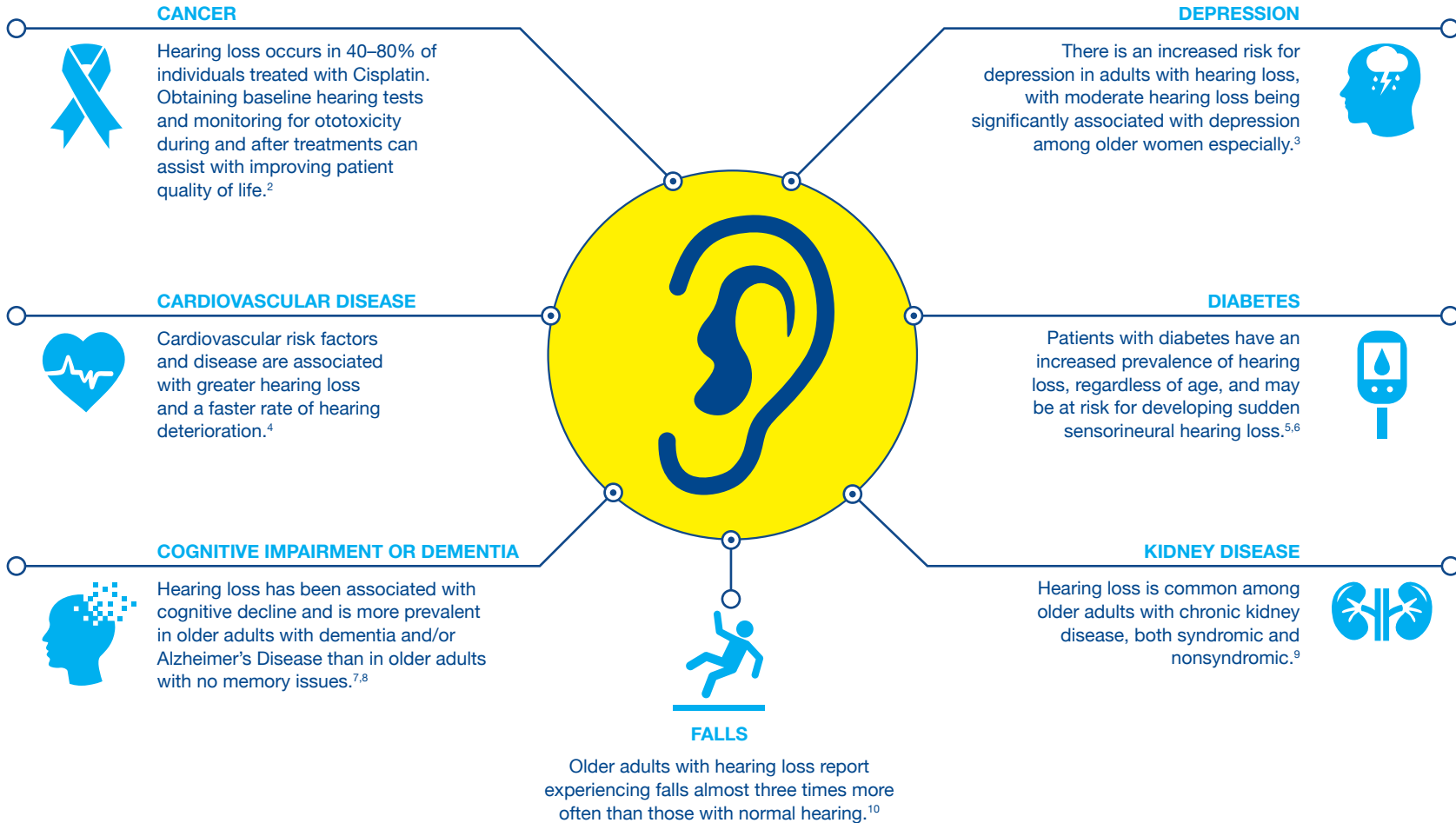


# Hearing Loss Comorbidities: Adults

Approximately 15% of American adults (37.5 million) aged 18 and over report some trouble hearing.<sup>1</sup>



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