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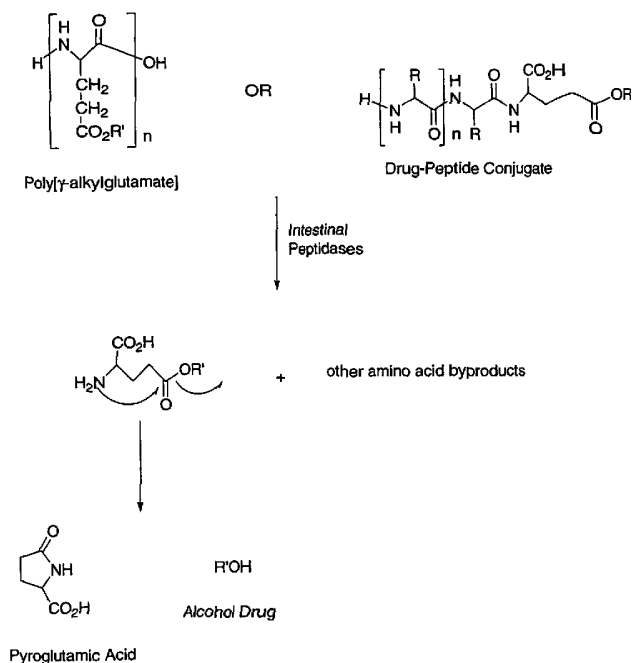
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Mechanism of Alcohol Drug from Glutamic Acid Dimer Scheme

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(57) Abstract: The present invention relates to active agent delivery systems and more specifically to compositions that comprise amino acids, as single amino acids or peptides, covalently attached to active agents (Figure 1) and methods for administering conjugated active agent compositions.

R' = Radical Moiety attached to alcohol functionality on drug
R = Side chain of amino acid or peptide

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