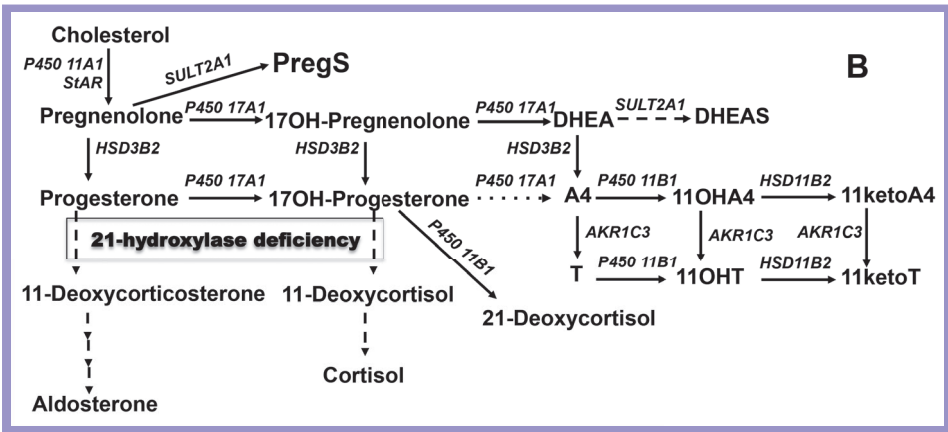
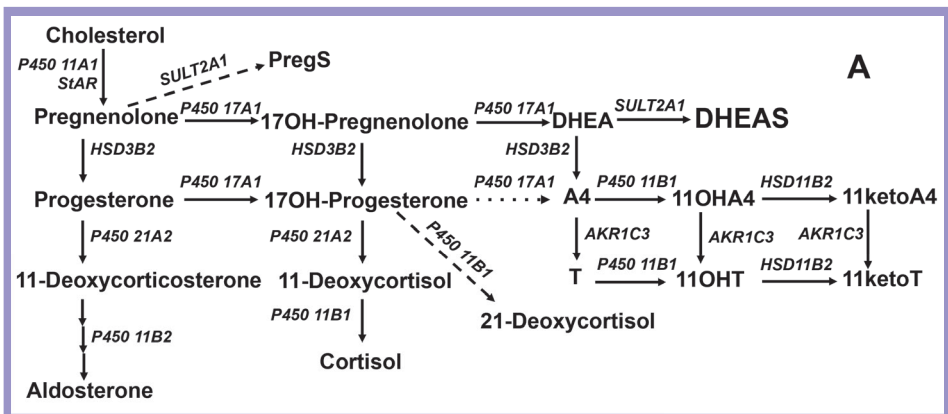


**F1** Main pathways of cortisol biosynthesis and alterations in 21OHD



A, normal steroidogenesis; B, disordered steroid flux in 21OHD. Abbreviations are as used in text. Dashed arrows emphasize shift from DHEAS production to PregS and 21-deoxycortisol; dotted arrow from 17OHP indicates poor enzyme activity.