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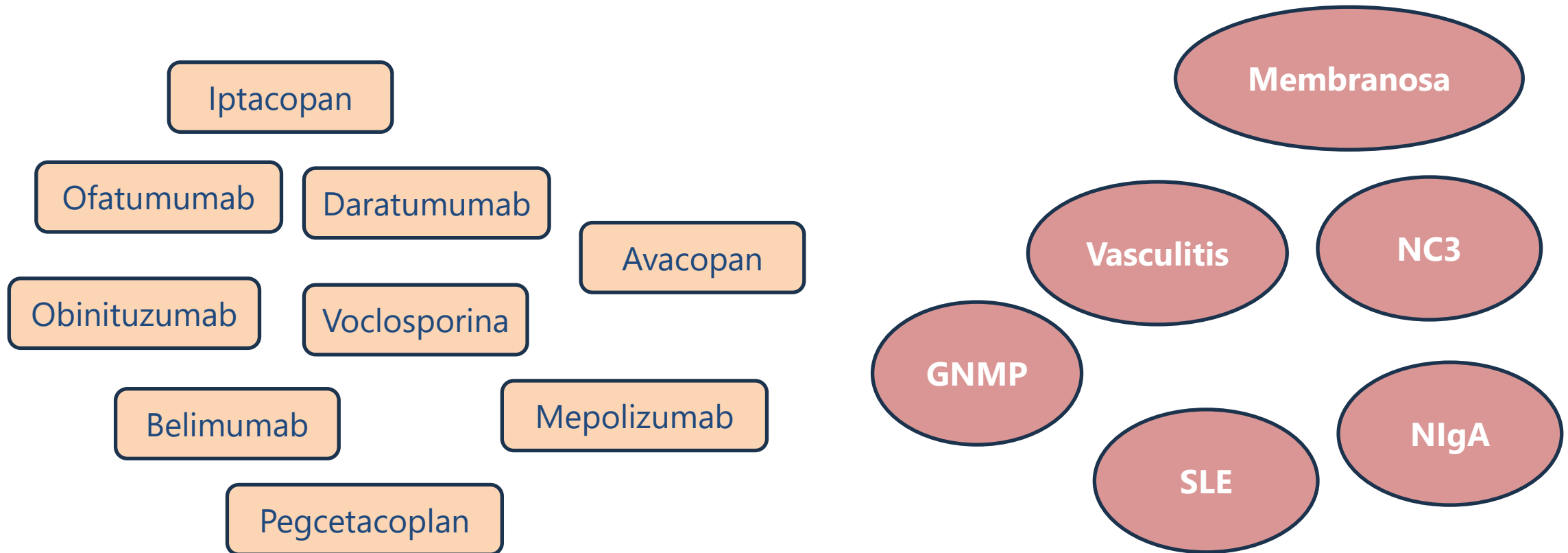
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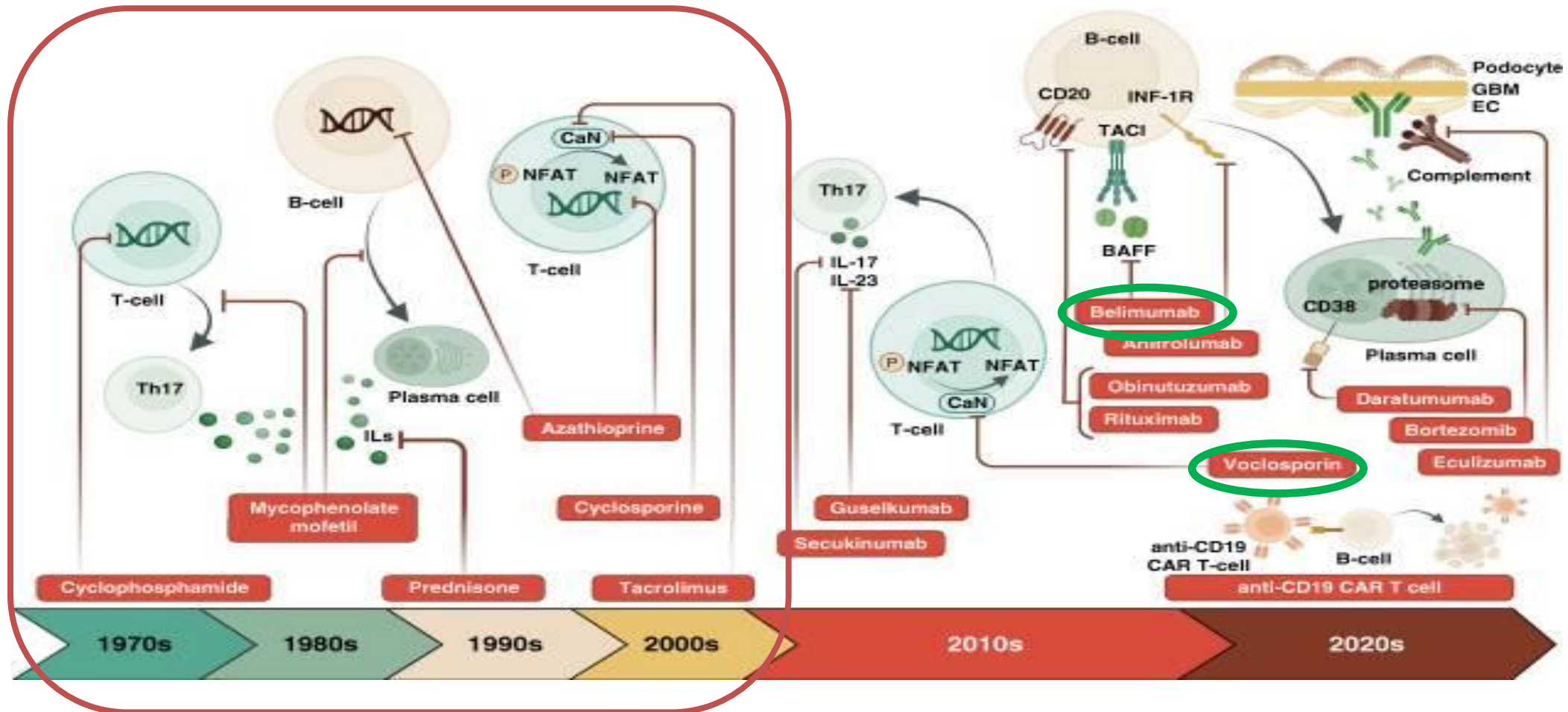
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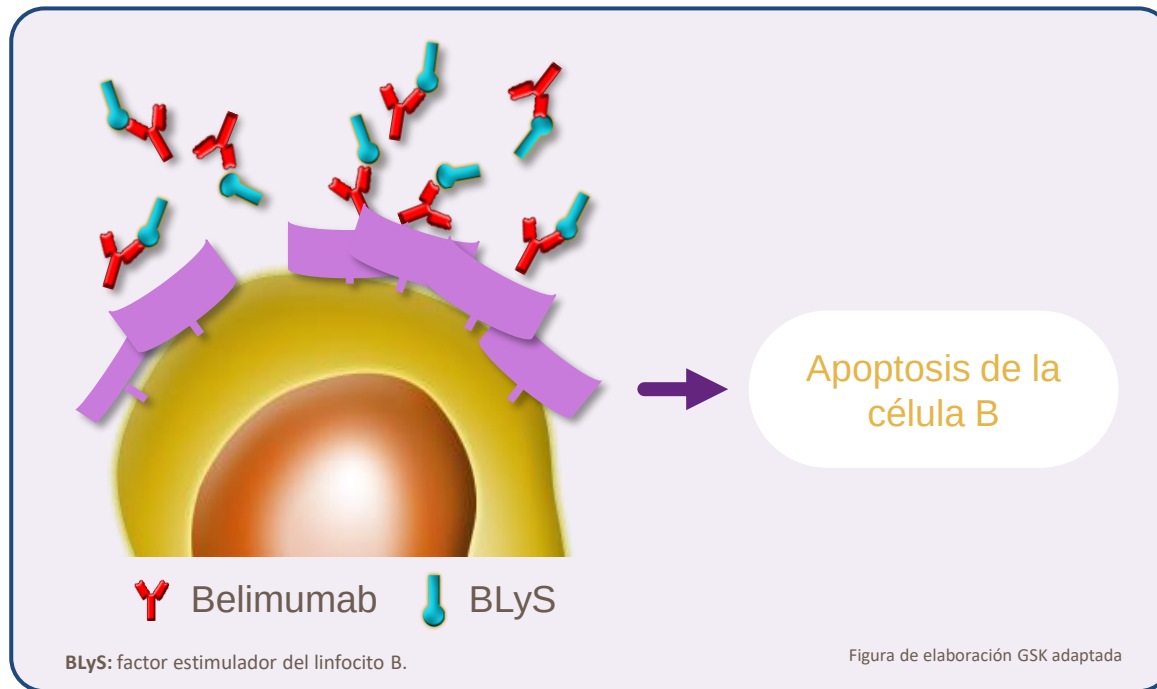


Lupus Nephritis: What do we have for treatment now?



Belimumab

Belimumab no se une a las células B directamente, se une a BLyS soluble, inhibiendo las señales que produce BLyS en sus receptores de las células B



La inhibición de la actividad de BLyS **favorece la apoptosis** de **las células B**, produciendo:

Inhibición de la supervivencia de las células B, incluyendo células B autorreactivas.

Reducción de la diferenciación de células B a células plasmáticas productoras de inmunoglobulinas.

Belimumab

ADMINISTRACIÓN INTRAVENOSA

- En pacientes con **LES o nefritis lúpica activa**, la dosis recomendada de Benlysta IV es **10 mg/kg** los Días 0, 14 y 28, y posteriormente en intervalos de 4 semanas.
- Puede administrarse premedicación incluyendo un **antihistamínico**, acompañado o no de un **antipirético**.
- **No se requiere ajustar dosis** en pacientes con:
EDAD AVANZADA (>65AÑOS)
INSUFICIENCIA RENAL
INSUFICIENCIA HEPÁTICA

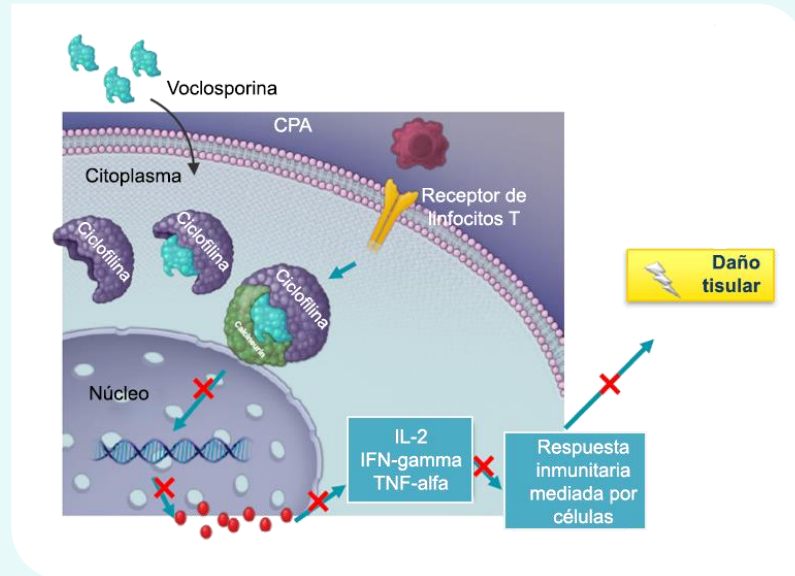
ADMINISTRACIÓN SUBCUTÁNEA

- **Nefropatía lúpica**, la pauta posológica recomendada es una dosis de 400 mg (dos inyecciones de 200 mg) una vez a la semana durante 4 semanas, y 200 mg una vez por semana a partir de entonces. En pacientes que continúan el tratamiento con Benlysta para la nefritis lúpica activa, se recomienda mantener la dosis de 200 mg una vez a la semana.



Voclosporina

Mediante la inhibición de la calcineurina, bloquea la expresión de IL-2, reduciendo así las respuestas inmunitarias mediadas por los linfocitos T



Potencial estabilización de los podocitos en el riñón, lo que confiere protección frente a la apoptosis de los podocitos y la proteinuria

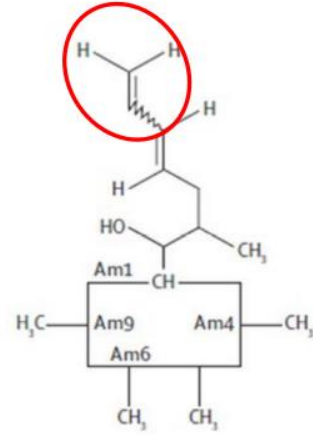
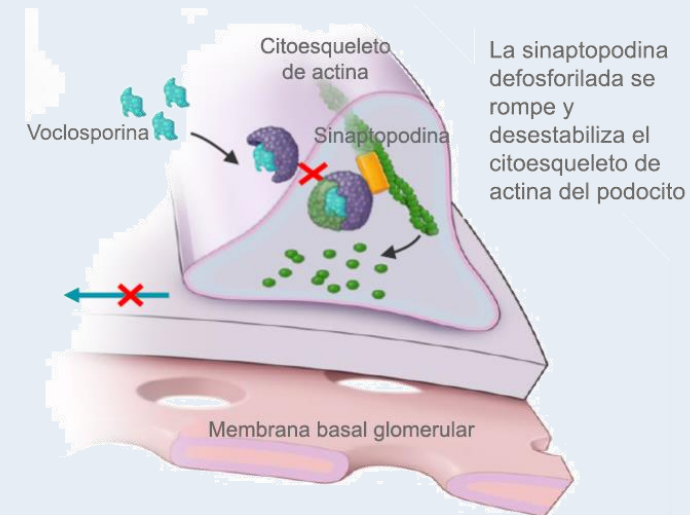


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Diapositiva adaptada de Otsuka

Voclosporina



Administración oral dos veces al día¹

Dosis recomendada de 23,7 mg (3 cápsulas blandas de 7,9 mg), dos veces al día.



Cada 12 horas¹

Se debe tomar lo más cerca posible del horario previsto, con un mínimo de 8 horas entre las dosis.



Evitar el pomelo¹

Se recomienda no tomar LUPKYNIS® con pomelo o zumo de pomelo.

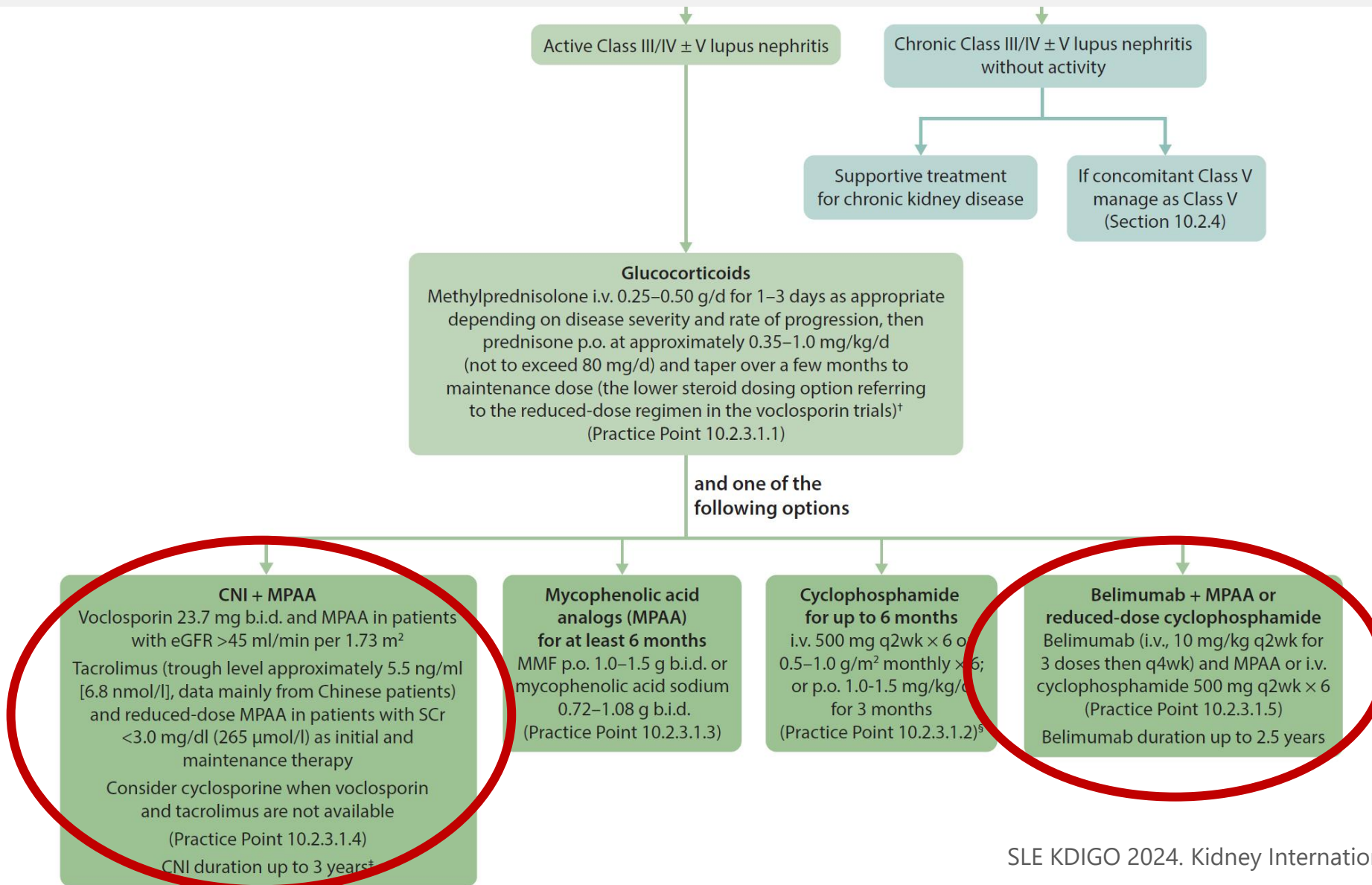


Las cápsulas blandas se deben tragar enteras¹



Puede tomarse con o sin alimentos¹

KDIGO SLE 2024



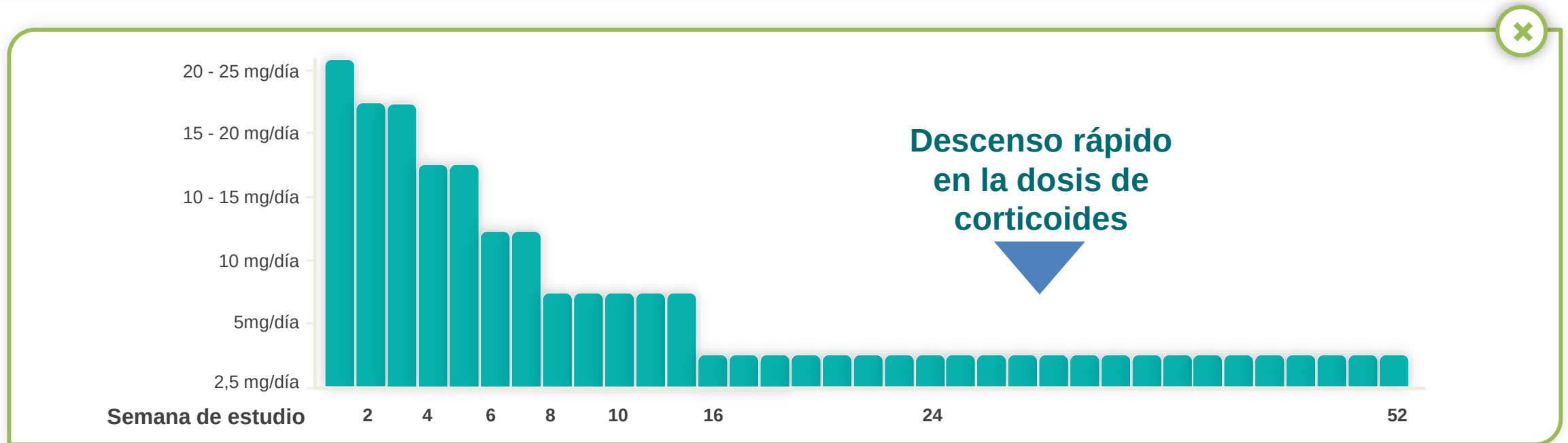
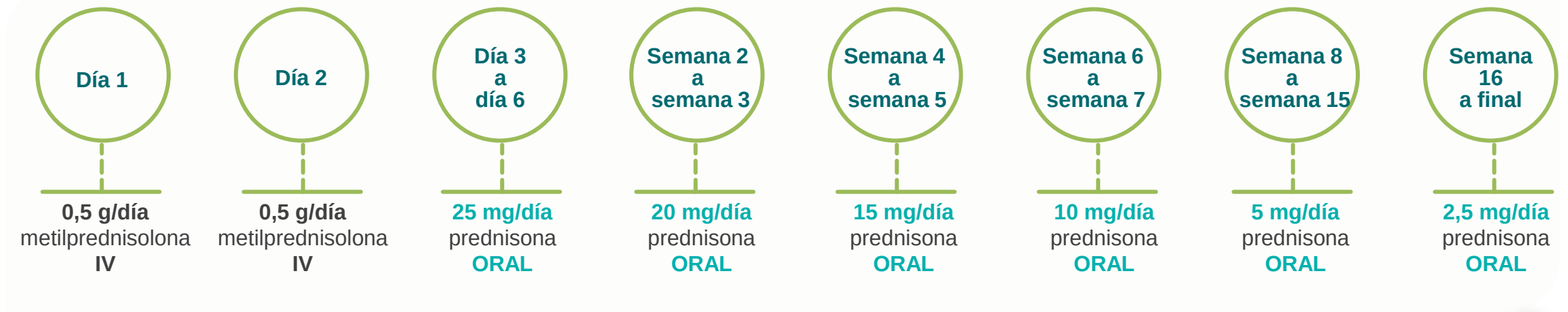
Ensayos Fase 3 en Nefritis Lúpica

Trial	BLISS-LN [2]	AURORA 1 [3]
Phase	3	3
Number of patients	448	357
Immunosuppression (background, induction)	- Euro-Lupus CYC (6 infusions CYC a fortnight apart) or MMF (target dose 3 g/day) - High-dose GCs (i.v. MP at investigator's discretion), followed by oral prednisone (0.5–1.0 mg/kg/day, max. 60 mg/day), 25 mg/day at Week 7 and 10 mg/day at Week 12	- MMF at a dose of 2 g/day (doses of up to 3 g/day were permitted with monitor approval) - MP 0.5 g/day or 0.25 g/day based on body weight (Day 1 and 2), 20–25 mg/day GC on Day 3, decreasing to 2.5 mg/day at Week 16
Immunosuppression (background, maintenance)	- AZA (2 mg/kg body weight/day, max. 200 mg/day a day) or MMF (1–3 g/day) - GCs: max. 10 mg/day by Week 24	- MMF - GCs: 2.5 mg/day (further reduction at investigator's discretion)
Active treatment arm	Belimumab (10 mg/kg body weight) on Days 1, 15, 29, and then every 28 days to Week 100)	Voclosporin 23.7 mg twice daily (6 tablets in total) for 52 weeks
Comparator (placebo) arm	Placebo	Placebo
LN class	III or IV: 56% vs 59% V: 16% vs 16% Mixed: 27% vs 25%	III or IV: 62% vs 59% V: 14% vs 14% Mixed: 24% vs 26%
Primary endpoint	96 (43%) vs 72 (32%) ^a	73 (41%) vs 40 (23%) ^c
Complete renal response	67 (30%) vs 44 (20%)	(See above, primary endpoint)
Proteinuria at baseline (UPCR)	3.2 ± 2.7 vs 3.5 ± 3.6	4.1 ± 2.7) vs 3.9 ± 2.4)
GFR at baseline (mL/min/1.73 m ²)	100.0 ± 37.7 vs 101.0 ± 42.7	92.1 ± 30.6) vs 90.4 ± 29.0)
Δ GFR change (mL/min/1.73 m ²) from baseline	Δ (approximately ^b) +10 vs +/- 0 (at Week 104)	Δ +1.0 vs 1.1 (at Week 52)
Follow-up time (weeks)	104	52
Serious adverse events	58 (26%) vs 67 (30%)	37 (21%) vs 38 (21%)
Serious infections/infestations	15 (7%) vs 18 (8%)	18 (10%) vs 20 (11%)

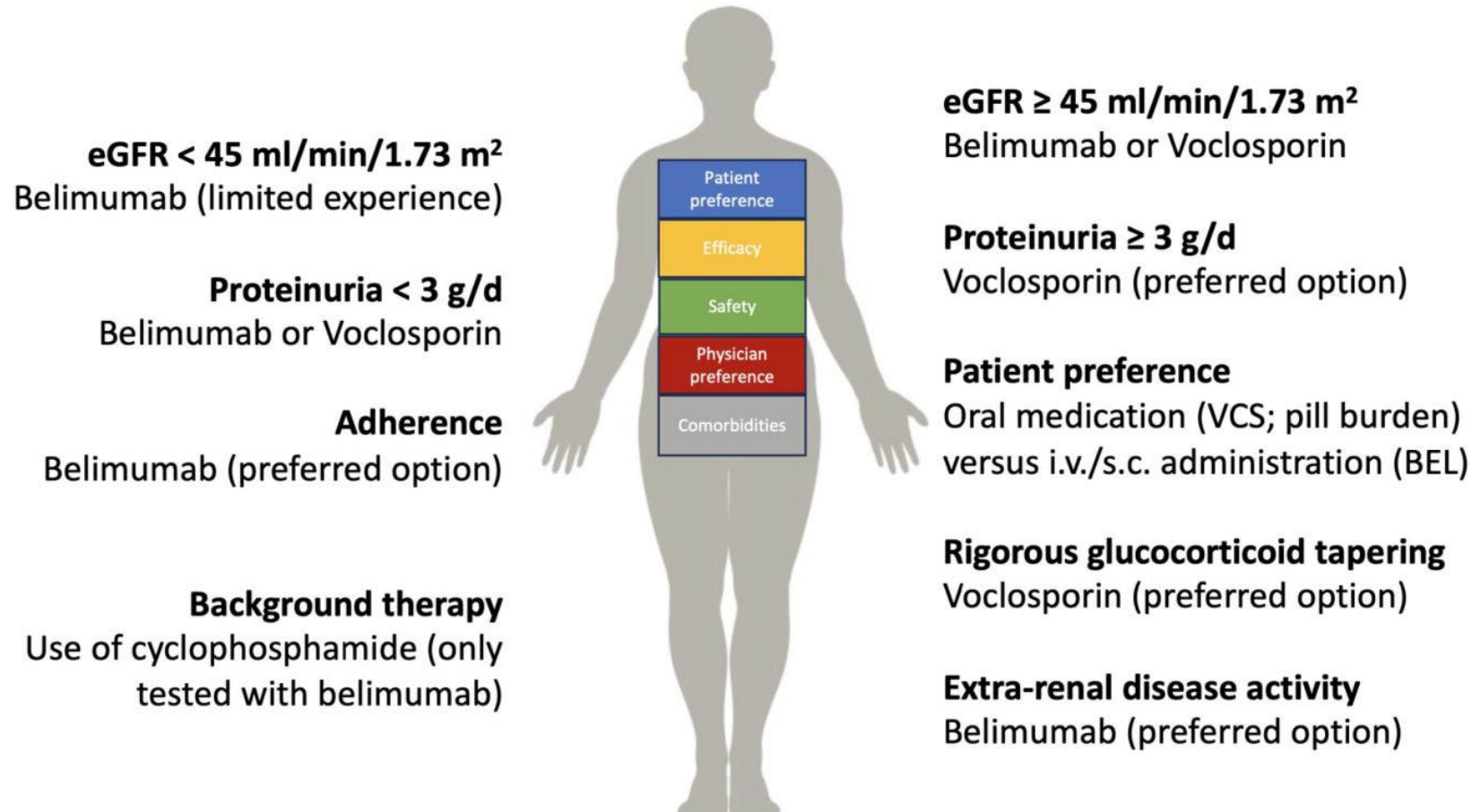
Corticoides en KDIGO SLE 2024

	High-dose scheme	Moderate-dose scheme	Reduced-dose scheme
Methylprednisolone intravenous pulses	Nil or 0.25–0.5 g/day up to 3 days as initial treatment	0.25–0.5 g/day up to 3 days often included as initial treatment	0.25–0.5 g/day up to 3 days usually included as initial treatment
Oral prednisone equivalent (/day)			
Week 0–2	0.8–1.0 mg/kg (max 80 mg)	0.6–0.7 mg/kg (max 50 mg)	0.5–0.6 mg/kg (max 40 mg)
Week 3–4	0.6–0.7 mg/kg	0.5–0.6 mg/kg	0.3–0.4 mg/kg
Week 5–6	30 mg	20 mg	15 mg
Week 7–8	25 mg	15 mg	10 mg
Week 9–10	20 mg	12.5 mg	7.5 mg
Week 11–12			
Week 13–14	12.5 mg	7.5 mg	2.5 mg
Week 15–16	10 mg	7.5 mg	2.5 mg
Week 17–18	7.5 mg	5 mg	2.5 mg
Week 19–20	7.5 mg	5 mg	2.5 mg
Week 21–24	5 mg	<5 mg	2.5 mg
Week >25	<5 mg	<5 mg	<2.5 mg

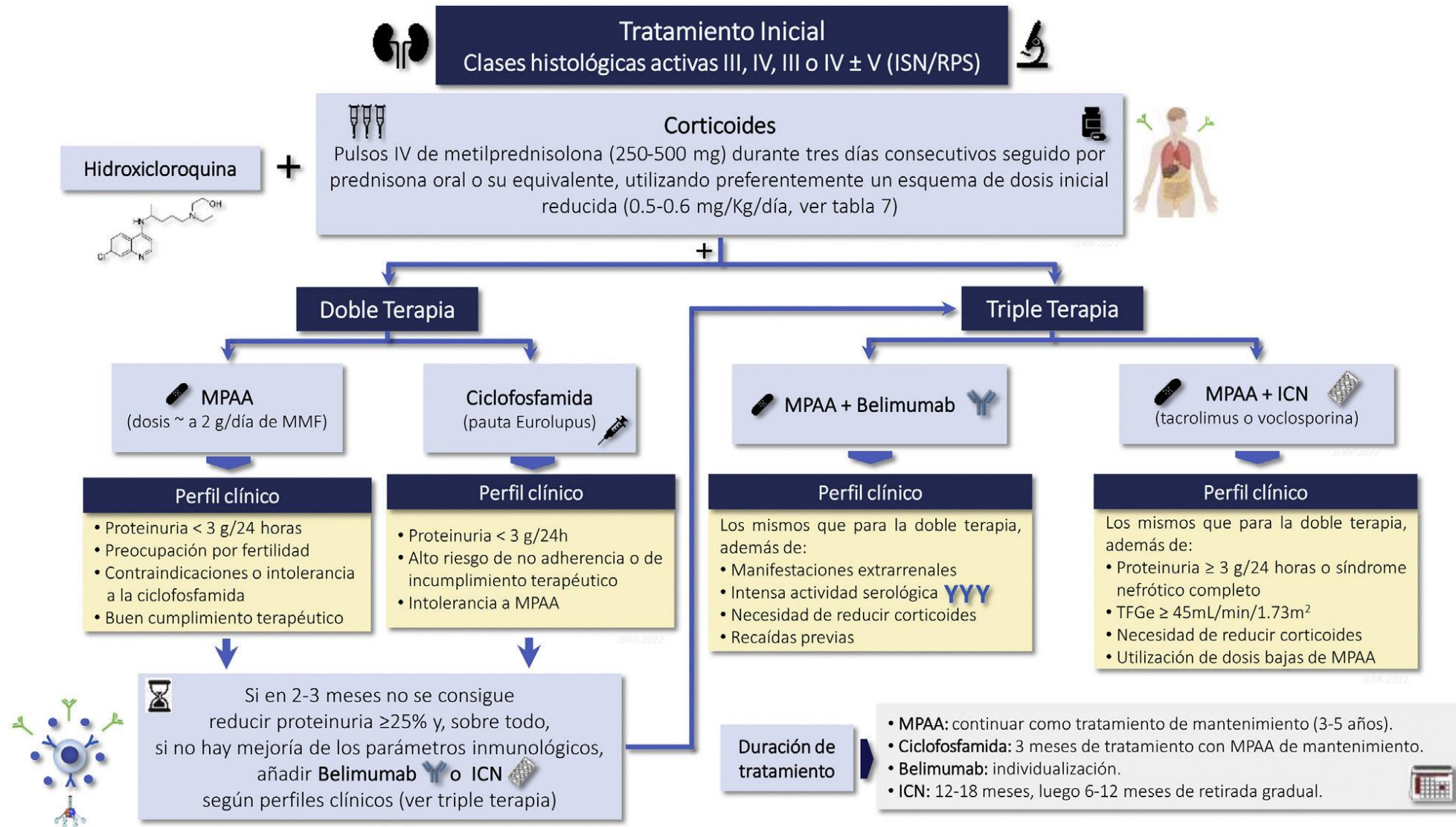
Esquema reducción de corticoides del Aurora



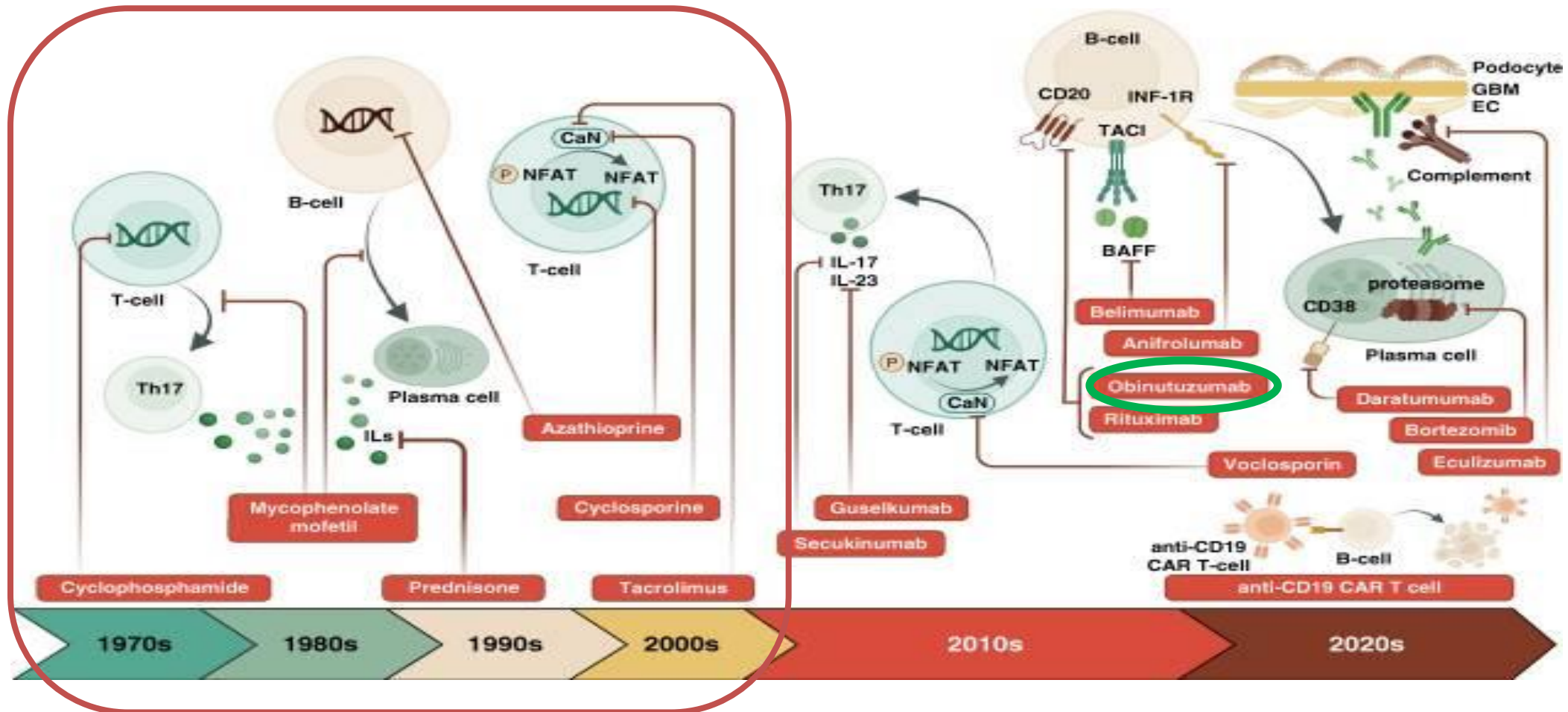
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Documento consenso GLOSEN nefritis lúpica



Lupus Nephritis: What do we have for treatment now?



Obinituzumab

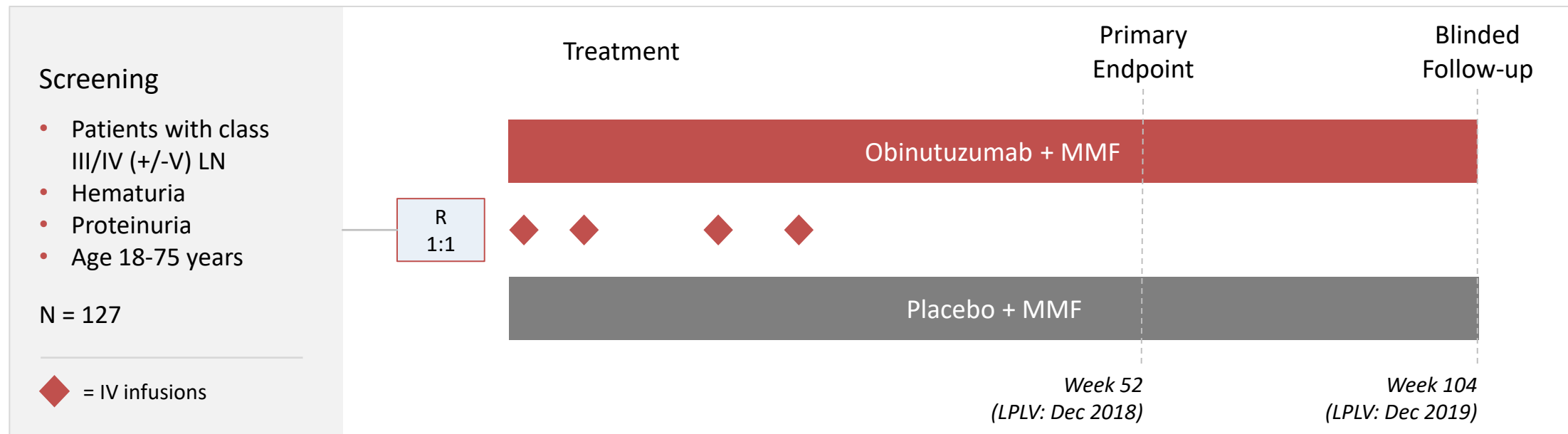
	Rituximab	Obinituzumab
Antibody Type	Type I	Type II
Antibody Engineering ¹	Chimeric <u>mAb</u> (IgG ₁)	Humanized <u>mAb</u> (IgG ₁) Glycoengineered Fc region
<u>FcγRIIIa</u> binding Affinity ^{2,3}	+	+++
ADCC ^{2,3}	+	+++
CD20 Binding ^{4,5}	CD20 dimer can bind two different Fab arms	CD20 dimer can bind one Fab arm
CDC ^{2,3} (relative to RTX)	1 x	<0.01 x
B-cell depletion: mechanism of action	• CDC and ADCC² • Caspase-dependent DCD⁶	• Greater B-cell depletion than type I antibodies and deeper B-cell depletion, including organs such as spleen and lymph nodes³ • Enhanced ADCC relative to RTX and OCR, and caspase-independent DCD³ • Less CDC³

ADA, anti-drug antibodies; ADCC, antibody-dependent cell-mediated cytotoxicity; CDC, complement-dependent cytotoxicity; DCD, direct cell death; IRR, infusion-related reaction; OCR, ocrelizumab; RTX, rituximab.

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Obinituzumab en nefritis lúpica

Phase 2 study (NOBILITY)



- Primary endpoint: % of patients achieving CRR (Week 52)
- Additional key endpoints: Achievement of modified CRR definitions; improvement in C3 and anti-dsDNA antibody levels; improvement in UPCR; improvement in eGFR; exploratory analyses at Weeks 76 and 104

- Obinituzumab 1000 mg IV/placebo: Days 1, 15, 168 (w24) and 182 (w26)
- MMF (or MPA): target dose 2.0-2.5 g/day (or equivalent)
- Corticosteroids: 1-3 infusions of 1000 mg IV methylprednisolone prior to randomization and oral prednisone 0.5 mg/kg tapered over 12 weeks

Obinituzumab en nefritis lúpica

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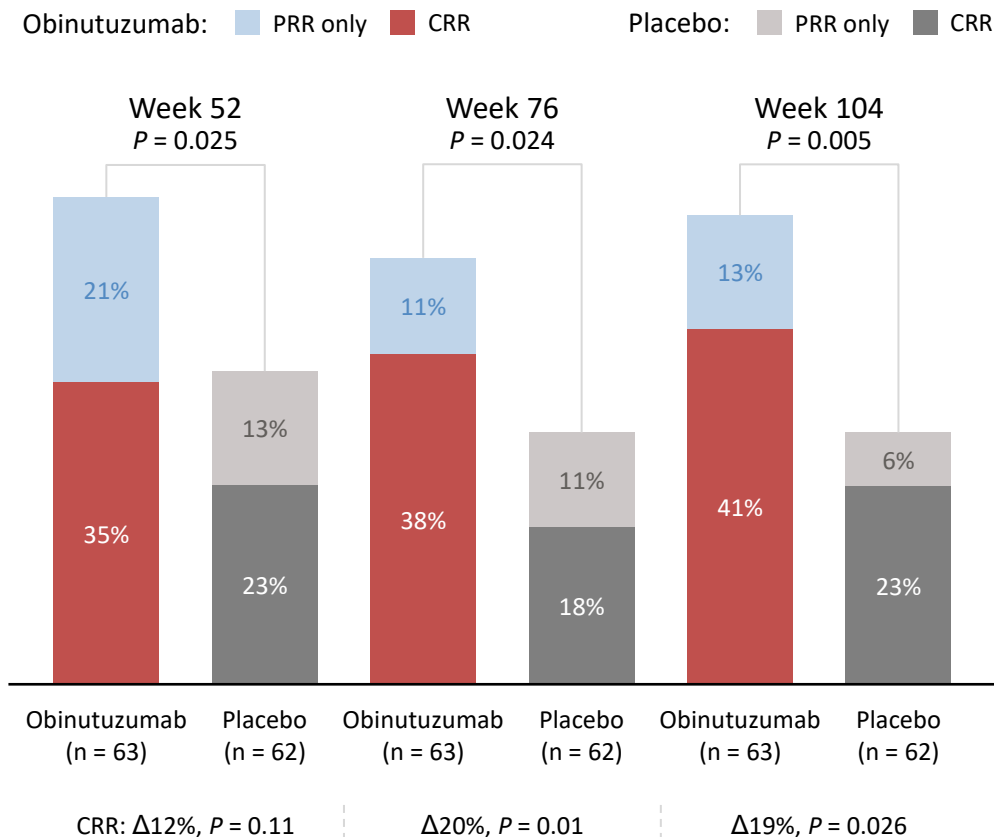
Key results

- Primary and secondary endpoints were met at Week 52
- Increased complete renal responses through Week 104
- Rapid and potent depletion of peripheral CD 19+ B cells without an increase in the incidence of serious adverse events, serious infections or death compared with placebo



Conclusion

- Obinituzumab was superior to placebo in achieving renal response and improving serologies in patients with proliferative LN. The benefit of obinituzumab was sustained through 104 weeks, 18 months after the last obinituzumab treatment



Obinituzumab en nefritis lúpica

Phase 2 study (NOBILITY)

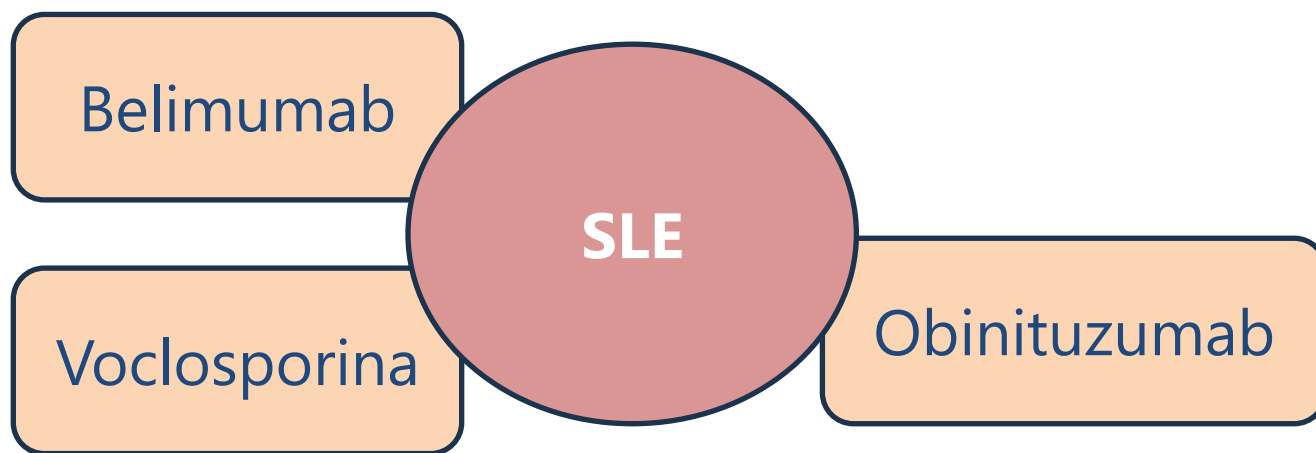
Obinutuzumab was **superior to placebo for the achievement of CRR and ORR** in patients with proliferative LN when added to mycophenolate and corticosteroids

Obinutuzumab resulted in **rapid and deep depletion** of peripheral CD19+ B cells without an increase in the incidence of serious adverse events, serious infections or death compared with placebo

Results from this study indicate that **B cells play a key role in LN pathogenesis**

The use of obinutuzumab in proliferative LN is being further evaluated in a **global phase 3 study REGENCY** ([NCT04221477](https://clinicaltrials.gov/ct2/show/study/NCT04221477))

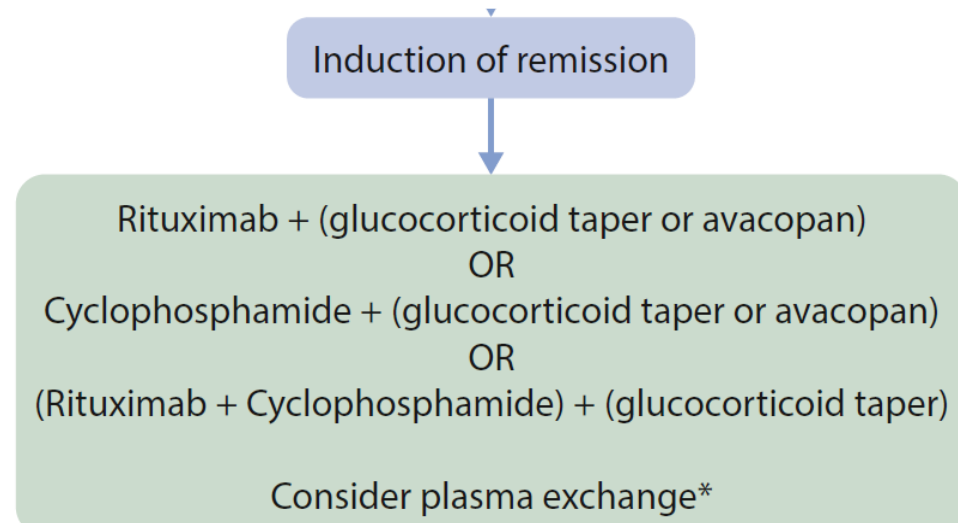
Nefritis lúpica



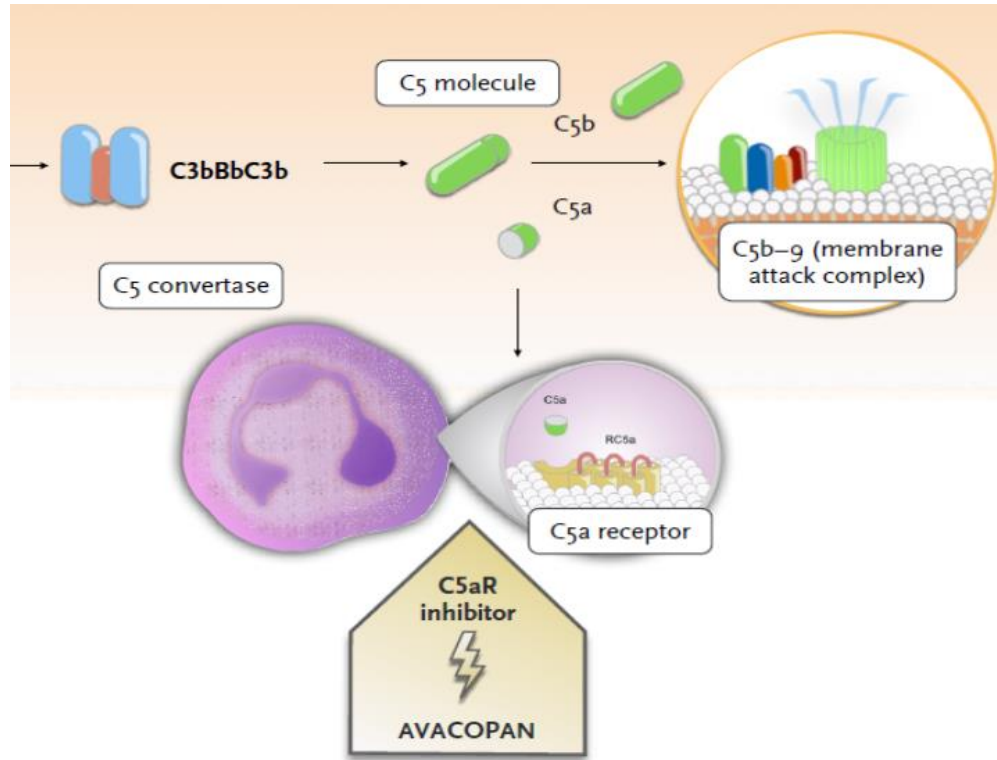
KDIGO Vasculitis 2024

Avacopan

Practice Point 9.3.1.7: Avacopan may be used as an alternative to glucocorticoids. Patients with an increased risk of glucocorticoids toxicity are likely to receive the most benefit from avacopan. Patients with lower GFR may benefit from greater GFR recovery.

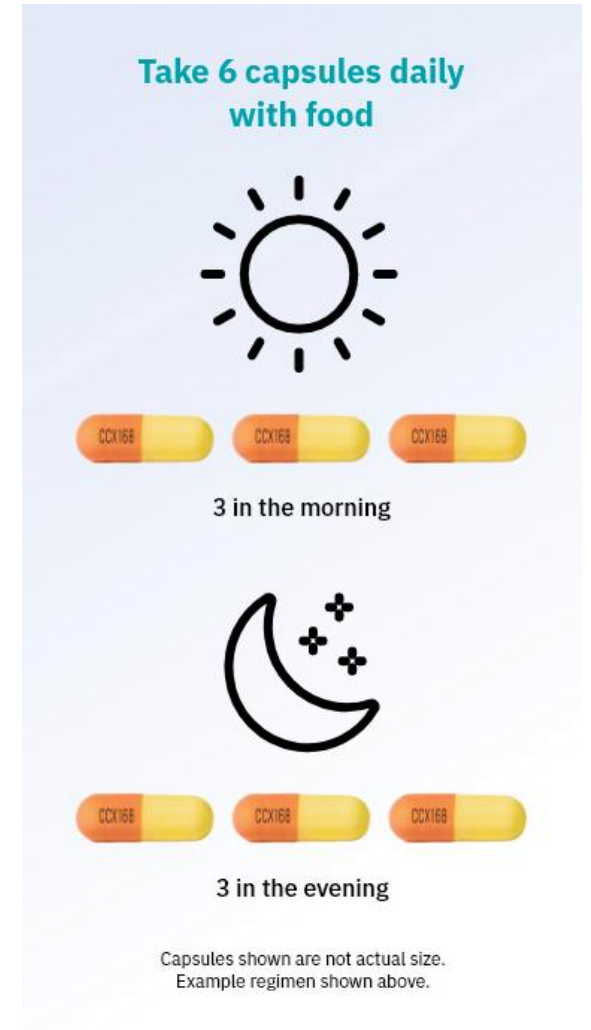


Avacopan



Avacopan es aprobado para tratamiento de vasculitis en 2021

EULAR 2023: Avacopan in combination with rituximab or cyclophosphamide may be considered for induction of remission in GPA or MPA as part of a strategy to substantially reduce glucocorticoid exposure. 1b B



30mg/12h

Avacopan for the Treatment of ANCA-Associated Vasculitis

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Table 2. Primary and Key Secondary End Points.*

End Point	Avacopan (N=166)	Prednisone (N=164)	Difference (95% CI)
Primary end points			
Remission at wk 26 — no. (%)†	120 (72.3)	115 (70.1)	3.4 (–6.0 to 12.8)‡§
Sustained remission at wk 52 — no. (%)¶	109 (65.7)	90 (54.9)	12.5 (2.6 to 22.3)‡
Secondary end points			
GTI-CWS**			
Wk 13			
Patients evaluated	160	161	
Least-squares mean	25.7±3.4	36.6±3.4	–11.0 (–19.7 to –2.2)
Wk 26			
Patients evaluated	154	153	
Least-squares mean	39.7±3.4	56.6±3.4	–16.8 (–25.6 to –8.0)
Urinary albumin:creatinine ratio			
Baseline			
Patients evaluated	125	128	
Geometric mean (range)	433 (20–6461)	312 (11–5367)	
Percent change from baseline to wk 4			
Patients evaluated	121	124	
Least-squares mean ±SE	–40±10	0±9	–40 (–53 to –22)

 Hemorrhagic alveolar
GFR < 15 mL/min

Renal Recovery for Patients With ANCA-Associated Vasculitis and Low eGFR in the ADVOCATE Trial of Avacopan



Methods and cohort

ADVOCATE trial



Post hoc analysis



Patients with ANCA - associated vasculitis



eGFR ≤ 20 mL/min/1.73m²
N = 50

Intervention

Prednisone group



n = 23

52 weeks follow-up

Avacopan group



n = 27

Results

Baseline eGFR
mL/min/1.73m²

17.5

Change in eGFR
mL/min/1.73m²

7.7

Increase in eGFR
of ≥ 2 -fold (%)

13.0

P = 0.846

P = 0.003

P = 0.030

17.6

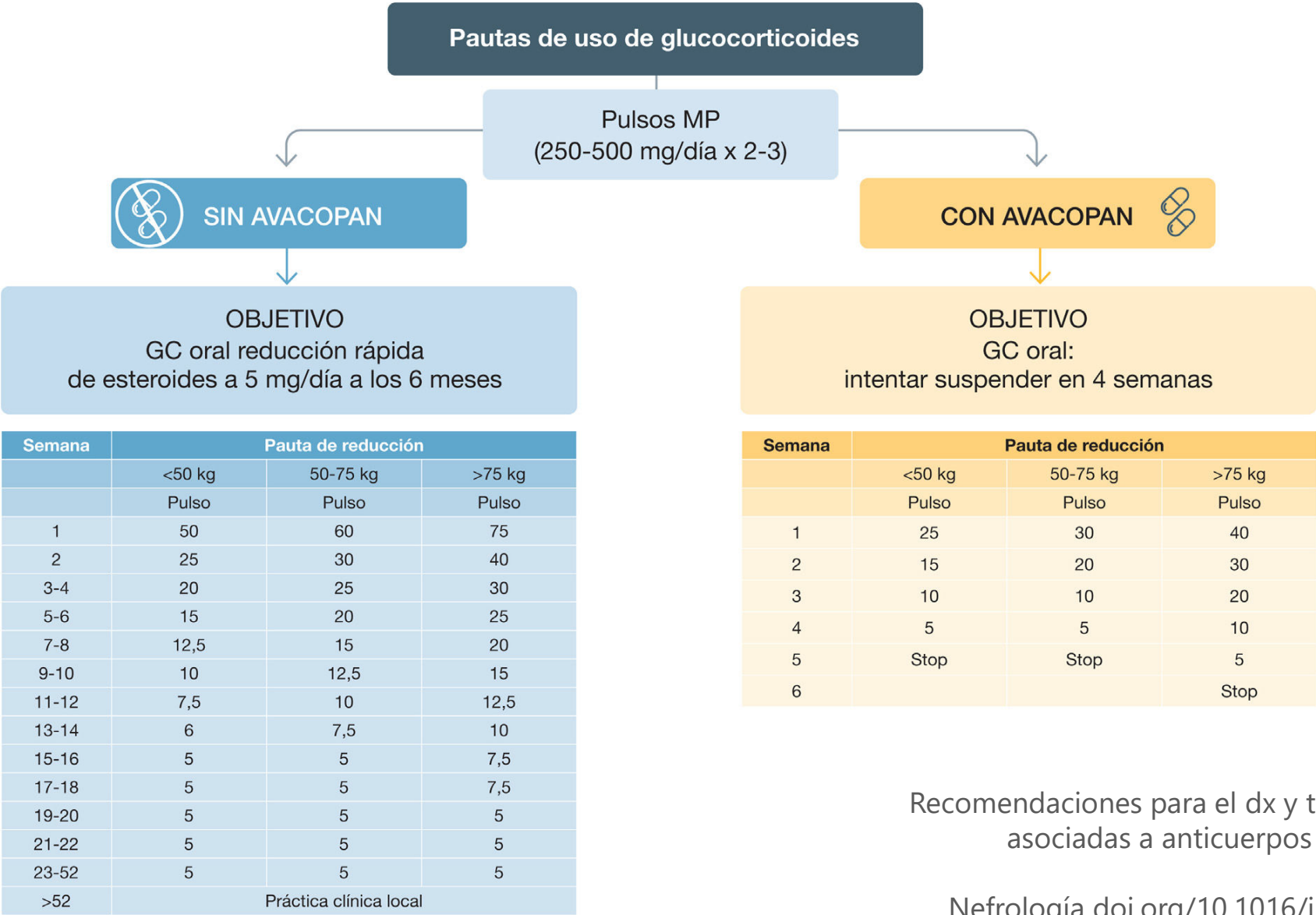
16.1

40.7

ANCA, antineutrophil cytoplasmic antibody

Conclusion Among patients with baseline eGFR ≤ 20 mL/min/1.73m² in the ADVOCATE trial, eGFR improved more in the avacopan group vs. the prednisone group.

Recomendaciones españolas Vasculitis



Recomendaciones para el dx y tto de las vasculitis
asociadas a anticuerpos anticitoplasma de
neutrófilo
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Avacopan

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The real-world use and effectiveness of avacopan in routine practice for the treatment of ANCA vasculitis. First experiences in Spain

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Avacopan for anti-neutrophil cytoplasm antibodies-associated vasculitis: a multicenter real-world study

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Case Reports ➤ [Cureus](#). 2024 Jun 20;16(6):e62759. doi: 10.7759/cureus.62759.
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Limited Antineutrophil Cytoplasmic Antibody-Associated Vasculitis Presenting With Diffuse Alveolar Hemorrhage: A Case Report and Literature Review

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Treatment of Antineutrophil Cytoplasmic Antibody-Associated Vasculitis With Diffuse Alveolar Hemorrhage With Avacopan

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Nuevos Anti-CD20 en Vasculitis

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Concise report

Obinutuzumab as treatment for ANCA-associated vasculitis

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3 pacientes obinituzumab resistente a otros tratamientos y que habian presentado reaccion hipersensibilidad a Rituximab

Open access

Protocol

BMJ Open Study protocol for a randomised, phase II, double-blind, experimental medicine study of obinutuzumab versus rituximab in ANCA-associated vasculitis: ObiVas

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Concise report

Ofatumumab for B cell depletion therapy in ANCA-associated vasculitis: a single-centre case series

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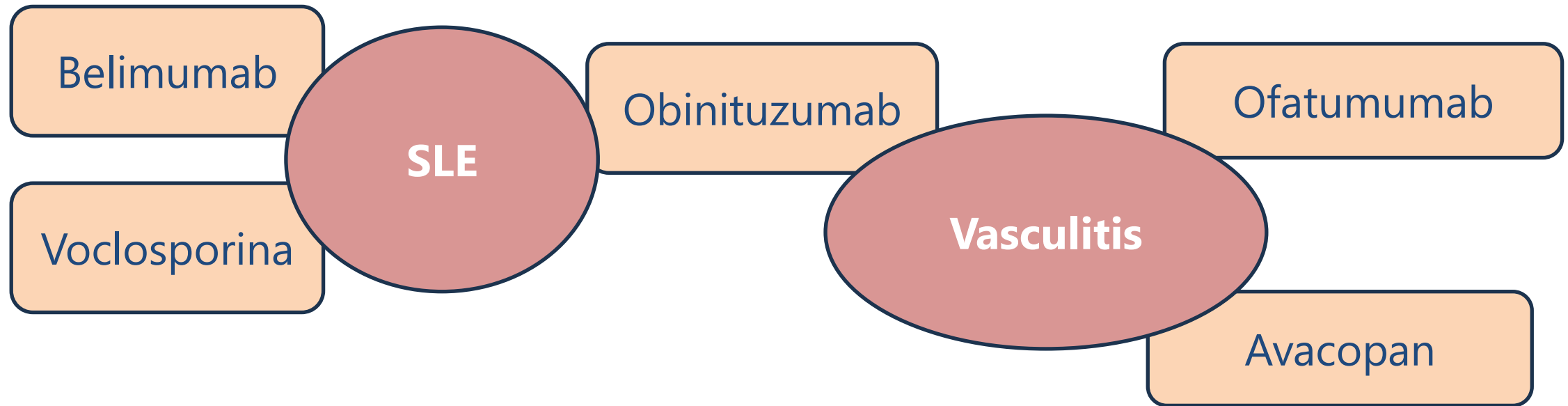
8 pacientes ofatunumab + low-dose CYC y Gcs vo

Deplecion linfos B en 1 mes y mantenida 6 m

BVAs 0 en 3 meses

No recaídas en 24 meses

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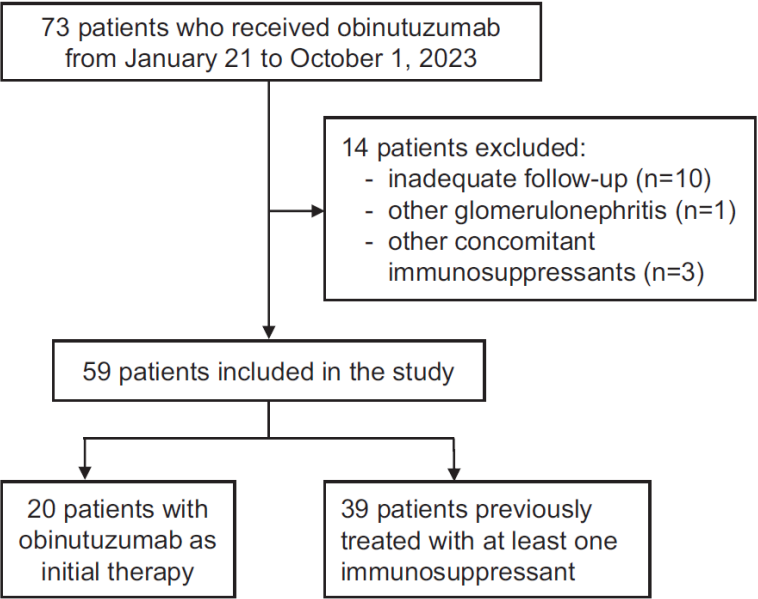


Nuevos Anti-CD20 en N Membranosa



Obinutuzumab as Initial or Second-Line Therapy in Patients With Primary Membranous Nephropathy

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Outcomes	Overall	Grouped 1		Grouped 2	
		Initial therapy	Second-line therapy	RTX-resistant	RTX-naïve
Clinical outcomes					
Number of patients	59	20	39	14	45
CR + PR	50 (84.7%)	18 (90.0%)	32 (82.1%)	9 (64.3%)	41 (91.1%)
CR	20 (33.9%)	7 (35.0%)	13 (33.3%)	3 (21.4%)	17 (37.8%)
PR	30 (50.8%)	11 (55.0%)	19 (48.7%)	6 (42.9%)	24 (53.3%)
Nonresponse	9 (15.3%)	2 (10.0%)	7 (17.9%)	5 (35.7%)	4 (8.9%)
Immunologic outcomes ^a					
Number of patients with detectable anti-PLA ₂ R	48 ^b	17	31 ^b	10	38 ^b
Immunologic remission	43 (89.6%)	16 (94.1%)	27 (87.1%)	7 (70.0%)	36 (94.7%)
Immunologic nonresponse	5 (10.4%)	1 (5.9%)	4 (12.9%)	3 (30.0%)	2 (5.3%)

Ongoing prospective trial : Chinese Clinical Trial Registry (<https://www.chictr.org.cn>, ChiCTR2400082133)

Nuevos Anti-CD20 en N Membranosa

Ofatumumab in Rituximab-Resistant and Rituximab-Intolerant Patients With Primary Membranous Nephropathy: A Case Series

Setting & Participants	Findings
 Case series (2015-2019) from a single Italian center	 Complete or partial clinical remission in 10 patients: • 7 (100%) of 7 patients with rituximab-intolerant MN • 3 (30%) of 10 patients with rituximab-resistant MN
 N = 17 patients with primary membranous nephropathy (MN)	 Serological remission in 7 (58%) of 12 patients with PLA ₂ R-related MN
 Rescue therapy with IV ofatumumab (50-300 mg)	 No serious adverse events; 14 infusion-related adverse events
	 Early B-cell depletion, reconstitution starts at 3 months

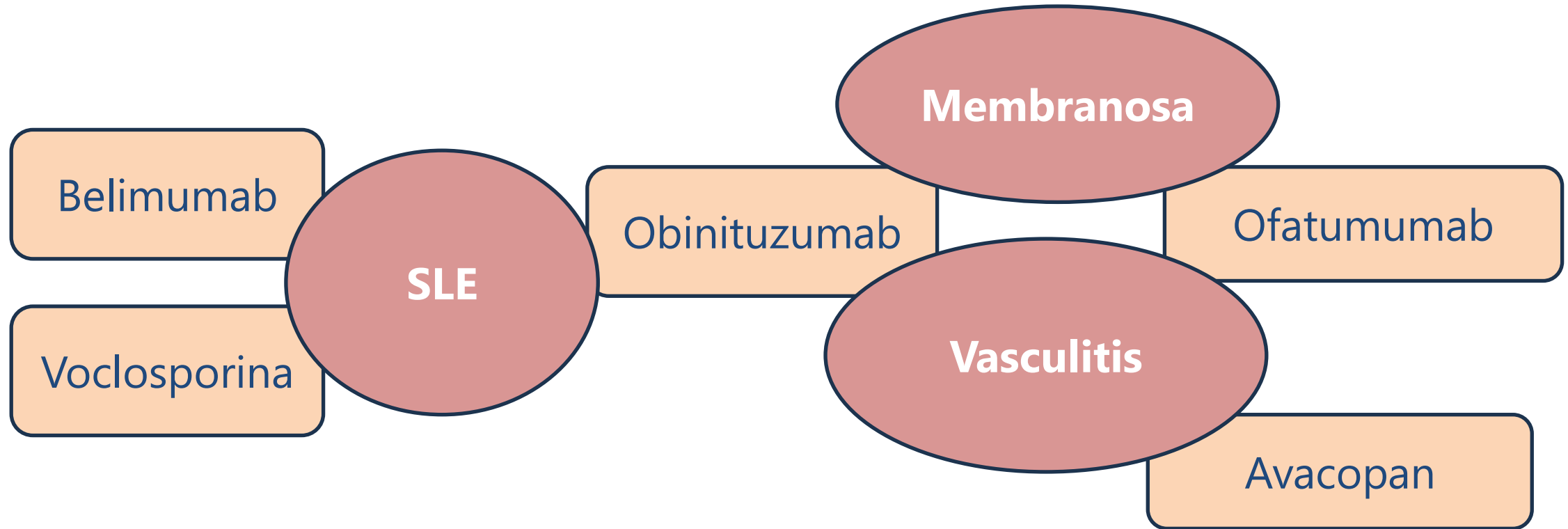
CONCLUSION: Ofatumumab may represent an effective and safe treatment for rituximab-intolerant patients with MN. Larger prospective studies will be needed to validate these preliminary findings and explore the effectiveness of other second-generation anti-CD20 antibodies in this clinical setting.

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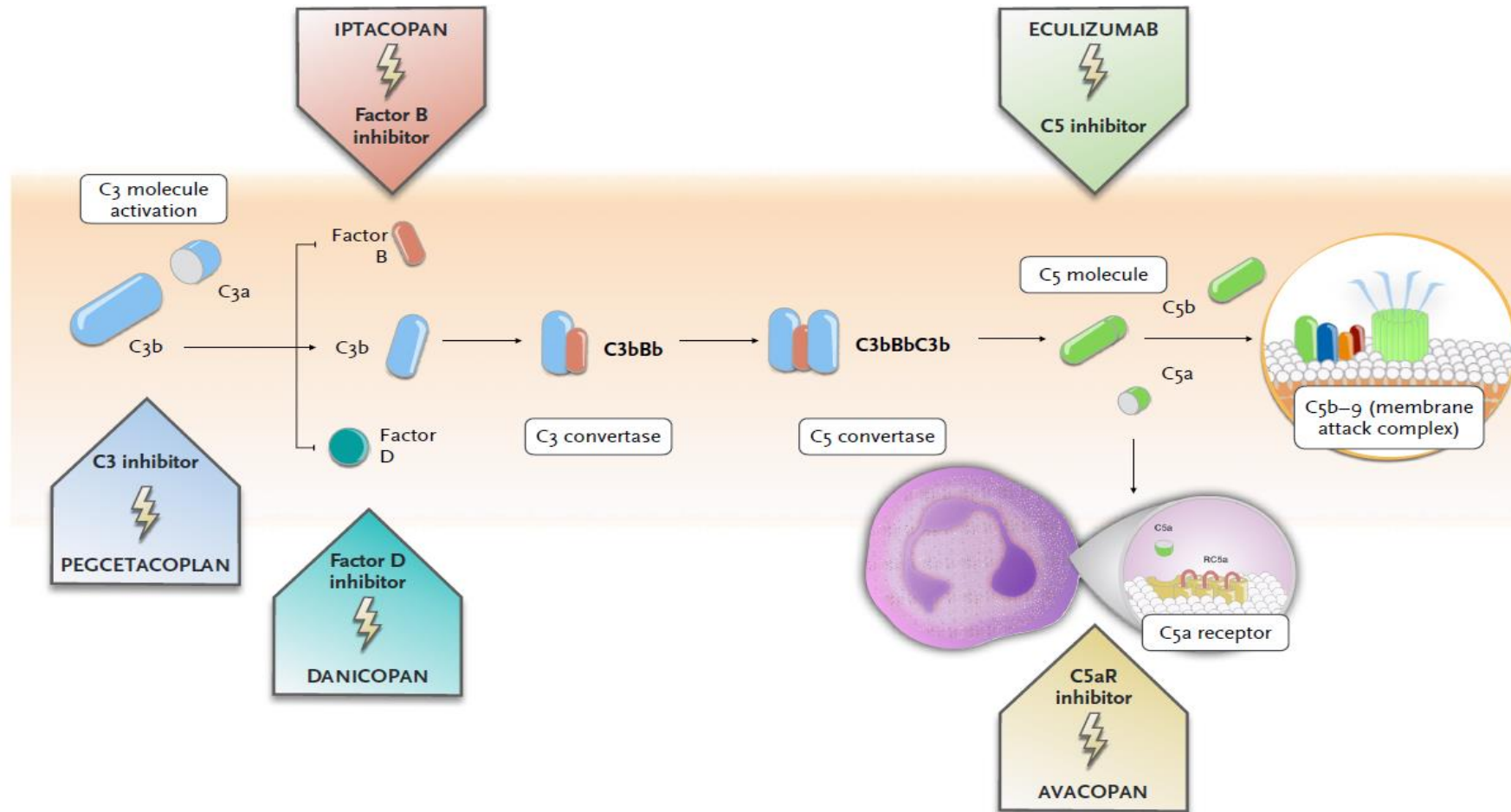


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Targeting complement in C3 Glomerulopathy

Landscape of complement inhibitors in C3 Glomerulopathy

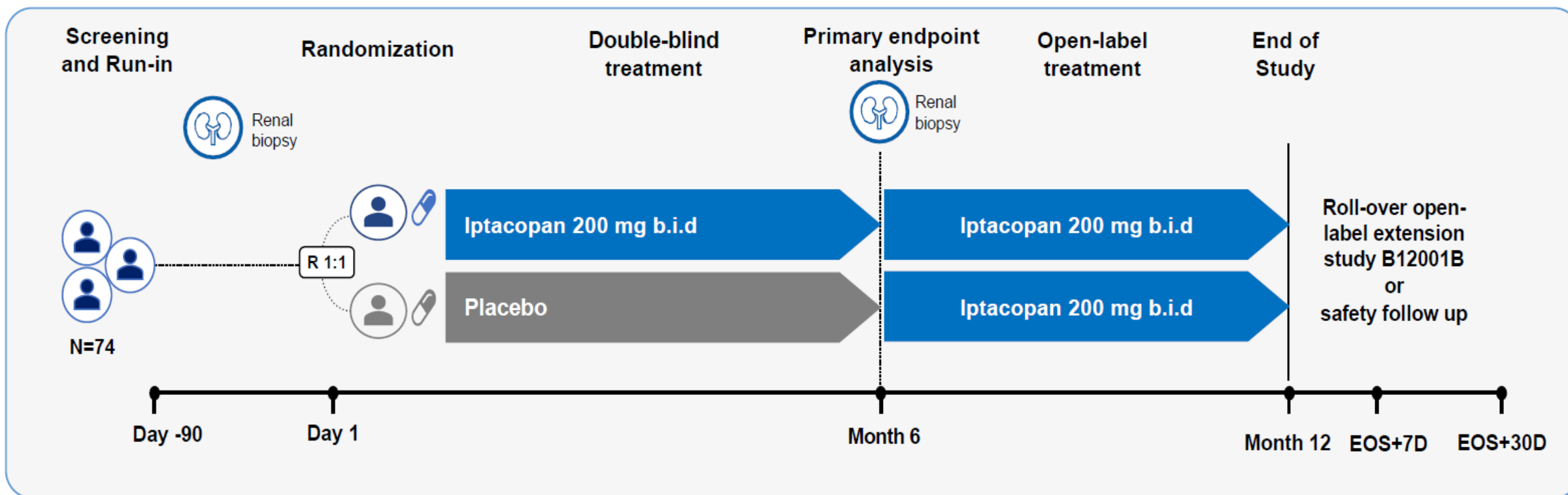


Targeting complement in C3 Glomerulopathy

Table S1: Clinical trials investigating the use of new complement inhibitors in C3 Glomerulopathy

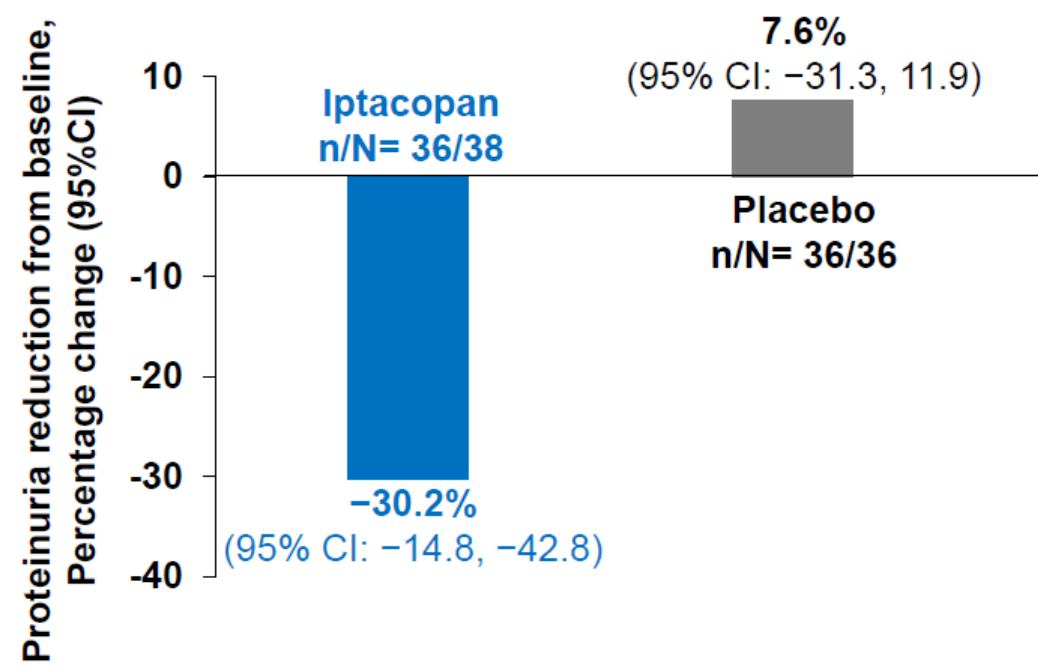
Clinical trial	Drug	Target	Results	Transplant population
NCT03301467 (phase 2)	Avacopan	C5a receptor	Improvement in: - eGFR - Proteinuria - Histological chronicity index	Yes (2 patients)
NCT0383211 (phase 2)	Iptacopan	Factor B	1) Native kidneys: - Drop 45% proteinuria. - eGFR stabilization 2) Allograft: reduction of C3 deposition (even disappearance)	Yes (11 patients)
NCT04817618 (phase 3)			NA	Non-included
NCT04572854 (phase 2)	Pegcetacoplan	C3	NA	Yes (ongoing)
NCT03124368 (phase 2)	Danicopan	Factor D	NA	Non-included
NCT02682407 (phase 2)	Narsoplimab	MASP-2	NA	Non-included

APPEAR-C3G: Study design



- APPEAR-C3G is a randomized, double-blind, parallel-group, multicenter, placebo-controlled Phase 3 study to evaluate the efficacy and safety of iptacopan 200 mg b.i.d vs placebo, on top of supportive care, in adult patients with C3G
- Results from 6-month double-blind treatment period are presented

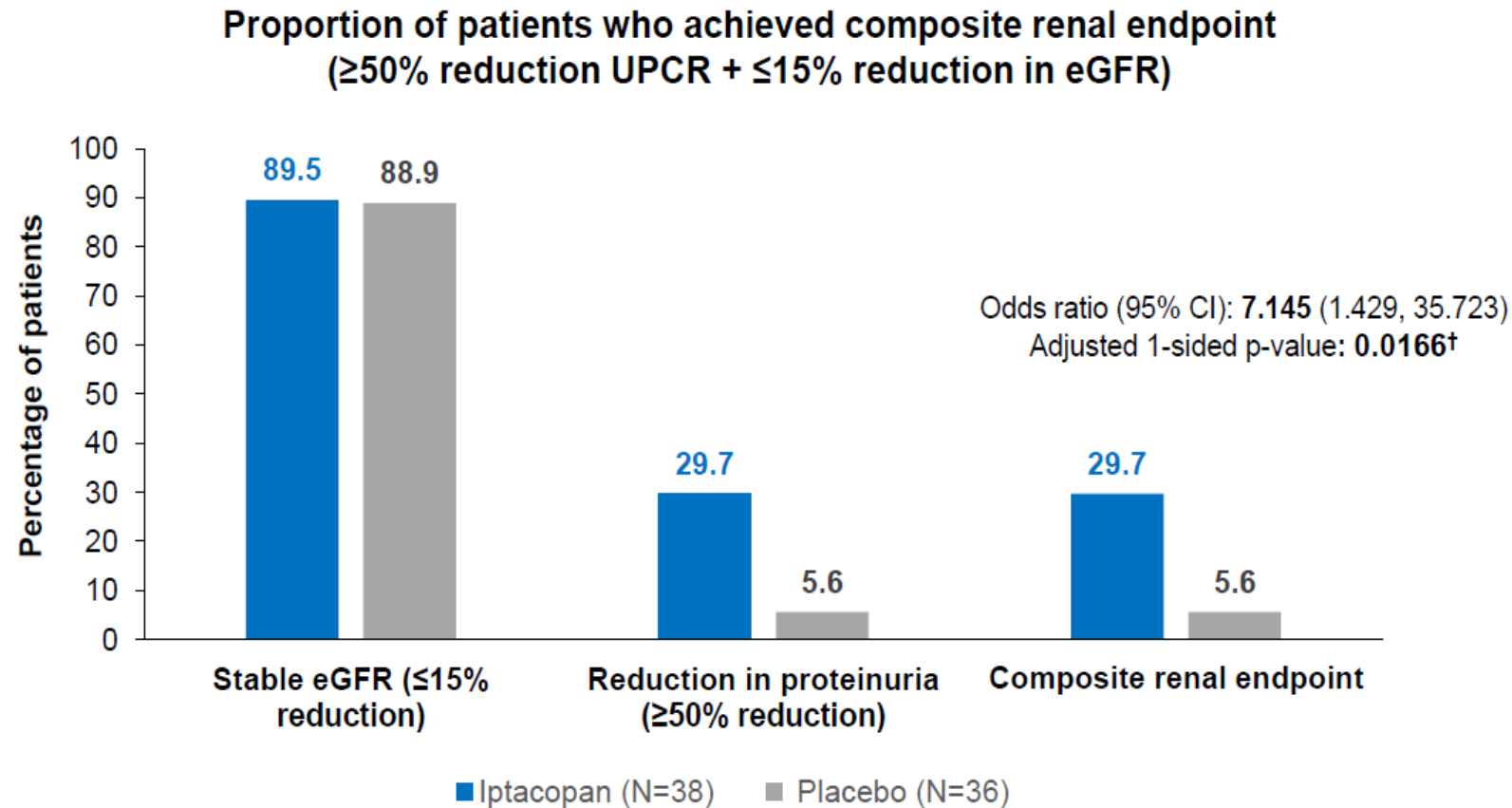
Iptacopan achieved a statistically significant and clinically meaningful reduction in 24h-UPCR at Month 6



Relative percent reduction between iptacopan and placebo at Month 6 (95% CI):
35.1%; 1-sided p-value: 0.0014

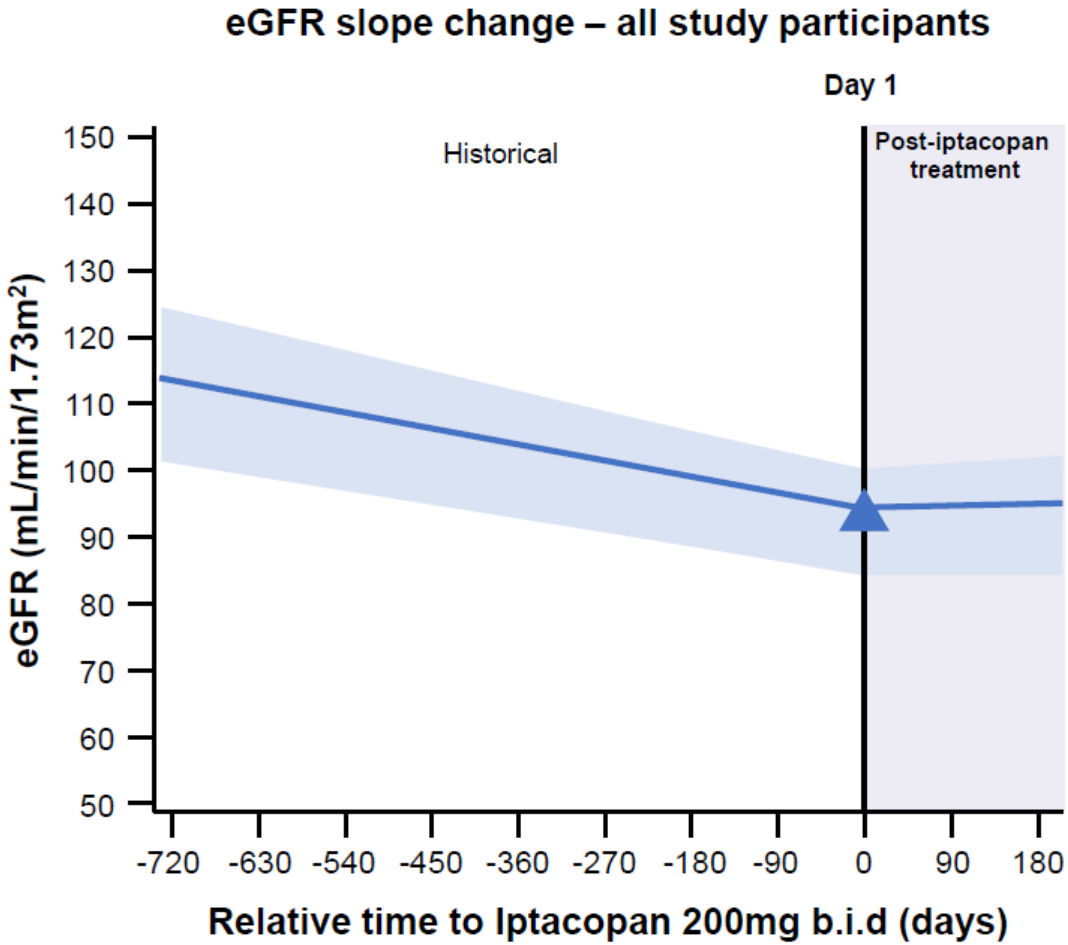
Iptacopan treatment resulted in significantly more patients meeting the composite renal endpoint at 6 months

Results driven by the proteinuria reduction component



Iptacopan treatment led to improvements in trajectory of renal function decline compared to historical patients' trend

eGFR slope (mL/min/1.73m ² /year)			
	Pre-treatment slope	Post-treatment slope	Change in slope
Estimate (95% CI)	-7.35 (-10.39, -4.32)	0.90 (-2.87, 4.66)	8.25 (4.49, 12.01)
P-value	<0.0001		



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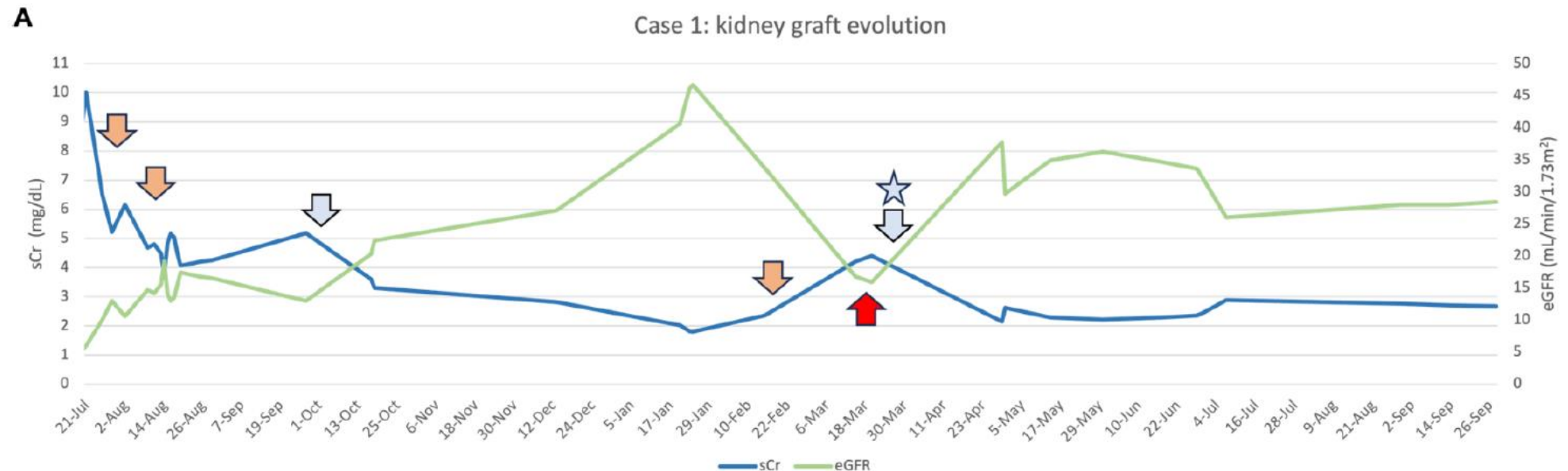
Case Report

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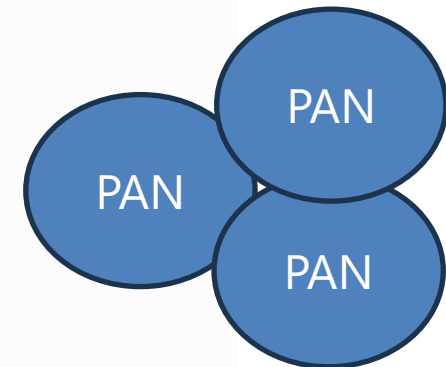
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Table 2: Summary of clinical trials with complement inhibitors in IgAN.

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IONIS-FB-LRX (RG6299)	Factor B/antisense inhibitor of complement factor B	Oligonucleotide/subcutaneous injection	Ionis	NCT04014335	2	Single-arm, open-label study	Change of proteinuria from baseline at 29 weeks	Ongoing

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Pelecopan (BCX9930)	Factor D/AP inhibition	Small molecule/orally administered	BioCryst Pharmaceuticals	NCT05162066	2	Open-label, proof-of-concept study	Safety and tolerability Percent change from baseline in UPCR	Terminated, no results available
Vemircopan (ALXN2050)	Factor D/AP inhibition	Small molecule/orally administered	Alexion	NCT05097989	2	Randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled study	Percentage proteinuria change at Week 26	Ongoing
Ravulizumab (ALXN1210)	C5/TP inhibition	Monoclonal antibody/intravenous injection	Alexion/AstraZeneca	NCT04564339	2	Randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled study	Percentage proteinuria change at Week 26	Ongoing
Cemdisiran (ALN-CC5)	C5/TP inhibition	Small interfering RNA/subcutaneous injection	Alnylam	NCT03841448	2	Randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled study	Percentage proteinuria change at Week 32	Ongoing
Avacopan (CCX168)	C5aR1/inhibition of anaphylatoxin	Small molecule/orally administered	Chemocentryx	NCT02384317	2	Single-arm open-label study	Change in slope of the UPCR from the 8-week run-in period through the 12 weeks	Improvement in UPCR slope, with ~50% improvement in 3/7 patients

eGFR: estimated glomerular filtration rate; MASP-2: Mannan-associated lectin-binding serine protease-2; RCT: randomized controlled trial; UPCR: urinary protein-to-creatinine ratio.

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Eligibility criteria

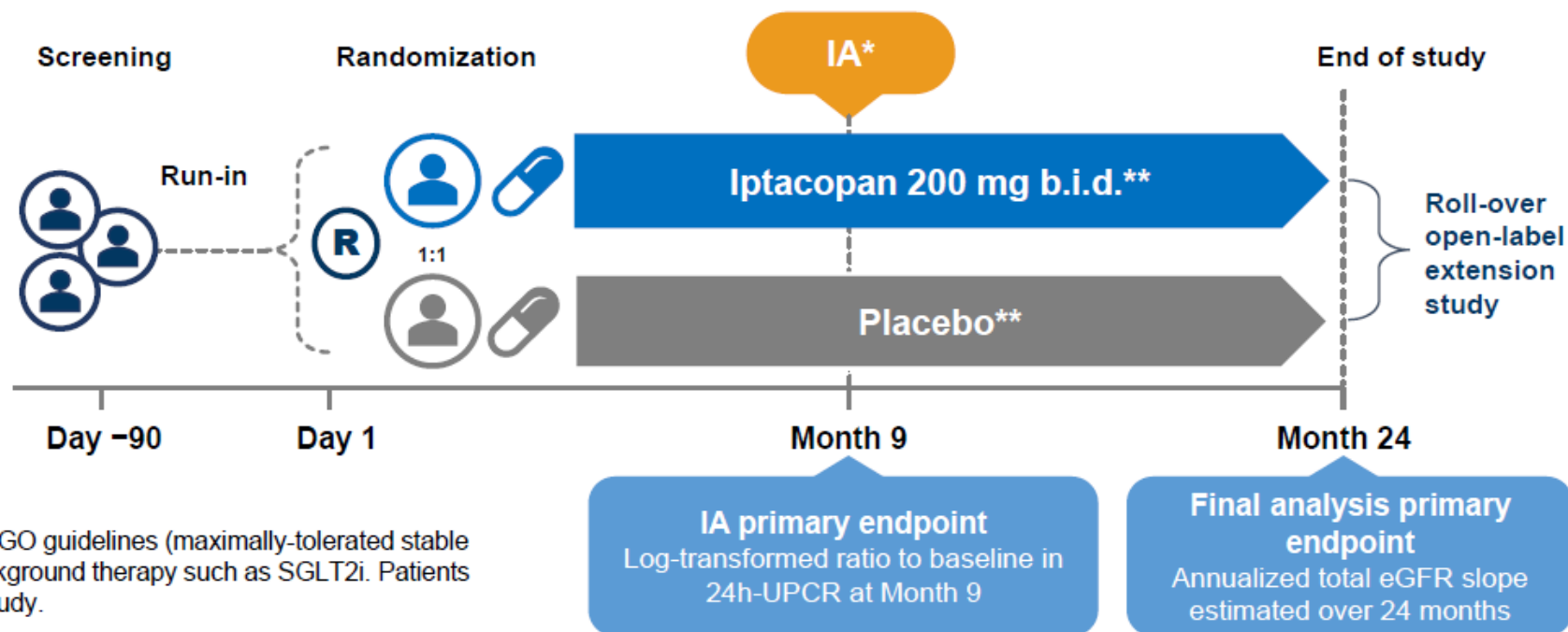
- Adults
- Biopsy-confirmed IgAN
- Proteinuria ≥ 1 g/g based on 24h-UPCR despite maximally tolerated RASi for ≥ 3 months, with or without SGLT2i

Main study population

eGFR ≥ 30 mL/min/1.73 m²

SRI population

eGFR 20– <30 mL/min/1.73 m²



*Pre-specified. **On top of optimal supportive care per KDIGO guidelines (maximally-tolerated stable [3 months] dose of RASi therapy) with or without other background therapy such as SGLT2i. Patients continued their supportive care treatment throughout the study.

IA primary endpoint

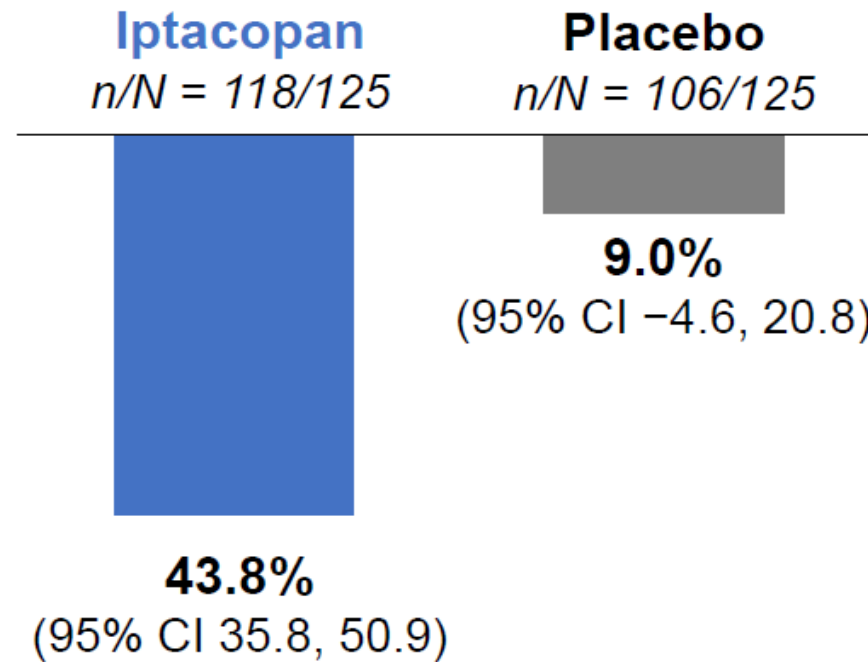
- Based on the first 250 patients of the main study population who reached Month 9 or discontinued the study
- Performed using an MMRM including all 24h-UPCR values collected from baseline up to and including the Month 9 visit or up to initiation of rescue/alternative medication or KRT[†]

IA additional analyses presented here

- Subgroup analyses of IA primary endpoint using the same approach as the IA primary analysis
- Safety endpoints were summarized descriptively for all patients in main study population who were randomized and received treatment at the IA data cut-off; (n=443)

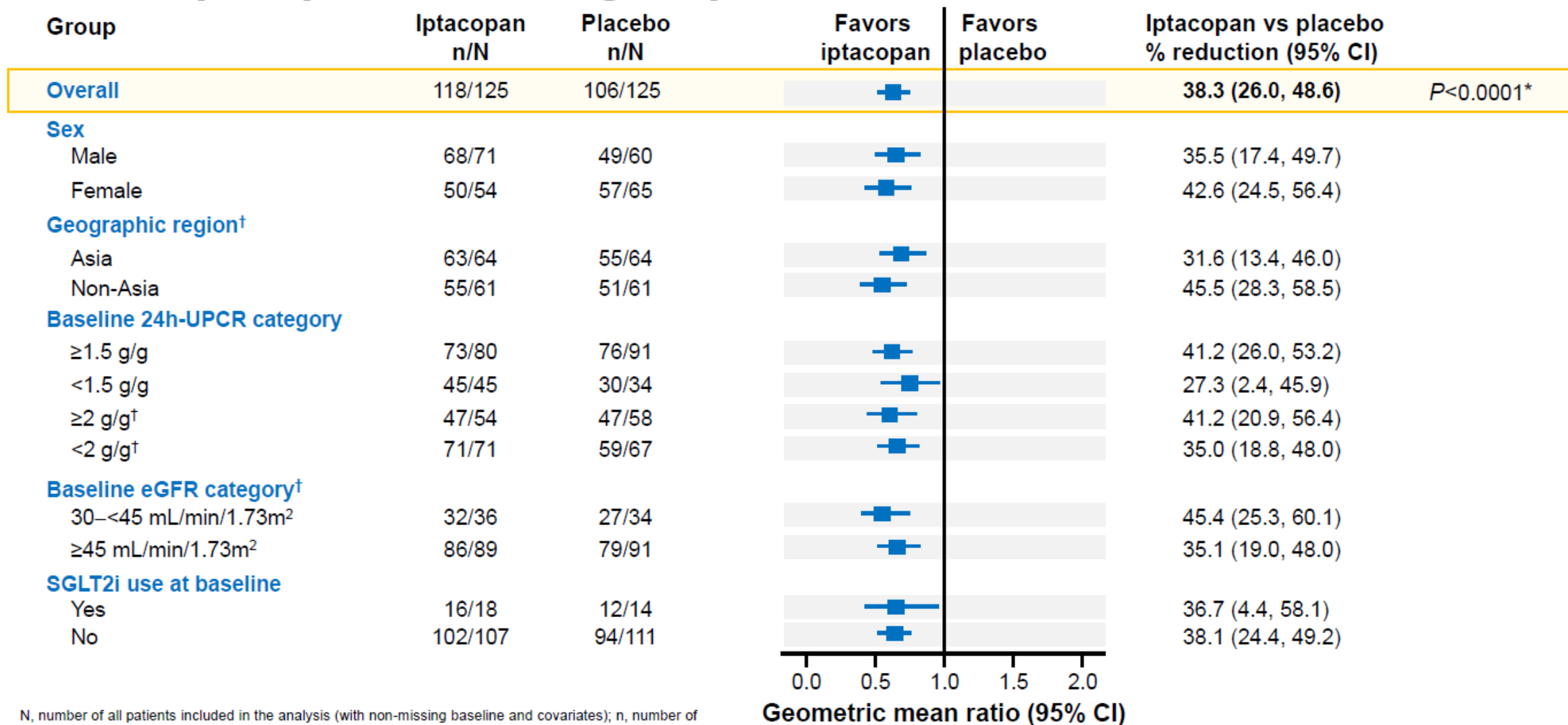
Iptacopan achieved a statistically significant and clinically meaningful reduction in 24h-UPCR at Month 9

IA primary endpoint: Reduction in 24h-UPCR from baseline at Month 9



Relative percent reduction between iptacopan and placebo at Month 9:
38.3% (95% CI 26.0, 48.6); $P < 0.0001^*$

Proteinuria (24h-UPCR) reduction at Month 9 is consistent across prespecified subgroups



N, number of all patients included in the analysis (with non-missing baseline and covariates); n, number of patients with values non-missing/not imputed. *One-sided. †Stratification criteria at randomization. CI, confidence interval; eGFR, estimated glomerular filtration rate; h, hour; SGLT2i, sodium-glucose transport protein 2 inhibitor; UPCR, urine-protein creatinine ratio.

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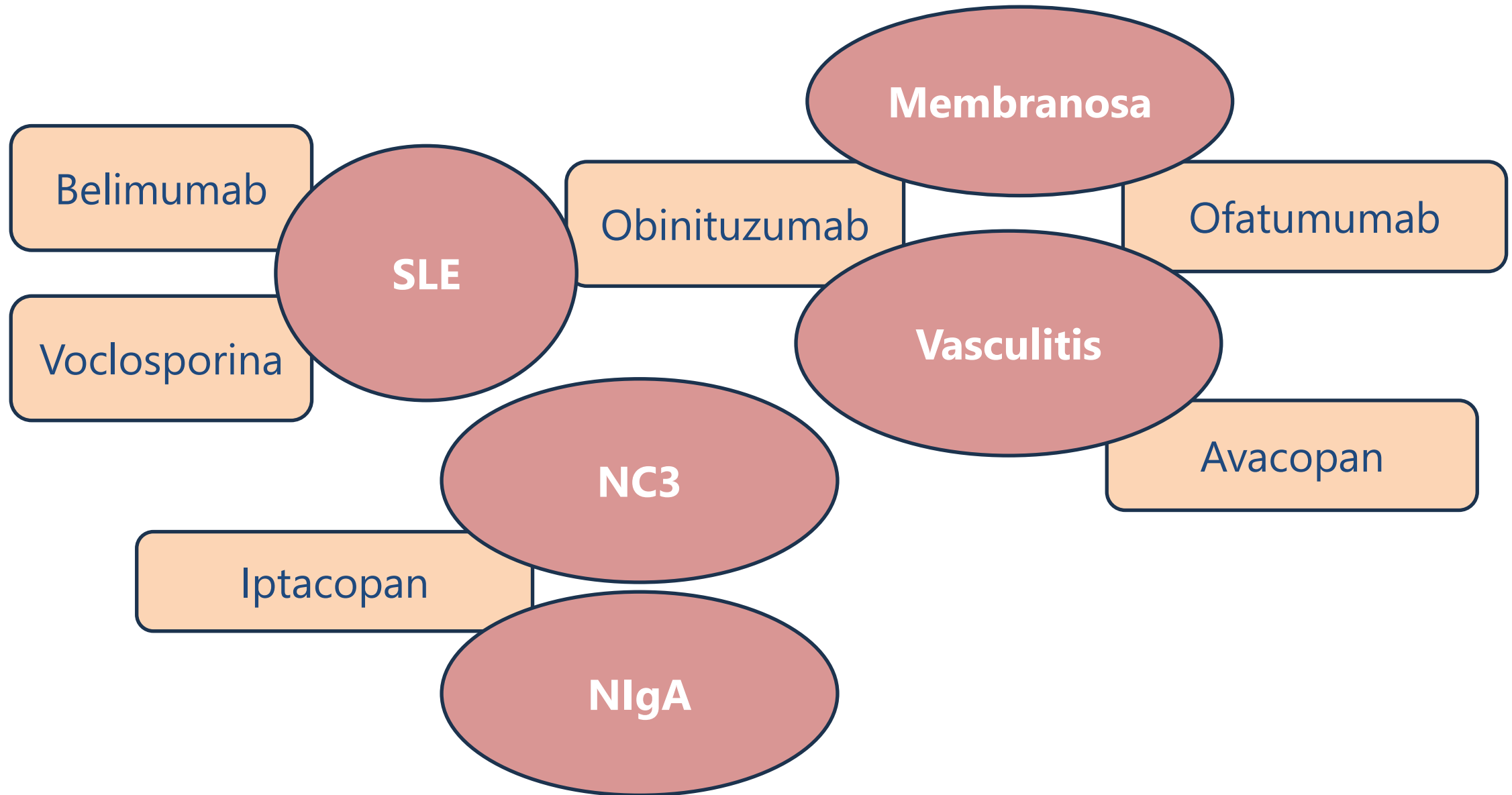
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Para concluir



Mensajes para llevar a casa

- En **nefritis lúpica**: plantear triple terapia con belimumab o voclosporina sobre todo en pacientes con necesidad de reducción de corticoides.
- En **vasculitis**, plantear terapia con avacopan en pacientes con necesidad de reducción rápida de corticoides y en pacientes con FG más bajos y proteinuria.
- En **NIgA** y **NC3** tener en cuenta posibilidad de contar con bloqueadores del complemento.
- **Nuevos AntiCD20** como alternativa en pacientes resistentes a Rituximab o que han presentado reacción a Rituximab



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