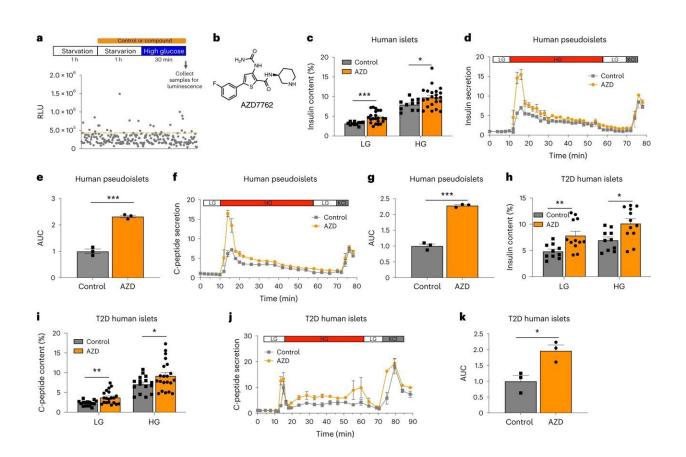


Drug screen points toward novel diabetes treatments

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A focused chemical screen identified AZD7762 that increases glucosestimulated insulin secretion of mouse and human islets. **a**, Schematic diagram of the chemical screen. **b**, Chemical structure of AZD7762. **c**, Static GSIS of intact human islets in the presence of control or 1 μ M AZD7762. Low glucose (LG), 2 mM glucose (P = 0.0001); High glucose (HG), 20 mM glucose (P = 0.013). n =11 (control) and n = 22 (AZD7762) biological replicates. **d**,**e**, Dynamic GSIS (**d**) and AUC (**e**) of human pseudoislets in the presence of control or 1 μ M AZD776 (P = 0.0008). n = 3 biological replicates for each group. The data were



normalized to baseline. **f**,**g**, Dynamic GSCS (**f**) and AUC (**g**, P = 0.0007) of human pseudoislets in the presence of control or 1 µM AZD7762. n = 3biological replicates. The data were normalized to baseline. **h**, Static GSIS of T2D human islets in the presence of control or 1 µM AZD7762. LG, 2 mM glucose (P = 0.005); HG, 20 mM glucose (P = 0.008). n = 10 (control) and n =12 (AZD7762) biological replicates. **i**, Static GSCS of T2D human islets in the presence of control or 1 µM AZD7762. LG, 2 mM glucose (P = 0.001); HG, 20 mM glucose (P = 0.034). n = 16 (control) and n = 21 (AZD7762) biological replicates. **j**,**k**, Dynamic GSCS (**j**) and AUC (**k**, P = 0.022) of T2D human islets in the presence of control or 1 µM AZD7762. n = 3 biological replicates. The data were normalized to baseline. Data represent the mean ± s.e.m. For **c**, **e**, **g**–**i** and **k**, P values of figures were calculated by two-sided Student's *t*-test. Statistical significance: *P

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