

The skeletal muscle metabolic phenotype in early critical illness: ONLINE SUPPLEMENT

eMethods

1. Western blotting and Luminex platform

Primary antibody	Supplier	Product code	Monoclonal
P-AMPK (thr172)	Cell Signalling	#2535	Y
T-AMPK	Abcam	Ab80039	Y
Fatty Acid Oxidation Panel	Merck Millipore	HFA02MAG-11K	N/A
Mitochondrial Respiratory Chain Panel	Merck Millipore	HOXPSMAG-16k	N/A

Table S1: Antibodies used for Western Blotting and Reagents for Luminex Platform. AMPK=Adenosine Monophosphate Kinase

2. Quantitative Polymerase Chain Reaction measurements

Primer Name	Primer Sequence	NCBI Accession number
hsaDNM1L_001	(f)gtggaagcagaagaatgggta (b) tacaggcaccttggctattcc	NM_012062, NM_012063, NM_005690
hsaPPARGC1A_001	(f) tgcagtcacaacacttacaag (b) ggttatcttggttgctttatgagg	NM_013261
Hsa_PPARGC1B_001	(f) gaaataggagaggcgagaagtacg (b) gcctcttctgaattggaatcgtag	NM_133263, NM_001172698.1 NM_001172699.1
HsaPPRC1_001	(f) atcagtgagattggaattgaggca (b) tcttctctggggaatgtcaac	NM_015062

Table S2: Primers used for Quantitative Polymerase Chain Reaction

2.1 Mitochondrial copy number assay

Reactions were run in a Rotor-Gene with standards at 10^8 - 10^2 copies/rxn for mitochondrial DNA and 10^7 - 10^1 copies/rxn for a single copy nuclear DNA gene, B2M. For the mitochondrial assay, primers targeted a unique region of the mitochondrial genome that is not replicated in the nuclear genome¹. The nuclear DNA assay was designed and validated by qStandard (London, UK).

3. Untargetted metabolic profiling with lipid optimisation: Global untargeted LC-Mass Spectroscopy Methods for Muscle: Reverse Phase and HILIC

Sample Preparation Organic

Samples were prepared for liquid chromatography mass spectrometry (LCMS) as per venous tissue described by Anwar et al². Prior to use, the original samples were

randomized using excel (RAND) command and numbered sequentially. These samples were thawed (11 samples at a time), weighed and placed in pre-labelled Eppendorfs numbered 1-105, plus 20 blanks. A 12th sample tube was to prepare a blank of solvent.

1ml of refrigerated Methyl *tert*-butyl ether / Methanol (MTBE/MeOH) solution was added to each of the 11 sample-containing Eppendorfs and to the 12th (blank) tube. 1 capful of Zirconium beads (1mm) was added to each sample, and the caps securely closed. The samples were then loaded into a *Precellys* Bead-Beater (www.strettonscientific.co.uk) (maximum sample capacity of 12) for 40 seconds. Following this samples were cooled on dry ice for 5 minutes before repeat bead beating,

After two cycles of bead-beating, the cooled samples were centrifuged at 4°C for 20 minutes, the centrifuge being fast-cooled before use.

750µl of supernatant was then pipetted into a fresh pre-labelled Eppendorf (identifying sample no, and extraction type: organic).

Original sample tubes were kept on ice post-removal of the first aliquot of supernatant. The supernatant itself is metabolite stable and may be kept at room temperature.

A further 1ml of MTBE/MeOH solvent was added to each cooled original sample tube. Bead-beating was performed twice as before with the sample cooled for 5 minutes on dry ice in between beat-beating repetitions. The samples were then centrifuged as before. 750µl of the resulting supernatant was aliquoted into the Eppendorfs already containing 750 µl. This step was repeated to increase potential metabolite yield, as sample size was small. The residual solvent remaining in the each of original Eppendorfs was then removed and aliquoted into a glass tube. This was to avoid contaminating the aqueous extraction step, as MTBE is not water miscible. The original samples were cooled on dry ice.

The 12 samples were uncapped and the solvent allowed to evaporate in a fume-hood overnight.

After overnight solvent evaporation, extracts were stored at -80°C for reconstitution prior to use and transferred to total recovery glass LCMS grade vials. 50 µl from each vial was used to make a quality control (QC).

Reconstitution of frozen extracts

Reconstitution of Organic Samples for LCMS

Dried organic extracts were reconstituted in 250µl isoprenol/acetonitrile/water (ISP/ACN/H₂O) (2:1:1). Samples were vortexed for 1 minute then sonicated for 5 minutes. They were then vortexed for 1 further minute. This was followed by centrifugation at 4°C for 8 minutes. Samples were then transferred to total recovery glass LCMS grade vials. 50 µl from each vial was used to make a QC.

UPLC-MS experimental parameters

Chromatographic conditions were as previously described³ and derived from previous Waters applications (www.waters.com). Mobile phase A consisted of ACN/water (60:40) and mobile phase B ISP/ACN (90:10). In both solutions ammonium formate was diluted to 10 mM and formic acid to 0.1%. The elution gradient was set as follows: 60–57% A (0.0–2.0 min), 57–50% A (2.0–2.1 min; curve 1), 50–46% A (2.1–12.0 min), 46–30% A (12.0–12.1 min; curve 1), 30–1% A (12.1–18 min), 1–60% A (18.0–18.1 min), 60% A (18.1– 20.0 min). The temperature was maintained at 55°C on a Waters Acquity UPLC HSS CSH column (1.7 µm, 2.1 × 100 mm) during chromatography. Tandem time of flight (TOF) mass spectrometry (MS) was performed using an electrospray injection (ESI) ionisation operating in both positive and negative modes. ESI conditions were source temperature 120°C, desolvation temperature 400°C, cone gas flow 25L/h, desolvation gas 800L/h, capillary voltage for ESI- 2500V, for ESI +ve 3000 V, cone voltage 25 V for ESI -ve and 30V for ESI +ve. Each injection was of 5µL for +ve ESI and 15µL for –ve ESI modes. At the start of acquisition, ten conditioning QC injections were performed and after every 10th subsequent injection. Data were collected in centroid mode. Regular injections of leucine enkephalin (555.2692 Da calculated monoisotopic molecular weight, 200pg/uL in acetonitrile:water 50:50) were performed to ensure optimum mass accuracy with an analyte-to-reference scan ratio of 10:1. Instrument calibration was with sodium formate (10ng/uL in 90:10 propan-2-ol:water) solution prior to each ESI mode.

4. Adipokinin assays

Adipokine	Product Code
Ghrelin	EZGRT-89K
Leptin	EZHL-80SK
Adiponectin	EZHADP-61K
Resistin	EZHR-95K

Table S3: Enzyme-linked Immunosorbent Assay (ELISA) product codes. (Merck MIL-lipore, UK)

5. Bioenergetic data

Muscle total creatine, phosphocreatine and adenosine triphosphate contents were determined in a control population and compared to that of the critically ill cohort.

Resting muscle ATP content may be reduced in patients with chronic diseases such as Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease^{4 5}. Prior to critical illness, 46% of our patient cohort had suffered a chronic disease state. The control subject cohort was thus selected to contain a similar proportion (48%) of previously chronically unwell. The young healthy volunteer muscle ATP, phosphocreatine and free creatine control data represent unpublished historical archived data from baseline muscle biopsy samples obtained from experiments published in 2011^{6 7}. This study received local ethical approval and all volunteers provided informed consent for skeletal muscle biopsies of vastus lateralis that included the determination of muscle metabolite concentrations.

The older control muscle ATP, phosphocreatine and free creatine data are also unpublished historical archived data and were determined in muscle biopsy samples from a healthy age matched volunteer cohort in addition to the COPD cohort. Again, local ethical approval was obtained and all volunteers provided informed consent for skeletal muscle biopsies of vastus lateralis that included the determination of muscle metabolite concentrations.

All muscle metabolite data generated at the University of Nottingham as part of PhD research programmes and collaborations between the Universities of Leicester (old controls; Research Ethics Committee number 04/Q2502/43) and Nottingham (young controls; Research Ethics Committee number G/2/2005). These are unpublished historical archived data and the aims of the original studies were in no way connected to the present study.

The first day of ICU admission does not necessarily reflect the first day of critical illness, and it is thus possible that muscle ATP content had declined during antecedent decline in clinical state. However, whilst unable to quantify physiological derangement prior to admission, the median time from hospital to ICU admission was only 24 hours. In addition 16/34 patients suffered major trauma or an intracranial bleed and were not exposed to antecedent decline.

To confirm the validity of our cohort, we therefore (as performed for loss of muscle mass previously⁸) analysed the cohort for differences related to pre-ICU admission length of stay, or to potential antecedent decline. Analysis was also performed by presence/absence of prior chronic disease. The impact of antecedent chronic disease on trajectory of muscle ATP decline during critical illness was also examined.

6. Network analysis

Data were loaded into R 3.2. Pairwise correlation was calculated for all variables. These pairwise correlations were converted to a weighted, directed network where each node represented a variable, the direction of the edge reflected the direction of the correlation and the weight of each edge was the absolute of the correlation coefficient. Edges with a weight < .4 were removed.

This network was imported into Cytoscape 3.4.0 for visualisation and clustering. Data were visualised using a force-directed layout, with edges coloured by direction and with the width of the line determined by the weight of the edge (the correlation coefficient). Finally, variables were clustered in Cytoscape using MCclust.

R Code used:

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library(magrittr)
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zudin.all.data <- read.csv("R:/Lindsay/KCL/Zudin 2015/lindsay modelling 180716.csv", header=TRUE,  
na.strings=c("/","n/a"), stringsAsFactors=FALSE)  
zudin.all.data <- zudin.all.data[-34,]  
rownames(zudin.all.data) = zudin.all.data$UIN  
zudin.all.data <- zudin.all.data[,-1]
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zudin.numeric = unlist(zudin.all.data) %>% as.numeric %>% matrix(nrow = 33, ncol = 55)  
colnames(zudin.numeric) = names(zudin.all.data)  
rownames(zudin.numeric) = rownames(zudin.all.data)
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# export to Cytoscape  
thresh = .4  
temp1 <- cor(zudin.numeric, zudin.numeric, use = 'pairwise.complete.obs')  
hist(temp1, 50)
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exportNetworkToCytoscape(temp1,  
edgeFile = "adjCor.network.DIRECTED.xxxxxx.txt",  
weighted = T,  
nodeNames = colnames(zudin.numeric),  
threshold = thresh)
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1. Consort Flowchart

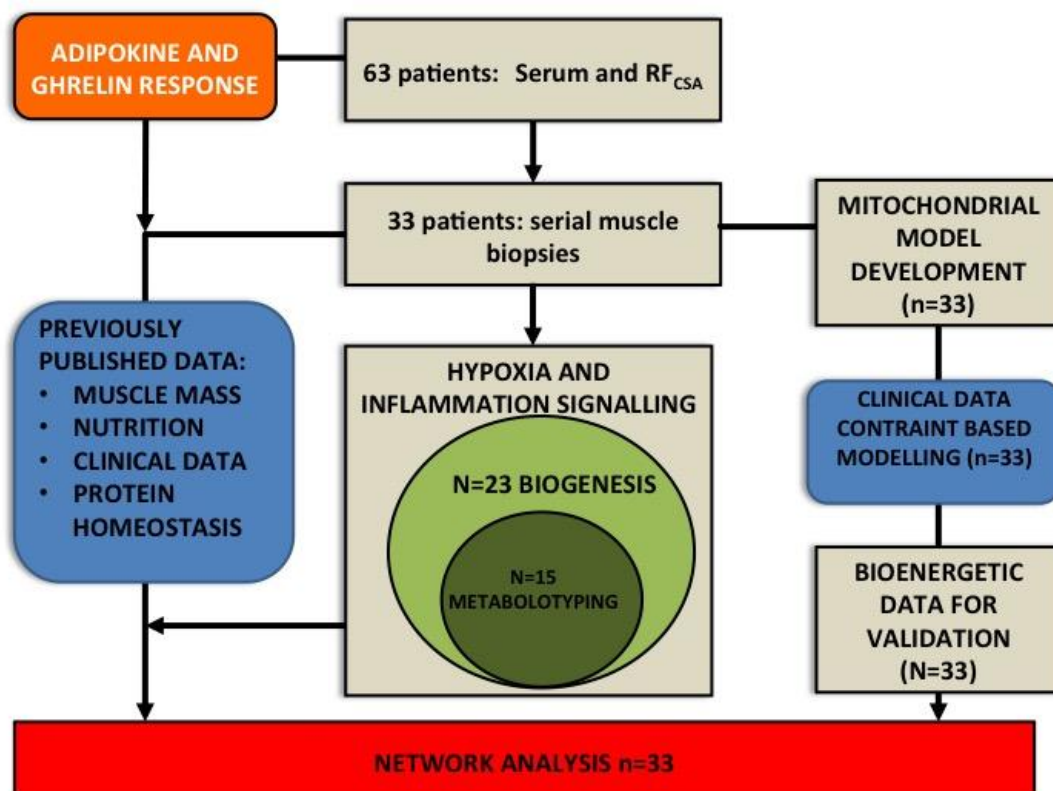


Figure S1: Consort flowchart of cohorts

2. Mitochondrial proteins

Median Florescence Index (MFI) for protein concentrations of mitochondrial respiratory chain complexes were normalised for NNT (a housekeeping protein used as part of the Luminex platform analysis).

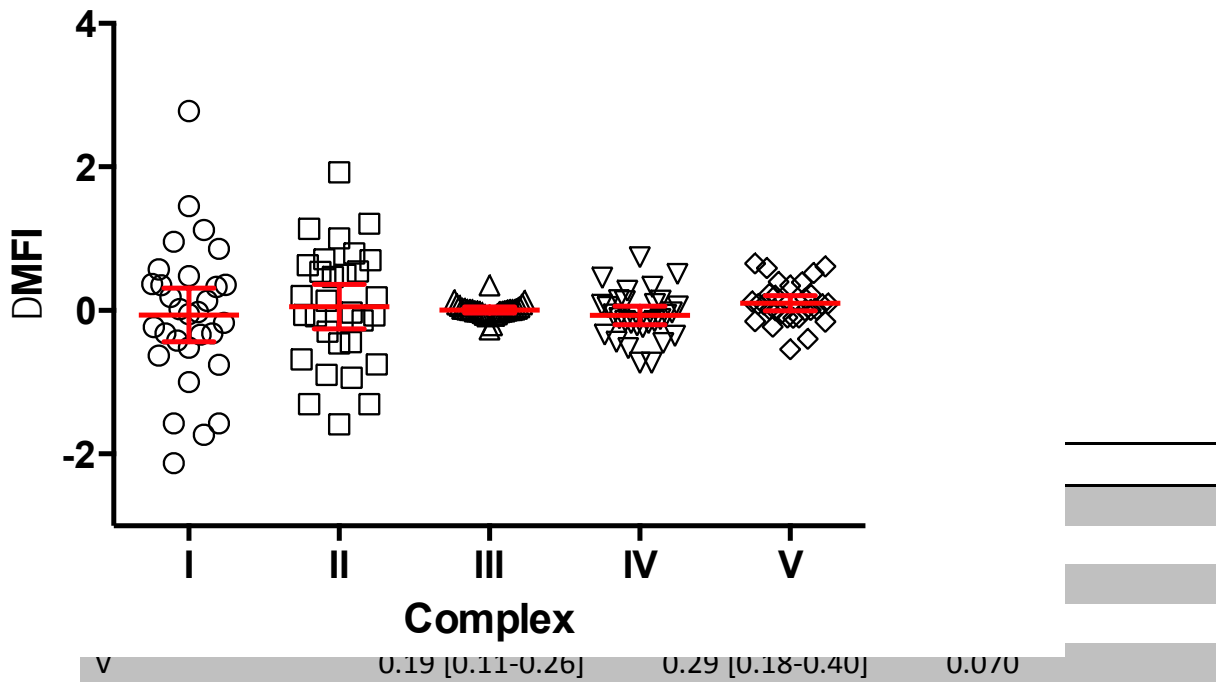
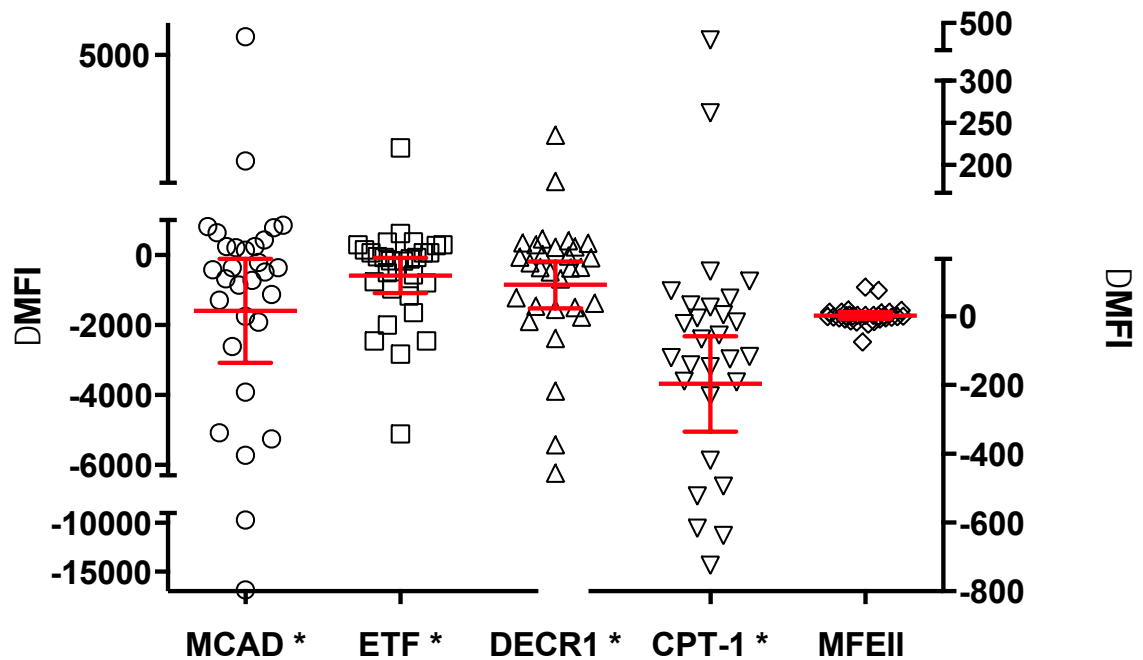


Figure S2 and Table S4: Change in intramuscular mitochondrial complex concentrations over 7 days of critical illness (n=30), normalised to NNT (housekeeping protein). Data are mean and 95% Confidence Intervals. P values are for two-tailed Wilcoxon signed rank test. * denotes p<0.05. MFI= Median Florescence Index

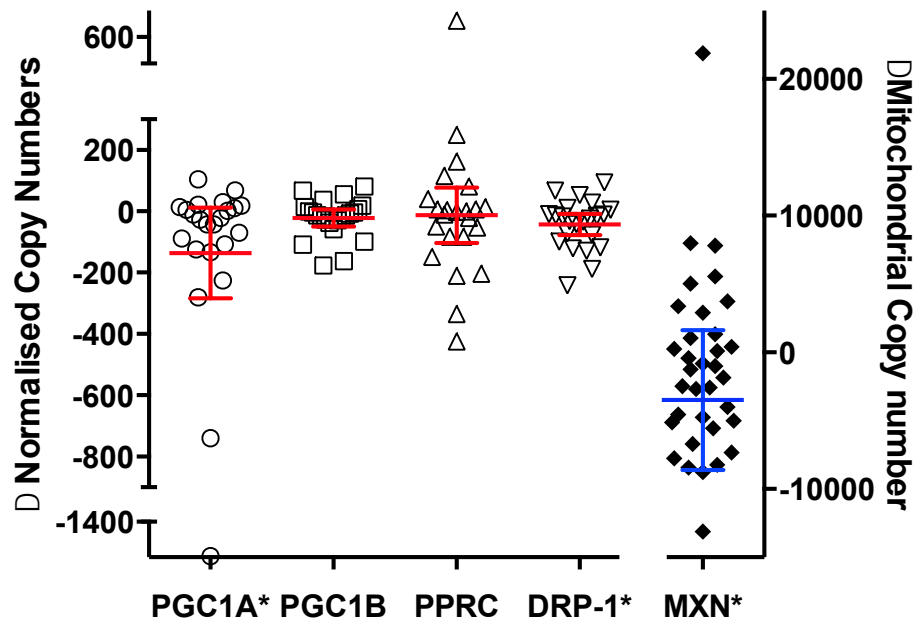
2. Beta Oxidation Enzymes



Beta-Oxidation	Day 1	Day 7	p
CPT-1	373 [219-528]	177 [69-284]	0.006*
MCAD	2821 [1444-4198]	1233 [677-1790]	0.028*
ETF	1159 [671.2-1647]	578 [316-840]	0.046*
DECR1	1485 [786.1-2183]	639 [317-961]	0.018*
MFEII	9.21 [3.7-14.7]	12.0 [4.5-19.5]	0.666

Figure S3 and Table S5: Change in intramuscular beta-oxidation enzyme concentrations over 7 days of critical illness. Data are mean and 95% Confidence Intervals. P values are for two-tailed Wilcoxon signed rank test, *denotes $p < 0.05$. CPT= Carnitine palmitoyltransferase I; MCAD= Medium Chain Acyl-Coenzyme A Dehydrogenase; ETF= Electron Transfer Flavoprotein; DECR1= 2,4, Dienoyl-CoA Reductase; MFEII= Multifunctional enzyme II. MFI= Median Fluorescence Index

3. Mitochondrial biogenesis markers



	Day 1	Day 7	p
PGC1 α	206.3 [46.9-365.6]	69.8 [10.2-129.5]	0.025*
PGC1 β	68.6 [44.1-93.0]	46.7 [31.9-61.6]	0.132
PPRC	166.3 [110.6-222]	153.8 [90.6-217.1]	0.494
DRP-1	115.1 [84.2-146.0]	72.4 [56.0-88.8]	0.018*
MXN	10388 [4958-15818]	6917 [4580-9254]	0.032*

Figure S4 and Table S6: Change in intramuscular mitochondrial biogenesis markers over 7 days of critical illness. Data are normalised messenger Ribonucleic Acid copy number presented as mean and 95% Confidence Intervals. P values are for two-tailed Wilcoxon signed rank test. *denotes $p < 0.05$. PGC1 α = Peroxisome proliferator-activated receptor gamma co-activator 1-alpha; PGC1 β = Peroxisome proliferator-activated receptor gamma co-activator 1-beta; PPRC= Peroxisome proliferator-activated receptor gamma co-activator; DRP-1= Dynamin Related Protein-1; MXN= Mitochondrial Copy Number

4. Bioenergetic Data

Table 6 delineates the breakdown of control subjects (n=41) of whom 48% had a chronic disease (compared to 46% of the patient cohort). A wide age range was used in keeping with the critically ill cohort. No differences were seen between young (<30years) and older control subjects (all p>0.05) and between older controls and chronic disease patients (p>0.05). No relationship was seen between Oxygen Delivery (DO₂) and ATP content (n=9;r²=0.29;p=0.133). No relationship was seen between ATP content on day 1 and admission PaO₂ (r²=0.002, p=0.809; n=32), SaO₂ (r²=0.00; p=0.973;n=32) or PaO₂ to FiO₂ ratio (r²=0.006, p=0.684;n=32). Old controls were 77.8% male and weighed 76.1y±10.8kg (BMI 25.6±4.0), young controls were 100% male and weighed 74.5±2.2kg. All were healthy controls with no known co-morbidities”

	Young Controls	Older controls	Stable COPD
Age [#]	24±0.7	67.5±6.8	69±7.0
N	7	9	15
ATP (mmol/kg dw)	21.7 (20.4-22.9)	21.6 (18.8-24.3)	21.1 (19.0-23.2)
PCr (mmol/kg dw)	72.7 (69.0-76.4)	70.9 (65.2-76.6)	73.7 (66.9-80.4)
Total Creatine (mmol/kg dw)	126.0 (120.7-131.2)	121.3 (113.3-129.4)	129.2 (118.9-139.5)

Table S7: Bioenergetic data for control subjects. Data are mean (95%CI) except for # mean (SD). ATP= Adenosine Triphosphate, COPD=Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease.

Variable	Slope	95%CI	Intercept	R ²	P
Insulin [#]	-0.996	-1.892—0.100	1.393	0.15	0.031
Glucose(blood) ^{#\$}			1.000	0.09	0.097
Protein	-2.689	-6.153-0.774	6.968	0.08	0.123
Calories	-61.300	-152.30-29.71	190.0	0.06	0.179
Fat (total)	-2.960	-8.48-1.153	9.046	0.04	0.282
Saturated Fat [#]	-0.0183	-0.111-0.074	1.072	0.01	0.164

Carbohydrates	-7.352	-18.81-4.11	22.08	0.06	0.200
Polysaccharides	-1.534	-16.69-13.62	11.84	0.00	0.837
Glucose (feed)[#]	-0.052	-0.913-0.808	0.015	0.00	0.902

Table S8: relationship between nutritional delivery and bioenergetic data: Change in ATP was used as the dependent variable. # denotes log transformed data. Nutritional data units are g/kg/ibw.

5. Metabotyping

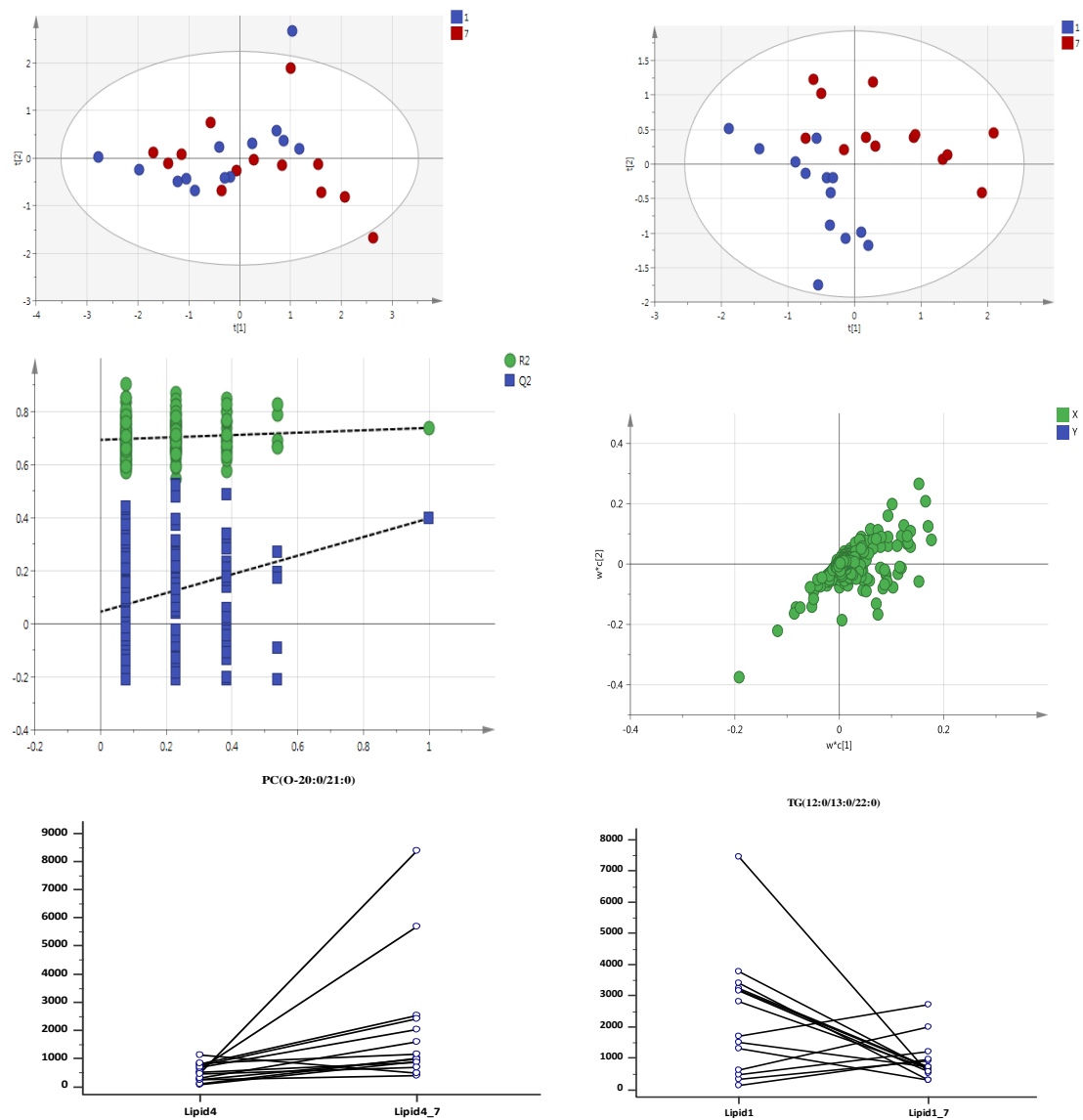


Figure S6 A) Principal Component analysis (PCA) of Ultra Performance liquid chromatography mass spectrometry data for muscle samples on day 1 and day 7 indicating poor initial discrimination ($R^2X=0.473$, $Q^2Y=0.397$) B PLSDA of the same sample set indicating visual discrimination and borderline multivariate model validity ($RwX=0.338$, $R^2Y=0.701$, $Q^2Y=0.397$ CV ANOVA $p=0.021$), C) Permutation analysis, D) Loadings plot of PLSDA mode, E) and F) dot and line diagrams of metabolites retaining significant a statistically significant difference in arbitrary concentration (all spectra normalised for weight of muscle used, p values E <0.01 , F 0.02).

Using the marker table for adducts in the organic phase, multivariate analysis was performed. Using PLS-DA and a 2-component model, it was possible to discriminate between the markers present in muscle samples on day 1 and day 7. This 2-component cross-validated model had an R²Y of 0.72 and Q² of 0.41 and AUROC of 0.95 for predicting day of muscle sampling. The CV-ANOVA p-value of this model was 0.02 suggesting that this was valid, although permutation analysis demonstrated this model to be of borderline validity. The markers of greatest discrimination were mostly phospholipid moieties of varying point of saturation and chain length (PC 36:3, 36:4, 32:0, 41:0) and one triglyceride (side chains 12:0/13:0/22:0).

Variable		Slope	95%CI	Intercept	R ²	P
Medium	Chain	0.003	-0.008-0.018	0.413		
Triglycerides					0.000	0.963
Monounsaturated FAs		0.001	-0.000-0.002	6.772	0.123	0.320
Polyunsaturated FAs		0.002	-0.003-0.009	14.420	0.141	0.286
Phospholipids		0.113	0.007-0.220	422.600	0.427	0.041*
Saturated		0.001	-0.001-0.002	4.401	0.134	0.298

Table S9: Associations between change in intramuscular phosphocholine and nutritional delivery, over 7 days. Data are total amount delivered over 7 days normalised to ideal body weight expressed as mean (95%CI) units are mg/kg. FA= Fatty Acids. *denotes p<0.05.

6. AMPK Western Blots

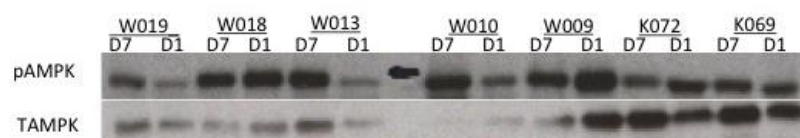


Figure S7: Western Blots of Phosphorylated (p-AMPK) and Total (TAMPK) Adenosine Monophosphate Kinase. W numbers are Unique identification numbers. D1 and D7 represent days from admission to Intensive care.

Neither total AMPK (1.28AU (95%CI 0.843-1.715) vs. 0.931AU (95%CI 0.588-1.276); p=0.0635) nor phosphorylated AMPK changed over 7 days (1.229AU (95%CI 0.880-1.58) vs. 1.255 AU (95%CI 1.06-1.45); p=0.692). However the ratio of phosphorylated to total AMP-K concentrations rose (1.06 (95%CI 0.82-1.30) to 3.93 (95%CI 1.30-6.56); n=31; p=0.001).

7. Adipokinin response

Adipokinin	Day 1	Day 3	Day 7	Day 10
Adiponectin	23.7 (19.2-28.1)	26.2 (21.6-30.9)	33.9 (28.6-39.3)*	36.5 (31.3-41.8)*
Resistin	4.1 (3.2-5.1)	4.1 (3.2-5.0)	3.5 (2.8-3.9)	3.5 (2.7-4.2)
Leptin #	10.5 (7.6-13.4)	10.9 (8.2-13.7)	10.1 (7.3-12.9)	10.1 (7.6-12.7)
Ghrelin#	105.9(57.5-	138.4 (75.2-	164.3 (83.72-	193.5 (102.7-

154.4)

201.5)

244.9)*

284.2)*

Table S10: Serum Adipokinin response over first 10 days of critical illness (n=60). Data are mean (95%Confidence Intervals). * represent $p < 0.05$ for Freidman's test (data are non-parametric). Units are microgram/ml except # indicating nanograms/ml.

7.1 Longitudinal changes in Leptin by sex and obese/non obese

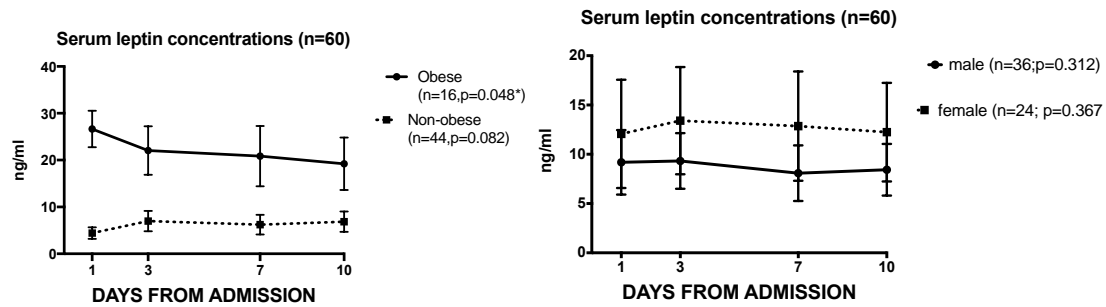


Figure S8AB: Longitudinal change in Leptin by obesity (left panel) and sex (right panel) over 10 days of critical illness (n=60). Data are mean (95%Confidence Intervals). *represent $p < 0.05$ for Freidman's test (data are non-parametric).

9. Hypoxia inducible factor associations

The change in intramuscular phosphocholine was not related to change in intramuscular HIF1 α signaling ($r^2=0.35$; $p=0.068$), nor was change in intramuscular triglyceride ($r^2=0.08$; $p=0.408$).

Value	Slope	95%CI	Intercept	R ²	P value
ΔPaO_2	-0.159	-0.046-0.014	-0.553	-0.052	0.283
ΔSaO_2	-0.041	-0.113-0.195	-5.269	-0.011	0.588
$\Delta P/F$ ratio	-0.019	-0.133-0.096	6.747	0.003	0.739

Table S11: Bivariable linear regression with change in Hypoxia inducible Factor 1 alpha as the dependent variable. PaO_2 = Partial Pressure of Arterial Oxygen, SAO_2 =Saturation of Arterial Oxygen, P/F ratio= ratio of PaO_2 to Fraction of inspired oxygen.

Variable	Slope	95%CI	Intercept	R ²	P
Il-1 α	0.003	-0.031- 0.037	0.142	0.001	0.862
Il-1 β	-0.244	-0.877- 0.389	24.160	0.022	0.436
Il-2	-0.201	-0.677- 0.269	-3.863	0.027	0.389
Il-4	-0.043	-4.377- 4.291	220.200	0.000	0.984
Il-6	0.959	-0.108- 2.026	-2.531	0.108	0.076
Il-8	23.570	10.770- 36.370	-85.620	0.337	0.001*
Il-10	-0.347	-0.949- 0.259	44.340	0.047	0.248

TNF- α	-0.710	-3.317- 1.897	64.150	0.011	0.581
INF γ	-0.014	-0.132- 0.104	1.037	0.002	0.811
MCP1	6.562	1.668- 11.460	-45.130	0.212	0.010*
EGF	-0.122	-0.471- 0.226	3.229	0.018	0.478
TNFR1	0.027	0.007- 0.047	0.585	0.192	0.011*
TNFR2	0.026	-0.010- 0.062	-0.133	0.065	0.153

Table 12: Bivariable linear regression with change in Hypoxia inducible Factor 1 alpha as the dependent variable. TNF α = Tumour Necrosis Factor Alpha; INF- γ = Interferon gamma; EGF= Epithelial Growth Factor; IL=Interleukin; MCP-1= Macrophage Chemotactic Protein-1; TNFR= Tumour Necrosis Factor Receptor

10. Lipids delivered as components of nutrition or sedation (n=33) entered into Network analysis

mg/kg	Nutrition	Propofol
Saturated	1.1 (0.9-1.2)	2.3 (1.5-3.1)
Medium Chain Triglycerides	0.6 (0.5-0.7)	0 (0.0-0.0)
Polyunsaturated	1.0 (0.7-1.4)	8.8 (5.6-11.9)
Monounsaturated	2.3 (1.9-2.6)	3.3 (2.1-4.4)
Phospholipids	34 (-7-75.7)	171.9 (110-234)

Table S13: Data are total amount delivered over 7 days normalised to ideal body weight expressed as mean (95%CI) units are mg/kg

Variable	Slope	95%CI	Intercept	R ²	P
Medium Chain Triglycerides	0.001	0.000-0.002	0.577	0.153	0.027*
Monounsaturated FAs	0.001	-0.011-0.013	5.598	0.001	0.852
Polyunsaturated FAs	-0.006	-0.035-0.0224	9.984	0.006	0.667
Phospholipids	-0.211	-0.845-0.424	210.500	0.015	0.503
Saturated Fats	0.000	-0.008-0.008	3.417	0.000	0.986
Polysaccharides	0.010	-0.010-0.030	10.740	0.038	0.321

Table S14: Associations between nutritional delivery and change in serum C-Reactive Protein concentration over 7 days. Data are total amount delivered over 7 days normalised to ideal body weight expressed as mean (95%CI) units are mg/kg. FA= Fatty Acids. *denotes p<0.05.

Analysis of Interactions

NODE	INTERACTION	NODE	INTERACTION
CLUSTER 1+2			
P/D ratio <--> ATP ⁹	0.534	ATP <--> PCR ¹⁰	0.687
P/D ratio <--> TCR ^{9 11}	0.625	ATP <--> TCR ¹⁰	0.730
DRP-1 <--> ATP ^{12 13}	0.465	ATP <--> age ¹⁴	-0.490
DRP-1 <--> PCR ^{12 13}	0.405	DRP-1 <--> RF _{CSA} ¹⁵	-0.551
PCR <--> TCR ^{10 11}	0.516	AMPK <--> RF _{CSA} ¹⁶	-0.405
AMPK <--> P/F ratio ¹⁷	-0.496	Il-1β <--> DRP-1 ¹⁸	-0.562
Il-1β <--> Il-2 ¹⁹	0.451		
CLUSTER 3			
PGC1α <--> TCR ^{20 21}	-0.440	cV <--> cI ²²	0.405
PGC1α <--> NFKβ ²³	-0.713	NFKβ <--> Insulin ²⁴	0.475
Glucose <--> Insulin ²⁵	0.626	cl <--> Glucose ²⁶	0.429
PGC1α <--> Insulin ^{20 21}	-0.754	cl <--> Insulin ²⁶	0.441
CLUSTER 4			
P70s6k <--> AKT ⁸	0.865	Il-6 <--> Il-8 ²⁷	0.663
P70s6k <--> mTOR ⁸	-0.434	Il-6 <--> MCP-1 ²⁸	0.681
AKT <--> mTOR ^{8 29}	-0.571	Il-6 <--> TNFR1 ³⁰	0.490
Il-8 <--> MCP-1 ³¹	0.820	Il-6 <--> TNFR2 ^{19 30}	0.504
Il-8 <--> TNFR1 ³²	0.655	Il-6 <--> mTOR ^{33 34}	0.452
Il-8 <--> TNFR2 ³²	0.537	MCP-1 <--> TNFR1 ³⁵	0.675
Il-8 <--> HIF1α ³⁶	0.581	MCP-1 <--> TNFR2 ³⁷	0.846
Il-8 <--> P70s6k ³²	-0.461	MCP-1 <--> HIF1α ³⁸	0.461
Il-8 <--> AKT ³²	-0.506	TNFR1 <--> TNFR2 ³⁰	0.543
Il-8 <--> mTOR ³²	0.673	TNFR1 <--> HIF1 α ³⁶	0.438
MCP-1 <--> mTOR ³¹	0.496	TNFR1 <--> mTOR ³⁰	0.483
HIF1α <--> mTOR ³⁹	0.484	TNFR2 <--> mTOR ³³	0.435
CLUSTER 5			
TNFα <--> INFγ ⁴⁰	0.511	EGF <--> FOXO-1 ⁴¹	0.632
TNFα <--> EGF ⁴²	0.790	INFγ <--> EGF ⁴³	0.650
TNFα <--> FOXO-1 ³³	0.903	INFγ <--> FOXO-1 ⁴⁴	0.418
		INFγ <--> E4BP1 ⁴⁵	-0.537
CLUSTER 6			
MCAD <--> PS ⁴⁶	-0.468	DECR1 <--> HCO ₃ ⁴⁷	-0.416
CPT-1 <--> MCAD ⁴⁸	0.627	CPT-1 <--> ETF ⁴⁸	0.794
MCAD <--> ETF ⁴⁸	0.832	CPT-1 <--> DECR1 ⁴⁸	0.403
MCAD <--> DECR1 ⁴⁸	0.458	ETF <--> DECR1 ⁴⁸	0.650
CLUSTER 7			
PUFA <--> PL ⁴⁹⁻⁵²	0.863	PUFA <--> sFA ⁴⁹⁻⁵¹	0.984
MUFA <--> Day 1.RF _{CSA} ^{53 54}	0.402	MUFA <--> PUFA ⁴⁹⁻⁵¹	0.958
PUFA <--> Day1.RF _{CSA} ^{53 54}	0.414	MUFA <--> PL ⁴⁹⁻⁵²	0.750

MUFA <--> sFA ⁴⁹⁻⁵¹	0.991	PL <--> sFA ⁴⁹⁻⁵²	0.803
sFA <--> Day1.RF _{CSA} ^{53 54}	0.411		
CLUSTERS 8 and 9			
MXN <--> IGFR1 ⁵⁵	-0.827	MXN <--> OF ^{20 56}	-0.400
IGFR1 <--> OF ⁸	0.434	MCT <--> PS ⁴⁹⁻⁵¹	0.750
Il-4 <--> FOXO-1 ⁵⁷	0.451	Il-4 <--> Il-10 ⁵⁸	0.562
Il-4 <--> MCT ⁵⁹	-0.485	Il-4 <--> INF γ ⁵⁸	0.402
Il-4 <--> PS ⁶⁰	-0.475	Il-4 <--> MXN ⁶¹	-0.435
INTER-CLUSTER INTERACTIONS			
PGC1 α <--> IGFR1 ⁵⁵	0.461	Il-6 <--> TNF α ¹⁹	0.491
hif1 α <--> PGC1 α ⁶²	-0.510	Il-6 <--> FOXO-1 ⁶³	0.518
P/D ratio <--> IGFR1 ⁸	0.485	P/D ratio <--> CRP ⁸	0.480
IGFR1 <--> cI ⁶⁴	0.448	PCR <--> Glucose ^{11 65}	-0.447
MCP-1 <--> apidonectin ²⁸	0.456	P70s6k <--> cV ⁶⁴	0.402
apidonectin <--> CRP ²⁸	-0.543		

Table S15: Heatmap detailing biological plausibility of interactions seen in network analysis. Heatmap key is seen below. P/D ratio= Protein:DNA ratio; ATP= Adenosine Tri-Phosphate; RF_{CSA}= Rectus Femoris Cross Sectional Area, PGC1 α = Peroxisome Proliferator-activated Receptor gamma co-activator 1 alpha; DRP-1= Dynamin Related Protein 1; MXN= Mitochondrial Copy Number; HIF1 α = Hypoxia Inducible Factor 1 alpha; TNF α = Tumour Necrosis Factor Alpha; IFN- γ = Interferon gamma; EGF= Epithelial Growth Factor; Il=Interleukin; MCP-1= Macrophage Chemotactic Protein-1; AMP-K=Adenosine Mono Phosphate Kinase; ATP= Adenosine Triphosphate; CR= Creatine; PCR= Phosphocreatine; CPT-1= Carnitine Palmitoyltransferase-1; MCAD= Medium Chain Acyl-CoA Dehydrogenase; ETF= electron Transferring Flavoprotein; DECR1= 2,4-dienoyl-CoA reductase 1; MFEII= Multifunctional Enzyme-2; NFKB= Nuclear Factor Kappa Beta; IGFR1=Insulin-like Growth Factor 1; cV=Complex V; P70s6K= Ribosomal protein S6 Kinase; FOXO-1= Forkhead Group O-1; mTOR= Mammalian Target of Rapamycin; AKt= Protein Kinase B; E4BP1= Eukaryotic translation initiation factor 4E-binding protein 1; PUFA=Polyunsaturated Fatty Acids; MUFA=Monounsaturated Fatty Acids; SFA= Saturated Fatty Acids; PS= Polysaccharides; PL= phospholipids.

	ANIMALS		HUMAN TISSUE	
NO DATA	Plausible	Demonstrated	Plausible	Demonstrated

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