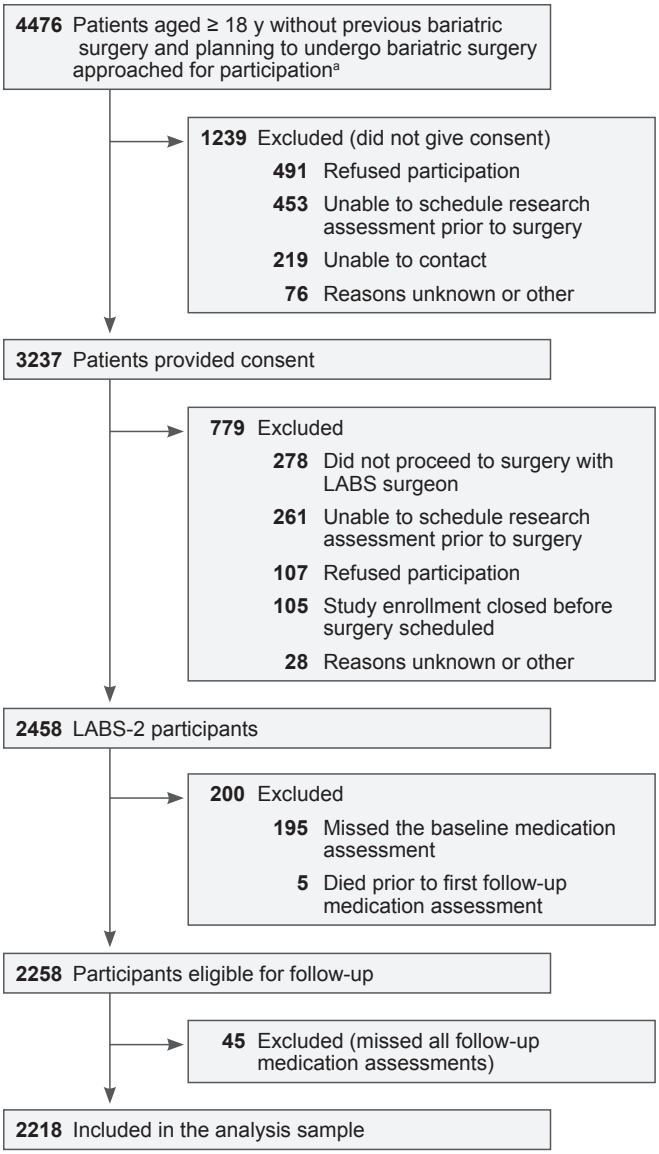
4476 Patients aged ≥ 18 y without previous bariatric surgery and planning to undergo bariatric surgery approached for participation[a]
1239 Excluded (did not give consent)
491 Refused participation
453 Unable to schedule research assessment prior to surgery
219 Unable to contact
76 Reasons unknown or other
3237 Patients provided consent
779 Excluded
278 Did not proceed to surgery with LABS surgeon
261 Unable to schedule research assessment prior to surgery
107 Refused participation
105 Study enrollment closed before surgery scheduled
28 Reasons unknown or other
2458 LABS-2 participants
200 Excluded
195 Missed the baseline medication assessment
5 Died prior to first follow-up medication assessment
2258 Participants eligible for follow-up
45 Excluded (missed all follow-up medication assessments)
2218 Included in the analysis sample