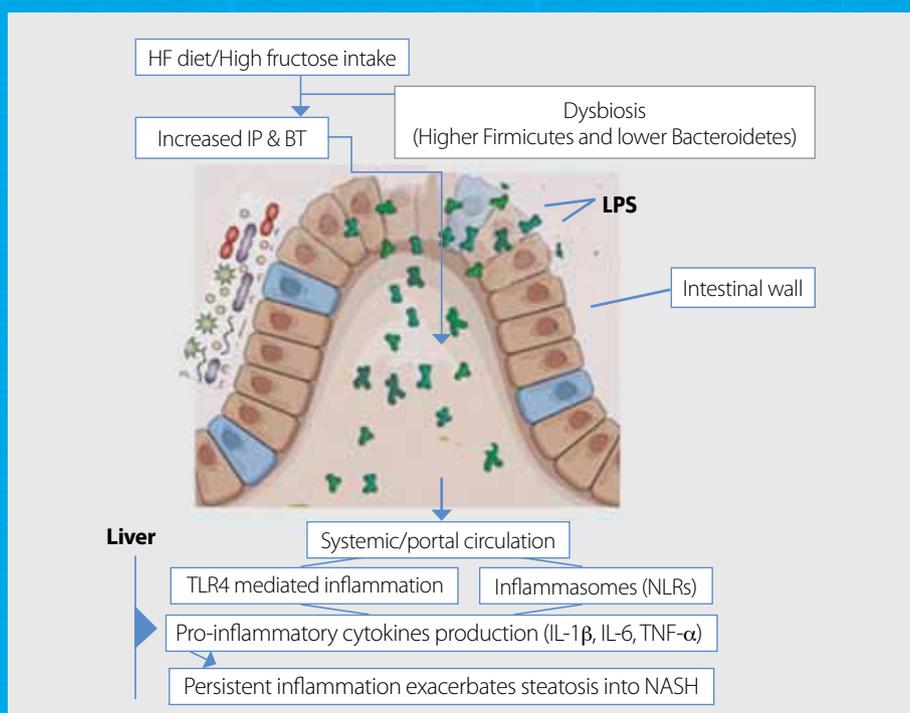




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Physic is an ever changing science. As I remember the days of my graduation from medical faculty, I feel extreme gratefulness to my tutors who inspired me. However, as nothing can withstand the test of the time, most of the knowledge I learned became outdated. This is why, as physicians, we need an exhaustive continuing learning activity. Journals are the most essential resources for physicians to further their carriers. Our future scientific endeavors are shaped by the up-to-date knowledge we gather from them.

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