

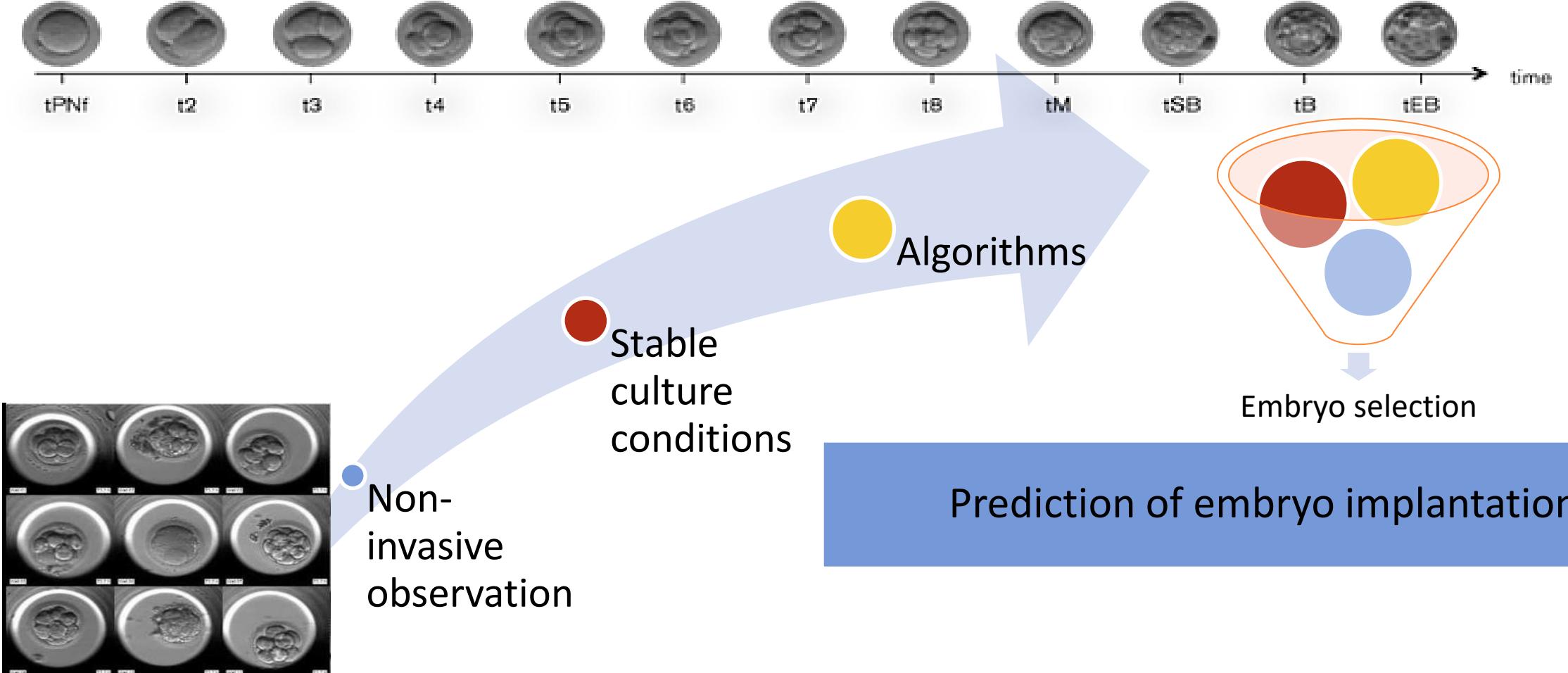


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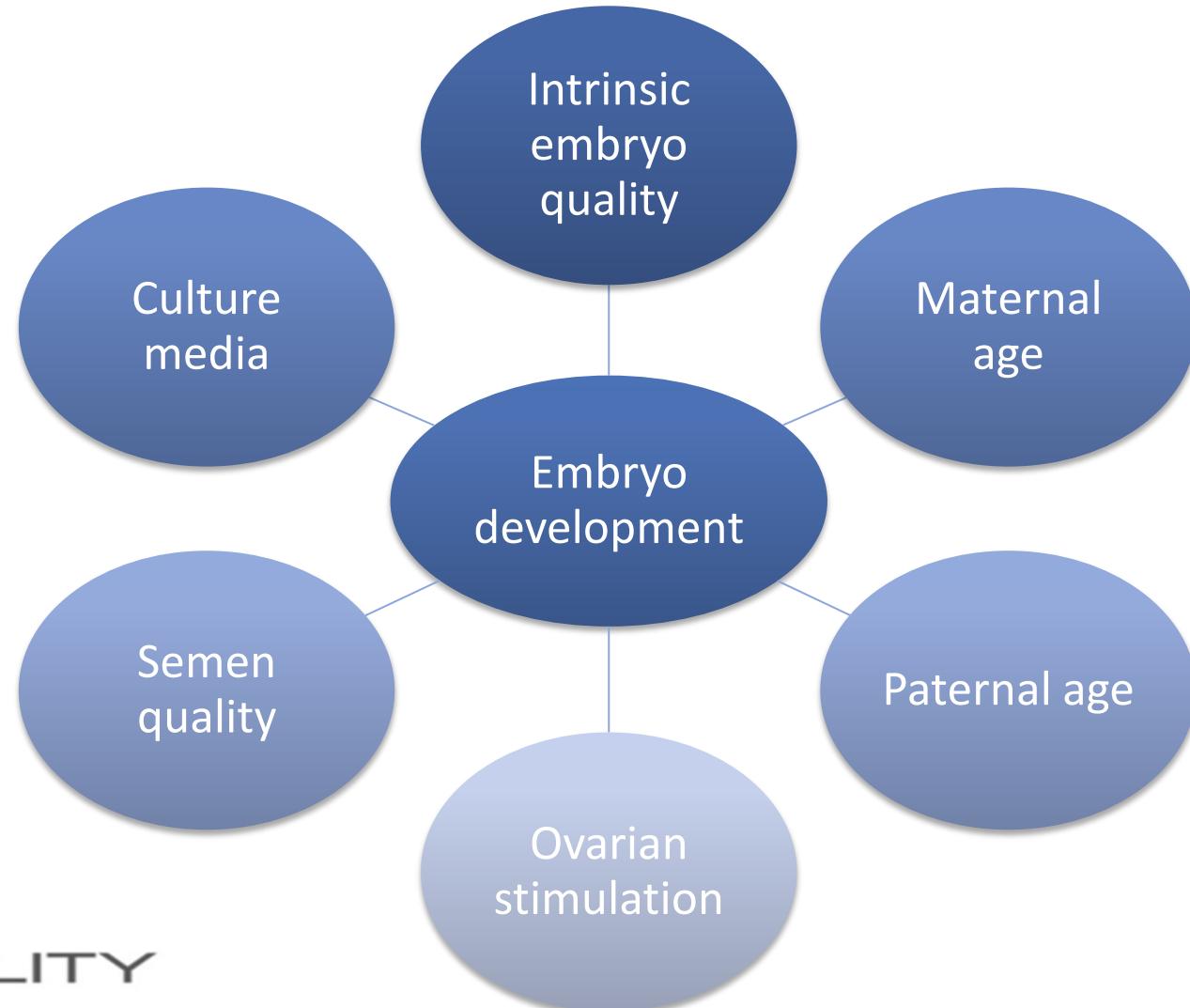
## PATERNAL CONTRIBUTION TO EMBRYO MORPHOKINETICS IN A TIME-LAPSE INCUBATOR SYSTEM

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# OBJECTIVE

To investigate the impact of paternal age and semen quality on embryo morphokinetics events in a TL-imaging incubator

# MATERIAL AND METHODS

Cross-section

Private-university affiliated IVF center

Mar-Nov/19

Kinetic data

TLI incubator  
until D5



# MATERIAL AND METHODS

## Embryo culture and Kinetic markers

Injected oocytes cultured until D5

TL-monitored incubator (EmbryoScope+)

11 focal planes, every 10'

tPNa and tPNf

t2, t3, t4, t5, t6, t7, t8 and tB

Durations of cell cycles cc2 (t3-t2) and cc3 (t5-t3)

Timing to complete synchronous divisions s1 (t2-tPNf), s2 (t4-t3), and s3 (t8-t5)



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# MATERIAL AND METHODS

Data analysis      Multivariate regression analysis, adjusted for maternal age



Semen parameters, EA length and male age: independent

Kinetic markers: dependent

For clinical outcomes, Generalized linear model (GZLM),  
adjusted for maternal age (IR and CPR: dependent)

Regression coefficient (B) or exponentiation of B (ExpB) with  
95% CI, and p-value (<0.05)

# RESULTS

Variable	Mean ± SD
Female age (years)	37.7 ± 3.8
Female BMI	24.7 ± 4.0

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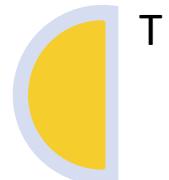
Variable	Mean ± SD
<b>Semen analysis</b>	
Male age (years)	41.3 ± 6.8
Ejaculatory abstinence length (days)	3.2 ± 2.5



11.5%



13.7%

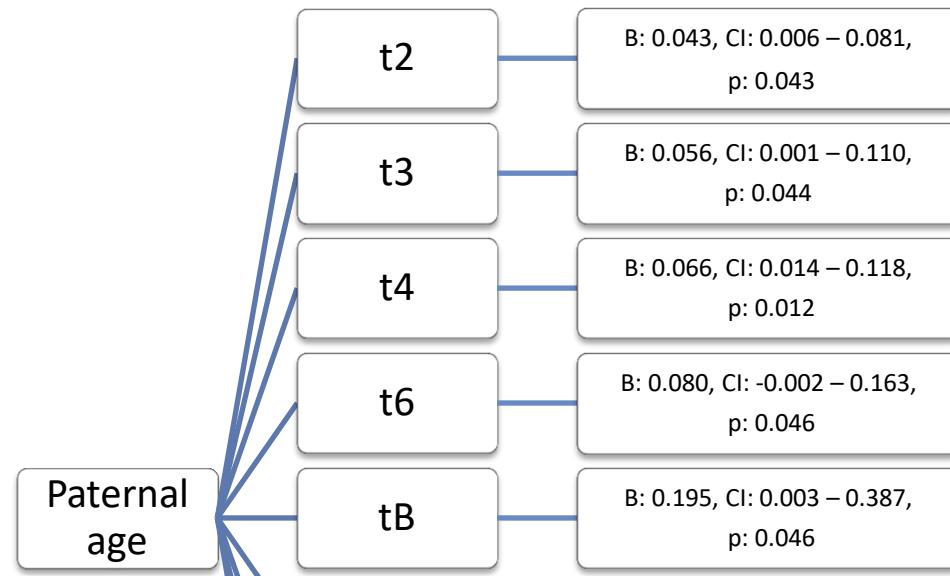


74.8%

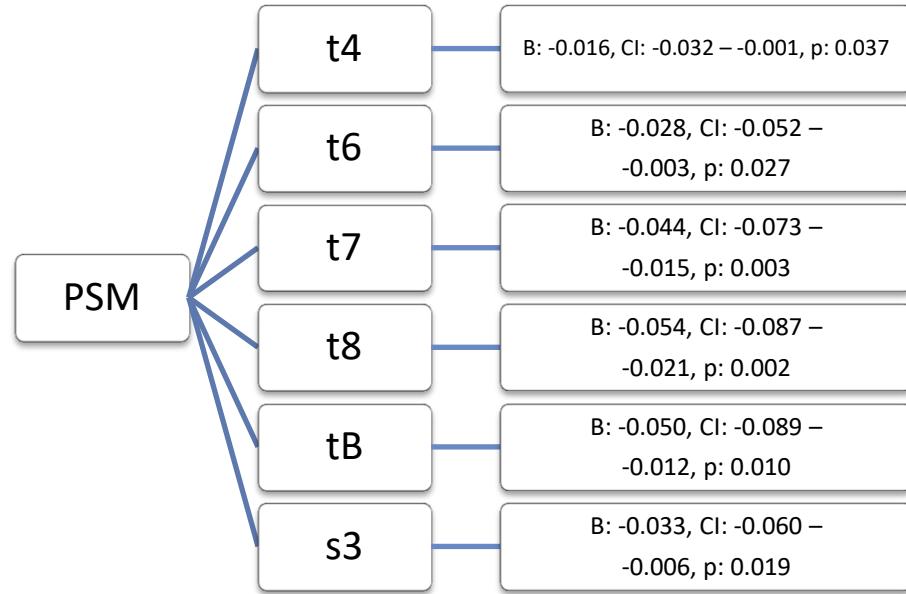
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Variable	Mean ± SD
<b>ICSI outcomes</b>	
Fertilization rate (%)	75.8
Blastocyst development (%)	64.4
Transferred embryos (n)	1.3 ± 0.5
Endometrial thickness (mm)	8.3 ± 4.4
Implantation rate (%)	24.4 ± 56.0
Pregnancy rate (%)	24.0
Miscarriage rate (%)	0.0

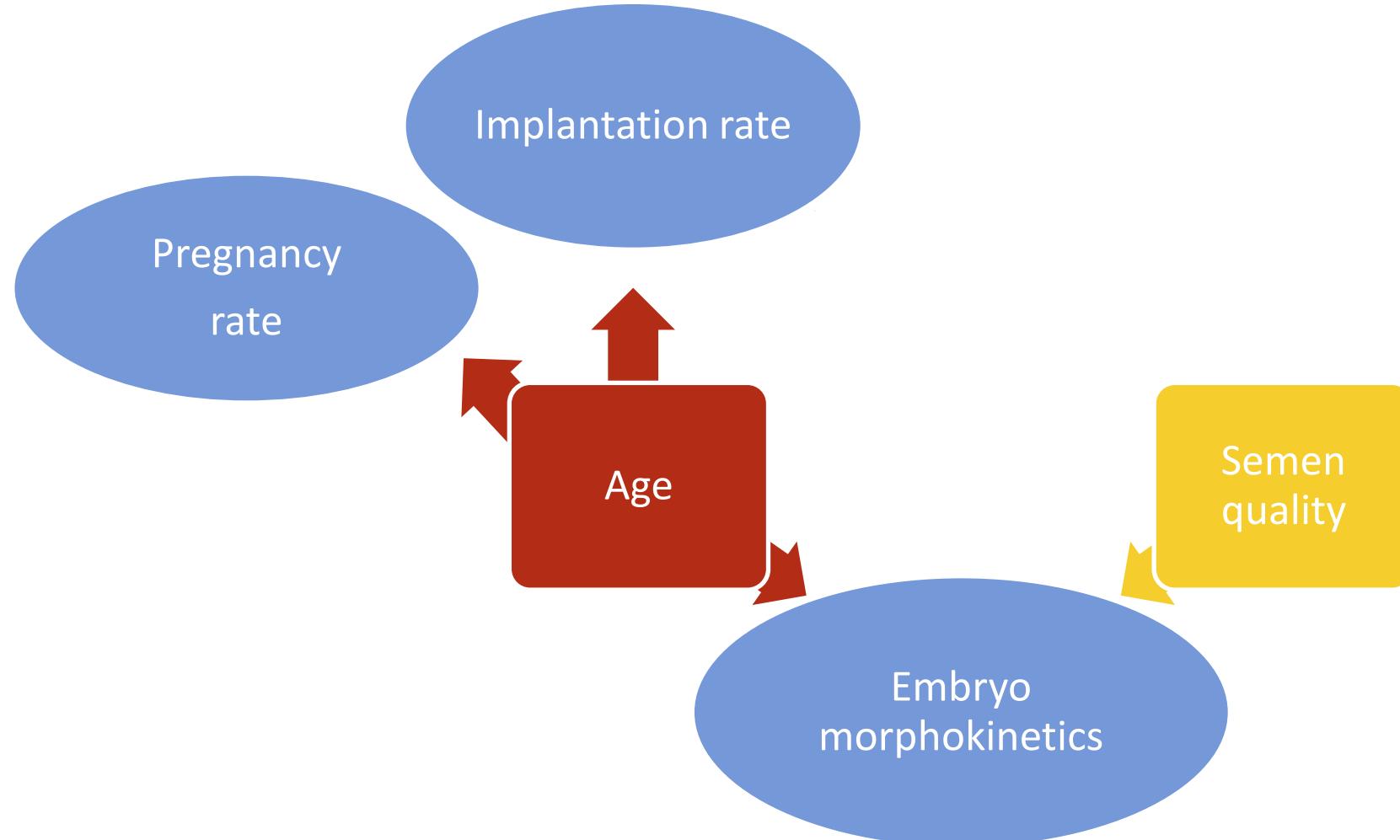
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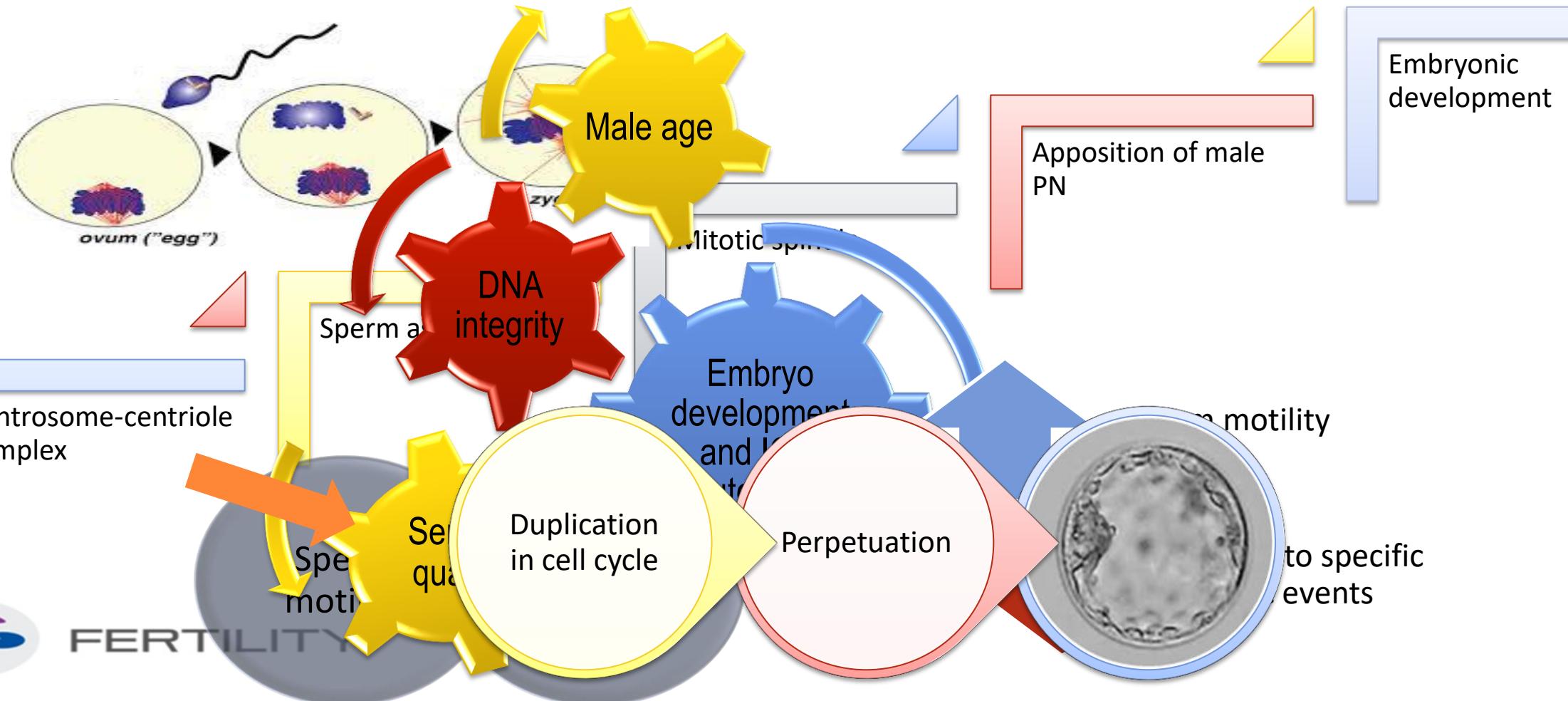
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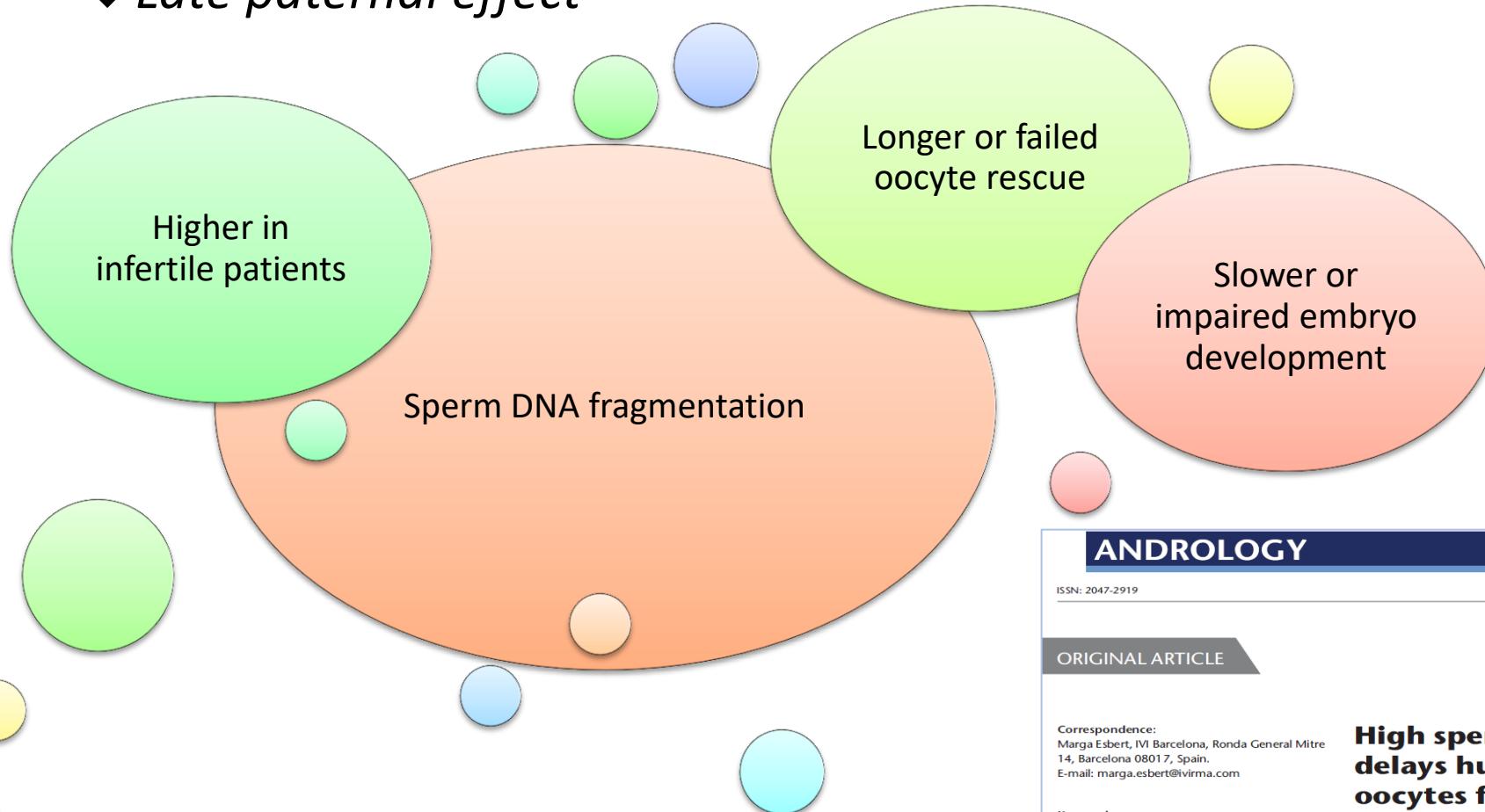
## Previous findings

### ❖ Early paternal effect



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### ❖ Late paternal effect



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# CONCLUSIONS

Increasing paternal age and EA, and poor semen quality correlate with delayed cell cleavage and blastulation;

Increasing paternal age and EA reduce the implantation rate;

Increasing paternal age reduce the pregnancy chance in couples undergoing ICSI as a result of male factor of infertility

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