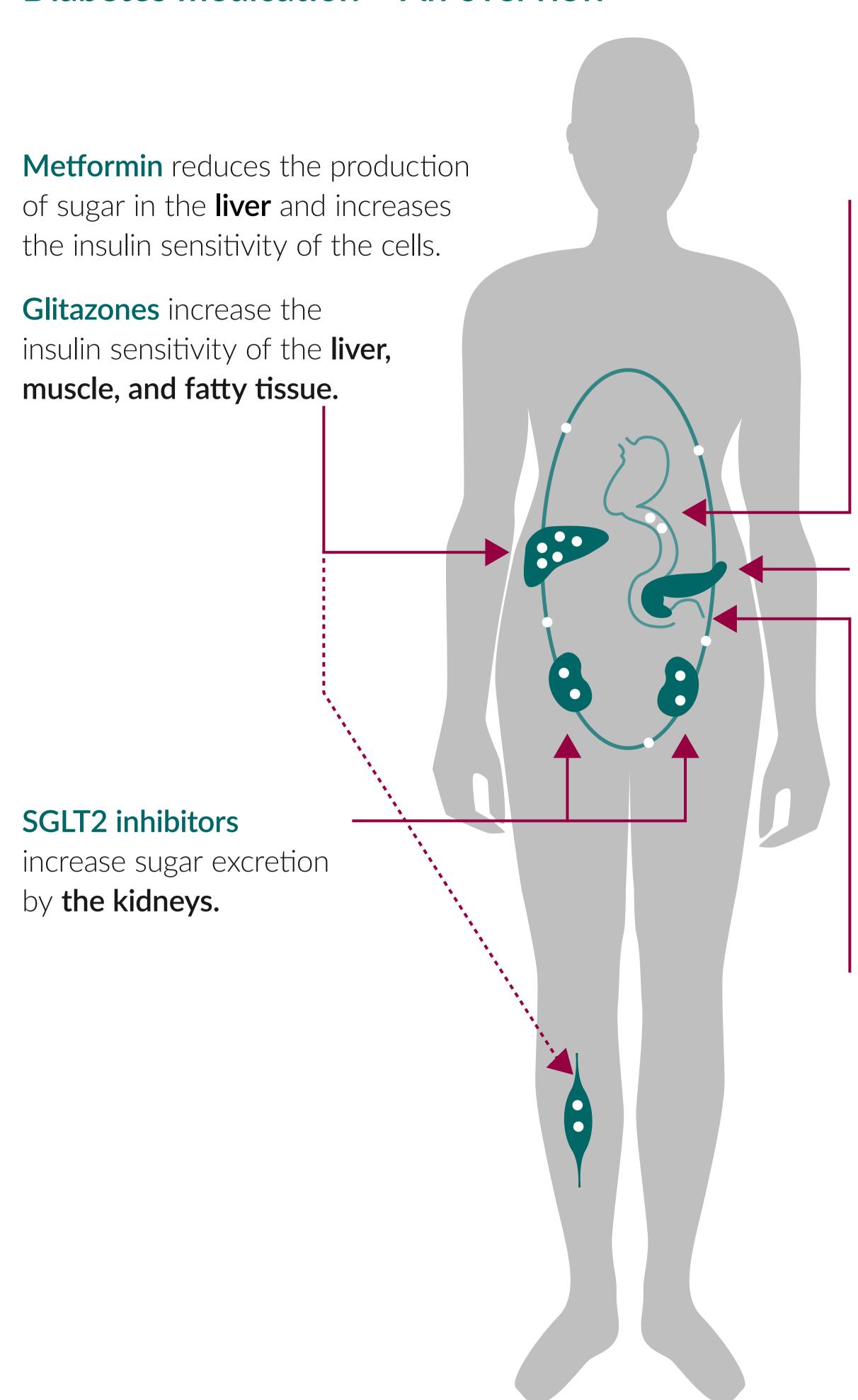
## Diabetes medication - An overview



Alpha-glucosidase inhibitors decrease sugar absorption from the gastrointestinal tract into the blood.

Sulfonylureas and glinides increase the production of insulin in the pancreas.

GLP-1 receptor antagonist and DPP-4 inhibitors increase the effects of the intestinal hormone GLP-1, which stimulates the release of insulin from the pancreas.