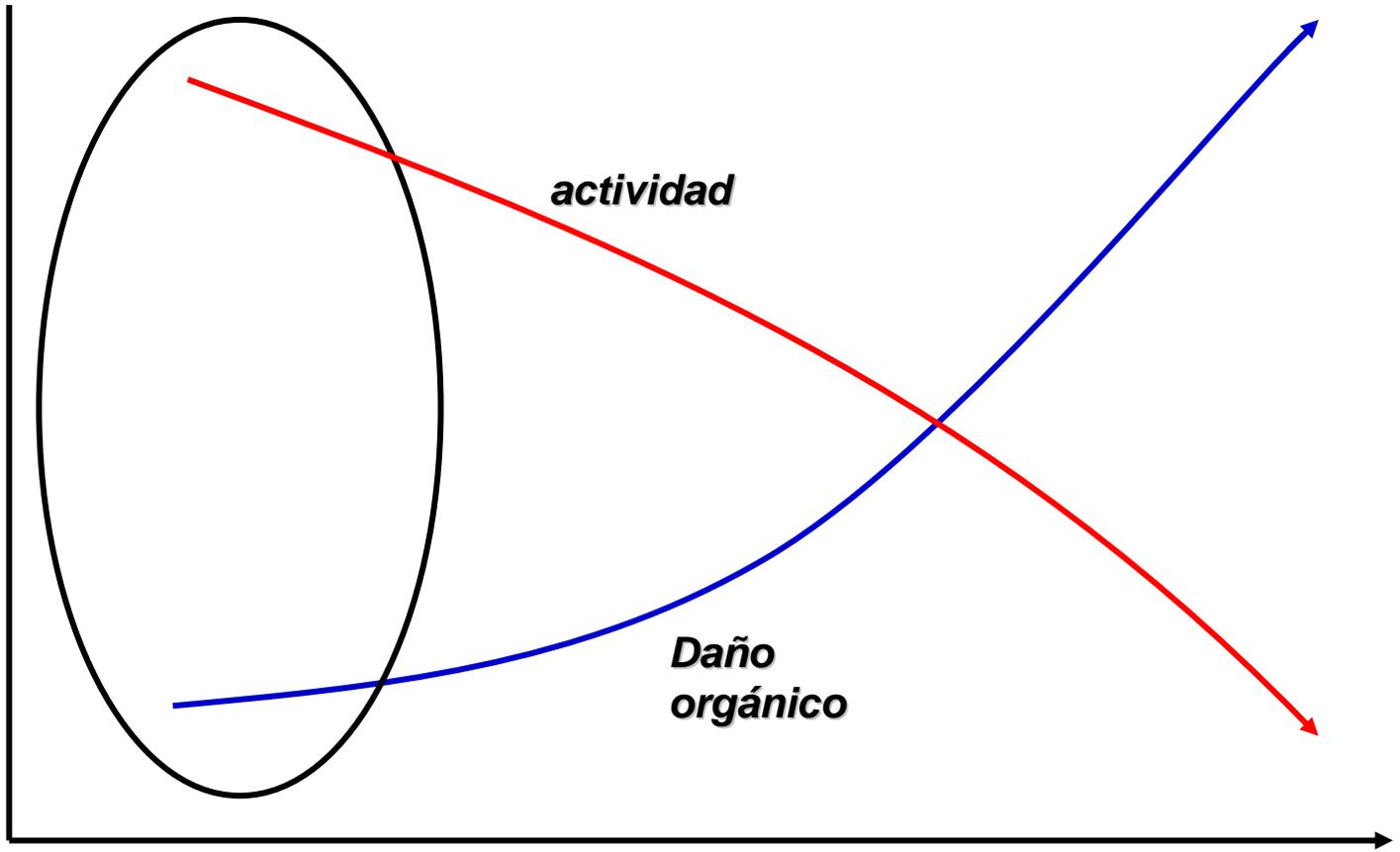


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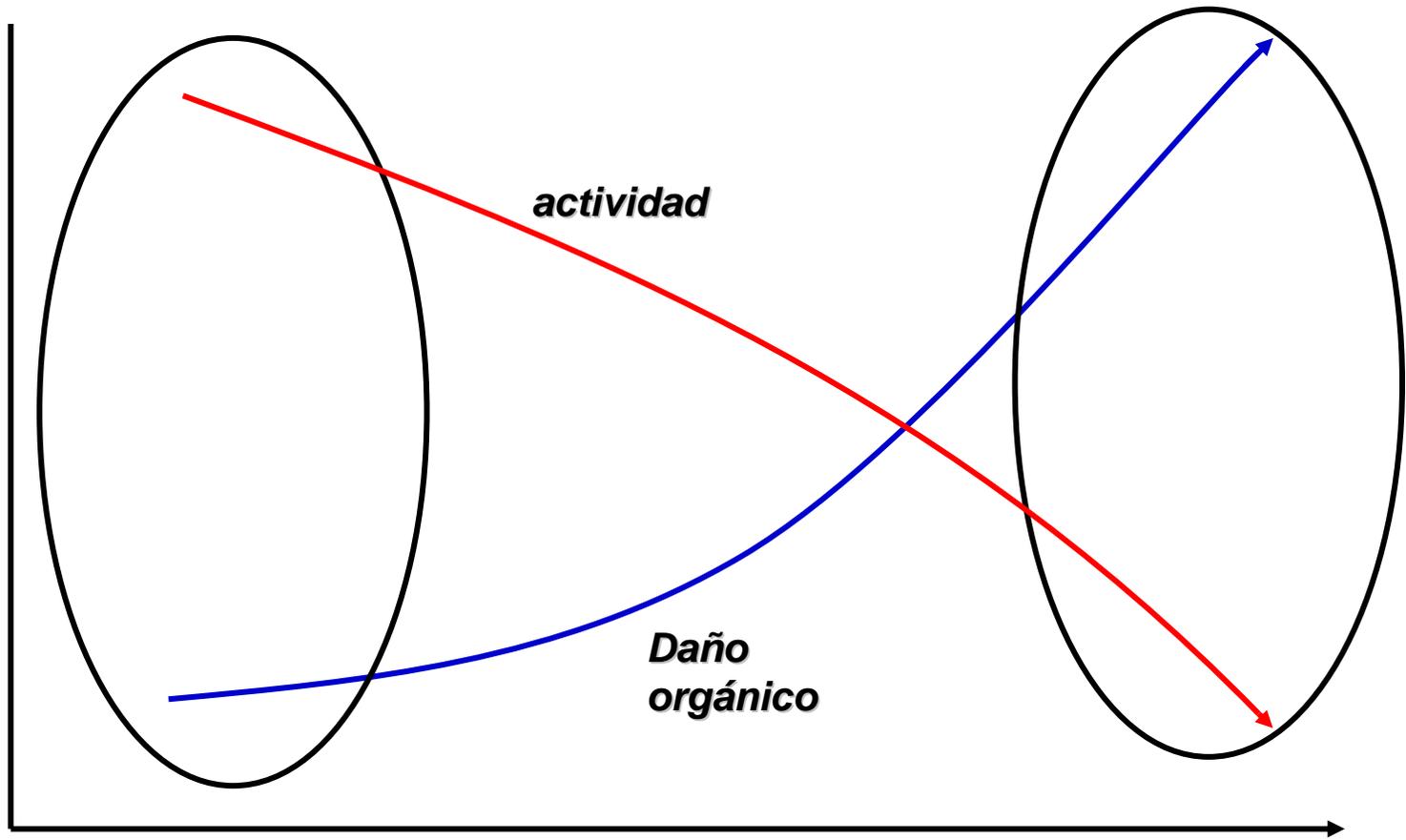


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## La actividad del LES determina más daño orgánico

TABLE 3. Prediction of death or increase in total damage score 5 yr after inclusion ( $n = 135$ ) when disease activity was described using the average of the total BILAG scores (per visit)

Disease variable	Odds ratio	95% C.I.	<i>P</i>
Total BILAG score (average per encounter)	1.623	1.219–2.161	0.001***
Initial mental health (SF-20+)	1.029	1.003–1.056	0.029*
Disease duration	1.063	0.988–1.144	0.104
Physical functioning (SF-20+)	0.987	0.968–1.006	0.167

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Disease duration, yrs	7.9 (7.9)	5.5 (4.9)	0.17
 Disease activity (SLEDAI)	9.1 (6.3)	5.5 (5.1)	0.02
Organ damage (SDI)	3.4 (2.9)	1.5 (1.7)	0.01

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*Para evitar la aparición de daño orgánico es preciso tratar precoz e intensivamente la actividad al inicio de la enfermedad*

# Daño orgánico y actividad lúpica

Table 2. Disease activity and disease damage in different categories of sedimentation rate and of anti-dsDNA antibody reactivity.

Variable	SLAM Score, mean (SD)	p	PGA Score, mean (SD)	p	SDI Score, mean (SD)	p
At baseline						
ESR (mm/hr)						
< 25	6.5 (4.5)	} < 0.001	1.7 (1.7)	} < 0.001	0.8 (1.3)	} < 0.001
25-50	8.5 (4.6)		2.4 (1.8)		1.0 (1.3)	
51-75	9.6 (5.5)		2.5 (1.8)		1.3 (1.9)	
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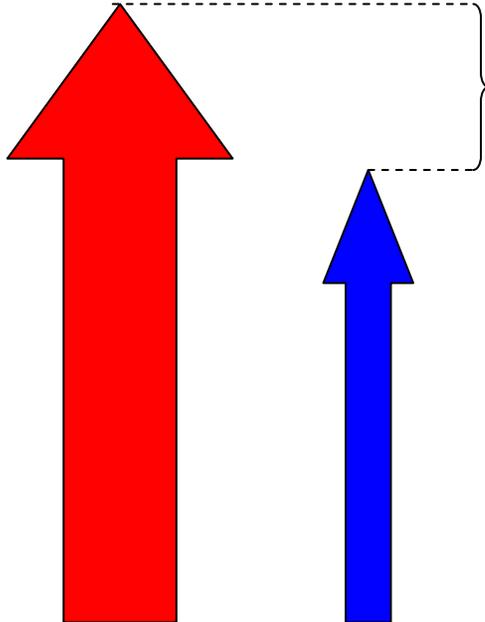
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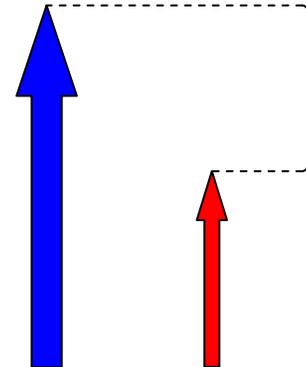
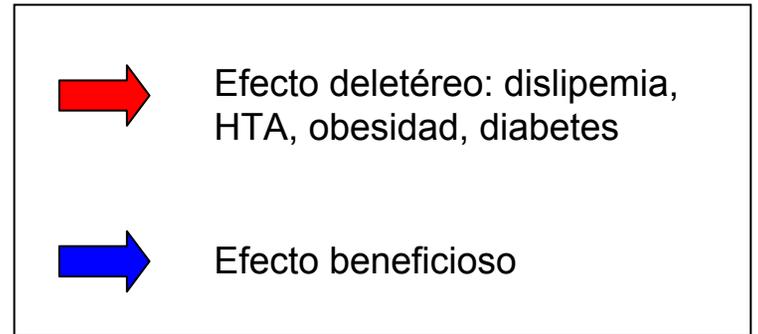
Feature	Late-onset lupus (n = 73)	Early-onset lupus (n = 144)	<i>P</i> †
Total disease duration, months	63.4 ± 42.1	62.7 ± 41.6	
Disease onset type, % acute	23	25	
No. of ACR criteria at diagnosis	5.2 ± 1.1	5.6 ± 1.2	0.014
Organ system involvement, %			
Integument	69	55	0.058
Musculoskeletal	74	64	0.089
→ Cardiopulmonary	33	20	0.046
Neurologic	53	32	0.003
Hematologic	51	49	
Renal	29	56	<0.001
Comorbidities, %			
Arterial thrombotic events	25	6	<0.001
Venous thrombotic events	7	6	
Hypertension	59	39	0.006
Hypothyroidism	22	6	<0.001
Diabetes mellitus	8	6	
Osteoporosis	7	1	0.017

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# EFEECTO DOSIS-DEPENDIENTE DE LOS CORTICOIDES



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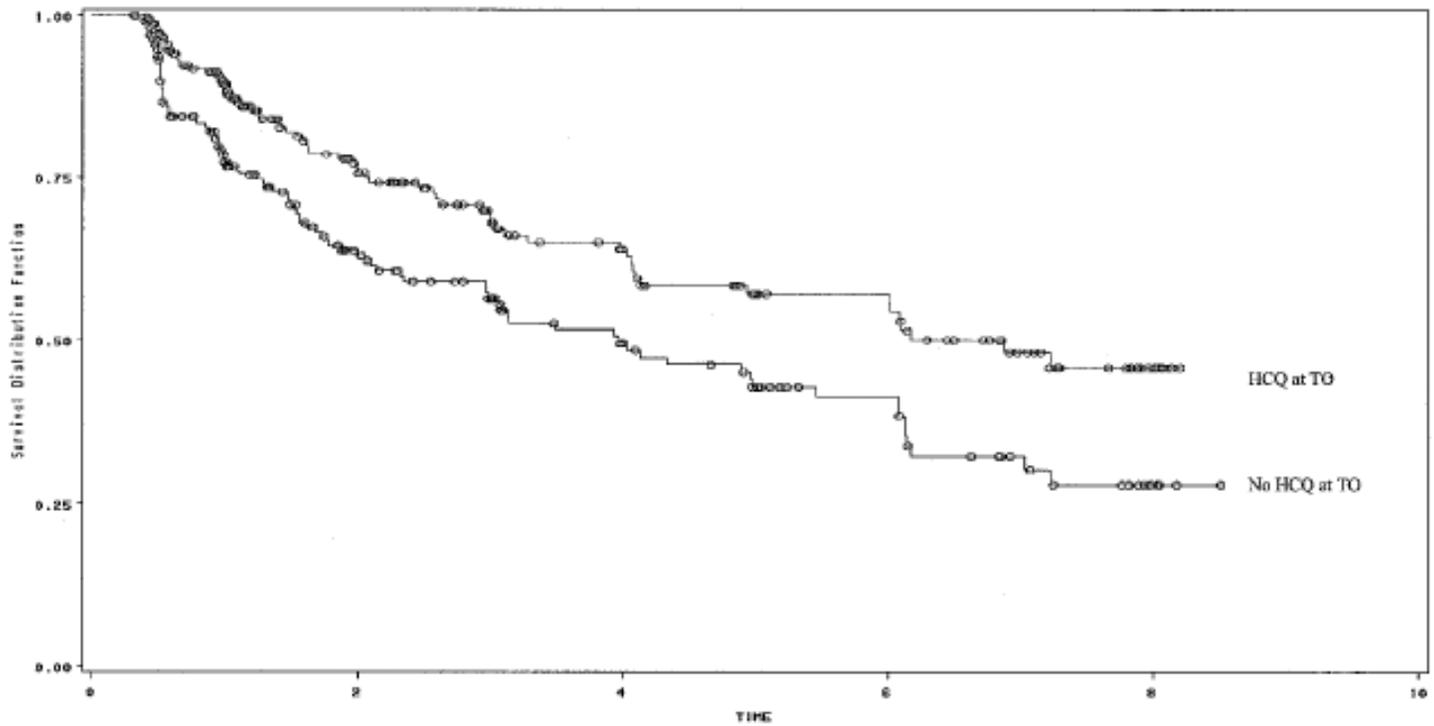
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- Duración del LES
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# Efecto protector de la HCQ sobre el daño orgánico

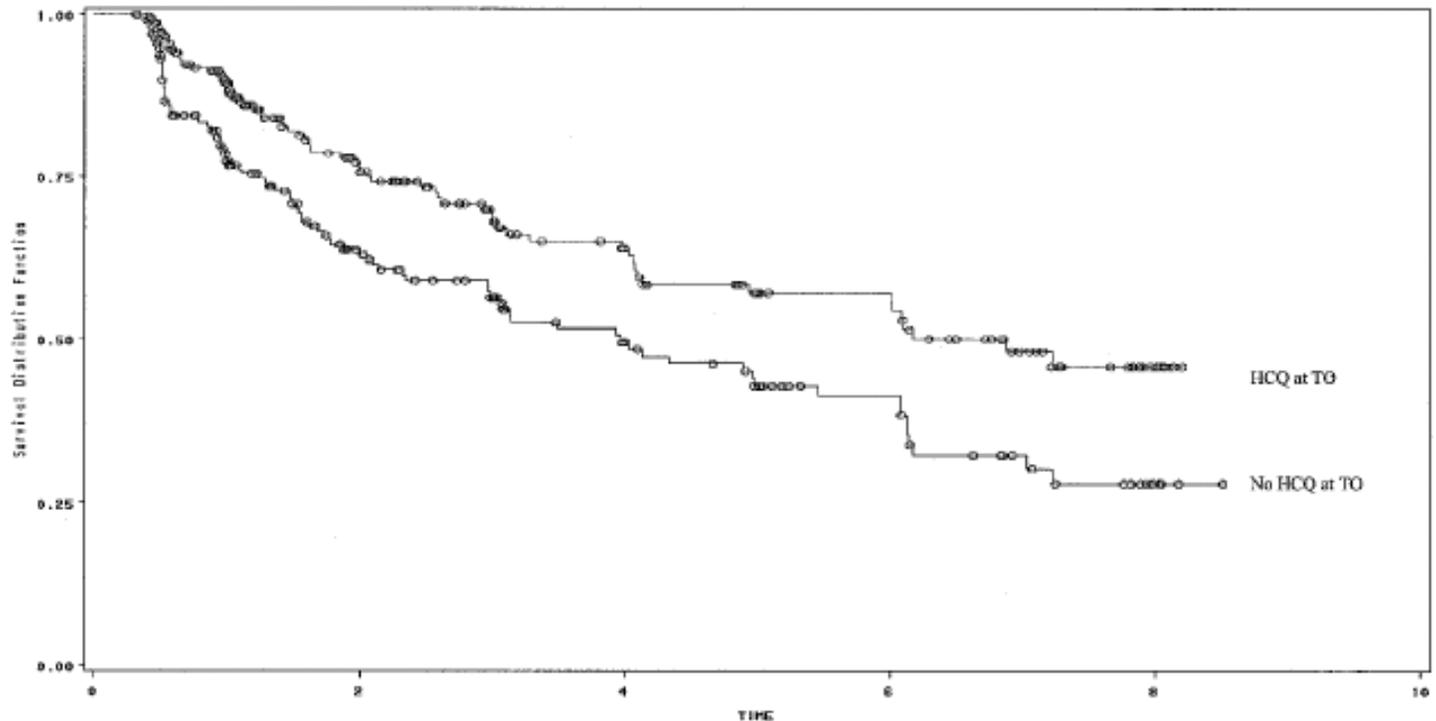


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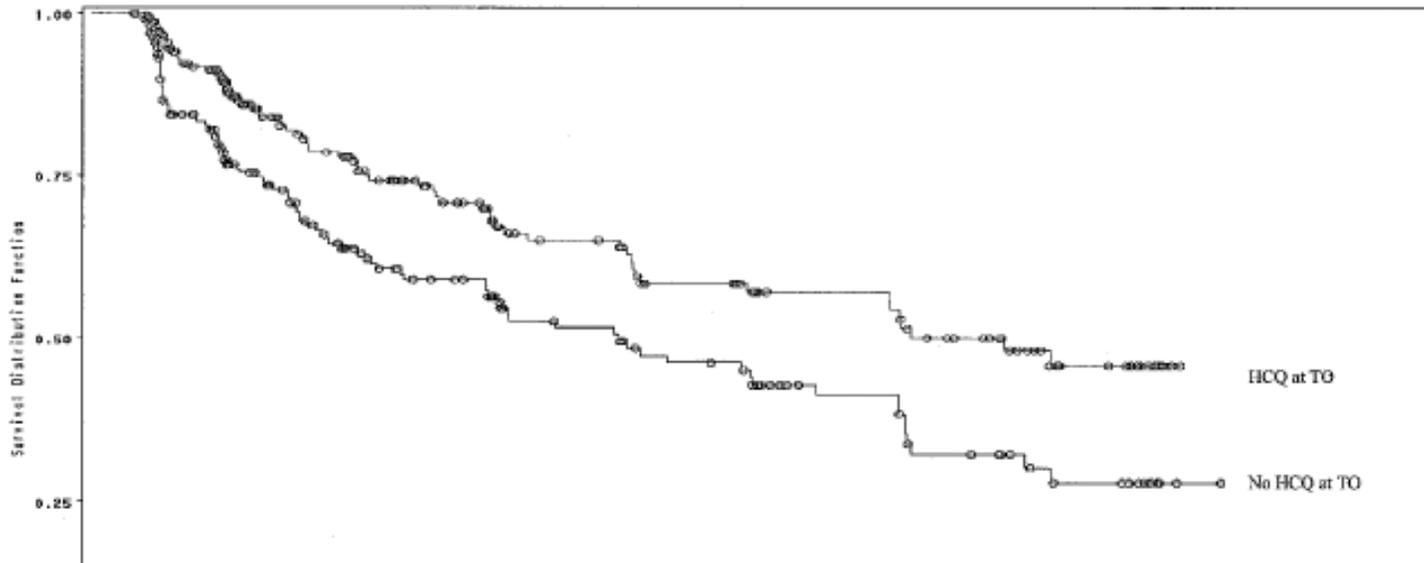


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(diferente grado de evidencia)

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- ❖ Ahorrador de corticoides
- ❖ Efecto antitrombótico
- ❖ Previene pérdida de masa ósea (?)
- ❖ Efecto beneficioso sobre el perfil lipídico proaterogénico (?)
- ❖ Efecto hipoglucemiante (?)
- ❖ Previene arteriosclerosis subclínica (?)
- ❖ Protección contra el cáncer (?)

# Hidroxicloroquina y síndrome metabólico

Variables associated with metabolic syndrome in patients with SLE, using logistic regression

<i>Explanatory variable</i>	<i>Odds ratio</i>	<i>95% confidence interval P</i>	
Educational level	0.835	0.749–0.930	<0.001
Triglycerides	1.024	1.011–1.036	<0.001
HDL cholesterol	0.936	0.906–0.968	<0.001
C3	1.017	1.001–1.032	0.032
Hydroxychloroquine use	0.192	0.061–0.605	0.003

Sabio JM, et al. *Lupus* 2008; 17: 849

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# SLICC/ACR Damage Index for SLE

## Ocular

Catarata, retinopatía, atrofia óptica

## Neuropsiquiátrico

Alteraciones cognitivas, convulsiones, **ACV**, neuropatía periférica o PC, mielitis transversa

## Renal

TFG < 50%, prot ≥ 3.5 g/d, IRCT

## Pulmonar

HTP, fibrosis pulmonar o pleural, pulmón encogido, **infarto pulmonar**

## Cardiovascular

Card isquémica, cardiomiopatía, valvulopatía, pericarditis

## Vasculatura periférica

Claudicación intermitente, pérdida tisular, trombosis venosa

## Gastrointestinal

**Infarto** o resección intestinal, hepática, esplénica, vesicular, insuf. mesentérica, peritonitis, estenosis o cirugía TGI

## Musculoesquelético

Atrofia o debilidad muscular, artritis erosiva o deformante, **fractura vertebral osteoporótica**, ONA, osteomielitis

## Cutáneo

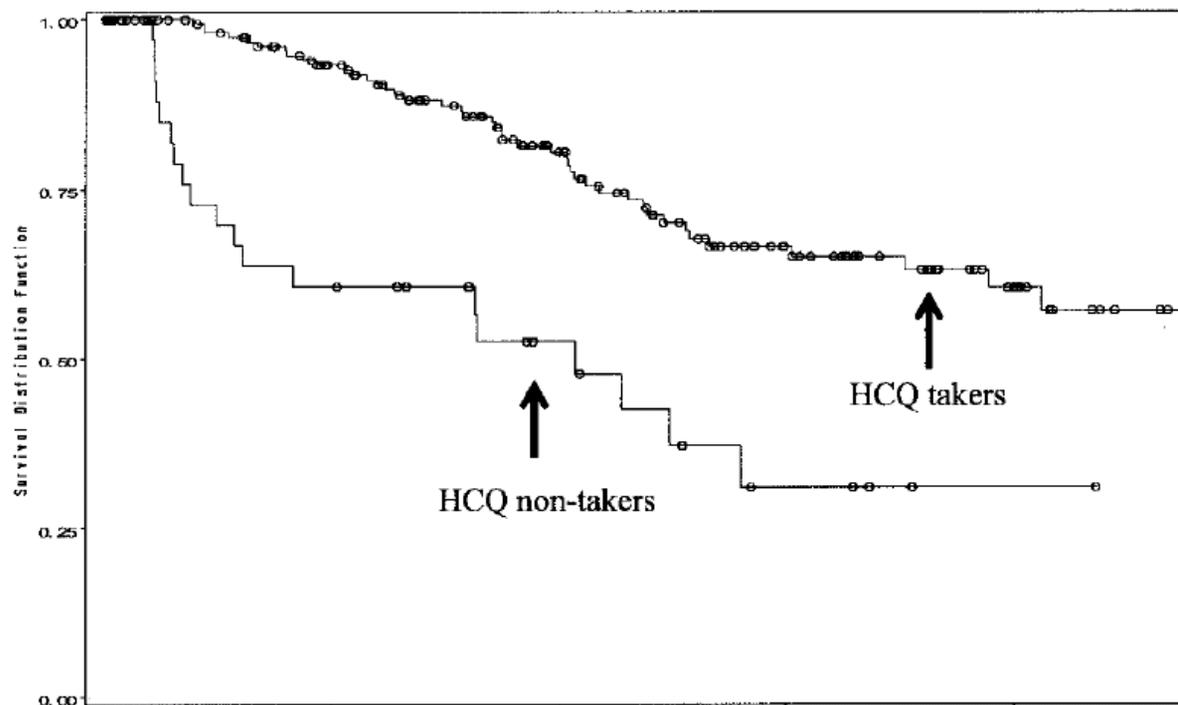
Alopecia cicatricial, placas cicatriciales cutáneas extensas, atrofia panículo adiposo, cuero cabelludo o pulpejos

## Fallo gonadal prematuro

## Diabetes

## Neoplasias

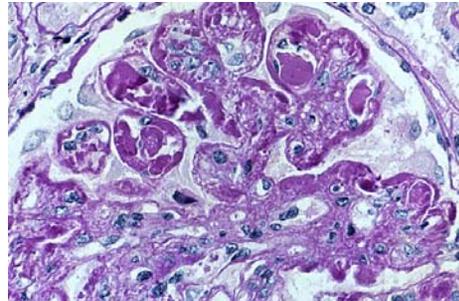
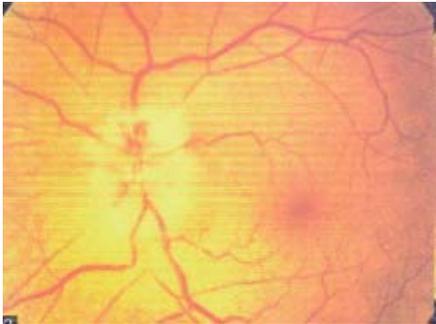
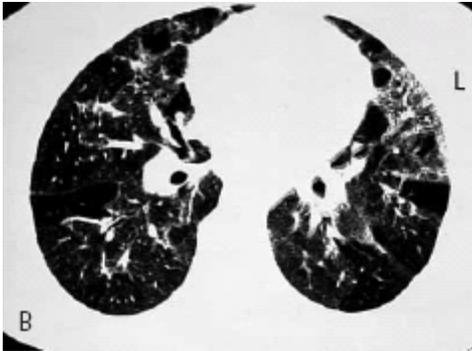
# Cumulative probability of developing renal damage in LUMINA



Time (years)	0	2.5	5	7.5	10
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Hydroxychloroquine non-takers	42	20	11	4	1

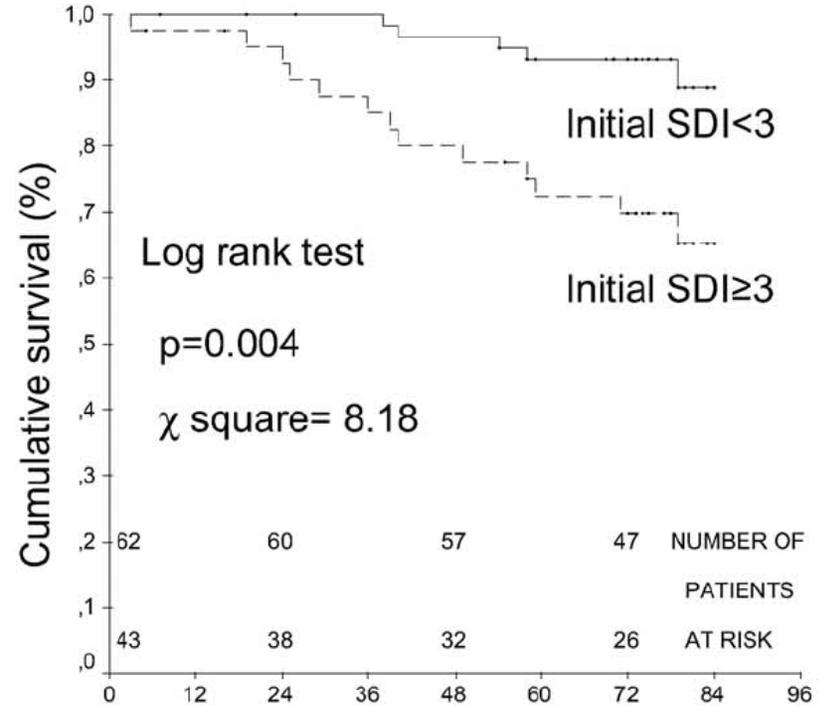
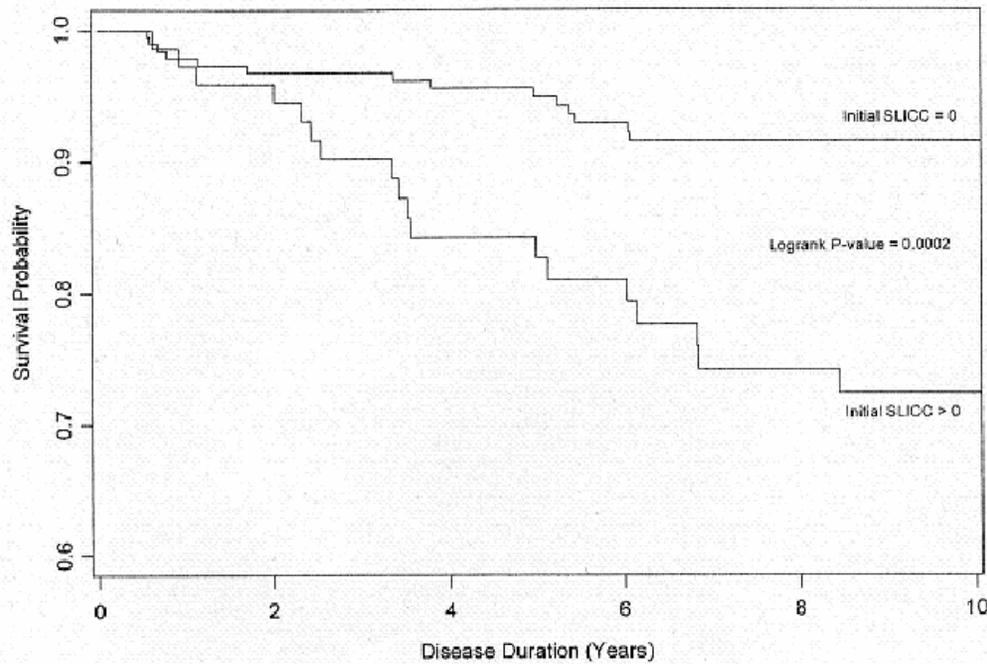
**Conclusion.** After adjusting for possible confounding factors, the protective effect of hydroxychloroquine in retarding renal damage occurrence in systemic lupus erythematosus is still evident.

# **CONSECUENCIAS DEL DAÑO ORGÁNICO**



**DAÑO  
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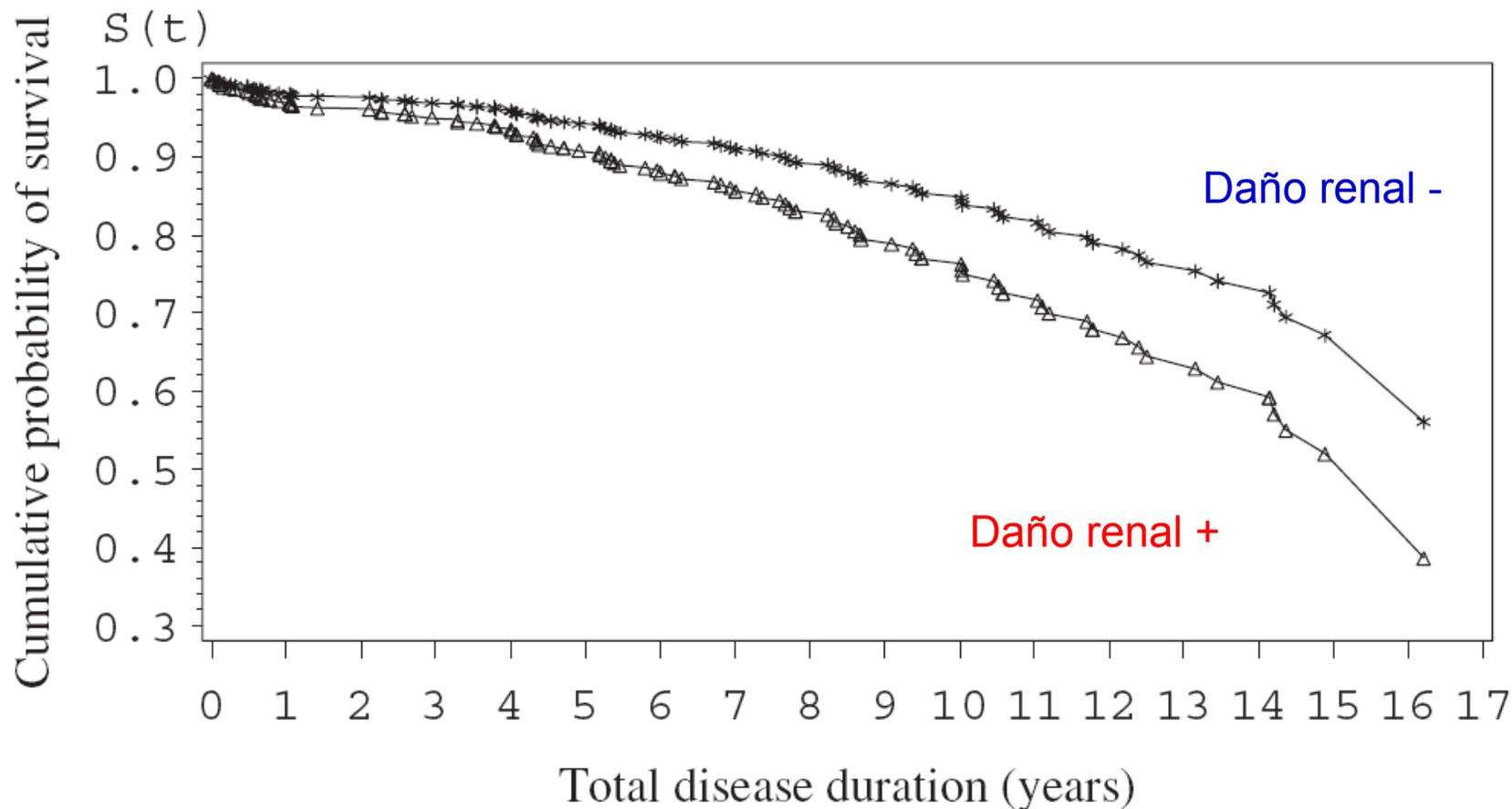
# Daño orgánico precoz y mortalidad



Rahman P ,et al. Lupus 2001;10:93

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# El daño renal es el dominio que mejor predice la mortalidad en LES



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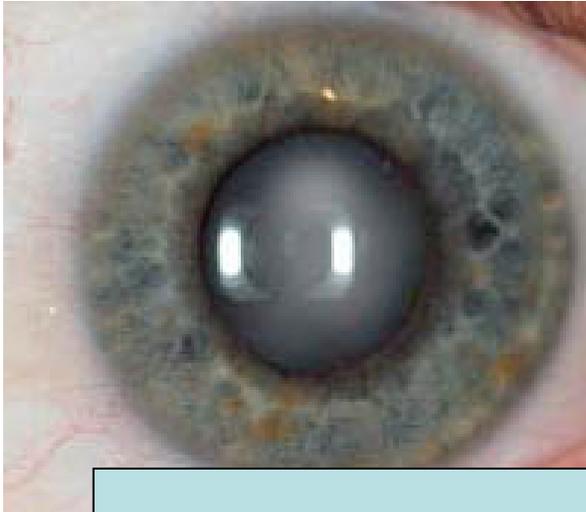


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***Para el cálculo del daño orgánico (índice SLICC) debería tenerse en cuenta el peso relativo de cada lesión***

# **Estrategias para disminuir el daño orgánico**

1. Diagnóstico precoz
2. Tratamiento precoz y adecuado
3. Control de la actividad lúpica y prevención del daño orgánico
4. Uso adecuado de corticoides (dosis mínima eficaz)
5. Uso precoz de la HCQ
6. Control estrecho y prevención de los efectos adversos de los fármacos
7. Control de comorbilidades: por ejemplo FRCV
8. Uso de nuevos inmunosupresores (MFM vs CFM)



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