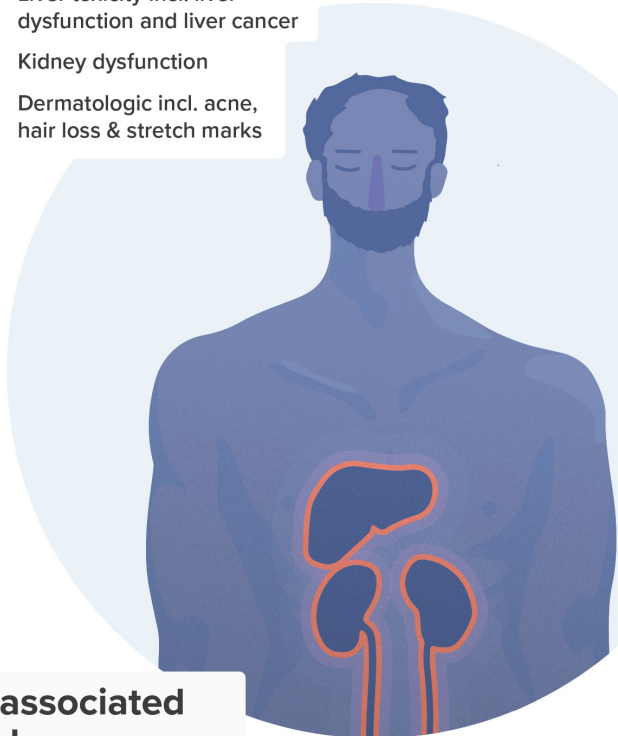


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Heart-related diseases

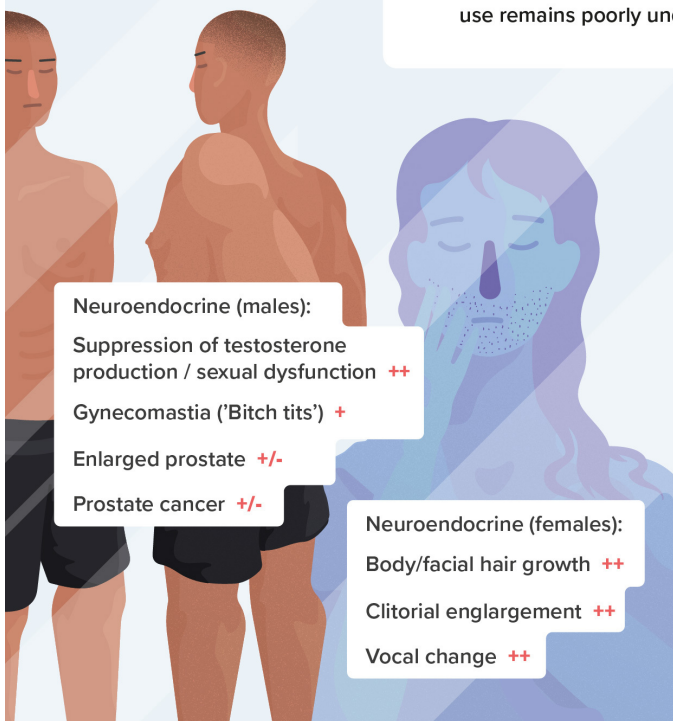
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Liver toxicity incl. liver dysfunction and liver cancer
Kidney dysfunction
Dermatologic incl. acne, hair loss & stretch marks



Adverse events associated with steroid use

- ++ Well recognised and probably of serious concern
- + Well recognised but less common or causing less serious morbidity
- +/- Possible risks whose relation to steroid use remains poorly understood



Neuroendocrine (males):

Suppression of testosterone production / sexual dysfunction ++

Gynecomastia ('Bitch tits') +

Enlarged prostate +/-

Prostate cancer +/-

Neuroendocrine (females):

Body/facial hair growth ++

Clitoral enlargement ++

Vocal change ++

Mental health:

Major mood disorders: mania, hypomania, depression ++

Aggression and irritation +

Steroid dependence ++

