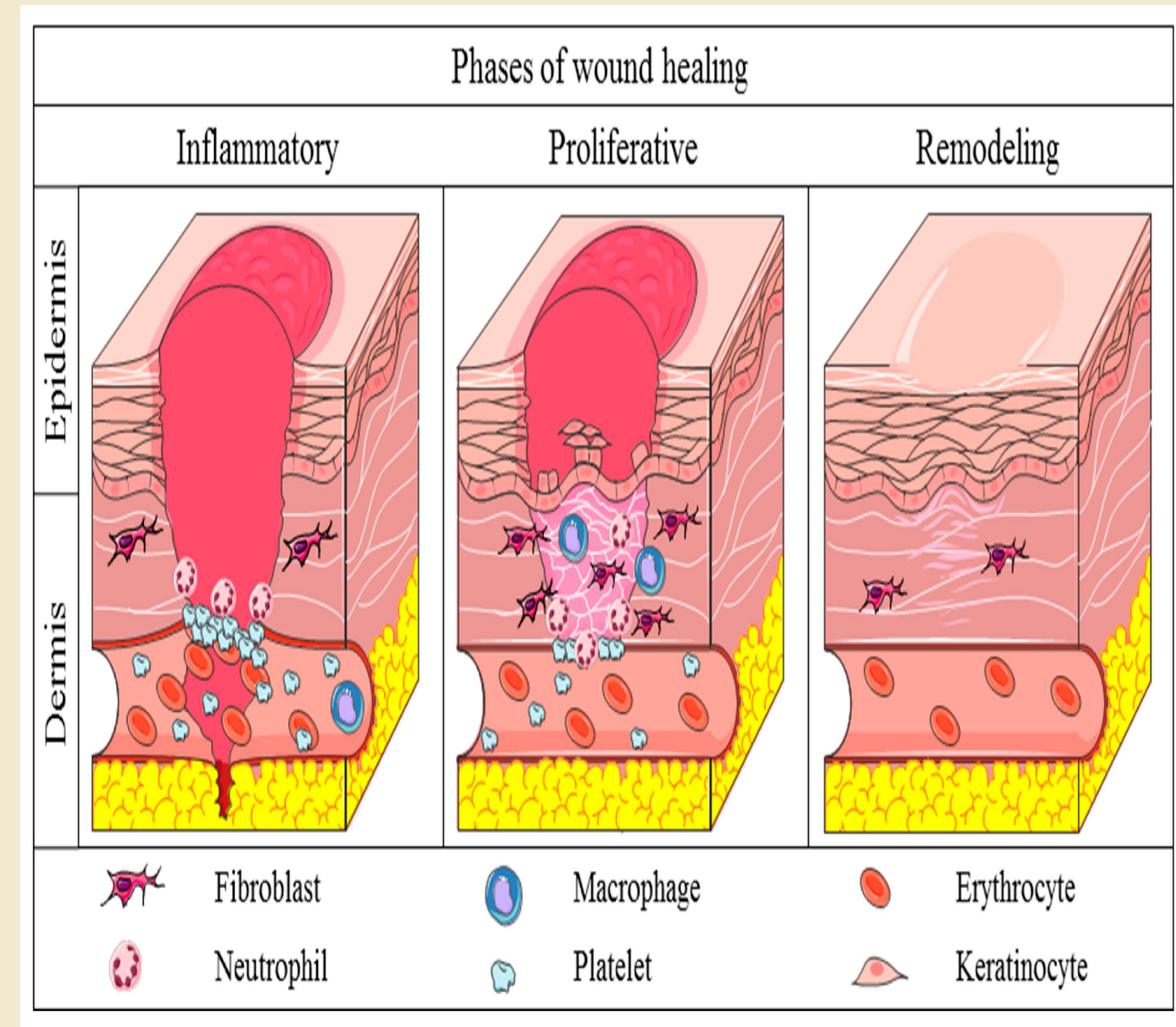
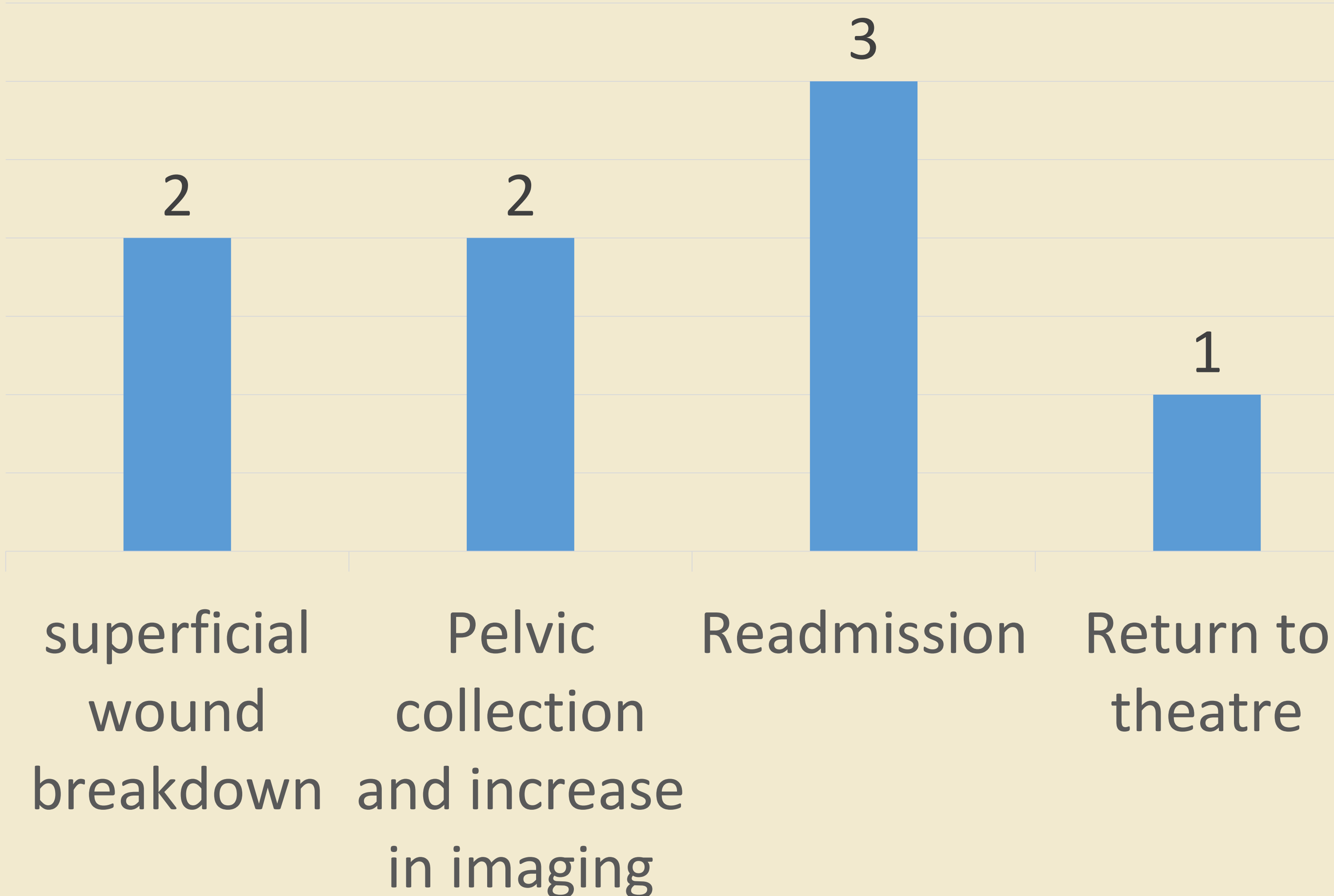


Immunosuppressants, Biologic Agents Used Prior To Elective Gynecological Surgery – A Case Series

Objective: Autoimmune conditions affects array of tissues in the body
Chronic nature of them requires long term treatment with
Immunosuppressant and Biologic agents. Optimization of condition prior to surgery in order to prevent flare ups and continuation of them during perioperative period could possibly adversely affect wound healing.



Case reports: Total number of patients 4.
Informed consent was obtained for data collection at Yeovil District hospital.

Discussion:
Accepted rate of surgical site infection (SSI) is between 2% and 5%.
Understanding the physiology of normal wound healing, maintaining
Duty of Condour and patient participation can help to sail through difficult convalescence.

Conclusion: Multiple studies provides opposing views regarding continuation or discontinuation of IS in perioperative period. There is no consensus about this therefore case by case individualized approach is the key. Change in policy of single prophylactic dose of antibiotics and appropriate counselling of the lady regarding different variants of wound healing is crucial.