

Particularités de la co-infection VIH-tuberculose

Focus sur formes graves et traitement antirétroviral



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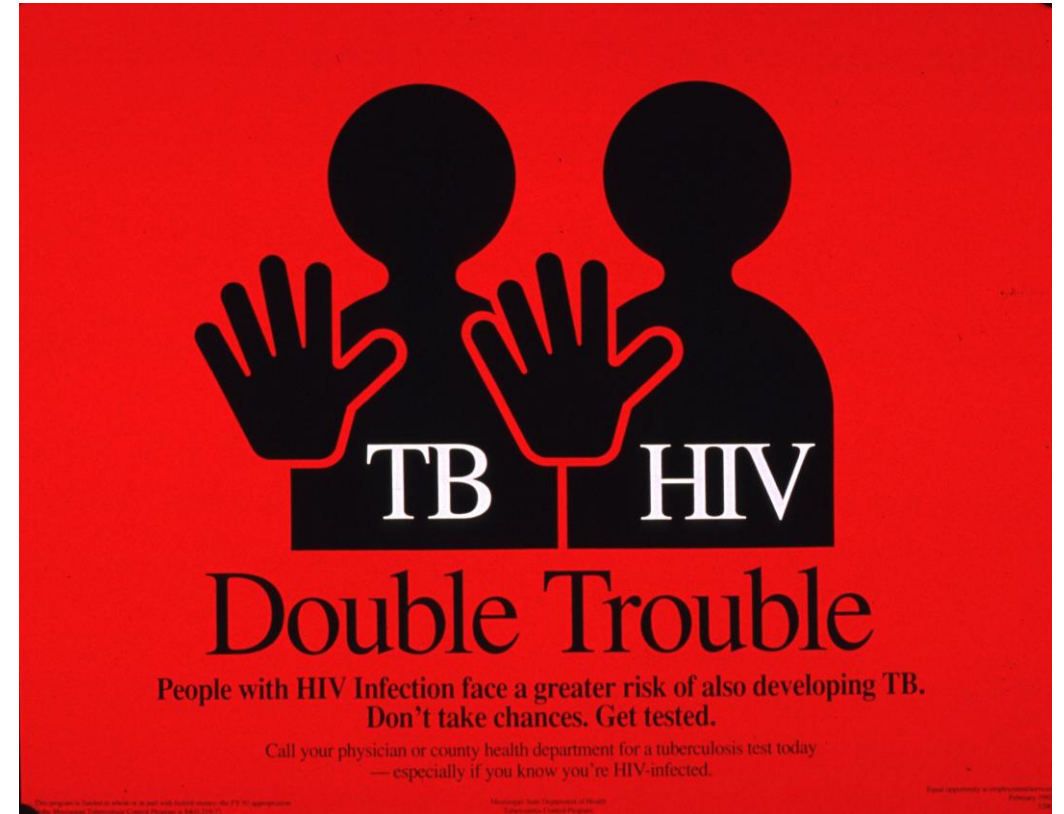


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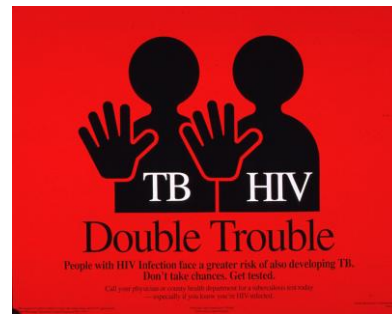
NB : IRIS=> cours spécifique



Mississippi State Dept. of Health, Tuberculosis Control Program, 1992

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Toujours un couple mortel



Globalement :

10.7 millions de personnes avec TB

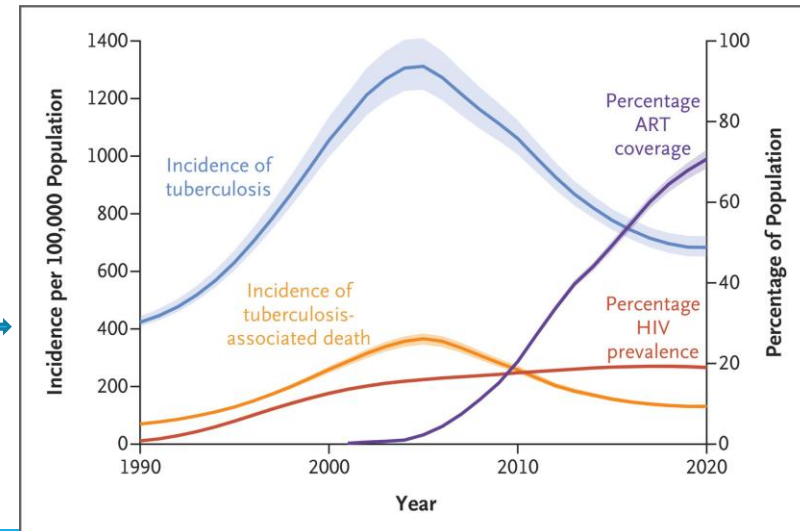
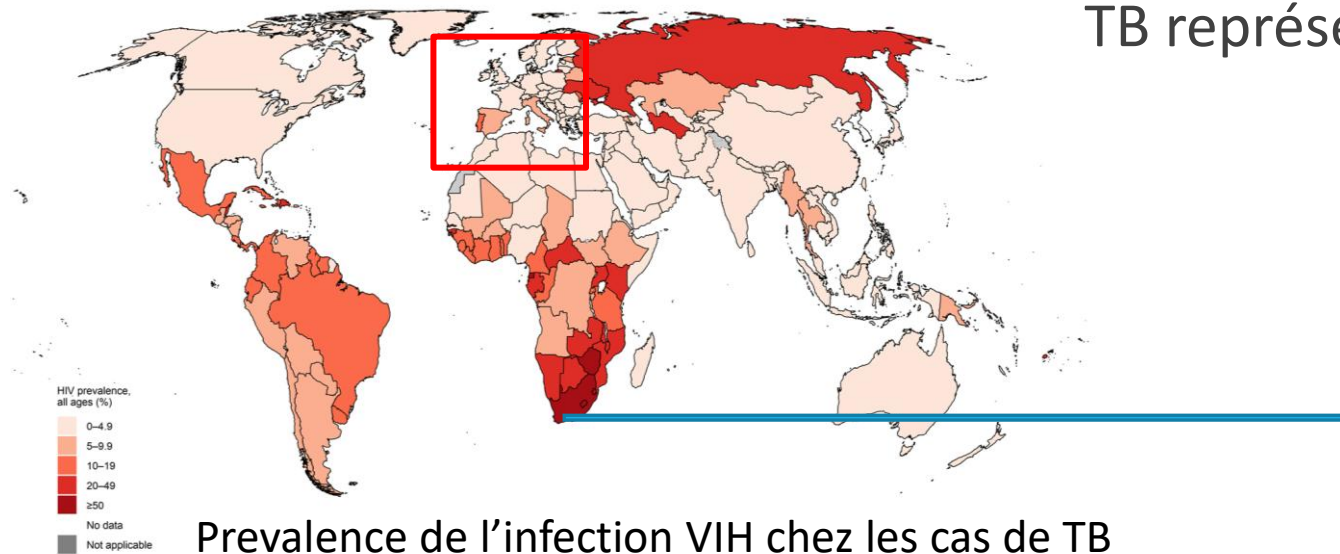
1.3 millions de décès liés à la (12%)

Chez les PVVIH

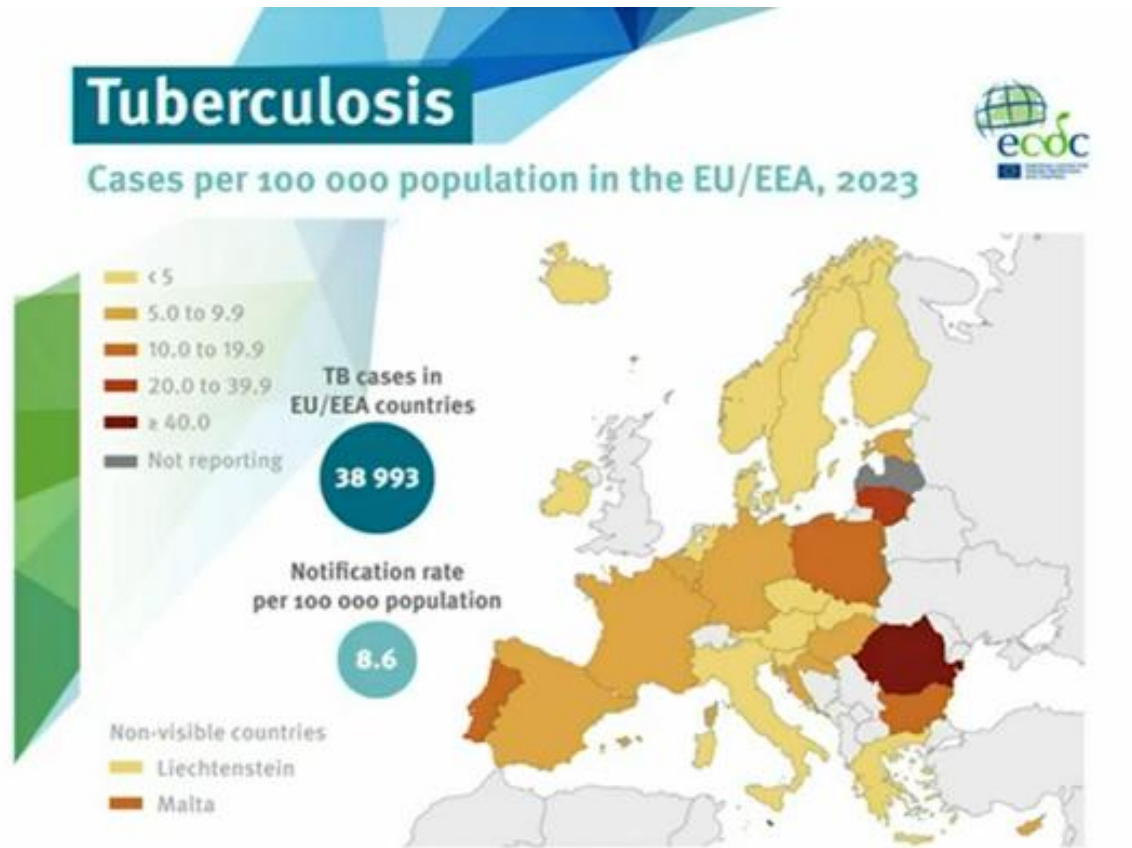
640 000 PVVIH avec TB (5,8%)

150 000 PVVIH sont décédées de TB

TB représente # 25% des décès liés au VIH



Tuberculose et co-infection TB/VIH EU/EEA

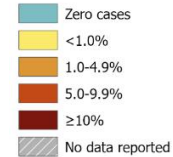


Source: [ECDC/WHO \(2025\). Tuberculosis surveillance and monitoring in Europe 2025–2023 data](#)

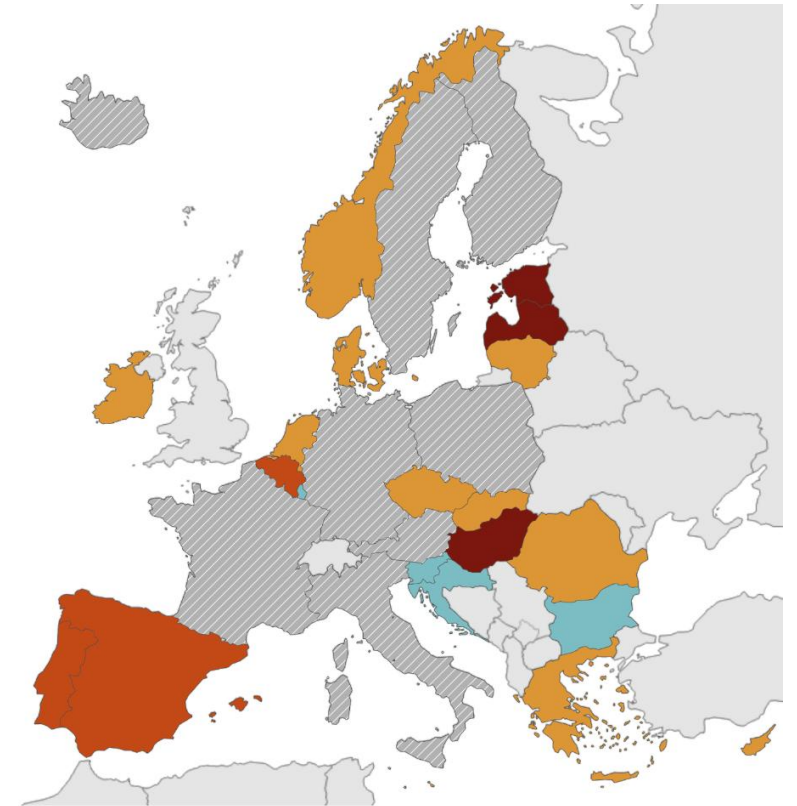


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Proportion of co-infected TB/HIV cases among TB cases with known HIV status



Countries not visible in the main map extent



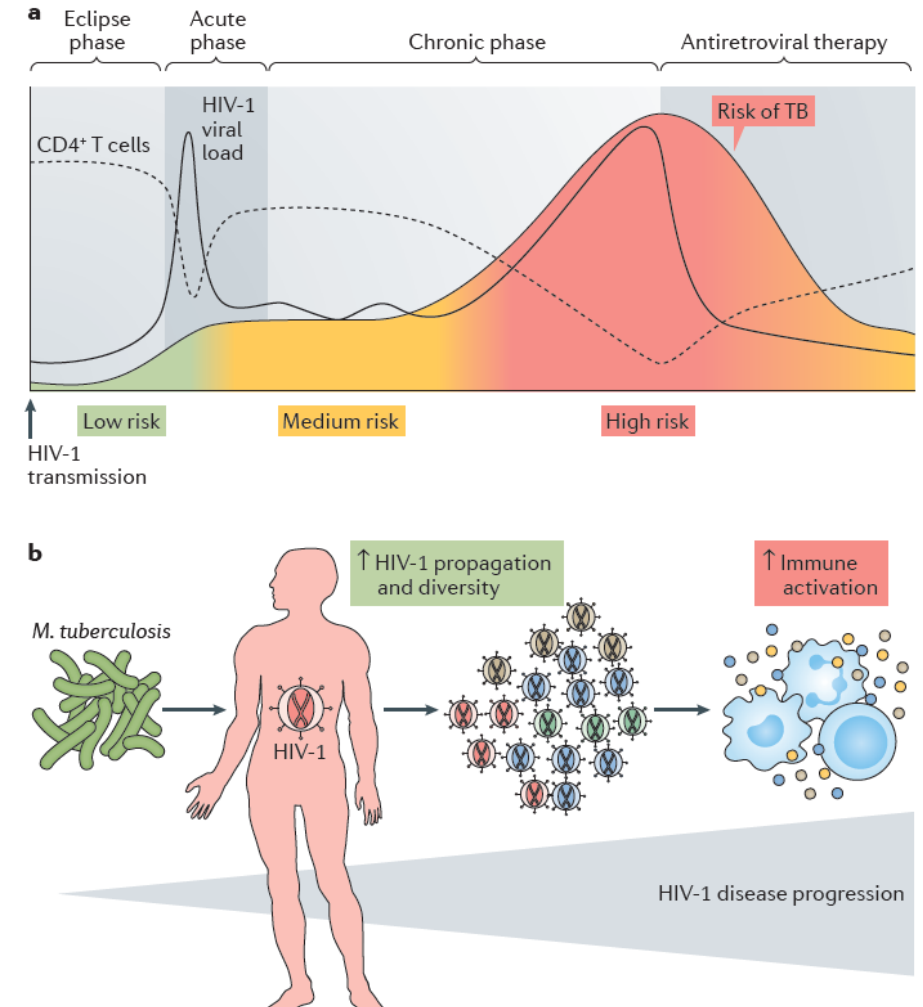
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620 (4,1%) HIV-positive TB cases were notified by 21 EU/EEA countries in 2022

VIH et tuberculose

VIH favorise la TB et vice-versa

- Risque de TB chez les PVVIH
 - Augmente dès la primo-infection
 - Atteint un pic quand $CD4 < 200/mm^3$
 - Diminue mais persiste sous TARV
- TB contribue à la progression de l'infection VIH
 - Augmente la réplication du VIH
 - Activation immunitaire
 - Inflammation chronique



VIH et tuberculose

Prévention de la tuberculose : recommandations internationales

Table 2. Regimens Currently Recommended for the Prevention of HIV-Associated Tuberculosis.

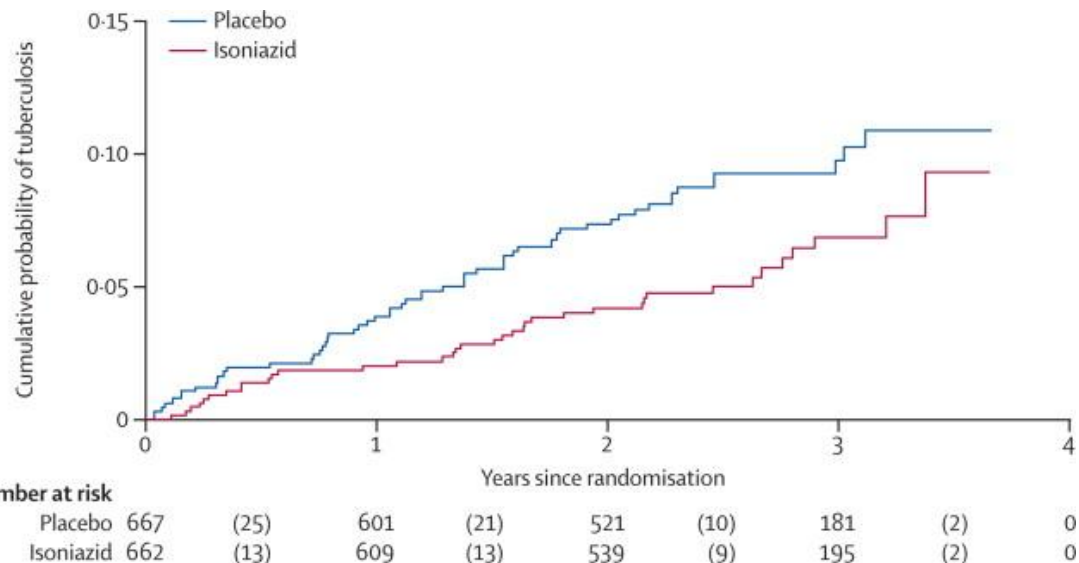
Regimen*	U.S. Guidelines ⁷³	WHO Guidelines ⁸²
Isoniazid (900 mg) with rifapentine (900 mg) weekly for 3 mo	Preferred	Strong recommendation
Isoniazid (300 mg) with rifampin (600 mg) daily for 3 mo	Preferred	Strong recommendation
Isoniazid (300 mg) daily for 6–9 mo	Alternative	Strong recommendation
Rifampin (600 mg) daily for 4 mo	Alternative	Conditional recommendation
Isoniazid (300 mg) with rifapentine (600 mg) daily for 1 mo	Alternative	Conditional recommendation
Isoniazid (300 mg) daily for ≥ 36 mo	Not recommended	Conditional recommendation in settings with high tuberculosis transmission

* Doses shown are for adults with a body weight of more than 50 kg.

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TB preventive therapy : 9-12 H (daily) or 3 HP (weekly)

Supériorité INH vs placebo



Non-INF 9 INH vs 3HP

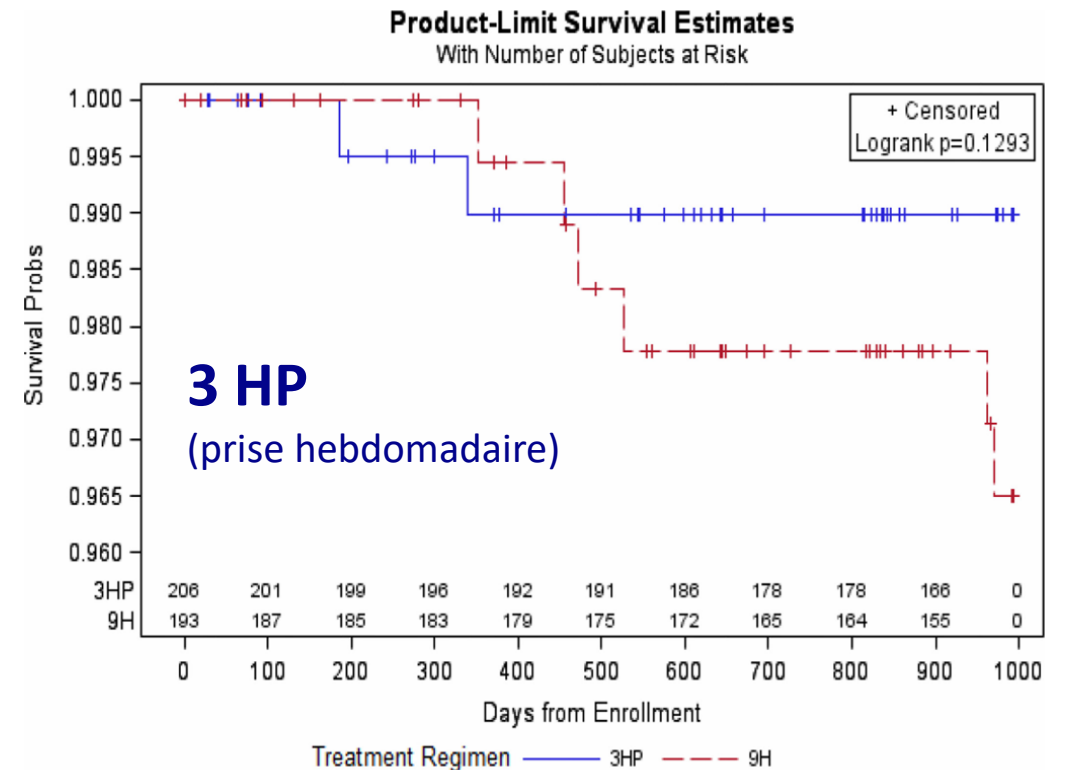


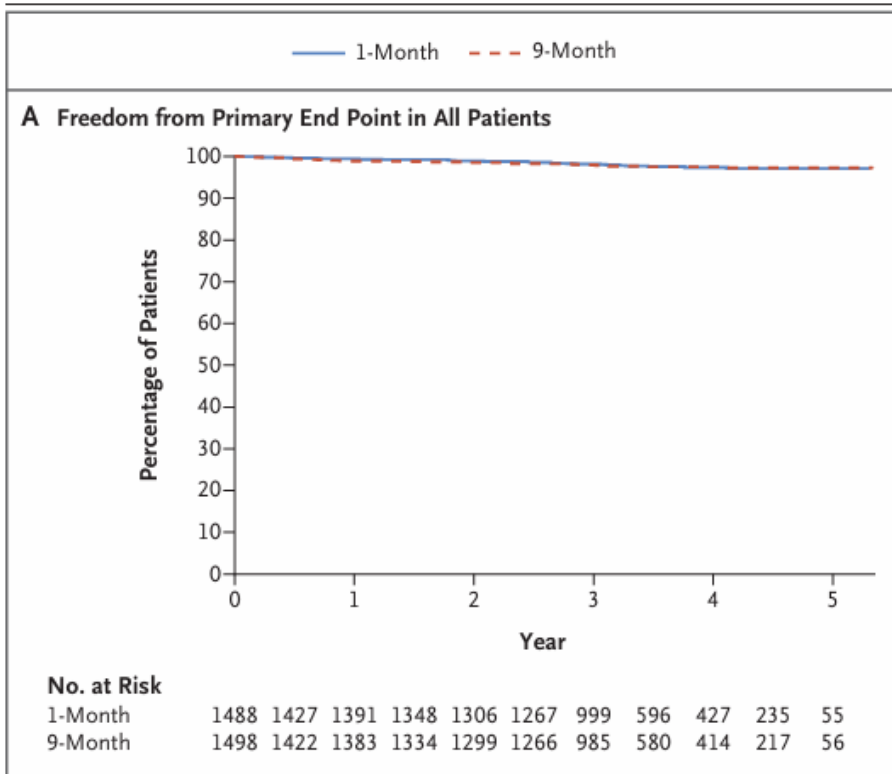
Figure 1. Kaplan-Meier curve of time to tuberculosis by study arm in the MITT study population
The number of persons at risk at 100-day increments from enrollment are provided.

- 37% lower rate of incident TB in INH arm vs placebo)
- No significant difference in mortality
- More pts receiving INH stopped study therapy due to grade ≥ 3 ALT

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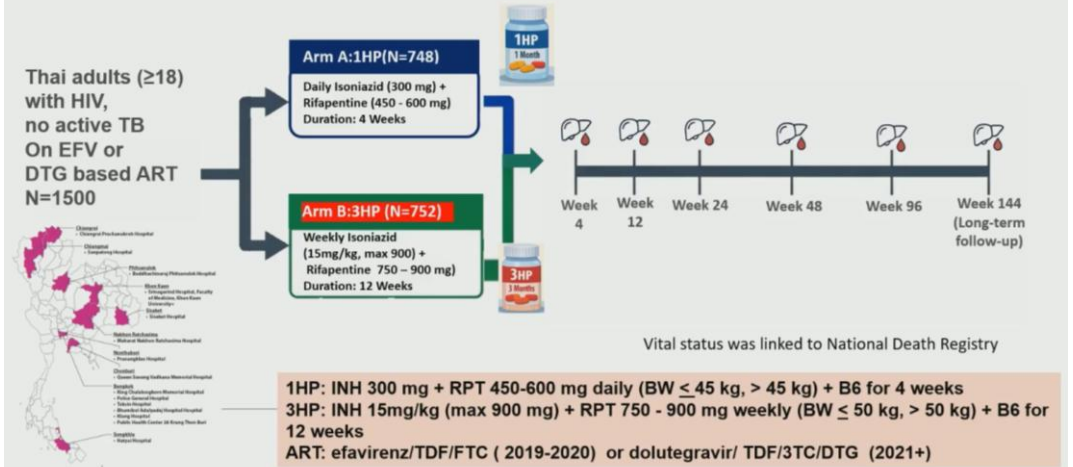
TB preventive therapy : 1 HP (daily) or 3 HP (weekly)

Non inf 1HP vs INH



Treatment completion :
1HP 97% vs 9H 90%

Study Design & Methodology



Primary endpoints: TB Incidence & Mortality

	1HP	3HP								
Active TB, confirmed	2	1	Regimen	Time to active TB						
Active TB, probable	0	0			CD4 count	VL				
Death related to TB							1HP	Year 4.5	704	43
Death from non-TB	2 lymphoma, 1 PCP (poor adherence)	2 (cerebral hemorrhage, DM/CHF)					1HP	Year 3.2	191	<20
Death from unknown cause	0	0					3HP	Year 3.9	182	28

	1HP	3HP	% difference
	% (95%CI)	% (95%CI)	(95%CI)
TB incidence rate	0.27 (0.03-0.9)	0.13 (0.003-0.74)	0.13 (-0.32 to 0.58)

% difference in TB incidence calculated using Generalized Linear Models (Poisson family)
Non-inferiority criterion: Upper limit of 95% CI < 2.5%
Result: Upper limit of 95% CI = 0.58% → met non-inferiority

Non inf 1HP vs 3 HP

All 3 TB cases were drug-susceptible and responded well to standard anti-TB therapy

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Prévention de la tuberculose en France

Prise en charge des complications infectieuses associées à l'infection par le VIH

Validée par le Collège le 27 juin 2024

Dépistage de la tuberculose infection (tuberculose latente)

- Ciblé en priorité sur les populations les plus à risque : sujets originaires de zones géographiques de forte endémie et/ou vivant en situation de précarité
- Par test de détection d'interféron gamma (IGRA) de préférence, ou intradermo réaction (IDR) à la tuberculine, et radiographie thoracique
- Si CD4 <200/μL : recherche de tuberculose maladie par radiographie +/- TDM thoracique

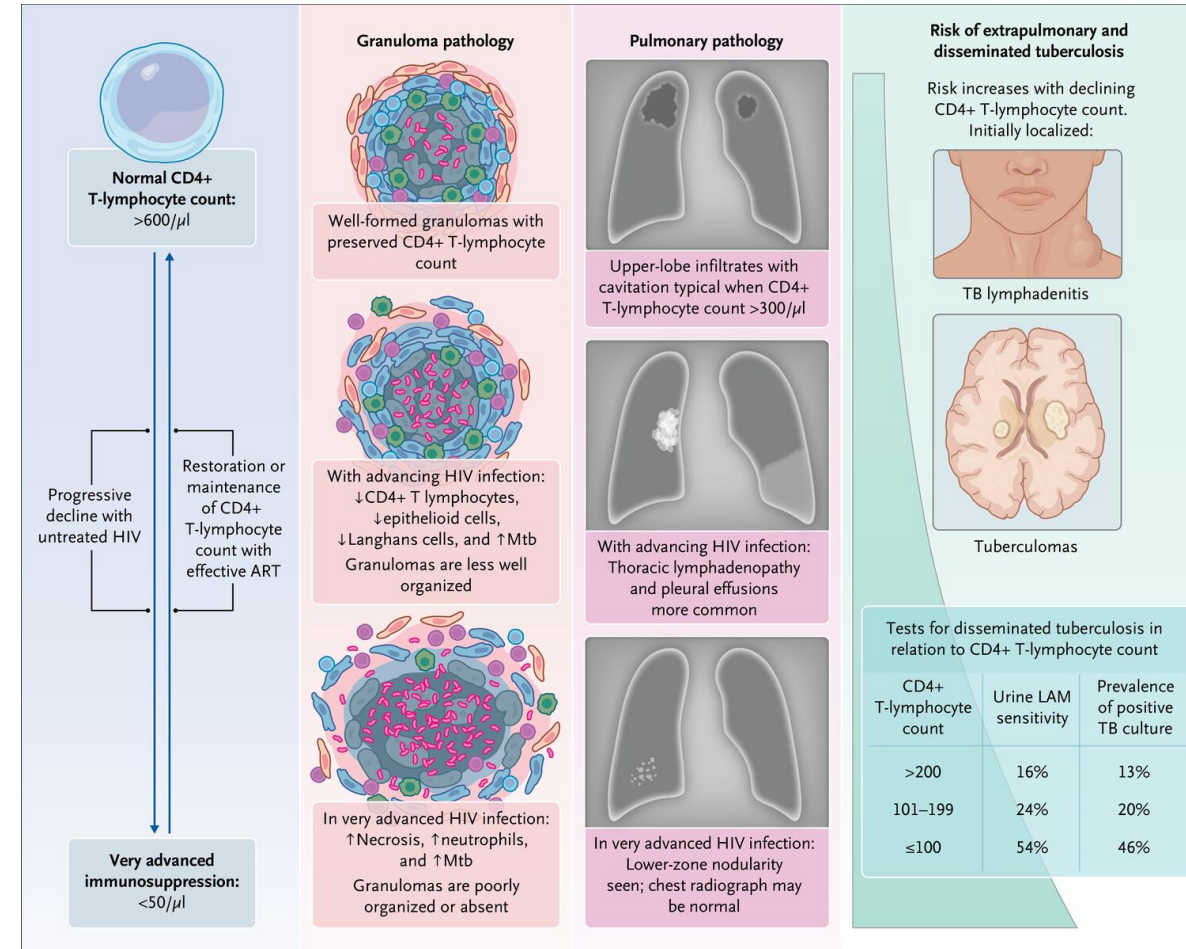
Traitement de la tuberculose infection (tuberculose latente)

- En l'absence d'arguments pour une tuberculose maladie et en l'absence de notion de traitement antérieur :
- Traitement de toute tuberculose infection chez les PVVIH originaires de zones de forte endémie, en particulier si migration ou contage récent (<2 ans) et/ou si CD4 <200/μL
- Schémas thérapeutiques possibles (selon risque d'hépatotoxicité et d'interactions avec le traitement antirétroviral) :
 - isoniazide 3-5 mg/kg/j (ou 300 mg/j), associé à de la vitamine B6, 6 mois
 - isoniazide 3-5 mg/kg/j (ou 300 mg/j), associé à de la vitamine B6 + rifampicine 10 mg/kg/j (ou 600 mg/j), 3 mois
 - rifampicine 10 mg/kg/j (ou 600 mg/j), 4 mois

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La présentation clinique de la TB est différente

- Pas d'excavations (CD4<200)
- Plus de formes disséminées et/ou sévères
- Diagnostics différentiels+++



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Le diagnostic de TB est plus difficile chez les PVVIH

- Faible sensibilité des techniques standard réalisées sur les expectorations : BAAR négatif > 50%, en particulier si CD4 bas
- Plus grande fréquence des formes extra-pulmonaires, prélèvements souvent BAAR négatifs/cultures négatives.
- Dans les pays de forte endémie TB, pas de cultures => TB non confirmée dans un grand nombre de cas avec traitement présomptifs.

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La révolution des tests d'amplification génique



GenXpert® MTB-RIF Ultra

Recommendations on Xpert MTB/RIF and Xpert Ultra as initial tests in adults and children with signs and symptoms of pulmonary TB

1. In adults with signs and symptoms of pulmonary TB, Xpert MTB/RIF should be used as an initial diagnostic test for TB and rifampicin-resistance detection in sputum rather than smear microscopy/culture and phenotypic DST.
(Strong recommendation, high certainty of evidence for test accuracy; moderate certainty of evidence for patient-important outcomes⁶)
2. In children with signs and symptoms of pulmonary TB, Xpert MTB/RIF should be used as an initial diagnostic test for TB and rifampicin-resistance detection in sputum, gastric aspirate, nasopharyngeal aspirate and stool rather than smear microscopy/culture and phenotypic DST.
(Strong recommendation, moderate certainty for accuracy in sputum; low certainty of evidence for test accuracy in gastric aspirate, nasopharyngeal aspirate and stool)

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Tests rapides « point of care » : lipoarabinomanan (LAM)

Utilisation du LAM réduit la mortalité chez les patients avec CD<50

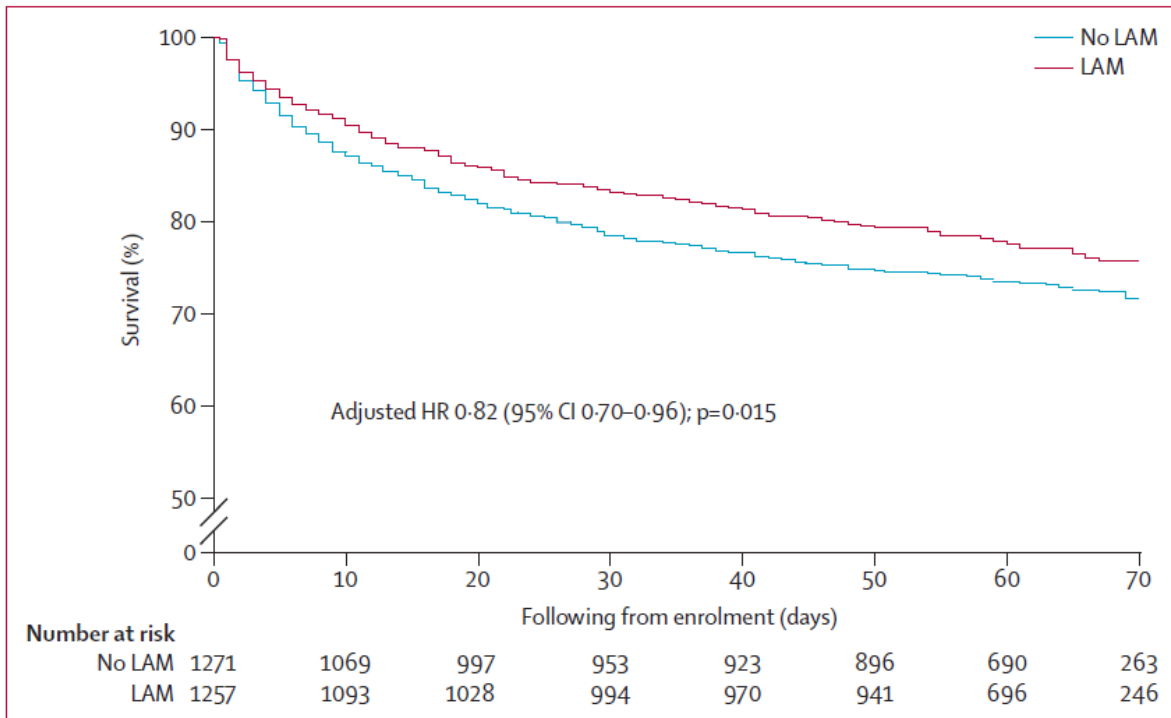


Figure 2: Time to 8-week all-cause mortality

HR=hazard ratio. LAM=lipoarabinomannan. Data are overall HRs and p values for study groups adjusted for country.

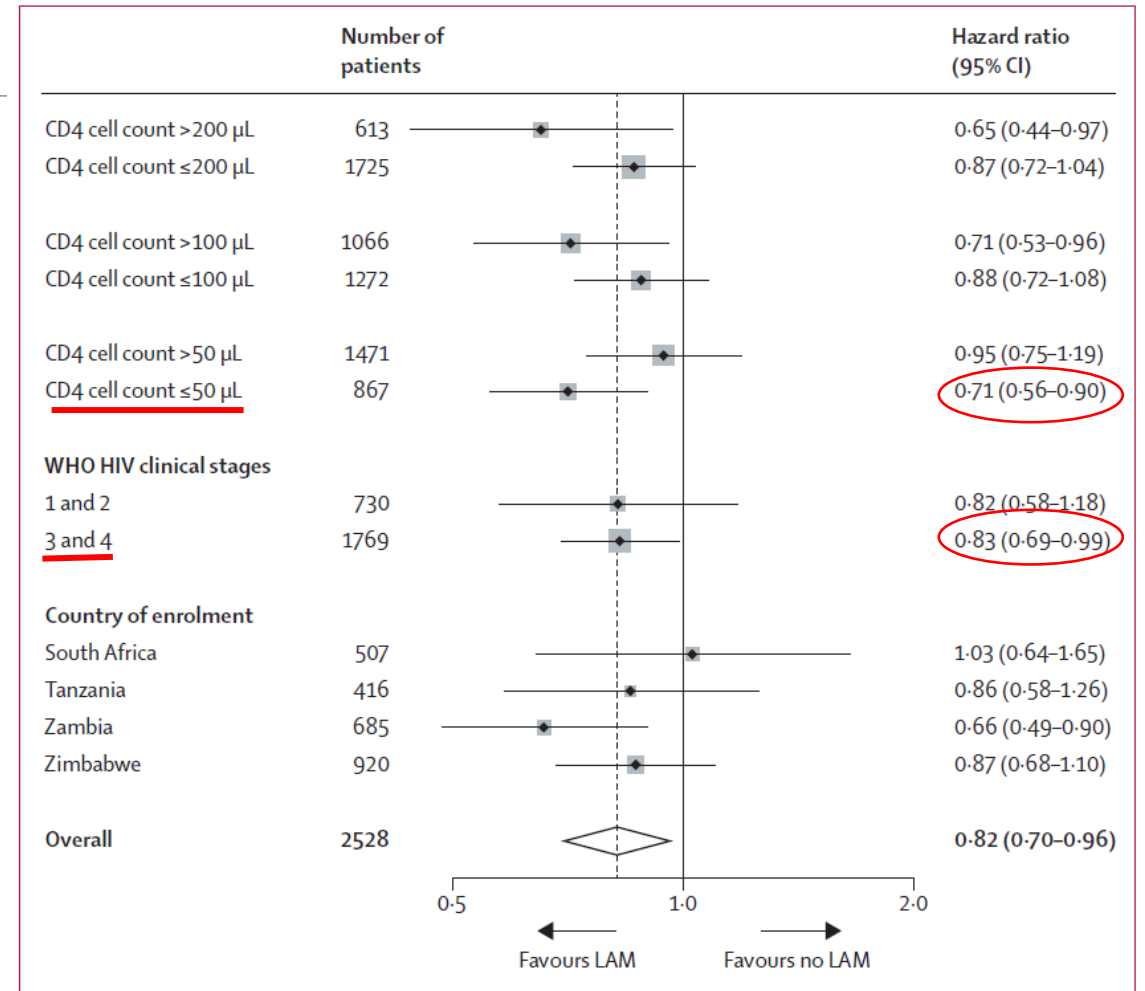
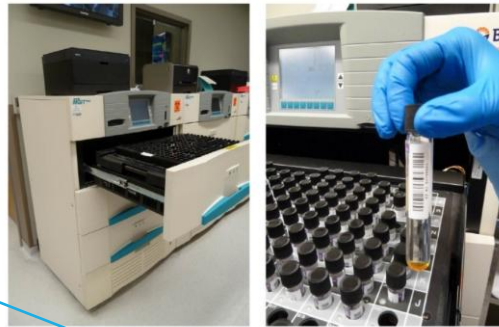
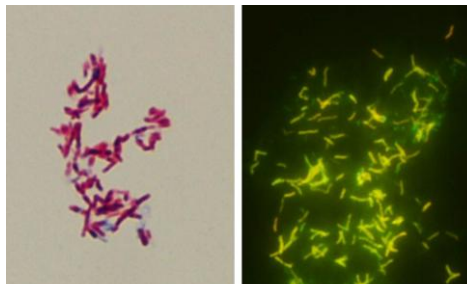


Figure 3: Effect sizes for 8-week all-cause mortality

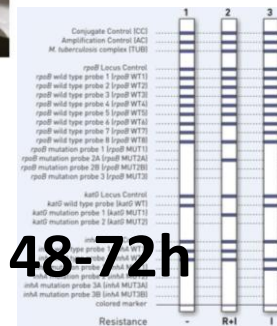
LAM=lipoarabinomannan. Data are shown for clinical and country-specific subgroups. For each subgroup, the point estimate of the hazard ratio and 95% CI is shown. Number of deaths are shown in the appendix. Lines or CI not including 1 show p values <0.05 when viewed against the relevant baseline.

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Diagnostic de la TB en France 2024



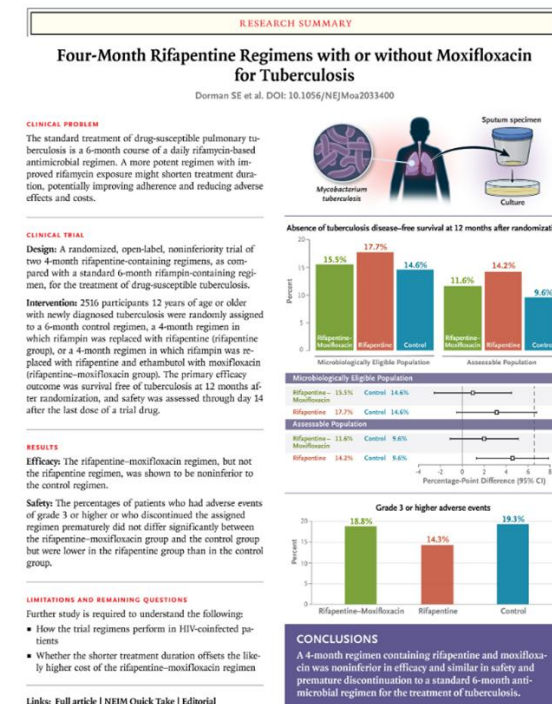
Diagnostic de résistance 48-72h



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Durée du traitement anti-TB

- Traitement standard, mêmes durées que pour les TB hors infection VIH
- Traitement court de 4 mois associant Rifapentine, moxifloxacine, isoniazide, Pyrazinamide recommandé par OMS et USA mais
 - Rifapentine non disponible en Europe
 - Critères d'exclusion de l'essai :
 - Tuberculoses extra-pulmonaires et formes graves de TB
 - CD4<100
 - Femmes enceinte



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Complexité du co-traitement

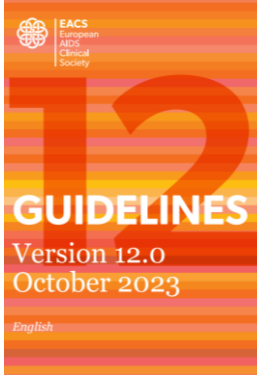
- Co-administration du TARV, anti-TB, cotrimoxazole ou traitements autres IO
 - Effets secondaires (rash, hépatotoxicité) et interruptions de traitement
 - Nombre de comprimés et difficultés pour adhésion au traitement
- Interactions médicamenteuses entre ARV et anti-TB
 - Rifampicin est un inducteur puissant des CYP450 et UGT1
 - \searrow AUC : IP/rito 57%-75%, efavirenz 26%, raltegravir \searrow 40%, dolutegravir \searrow 54%, Bictegravir \searrow 75%,
- Syndrome de restauration immunitaire (IRIS)
 - Fréquence 15-18%; facteurs de risque CD4<50/mm³ TB disséminée
 - Pronostic vital rarement en jeu mais lésions compressives



Drug-drug Interactions between Anti-tuberculosis Drugs and ARVs

Anti-tuberculosis drugs		ATV/c	ATV/r	DRV/c	DRV/r	LPV/r	DOR	EFV	ETV	NVP	RPV	FTR	MVC	LEN	BIC	CAB/ RPV	DTG	EVG/c	RAL	TAF	TDF		
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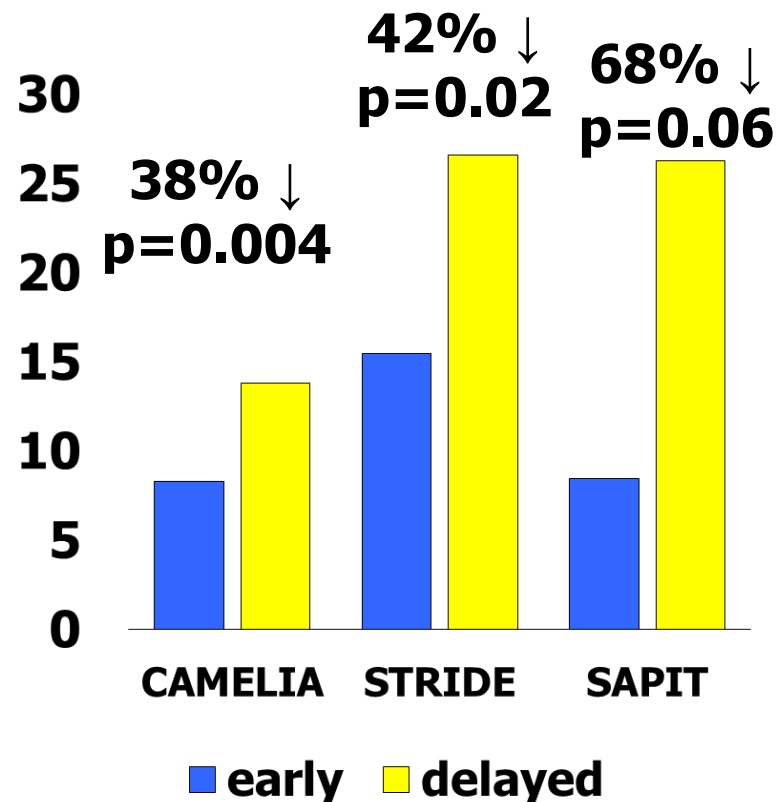
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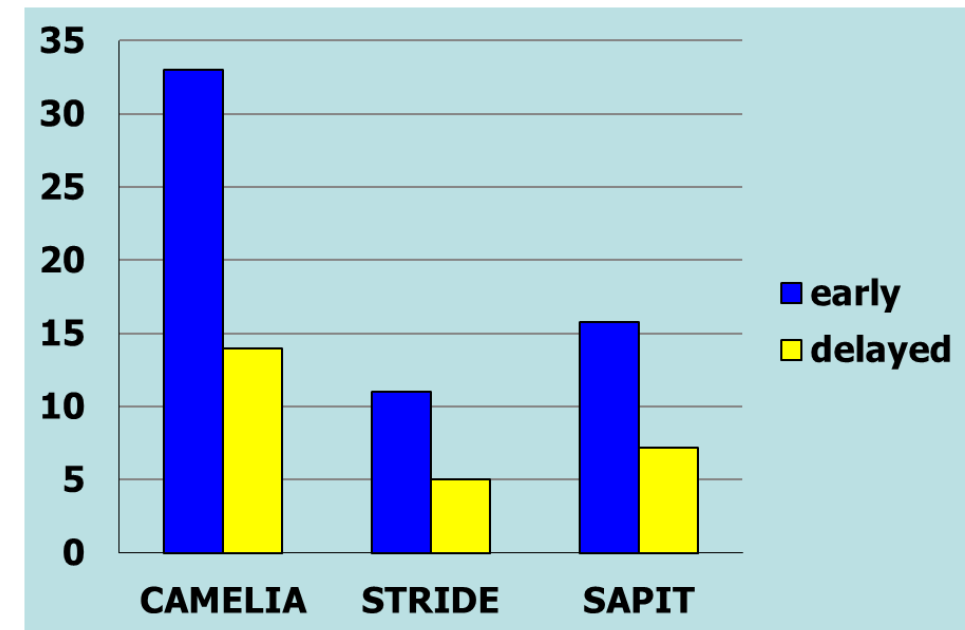
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Quand introduire les ARV : Sapit, Stride, Camélia si CD4 < 50

Réduction SIDA/mortalité



Augmentation des IRIS si traitement précoce



VIH et tuberculose

Recommandations OMS

Recommandation OMS	PVVIH sans TB	PVVIH avec TB
Avant 2018 NNRTI	Co-formulation TLE Tenofovir Lamivudine Efavirenz 600 mg	Pas d'ajustement de la dose Prise 1x/j
Depuis 2018 Inhibiteurs d'intégrase	Co-formulation TLD* Tenofovir Lamivudine Dolutegravir 50 mg	Double dose Dolutegravir: TLD + Dolutegravir 50 mg Prise 2x/j

*STR de TFX/XTC/DTG non disponible en Europe

TARV en cas de tuberculose :

Recommandations EACS 2023

Regimen	Main requirements	Footnotes (Additional guidance)
Recommended regimens with rifampicin		
2 NRTIs + INSTI		
TXF/XTC + DTG bid		I (tenofovir salts) II (DTG: dosing)
2 NRTIs + NNRTI		
TXF/XTC + EFV or TDF/FTC/EFV	At bed time or 2 hours before dinner	I (tenofovir salts) III (EFV: suicidality. HIV2 or HIV-1 group 0, dosing)
ABC/3TC + EFV	HLA-B*57:01 negative HBsAg negative HIV-VL < 100,000 copies/mL At bed time or 2 hours before dinner	IV (ABC: HLA-B*57:01) III (EFV: suicidality. HIV-2 or HIV-1 group 0, dosing)
Alternative regimens with rifampicin		
2 NRTIs + INSTI		
TXF/XTC + RAL bid		I (tenofovir salts) V (RAL: dosing)
ABC/3TC + RAL bid	HBsAg negative HLA-B*57:01 negative	IV (ABC: HLA-B*57:01) V (RAL: dosing)



Préférentiel : EFV ou DTG
RAL = alternative

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Raltegravir et TB

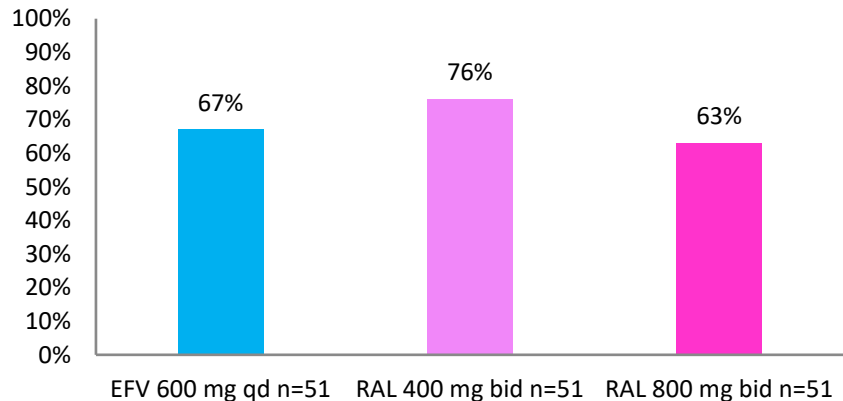
Grinsztejn *et al.* Lancet HIV 2014

Raltegravir for the treatment of patients co-infected with HIV and tuberculosis (ANRS 12 180 Replate TB): a multicentre, phase 2, non-comparative, open-label, randomised trial



Beatriz Grinsztejn, Nathalie De Castro, Vincent Arnold, Valdiléa G Veloso, Mariza Morgado, José Henrique Pilotto, Carlos Brites, José Valdez Madruga, Nêmora Tregnago Barcellos, Breno Riegel Santos, Carla Vorsatz, Catherine Fagard, Marília Santini-Oliveira, Olivier Patay, Constance Delaugerre, Geneviève Chêne, Jean-Michel Molina, for the ANRS 12 180 Replate TB study group*

% pts with HIV RNA < 50 copies/mL at W48



De Castro *et al.* Lancet HIV 2021

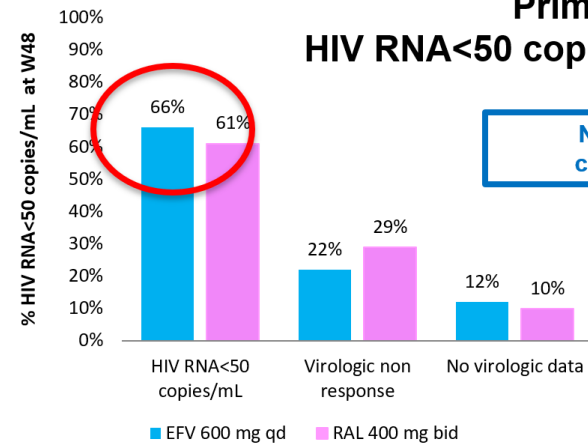
Standard dose raltegravir or efavirenz-based antiretroviral treatment for patients co-infected with HIV and tuberculosis (ANRS 12 300 Replate TB 2): an open-label, non-inferiority, randomised, phase 3 trial



Nathalie De Castro*, Olivier Marcy*, Corine Chazallon, Eugène Messou, Serge Eholié, Jean-Baptiste N'takpe, Nilesh Bhatt, Celso Khosa, Isabel Timana Massango, Didier Laureillard, Giang Do Chau, Anaïs Domergue, Valdilea Veloso, Rodrigo Escada, Sandra Wagner Cardoso, Constance Delaugerre, Xavier Anglaret, Jean-Michel Molina, Beatriz Grinsztejn, for the ANRS 12300 Replate TB2 study group†

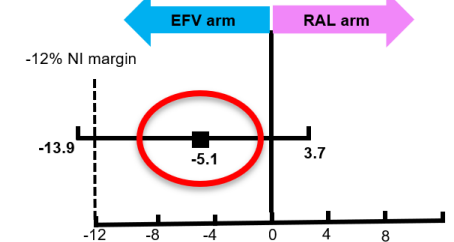
Summary

Primary endpoint ITT : HIV RNA < 50 copies/mL at W48 (FDA snapshot)



Non-inferiority criteria not met

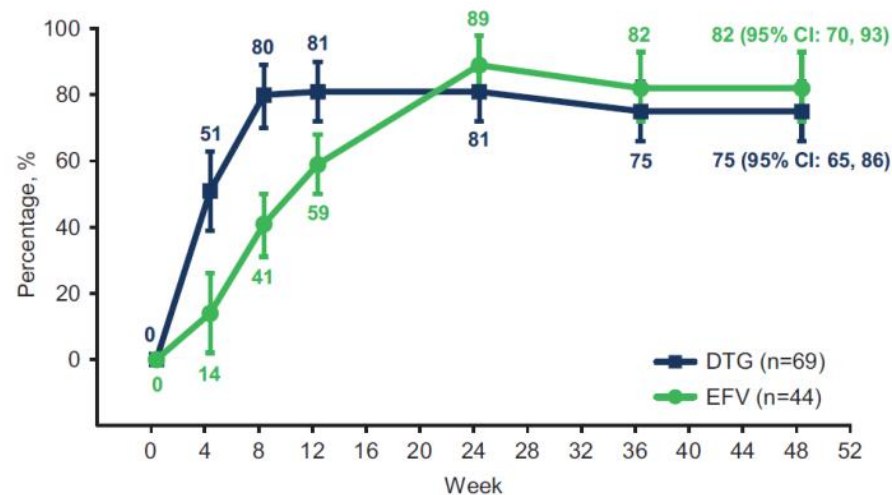
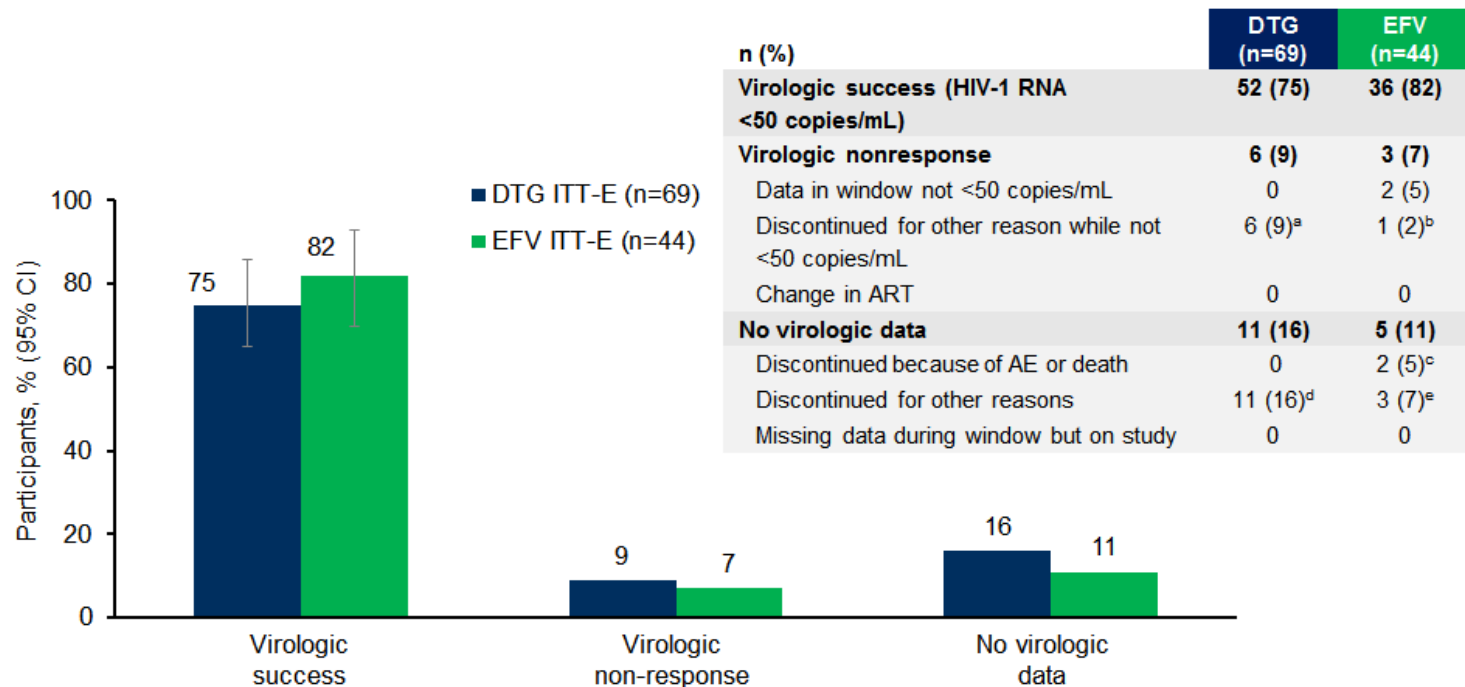
Treatment Difference (95% CI): RAL - EFV



Interaction entre RAL et RIF plus faible qu'observe chez les volontaires sains

Tolérance globalement bonne mais 2 épisodes d'hépatite sévère sous raltegravir 800 mg arm

Dolutegravir et tuberculose INSPIRING Study



^aDTG: discontinued for other reasons while not <50 copies/mL: 3 lost to follow-up; 2 withdrawal of consent; 1 pregnancy.

^bEFV: discontinued for other reasons while not <50 copies/mL: 1 lost to follow-up.

^cEFV: discontinued due to AE: 1 EFV hypersensitivity; 1 increased gamma-glutamyltransferase.

^dDTG: No virologic data/Discontinued for other reasons: 7 lost to follow-up; 2 pregnancies; 1 physician decision; 1 withdrawal of consent.

^eEFV: No virologic data/Discontinued for other reasons: 2 lost to follow-up; 1 withdrawal of consent (patient relocated).

Dooley et al. 22nd International AIDS Conference; Amsterdam, the Netherlands. Slides TUAB0206.

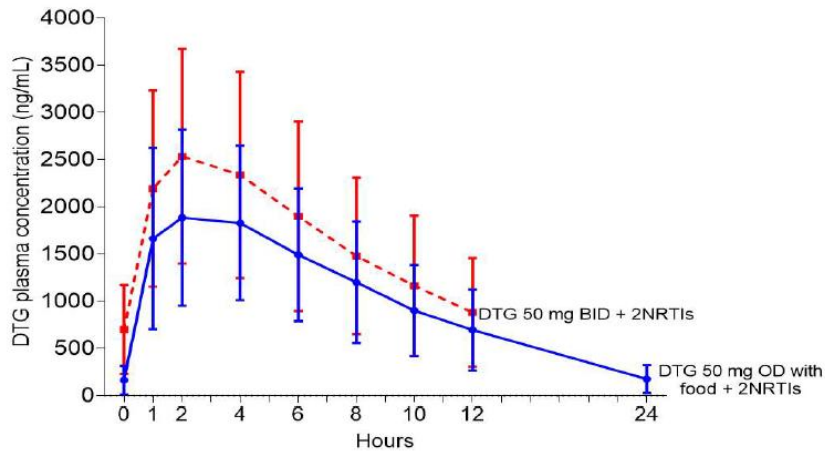
22nd International AIDS Conference; July 23-27, 2018; Amsterdam, the Netherlands

Dolutegravir et tuberculose

Dolutegravir à dose standard ou double dose (LMICs)

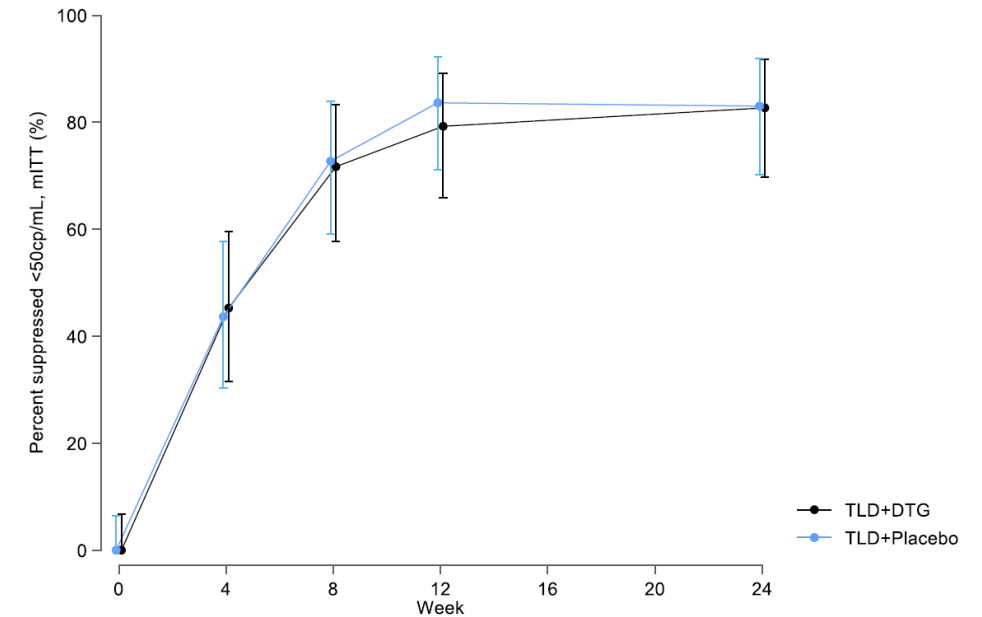
HIV NAT 254 (Thaïlande)

Figure 2. 24 hour pharmacokinetic time-curve of dolutegravir plasma concentrations



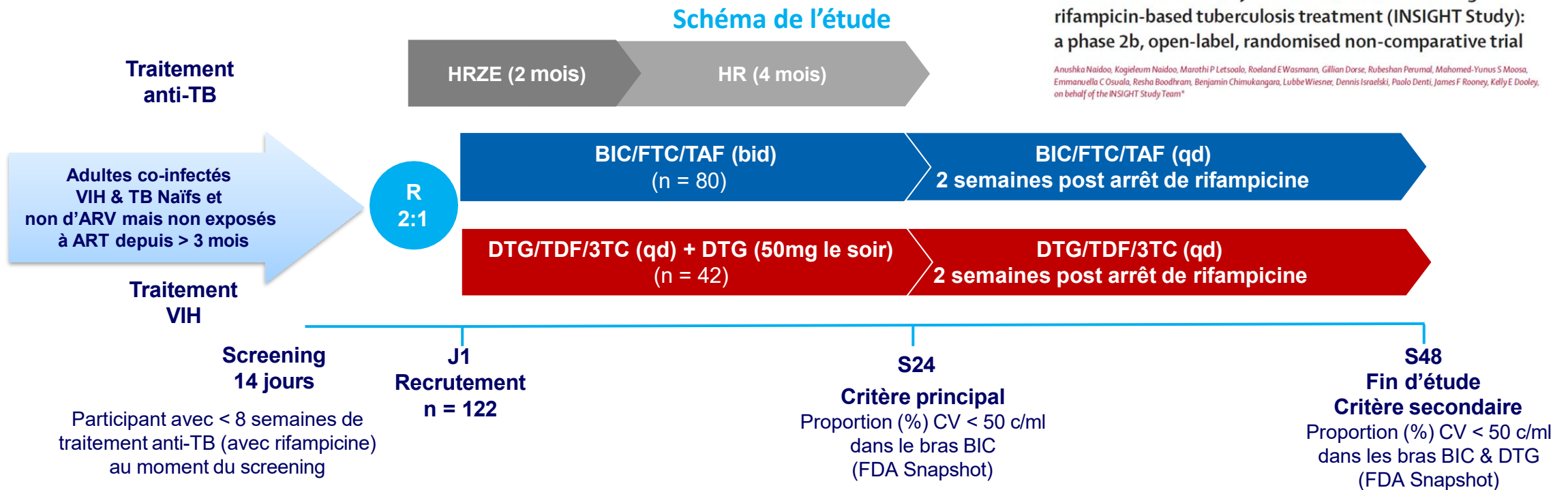
Radiant (Afrique du Sud)

Figure 2: Virological suppression over time (HIV-1 RNA <50 copies/mL) by mITT analysis



Essai INSIGHT CAPRISA 093 : PK et tolérance de BIC/FTC/TAF bid associé à un traitement anti-TB avec rifampicine (1)

- Objectif** : efficacité, tolérance et PK d'un schéma en 2 prises quotidiennes de BIC/FTC/TAF chez des adultes co-infectés VIH et TB (**CD4+ >50 cells/ μ L**), recevant un traitement anti-TB contenant rifampicine



Fixed-dose combination bictegravir–emtricitabine–tenofovir alafenamide twice-daily for treatment of HIV during rifampicin-based tuberculosis treatment (INSIGHT Study): a phase 2b, open-label, randomised non-comparative trial

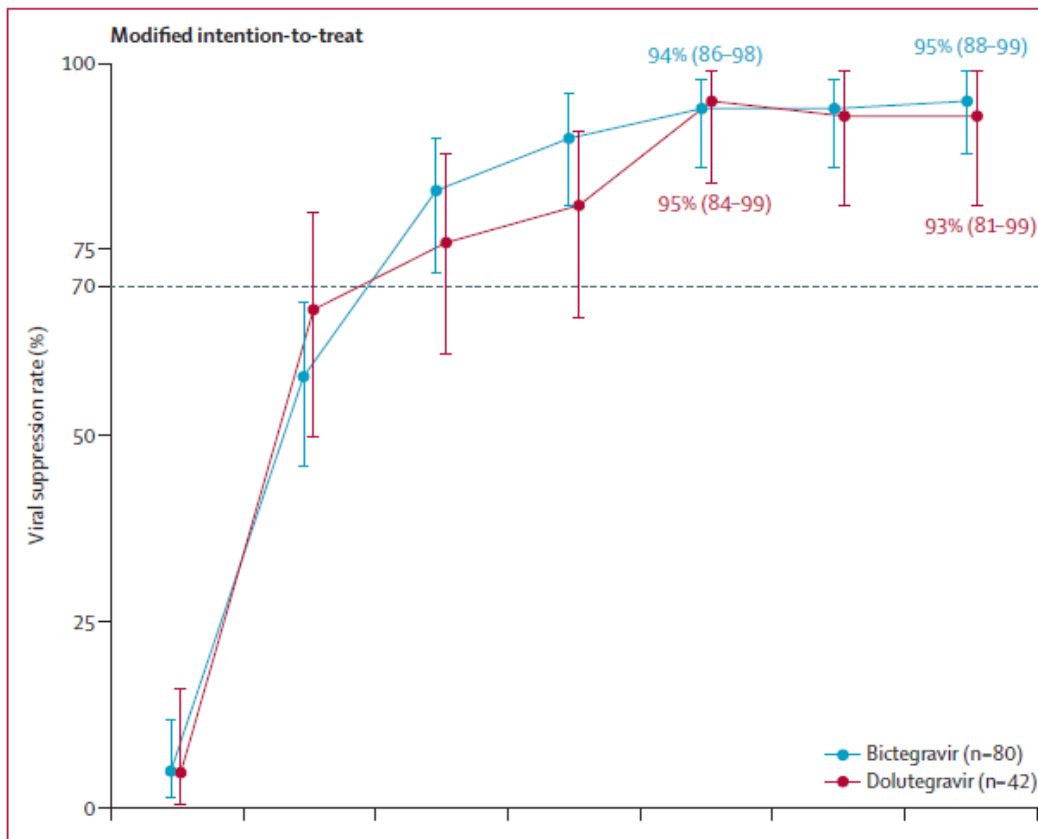
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HRZE : isoniazide + rifampicine + pyrazinamide + ethambutol
 HR : isoniazide + rifampicine

NNaidoo A, Lancet HIV 2026
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Critère de jugement principal CV < 50 c/ml à S24 (%) selon le bras de randomisation (FDA snapshot ; IC 95 %)



- **Médiane de changement de CD4 (IQR) /mm³ à S24**
 - BIC : 96 (35 - 137)
 - DTG : 69 (27 - 122)
- **Effets indésirables sévères**
 - BIC : n = 9 (11 %)
 - DTG : n = 3 (7 %)
- **Effets indésirables de grade 3 et 4**
 - Grade 3 : BIC : n = 30 (38 %) et DTG n = 15 (36 %)
 - Grade 4 : BIC : n = 6 (8 %) et DTG n = 6 (14 %)
- **Effets indésirables de grade 3 et 4 (biologiques hépatiques)**
 - Grade 3 : BIC : n = 3 (4 %) et DTG n = 3 (7 %)
 - Grade 4 : BIC : n = 1 (1 %) et DTG n = 0 (0 %)

- La suppression virologique était élevée et similaire à S24 entre les bras BIC/F/TAF bid et DTG/3TC/TDF + DTG qd
- Aucun EI engendrant un arrêt de la stratégie, un retrait de consentement ou un switch des traitements de l'étude

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VIH et tuberculose

Formes graves de TB

Quelles stratégies pour diminuer la mortalité?

- Traitement anti-TB préemptif chez patients profondément immunodéprimés sans TB documentée
- Intensification du traitement antibiotique :
 - fortes doses Rifampicine ou Isoniazide
 - Ajout d'une autre molécule : fluoroquinolones, linézolide
- Traitement immunomodulateur (sepsis +/- prévention IRIS)
 - Corticoïdes fortes doses dans TB méningée
 - Corticoïdes doses « modérées » dans TB disséminée
 - Anti-TNF et TB méningée

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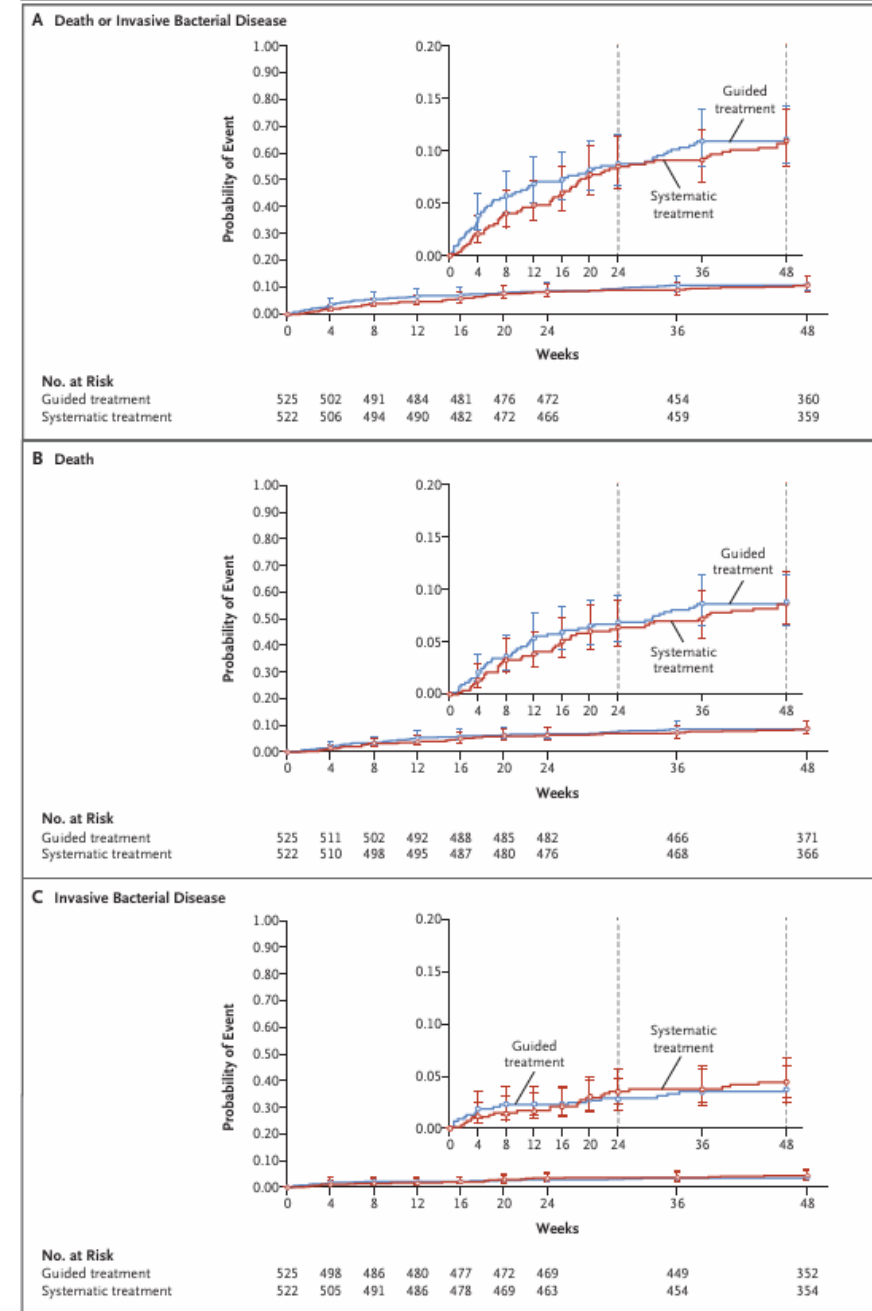


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Pas de différence de mortalité

Diminution du risque de TB mais au prix d'une toxicité hépatique élevée



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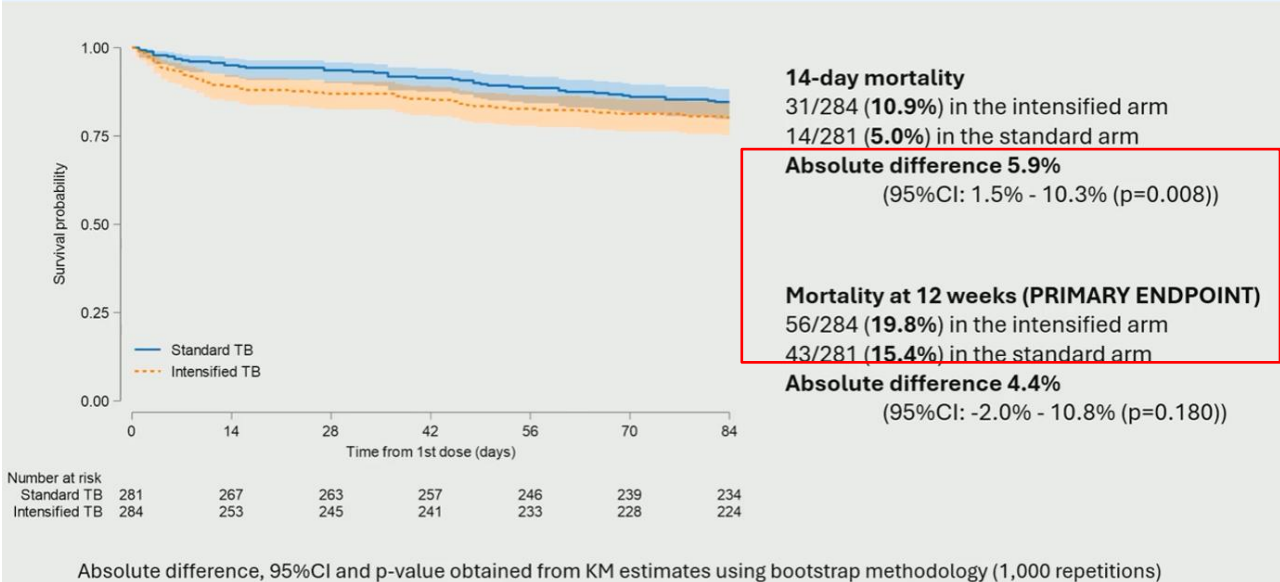
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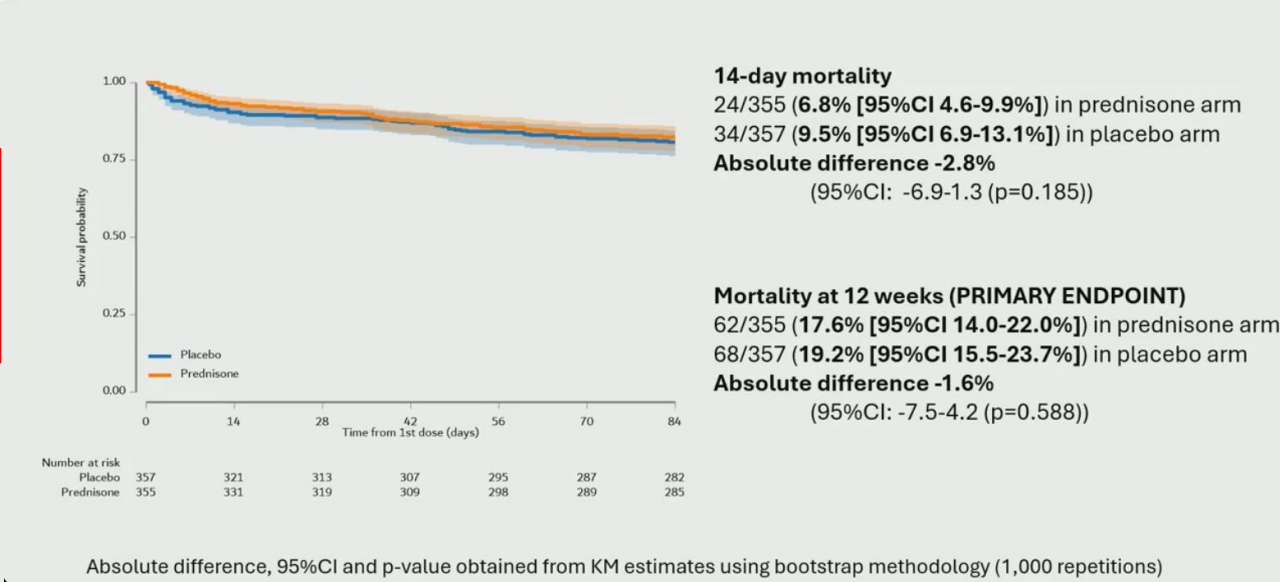
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Mortality at 2 and 12 weeks



Mortality: Prednisone vs placebo



CD4 :40-46/mm³

LAM + : 68%; Urine Xpert 81-85%; TB blood culture 20-25%

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- Intensification du traitement antibiotique et corticoïdes :

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INTENSIFICATION OF TUBERCULOSIS TREATMENT IN SEVERELY IMMUNOCOMPROMISED HIV-INFECTED INDIVIDUALS

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STUDY DESIGN



- Phase III multicenter, 2 arms, open-label randomized controlled superiority trial
- 6 countries: Cambodia, Cameroon, Guinea, Mozambique, Uganda & Zambia

Intensified TB treatment (intervention arm)

Standard TB treatment (control arm)

Initial Phase for 8 weeks

Rifampicin (R) 35±5 mg/kg daily
Isoniazid (H) 10±2 mg/kg daily
Pyrazinamide (Z) 20-30 mg/kg daily
Ethambutol (E) 15-20 mg/kg daily
Corticosteroid treatment for 6 weeks
Albendazole 400 mg once a day for 3 days

vs.

Initial Phase for 8 weeks

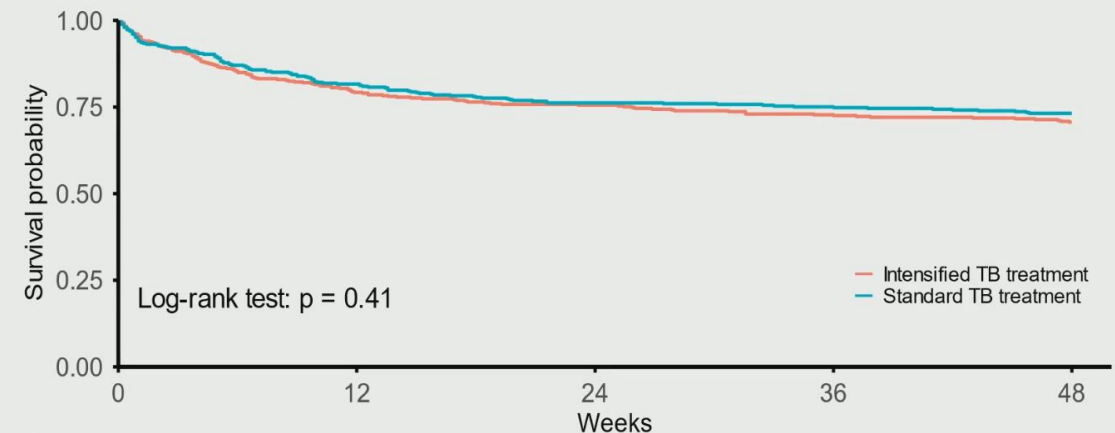
RHZE: Standard dose

Both arms:

- Continuation Phase: RH standard dose for 16 weeks.
- At Week 2: ART initiation (tenofovir/lamivudine + dolutegravir double-dose).



PRIMARY ENDPOINT



Number at risk

	0	12	24	36	48
Intensified TB treatment	454	343	327	314	261
Standard TB treatment	454	361	334	326	269

Weeks

CD4 :44/mm³

LAM + : 26%

Sputum Xpert + 70%

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TBM prouvée 41% , probable 49%

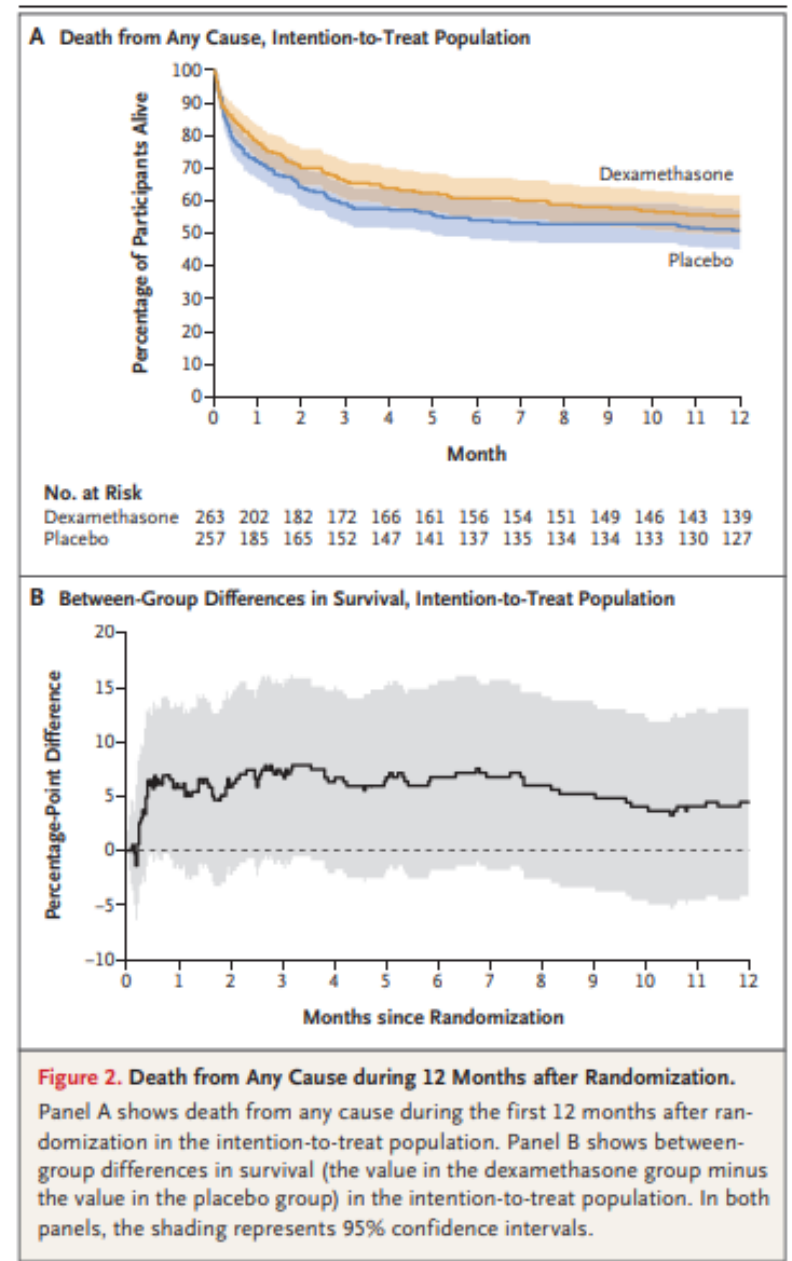
MRC 2 ou 3 : 62%

70% <100 CD4

52% avec CD4<50

50 % naïfs ARV

!/ 26% de corticothérapie en ouvert



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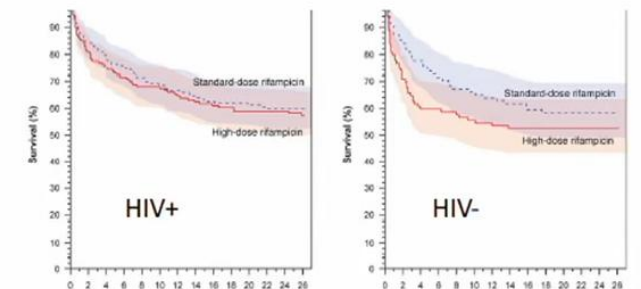
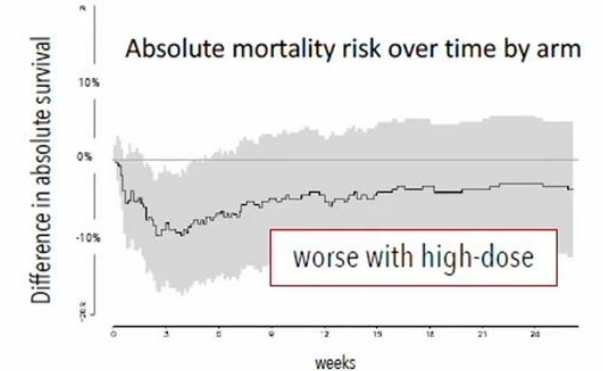
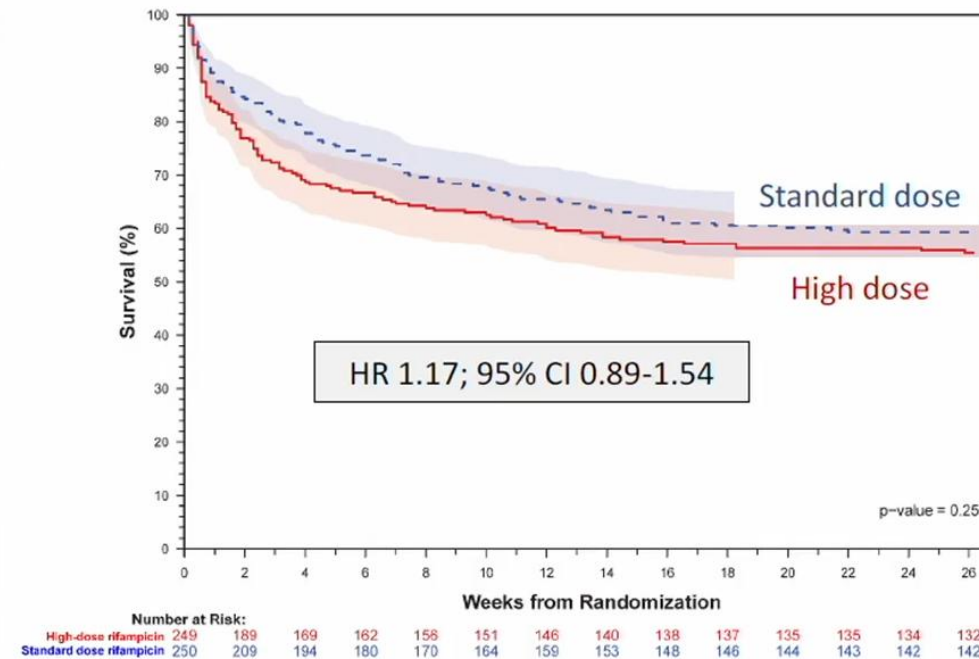
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- 80% MRC grade 2/3
- 61% HIV-infected
(41% on ART, 51% < 100 CD4)
- 47.5% confirmed TB
- 20.5% had < 5 CSF leukocytes
- 70% had received TB drugs at time of randomization (~ 3 days)



Conclusions et perspectives

En absence d'immunodepression:

- Présentation identiques aux immunocompétents

En cas de deficit immunitaire:

- Formes plus graves et disséminées, diagnostic plus difficile
- IRIS
- Diagnostics différentiels

Durée et type de traitement anti-TB ne diffèrent pas des immunocompétents

Complexité du traitement, même avec ARV “modernes”

Conclusions et perspectives

Efavirenz reste la molécule la mieux évaluée dans essais de phase III

Pas d'essais de phase III évaluant dolutegravir ou bictegravir

- Risque de diminution de l'adhésion au TARV en cas de prise 2x/jour
- Conséquences sur émergence de résistance peu documentées

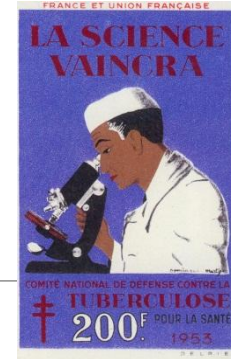
Traitement pré-emptif, intensification et corticoïdes dans formes graves: déception..

Bictegravir: Pas de données si CD4<50

Perspectives à court/moyen terme

- Traitements sans rifamycines: pas d'interactions significatives entre ARV et bedaquilline/moxiflo/liné/delamanide
- Traitements avec rifapentine: mêmes interactions avec ART que la RIF
- Importance des données vie réelle
- Quelles Nouvelles stratégies pour formes graves ???

INH /immunocompétents : Alaska



ETUDES À BETHEL: INUITS, ALASKA

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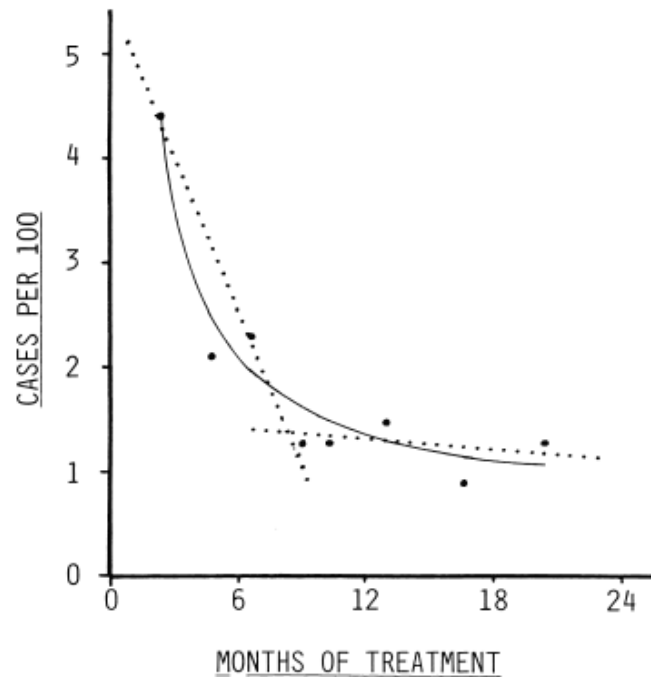


Figure Tuberculosis case rates (%) in the Bethel Isoniazid Studies population according to the number of months isoniazid was taken in the combined programs. Dots represent observed values; thin line, the calculated curve ($y = a + bx$); and dotted lines, the calculated values based on the first four and last five observations ($y = a + bx$).

1957-1959: ESSAI RANDOMISÉ

INH VS PLACEBO

Contacts de patients avec TB

12 mois de traitement, 5 ans de suivi

60% de réduction de l'incidence effet durable

Risque annuel est passé de 8% à 0,5%

Pas de bénéfice à traitement plus long (12 mois)

Effet similaire si dose prise estimée entre 40 et 100%=>influence sur recommandations ultérieures de 6 mois d'INH

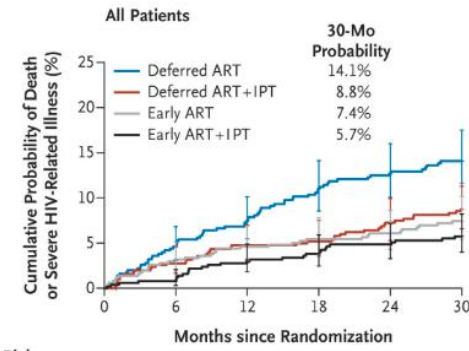
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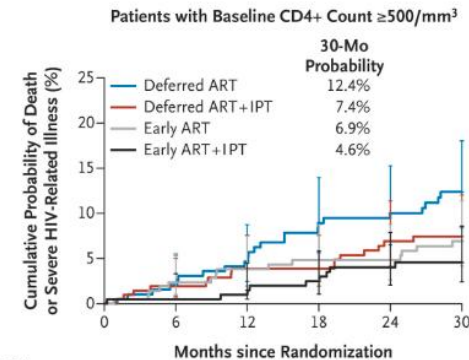
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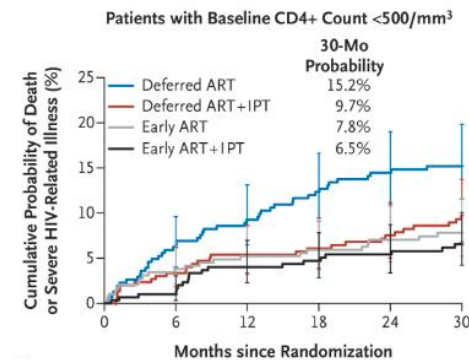
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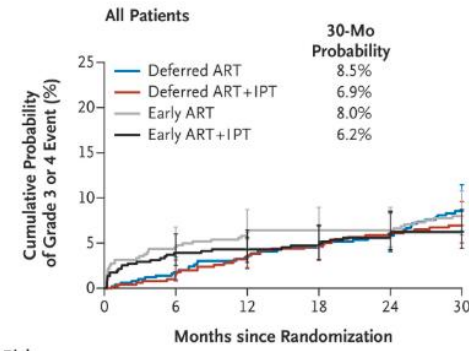
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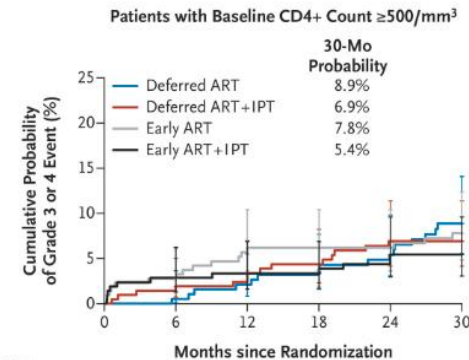
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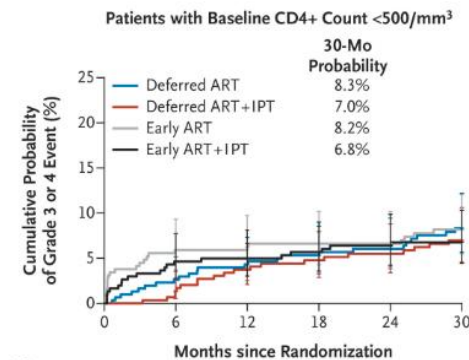
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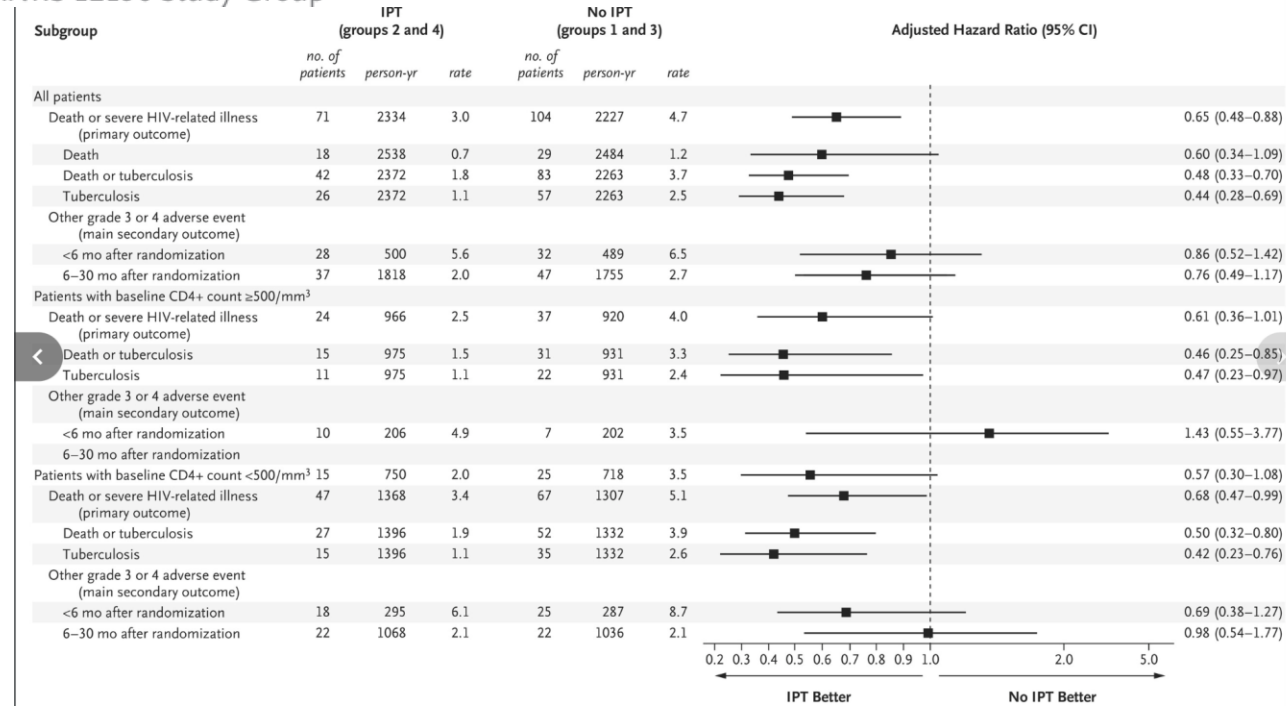
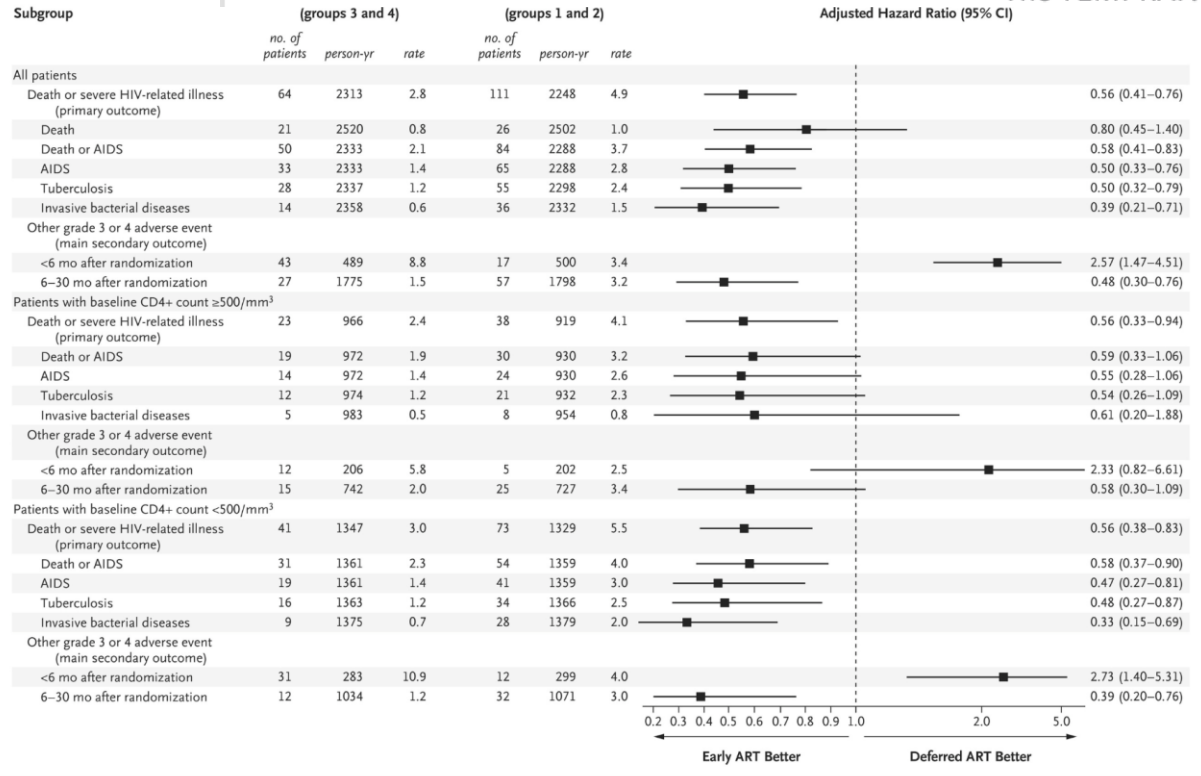


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- Intensification du traitement antibiotique et corticoïdes :

NewStrat-TB trial: RCT with 2 x 2 factorial design

Hospitalised adults
Disseminated
HIV-TB

3 hospitals in Cape Town
Started 11 August 2021

Standard TB treatment +
Prednisone 14 days

Standard TB treatment +
Placebo 14 days

Intensified TB treatment +
Prednisone 14 days

Intensified TB treatment +
Placebo 14 days

Intensified TB treatment
Standard TB treatment with
Rif 35 mg/kg + Levofloxacin
750 mg < 46 kg, 1000 mg ≥ 46 kg

Prednisone 1.5mg/kg/day

From Day 15 - all receive
standard TB treatment
to 6 months

**Primary endpoint:
12-week all-cause mortality**

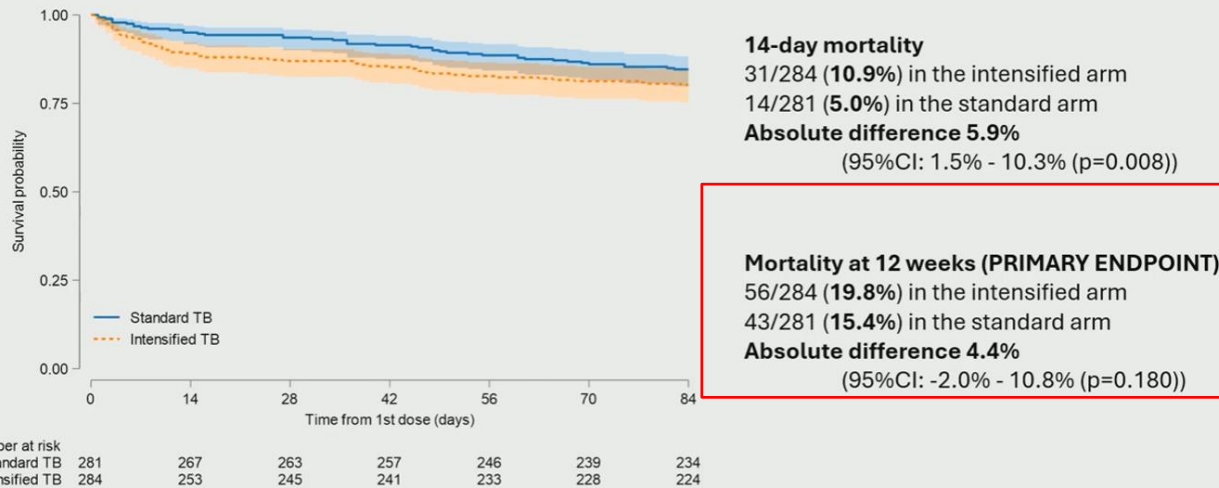
Target sample size = 732. Powered to demonstrate
relative reduction in mortality of 32% at 12 weeks
(28% to 19% absolute reduction)⁴

<https://clinicaltrials.gov/study/NCT04951986>

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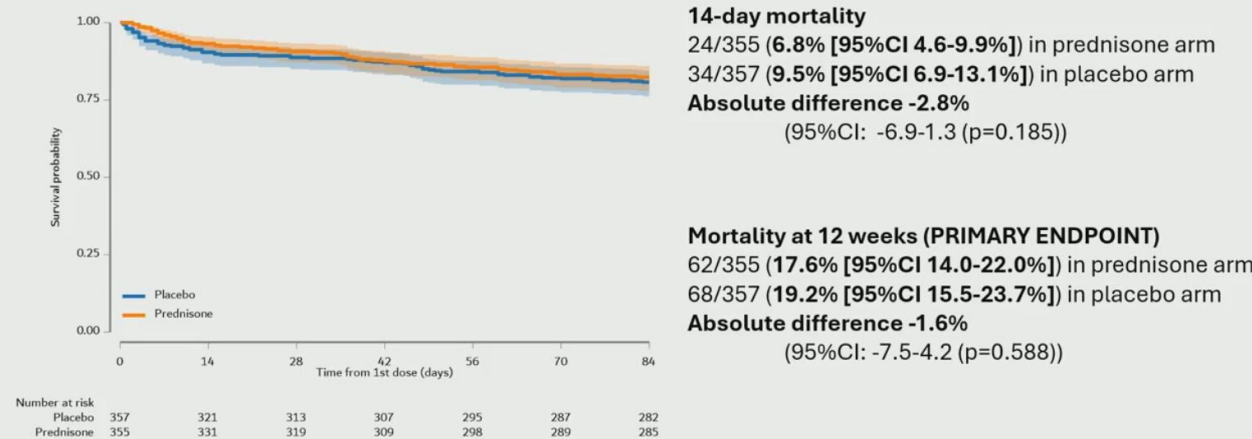
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Mortality at 2 and 12 weeks



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Mortality: Prednisone vs placebo



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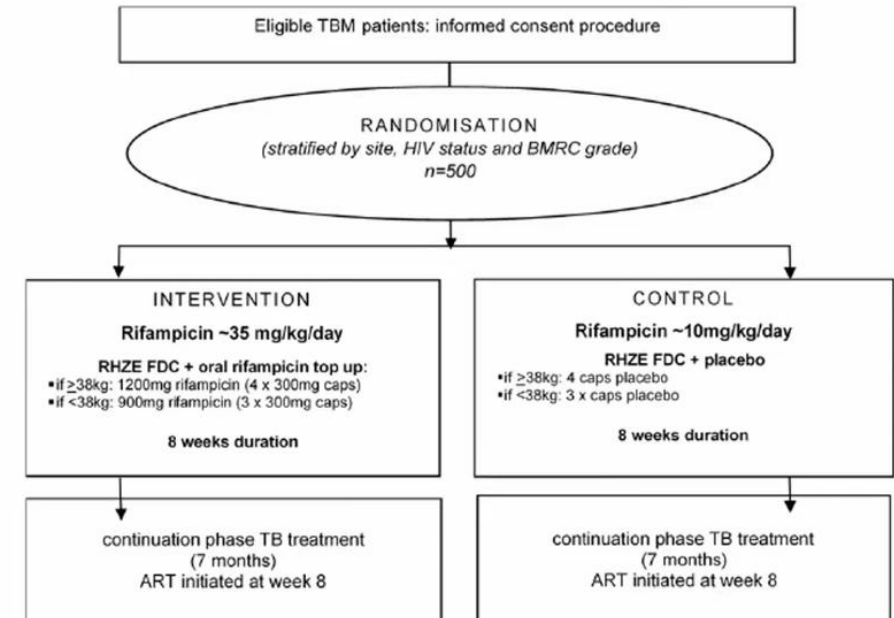
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HARVEST trial design

Double-blinded, placebo controlled
Eligible: microbiologically confirmed / clinically diagnosed
Exclusion: confirmed other Dx; > 5 days TB therapy; protease-inh
All receive standard dose H, Z, E + steroids
Intervention: Rifampicin 35mg/kg/day weeks 0-8
(FDC + 4 pills 300 mg Rif if ≥ 38 kg, + 3 pills if < 38 kg)
Control: Rif 10mg/kg/day + placebo
(FDC + 4 pills placebo if ≥ 38 kg, + 3 pills if < 38 kg)
Stratification by site, HIV status and BMRC (severity) grade

Primary endpoint: 6-month mortality
Powered for 13% absolute survival benefit and 5% LTFU
Secondary endpoints:
12-mth mortality, functional outcomes, safety, days of hospitalization, drug discontinuation, rehospitalization for neurological deterioration, management DILI
other: PK-PD; cost-effectiveness



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