

## Genomic Medicine and Management of Genetic Disorders

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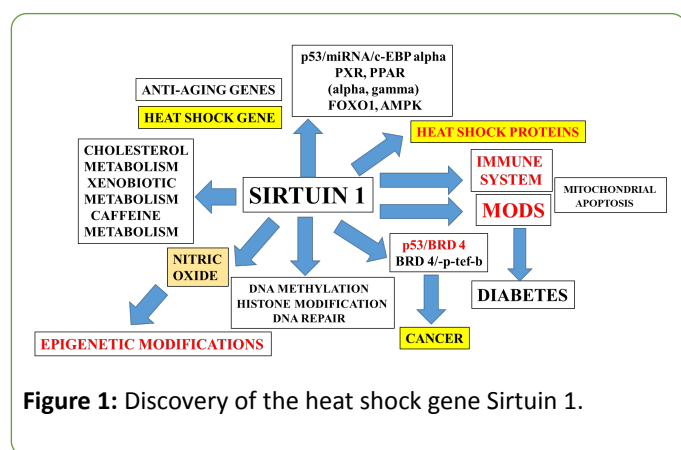


Figure 1: Discovery of the heat shock gene Sirtuin 1.

Genomic healthcare has become of critical importance when genomic information can be used routinely to improve the health **Figure 1** [1], diagnosis [2,3] and treatment of all individuals. The discovery of the heat shock gene Sirtuin 1 [3,4] indicates that diet [5-7], stress and lifestyle are critical factors that determine the management of genetic disorders in man and longevity in various species [8]. Sirtuin 1 is involved in the induction of diabetes, regulation of the immune system, cholesterol metabolism, epigenetic modifications [9,10] and the development of multiple organ disease syndrome (mitochondrial apoptosis). The role of Sirtuin 1 in human genomic healthcare [1] is now critical to various genes and the predisposition to several diseases.

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