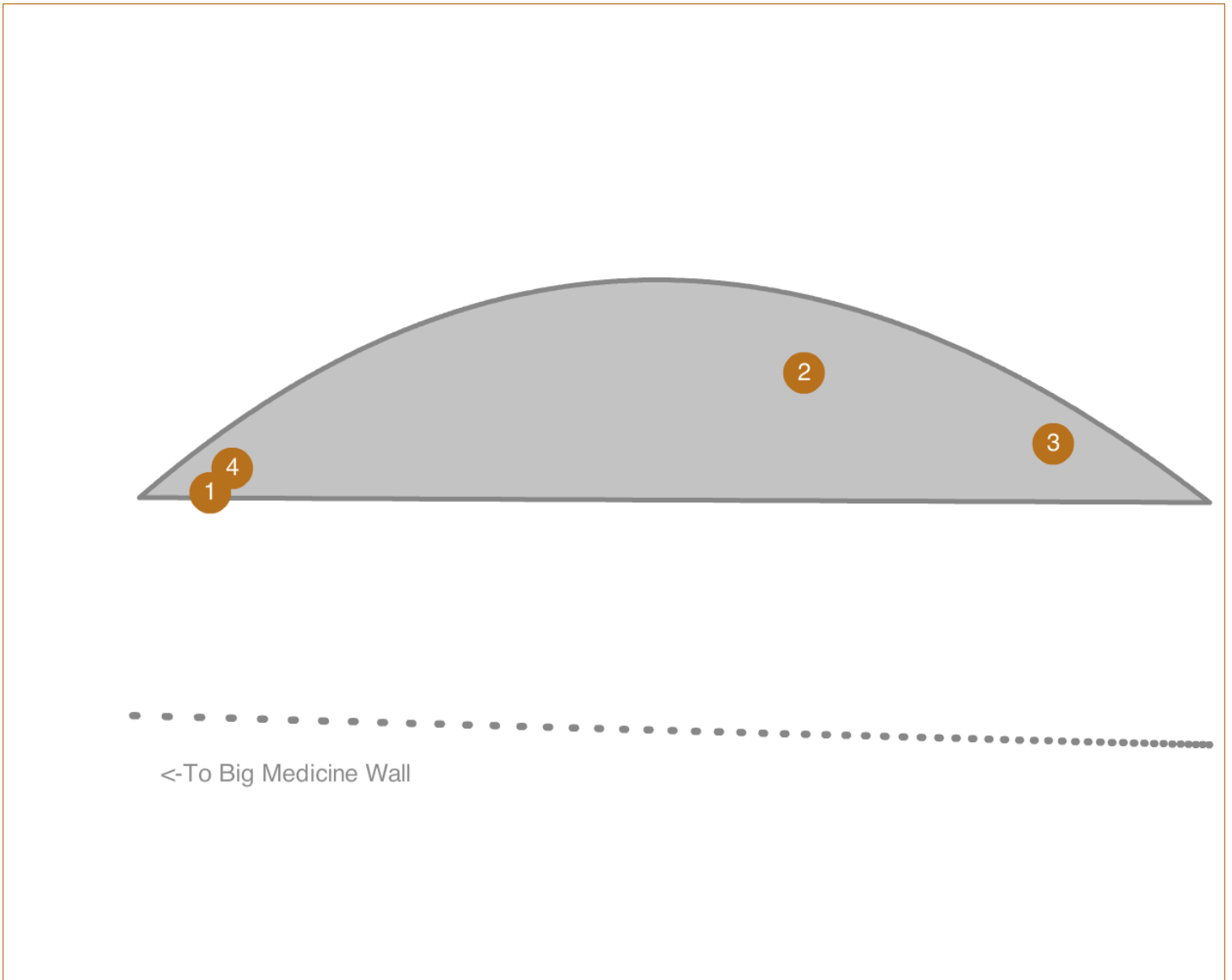


Spirit Cave

Spirit Cave's Approach

Cross the second bridge and hang a left. Giant cave will appear on the right.

Spirit Cave's Topo



Spirit Cave's Problems

1. 15 Step

V4

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V7

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Angle



3. The Bends

V2

First ascent 2011?

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Start on flat shelf and go to lip. If you're not on a good hold, you're doing it wrong. Classic.

4. 15 Step Direct

V2

Beta

Same start as 15 Step, go to sloper lip immediately, then continue up to runnel.