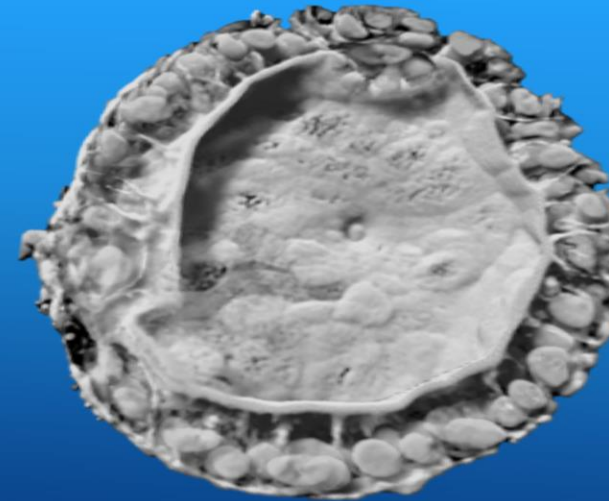


3D *intestinal organoid model*



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What is an organoid ?

an artificially grown mass of cells or tissue that resembles an organ



The ability to grow human tissues from stem cells in 3D culture has the potential to revolutionize the drug discovery process and regenerative medicine.

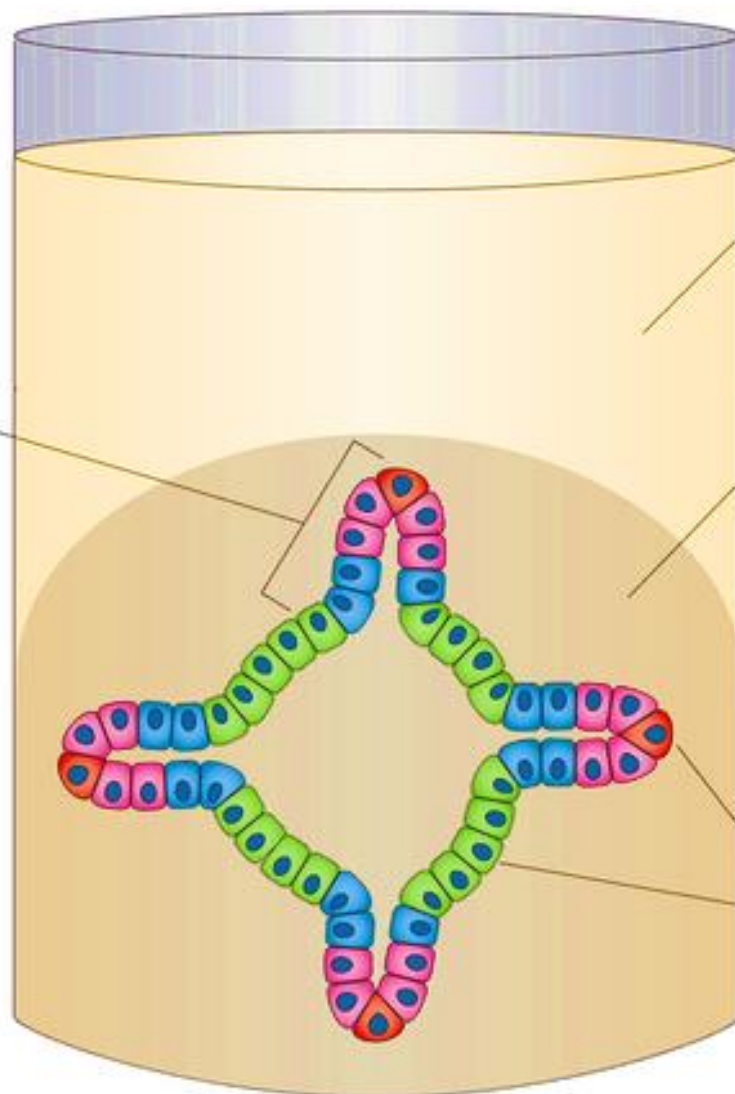
3D organoid models

Organotypic
Organoids resemble the *in vivo* situation as closely as possible

Multiple cell types
Organoids consist of multiple cells and contain at least two cell types

Self-organization
Organoids spontaneously assemble into ordered structures and do not require preformed patterns

3D organization
Maintains cell differentiation and enables expansion of progenitor cells



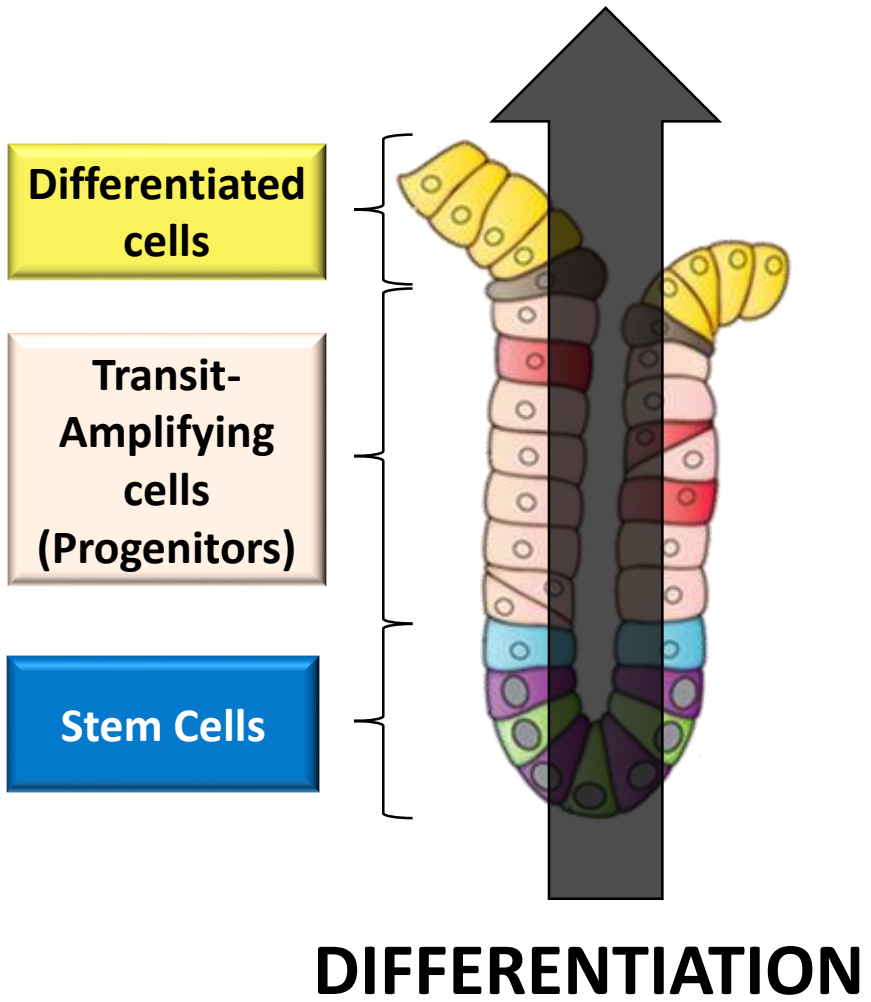
Growth factors
Selected on the basis of their role(s) in health and disease or their effect in 2D cultures

Extracellular matrix
Provides cues for differentiation and cell orientation, but does not limit self-organization by enforcing an architecture

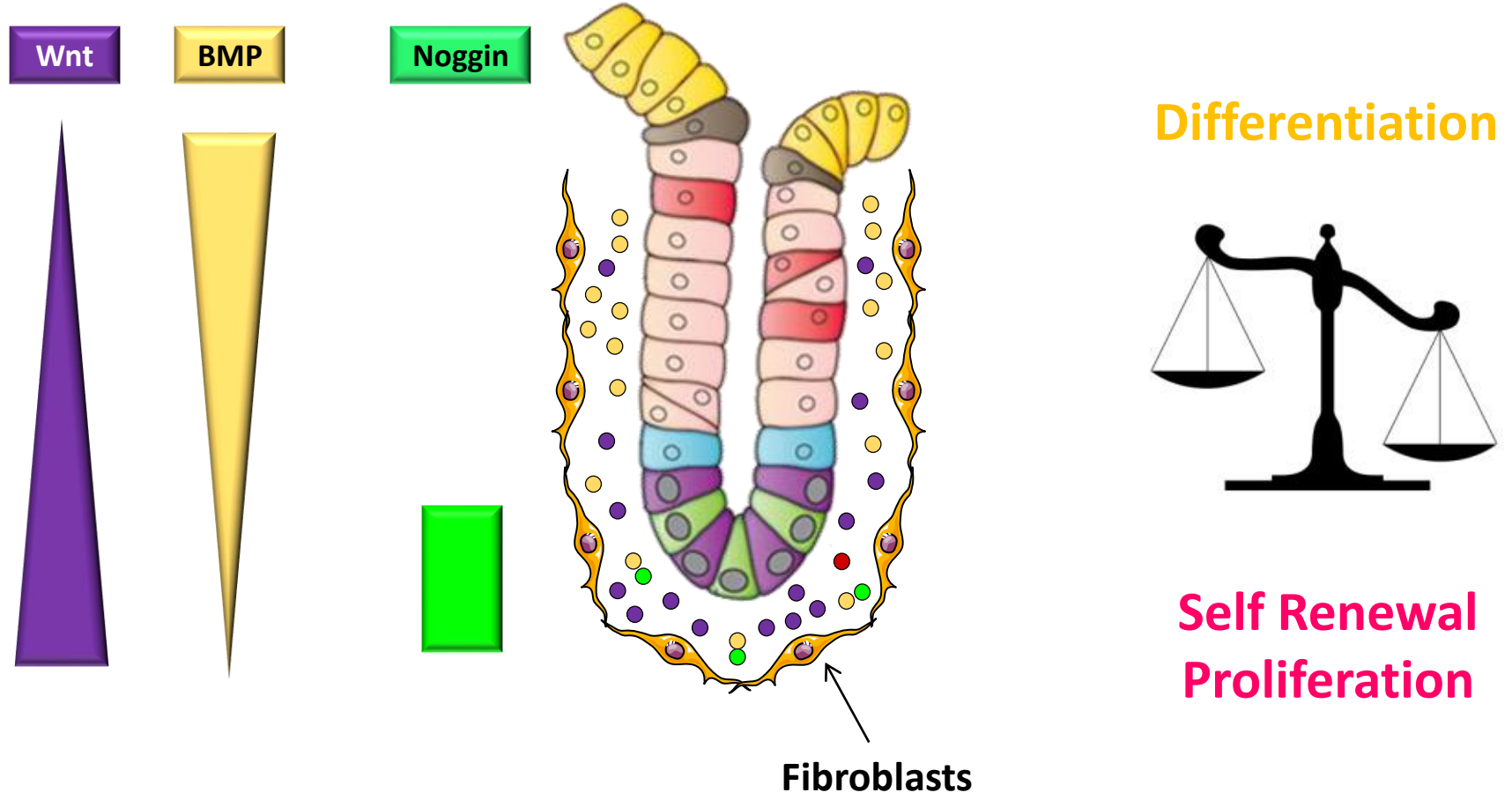
Adult organ derived
Enhances clinical applicability and enables patient-specific study of disease and personalized medicine

Stem or progenitor cells
Required for long-term expansion of organoids

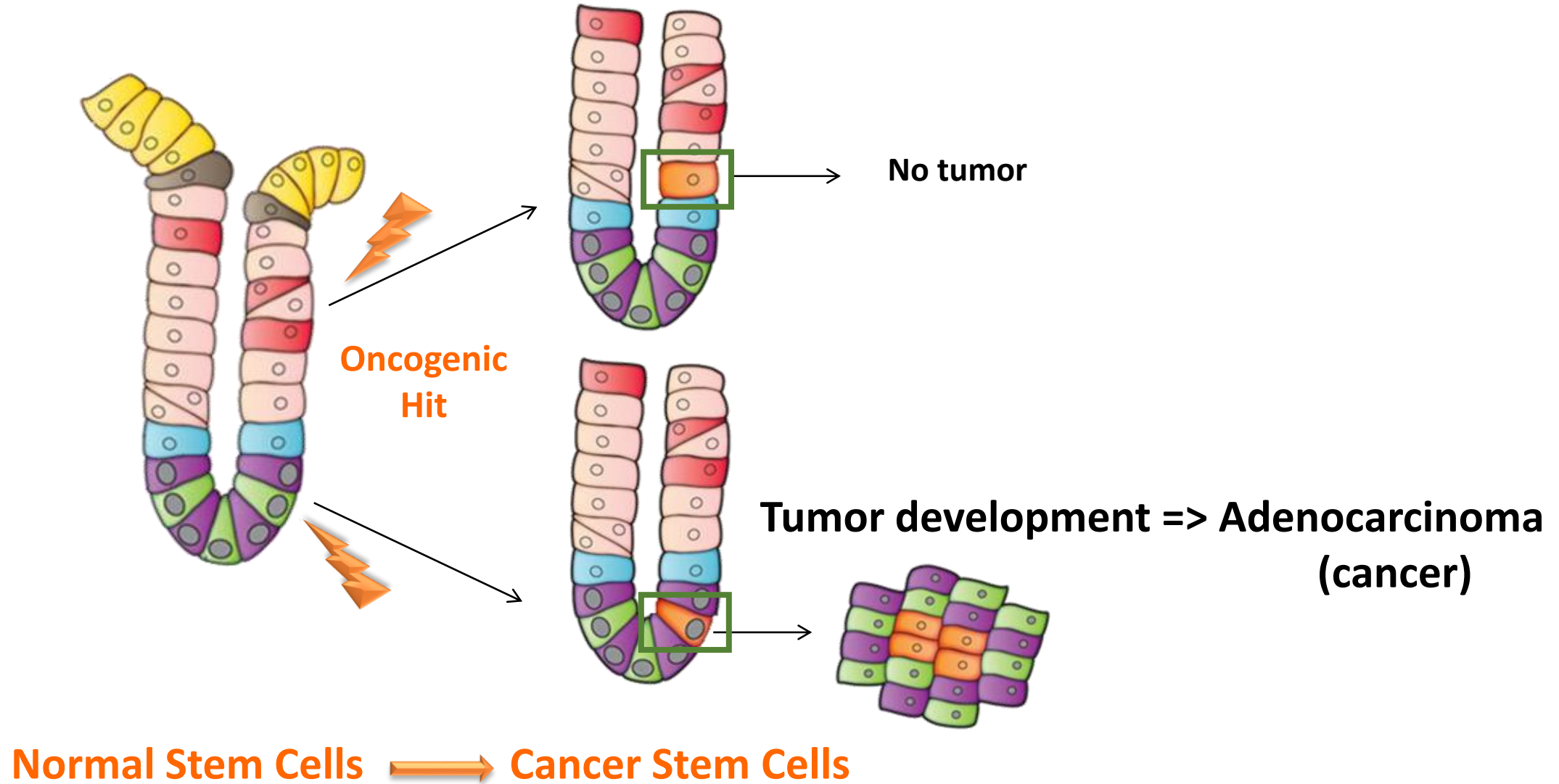
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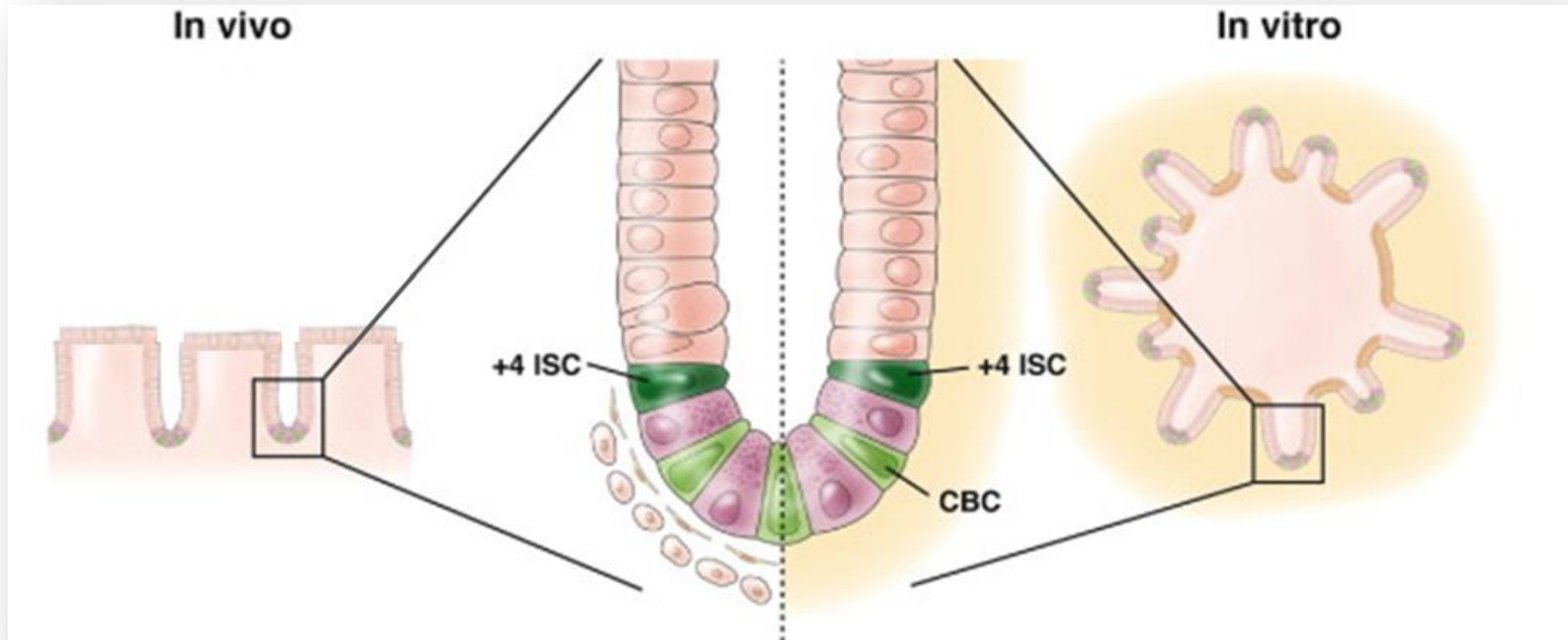


Intestinal crypt : origin of the cancer stem cells



The 3D colon organoid model

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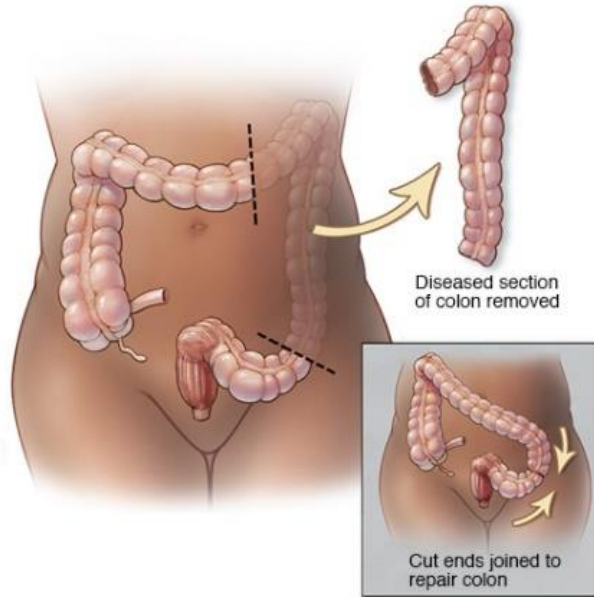


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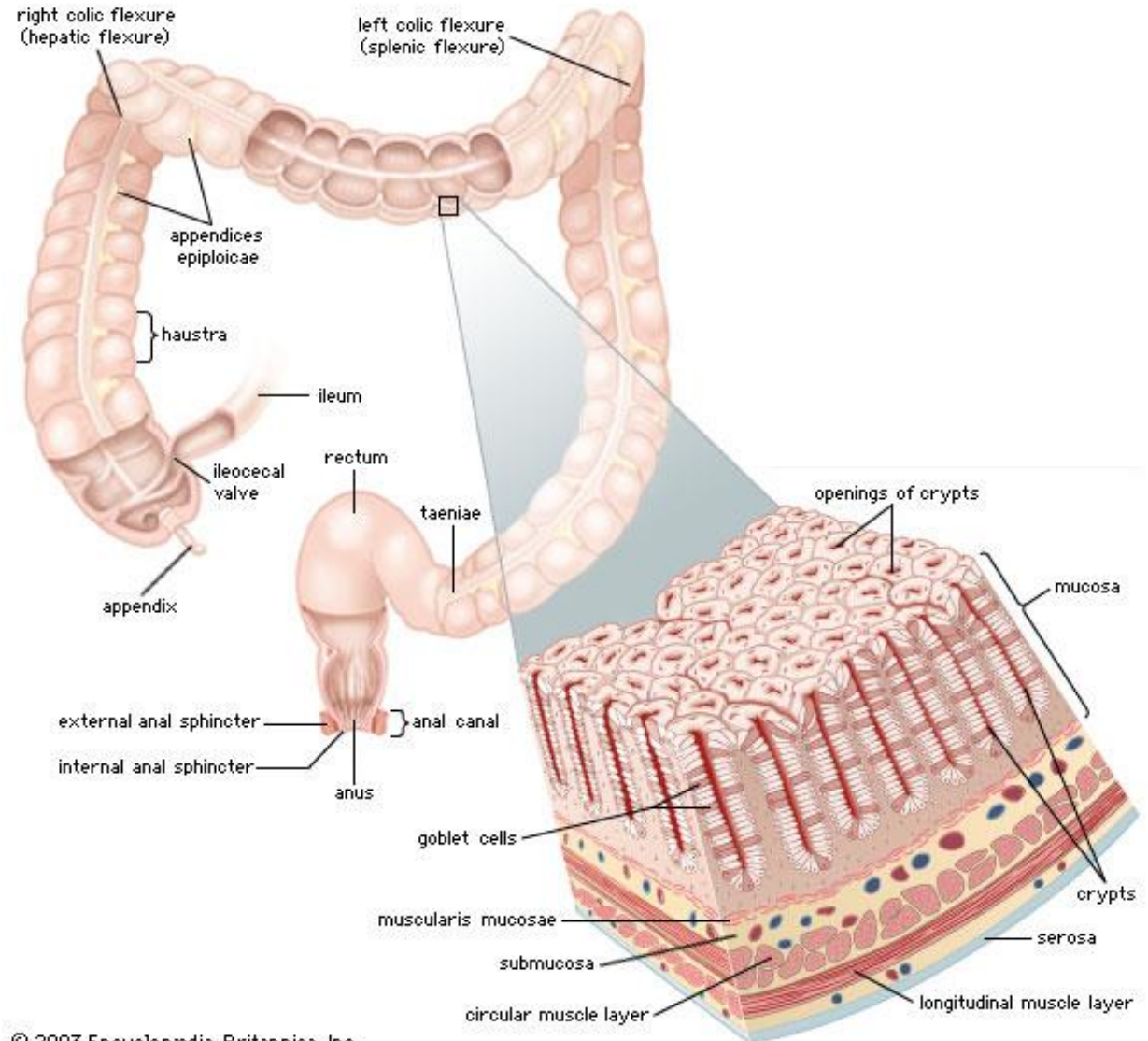


Patients
(IBD, CRC,...)

Resections, biopsies



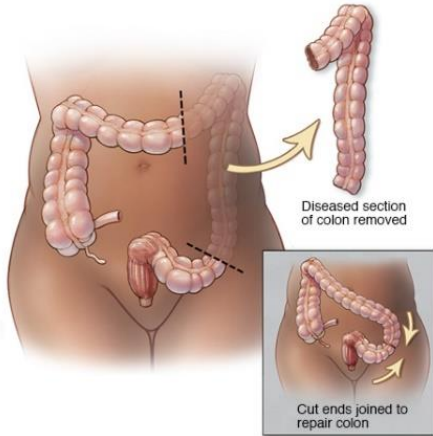
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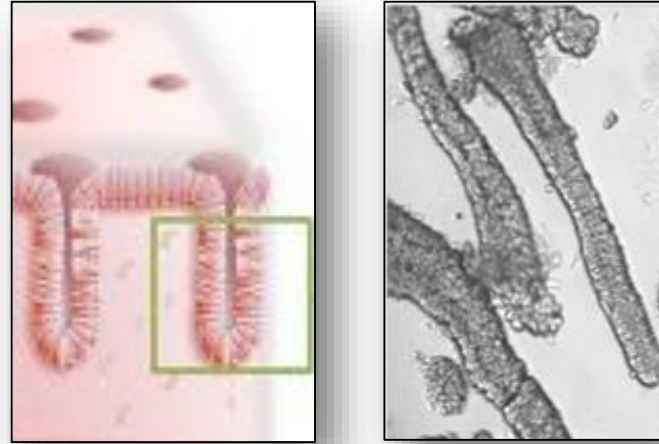
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The 3D colon organoid model

1) Colorectal resection / biopsy



2) Crypt extraction



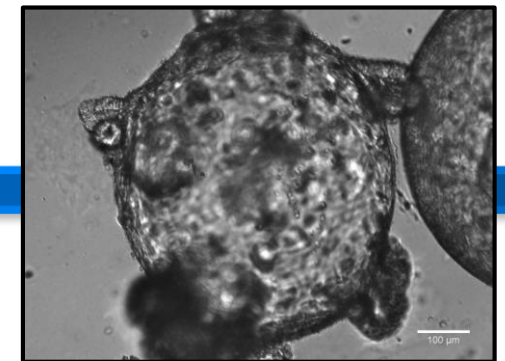
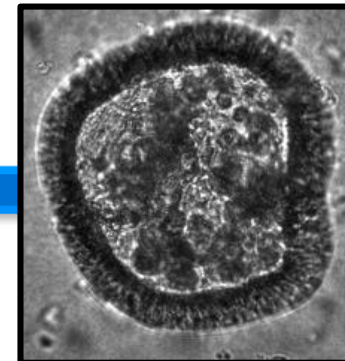
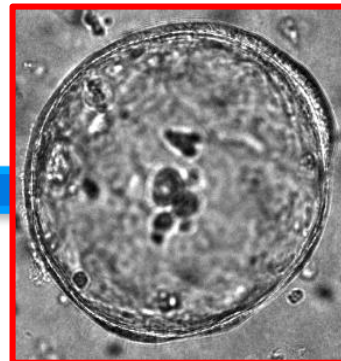
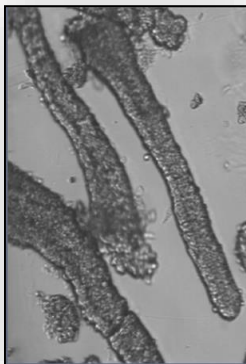
3) Plating in matrigel

Specific medium
(Wnt3A, Noggin, R-spondin, EGF...)



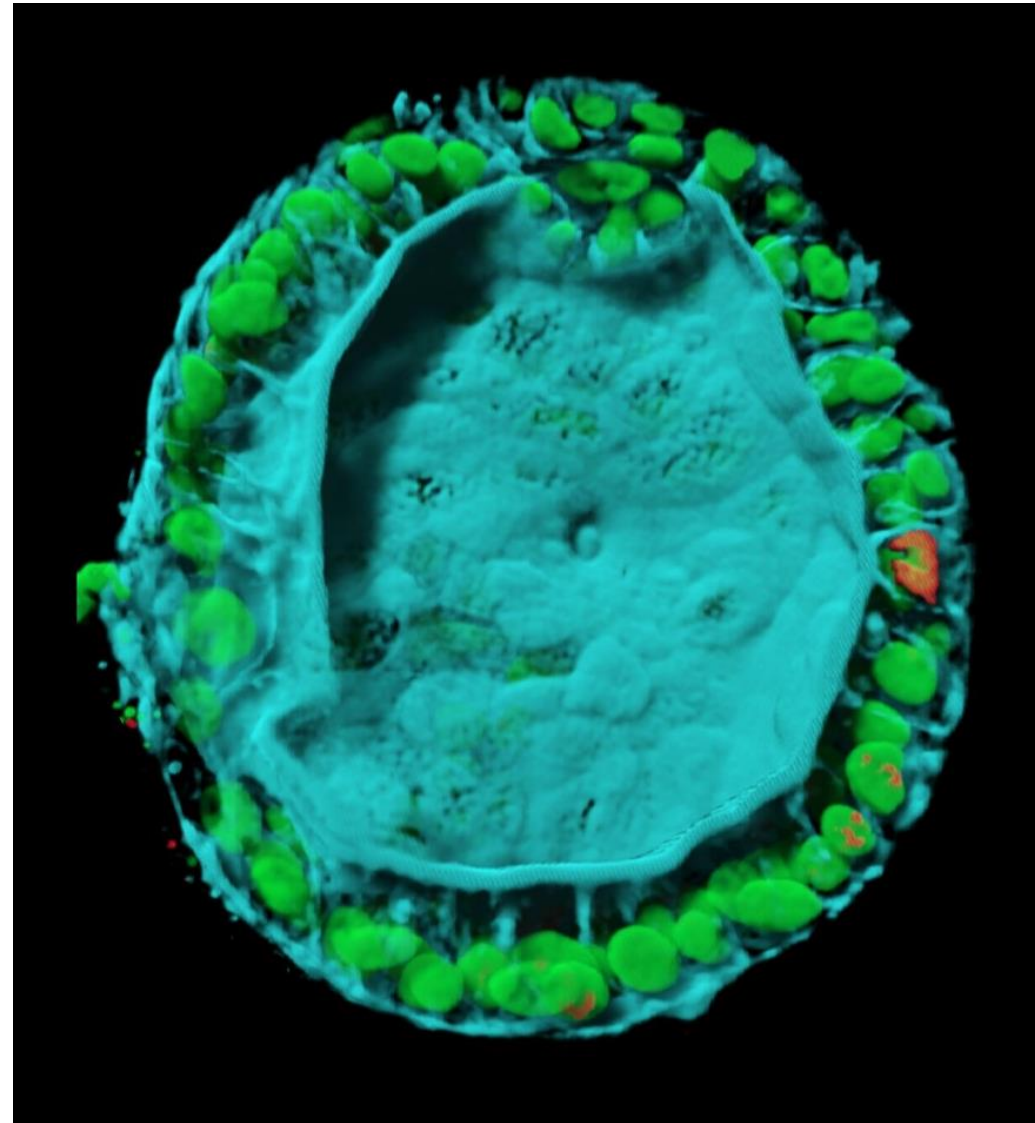
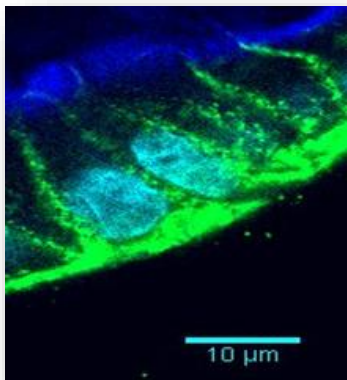
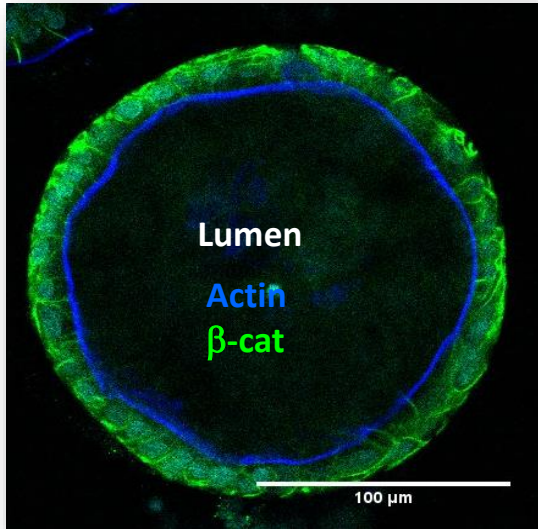
Day 1

From day Day 3 to 14



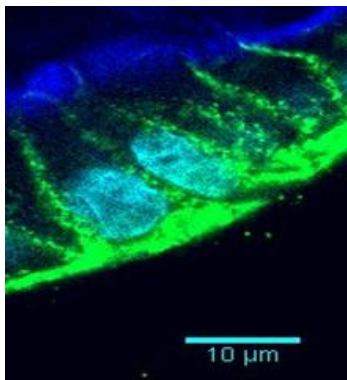
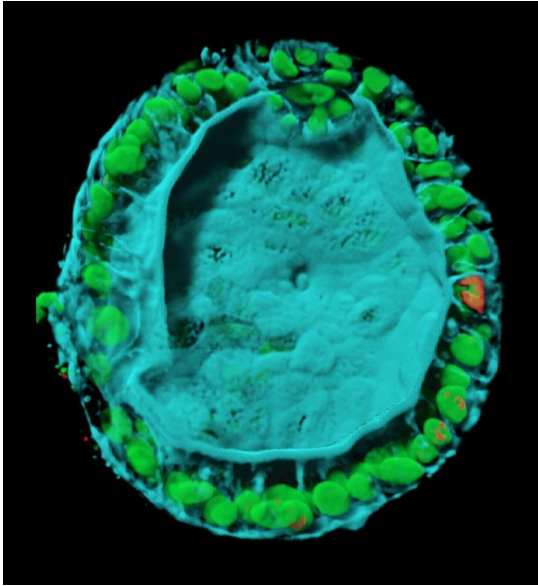
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1) Is a polarized structure



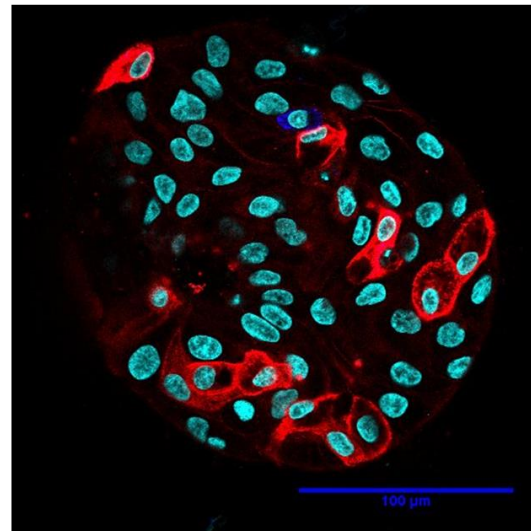
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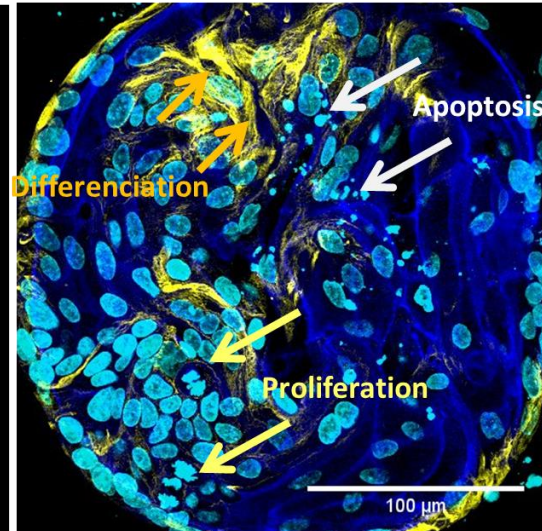


2) Reconstitutes the epithelial cell populations

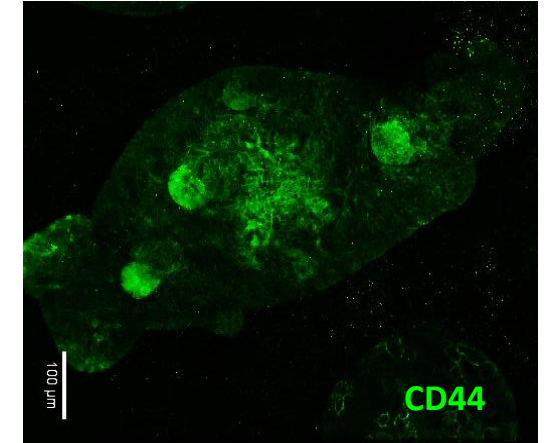
Nuclei
Mucine 2
Chromogranine A



Nuclei
Cytokeratin 20
Actin



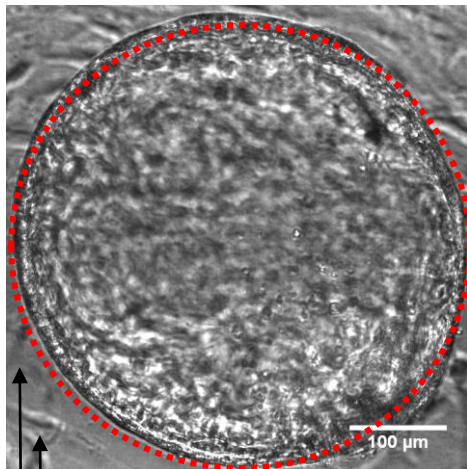
3) Reconstitutes cryptic structures



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➤ 3D Colorectal Human Organoids can be...

4) Co-cultured with stromal cells (here: fibroblasts)



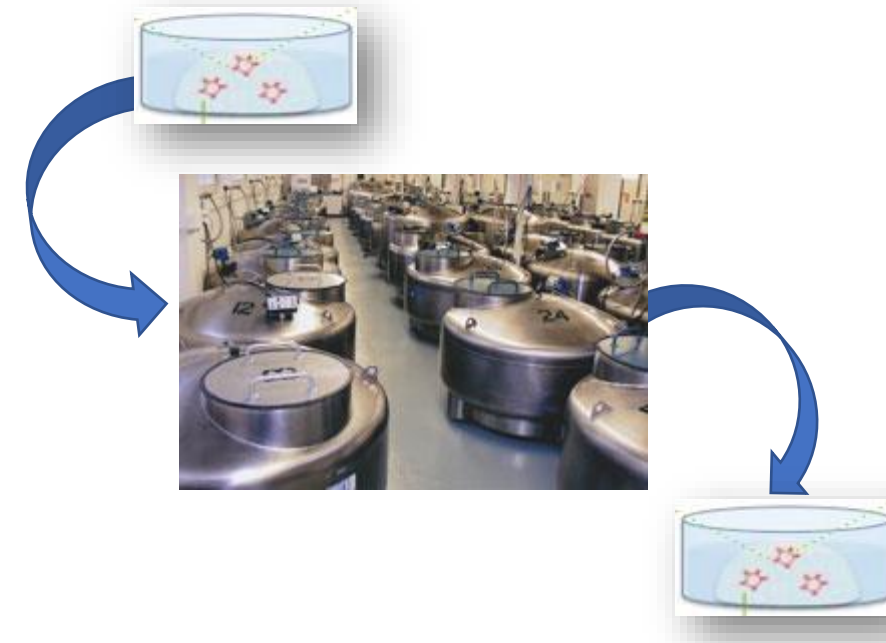
Colonosphere

Fibroblasts

5) Be analyzed in terms of RNAs, proteins expressions, secretome...

Sample	Detector				
	66 : Muc2	69 : CyclD1	73 : Notch1	87 : Bcat	90 : GSK3beta
66 : Org36 J0					
67 : Org36 J10 Dif	Green	Red	Green	Red	Red
68 : Org36 J10 NoDif	Green		Red	Green	Green
94 : RT-					

6) Frozen, stored and thawed





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Organoid cultures: Intestinal / Colorectal, Bladder, Pancreas...

Healthy patients

Crohn disease
Ulcerative colitis

Colorectal Cancer

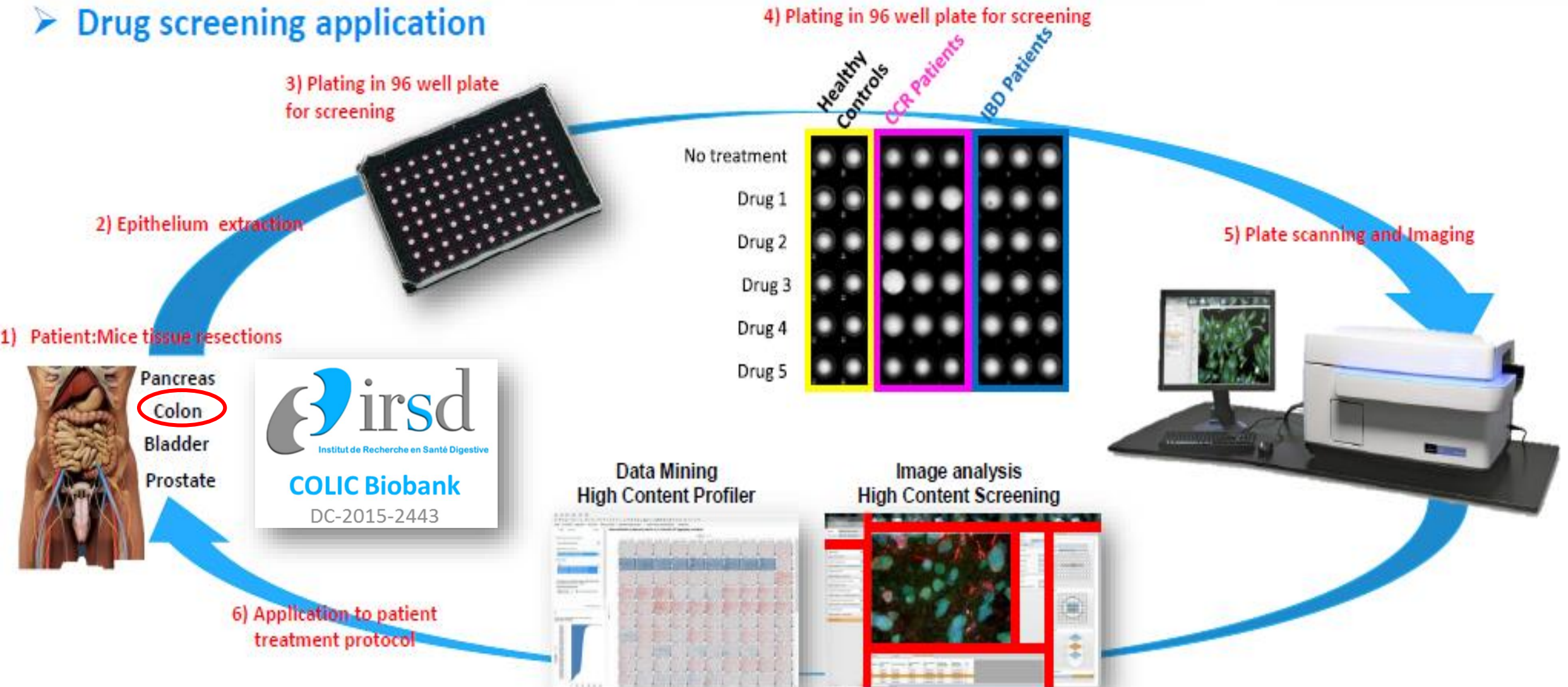
High Content Screening: Imaging, Analysis, Profiling



OrganoCan Project:

Development of a High Content Screening approach based on 3D human colon organoid to identify drug candidates against ColoRectal Cancer

➤ Drug screening application



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