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Malattie emorragiche su base costituzionale

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Topics

Malattia di von Willebrand

Haemophilia carriers

Emofilia A e B: terapie innovative

Emofilia A e B: terapia genica



The Impacts of Genetic Polymorphisms on the Von Willebrand Factor Level in Type 1 Von Willebrand Disease

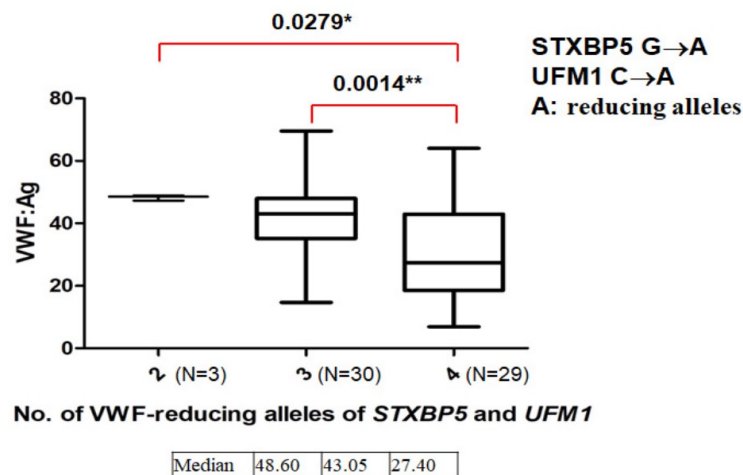
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Table 1. The gender age, VWF antigen, VWF:Act and FVIII:C in the 62 patients with von Willebrand disease

Age median, range	32, 5-67
Blood type: O type (%)	81.7%
Bleeding Score*, median	5 (0-20)
VWF:Ag, median	39.6 (6.9-69.6)
VWF:Ag, mean±SD	36.4±14.35
VWF:Act**, median	27.4 (1.4-48.8)
VWF:Act, mean±SD	27.1±12.74
FVIII:C, median	52.3 (4.9-129.5)
FVIII:C, mean±SD	53.6±21.52

*Available in 43 patients

**VWF activity: 24 VWF:RCo and 38 VWF:ACL.

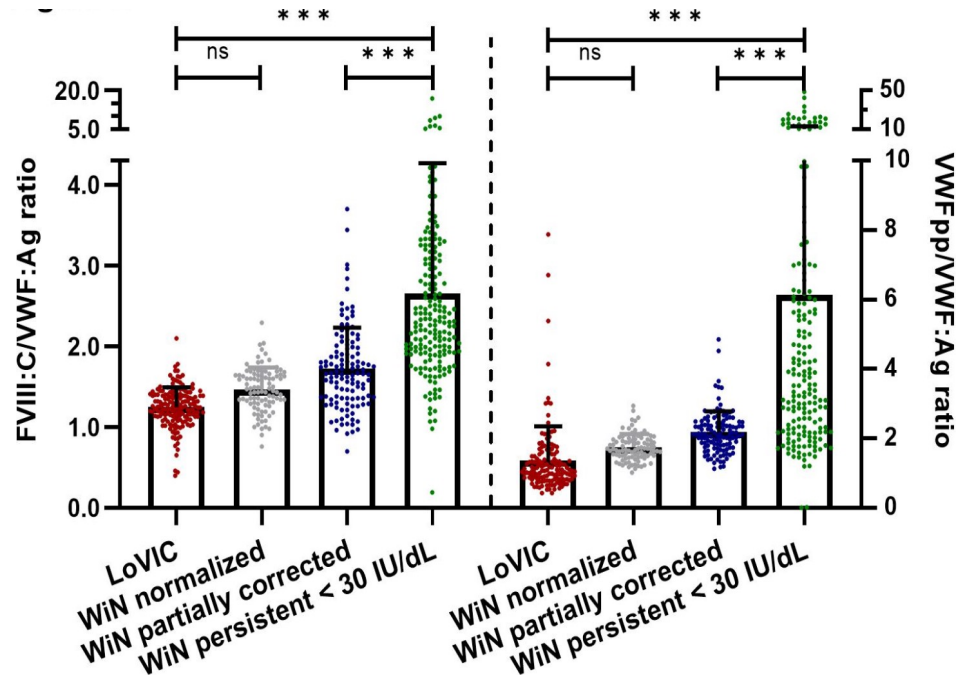


Le varianti A dei geni UFM1 (G>>A) e STXBP5 (C>>A) sono associate a ridotti livelli di vWF: Ag. Quattro varianti alleliche combinate di UFM1 e STXBP5 genes esercitano il massimo effetto di riduzione VWF: Ag



The Relationship between Low Von Willebrand Factor, Type 1 Von Willebrand Disease and Ageing – Novel Insights from the Lovic and Win Cohort Studies

Ferdows Atiq, *Blood* 142 : 509



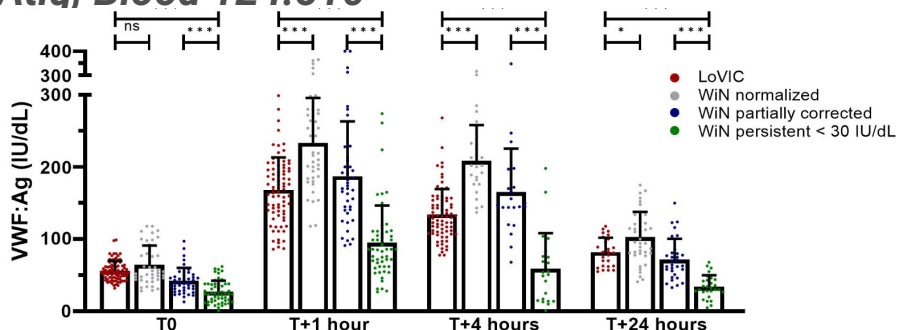
Prevalenza sovrapponibile di mutazione gene *VWF* (36.4% vs 22.6% $p=1.000$), FVIII:C/VWF:Ag ratio (1.24 ± 0.24 vs 1.46 ± 0.27 , $p=0.444$) e VWFpp/VWF:Ag ratio (1.36 ± 0.99 vs 1.75 ± 0.38 , $p=1.000$) tra le coorti LoVIC e WiN.

Pazienti dalla coorte WiN con livelli persistenti di VWF <30 IU/dL presentano più spesso varianti genetiche di *VWF* (93.0%), più elevato FVIII:C/VWF:Ag (2.65 ± 1.62) e VWFpp/VWF:Ag ratio (6.14 ± 7.05) rispetto agli altri gruppi



Age Regulates Desmopressin Responses in Patients with Low Von Willebrand Factor and Type 1 Von Willebrand Disease in the Lovic and Win Studies

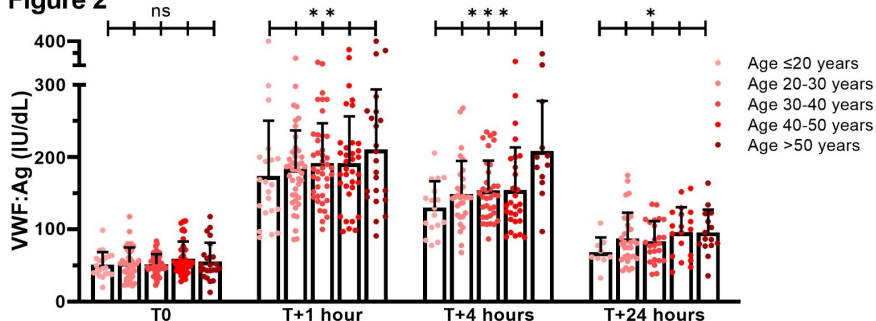
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Desmopressina determina incremento significativo di vWF in pazienti con vWD e bassi livelli di VWF durante invecchiamento.

Effetto età-correlato su incremento di vWF 1, 4 e 24 ore dopo desmopressina

Figure 2



Soggetti anziani presentano sia una migliore risposta iniziale (a 1 h) a desmopressina che un incremento di emivita di vWF a 4 ore dopo desmopressina



Characterization of Joint Disease in Women with Hemophilia: The Carriers Ultrasound Project (CUP) Study

Rachel S. Kronenfeld, Blood 142:29

Table 2: Comparison of Carriers by Factor Activity

Characteristic	Factor Activity >40% (n=23)	Factor Activity <40% (n=5)	P Value
Age (years)			
Mean Age (SD)	31.1 (5.9)	32.6 (7.8)	P=0.63
Median Age (95% CI)	33.0 (29-36)	35 (34-39)	P=0.33
BMI			
Mean BMI (SD)	26.9 (5.3)	21.4 (2.7)	P=0.03
Median BMI (95% CI)	24.8 (23.4-30.1)	20.8 (20.3-26.1)	P=0.33
Factor Activity (%)			
Mean (SD)	61 (18)	30 (8)	P=0.001
Median (95% CI)	58 (53-71)	29 (27-39)	P=0.001
Bleeding Tendency (N, %)			
Any Bleeding Tendency	19 (82.6%)	4 (80%)	P=0.89
Heavy Menses	16 (69.6%)	2 (40%)	P=0.21
Epistaxis	6 (26.1%)	1 (20%)	P=0.78
Gingival Bleeding	6 (26.1%)	1 (20%)	P=0.78
Easy bruising	11 (47.8%)	3 (60%)	P=0.62
Joint Symptoms (N, %)			
Joint Pain	10 (43.5%)	3 (60%)	P=0.14
Joint Swelling	5 (21.7%)	4 (80%)	P=0.09
Joint Bleeding	3 (13%)	0 (0%)	P=0.39
Medications Prescribed (N, %)			
Factor Replacement	4 (17.4%)	3 (60%)	P=0.046
On-Demand	4 (17.4%)	3 (60%)	
Prophylaxis	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	
DDAVP	3 (13%)	2 (40%)	P=0.15
Anti-Fibrinolytic	4 (17.4%)	3 (60%)	P=0.046
HJHS Score			
Mean HJHS (SD)	4.3 (3.4)	6.6 (2.6)	P=0.16
Median HJHS (95% CI)	4.0 (3-6)	6 (6-10)	P=0.06
Abnormal HJHS (N, %)	19 (82.6%)	5 (100%)	P=0.31
HEAD-US Score			
Mean HEAD-US (SD)	0	0.2 (0.5)	P= 0.31
Median HEAD-US (95% CI)	0	0	N/A
Abnormal HEAD-US (N, %)	0	1 (20%)	P=0.06

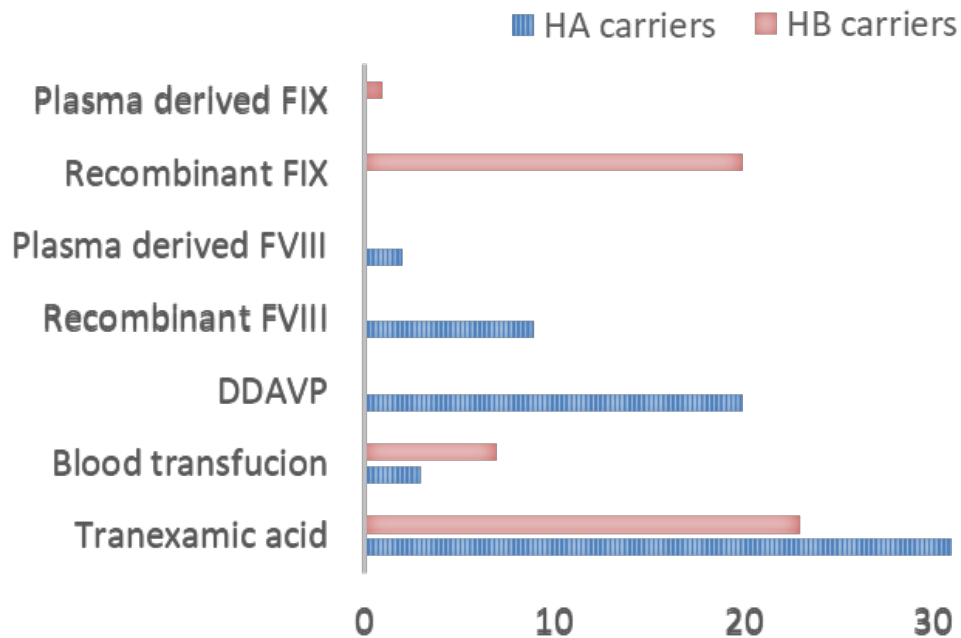
Donne con emofilia sono a rischio maggiore di eventi emorragici e sintomi correlati a danno articolare, a prescindere dai livelli di Fattore.

Salute articolare valutata a HJHS e HEADUS peggiore rispetto alle non carriers.

Follow-up a lungo termine necessario per valutare alterazioni articolari, anche tramite RMN.



Proactive Systematic Hemophilia Carrier Screening: A Step Towards Gender Equity in Hemophilia Care



Evelien Krumb, Blood 142:288

Screening effettuato nel 44% della intera coorte di donne HC, status di carrier confermato geneticamente nel 73% delle madri, sorelle e figlie di pazienti con emofilia in età fertile.

Difficoltà nel fornire screening adeguato a tutte le donne geneticamente correlate con uno o più pazienti con emofilia.



PB1531

Management and outcomes of pregnancy and childbirth in known and unknown haemophilia carriers: a retrospective analysis from a reference Center in Italy

HC status is a still inadequately addressed condition, a more accurate report of pregnancy outcomes in HCis needed, a multicenter Italian study on this issue is currently ongoing.

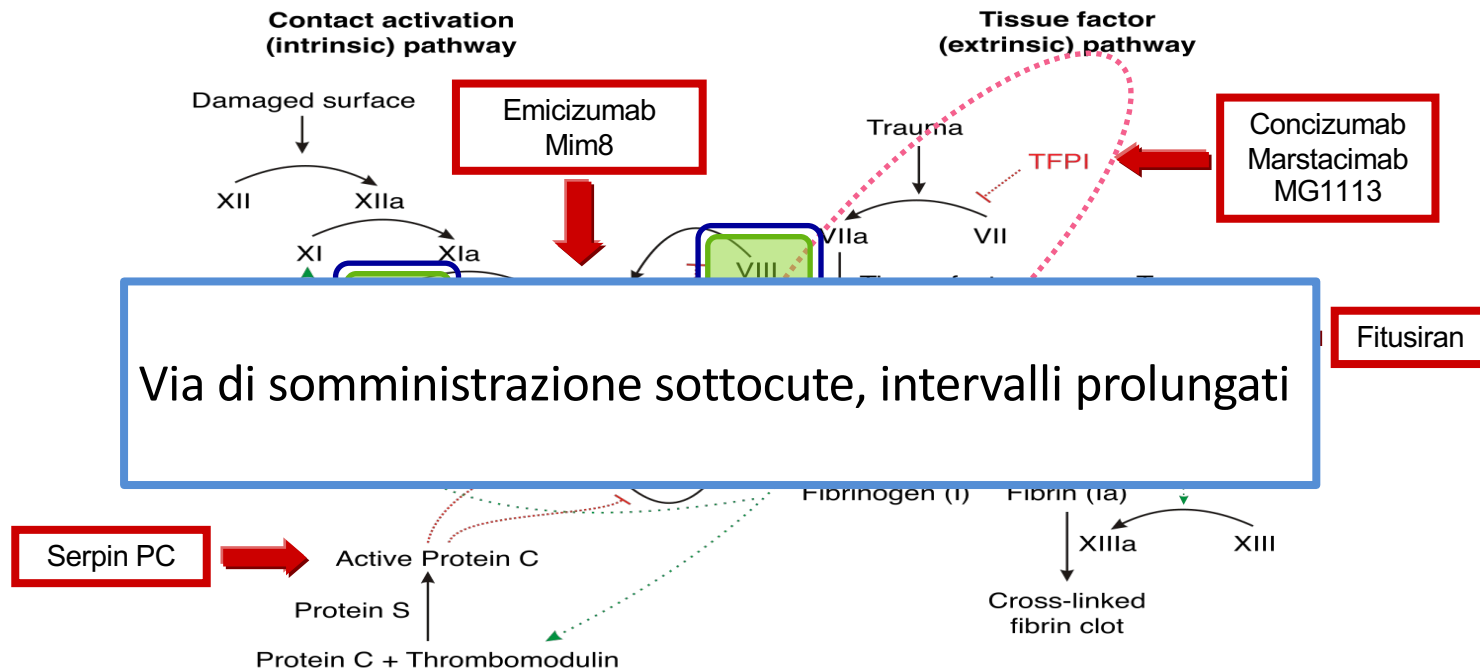
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Gestione di gravidanza, parto e post-partum in donne portatrici di emofilia A e B in Italia: studio osservazionale multicentrico retrospettivo.

AICE study group MEC donna



Le terapie non sostitutive in emofilia





Emicizumab Prophylaxis in Infants with Severe Hemophilia A without Factor VIII Inhibitors: Results from the Primary Analysis of the HAVEN 7 Study

Table 1. Bleeding outcomes in participants

	Participants (N=55)
Model-based ABR (95% CI)	
All bleeds	2.0 (1.49–2.66)
Treated bleeds	0.4 (0.30–0.63)
Treated spontaneous bleeds	0.0*
Treated joint bleeds	0.0 (0.01–0.09)
Participants with zero bleeds, n (%)	
Zero all bleeds	9 (16.4)
Zero treated bleeds	30 (54.5)
Zero treated spontaneous bleeds	55 (100.0)
Zero treated joint bleeds	52 (94.5)
Participants with ≥1 bleed, n (%)	46 (83.6)
Total number of bleeds,^a n	207
Cause/type of bleed, n (%)	
Spontaneous	18 (8.7)
Joint	0 (0.0)
Muscle	0 (0.0)
Other	18 (100.0)
Traumatic	182 (87.9)
Joint	4 (2.2)
Muscle	5 (2.7)
Other	173 (95.1)
Procedural/surgical^b	7 (3.4)
Muscle	1 (14.3)
Other	6 (85.7)
Participants with ≥1 treated bleed, n (%)	25 (45.5)
Total number of treated bleeds, n	42
Cause/type of treated bleed, n (%)	
Spontaneous	0 (0.0)
Traumatic	42 (100.0)
Joint	3 (7.1)
Muscle	5 (11.9)
Other	34 (81.0)

Steven Pipe, Blood 142:505

207 episodi emorragici (trattati o meno) per lo più traumatici, in 46 partecipanti.

Nessun soggetto con >3 sanguinamenti trattati.

37 partecipanti con 0–3 sanguinamenti,

9 con zero eventi emorragici

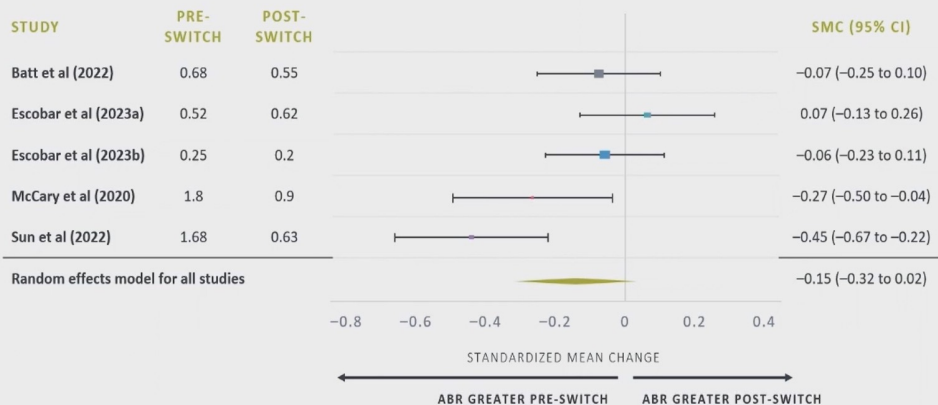
Emicizumab sicuro e ben tollerato in neonati e infanti (<12 mesi) con HA senza inibitori



Clinical Outcomes of Noninhibitor Patients with Hemophilia A Switching from Prophylaxis with Factor VIII to Efficizumab: A Meta-Analysis of Real-World Evidence Studies

Michael D. Tarantino, *Blood* 142:283

Results: Billed and Observational ABR Meta-analysis (Sensitivity Analysis)



Including
observational ABR
data in the analyses
increased
heterogeneity
 $I^2=73.36\%$
 $Q=14.03$
 $P=0.01$

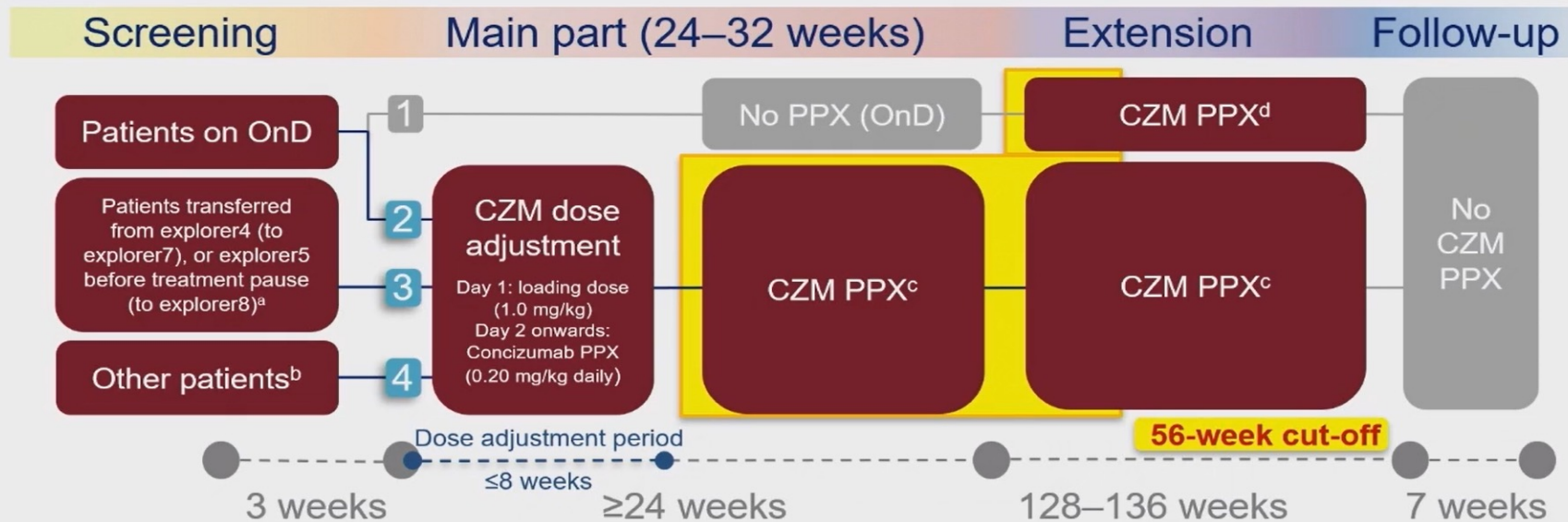
The pooled estimate indicates a statistically non-significant decline in ABR post-switch to emicizumab, with evidence of considerable heterogeneity across the studies

NON riduzione significativa di ABR dopo switch a emicizumab, in particolare per bambini di età 3-6 aa

L'età potrebbe influire su variazioni in ABR dopo switch a emicizumab. Entità di azione di emicizumab comunque ridotta all'avanzare dell'età.



explorer7 and explorer8 trial design

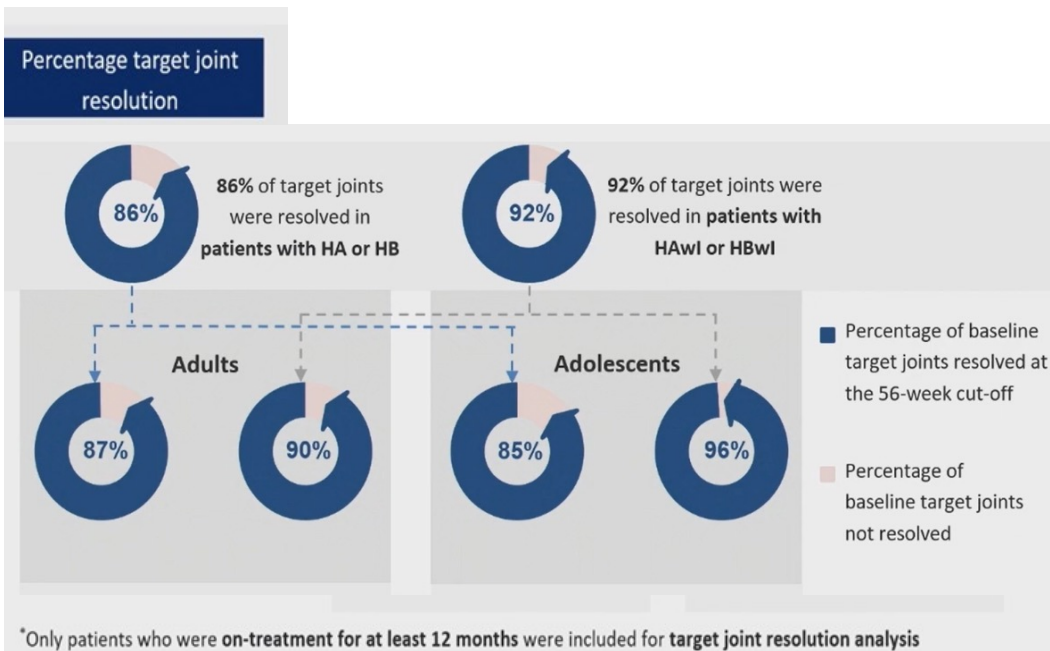


^aArm 3 consists of patients who transferred from explorer4 to explorer7, and patients who transferred from explorer5 before the treatment pause into explorer8. ^bAdditional patients on OnD treatment or patients on PPX with factor replacement, as well as patients from explorer5 who enrolled after treatment pause and patients from explorer5 randomised to arms 1 or 2 before the treatment pause. ^cThe individual maintenance doses were 0.15, 0.20 or 0.25 mg/kg concizumab. ^dDose adjustment period followed by maintenance dose. CZM, concizumab; OnD, on demand; PPX, prophylaxis.



The Effect of Concizumab Prophylaxis on Target Joints, Resolution and Joint Bleeds in Patients With Hemophilia A or B With or Without Inhibitors in Phase 3 Clinical Trials

Guy Young , *Blood* 142:284



Concizumab risolve 86.3% delle target joints in pazienti con HA o HB e 91.8% delle target joints in pazienti con HAWI o HBWI, entro 12 mesi dall'inizio della profilassi.

ABRs mediano pari a ZERO per sanguinamenti spontanei o traumatici di target joint a 56 settimane in tutti i pazienti (HA,HB,HAWI,HBWI)



Surgical Procedures and Hemostatic Outcome in Patients with Hemophilia Receiving Concizumab Prophylaxis during the Phase 3 explorer7 and explorer8 Trials

Anthony KC Chan, Blood 142:30

	Minor surgery			
	HA	HAwl	HB	HBwl
Pts who underwent surgical procedure, n	9	7	10	4
Total number of surgical procedures	13	10	11	4
Dental procedure	6	5	7	2
Arthrodesis	0	0	1	0
Colonoscopy	2	0	0	0
Other*	1	2	2	2

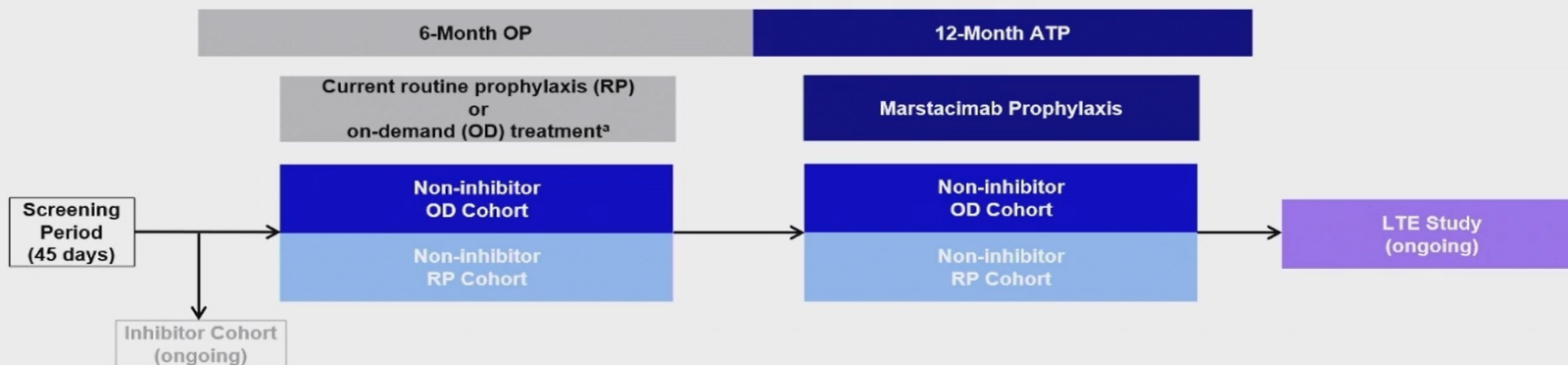
*Other surgeries included port removal, embolization, tongue mucus membrane injury, phimosis, venesection, pyoderma, urethral augmentation and hyaluronic acid infiltration. HA, hemophilia A without inhibitors; HAwl, hemophilia A with inhibitors; HB, hemophilia B without inhibitors; HBwl, hemophilia B with inhibitors; Pts, patients.

Procedure chirurgiche minori effettuate durante regolare profilassi con concizumab in ~11% dei pazienti arruolati nei due trials.
Prevalenti le procedure odontoiatriche con sanguinamenti lievi/moderati (gestiti con anti-fibrinolitici).
Procedure chirurgiche minori “safe” in corso di profilassi con concizumab.



BASIS: Study design

- Single arm, pivotal phase 3 trial to compare efficacy and safety of marstacimab in people with severe HA or moderately severe to severe HB, with or without inhibitors, over a 12-month active treatment phase (ATP) vs prior replacement therapy during a 6-month observational phase (OP)
- Participants received a single SC loading dose of 300 mg followed by once weekly 150 mg marstacimab
- Data are presented for the non-inhibitor cohort (complete) and is ongoing for the inhibitor cohort
- Participants who successfully completed BASIS could enroll in the long-term extension (LTE) study



^a eg, factor replacement therapy.

ATP=active treatment phase; HA=hemophilia A; HB=hemophilia B; LTE=long-term extension study; OD=on demand; OP=observational phase; RP=routine prophylaxis; SC=subcutaneous



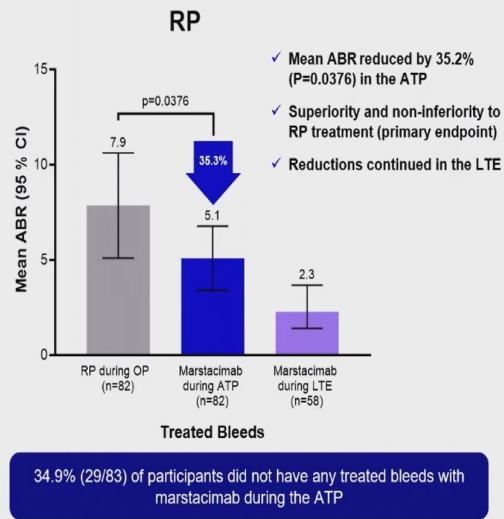
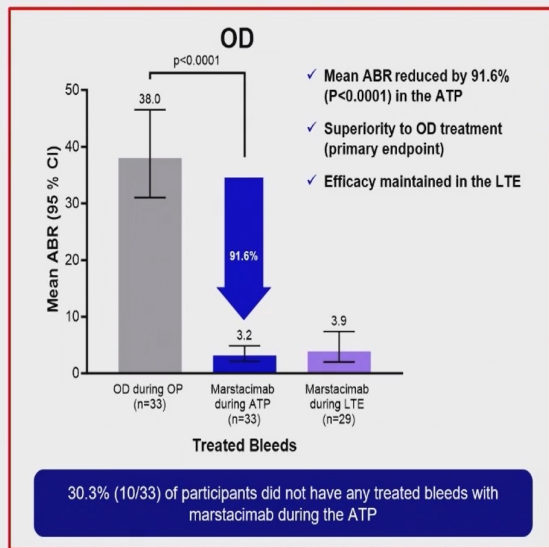
Efficacy and Safety of the Anti-Tissue Factor Pathway Inhibitor Marstacimab in Participants with Severe Hemophilia without Inhibitors: Results from the Phase 3 Basis Trial

Davide Matino, Blood 142: 285

Riduzione significativa di ABR
con marstacimab durante ATP

BASIS: Primary endpoint – ABR for treated bleeds

Marstacimab significantly lowers ABR^a for treated bleeds vs OD and RP treatment



Marstacimab risulta sicuro ed efficace nel ridurre gli episodi emorragici, comparato con precedente terapia OD o RP i.p. in HA e HB grave, fino a 12 mesi (in trial) e 16 mesi (in LTE)

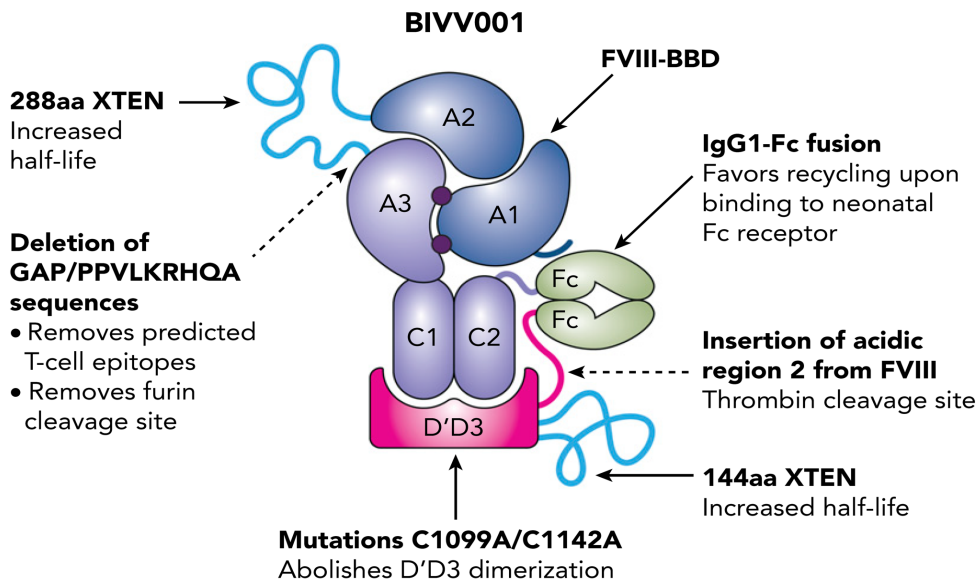
^a Model-based. P-values for the null hypothesis that the ratio = 1/2 for all bleed related parameters.

ABR=annualized bleeding rate; ATP=active treatment phase; LTE=long-term extension study; OD=on demand; OP=observational phase; RP=routine prophylaxis



ULTRA-LONG FVIII

BIVV001 : a new FVIII fusion protein (FVIII-Fc/ D'D3 VWF / XTEN linkers)

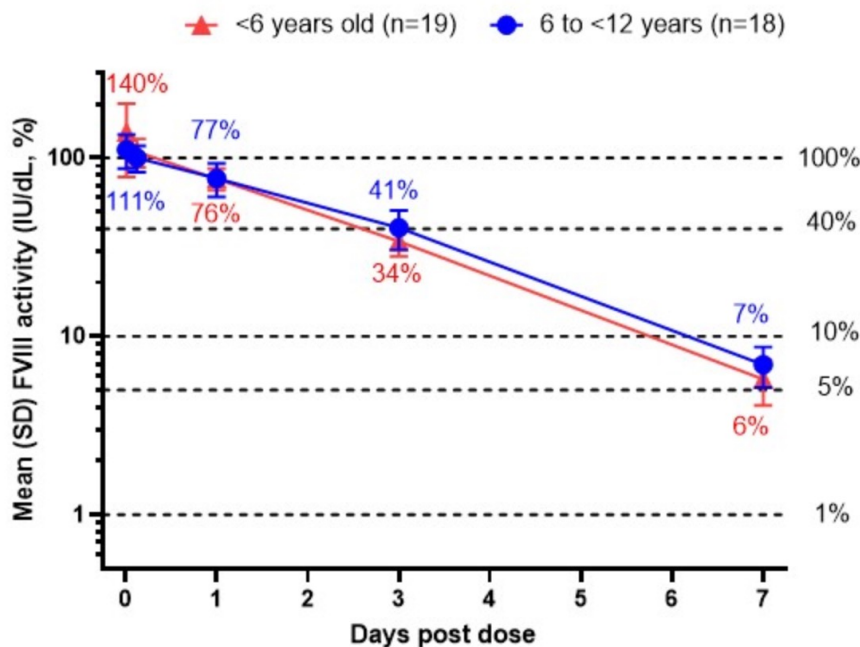


- Absence of binding to endogenous VWF
- Extended half-life in mice (25–31 h) and monkeys (33–34 h)
- Reduces acute and prolonged bleeding in hemophilia A mice



Once-Weekly Efanesoctocog Alfa Prophylaxis Provided High Sustained Factor VIII Activity Levels, Independent of Blood Group, in Children <12 Years of Age with Severe Hemophilia A

Flora Peyvandi, Blood 142:506



Sette giorni dopo infusione di rFVIII Fc-VWF-XTEN, livelli medi di attività di FVIII pari 5.73 IU/dL in bambini <6 aa e 6.93 IU/dL in bambini ≥6- <12aa

FVIII:c circola a livelli normali (>40 IU/dL) per 3 gg e rimane >10 IU/dL per ~7 gg dopo infusione di 50 IU/kg di efanesoctocog alfa



Four-Year Follow-up of the Alta Study, a Phase 1/2 Study of Giroctocogene Fitelparvovec (PF-07055480/SB-525) Gene Therapy in Adults with Severe Hemophilia A

Leavitt DA, Blood 142:1054

Table. Factor VIII Activity Levels by 1-Stage and Chromogenic Assay for the Giroctocogene Fitelparvovec 3e13-vg/kg Cohort

Assay	Study Week								
	Week 12	Week 24	Week 52	Week 78	Week 104	Week 130	Week 156	Week 182	Week 208
1-stage clotting	110.9,	107.5,	66.4,	65.7,	38.9,	54.1,	40.5,	40.8,	66.8,
	93.7	104.8	31.1	57.5	27.5	23.3	22.9	21.2	66.8
	[82.7, 167.7]	[30.5, 212.6]	[12.0, 191.3]	[3.8, 144.2]	[4.1, 99.1]	[5.4, 164.5]	[3.3, 129.0]	[7.2, 113.9]	[14.7, 118.8]
Chromogenic	71.7 (62.1)	68.9 (70.1)	42.6 (20.1)	48.9 (40.1)	25.4 (16.3)	34.7 (12.3)	25.5 (11.8)	23.1 (12.7)	48.5 (48.5)
	[51.8, 109.5]	[20.4, 123.8]	[7.8, 122.3]	[0.9, 114.7]	[0.9, 71.6]	[0.9, 113.2]	[0.9, 91.1]	[3.1, 64.0]	[6.8, 90.1]
Participants, n	5	5	4 ^a	4 ^a	5	4 ^a	5	4 ^b	2 ^c

^a There was 1 participant each who was unable to attend visits at Weeks 52, 78, and 130.

^b One participant left the study after Week 156.

^c Two participants had not yet reached Week 208 at the time of the data cutoff.

FVIII=factor VIII; min, max=minimum, maximum

Una infusione di giroctocogene fitelparvovec in pazienti affetti da emofilia A grave è ben tollerata in un periodo di 4 anni dopo infusione, con livelli di FVIII moderati/normali senza AEs, anche epatici a 58 w

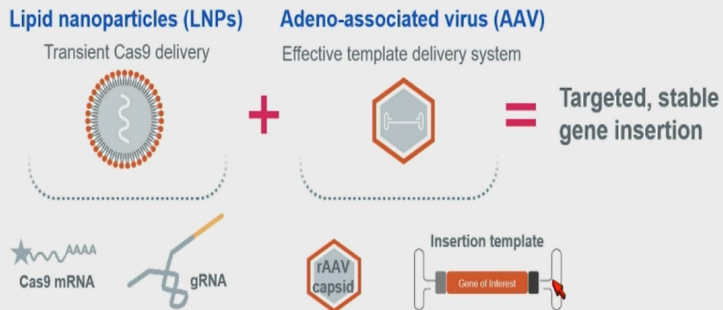


CRISP-Cas based editing for stable gene insertion in Haemophilia B

Leah Sabin, Scientific programme

CRISPR/Cas9-based gene insertion as a novel therapeutic modality

Regeneron and Intellia are partnering to jointly develop a CRISPR-based gene insertion approach for the treatment of Hemophilia B

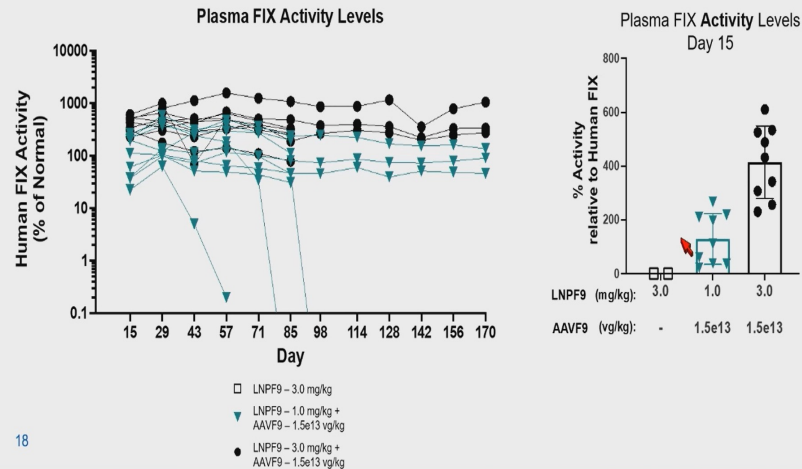


Potential advantages over AAV liver episome gene therapy:

- Higher protein expression
- Better durability
- Potential to treat pediatric populations
- Promoterless insertion cassette

AAVF9-LNPF9 mediates hFIX expression in non-human primates in an LNP dose-dependent manner

Robust expression of hFIX achieved in NHPs enables the use of wildtype FIX rather than Padua variant



Grazie!