

# Differences in pubertal development and anthropometry between normal population and type 1



## diabetic child debut

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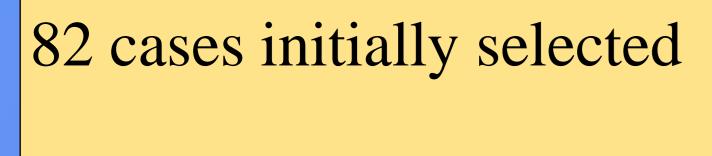
INTRODUCTION: The deterioration caused DMtipo1 anthropometric and pubertal development. With intensive treatment, improved HbA1c and less microvascular complications should be similar to normal population.

**OBJETIVES:** To study the pubertal development in our population with DM1 and final somatometric variables reached in relation to the normal population.

#### MATERIAL and METHODS:

Retrospective study of DM1A debut from diagnosis to final height. Inclusion: Historical Unit Patients from 1973 to 2000 DMtipo1a. Exclusion: other DM, no final height or V. Tanner Studio and bilateral Student t - test Samples T IBM SPSS 18.0. Comparative longitudinal half somatometry Orbegozo 2004 (OL) to final height. Pubertal development Ferrandez 2002 (DPF).

### RESULTS:



Man: 38 (46%) Woman: 44 (54%)

Average Age at debut: 8,24 y (0,3-15)

Average BMI at debut: 16,98 kg/m2 (-0,2 SDS)

Average tall at debut: 132 cm (+0,3 SDS)

**Average HbA1c at debut**: 11,11% (8-15,5)

Man: 10,79%

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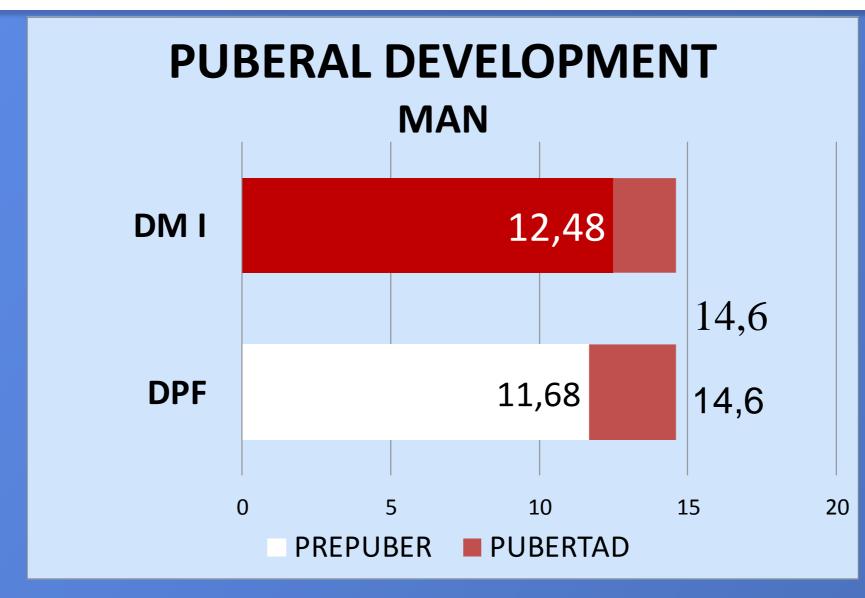
Average Tanner stage at debut: I

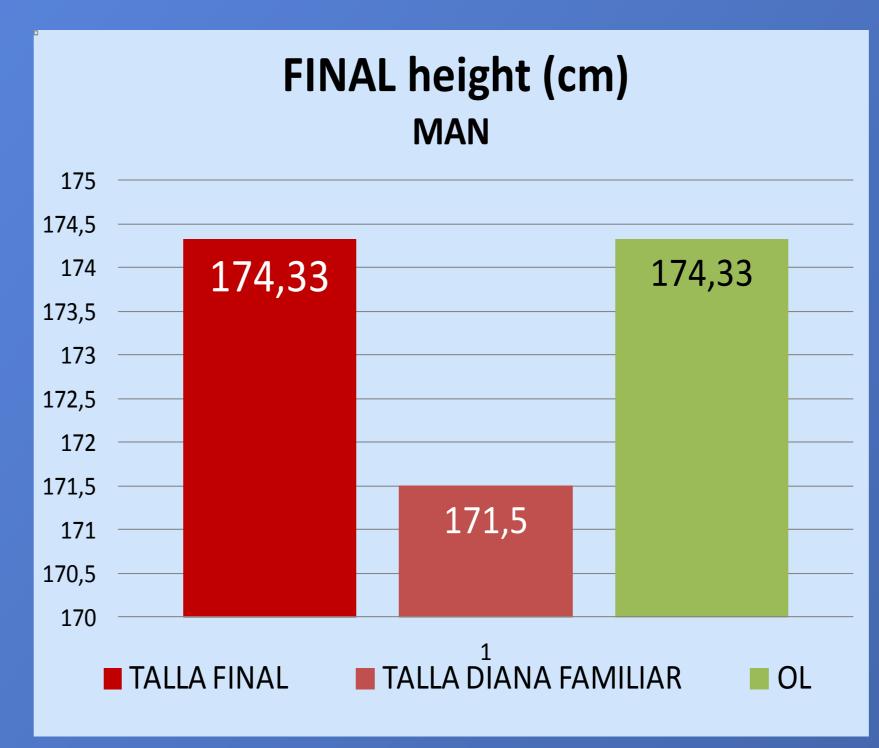
Average study during (years): 9,6

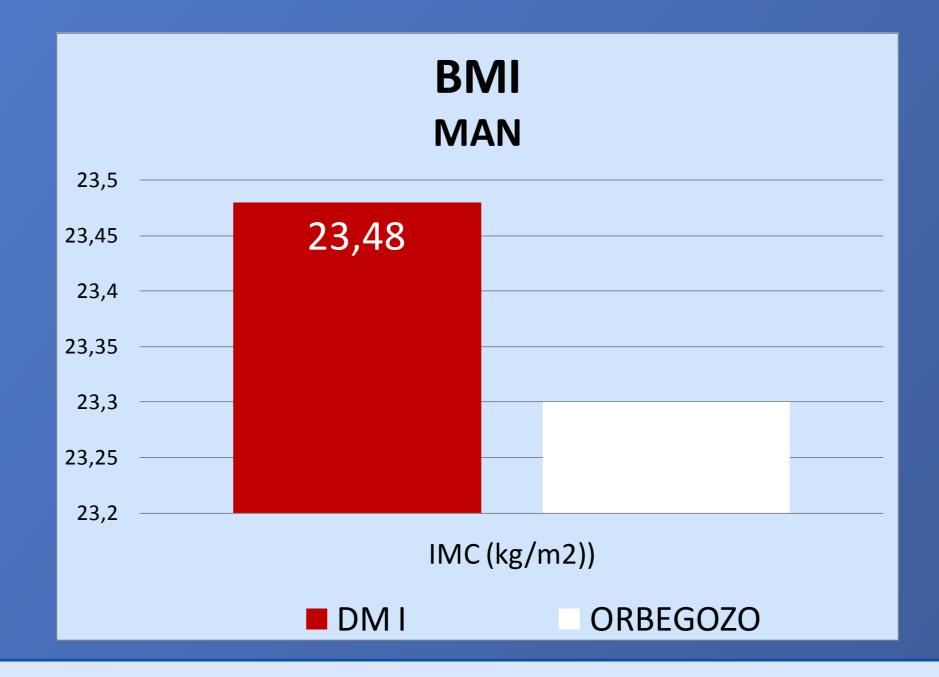
Average age pass to adults (years): 17,91

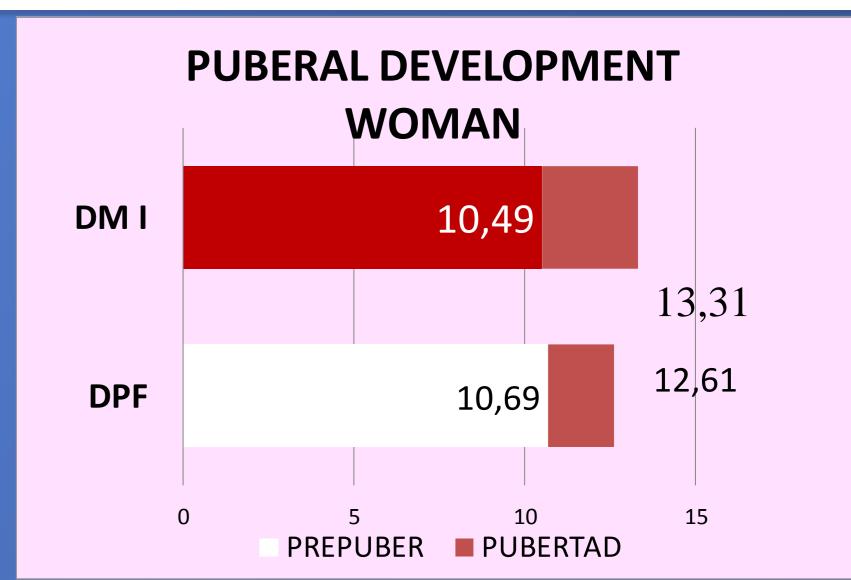
**Average HbA1c**: 7,30% (5,8-9,6)

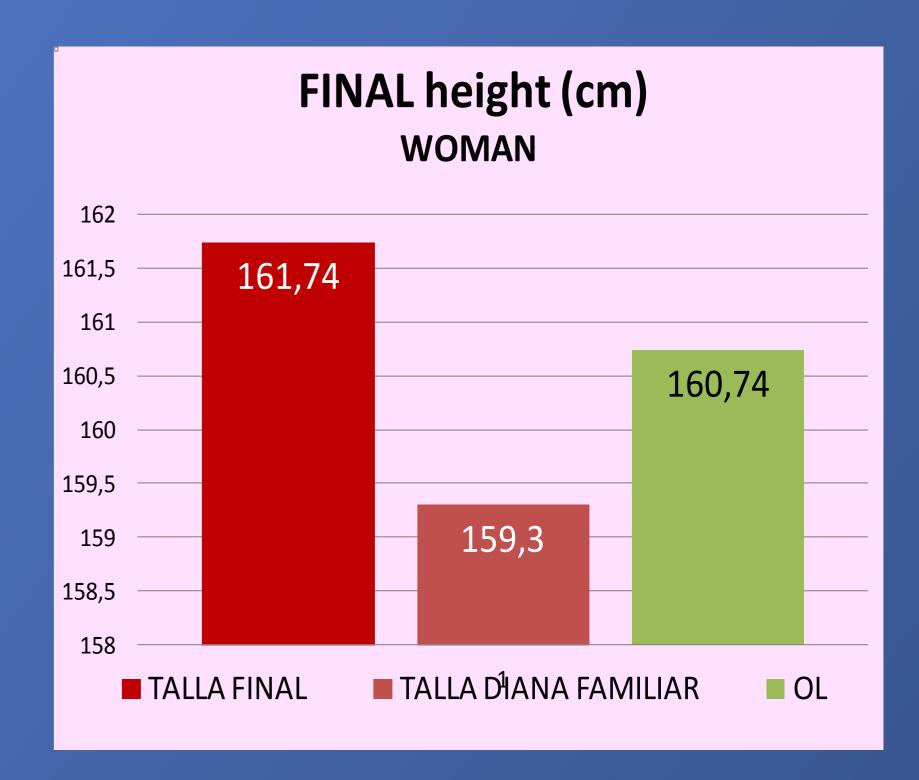
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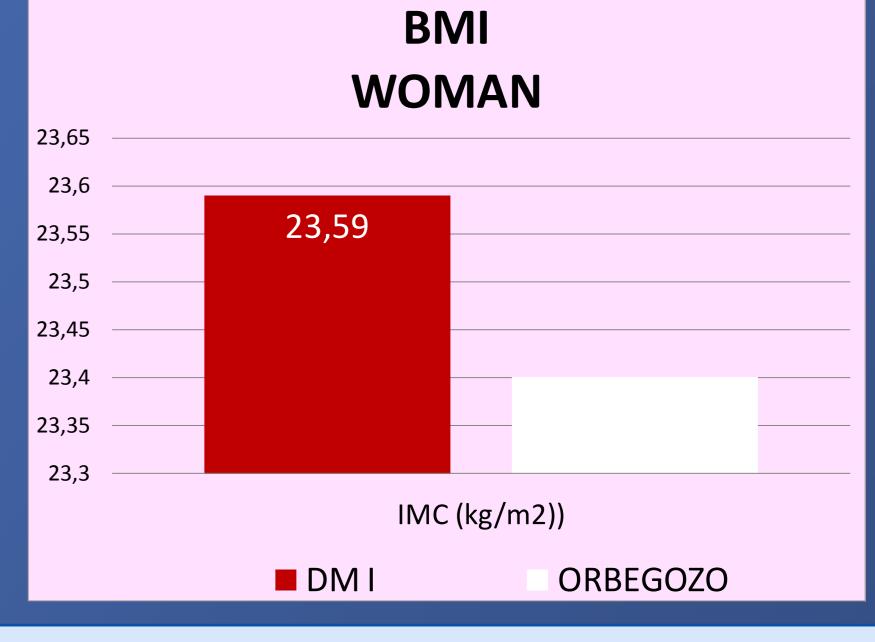












To start T2 of mean age 12.48 years, SD 1.2 (+0.8 years for PDF p: 0.02) and T5 14.60 years (like PDF). Final height reached 174.33, gain +2.8 cm. TD regarding size and equivalent to OL. 23.48Kg/m2 BMI (Z -score +0.51 SDS respect OL p: 0.001)

To start T2 P mean age 10.49 years, SD 1.1 (-0.2 years for PDF p: 0.45) and menarche at 13.31 years (+0.7) years for PDF p: 0.02). Final height reached 161.74, gain +2.5 cm. TD respect and respect OL +1.0 cm p: 0.010. BMI 23.59 kg/m2 ( Z -score +0.85 SDS regarding OL p : 0.001 ).

#### **CONCLUSIONS:**

DM1 children start puberty a little later, ending an age and final height equivalent to normal population, but there is more tendency to be overweight, perhaps influenced by insulin therapy. Girls enter telarquia a normal age but more than half year delay menarche, finishing in a normal size but with tendency to overweight.