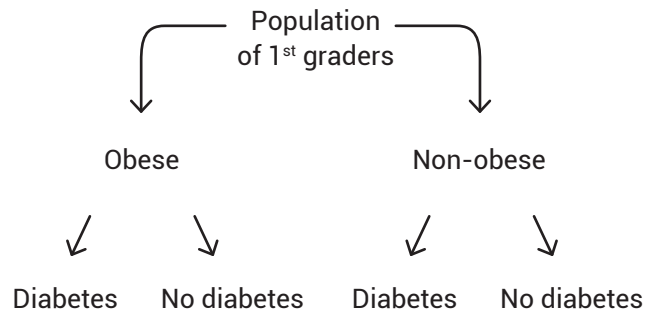


Types of cohort studies



Prospective cohort study



Retrospective cohort study



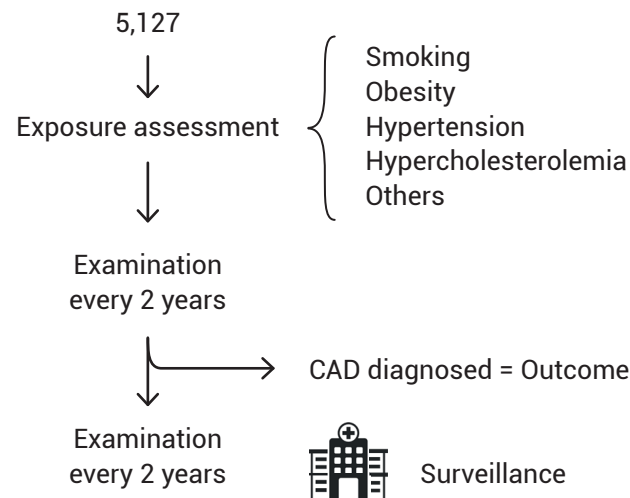
Mixture between both



The Framingham study "Mother of all studies" 1948



Random sample	7,247
Respondents	5,209
Respondents free from CAD	5,127



It was the Framingham study that identified smoking, obesity, hypertension, hypercholesterolemia, and others as major risk factors for coronary artery disease (CAD).