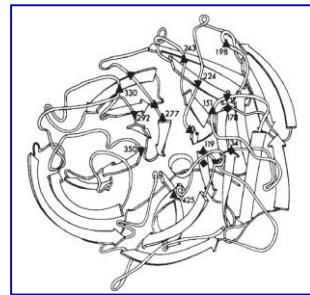
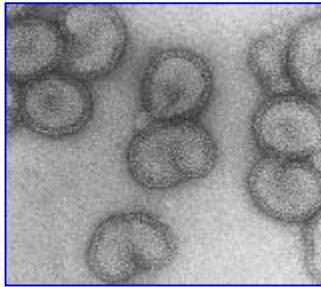


Introduction aux Antiviraux

« Qu'est ce qu'un antiviral ? »



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Pas de lien d'intérêt pour cet exposé

Antiviraux : un peu d'histoire



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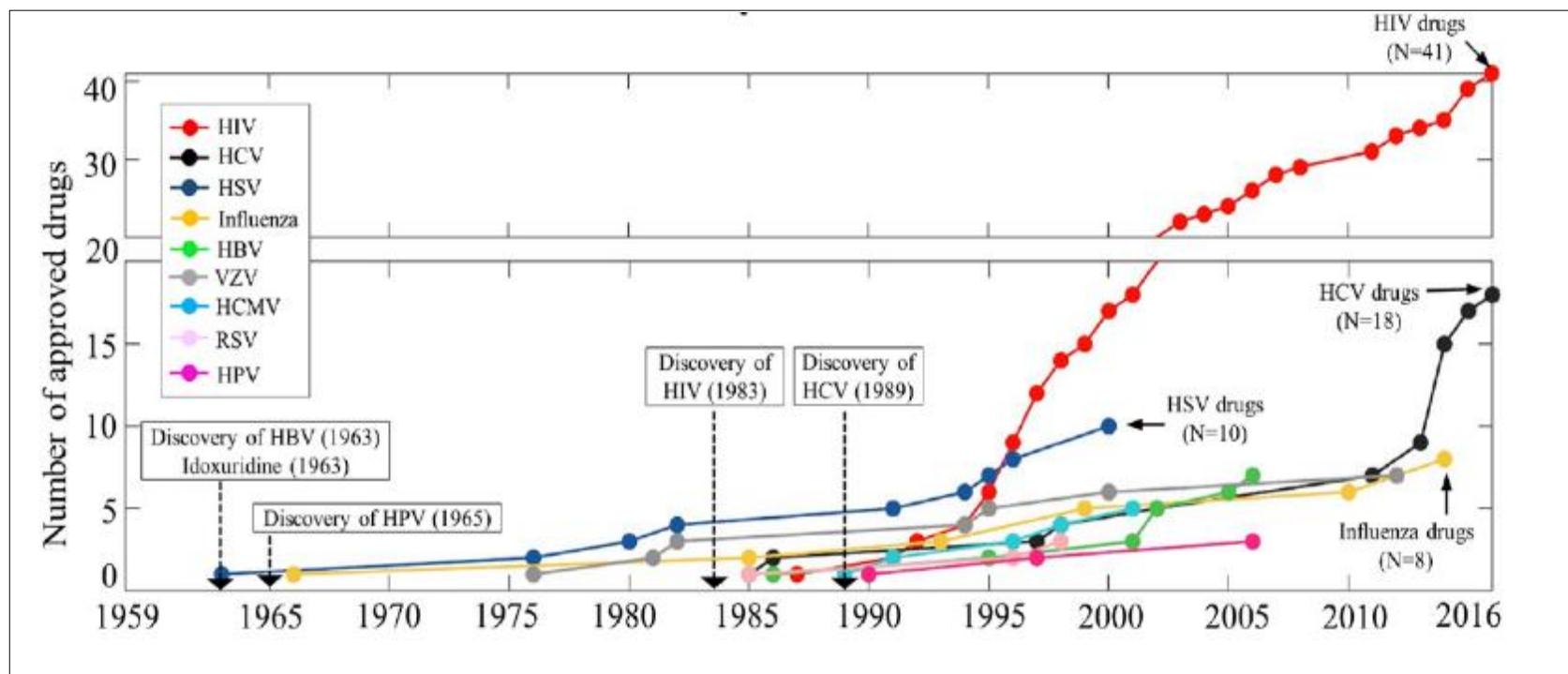


Approved Antiviral Drugs over the Past 50 Years

Erik De Clercq,^a Guangdi Li^{a,b} 2016

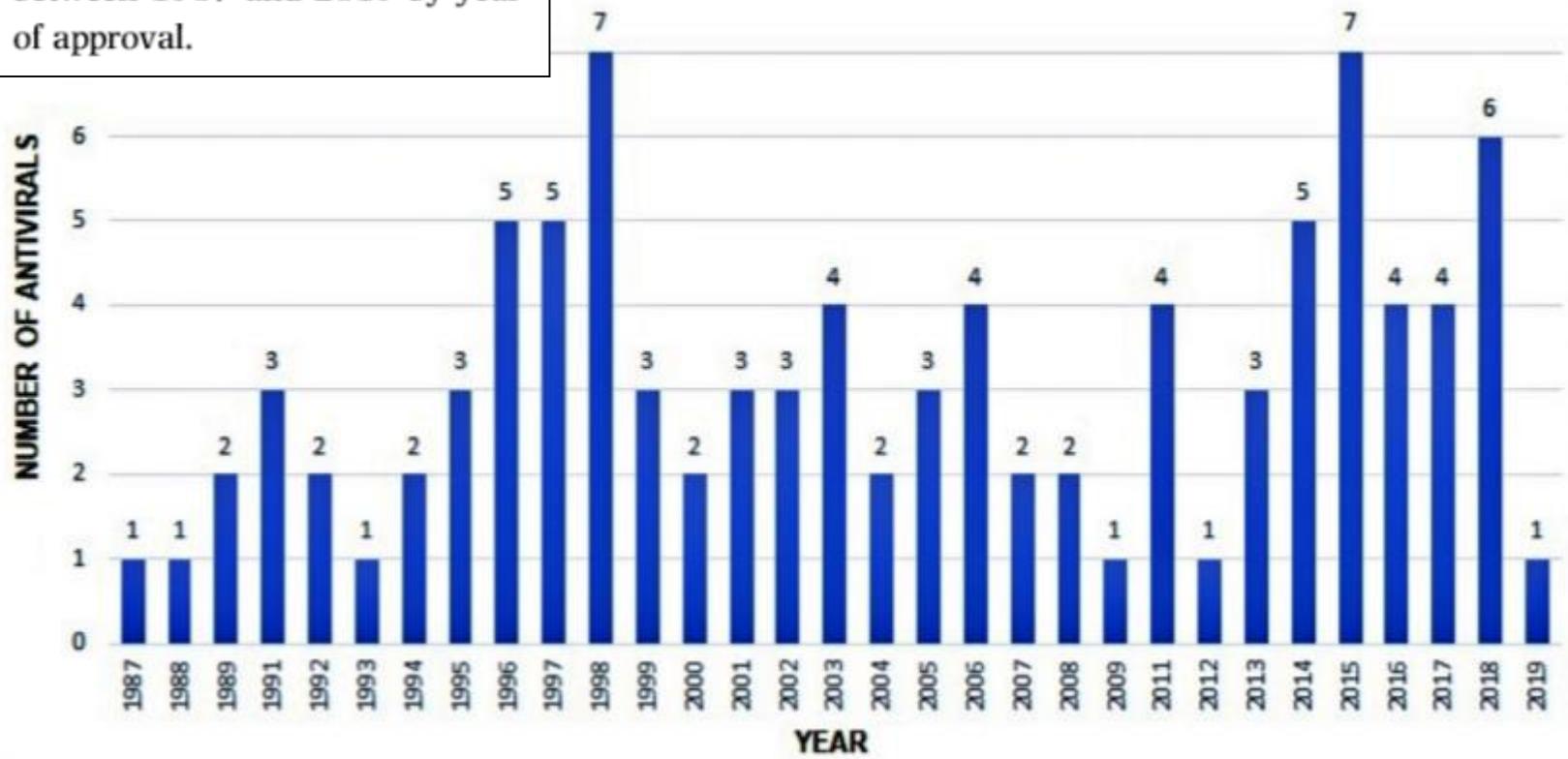
1963 : Premier antiviral mis sur le marché chez l'homme: Idoxuridine

- . tt local de la kératite herpétique
- . analogue deoxyuridine décrit en 1959 (antitumoral)
- . tjs sur le marché



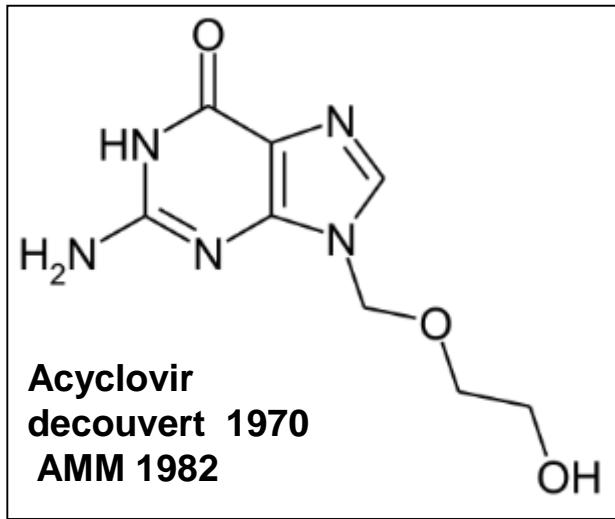
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Figure 2 FDA-approved antivirals between 1987 and 2019 by year of approval.



96 FDA-approved antivirals between 1987 and 2019,
of which 49 are anti-HIV, followed by 17 anti-HCV,
five anti-influenza, one anti-RSV, six anti-CMV, eight anti-HBV, four anti-HPV and
six anti-HSV drugs.

Antiviraux : les belles histoires



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Review

40 Years after the Registration of Acyclovir: Do We Need New Anti-Herpetic Drugs?

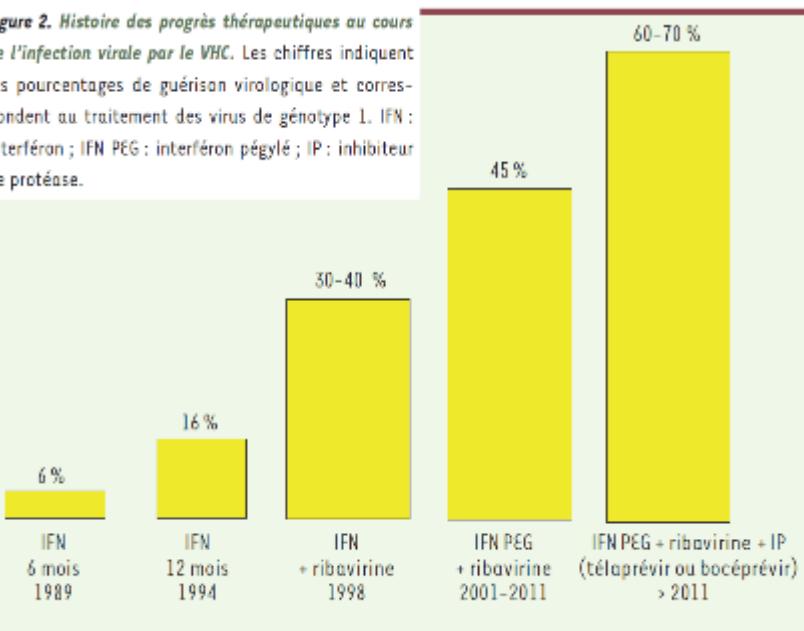
Anna Majewska ^{1,†} and Beata Mlynarczyk-Bonikowska ^{2,*†}

Antiviraux : les belles victoires



médecine/sciences 2018 ; 29 : 998-1008

Figure 2. Histoire des progrès thérapeutiques au cours de l'infection virale par le VHC. Les chiffres indiquent les pourcentages de guérison virologique et correspondent au traitement des virus de génotype 1. IFN : interféron ; IFN PEG : interféron pégylé ; IP : inhibiteur de protéase.



Virus de l'hépatite C 25 ans, la fin de l'histoire ?

Stanislas Pol

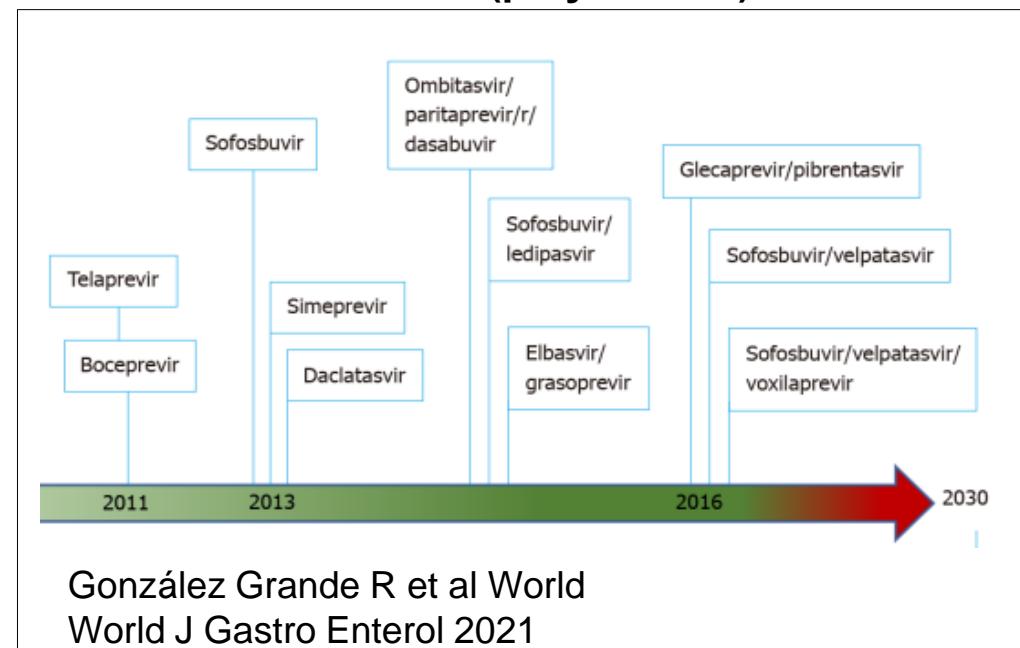
Antiviraux à action directe

~ 95 -100 % de guérison en 2020

...previr : anti protéase

...asvir : anti NS5A

...buvir : anti NS5B (polymérase)



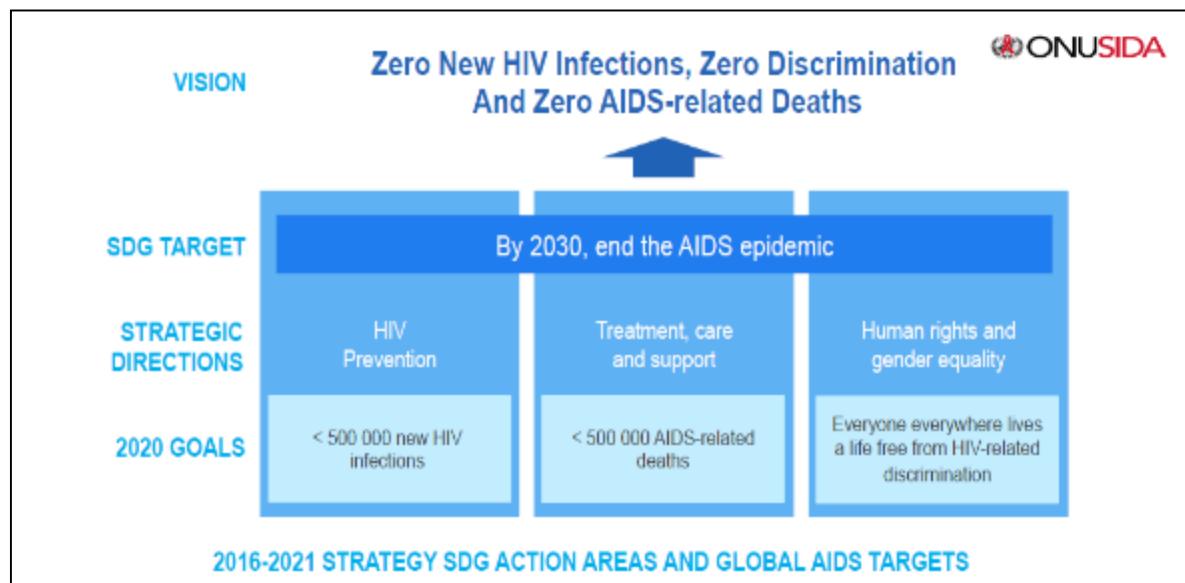
González Grande R et al World World J Gastro Enterol 2021

Objectif OMS : éradication HCV en 2030

Antiviraux : les belles victoires



Long-term retention in care and maintenance of successful antiretroviral therapy allow persons with HIV infection to have a near-normal life span and virtually eliminate transmission of HIV to others
Saag MS New Engl J Med 2021



Antiviraux : les belles victoires ... qui tardent

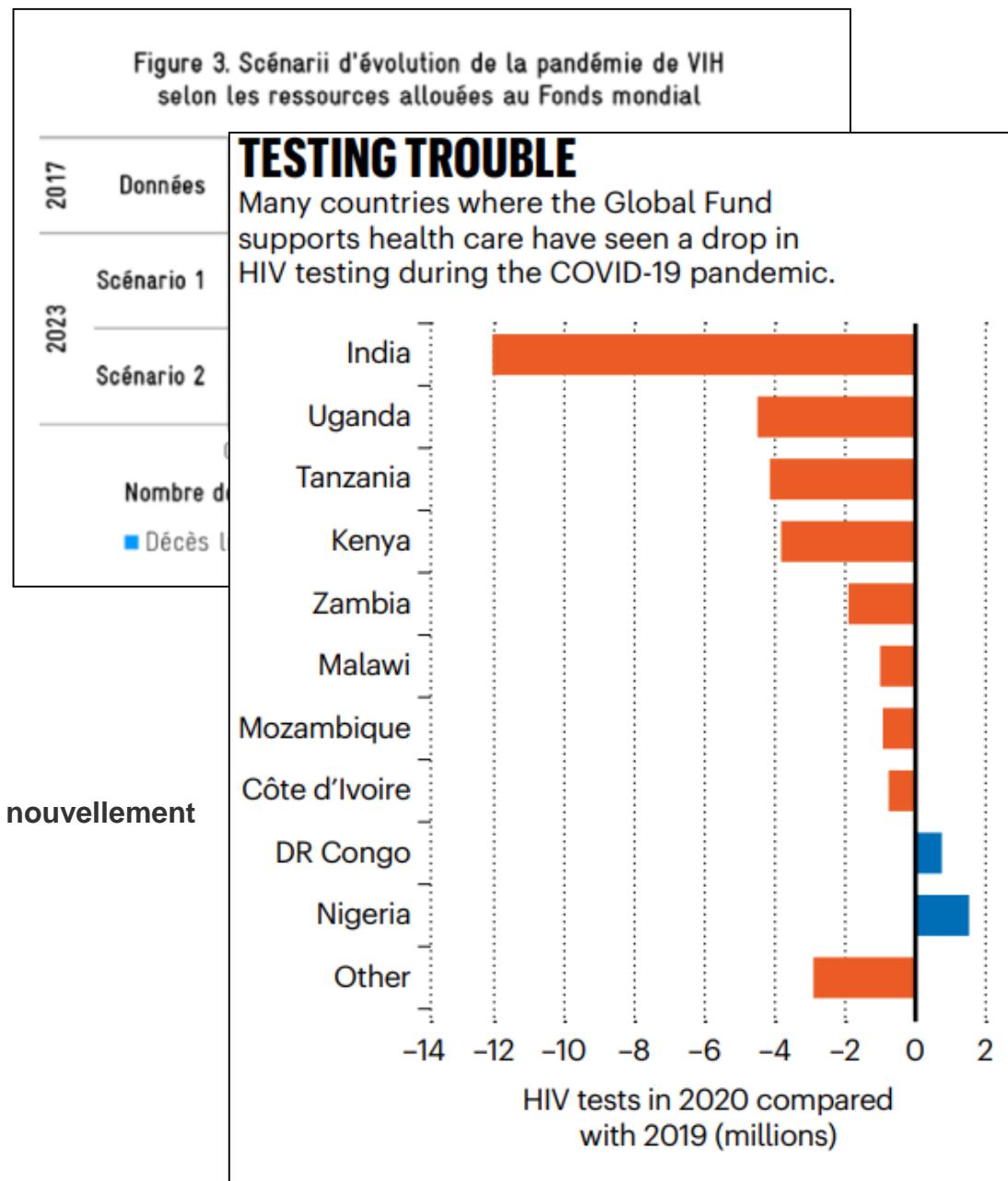


En 2021,

1,5 million [1,1 –2 millions] personnes étaient nouvellement infectées par le VIH

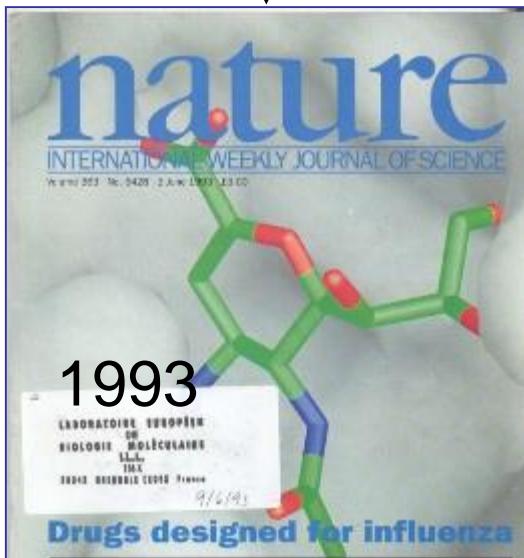
650 000 [510 000-860 000] décès

Figure 3. Scénarii d'évolution de la pandémie de VIH selon les ressources allouées au Fonds mondial



Antiviraux : l'histoire qui s'accélère

Structure de la neuraminidase
(Colman PM. Nature 1983)



Essais Phase I / II / III



How Pfizer scientists transformed an old drug lead into a COVID-19 antiviral

Behind the scenes of the medicinal chemistry campaign that led to the pill Paxlovid

By Bethany Halford

January 14, 2022 | A version of this story appeared in Volume 100, Issue 3

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Anno 2021: Which antivirals for the coming decade?

Elisabetta Groaz^{a,b,*}, Erik De Clercq^c, and Piet Herdewijn^a

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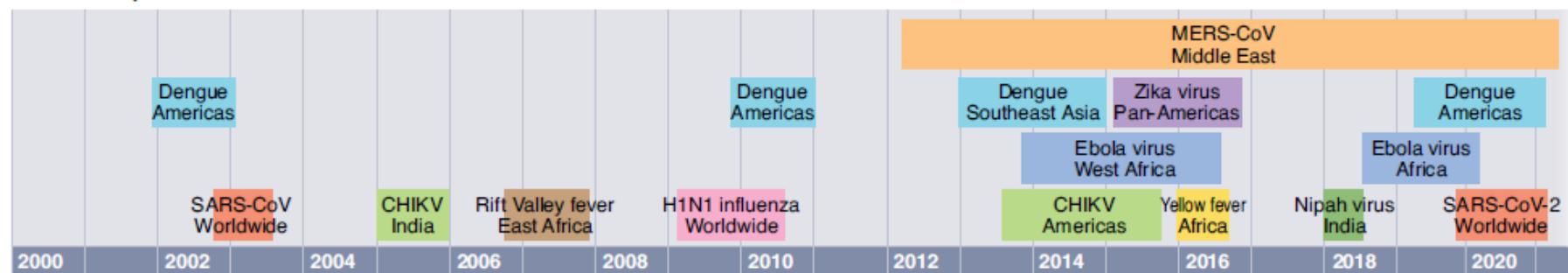
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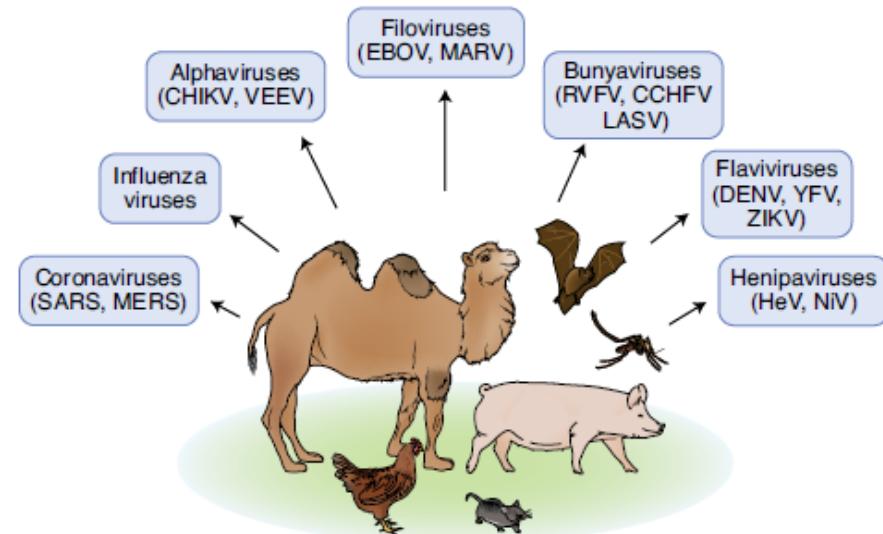
Developing therapeutic approaches for twenty-first-century emerging infectious viral diseases

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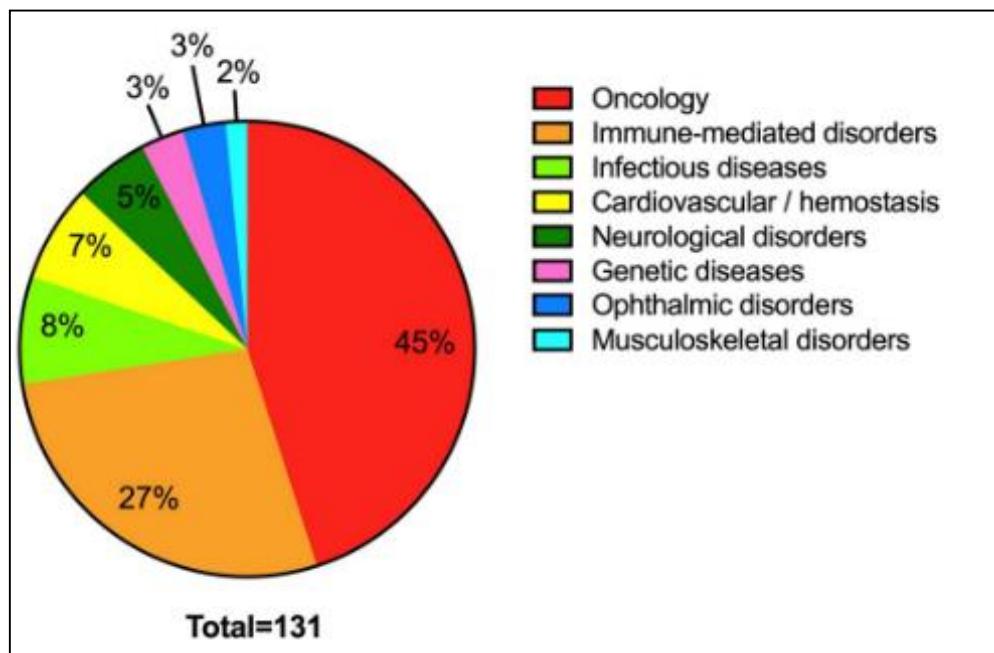
a 21st century viral disease outbreaks



b Zoonotic reservoirs and vectors



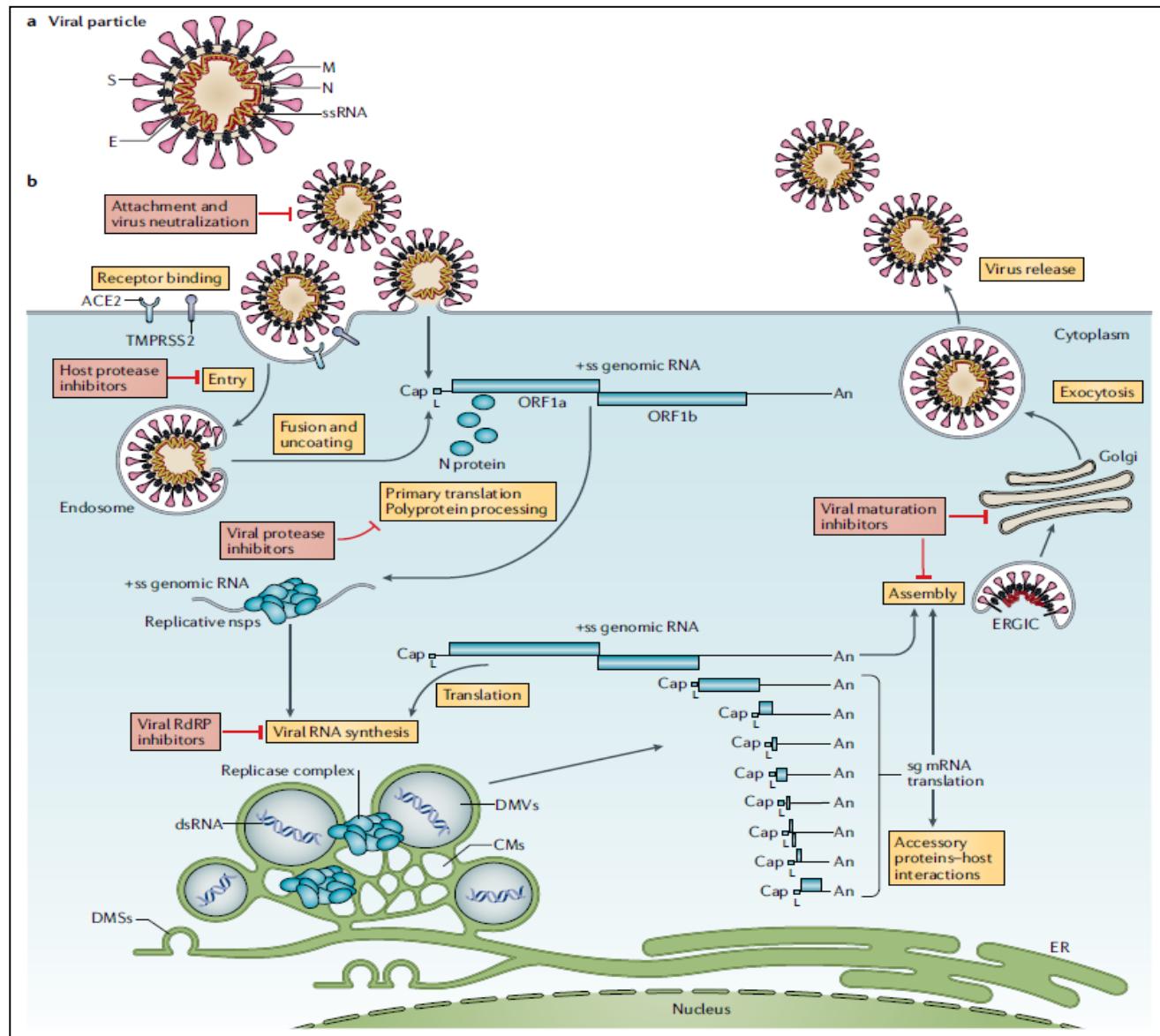
Antiviraux : l'histoire qui s'accélère : La révolution des Ac monoclonaux neutralisant



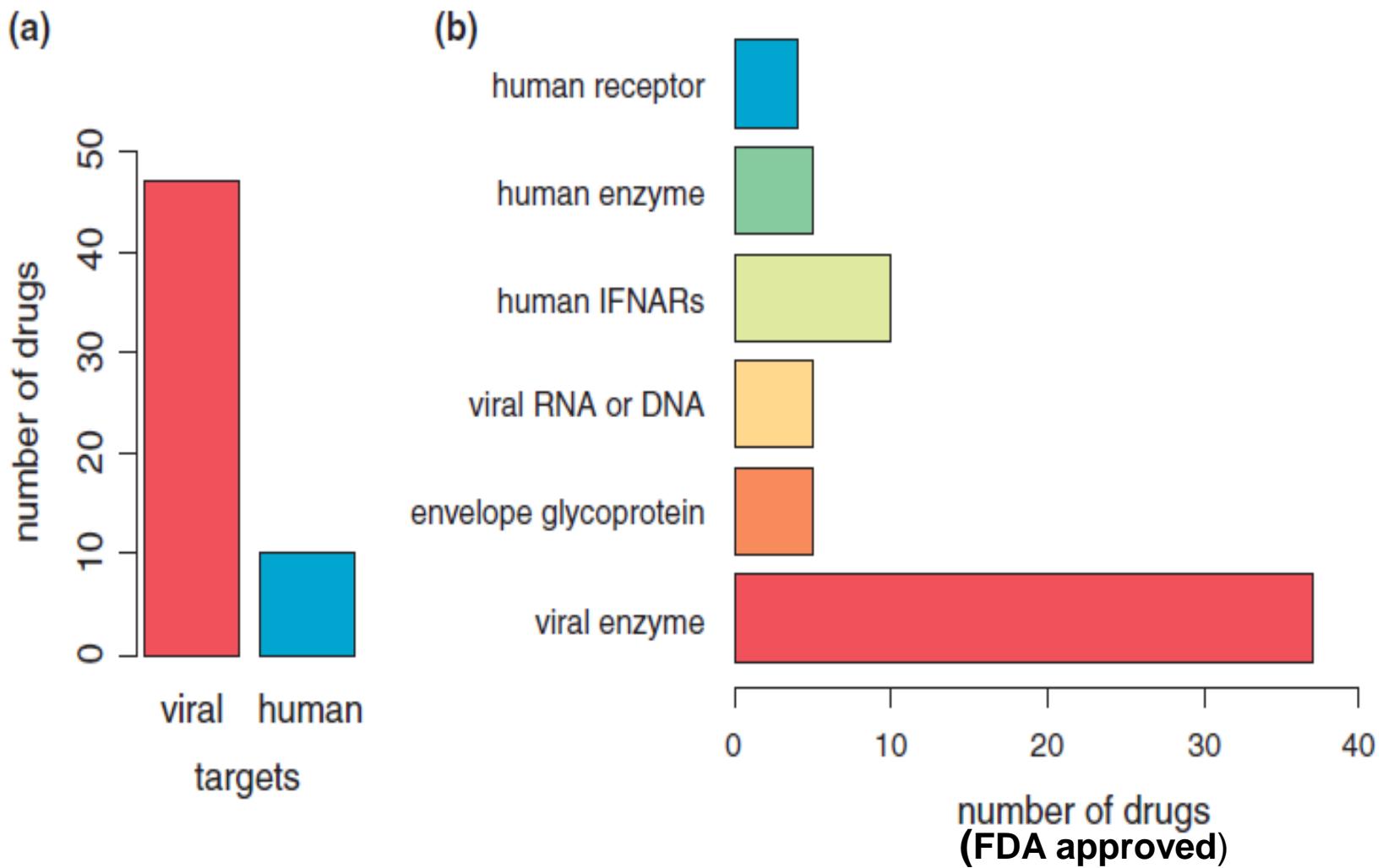
Primary indications for antibody therapeutics
Approved or in regulatory review in the United
States
or European Union .
Kaplon H et al, Mabs 2022

Q Wang et al Current Opin Virol 2022 : Développement of mAbs against
HIV,
Ebola virus
Hepatitis B virus
influenza virus
coronavirus
CMV
rabies virus

Virus = parasites cellulaires obligatoires : les différentes étapes du cycle de réplication virale sont toutes des cibles antivirales potentielles:



Virus = parasites cellulaires obligatoires : les cibles antivirales sont principalement virales (enzymes +++) et plus rarement cellulaires



Virus Respiratoire Syncytial : Problème de santé publique

- . Principale cause de bronchiolite chez le nourrisson (sévérité 1^{ère} année++)

**3 millions hospitalisations et > 50 000 morts /an chez les < 5 ans
2% des décès des enfants de moins de 5 ans (3,6% des < 6 mois)**

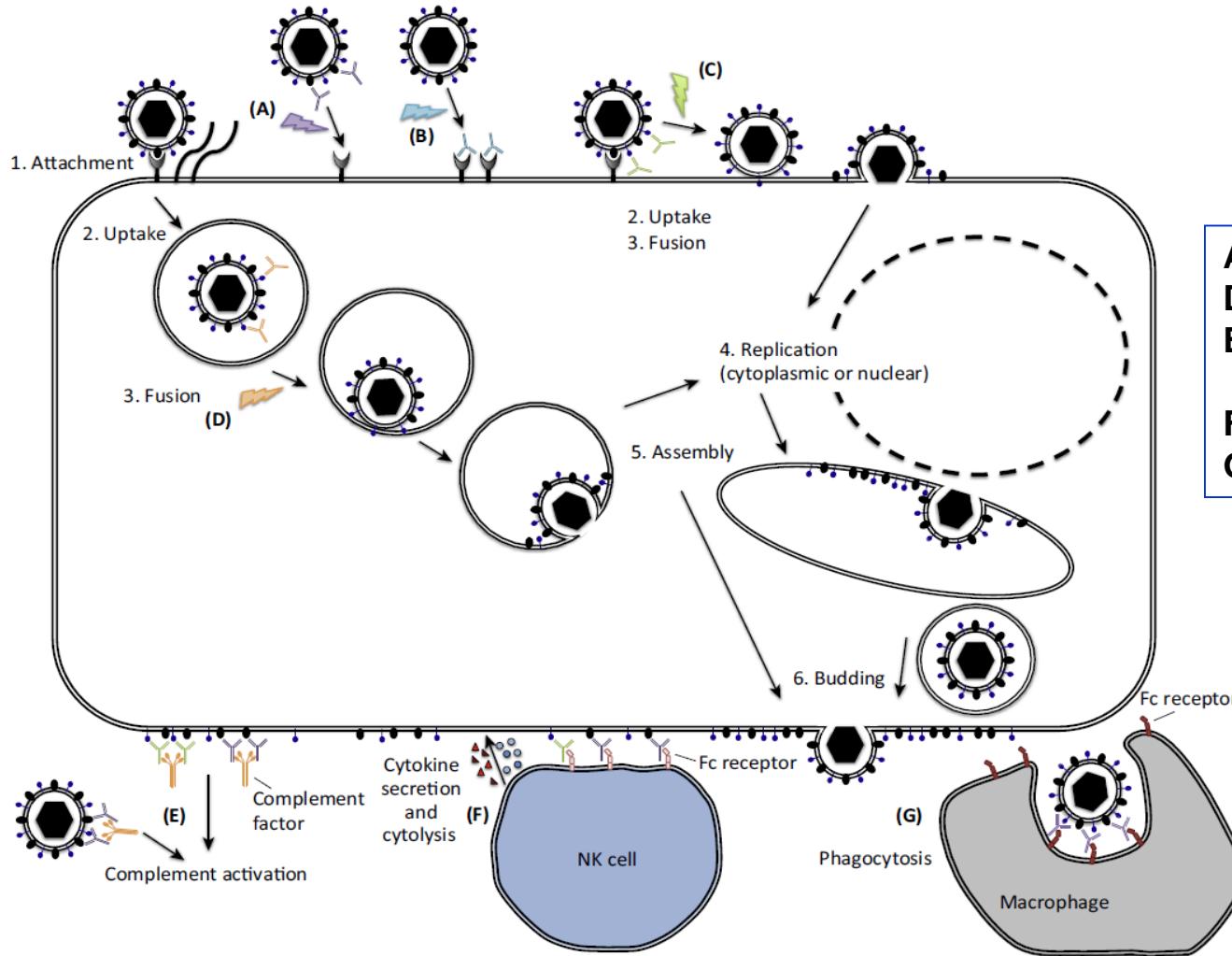
- . Adulte > 60 ans : Morbi-mortalité associée similaire à Influenza

Rate of Hospitalizations and Mortality of Respiratory Syncytial Virus Infection Compared to Influenza in Older People: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis.

Maggi S et al *Vaccines* . 2022

- . Sévérité chez Greffes (CSH, poumons)

Antiviraux : l'histoire en marche : La révolution des Ac monoclonaux neutralisant



A/B/C : entrée du virus
D : décapsidation
E : opsonisation et activation complément
F : ADCC
G : phagocytose



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Actualités sur les nouveaux antiviraux Virus Respiratoire Syncytial

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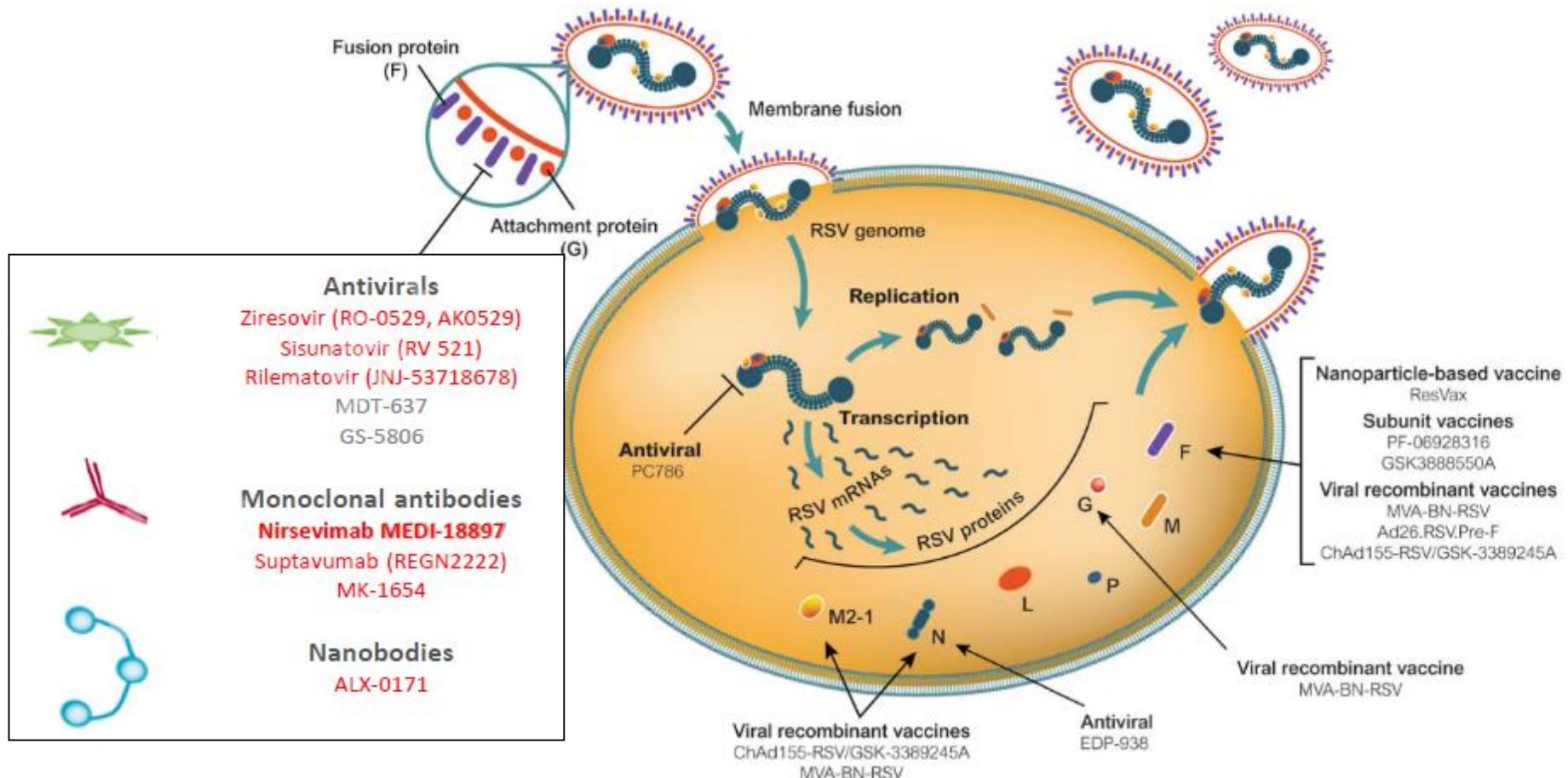


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Virus Respiratoire Syncytial



Virus Respiratoire Syncytial : plusieurs cibles antivirales

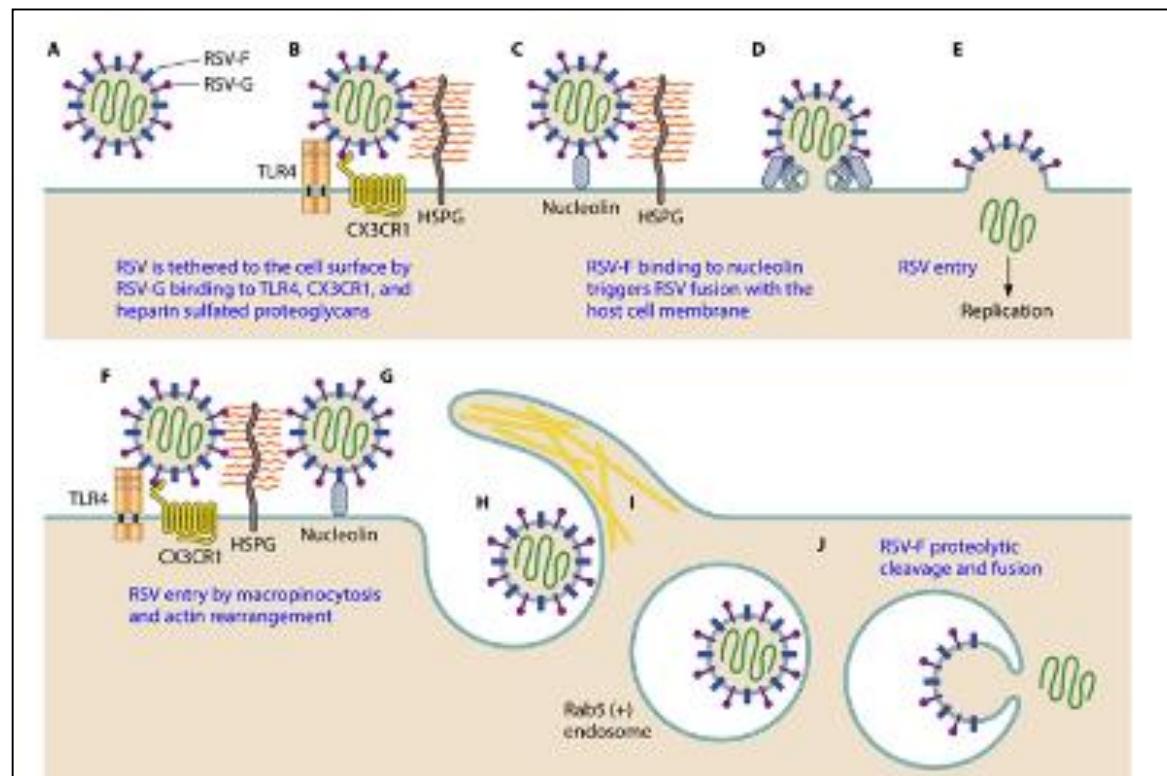
. Protéine F de fusion :

. Ziresovir

. Rilematovir

. Sisunatovir

Agissent sur la même cible : poche formé par le trimère F (prefusion)
→ résistance croisée



Virus Respiratoire Syncytial : plusieurs cibles antivirales

. Protéine L de l'ARN polymérase :

porte la sous unité catalytique de la polymerase + impliqué ds la coiffe des ARN m
inhibiteur non nucléosidique (PC 786)
voie inhalée

. Nucléoprotéine (protéine N)

interagit avec la polymérase : rôle ds la transcription et réPLICATION
EDP 938 : puissante activité in vitro/ barrière génétique élevée

→ Anti F/L/ N/ Essais phase II / III:

- .adultes sains («human challenge») infectés par une souche VRS
- .enfants et adultes infectés
- . greffe CSH

Virus Respiratoire Syncytial : antiviraux anti F

Données cliniques. Patients infectés (Phase II/III)

Ziresovir (AIRFLO study):

311 NRS hospitalisés pour bronchiolite à VRS :

CV (77% vs placebo) à J5

↳ la symptomatologie à J3: 30% et 55% (<6 mois) vs placebo

↳ la durée d'hospitalisation en réanimation (3J vs 8J)

Rilematovir (JNJ-53718678) : essais de phase II (traitement enfants et adultes hospitalisés) terminés.
Résultats non disponibles

Sisunatovir (RV521) : essais de phase II en cours de recrutement (NRS bronchiolite à VRS sévère nécessitant hospitalisation) ; NCT04225867



Ark Biopharmaceutical Presents Positive Results in Phase 3 AIRFLO Study of Ziresovir in RSV-Infected Hospitalized Infants at 12th International RSV Symposium

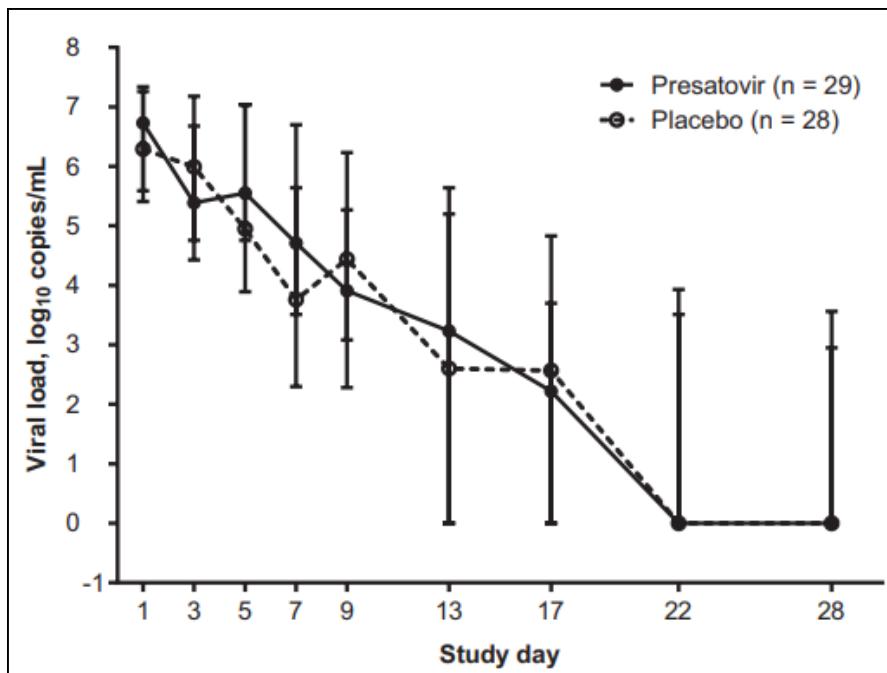
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A Phase 2b, Randomized, Double-blind, Placebo-Controlled Multicenter Study Evaluating Antiviral Effects, Pharmacokinetics, Safety, and Tolerability of Presatovir in Hematopoietic Cell Transplant Recipients with Respiratory Syncytial Virus Infection of the Lower Respiratory Tract

Francisco M. Marty,^{1,◎} Roy F. Chemaly,² Kathleen M. Mullane,³ Dong-Gun Lee,⁴ Hans H. Hirsch,⁵ Catherine B. Small,⁶ Anne Bergeron,⁷ Shmuel Shoham,⁸ Per Ljungman,⁹ Alpana Waghmare,^{10,11} Elodie Blanchard,¹² Yae-Jean Kim,¹³ Matt McEvitt,¹⁴ Danielle P. Porter,¹⁴ Robert Jordan,¹⁴ Ying Guo,¹⁴ Polina German,¹⁴ Michael Boeckh,^{10,11} Timothy R. Watkins,¹⁴ Jason W. Chien,¹⁴ and Sanjeet S. Dadwal¹⁵

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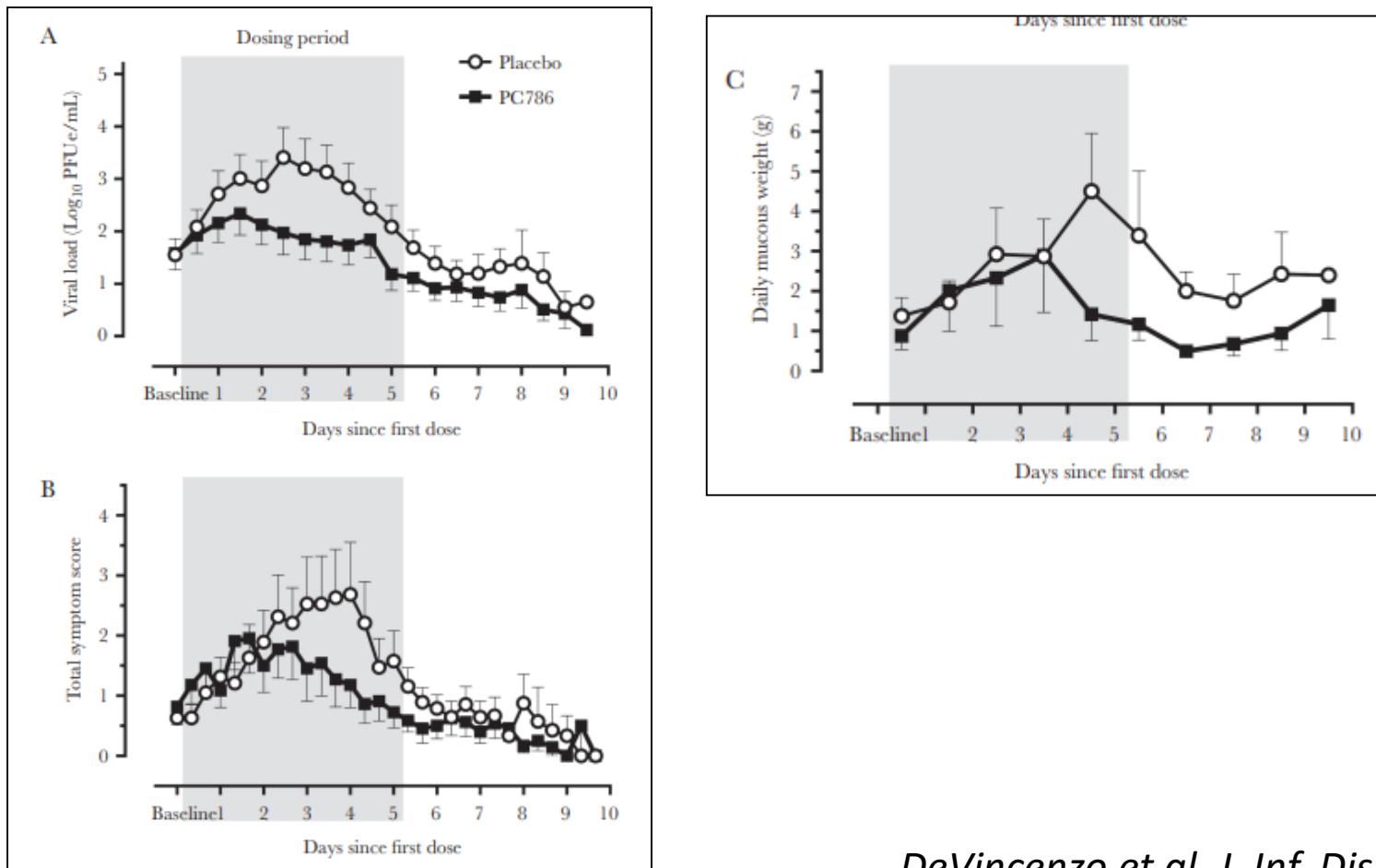


Well tolerated in HCT patients with RSV LRTI but did not improve virologic or clinical outcomes versus placebo.

Safety and Antiviral Effects of Nebulized PC786 in a Respiratory Syncytial Virus Challenge Study

John DeVincenzo,^{1,2,3} Lindsey Cass,⁴ Alison Murray,⁵ Kathy Woodward,⁴ Elizabeth Meals,^{1,2} Matthew Coates,⁴ Leah Daly,⁴ Vicky Wheeler,⁵ Julie Mori,⁵ Charlie Brindley,⁶ Amanda Davis,⁴ Meabh McCurdy,⁷ Kazuhiro Ito,^{4,8} Bryan Murray,⁵ Pete Strong,⁴ and Garth Rapoport⁴

inhibiteur non nucléosidique de la protéine L

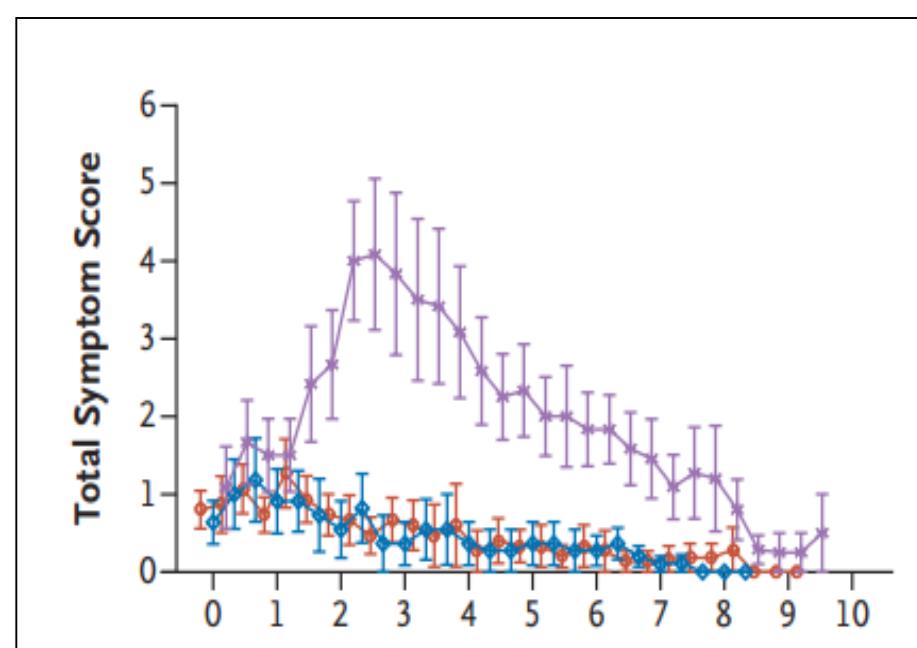
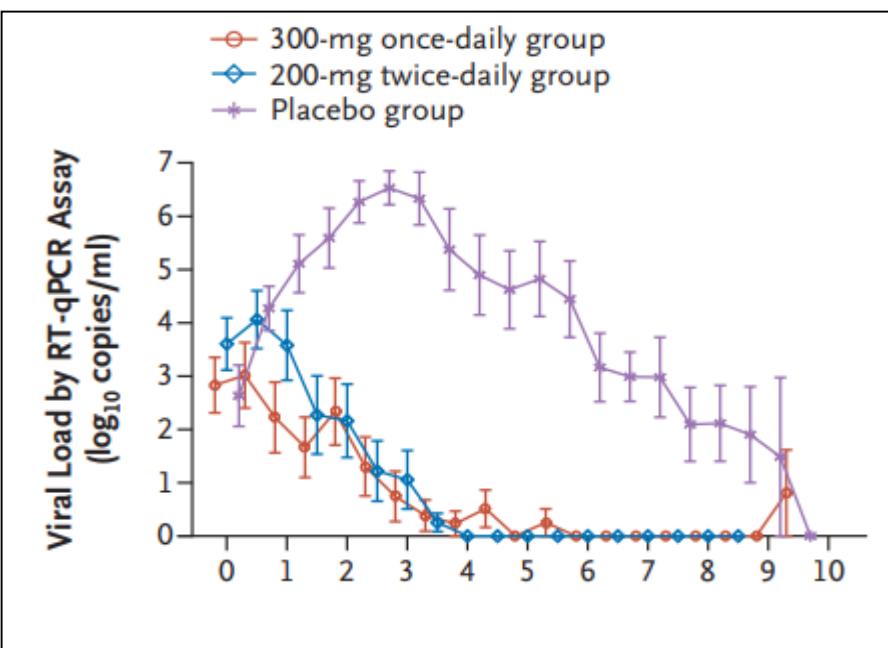


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EDP-938, a Respiratory Syncytial Virus Inhibitor, in a Human Virus Challenge

Alaa Ahmad, Ph.D., Kingsley Eze, B.Sc., Nicolas Noulin, Ph.D.,
Veronika Horvathova, M.B., Ch.B., Bryan Murray, M.B., B.S.,
Mark Baillet, B.Sc., C.Stat., Laura Grey, Ph.D., Julie Mori, Ph.D.,
and Nathalie Adda, M.D.

Inhibiteur de la nucleoprotéine N



Virus Respiratoire Syncytial : nouveaux Ac monoclonaux

. Ac monoclonaux anti F bloquant la fusion :

. Palivuzumab (Synagis)

seul Ac monoclonal AMM (2006) :
prévention des IR sévères des nourrissons fragiles
(prématurés, malformations cardio pulmonaires)

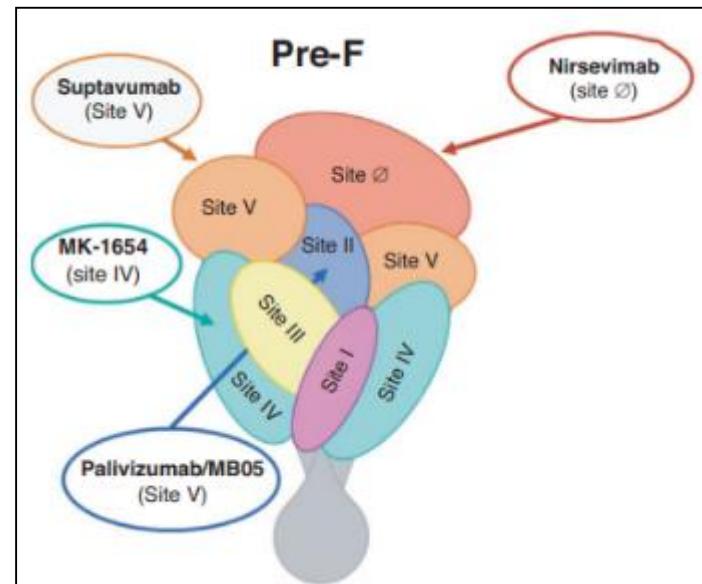
. Nirsevimab:

½ vie prolongée

dose unique chez les nourrissons prématurés pour la prévention d'infection sévère
essais phase III achevés ou en cours (Harmonie)

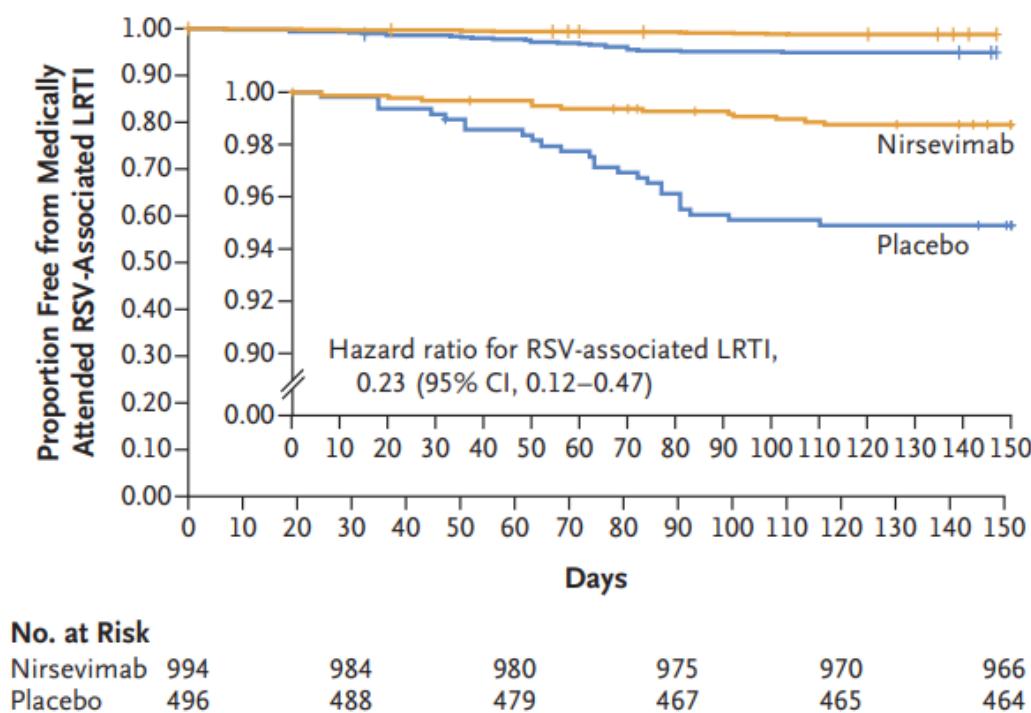
autorisation du Nirevimab (Beyfortus) par EMA en septembre 2022 pour
prévention des infections vRS chez les nourrisson (première saison hivernale)

. Suptuvumab



Nirsevimab for Prevention of RSV in Healthy Late-Preterm and Term Infants

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 Manuel Baca Cots, M.D., Miroslava Bosheva, M.D., Shabir A. Madhi, Ph.D.,
 William J. Muller, Ph.D., Heather J. Zar, Ph.D., Dennis Brooks, M.D.,
 Amy Grenham, M.Sc., Ulrika Wählby Hamré, Ph.D., Vaishali S. Mankad,
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 and Tonya Villafana, Ph.D., for the MELODY Study Group*



CONCLUSIONS : A single injection of nirsevimab administered before the RSV season protected healthy late-preterm and term infants from medically attended RSV-associated lower respiratory tract infection.

Nanobody : ALX 0171

Anticorps à domaine unique

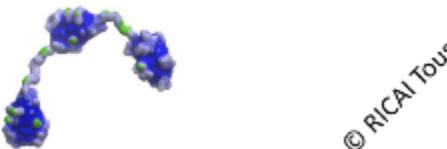
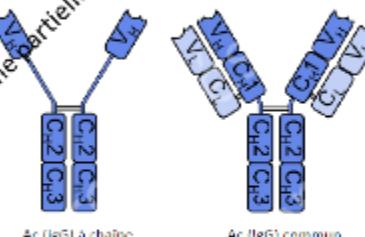
stabilité

- Affinité de l'ordre du nM voire pM
- reconnaissance d'épitopes enfouis, inaccessibles aux anticorps monoclonaux conventionnels.

• ALX-0171 (trivalent)

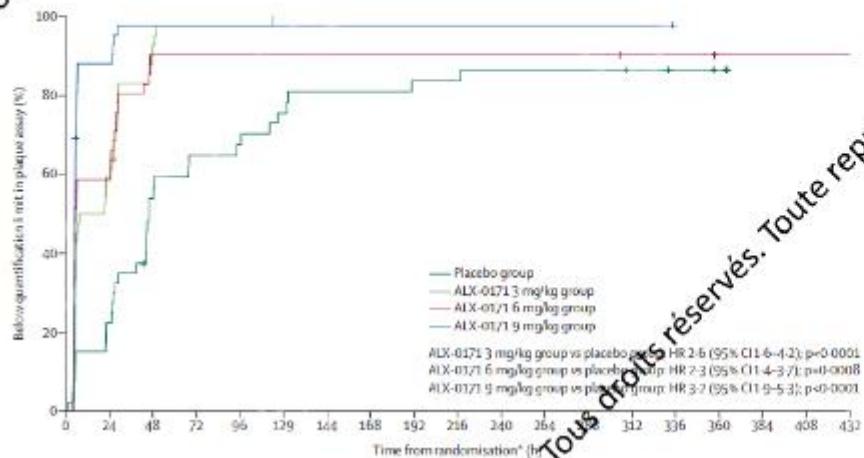
voie intranasale

Cible le site antigénique II de la protéine F



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Essai clinique (randomisé/ double aveugle) : traitement de nourrissons (1 -24 m) par ALX 0171 vs placebo hospitalisés pour bronchiolite sévère à BRS



Négativation rapide de la réplication virale (NP) mais pas d'amélioration clinique significative versus placebo

-> nécessité de reconsidérer les essais cliniques par l'évaluation d'une intervention plus précoce +++

Virus Respiratoire Syncytial : conclusion Slim Fourati Ricai 2022

Plusieurs nouveaux antiviraux avec différents mécanismes d'action, prometteurs :

- inhibiteurs de fusion,
- inhibiteurs de la polymérase,
- inhibiteurs de N

Intervention précoce +++ :

plusieurs antiviraux (nanobody, inhibiteur de fusion) n'ont pas montré d'efficacité significative lorsque initiés à un stade tardif.

Prophylaxie :

Place des anticorps monoclonaux chez les NRS (nirsevimab) et les immunodéprimés (post-exposition ?) en complément des nouveaux candidats vaccins prometteurs

Protein vaccines in clinical trial

Name	Target	Target population	Route of administration	Clinical development phase	Advantages	Disadvantages
Nucleic acid (mRNA 1345, 1172, 1777) ^a	pre-F	Pediatric, adult	Systemic	Phase I	Can multiplex with other respiratory viruses, rapid production, Robust T-cell responses [57]	Instability of pre-F, novel technology with few approved examples
Particle based V-306 ^b	PreF and PostF (site II)	Maternal	Systemic	Phase I	Safe, immunogenic, safe for immunosuppressed	Post-F antibodies might increase the risk of ERD
IVX- 121 ^c	Prefusion F	Elderly	Systemic	Phase I		
Subunit DS-Cav1 ^d	pre-F	Maternal, elderly	Systemic	Phase I		
GSK RSV F ^e	pre-F	Maternal, elderly	Systemic	Phase III, Phase III		
DPX-RSV ^f	SH	Elderly	Systemic	Phase I		
RSV-F ^g	pre-F	Maternal, elderly	Systemic	Phase III, Phase III	Safe for immunosuppressed	Less immunogenic than live-attenuated, risk of ERD
RSV-G ^h	G	Pediatric and elderly	Systemic	Phase II		
VN-0200 ⁱ		Elderly	Systemic	Phase I		

Abbreviations: ERD enhanced RSV disease; F fusion proteinG attachment; NIAID National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases; NIH National Institutes of Health; pre-F prefusion; post-F post fusion; SH small hydrophobic.

Vaccine developers: ^aModerna (Cambridge, MA); ^bvirometrix (Schlieren, Switzerland); ^cIcosavax (Seattle, WA); ^dNIH/NIAID (Bethesda, MD); ^eGlaxoSmithKline (Brentford, United Kingdom); ^fImmunovaccine (Dartmouth, Nova Scotia, Canada); ^gPfizer (New York, NY); ^hAdvaccine Biotech (Beijing, China); ⁱDaiichi-Sankyo (Tokyo, Japan).

New preventive strategies for respiratory syncytial virus infection in children

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Table 2**Live vaccines currently in clinical trials**

Name	Target	Target population	Route of administration	Clinical development phase	Advantages	Disadvantages
Live-attenuated/chimeric						
rBCG/N-hRSV ^a	N	Newborn	Systemic	Phase I	Induces Th1 responses [58]	Potential to mutate back to WT, stability needed for mass production, cannot be given to immunosuppressed patients
RSV/ΔG ^b	Lacking G	Pediatric	Mucosal	Phase I		
RSV ΔNS2 1313/I1314L						
RSV 276; RSV 6120/ΔNS2/1030 _S ^{c,d}	pre-F, post-F	Pediatric	Mucosal	Phase II	Low risk of ERD, broad stimulation of immune response against all antigens	
SeV/RSV ^e	F	Pediatric	Mucosal	Phase I		
MV-012-968 ^f		Pediatric	Mucosal	Phase Ic/II		
CDX-RSV ^g		Pediatric	Mucosal	Phase I		
Vector based						
AdV26 RSV ^h	pre-F	Elderly, Pediatric	Systemic	Phase III, Phase II	Maternal antibodies will not interfere with immunogenicity, low ERD risk	Anti-vector immunity
MVA-BN RSV ⁱ	F, GA/GB, N, M2	Elderly	Systemic	Phase II		

Abbreviations: AdV, adenovirus; BCG, Bacille Calmette Guerin; ERD, enhanced RSV disease; G, attachment; NS2, non-structural 2; NIH, National Institutes of Health; MVA, modified vaccinia Ankara virus; M2-2, matrix 2-2; NS1, non-structural 1; pre-F, prefusion ; post-F, postfusion; SeV, Sendai Virus; Th, T helper cell; WT, wild-type.

Vaccine developers ^aUniversidad de Chile (Santiago, Chile); ^bIntravac (Bilthoven, Netherlands); ^cSanofi Pasteur (Lyon, France), ^dNIH/NIAID (Bethesda, MD); ^eSt. Jude Hospital (Atlanta, GA); ^fMeissa Vaccines; ^gCodagenix (New York, NY); ^hJanssen (Beerse, Belgium); ⁱBavarian Nordic (Kvistgaard, Denmark).

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Stuart ASV et al

Phase 1/2a Safety and Immunogenicity of an Adenovirus 26 Vector Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) Vaccine Encoding Prefusion F in Adults 18-50 Years and RSV-Seropositive Children 12-24 Months.
J Infect Dis. 2022

Cunningham CK et al,

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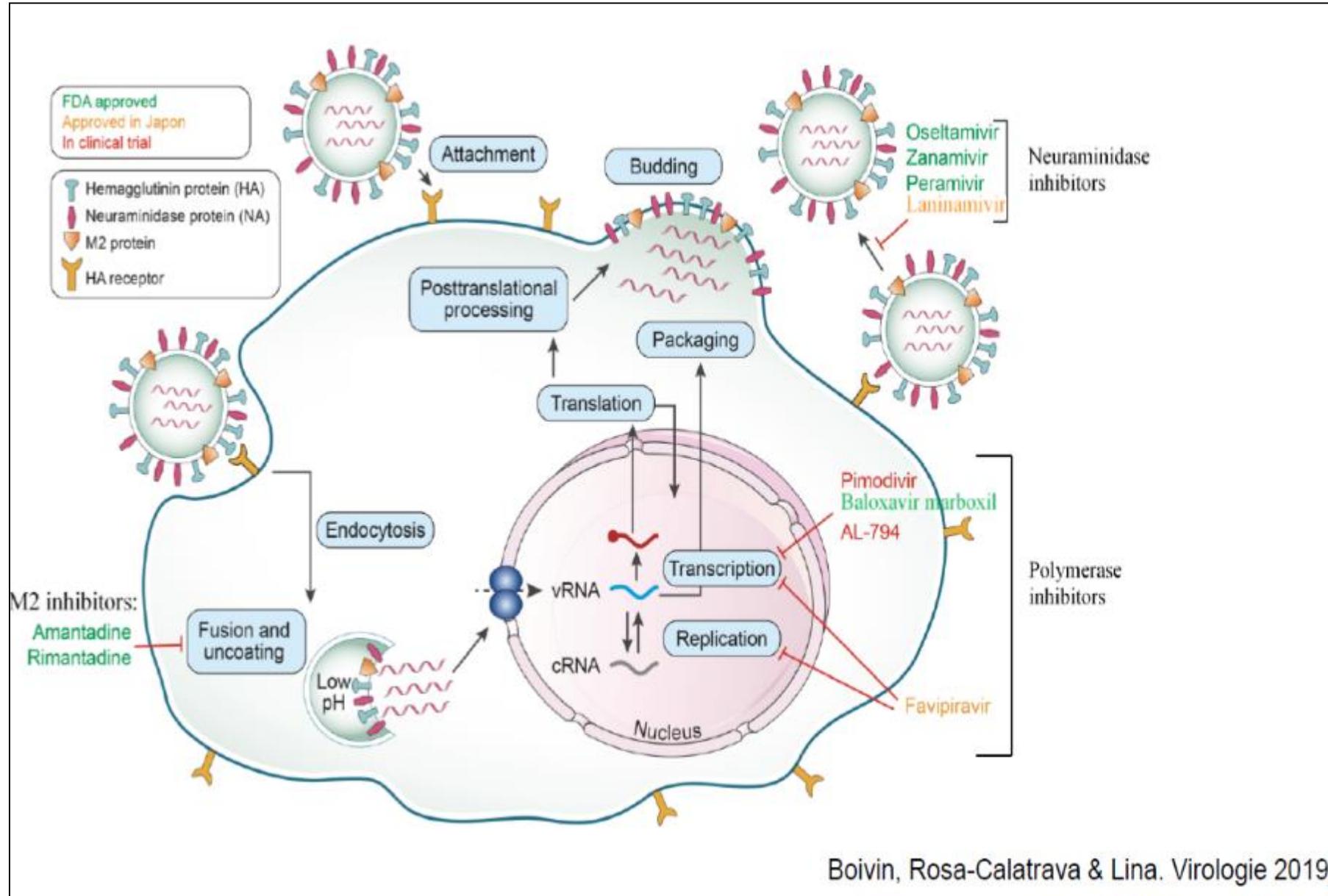
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Grippe

Dans le domaine des virus respiratoires, ce sont les virus influenza qui ont la plus grande pharmacopée

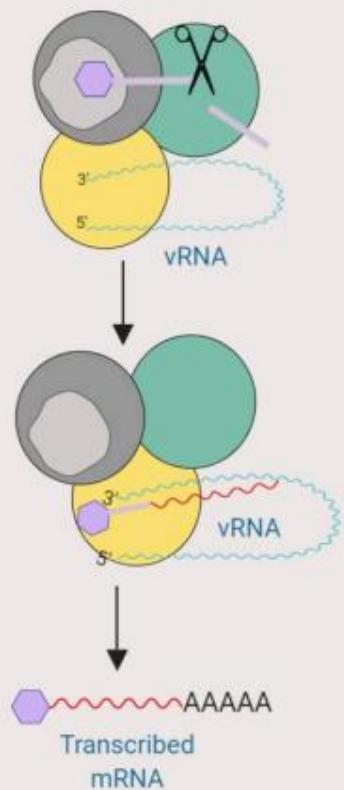
- Deux cibles majeures sont utilisées : la neuraminidase et la polymérase
- Il existe des «profils de résistance» spécifique de certains virus ou antiviraux, ou commun pour l'ensemble d'une classe
- Des résistances apparaissent rapidement (notamment chez les enfants), mais ces virus sont peu transmissibles (sauf en 2007)
- Des associations efficaces sont possibles, mais pas dans la même classe d'antiviral
- L'épidémie de grippe commençant, utilisons ces produits en complément de la vaccination

Grippe (Influenza)



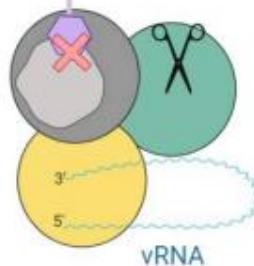
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Capped host mRNA

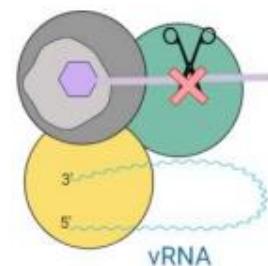


Antiviral inhibition of viral polymerase

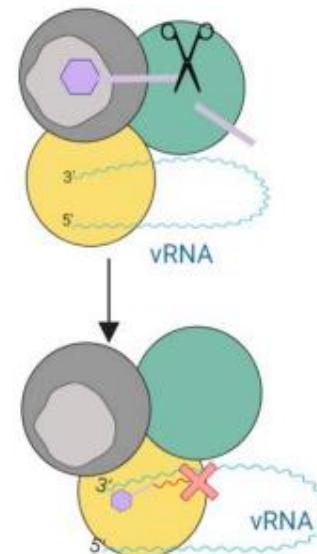
Pimodivir



Baloxavir & AL-794



Favipiravir



Inhibition of binding capped host mRNA

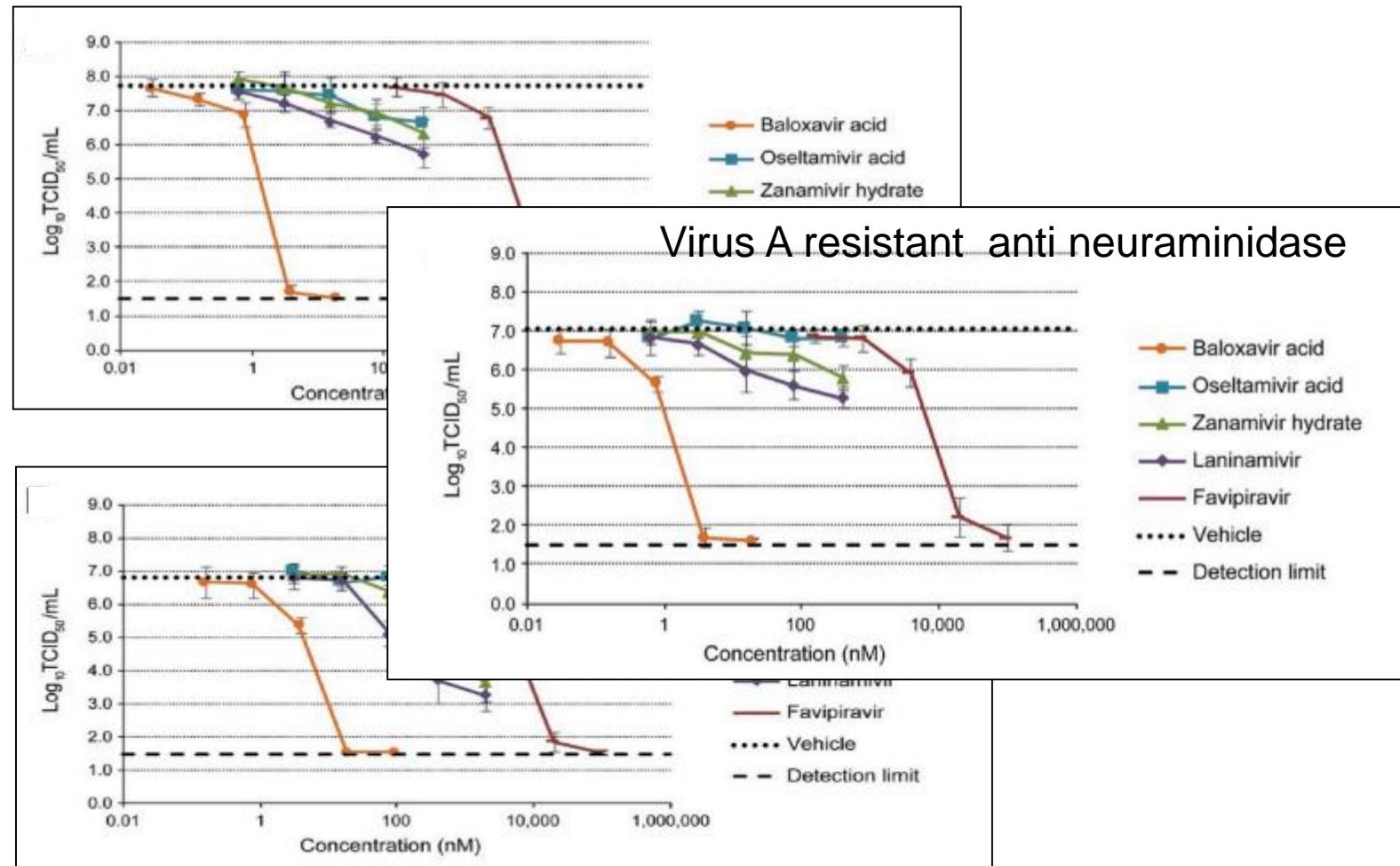
Inhibition of endonuclease activity

Inhibition of correct mRNA elongation

In vitro characterization of baloxavir acid, a first-in-class cap-dependent endonuclease inhibitor of the influenza virus polymerase PA subunit

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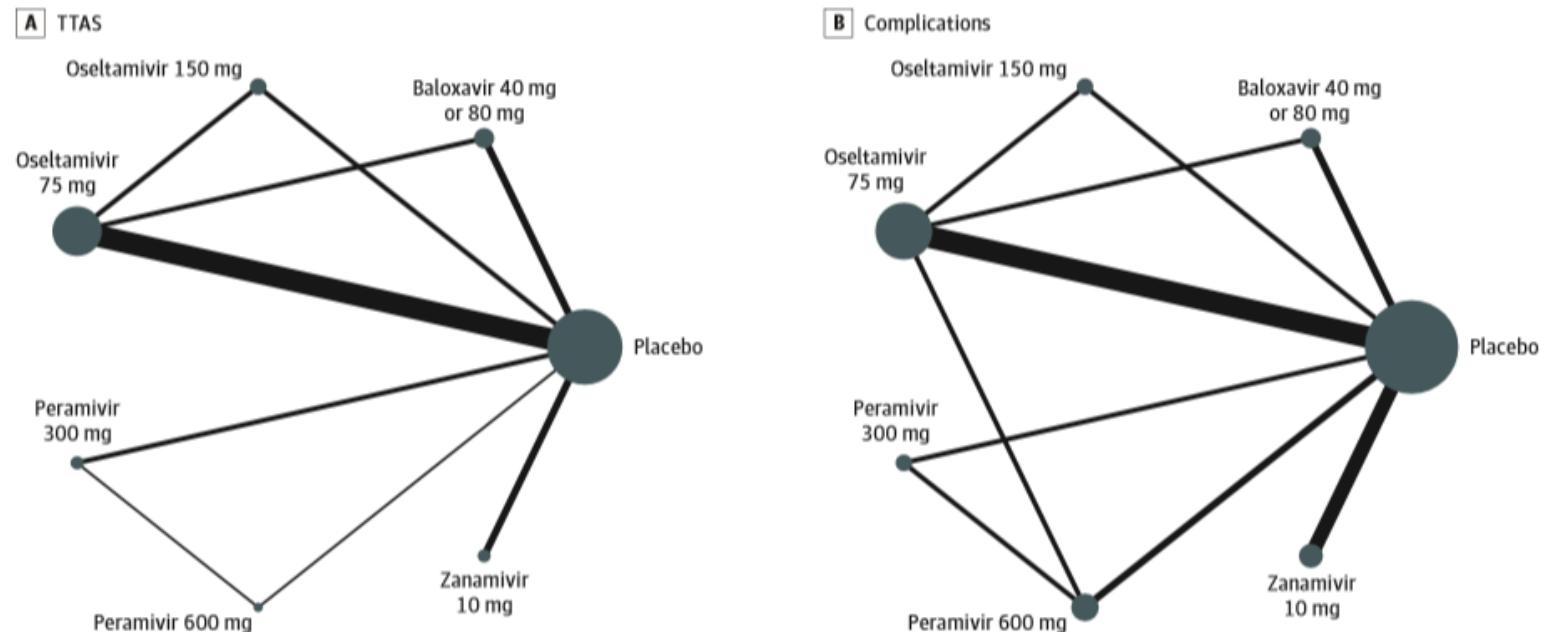
Comparison of Antiviral Agents for Seasonal Influenza Outcomes in Healthy Adults and Children A Systematic Review and Network Meta-analysis

Liu JW et al *JAMA Network Open*. 2021

CONCLUSIONS AND RELEVANCE In this systematic review and network meta-analysis, all 4 antiviral agents assessed were associated with shortening TTAS; zanamivir was associated with the shortest TTAS, and baloxavir was associated with reduced rate of influenza-related complications.

TTAS = Time To Alleviation of influenza Symptoms

Figure 2. Network Graphs of Treatment Comparisons for Time to Alleviation of Influenza Symptoms and Complications

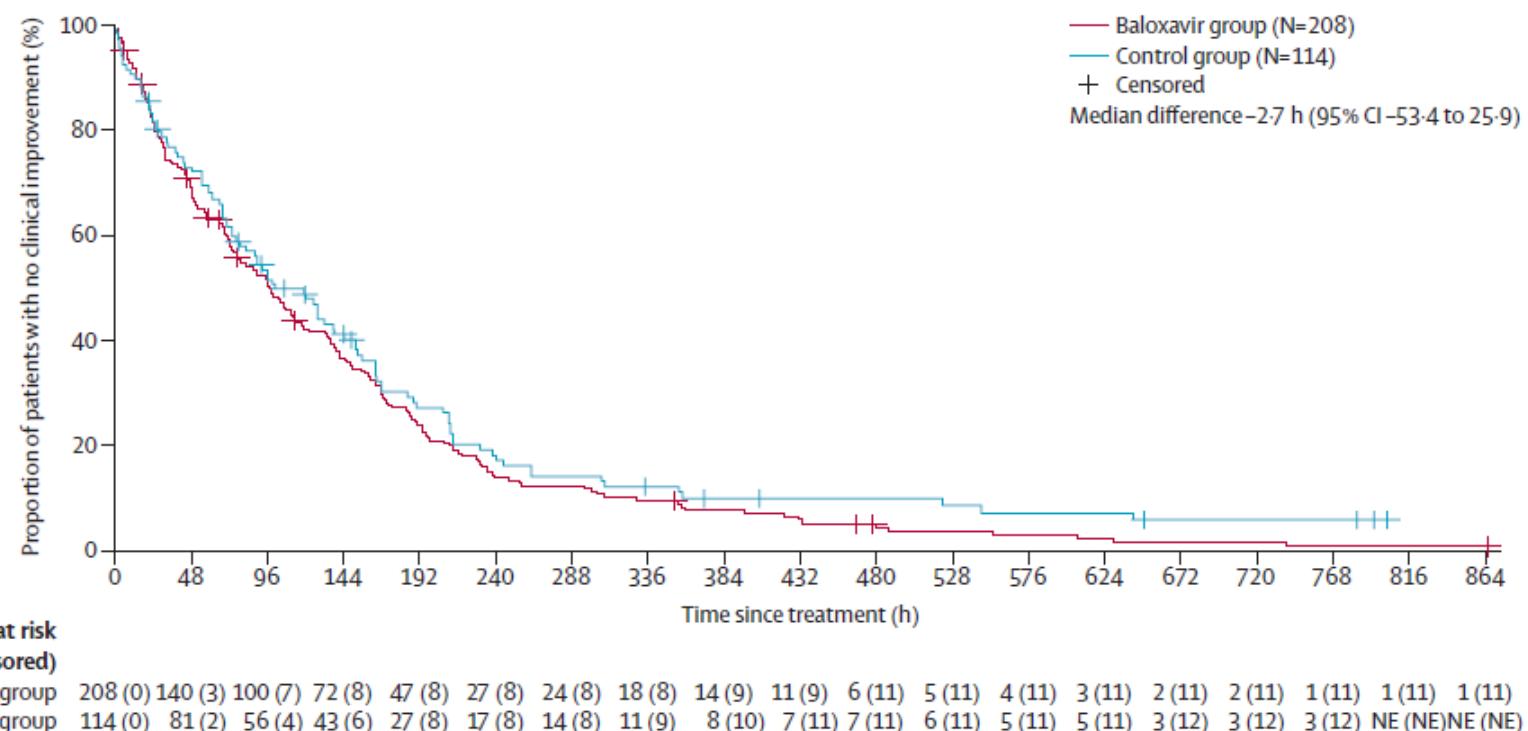


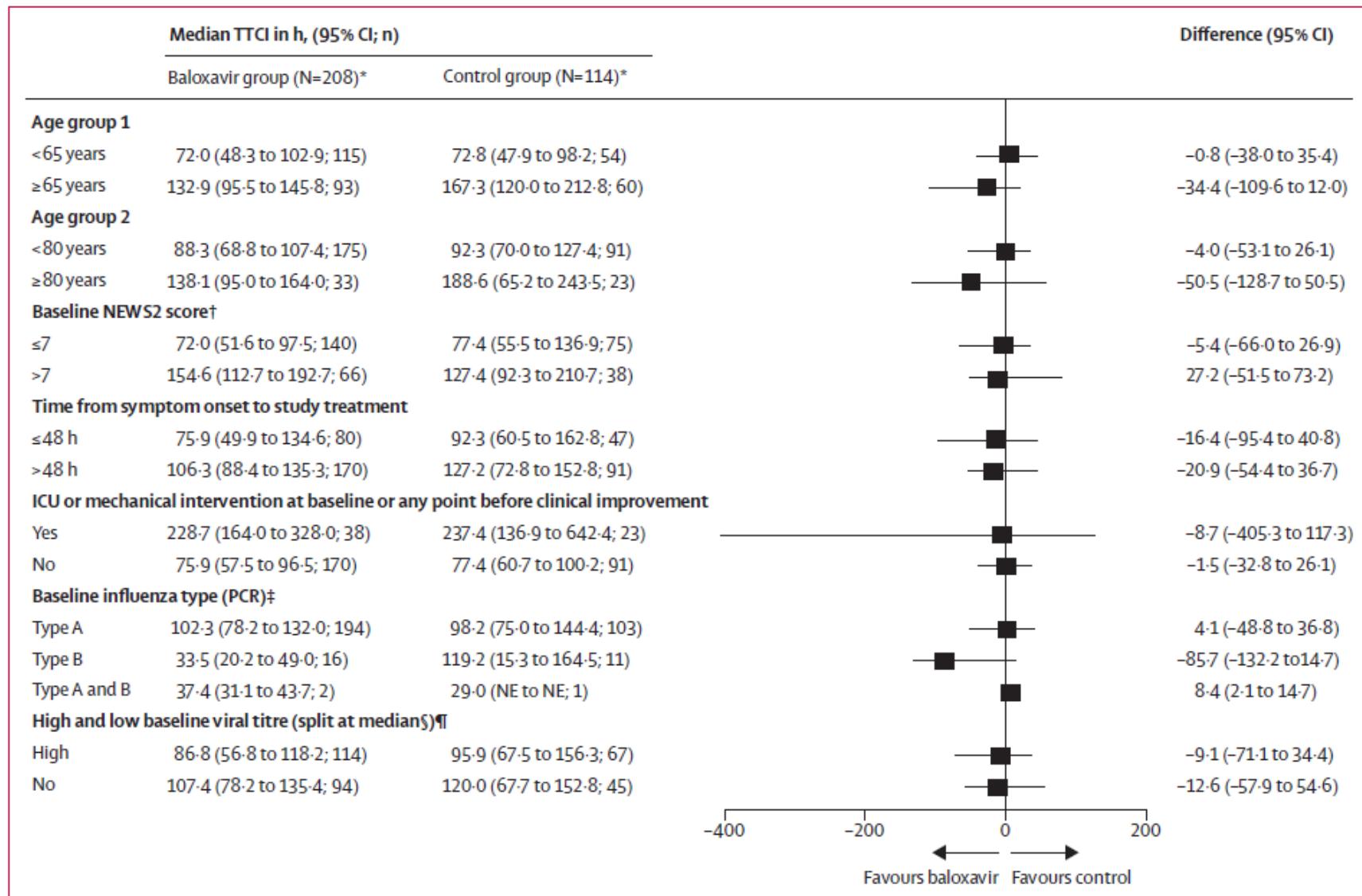
Nodes indicate different active interventions or placebo; size of nodes, number of studies; thickness of lines between nodes, number of randomized participants contributing to direct comparisons.

Combining baloxavir marboxil with standard-of-care neuraminidase inhibitor in patients hospitalised with severe influenza (FLAGSTONE): a randomised, parallel-group, double-blind, placebo-controlled, superiority trial

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A Phase 2 Randomized, Double-Blind, Placebo-Controlled Trial of MHAA4549A, a Monoclonal Antibody, plus Oseltamivir in Patients Hospitalized with Severe Influenza A Virus Infection

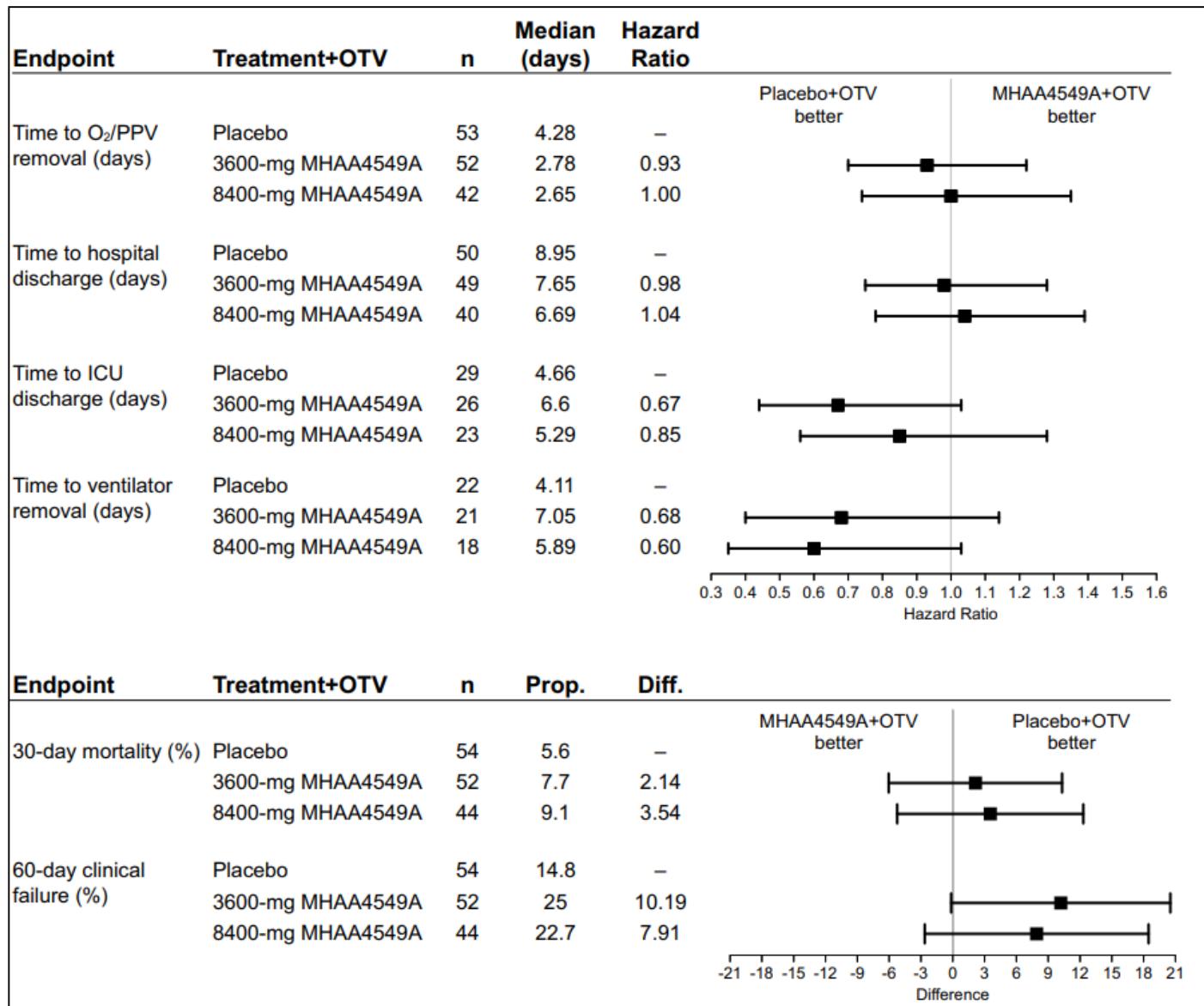
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MHAA4549A binds to influenza A virus hemagglutinin (HA) blocking fusion

first published clinical trial of a monoclonal antibody to treat patients hospitalized with severe influenza.

Compared with placebo OTV, MHAA4549A OTV did not significantly reduce :

median time to removal of oxygen supplementation or positive-pressure ventilation
No significant improvements in secondary efficacy endpoints.



Safety and Efficacy of CR6261 in an Influenza A H1N1 Healthy Human Challenge Model

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- . CR6261 monoclonal anti-HA antibody
- . stabilizes the prefusion HA structure and prevents pH-dependent fusion of cellular and viral membranes in endosomes
- . broad neutralization and protection in animals .
- . When administered 24 hours after influenza challenge :
 - . no effect on viral replication in healthy volunteers.
 - . no meaningful efficacy in reducing influenza-induced disease
 - . safe with no evidence of antibody-dependent enhancement

Herpes virus (HSV / VZV)



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Review

40 Years after the Registration of Acyclovir: Do We Need New Anti-Herpetic Drugs?

Majewska Int. J. Mol. Sci. 2022

**Les traitements actuels anti HSV (aciclovir / valaciclovir /famciclovir)
ne sont pas toujours suffisamment efficace**

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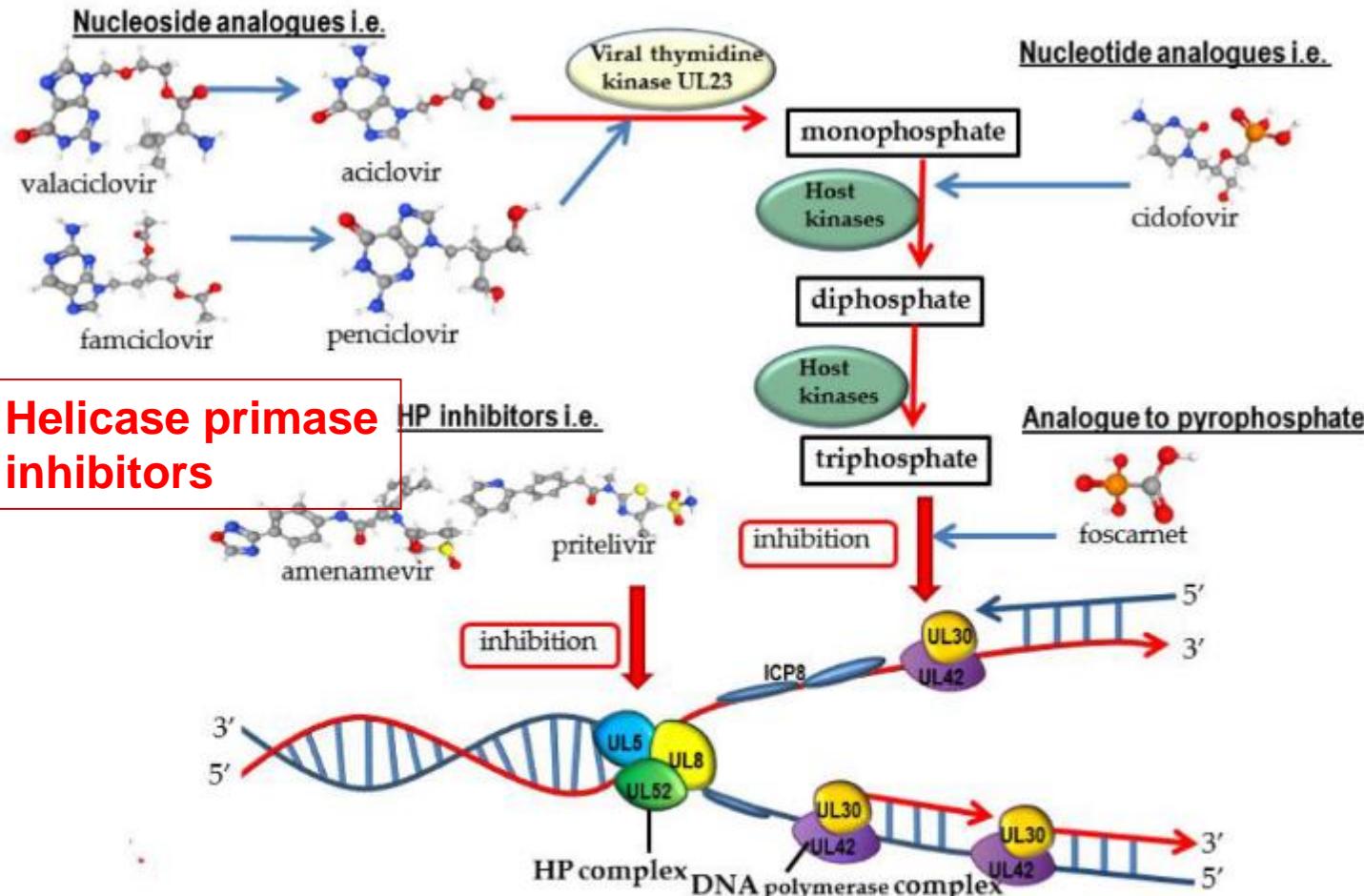
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UL5, UL8, UL52 HSV -proteins forming a HP (helicase-primase) complex, UL30,UL42-
HSV proteins forming a DNA polymarse complex, ICP8 -single-stranded DNA
binding proteine

Figure 2. The mechanism of action of nucleoside analogues, nucleotide analogues, and analogues of pyrophosphate and HP-inhibitors on HSV-1.

Effect of Pritelivir Compared With Valacyclovir on Genital HSV-2 Shedding in Patients With Frequent Recurrences A Randomized Clinical Trial

2016

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Characteristic	Pritelivir (n = 75)	Valacyclovir (n = 76)	Relative Risk or Difference in Copy No., Pritelivir vs Valacyclovir (95% CI)	P Value
Virologic End Points				
Genital HSV shedding, No./total (%)				
Overall ^a	173/7276 (2.4)	392/7453 (5.3)	0.42 (0.21 to 0.82)	.01
Clinical End Points, No./Total (%)				
Days with lesions ^d	35/1855 (1.9)	75/1900 (3.9)	0.40 (0.17 to 0.96)	.04

Wald A et al JAMA 2016

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Use of pritelivir in refractory aciclovir-resistant herpes simplex virus type 2

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Review

Amenamevir, a Helicase-Primase Inhibitor, for the Optimal Treatment of Herpes Zoster

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2021

Virus	Strains	EC50 (95% Confidence Interval) (μ M) ^a		Susceptibility (Amenamevir/ Acyclovir) ^d
		Amenamevir (ASP2151)	Acyclovir	
HSV-1	KOS	0.010 (0.0082–0.012)	0.400 (0.32–0.50)	+ / +
	A4-3	0.067 (0.049–0.091)	1.15 (98.8–133)	+ / –
HSV-2	Genital isolate	0.012 (0.006–0.023)	1.34 (0.51–3.56)	+ / +
	Whitlow 2	0.012 (0.006–0.022)	65.9 (31.9–136)	+ / –
VZV	Kawaguchi ^b	0.064 (0.043–0.094)	1.61 (0.99–2.63)	+ / +
	TK-deficient mutant	0.068 (0.052–0.088)	12.8 (9.5–17.3)	+ / –
	A2 ^c	0.11 (0.078–0.16)	11.5 (6.5–20.3)	+ / –
	A3 ^c	0.11 (0.049–0.26)	19.2 (11.1–33.1)	+ / –
	A7 ^c	0.065 (0.045–0.093)	41.4 (21.6–79.2)	+ / –
	A8 ^c	0.10 (0.062–0.162)	82.2 (72.7–92.9)	+ / –

^a Means of four independent experiments. ^b Parental strain of TK-deficient mutants, A2, A3, A7, and A8. ^c DNA polymerase mutant. ^d Susceptibility of virus strains to each compound: +, susceptible; -, resistant. The authors obtained permission from *Antiviral Research* to reuse this table [15].

Current scenario and future applicability of antivirals against herpes zoster

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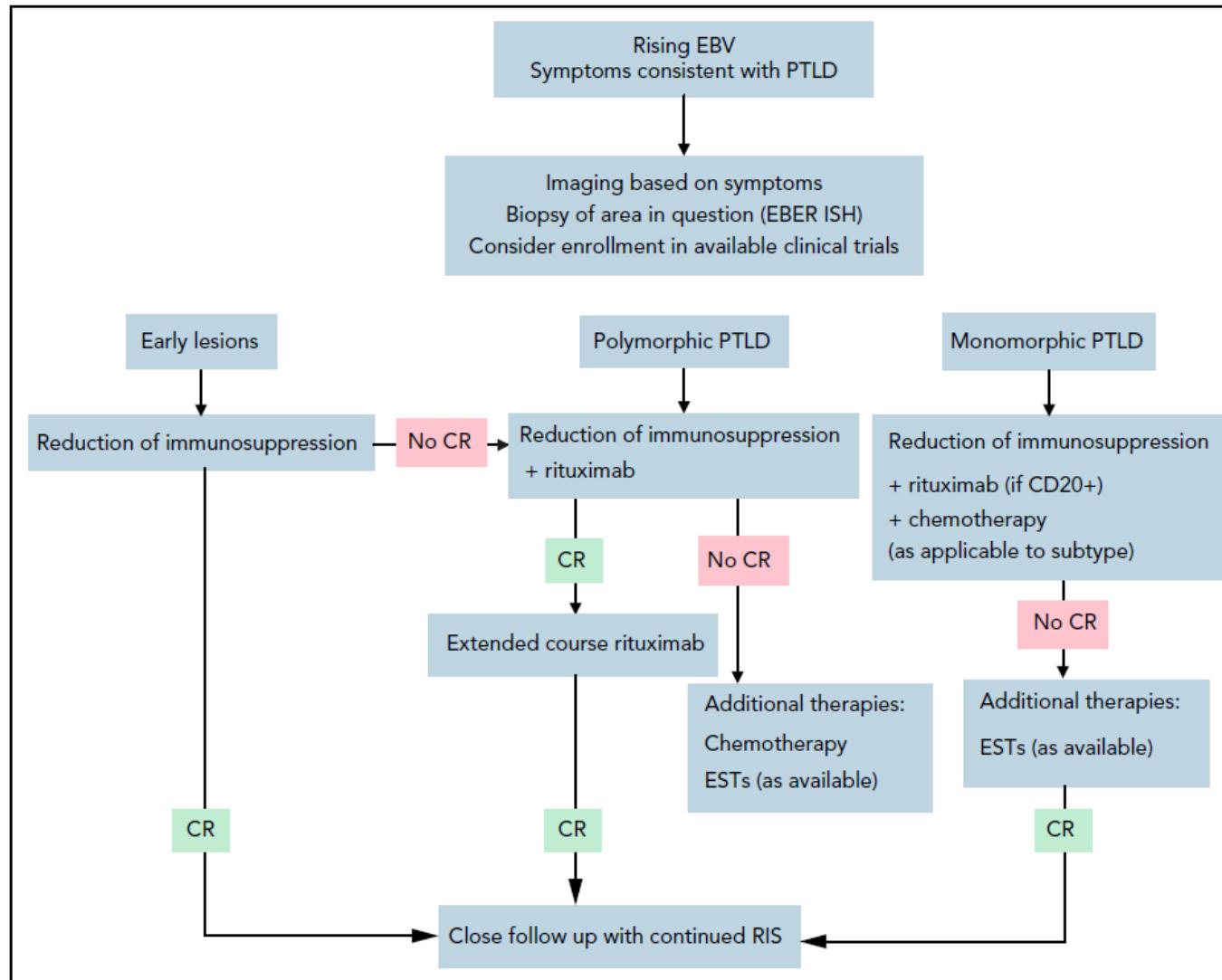
Table 1. Current licensed and off-labeled antivirals for HZ

Classification	Antivirals	Dosing schedule	Characteristics
Nucleoside analogs			
	Acyclovir	5 × 800 mg/day P.O. 3 × 500 mg/day I.V. followed by oral regimens for 10–14 days	Limited bioavailability FDA approval for HZ Nephropathy Usually for 5–7 days
	Valacyclovir	3 × 1,000 mg/day P.O.	Prodrug of acyclovir with 54% bioavailability FDA approval for HZ For 7 days
	Famciclovir	3 × 250–500 mg/day P.O.	Prodrug of penciclovir with 77% bioavailability FDA approval for HZ For 7 days
	Brivudine	1 × 125 mg/day P.O.	Some Europe approval for HZ No renal toxicity For 5 days
Pyrophosphate analogs	Foscarnet	I.V. only	FDA non-approval for HZ Off-label acyclovir resistance Nephrotoxicity, electrolyte imbalance, genital ulcer
Nucleotide analogs	Cidofovir	I.V. only	FDA non-approval for HZ Off-label acyclovir or foscarnet resistance Nephrotoxicity, neutropenia
Helicase-primase inhibitor	Amenavir	1 × 400 mg/day P.O.	Japan approval for HZ For 7 days

« Brivudine and amenavir > famciclovir and Valacyclovir > acyclovir

EBV⁺ lymphoproliferative diseases: opportunities for leveraging EBV as a therapeutic target

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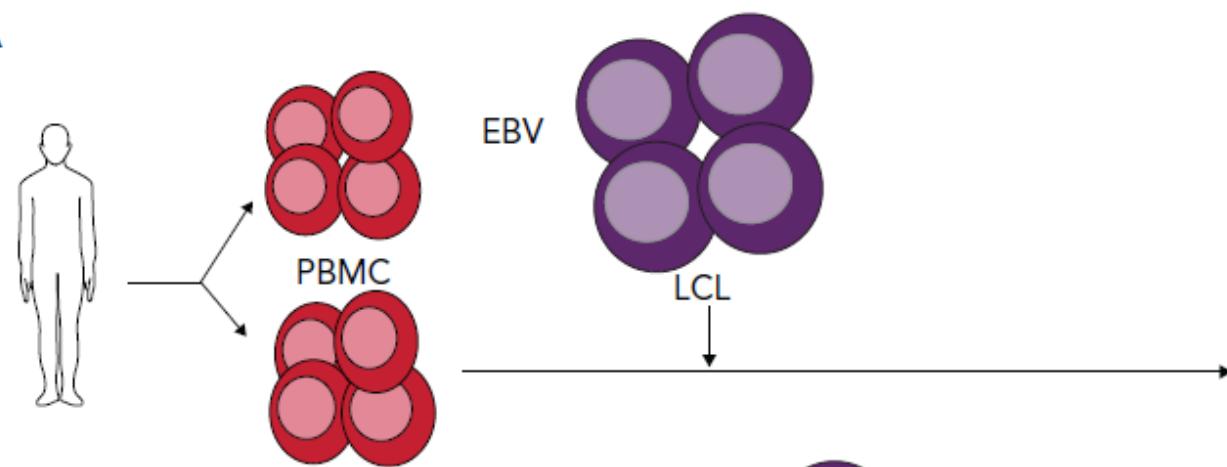
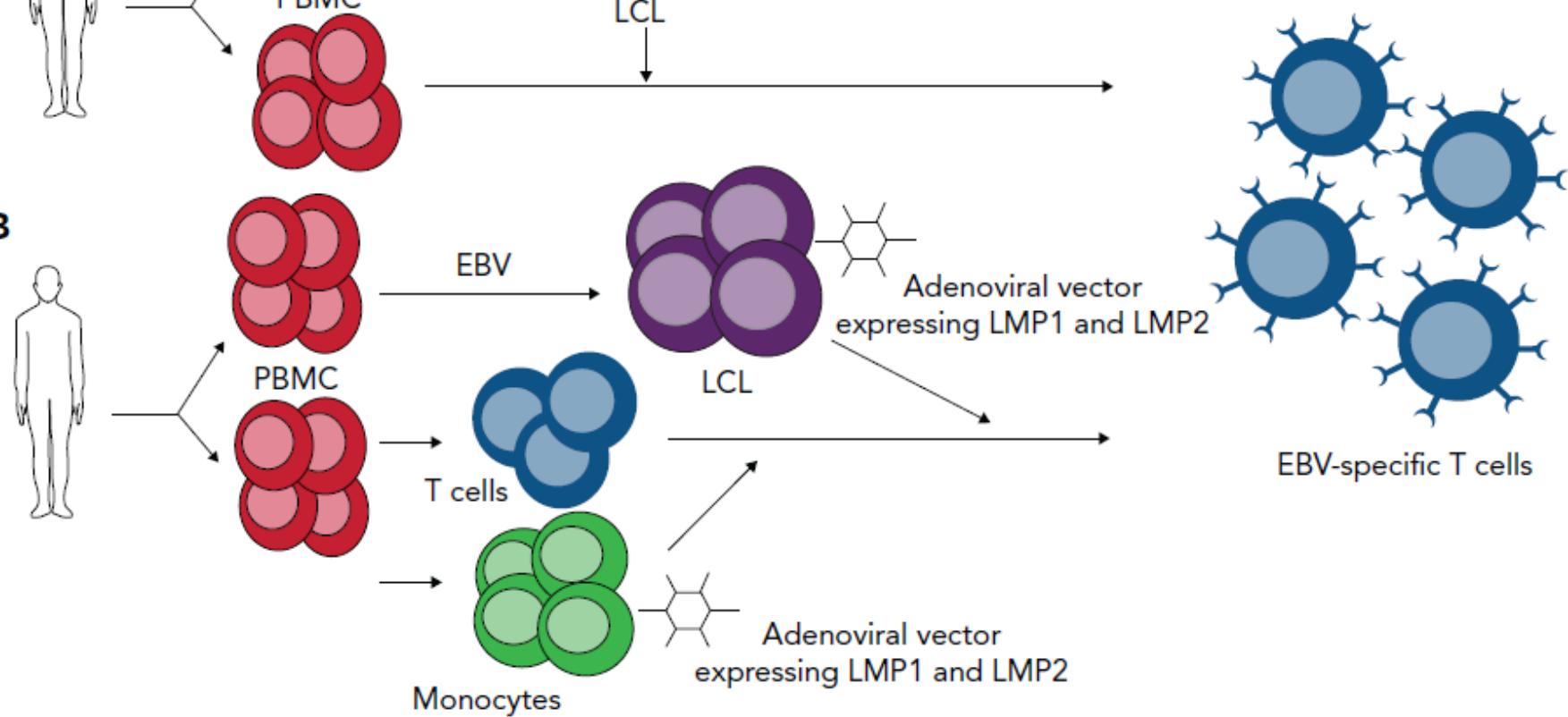
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Figure 3. ESTs generated targeting latency type III vs latency type II EBV-associated lymphoproliferative disorders.

Table 2. Published third-party EST trials

Study	Year	Target	N	Serious adverse events	Clinical results
94	2007	EBV	33	None	52% CR/PR
81,95	2010, 2012	EBV	5	None	4/5 CR
97	2013	CMV, EBV, Adv	50	8 cases GVHD (2 de novo)	74% CR/PR
96	2017	CMV, EBV, Adv, BK, HHV6	38	2 cases of de novo GVHD (grade 1)	92% CR/PR
92	2018	CMV, EBV, Adv	30	2 cases of de novo GVHD	93% CR/PR
90	2020	EBV	46	None	68% CR/PR (BMT) 54% CR/PR (SOT)

Les défis de demain : Eradiquer les virus persistants dans l'organisme (VIH, VHB, HPV, Herpesvirus)

Research priorities for an HIV cure: International AIDS Society Global Scientific Strategy 2021

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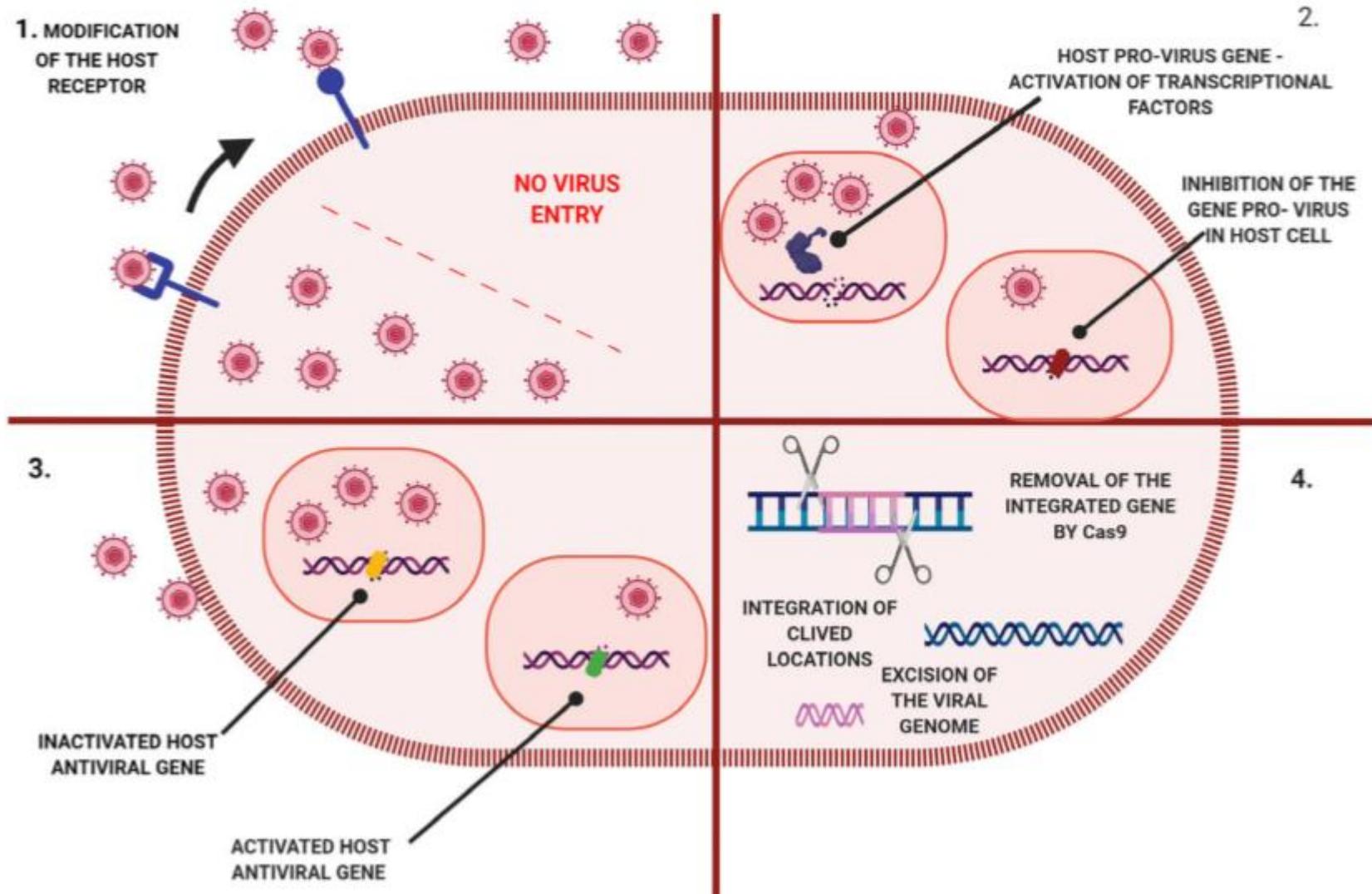
Deek S G et al *Nature Medicine* 2021

“With a combination of immune activators, neutralizing antibodies, and therapeutic vaccines, some nonhuman primate models have been cured, providing optimism for these approaches now being evaluated in human clinical trials”

“In vivo delivery of gene-editing tools to either target the virus, boost immunity or protect cells from infection, also holds promise for future HIV cure strategies.”.

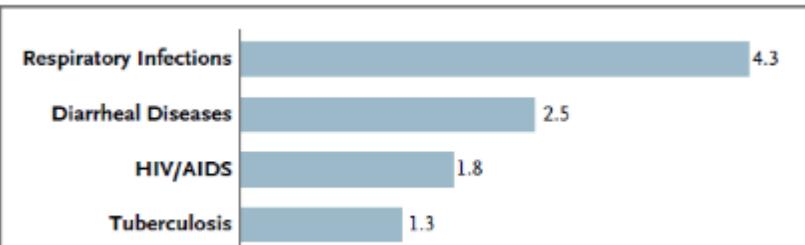
CRISPR/ cas9

(Clustered Regularly Interspaced Short Palindromic Repeats)



The Perpetual Challenge of Infectious Diseases

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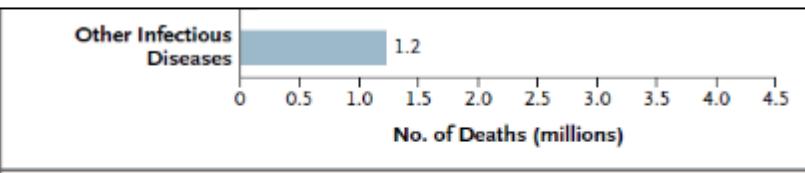


Figure 1. Leading Causes of Global Deaths from Infectious Diseases.
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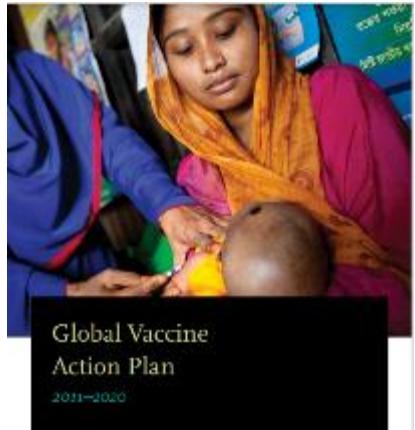
Nécessité d'augmenter l'arsenal antiviral :

Trouver de nouvelles cibles : biologie structurale / Interactome

Repositionnement d'ancienne drogue
immunothérapie (Ac neutralisant / CTL)
nanotechnology

Utilité du tt précoce, des associations d'antiviraux , associations AV+ immunomodula.
Possibilité d'éradication des infections virales persistantes ?

Antiviraux : l'histoire sans fin : les vaccins antiviraux



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