

Bispecific Therapy

FROM CLINICAL TRIALS TO REAL-WORLD EXPERIENCE -
THERAPEUTIC CONSIDERATIONS AND LOGISTICAL STRATEGIES

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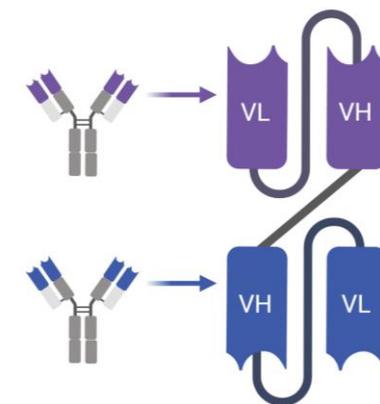
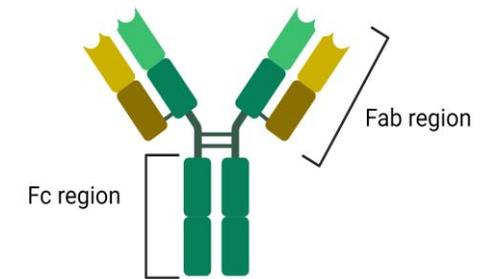
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Learning Objectives

1. Discuss the pharmacology and pharmacokinetics of current T-cell engaging bispecific antibodies (BsAbs).
2. Review data supporting the use of current T-cell engaging bispecific antibodies (BsAbs) in hematological malignancies.
3. Describe common side effects associated with T-cell engaging bispecific antibodies (BsAbs) including cytokine release syndrome.
4. Outline logistical challenges that can occur with the administration of T-cell engaging bispecific antibodies (BsAbs) and summarize therapeutic strategies that can be utilized.

Introduction

- Bispecific antibodies represent a novel treatment approach for the treatment of hematologic malignancies
- Contain 2 different antigen-binding sites in 1 molecule
- Activate peripheral and intratumoral endogenous immune cells
- Redirects cytotoxic T lymphocytes by targeting CD3 and cell surface antigens on cancer cells

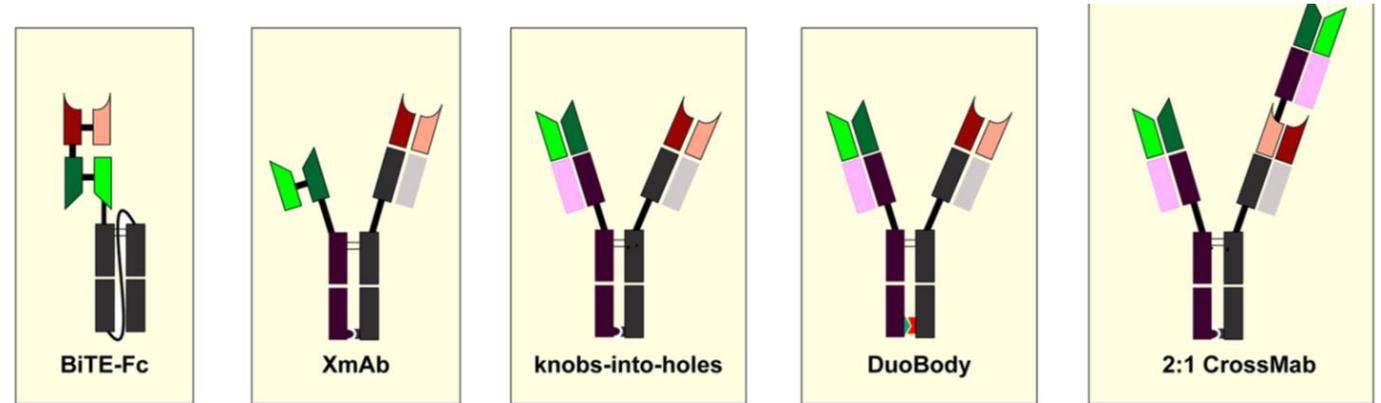


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Bispecific Antibodies (BsAbs)

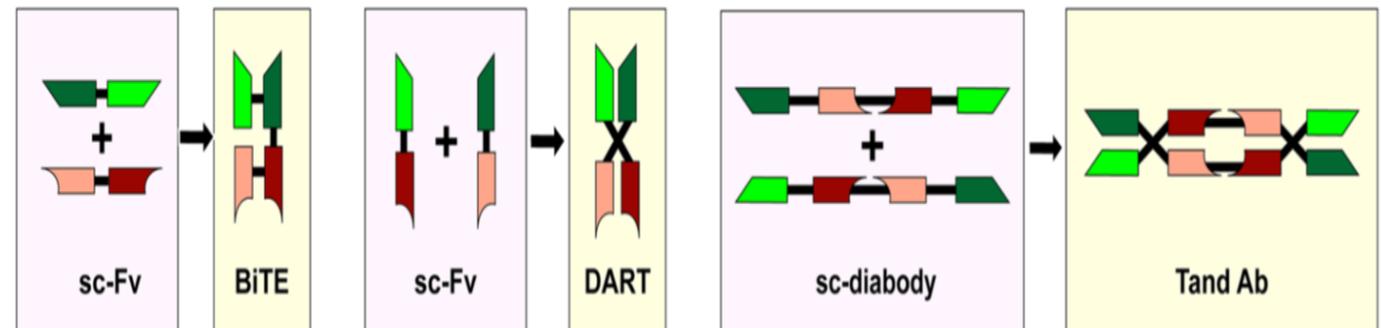
IgG-based (Fc format)

- Large molecular weight
- Fc-mediated effector function
- Increased solubility and stability
- Increased serum half-life and affinity



Non-IgG based (Fv format)

- Lack of Fc fragments
- Easy to produce
- Low immunogenicity
- Increased permeability to tumor tissues



B-cell Lymphoma Bispecific FDA Approval Timeline

2022

December 2022:

Mosunetuzumab-axgb

- Indication: R/R FL ≥ 2 L
- Study: GO29781

2023

June 2023:

Glofitamab-gxbm

- Indication: R/R DLBCL NOS or LBCL arising from FL after ≥ 2 L
- Study: NP30179

May 2023:

Epcoritamab-bysp

- Indication: R/R DLBCL NOS (DLBCL from indolent lymphoma, HGBCL) after ≥ 2 L
- Study: EPCORE™ NHL-1

Mosunetuzumab – axgb

Indication: relapsed or refractory follicular lymphoma, after two or more lines of systemic therapy

Mechanism of action: targets CD3 on T-cells and CD20 expressed on the surface of B-cells

Approval Date: December 2022

Mosunetuzumab – axgb

Clinical Trial Data

Inclusion Criteria

- Grade 1-3a follicular lymphoma
- Relapsed/refractory to ≥ 2 lines of therapy
 - Anti-CD20
 - Alkylating agent
- Adults (≥ 18 years)
- ECOG 0-1
- Hepatic and renal function WNL



Dosing schedule

Cycle 1

- Day 1: 1mg
- Day 8: 2mg
- Day 15: 60mg

Cycle 2-12

- Day 1 60mg
- #### Cycle 3 and beyond
- Day 1 30mg



Endpoints

- Primary endpoint: CR
- Secondary Endpoints: ORR, DOR, PFS, OS, Safety

- Premedication (required for C1/2)
 - Acetaminophen
 - Anti-histamine
 - Steroid
- Duration of treatment
 - 8 cycles (21 day)
 - CR – discontinue
 - PR/SD – continue for 9 more cycles

CR: complete response PR: partial response SD: stable disease ORR = Overall Response Rate, CR = Complete Response, PFS = Progressive Free Survival. OS = Overall Survival

Mosunetuzumab – axgb

Baseline Characteristics

	N=90
Age	60 (53-67)
FLIPI risk score 1-4	86 (96%)
Bulky disease (>6cm)	31 (34%)
Median previous lines of therapy	3 (2-4)
2 previous lines of therapy	34 (38%)
3 previous lines of therapy	28 (31%)
> 3 previous lines of therapy	28 (31%)
Double refractory (both anti-CD20 AND alkylator therapy)	48 (53%)
PI3K inhibitors	17 (19%)
Immunomodulatory agents	13 (14%)
Chimeric antigen receptor T-cell therapy	3 (3%)
Prior autologous stem cell transplant	19 (21%)
POD24 (progression of disease within 24 months)	47 (52%)

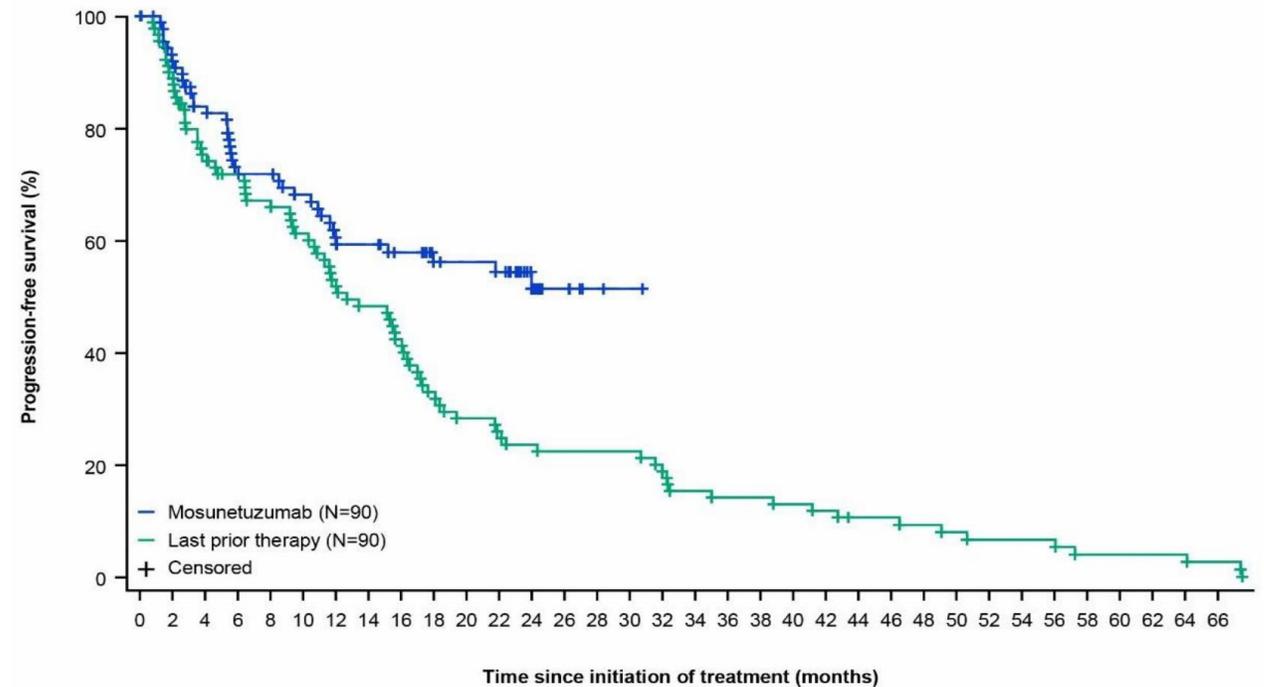
Mosunetuzumab – axgb

Results

CR: **60%** (95% CI 49.1-70.2) vs 36%

ORR: **80%** (95% CI 70.3-87.7) vs 56%

24month PFS: **51.4%** vs 23.5%



Mosunetuzumab – axgb

Results

	Grade 1-2 (%)	Grade 3-4 (%)
Fatigue	37	0
Headache	30	1
Pruritis	21	0
ICANS	3	0

	Grade 1-2 (%)	Grade 3-4 (%)
Neutropenia	2	26
Median time of onset = 70 days (31 – 106)		
Median duration= 8 days		
No incidence of FN		
GCSF support (69%)		

	All Grade (n)	Grade 3-4 (n)
Infections	18	13
UTI (n=3)		
Epstein-Barr viremia (n=2)		
Pneumonia (n=2)		
Septic shock (n=2)		
Covid and other (n=9)		

Mosunetuzumab – axgb

Safety – CRS data

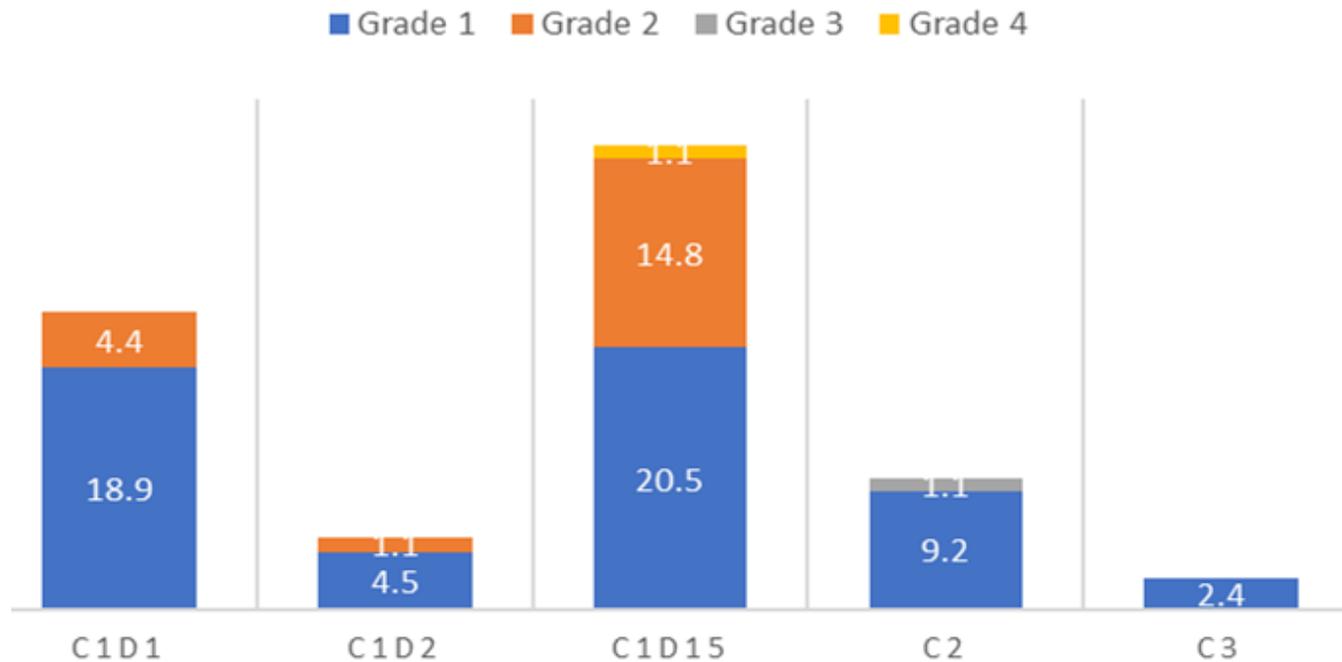
CRS: 40 patients (44%)

Onset of CRS:

- 5 hours (C1D1)
- 27 hours (C1D15)

Duration of CRS

- 3 days



Mosunetuzumab – axgb

Pharmacotherapy Considerations

Administration:

- Intravenous Infusion
- Hospitalization is not required (23% hospitalized in the trial)

Pre-medications:

- Corticosteroid: Dexamethasone 20 mg IV or methylprednisolone 80mg IV at least 1 hour prior
- Antihistamine: Diphenhydramine 50mg IV/PO at least 30 mins prior to infusion
- Antipyretic: Acetaminophen 500 to 1,000 mg IV/PO at least 30 mins prior to infusion
 - Recommended for cycle 1 and 2

Consider prophylactic medications

- Consider G-CSF as applicable
- Consider Pneumocystis jirovecii pneumonia (PJP) and herpes virus prophylaxis

Epcoritamab – bysp

Indication: relapsed or refractory diffuse large B-cell Lymphoma NOS (DLBCL from indolent lymphoma, HGBCL) after ≥ 2 L after two or more lines of systemic therapy

Mechanism of action: targets CD3 on T-cells and CD20 expressed on the surface of B-cells

Approval Date: May 2023

Epcoritamab – bysp

Clinical Trial Data

Inclusion Criteria

- Relapsed or refractory CD20+ large B-cell lymphoma (LBCL) after two or more lines of systemic therapy
- Adult patients
- ECOG 0-2



Dosing schedule

Cycle 1:

- Day 1: 0.16mg
- Day 8: 0.8mg
- Day 15: 48 mg
- Day 22: 48mg

Cycle 2-3

- Day 1,8,15,22: 48mg

Cycle 4-9:

- Day 1,15: 48 mg

Cycle 10 and beyond:

- Day 1: 48 mg

- Premedication (required for C1)

- Acetaminophen
- Anti-histamine
- Steroid (Day 1-4, 8-11, 15-18, 22-25)



Endpoints

- Primary endpoint: ORR
- Secondary Endpoints: CR, DOR, PFS, OS, Safety

Epcoritamab – bysp

Baseline Characteristics

	N=157
Age	64 (20-83)
Median previous lines of therapy	3 (2-11)
2 previous lines of therapy	46 (29%)
3 previous lines of therapy	50 (32%)
> 3 previous lines of therapy	61 (39%)
Double hit/triple-hit lymphoma	13/99 (13.1%)
Refractory to >= 2 lines of therapy	119 (76%)
Prior CAR T-cell therapy	61 (39%)
Progressed within 6 months of CAR Tcell therapy	46/61 (75%)

Epcoritamab – bysp

Results

ORR: **63.1%** (95% CI 55-70.6)

CR: **38.9%** (95% CI 31.2-46.9)

Duration of Response: 12 months (6.6 –NR)

PFS months: 4.4 (3-7.9)

OS months: not reached (11.3- NR)

Time to response: 1.4 months (1-8.4)

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Results

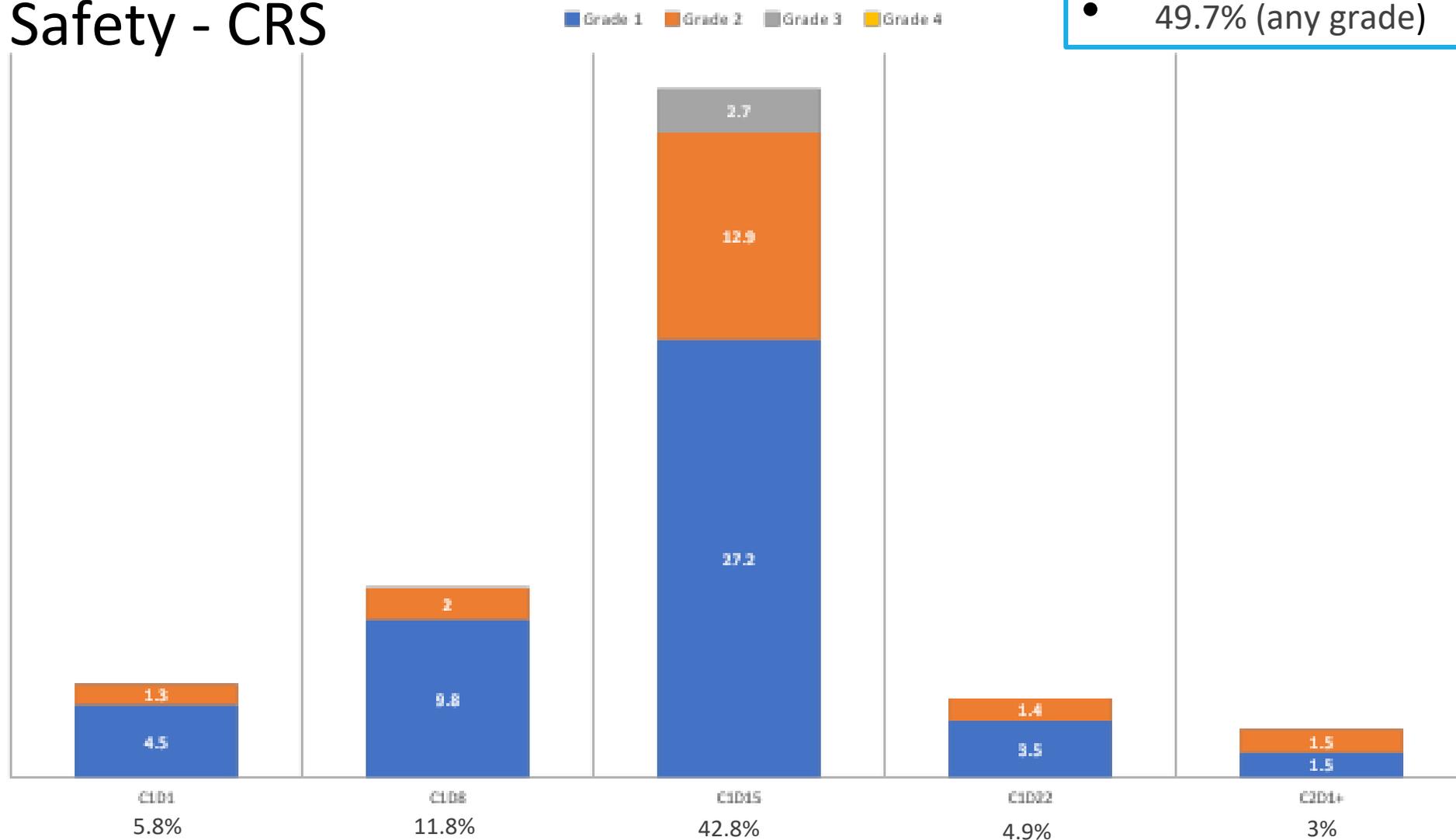
	Any Grade(%)	Grade > 3 (%)
Pyrexia	23.6	0
Fatigue	22.9	1.9
Pruritis	21	0
ICANS	6.4	0.6

	Any Grade(%)	Grade > 3 (%)
Neutropenia	21.7	14.6
Febrile Neutropenia (2.5%)		
GCSF support (10%)		

Epcoritamab – bysp

Safety - CRS

- Onset of CRS: **20 hrs (C1D1) 27 hours (C1D15)**
- Duration of CRS: **3 days**
- **49.7% (any grade)**



CRS: Cytokine Release Syndrome

Epcoritamab – bysp

Pharmacotherapy Considerations

Administration:

- Subcutaneous administration
- Hospitalization required for Day 15 (24 hours)

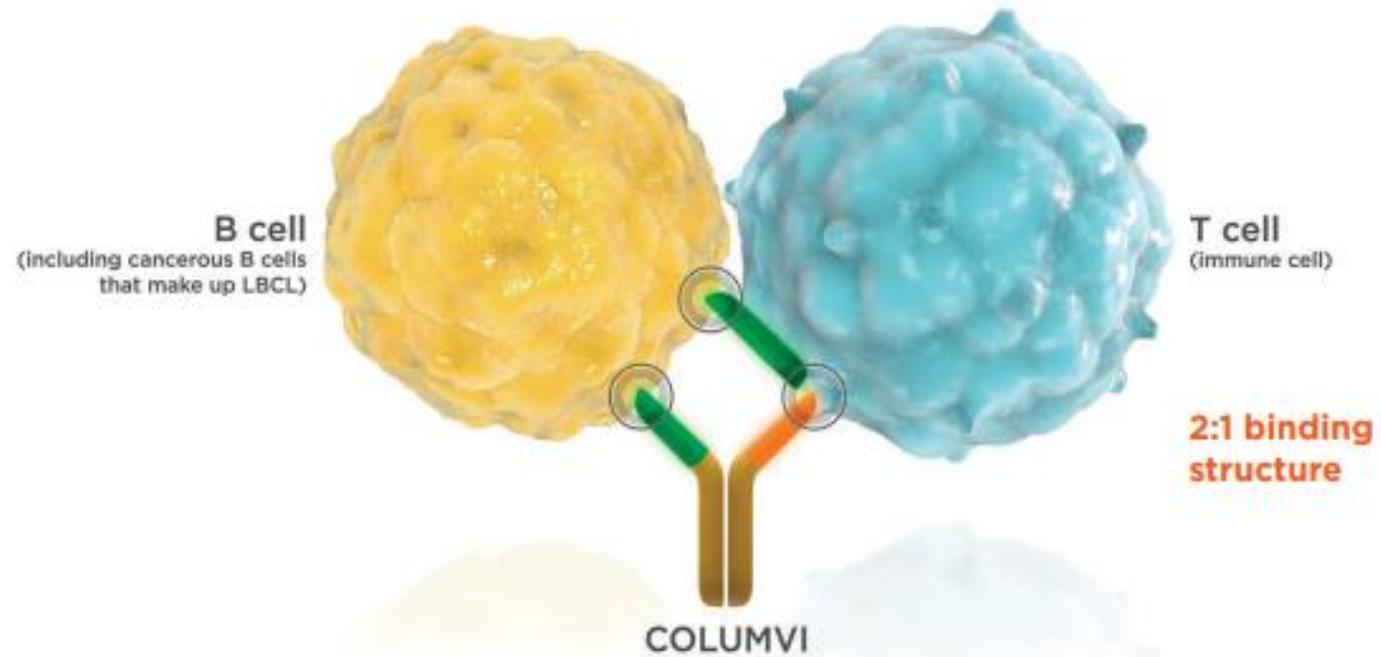
Pre-medications:

- Corticosteroid: Dexamethasone 15 mg or prednisone 100mg (and for 3 consecutive days after)
- Antihistamine: Diphenhydramine 50mg
- Antipyretic: Acetaminophen 500 to 1,000 mg
- Recommended for cycle 1; steroids can be continued for C2 if previous CRS

Consider prophylactic medications

- Consider G-CSF as applicable
- Recommend *Pneumocystis jirovecii* pneumonia (PJP) and consider herpes virus prophylaxis

Glofitamab-gxbm



Glofitamab-gxbm

Clinical Pharmacology

Indication

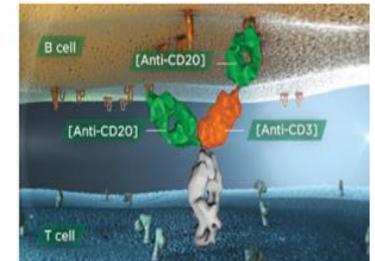
Glofitamab-gxbm is approved by the Food and Drug Administration for relapsed or refractory DLBCL, NOS or LBCL arising from follicular lymphoma, after two or more lines of systemic therapy

Mechanism of action

Glofitamab-gxbm is a bispecific T-cell engaging antibody that targets CD3 and CD20 in a novel 2:1 tumor–T-cell binding configuration, resulting in T-cell activation and proliferation, cytokine secretion, and lysis of CD20-expressing B cells

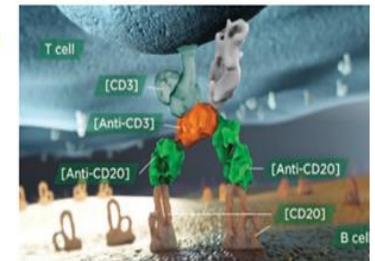
Bispecific Antibody

COLUMVI™ has a unique 2:1 structure, with 2 CD20-binding sites and 1 CD3-binding site.



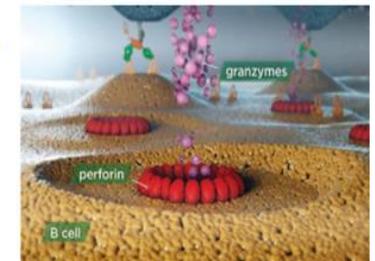
Bivalent CD20 Binding

Bivalent binding to CD20-expressing B cells and monovalent binding to CD3-expressing T cells.



Stimulate B-cell Lysis

Designed for T-cell-mediated lysis of B cells, including malignant B cells.



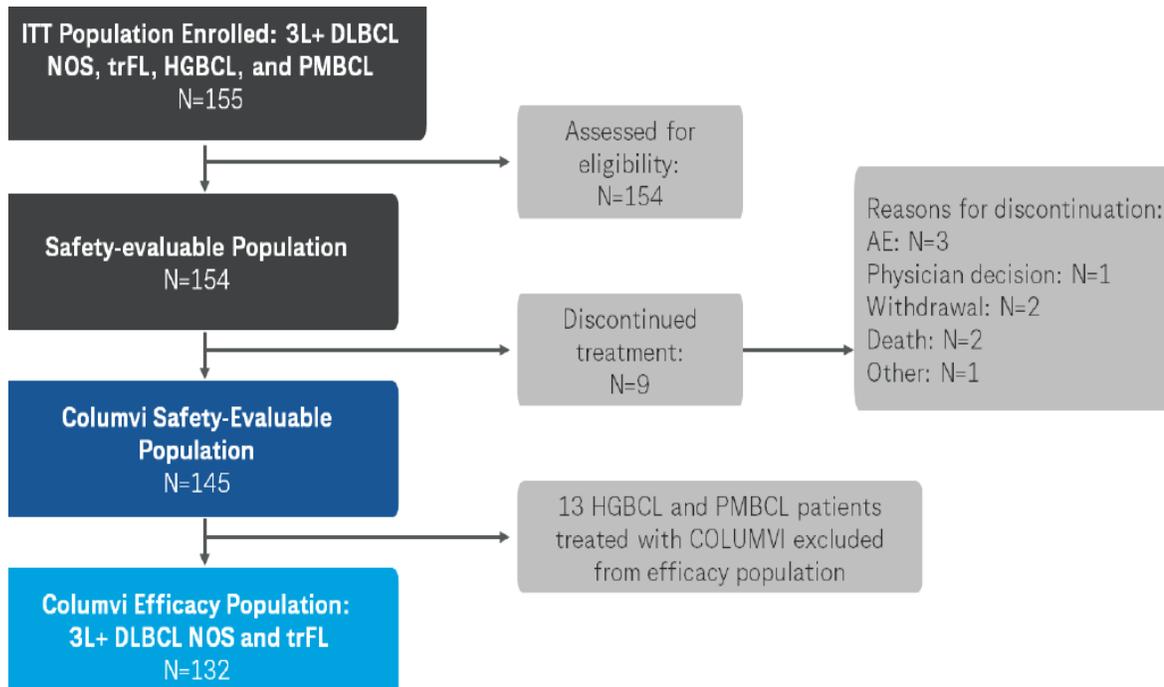
DLBCL, NOS = Diffuse large B-cell lymphoma, not otherwise specified;
LBCL= Large B-cell lymphoma

Glofitamab-gxbm

Clinical Trial

Glofitamab for Relapsed or Refractory Diffuse Large B-Cell Lymphoma

An open-label, multicenter, multicohort, single-arm clinical trial

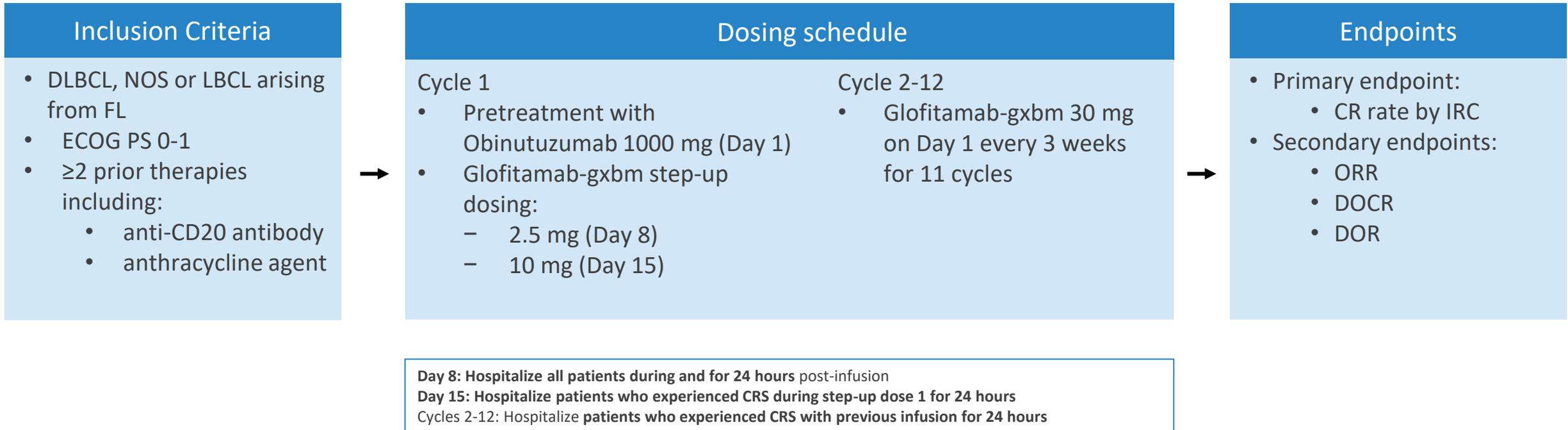


- Median age 67 years (range: 21-90)
- Diagnosis of DLBCL, NOS in 80% of patients, 20% had transformed follicular lymphoma
- Median number of prior therapies was 3 (range 2-7), 55% of patients had primary refractory disease, 83% with refractory to last previous therapy, 19% with prior autologous stem cell transplant, and 30% with prior CAR T-cell therapy

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Clinical Trial

Pivotal Phase II – Design



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Pivotal Phase II – Efficacy Results

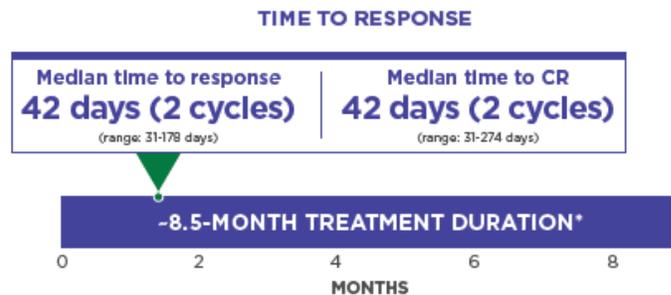
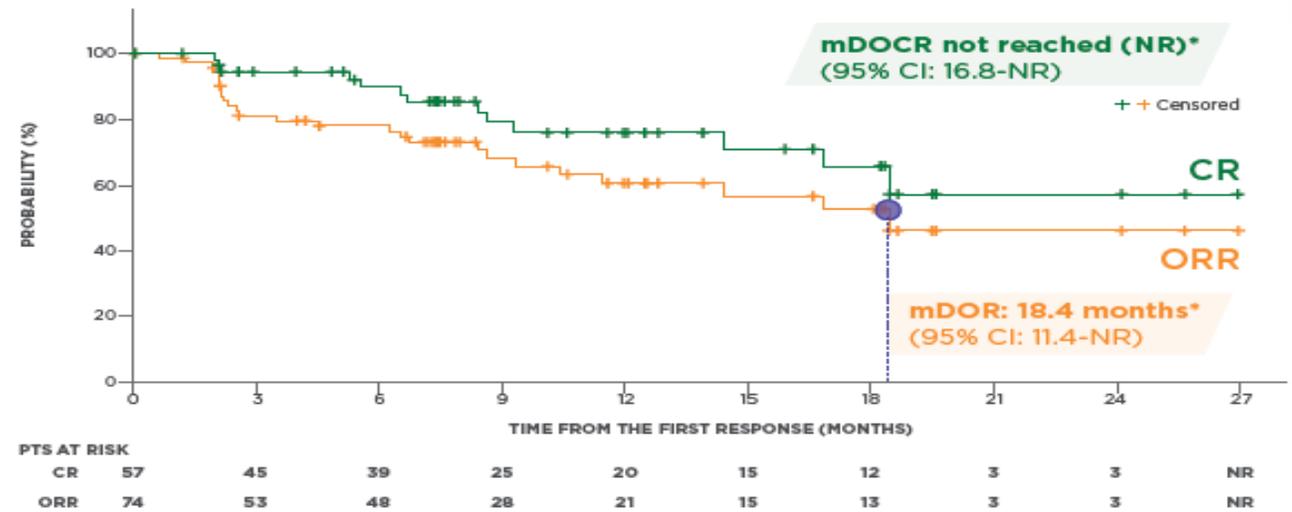


Overall Response Rate
(n=74/132; 95% CI: 47%-65%)

• 13% of patients experienced partial response (n=17/132; 95% CI: 8%-20%)



Complete Response
(n=57/132; 95% CI: 35%-52%)



mDOR was 18.4 months (95% CI: 11.4-NR) and mDOCR was not reached (95% CI: 16.8-NR)

Among responders, the estimated median follow-up for DOR was 11.6 months.

*From date of first response (PR or CR) until disease progression or death due to any cause.

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Pivotal Phase II – Safety Results

Adverse Reactions	COLUMVI N=145	
	All Grades (%)	Grade 3 to 4 (%)
Immune system disorders		
Cytokine release syndrome	70	4.1
Musculoskeletal and connective tissue disorders		
Musculoskeletal pain*	21	2.1
General disorders		
Fatigue†	20	1.4
Pyrexia	16	0
Edema‡	10	0
Skin and subcutaneous tissue disorders		
Rash [§]	20	1.4
Gastrointestinal disorders		
Constipation	14	0
Diarrhea	14	0
Nausea	10	0
Abdominal pain	10	0
Neoplasms		
Tumor flare	12	2.8
Neurologic Disorders		
Headache	10	0

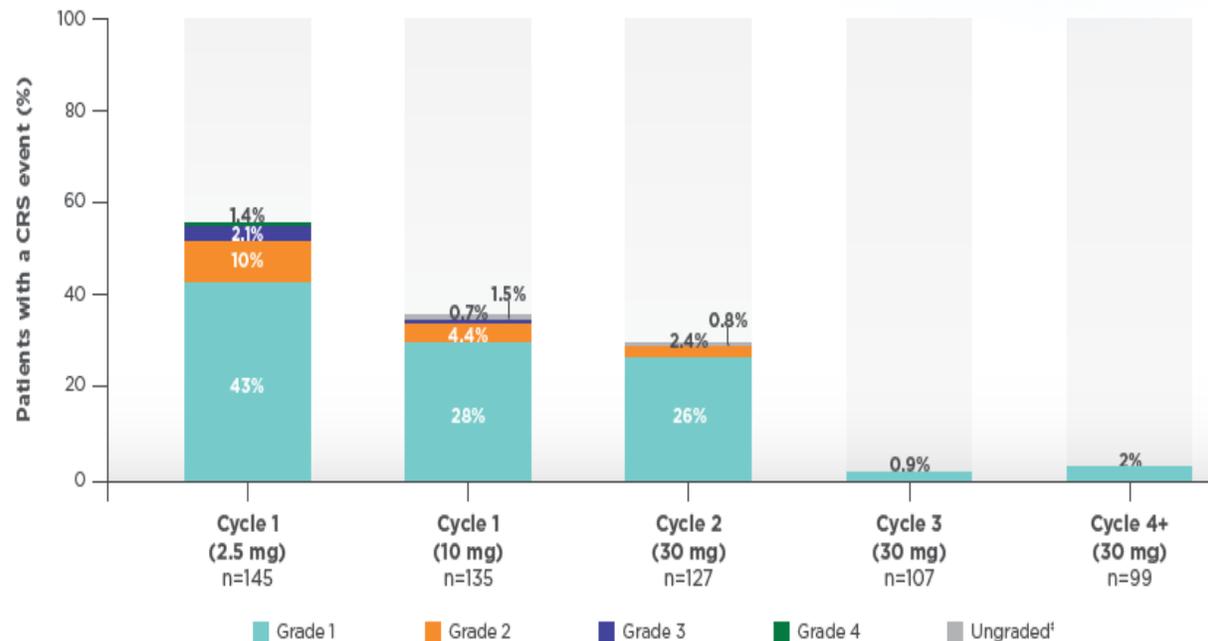
- Serious adverse reactions occurred in 48% to which in $\geq 2\%$ of patients included CRS, COVID-19 infection, sepsis, and tumor flare
- Fatal adverse reactions occurred in 5% of patients from COVID-19 infection (3.4%), sepsis (1.4%), and delirium (0.6%)
- ARs led to dose interruptions in 19% of patients, most frequently ($\geq 2\%$) from neutropenia and thrombocytopenia
- ARs leading to treatment discontinuation were reported in 7% of patients
 - Included infection, delirium, neutropenia, CRS
- ICANS reactions were also observed
 - All Grade: 7 (4.8%); Grade ≥ 3 : 2 (2.1%)

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Pivotal Phase II – CRS

CRS Incidence by grade and cycle



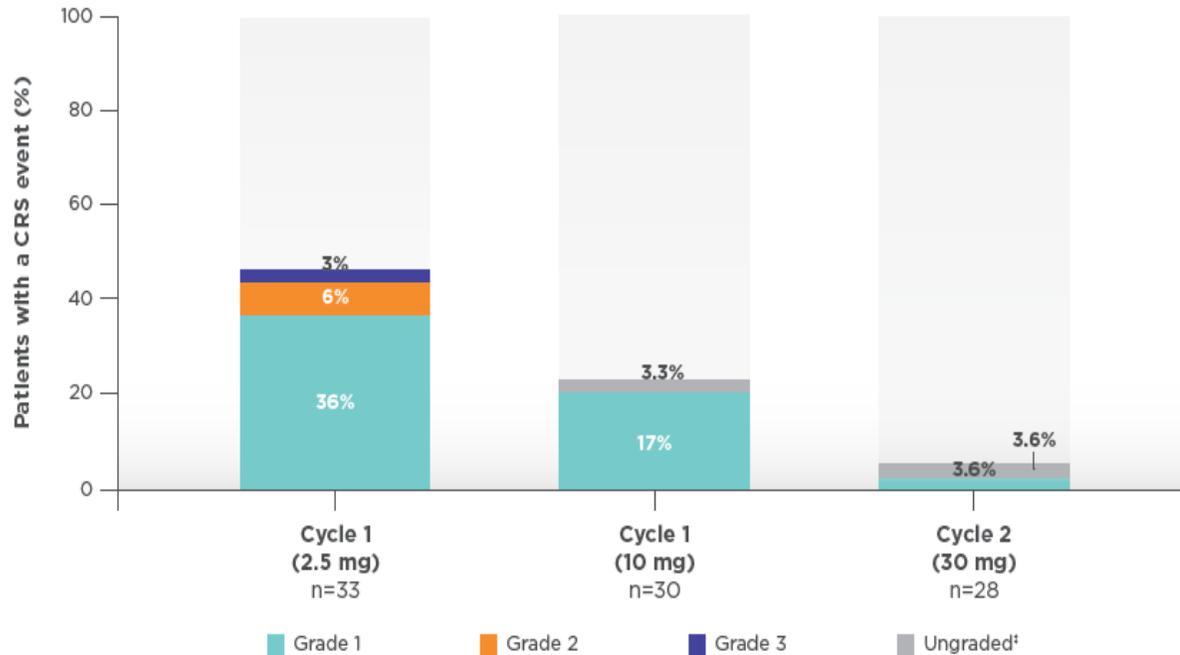
- CRS of any grade occurred in 70% of patients
 - CRS Grade 1 occurred in 52% of patients, 14% Grade 2, 2.8% Grade 3, and 1.4% Grade 4
 - Grade 1-2 CRS event was observed in 94.1% of patients
 - Grade 3 or 4 CRS was only observed during Cycle 1
 - Recurrent CRS occurred in 34% of all patients
- The median time to onset of CRS
 - C1D8: 14hrs (5-74hrs), C1D15: 29hrs (7-125hrs), C2D1: 28hrs (2-62hrs)
- CRS after any dose resolved in 98% of cases, with a median duration of 2 days (range: 1-14 days)

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Pivotal Phase II – CRS

Observed CRS with dexamethasone premedication



Mandatory dexamethasone premedication led to a lower incidence of any grade CRS than treatment with any glucocorticoid

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Pharmacotherapy Considerations

Administration:

- Administer only as an intravenous infusion through a dedicated infusion line that includes a sterile 0.2-micron in-line filter
 - Cycles 1-2: over 4 hours
 - Cycles 3-12: over 2 hours
 - Patients experiencing cytokine release syndrome (CRS): Cycles 1-2: over 8 hours; Cycles 3-12: over 4 hours
- Patients should be hospitalized during and for 24 hours after completion of infusion of step-up dose 1 (2.5 mg on Cycle 1 Day 8)

Pre-medications:

- Corticosteroid: Dexamethasone 20 mg IV at least 1 hour prior to infusion
- Antihistamine: Diphenhydramine 50 IV/PO at least 30 minutes prior to infusion
- Antipyretic: Acetaminophen 500 to 1,000 mg orally at least 30 minutes prior to infusion
 - Dexamethasone required for Cycles 1-3; may be administered in Cycles 4-12 if any CRS experienced with the previous dose

Consider prophylactic medications

- Antiviral agent to prevent herpes simplex virus reactivation
- Anti-PJP agent to prevent pneumocystis jiroveci pneumonia infection
- Anti-CMV agent to prevent cytomegalovirus infection

Contraindications, Warnings and Precautions

- US Boxed Warning: Cytokine release syndrome
- Warnings and Precautions: Neurologic toxicity, serious infections, tumor flare, embryo-fetal toxicity
- Contraindications: None

Multiple Myeloma Bispecific Antibody FDA Approval Timeline

2022

October 2022:

Teclistamab-cqyv

Indication: Relapsed/Refractory Multiple Myeloma after at least 4 prior lines of therapy

- Study: MajesTEC-1

2023

August 2023:

Talquetamab-tgvs

Indication: Relapsed/Refractory Multiple Myeloma after at least 4 prior lines of therapy

- Study: MMY1001 (MonumentAL-1) Trial

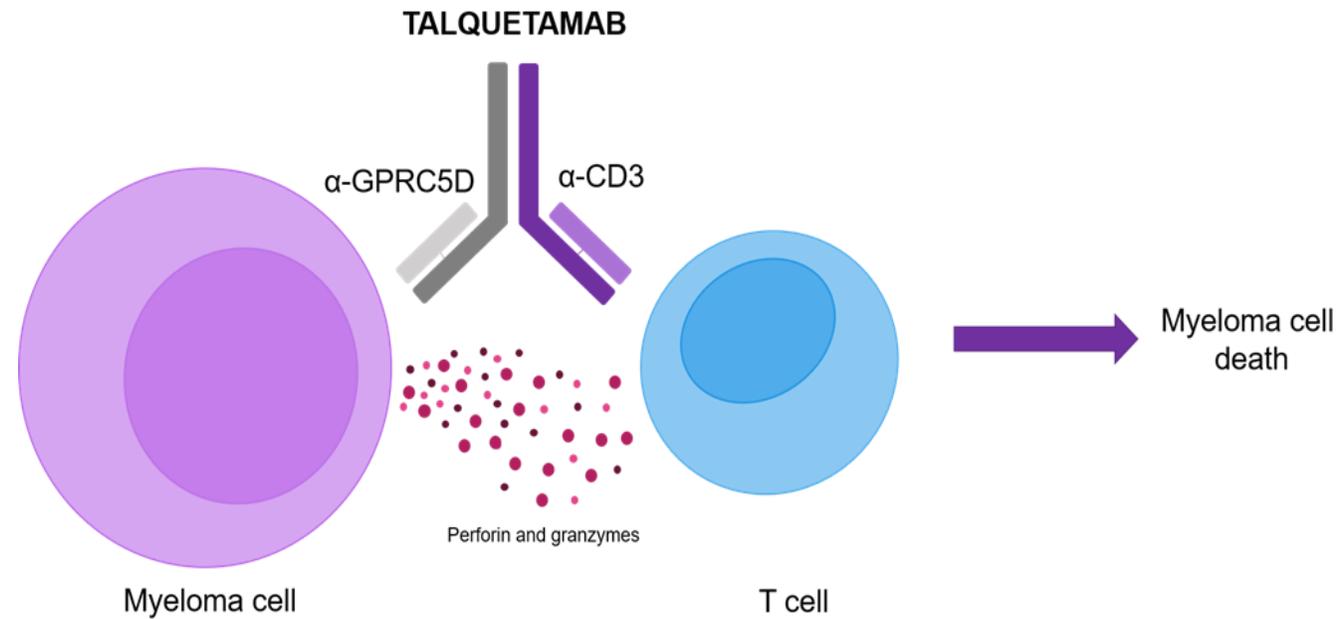
August 2023:

Elranatamab-bcmm

Indication: Relapsed/Refractory Multiple Myeloma after at least 4 prior lines of therapy

- Study: MagnetisMM-3 trial

Talquetamab-tgvs



Talquetamab-tgvs

Clinical Pharmacology

Indication

Talquetamab-tgvs is approved by the Food and Drug Administration for the treatment of adults with relapsed or refractory multiple myeloma who have received at least 4 prior lines of therapy, including a proteasome inhibitor, an immunomodulatory agents, and an anti-CD38 monoclonal antibody

Mechanism of action

Talquetamab-tgvs is a bispecific T-cell engaging antibody that targets CD3 and G protein-coupled receptor class C group 5 member D (GPRC5D), resulting in the lysis of malignant plasma cells that occurs via T-cell recruitment and activation

Talquetamab-tgvs

Clinical Trial

MonumenTAL-1: Talquetamab, a T-Cell-Redirecting GPRC5D Bispecific Antibody for Multiple Myeloma

Prospective, open-label, multicenter, phase I/2 clinical trial

232 patients met study criteria and received talquetamab-tgvs subcutaneous (n=130) or IV (n=102)

- Subcutaneous doses had a more favorable pharmacokinetics, safety, and efficacy profile and was selected for phase 2 of the study
 - N=30 - 405 µg/kg weekly
 - N=44 - 800 µg/kg every 2 weeks

	Talquetamab 405 µg/kg QW (n = 30)	Talquetamab 800 µg/kg Q2W (n = 44)
Median age – years (range)	62 (46–80)	64 (47–84)
Median time since diagnosis – years (range)	5.6 (1.7-19.6)	6.4 (0.8-21.3)
Median lines of previous therapy – no. (range)	6 (2-14)	5 (2-17)
Previous stem-cell transplantation – no. (%)	27 (90)	33 (75)
Previous therapy exposure – no. (%)		
Triple-class exposure	30 (100)	43 (98)
Penta-drug exposure	24 (80)	30 (68)
Refractory status – no. (%)		
Immunomodulatory drug	28 (93)	42 (95)
Proteasome inhibitor	25 (83)	36 (82)
Anti-CD38 monoclonal antibody	30 (100)	39 (89)
Triple-class refractory	23 (77)	33 (75)
Penta-drug refractory	6 (20)	9 (20)
Refractory to last line of therapy	26 (87)	39 (89)

Talquetamab-tgvs

Clinical Trial

Phase II – Design

Inclusion Criteria

- Relapse/refractory with proteasome inhibitor, anti-CD38, immunomodulator as prior therapy
- ECOG PS 0-1



Dosing schedule

Weekly step-up dosing schedule	Weekly dosing schedule
Day 1 (step-up dose 1): 10 µg/kg Day 4 (step-up dose 2): 60 µg/kg Day 7 (first treatment dose): 405 µg/kg	405 µg/kg once weekly Starting 1 week after the first treatment dose and weekly thereafter
Biweekly (every 2 weeks) step-up dosing schedule	Biweekly (every 2 weeks) dosing schedule
Day 1 (step-up dose 1): 10 µg/kg Day 4 (step-up dose 2): 60 µg/kg Day 7 (step-up dose 3): 300 µg/kg Day 10 (first treatment dose): 800 µg/kg	800 µg/kg every 2 weeks Starting 2 weeks after the first treatment dose and every 2 weeks thereafter

Patients should be hospitalized for 48 hours after administration of all doses within the step-up dosing schedule
 Subcutaneous injection into abdomen (preferred) or thigh

Endpoints



- Primary endpoint:
 - Frequency and severity of ARs
- Secondary endpoints:
 - ORR
 - DOR
 - TTR
 - PFS

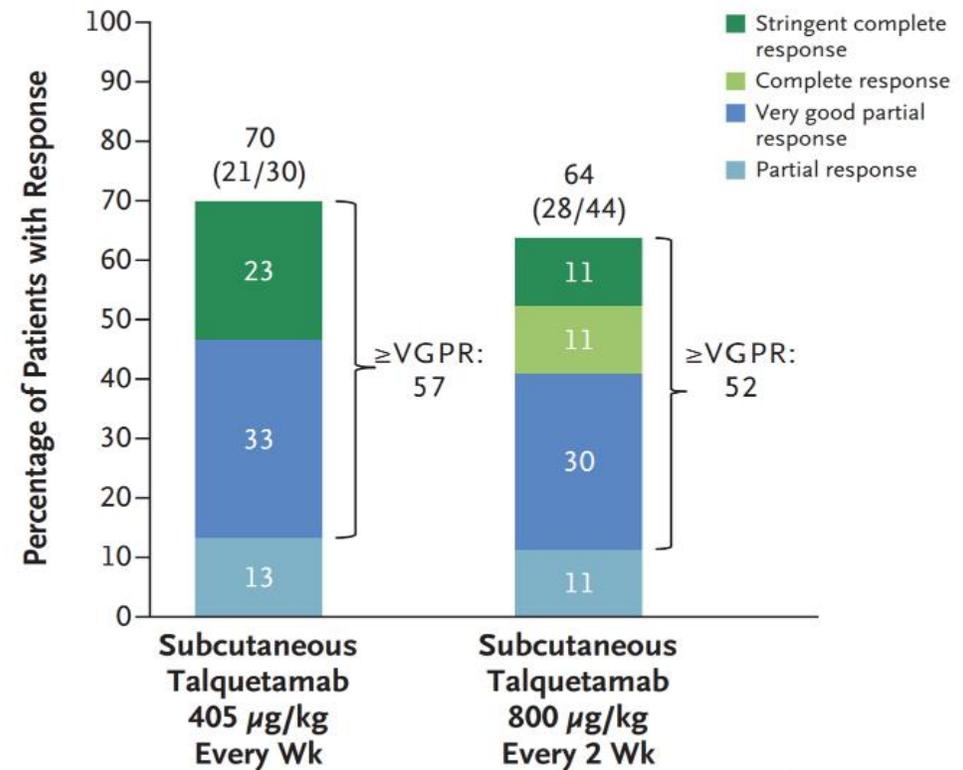
ARs=Adverse reactions; ORR=Overall response rate; DOR=Duration of response; TTR=Time to respond; PFS=Progression free survival

Talquetamab-tgvs

Clinical Trial

Phase II – Efficacy Results

	Talquetamab 405 µg/kg QW (n = 30)	Talquetamab 800 µg/kg Q2W (n = 44)
Overall Response – no. (%)	21 (70.0)	28 (63.6)
Best Response – no. (%)		
S-CR	7 (23.3)	5 (11.4)
CR	0	5 (11.4)
VGPR	10 (33.3)	13 (29.5)
PR	4 (13.3)	5 (11.4)
SD	9 (30.0)	13 (29.5)
PD	0	3 (6.8)
Median time to response – months (range)	0.9 (0.2-3.8)	1.2 (0.3-6.8)
Median time to CR – months (range)	9.3 (1.7-17.1)	2.3 (2.1-6.8)
Median response duration – months (95% CI)	10.2 (3.0-NR)	7.8 (4.6-NR)
Progression-free survival (patients)	10/21	19/28



S-CR=Stringent complete response; CR=Complete response; VGPR=Very good partial response; PR=Partial response; SD=Stable disease; PD=Progressive disease

Talquetamab-tgvs

Clinical Trial

Phase II – Safety Results

Event – no. (%)	Talquetamab 405 µg/kg QW		Talquetamab 800 µg/kg Q2W	
	Any Grade	Grade 3-4	Any Grade	Grade 3-4
Any adverse event	30 (100)	26 (87)	44 (100)	38 (86)
Hematologic – no. (%)				
Anemia	18 (60)	9 (30)	19 (43)	10 (23)
Neutropenia	20 (67)	18 (60)	16 (36)	14 (32)
Lymphopenia	12 (40)	12 (40)	17 (39)	17 (39)
Thrombocytopenia	11 (37)	7 (23)	10 (23)	5 (11)
Leukopenia	12 (40)	9 (30)	8 (18)	6 (14)

CRS grade – no. (%)	Talquetamab 405 µg/kg QW	Talquetamab 800 µg/kg Q2W
	Grade 1	23 (76.7)
Grade 2	18 (60.0)	25 (56.8)
Grade 3	4 (13.3)	10 (22.7)
	1 (3.3)	0
Median time to CRS – days (range)	2 (1-22)	2 (1-5)
Median CRS duration – days (range)	2 (1-3)	2 (1-5)

Event – no. (%)	Talquetamab 405 µg/kg QW		Talquetamab 800 µg/kg Q2W	
	Any Grade	Grade 3-4	Any Grade	Grade 3-4
Non-Hematologic				
Headache	6 (20)	0	11 (25)	0
Arthralgia	7 (23)	0	4 (9)	0
Dry mouth	9 (30)	0	25 (57)	0
Dysgeusia	19 (64)	N/A	25 (57)	N/A
Dysphagia	11 (37)	0	12 (27)	0
Nausea	9 (30)	0	7 (16)	0
Diarrhea	9 (30)	0	7 (16)	0
Decreased weight	9 (30)	0	14 (32)	1 (2)
Skin-related event	20 (67)	0	31 (70)	1 (2)
Nail-related event	17 (57)	0	12 (27)	1 (2)
Rash-related event	14 (47)	0	13 (30)	7 (16)
Pyrexia	10 (33)	0	8 (18)	0
Increased AST	3 (10)	0	15 (34)	3 (7)
Increased ALT	6 (20)	1 (3)	13 (30)	3 (7)
Hypophosphatemia	8 (27)	5 (17)	8 (18)	3 (7)
Increased GGT	6 (20)	1 (3)	10 (23)	3 (7)

Talquetamab-tgvs

Clinical Trial

Phase II – Safety Results

	Talquetamab 405 µg/kg QW	Talquetamab 800 µg/kg Q2W
≥ 1 neurotoxic event – no. (%)	3 (10.0)	2 (4.5)
Anosmia	0	1 (2.3)
Aphasia	1 (3.3)	0
Encephalopathy	1 (3.3)	0
Confusional state	1 (3.3)	1 (2.3)

	Talquetamab 405 µg/kg QW	Talquetamab 800 µg/kg Q2W
≥ 1 infection – no. (%)	14/30 (47%)	15/44 (34)
Grade 3-4	2/30 (7%)	3/44 (7)
Opportunistic infection	2/30 (7%)	2/44 (5)

Talquetamab-tgvs

Pharmacotherapy Considerations

Administration:

- Subcutaneous injection
- Patients should be hospitalized for 48 hours after administration of each step-up dose (including first treatment dose)

Pre-medications:

- Corticosteroid: Dexamethasone 16 mg IV/PO 1-3 hours prior to infusion
- Antihistamine: Diphenhydramine 50 IV/PO 1-3 hours prior to infusion
- Antipyretic: Acetaminophen 650 to 1,000 mg IV/PO 1-3 hours prior to infusion
 - Recommended 1-3 prior to each step-up dose and repeated step-up doses or cytokine release syndrome

Consider prophylactic medications

- Antiviral agent to prevent herpes simplex virus reactivation
- Anti-PJP agent to prevent pneumocystis jiroveci pneumonia infection

Contraindications, Warnings and Precautions

- US Boxed Warning: Cytokine release syndrome, neurologic toxicity
- Warnings and Precautions: Oral toxicity and weight loss, infections, cytopenias, skin toxicity, hepatotoxicity, embryo-fetal toxicity
- Contraindications: None

REMS

Prescribers, pharmacies, and healthcare settings must be enrolled to dispense to patients

Talquetamab-tgvs

Recommended Management

Oral and Mucosal Changes: Can affect weight loss over time

- Symptomatic management with mouth rinses, pain management, nutrition consult

Skin and Nail related adverse events

- Skin management: oral and topical glucocorticoid. If refractory, consult dermatology
- Nail management : Nail soaks, topical moisturizers, and topical steroids

Teclistamab-cqyv

Clinical Pharmacology

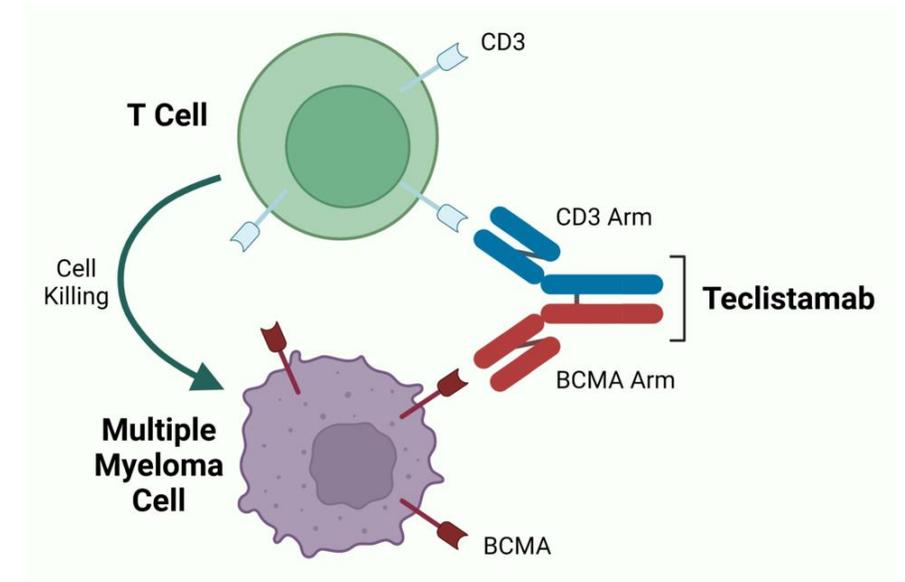
Indication

Adult patients with RRMM after at least 4 prior lines of therapy including iMiD, PI, and anti-CD38 antibody

Mechanism of action

bispecific T-cell engaging antibody that binds to the CD3 receptor expressed on the surface of T-cells and B-cell maturation antigen (BCMA) expressed on the surface of multiple myeloma cells and some healthy B-lineage cells

Bridge between myeloma cells and CD3 receptor on T-cells
→ T-cell activation leads to myeloma cell death



Credit: Adapted from doi: 10.1182/bloodadvances.2020002393.

RRMM: Relapsed/refractory multiple myeloma;
iMiD: immunomodulatory drug; PI: proteasome inhibitor;

Teclistamab-cqyv

MajesTEC-1: Phase 1/2 single arm, open-label, multicenter trial

Inclusion Criteria

- RRMM
- Previously received ≥ 3 lines of prior therapy, progressive and measurable disease
- ECOG 0-1
- N = 165

Previous BCMA-targeted therapy **excluded**

Subcutaneous injection into abdomen (preferred) or thigh

Step-up dosing schedule

- Day 1 (step-up dose 1): 0.06 mg/kg
- Day 4 (step-up dose 2): 0.3 mg/kg
- Day 7 (first treatment dose): 1.5 mg/kg

Weekly dosing schedule

- 1.5 mg/kg once weekly
- Starting 1 week after the first treatment dose and weekly thereafter

Patients should be hospitalized for 48 hours after administration of all doses within the step-up dosing schedule

Baseline Characteristics

- Median age 64 years; 58.2% male
- Median number of previous lines of therapy: 5
- High-risk cytogenetic profile: 25.7%
- Relapsed/Refractory status
 - 77.6% triple-class refractory
 - 30.3% penta-drug refractory
 - 89.7% resistance to last therapy
- Prior Cancer Therapy Regimen:
 - 81.8% prior Auto-SCT

Endpoints

- **Primary endpoint:** ORR (PR or better)
- **Secondary endpoints:** DOR, VGPR or better, CR or better, time to response, PFS, OS, MRD negativity, safety, PKs, immunogenicity

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Safety

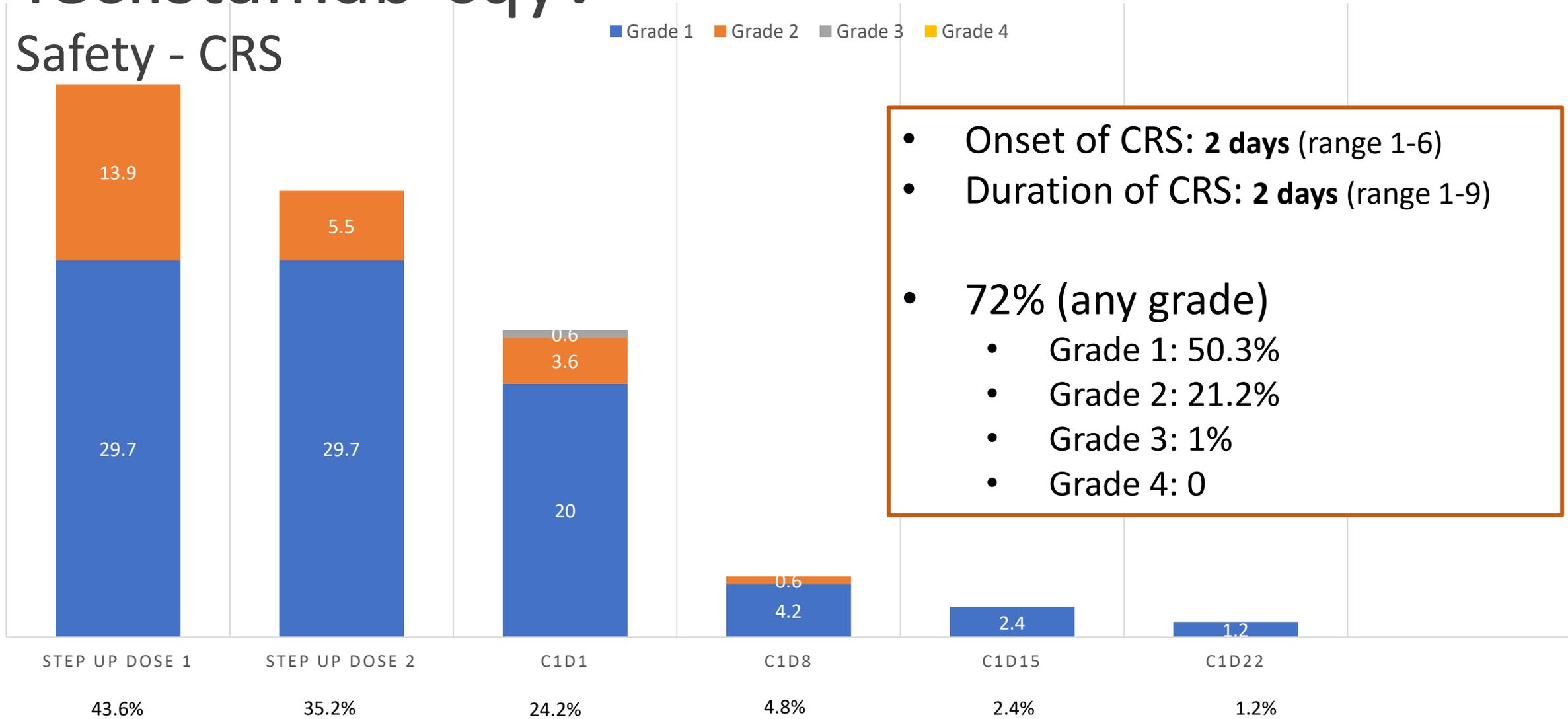
Adverse Events (N = 165)

CRS (all grade), %	72
Grade 1	50.3
Grade 2	21.2%
Grade 3	0.6%
Median time to CRS onset after most recent dose, days (range)	2 (1-6)
ICANS, %	3
Infections, %	76.4
Neutropenia, %	70.9
Anemia, %	52.1
Thrombocytopenia, %	40
Hypogammaglobulinemia, %	74.5

Other common ADRs ($\geq 20\%$): pyrexia, musculoskeletal pain, injection site reaction, fatigue, nausea, headache, pneumonia, and diarrhea.

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Safety - CRS



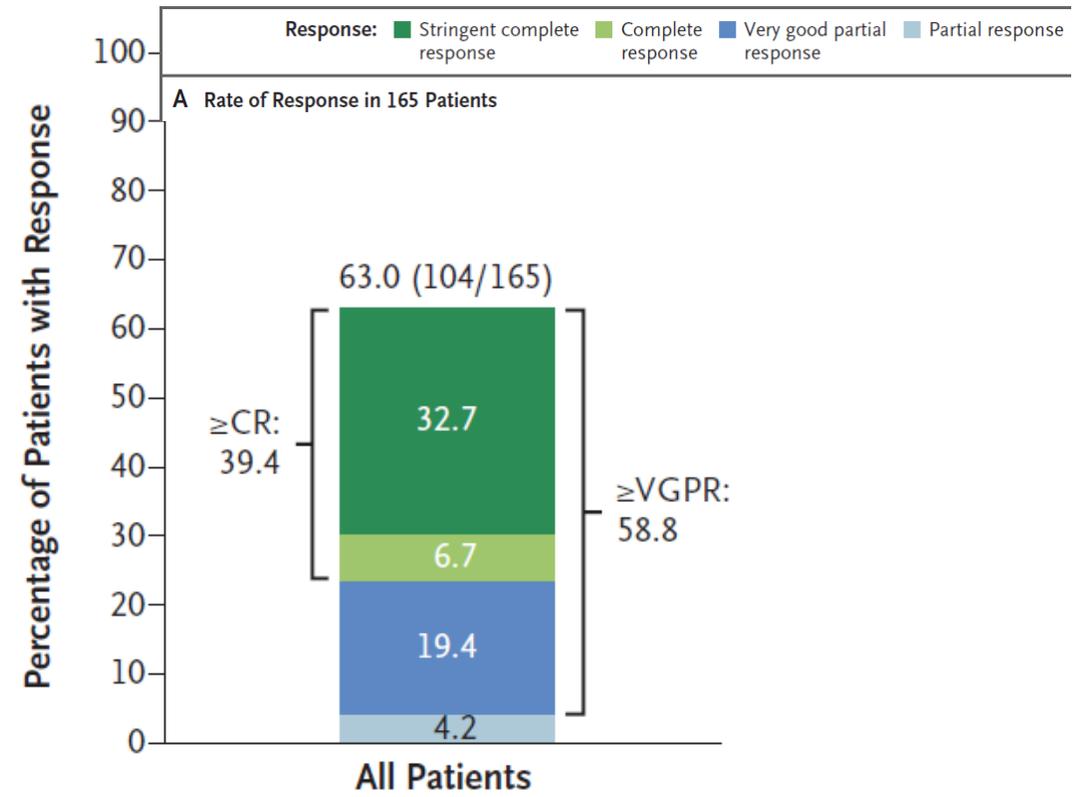
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Efficacy

Median follow up: 14.1 mo

MRD negativity*:
46% (patients with CR or better)

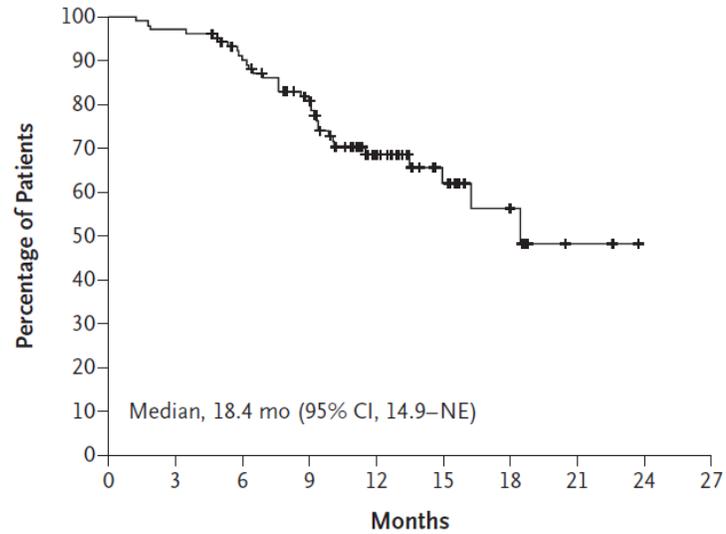
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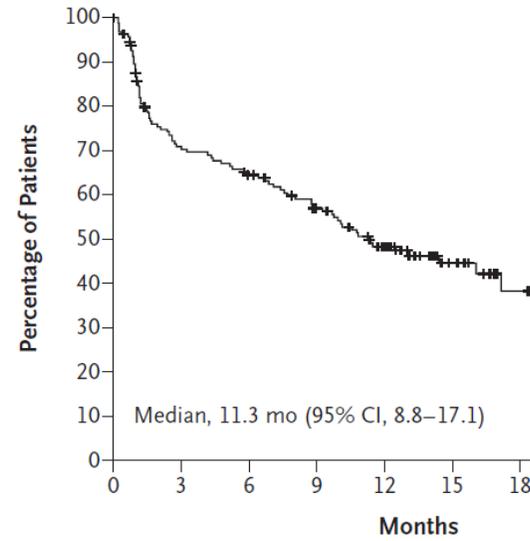
Efficacy

A Duration of Response



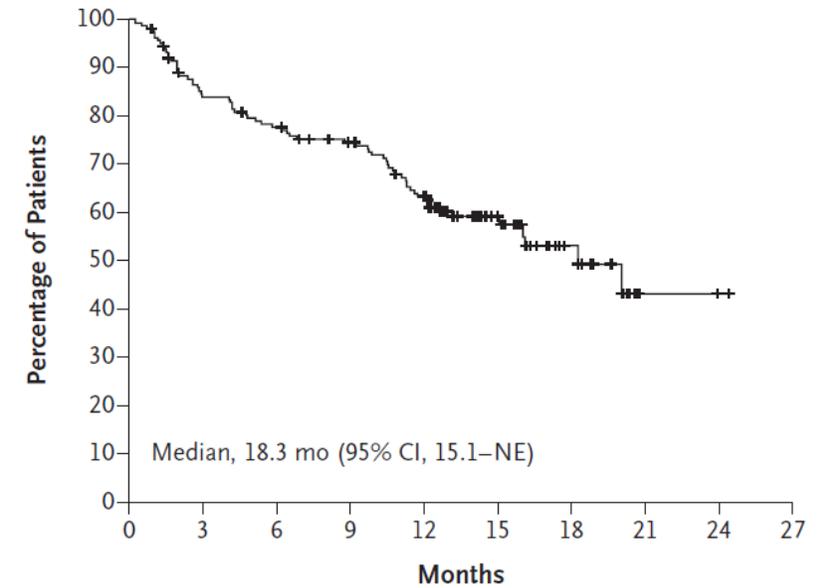
No. at Risk	0	3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27
No. at Risk	104	101	89	74	35	17	7	2	0	0

B Progression-free Survival



No. at Risk	0	3	6	9	12	15	18
No. at Risk	165	110	98	81	59	22	10

C Overall Survival



No. at Risk	0	3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27
No. at Risk	165	135	124	114	91	37	14	2	1	0

Teclistamab-cqyv

Administration:

- Subcutaneous injection
- Patients should be hospitalized for 48 hours after administration of each step-up dose (including first treatment dose)

Pre-medications:

- Administer the following 1-3 hours before each step-up dose (including step-up dose 1, step-up dose 2, and the first treatment dose)
 - Corticosteroid (oral or intravenous dexamethasone 16 mg)
 - H1RA (oral or IV diphenhydramine 50 mg or equivalent)
 - Antipyretics (oral or IV acetaminophen 650 mg to 1,000 mg or equivalent)

Duration of therapy:

- Continue until disease progression or unacceptable toxicity

Prophylactic/supportive care therapy

- Anti-PJP agent to prevent pneumocystis jiroveci pneumonia infection
- Antiviral agent to prevent herpes simplex virus reactivation

REMS program

Prescribers, pharmacies and healthcare settings must be enrolled to dispense to patients

FOR THE PATIENT

Call your healthcare professional or get emergency help right away if you recognize any of these symptoms:

Symptoms of Cytokine Release Syndrome (CRS):

- Fever (100.4°F or higher)
- Difficulty breathing
- Chills
- Fast heartbeat
- Dizziness or light-headedness
- Feeling anxious
- Confusion or restlessness
- Headache

Symptoms of neurologic problems:

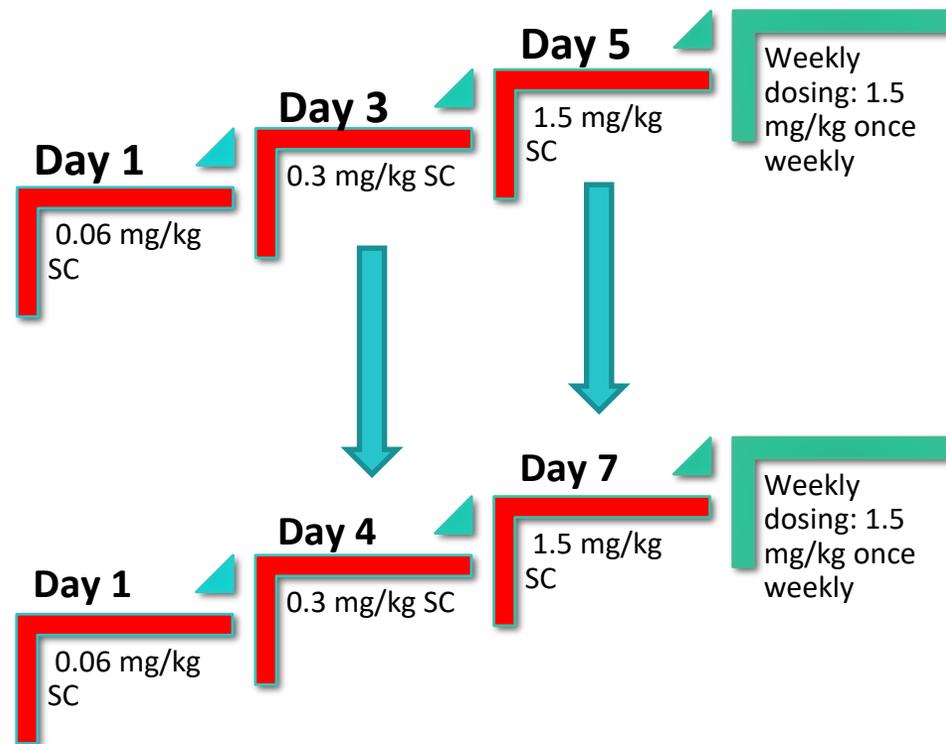
- Headache
- Jerking movements
- Rigid muscles
- Feeling restless
- Numbness and tingling (feeling like "pins and needles")
- Confusion
- Trouble speaking
- Muscle spasms
- Tremor
- Changes in your handwriting
- Problems walking
- Hearing Loss
- Muscle weakness in your body or face
- Double vision
- Burning, throbbing or stabbing pain

Black Box Warnings:

-  CRS
-  Neurologic toxicities

Teclistamab-cqyv

Dosing Considerations



Step-up dose #2 and the first treatment dose may be given between 2 - 4 days after the previous dose

Option to switch to Q2W (Q4W*) dosing if:

- \geq PR after \geq 4 cycles (Phase 1)
- \geq CR for \geq 6 months (Phase 2)

*Patients could further switch to monthly dosing if they demonstrated continued response on the Q2W schedule.

Elranatamab-bcmm

Clinical Pharmacology

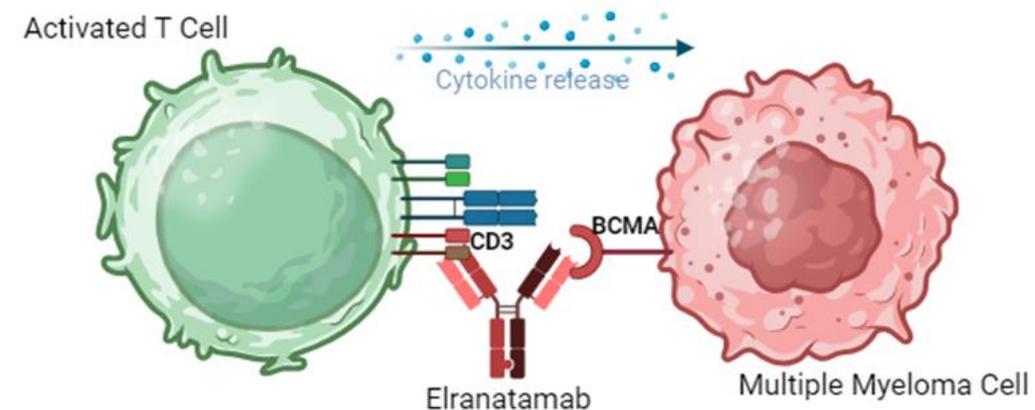
Indication

Adult patients with RRMM after at least 4 prior lines of therapy including iMiD, PI, and anti-CD38 antibody

Mechanism of action

Bispecific B-cell maturation antigen (BCMA)-directed T-cell engaging antibody that binds BCMA on plasma cells, plasmablasts, and multiple myeloma cells and CD3 on T-cells leading to cytotoxicity of the BCMA-expressing cells

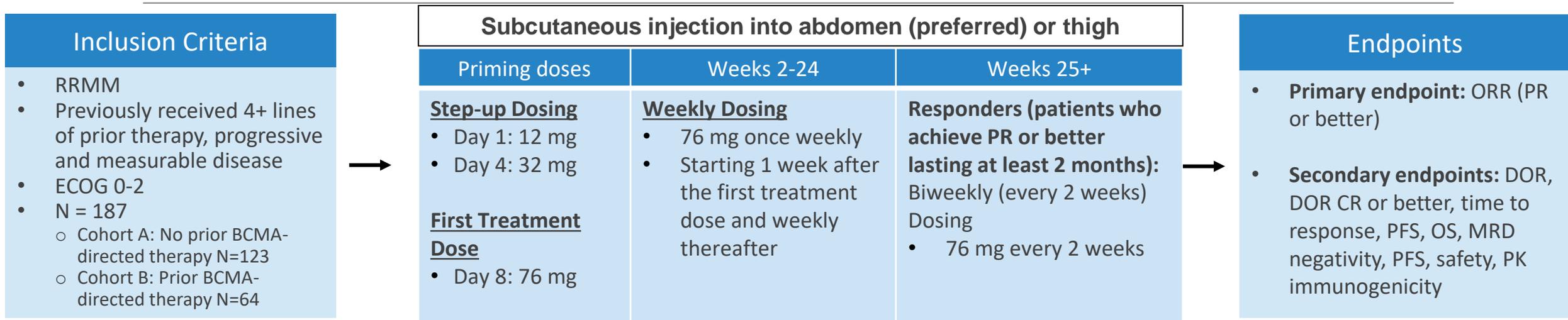
→ Elranatamab-bcmm activated T-cells, caused proinflammatory cytokine release, and resulted in multiple myeloma cell lysis



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Elranatamab-bcmm

MagnetisMM-3: Phase 2 single-arm, open-label, multicenter trial



Patients should be hospitalized for 48 hours after administration of first step-up dose, and for 24 hours after second step-up dose.

Baseline Characteristics (Cohort A)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Median age 68 years; 55% male Median number of previous lines of therapy: 5 High-risk cytogenetic profile: 25% 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Relapsed/Refractory status <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 96.7% triple-class refractory 42% penta-drug refractory Prior Cancer Therapy Regimen: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 70.7% prior Auto-SCT

Elranatamab-bcmm

Safety

Safety

Adverse Events (N = 123/119*)	
CRS (all grade), %	56.3*
Grade 1	42*
Grade 2	14.3*
Grade 3	0
Median time to CRS onset after most recent dose, days (range)	2 (1-9)
ICANS, %	3.4
Infections, %	42
Neutropenia, %	48.8
Anemia, %	48.8
Thrombocytopenia, %	30.9

Other common ADRs ($\geq 20\%$): fatigue, injection site reaction, diarrhea, musculoskeletal pain, decreased appetite, rash, cough, nausea, pyrexia

*patients who received 2 step up doses

Elranatamab-bcmm

Safety - CRS

N=119

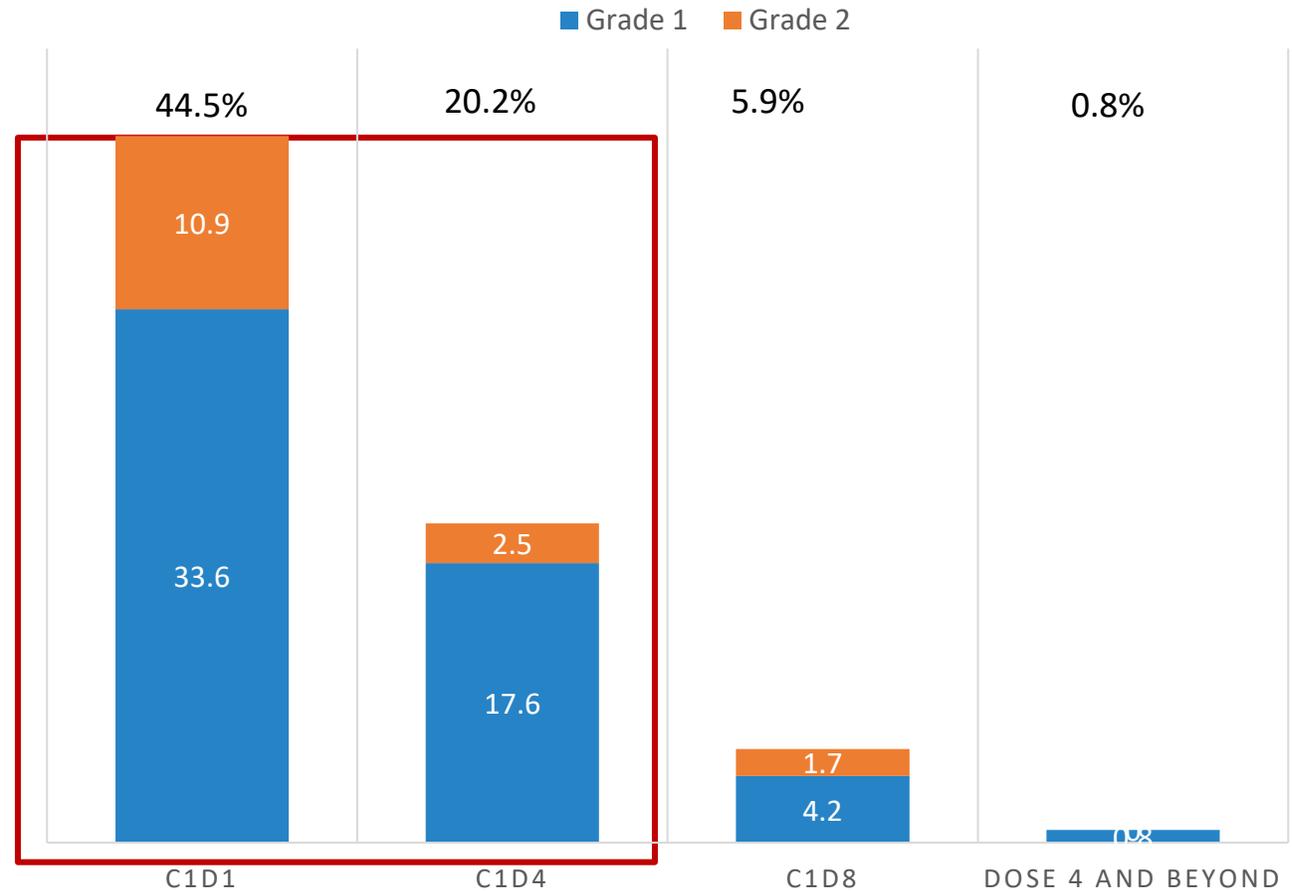
CRS: 56.3%

Median onset of CRS:

- 2 days (1-9)

Median time to resolution

- 2 days (1-19)



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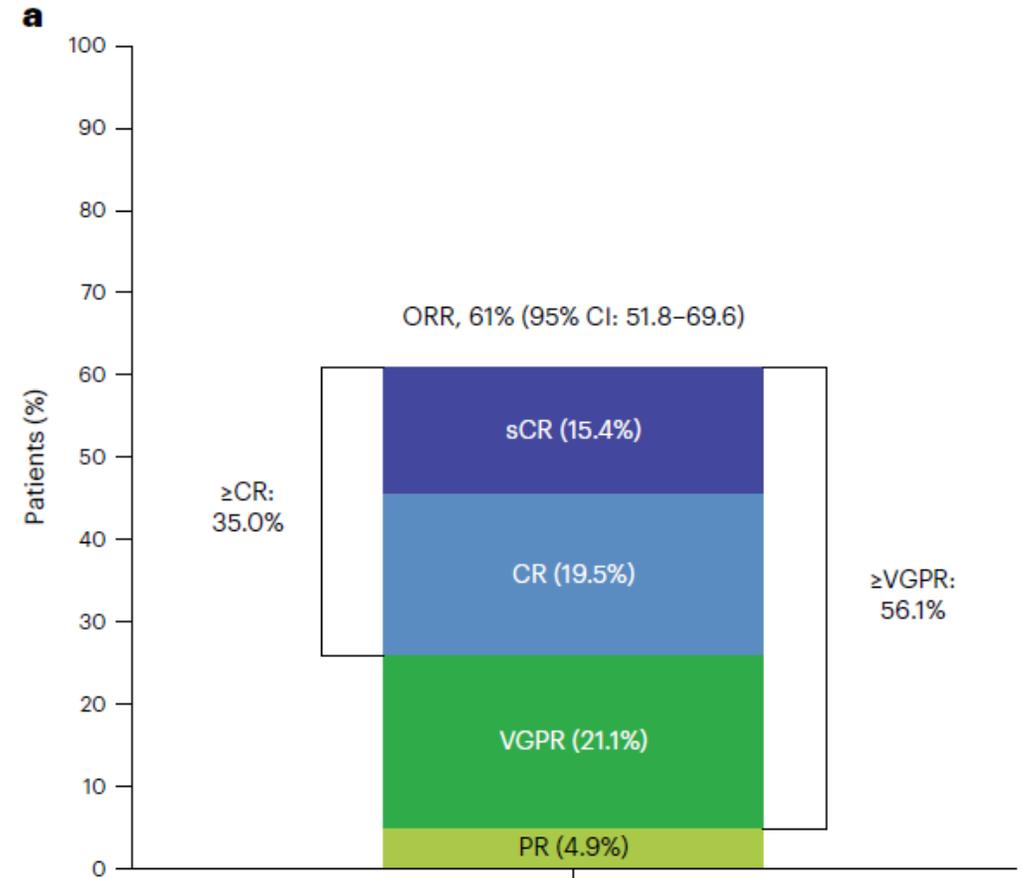
Efficacy

(Cohort A)

Median follow up: 14.7 mo

MRD negativity*: 89.7% (patients with CR or better)

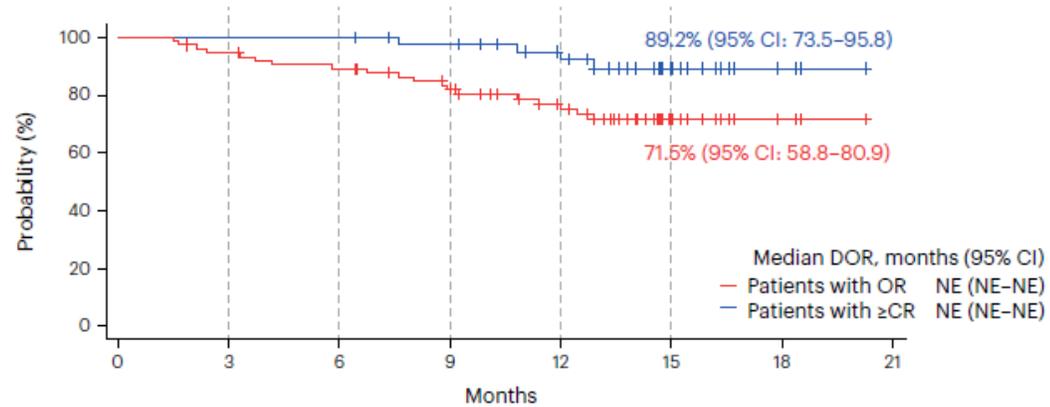
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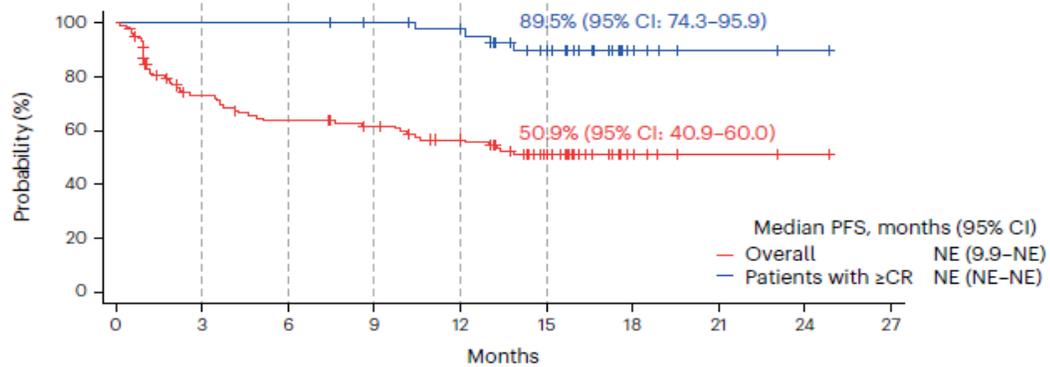
Efficacy

a



No. at risk	0	3	6	9	12	15	18	21
Patients with OR	75	70	65	56	42	14	3	0
Patients with \geq CR	43	43	43	40	33	14	3	0

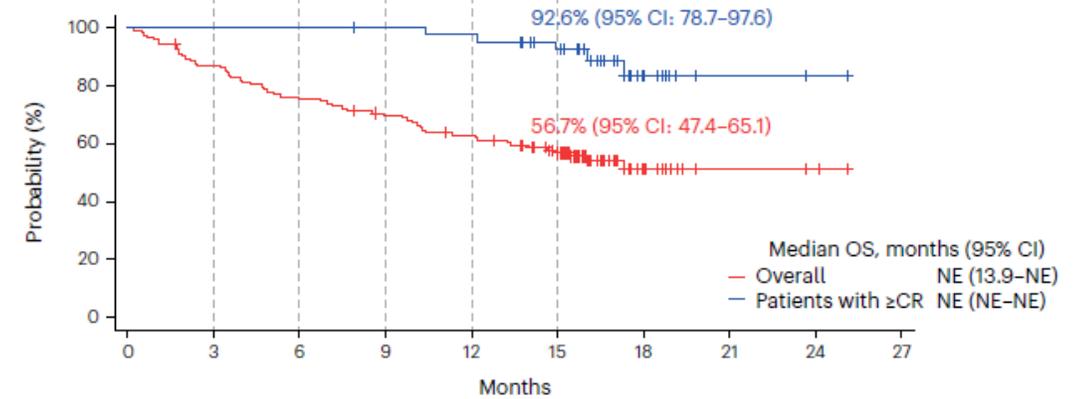
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No. at risk	0	3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27
Overall	123	78	67	62	52	37	6	2	1	0
Patients with \geq CR	43	43	43	41	38	29	6	2	1	0

No. at risk	0	3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27
Overall	123	78	67	62	52	37	6	2	1	0
Patients with \geq CR	43	43	43	41	38	29	6	2	1	0

c



No. at risk	0	3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27
Overall	123	106	92	83	74	58	12	3	2	0
Patients with \geq CR	43	43	43	42	41	35	9	2	1	0

Elranatamab-bcmm

Administration

- Subcutaneous injection
- Patients should be hospitalized for 48 hours after administration of first step-up dose, and for 24 hours after administration of the second step-up dose

Pre-medications

- Administer the following 1 hour before each step-up dose (including the first treatment dose)
 - Corticosteroid (oral or intravenous dexamethasone, 20 mg or equivalent)
 - Antihistamine (oral diphenhydramine 25 mg or equivalent)
 - Antipyretics (oral acetaminophen 650 mg or equivalent)

Duration of therapy

- Continue until disease progression or unacceptable toxicity

Prophylactic/supportive care therapy

- Antiviral agent to prevent herpes simplex virus reactivation
- Anti-PJP agent to prevent pneumocystis jiroveci pneumonia infection

REMS program

- Prescribers, pharmacies and healthcare settings must be enrolled to dispense to patients

FOR THE PATIENT

Call your healthcare provider or get emergency help right away if you have any of these symptoms:

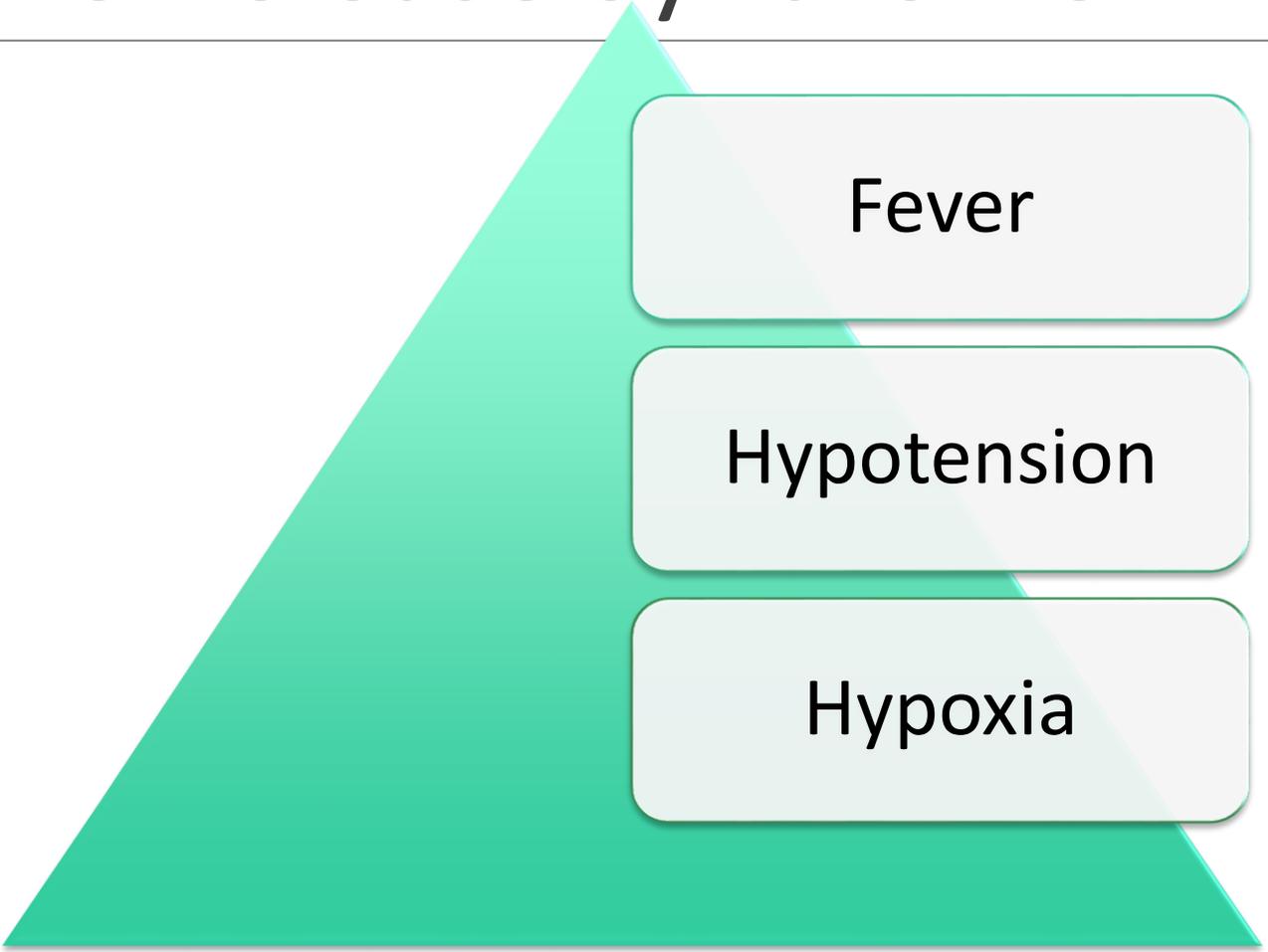
- Fever 100.4°F (38°C) or higher
- Trouble breathing
- Chills
- Dizziness or light-headedness
- Fast heartbeat
- Headache
- Agitation, trouble staying awake, confusion or disorientation, seeing or hearing things that are not real
- Trouble speaking, thinking, remembering things, paying attention, or understanding things
- Problems walking or muscle weakness
- Shaking (tremors), loss of balance, or muscle spasms
- Numbness and tingling (feeling like "pins and needles")
- Burning, throbbing, or stabbing pain
- Changes in your handwriting

Black Box Warnings:

- CRS
- Neurologic toxicities

Toxicity & Management

Cytokine Release Syndrome



Fever

Hypotension

Hypoxia

Neurotoxicity

ICE score

Level of consciousness

Seizure

Motor finding

Elevated ICP or cerebral edema

Other Symptoms: headache, peripheral neuropathy, dizziness

Mitigation Strategies

Premedication

- Steroids, antihistamine, acetaminophen

Step-up dosing

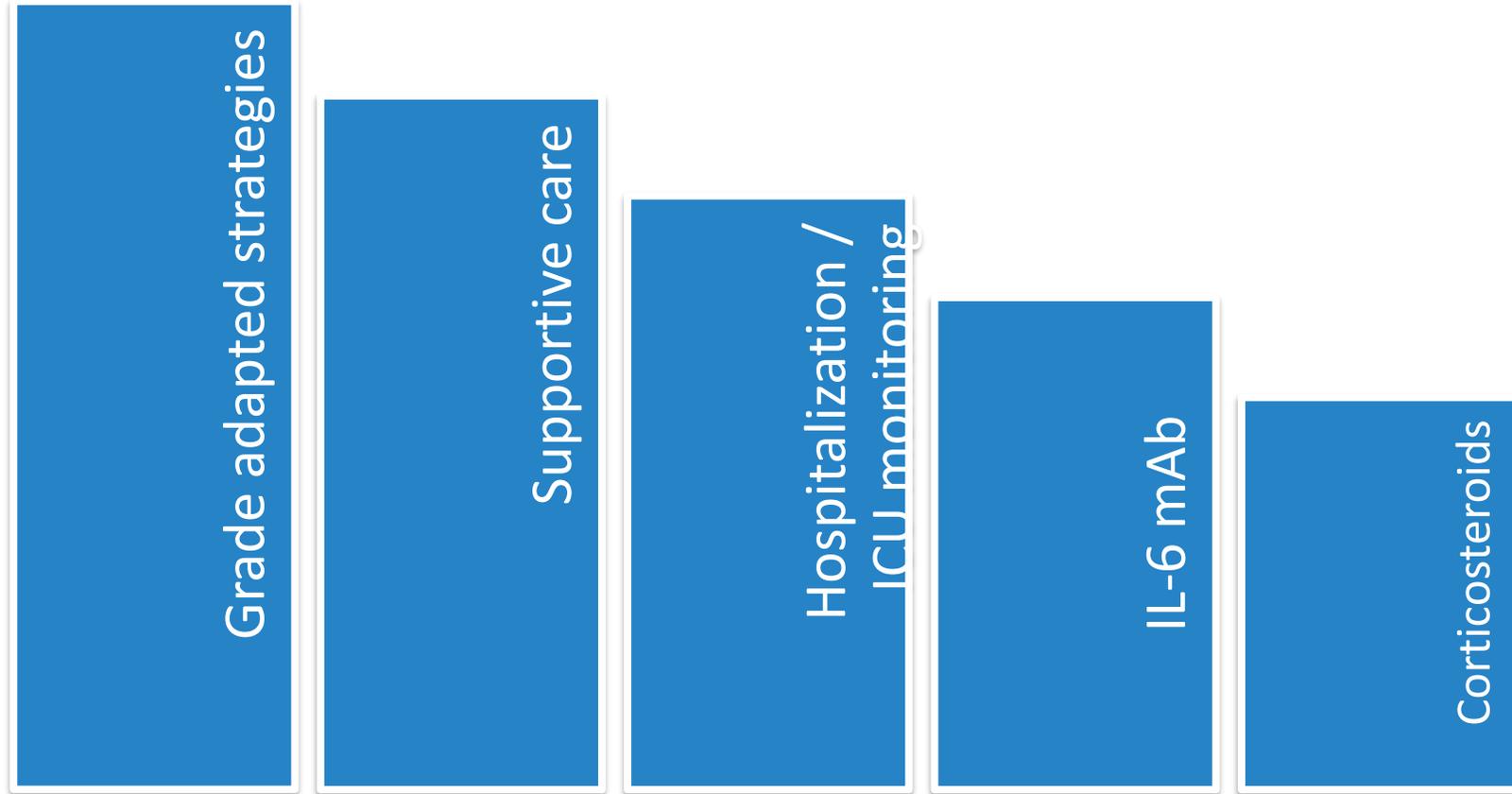
Bridging therapies

- Obinutuzumab prior to CD20 bispecifics

Alternative routes

- SQ mosunetuzumab reduced peak IL-6 levels

Management



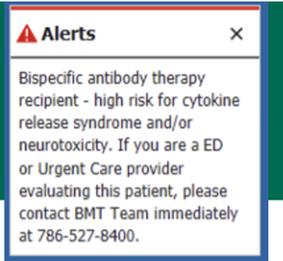
Real World Considerations

Flagging patient's charts via smart zone alert

Staff competency and training

Toxicity management guidelines for all products vs individual products management

Bispecific Smart Zone Alert



- Smart Zone Design
 - Goal is to notify ED or urgent care provider a BMT physician needs to be consulted for possible management of unique toxicities (CRS, ICANS)
 - Alert set up to fire in **ED and urgent care encounters** for **ED and urgent care providers, nursing, and support staff** upon registration and alert clears automatically after **48 hours**
 - **Any bispecific antibody** ([blina](#), [tec](#), [talq](#), [elrana](#), [mosun](#), [epcor](#)) in **any status** (active, complete, discontinued, future) ordered within past **365 days**
 - Go live tentative 7/5

Inpatient - Logistical Strategies and Therapeutic Considerations

MCI clinic notifies the oncology unit charge nurse of any direct/unplanned admissions:

- Implementation of a shared Team's worksheet for direct admissions – updates daily
 - Allows time for the allocation of bispecific T-cell antibody

Patients are hospitalized as per the package insert recommendations

- Exceptions based on specific patient case

CRS/ICANS monitoring

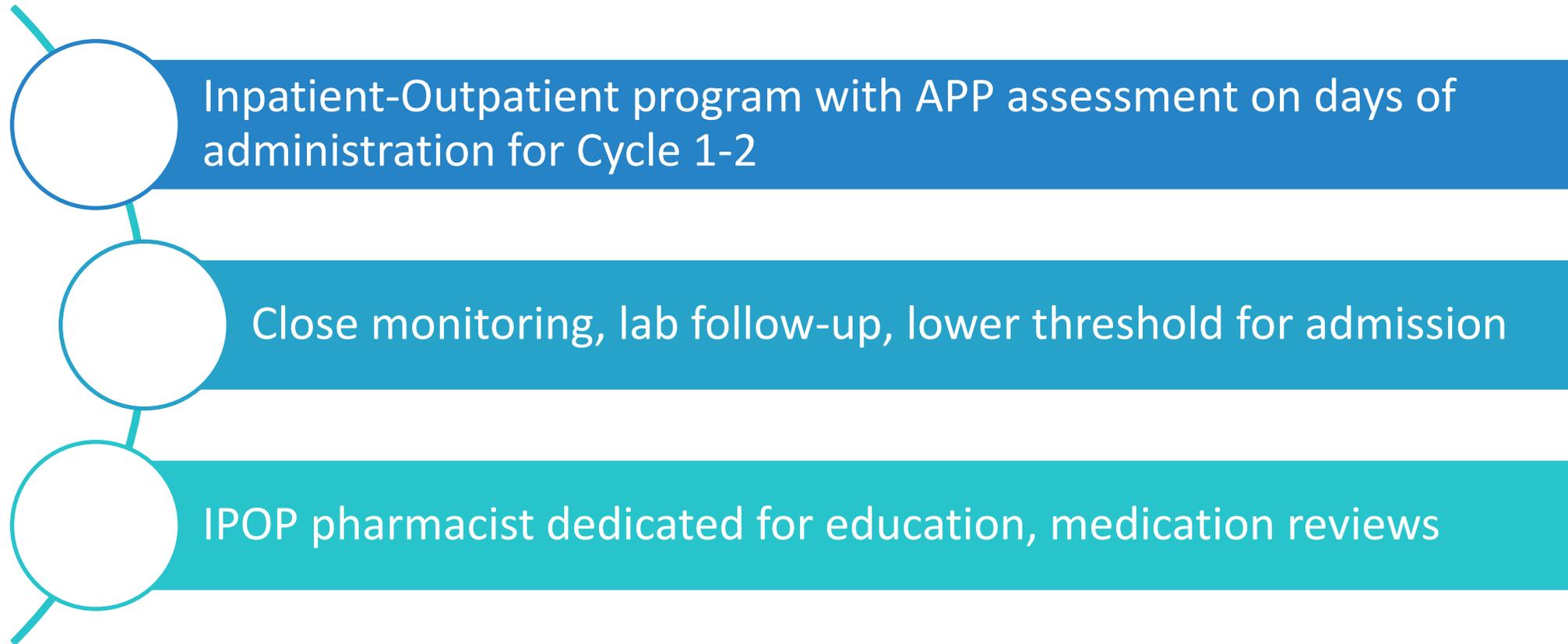
- CRS laboratories: LDH, ferritin, and CRP daily; vital signs multiple times per day
- Neurology checks every 4 hours and ICE assessment done every shift
- Institutional management is in progress, but managed per package insert/trial protocol

Patients without sign or symptoms of CRS/ICANS are discharge home to continue therapy outpatient

- Medication reconciliation and education is performed by transition of care pharmacist/specialist
- Clinical staff pharmacist emails outpatient team for the procurement of medication for the following cycle



MCC IPOP program



Inpatient-Outpatient program with APP assessment on days of administration for Cycle 1-2

Close monitoring, lab follow-up, lower threshold for admission

IPOP pharmacist dedicated for education, medication reviews

MCC

Bispecific Antibody	Scheduled Hospitalization	Outpatient Assessment
Elranatamab	C1 Day 1,3	C1 Day 8,15,22
Epcoritamab	C1 Day 15	C1 Day 1,2,8,9,22,23
Glofitamab	C1 Day 8	C1 Day 15,16 C2 Day 1,2
Mosunetuzumab	-	C1 Day 1,8,15,16

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