
**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of
The Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): January 8, 2018

CORBUS PHARMACEUTICALS HOLDINGS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
*(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)*

001-37348
*(Commission
File Number)*

46-4348039
*(IRS Employer
Identification No.)*

100 River Ridge Drive, Norwood, MA
(Address of principal executive offices)

02062
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(617) 963-0100**

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (17 CFR §230.405) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17 CFR §240.12b-2).

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

Item 8.01. Other Events.

On January 8, 2018, Corbus Pharmaceuticals Holdings, Inc. (the “Company”) used the slides attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 in connection with management presentations to describe its business.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) The following exhibit is furnished with this report:

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	<u>Investor Presentation.</u>

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

CORBUS PHARMACEUTICALS HOLDINGS, INC.

Dated: January 8, 2018

By: /s/ Yuval Cohen
Name: Yuval Cohen
Title: Chief Executive Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	<u>Investor Presentation.</u>



**Developing Breakthrough
Therapies for Rare Inflammatory
and Fibrotic Diseases**

NASDAQ:CRBP

www.corbuspharma.com





Forward-Looking Statements

This presentation contains certain forward-looking statements, including those relating to the Company's product development, clinical trials, clinical and regulatory timelines, market opportunity, competitive position, possible or assumed future results of operations, business strategies, potential growth opportunities and other statements that are predictive in nature. Additional written and oral forward-looking statements may be made by the Company from time to time in filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) or otherwise. The Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995 provides a safe-harbor for forward-looking statements. These statements may be identified by the use of forward-looking expressions, including, but not limited to, "expect," "anticipate," "intend," "plan," "believe," "estimate," "potential," "predict," "project," "should," "would" and similar expressions and the negatives of those terms. These statements relate to future events or our financial performance and involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties, and other factors which may cause actual results, performance or achievements to be materially different from any future results, performance or achievements expressed or implied by the forward-looking statements. Such factors include those set forth in the Company's filings with the SEC. Prospective investors are cautioned not to place undue reliance on such forward-looking statements, which speak only as of the date of this presentation. The Company undertakes no obligation to publicly update any forward-looking statement, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise.

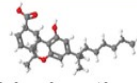
Overview

Focus on rare, chronic, serious inflammatory and fibrotic diseases



Anabasum

First-in-class oral synthetic endocannabinoid mimetic



Advancing 4 late-stage clinical studies



Positive Phase 2 data in 3 indications

Multiple clinical and regulatory milestones expected in 2018



Building a commercial pharmaceutical company



Anabasum Pipeline: Multiple Opportunities in Rare Autoimmune / Inflammatory / Fibrotic Diseases

	Indication	Patient Population	Phase of Development	Orphan Designation	Fast Track Status	Open-Label Extension	Nondilutive Funding	Highlights
Autoimmune	Systemic Sclerosis (SSc)	90,000 (US+EU)	Phase 3 "RESOLVE-1"	✓	✓	✓		Patient dosing expected to commence Q1 2018
	Dermatomyositis (DM)	70,000 (US)	Positive Phase 2			✓	✓ NIH Funded ¹	Next clinical study expected to commence H2 2018
	Systemic Lupus Erythematosus (SLE)	500,000 (US+EU)	Phase 2				✓ NIH Funded ¹	Patient dosing expected to commence Q1 2018
Genetic / Inflammatory	Cystic Fibrosis (CF)	75,000 (worldwide)	Launch Phase 2b	✓	✓		✓ CF Foundation ²	Phase 2b study expected to commence Q1 2018

1) NIH grants fund Phase 2 trials of anabasum in dermatomyositis and systemic lupus erythematosus; Corbus retains all rights to the product and owns the IND data
 2) Awarded 2015 for Phase 2a study; project completed



700,000

people living with these
4 conditions in the 7
Major Markets





4 out of 5

Top selling drugs in the USA are anti-inflammatory drugs that treat autoimmune diseases¹

\$41bn

Combined sales of these 4 drugs in the USA in 2016²

1) IgeaHub (August 8, 2017) Top 20 Drugs in the World 2017, <https://igeahub.com/2017/08/08/top-20-drugs-in-the-world-2017/>; Humira®, Enbrel®, Rituxan™ and Remicade®

2) Gen (March 6, 2017) The Top 15 Best-Selling Drugs of 2016, <https://www.genengnews.com/the-lists/the-top-15-best-selling-drugs-of-2016/77900868>

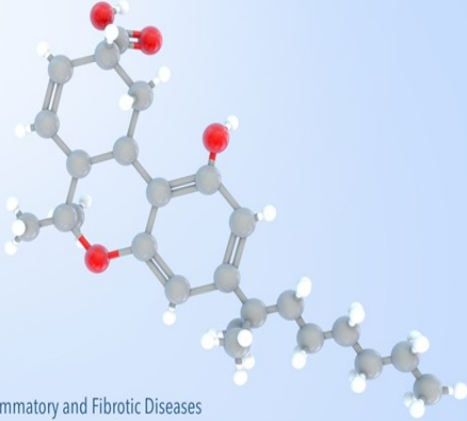
ZERO



- Drugs approved specifically for systemic sclerosis
- Drugs approved for treating inflammation in CF
- Drugs approved specifically for skin-predominant dermatomyositis



Anabasum Promotes Resolution of Inflammation and Fibrotic Responses



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Developing Breakthrough Therapies for Rare Inflammatory and Fibrotic Diseases

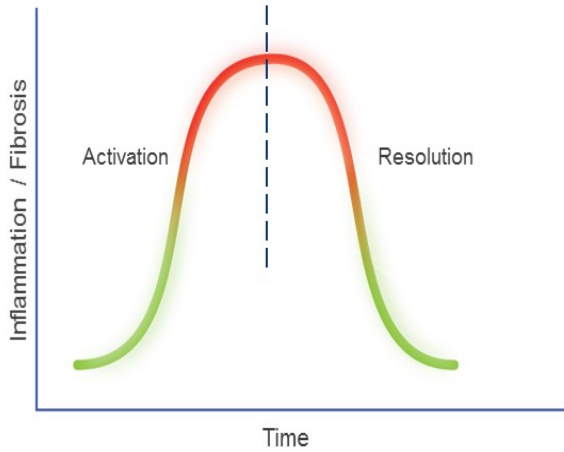
Anabasum: Mechanism of Action

[Link to Video](#)



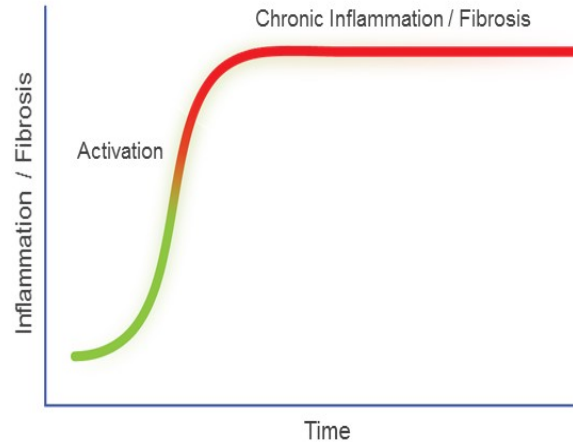
Normal Inflammatory Process vs. Chronic Inflammation

Normal Inflammation Process



Immune System Returns to Homeostasis

Inflammatory / Fibrotic Disease

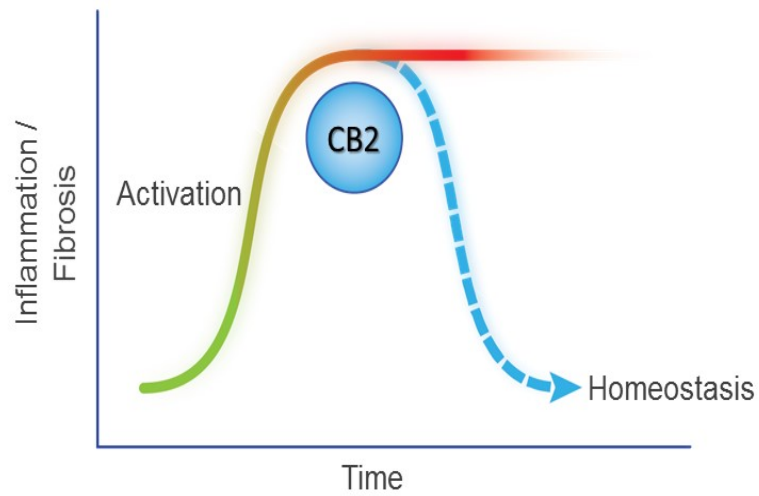


Immune System is Unable to Return to Homeostasis, Leading to Chronic Inflammation and Fibrosis, Tissue Damage, and Organ Dysfunction



Anabasum Promotes Resolution of Inflammation and Fibrotic Responses

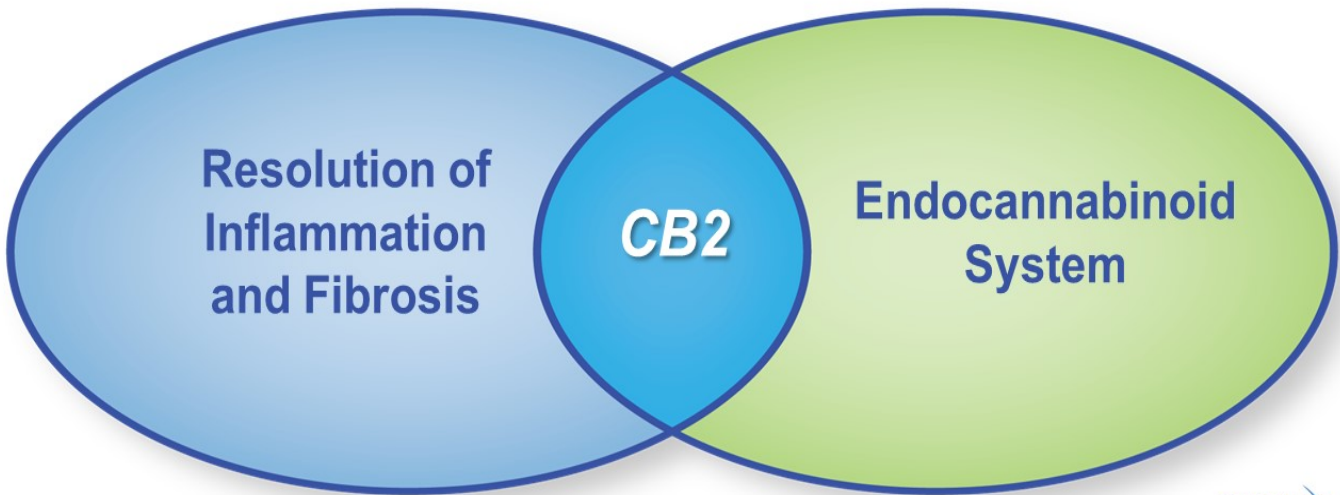
Resolution of Chronic Inflammation and Fibrosis



MOA Applicable to Multiple Inflammatory / Fibrotic Diseases

Endocannabinoids Play a Unique Role in Inflammation and Fibrosis

MOA of CB2 agonism: triggers resolution of inflammation¹







The Endocannabinoid System Has a Dual Role

Central Nervous System


CB1



N-terminal (extracellular side)
C-terminal (intracellular side)




CB1 receptors are mostly found in the brain




- Pain
- Nausea
- Spasms
- Appetite

Immune System


CB2



N-terminal (extracellular side)
C-terminal (intracellular side)



CB2 receptors are mostly within the immunesystem




- Immune modulation

Attractive Candidate for Rare + Chronic Inflammatory / Fibrotic Diseases

High


- CB2 Binding Affinity (Pro-resolution receptors in the immune system)



+


Low

- CB1 Binding Affinity (Analgesic receptors in the brain)
- Blood Brain Barrier Penetration



=

Targeting Inflammation Without Immunosuppression and Limited CNS Activity



Systemic Sclerosis:

- Ongoing Phase 3 RESOLVE-1 study
- Ongoing open-label extension
 - Clinically meaningful results demonstrated at 28 weeks
- Expect to report data from Phase 3 RESOLVE-1 study in 2020



Systemic Sclerosis

Chronic systemic autoimmune disease causing fibrosis of skin and internal organs

90,000

Patients in U.S. + EU



80%

Female patients



40-60 Years

Average age of patients

Lung Fibrosis

Common cause of death -
40%-60% mortality in 10 years



Key Takeaways



Life-threatening, rare disease



No SSc-specific drugs approved



Current therapy:
Immunosuppressive agents
(safety risk)



Need for proven safe and
effective therapies

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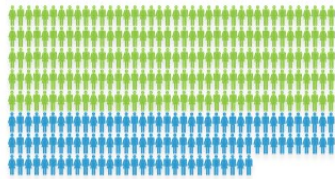


Ongoing Phase 3 RESOLVE-1 Study

Topline data expected 2020

~ 354 Subjects

1:1:1 overall ratio of
anabasum:placebo



Multinational



Double-blind

randomized, placebo-controlled

52 week study

Dosing

20 mg BID or

5 mg BID or

placebo

Primary Endpoint:

- Change from baseline in mRSS

Secondary Endpoints:

- Change from baseline in HAQ-DI
- ACR CRIS
- Change from baseline in FVC % predicted

Ongoing Open-Label Extension - Significant Improvement in mRSS and Other Clinical Outcomes at 28-Weeks



36 Adults

20 mg
Twice Daily

Open-Label Extension
28 weeks active dosing

75% of subjects achieved degree of improvement in mRSS correlated with improved survival

27/36
Subjects

33% reached mRSS ≤ 10 (low disease activity)

12/36
Subjects

22% reached mRSS ≤ 5 (very low disease activity)

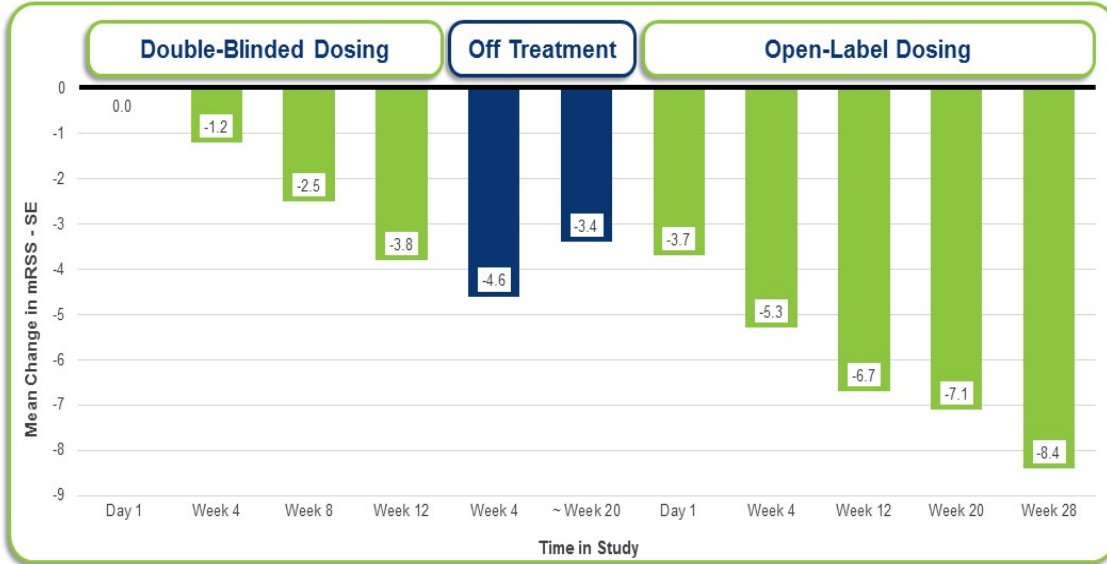
8/36
Subjects

8% reached mRSS = 0

3/36
Subjects

mRSS Results from Phase 2 Study – Primary Outcome for Phase 3 RESOLVE-1 Study

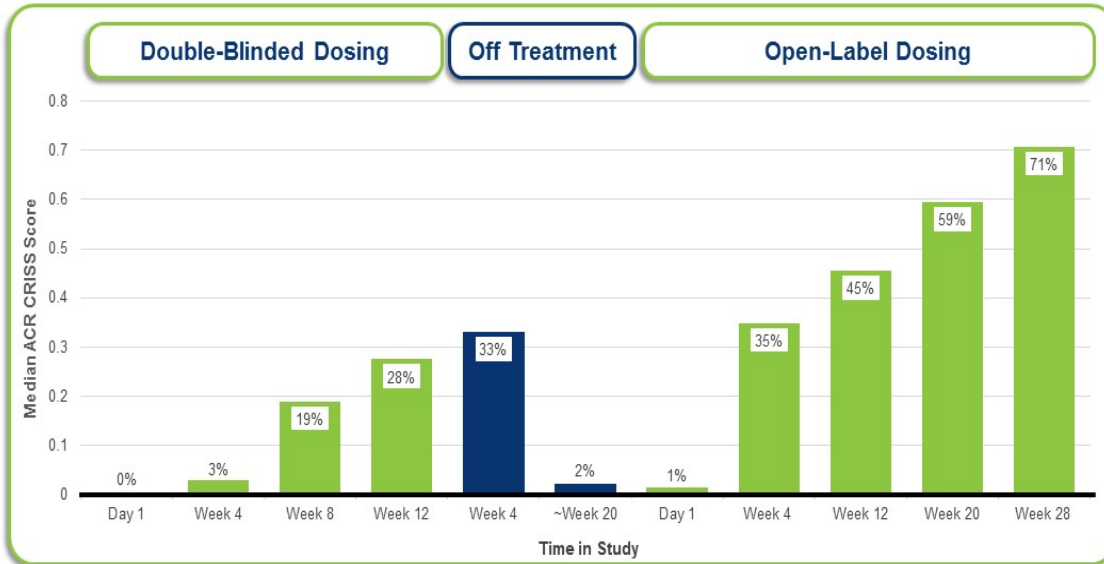
Achieved reduction in mRSS of 8.4 points from start of study
 (p < 0.0001, 2-side paired t-test) exceeding clinically important improvement (-4.7 points)





ACR CRISS Results from Phase 2 Study

ACR CRISS reached 71% (median) from start of study with 44% of subjects achieving a score > 70%





Safety and Tolerability Summary from Phase 2 Study

- **Anabasum was well tolerated**
- **No serious or severe anabasum-related TEAEs noted**
- **Most common adverse events were mild/moderate:**
 - Dizziness (22% in anabasum-treated subjects vs. 13% in placebo-treated subjects)
 - Fatigue (19% in anabasum-treated subjects vs. 7% in placebo-treated subjects)

Cystic Fibrosis:

- Positive Phase 2 data
- Phase 2b study expected to commence Q1 2018
- Support from the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation



Cystic Fibrosis

CF is a life-threatening, genetic disease that primarily affects the lungs and digestive system. CF is characterized by chronic lung inflammation that leads to lung damage and fibrosis.

30,000

Patients in the U.S.



75,000

Patients worldwide



40 Years

Average life expectancy of CF patients

Key Takeaways



Life-threatening, rare disease



Inflammation and fibrosis play key role in CF morbidity and mortality



Need for safe and effective drugs that target chronic inflammation and fibrosis is unmet and recognized



Pharmacoeconomics are proven and favorable

PEx

PULMONARY EXACERBATIONS

Cost
\$95,000
per episode



Dangerous manifestation
of lung disease

Annual rate



Shortness
of breath, cough,
sputum production
and reduced FEV1

Multiple
PEx per year



Increased
inflammation
accompanies PEx

Highest frequency in
patients 15-30 years of age*



Irreversible lung
function loss,
including FEV1



Design of Completed Phase 2 Study

Positive Data Announced March 2017

85 Adults



5:2 overall ratio
of anabasum:placebo

21 clinical sites across
the U.S. and Europe



Double-blind

randomized, placebo-controlled

16 week study – 12 week active dosing



Primary Endpoints:

- Evaluate safety and tolerability
 - Pulmonary exacerbations are an event of special interest

Secondary Endpoints:

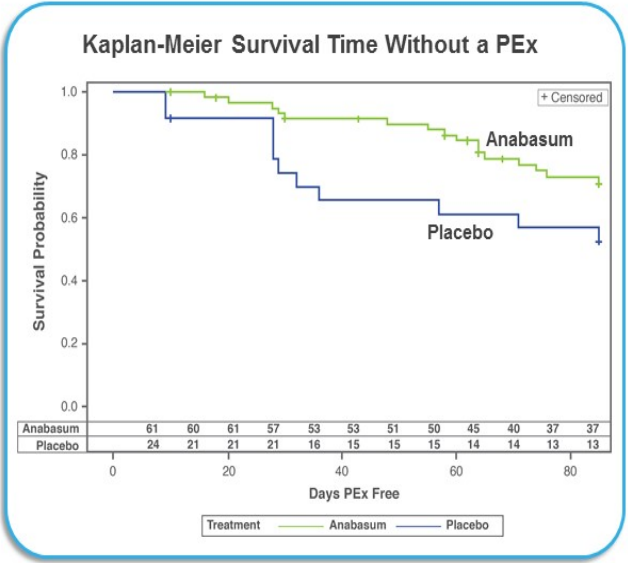
- FEV1 % predicted, lung clearance index and CFQ-R
- Blood and sputum biomarkers
- Microbiome in sputum
- Metabolipidomic profile
- Pharmacokinetics



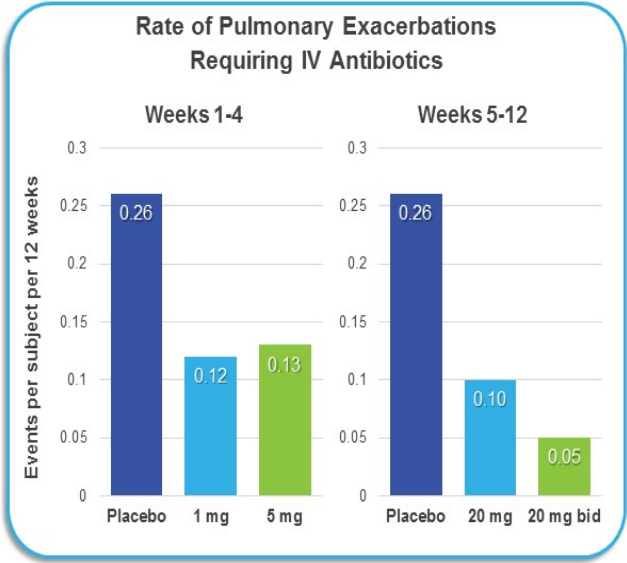
Safety and Tolerability Summary

- **Anabasum was well tolerated**
- **No serious or severe anabasum-related TEAEs noted**
- **Most common anabasum-related mild adverse event:**
 - Dry mouth (mild, 13% vs 0% in placebo)
- **FEV-1 remained stable throughout the study across all cohorts**

Anabasum Increases Time to First New Pulmonary Exacerbations Treated with Oral or IV Antibiotics



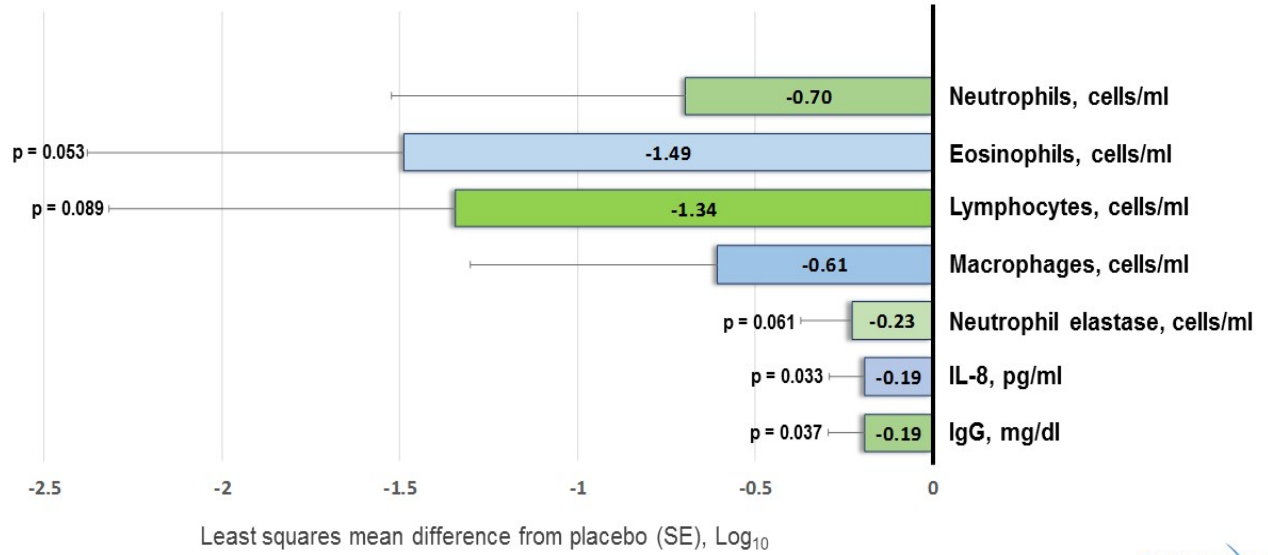
P = 0.047, Cox proportional hazard model, 2-sided, Hazard ratio = 0.452





Consistent Reduction in Key Inflammatory Biomarkers (Sputum)

Reduction with anabasum 20 mg BID compared to placebo (Log_{10})




Next Steps



Finalized protocol following Type C meeting with FDA



Discussions with the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation



Phase 2b expected to commence Q1 2018

Dermatomyositis:

- Positive Phase 2 data
- Late-breaking data presented at ACR
- Ongoing open-label extension
- Next clinical study expected to commence H2 2018



Dermatomyositis

Chronic systemic autoimmune disease characterized by inflammation of skin and muscles

70,000

Patients in the U.S. + EU



Skin & Muscle

Involvement can cause significant morbidity and mortality from interstitial lung disease

No FDA

Approved therapies for overall disease activity

Key Takeaways



Treated with immunosuppressive therapies, but with significant toxicities



Single center study underway at University of Pennsylvania



Collaborating with NIH



Dermatomyositis Phase 2 Clinical Study

Positive Data Announced November 2017

22 Adults



1:1 overall ratio of
anabasum:placebo

1 Site - University of Pennsylvania
Perelman School of Medicine



Double-blind

randomized, placebo-controlled

16 week study – 12 week active dosing



Primary Endpoints:

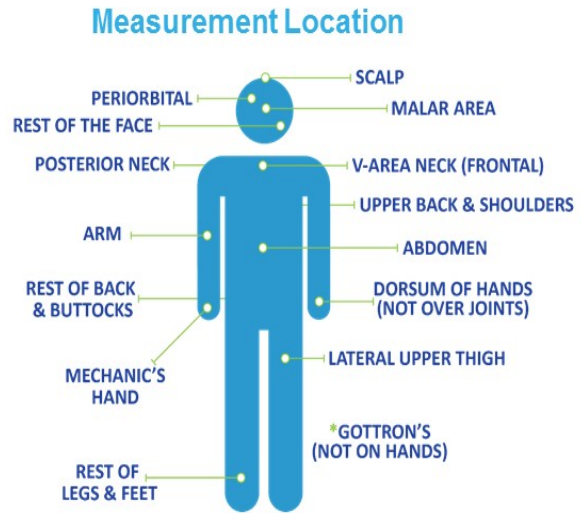
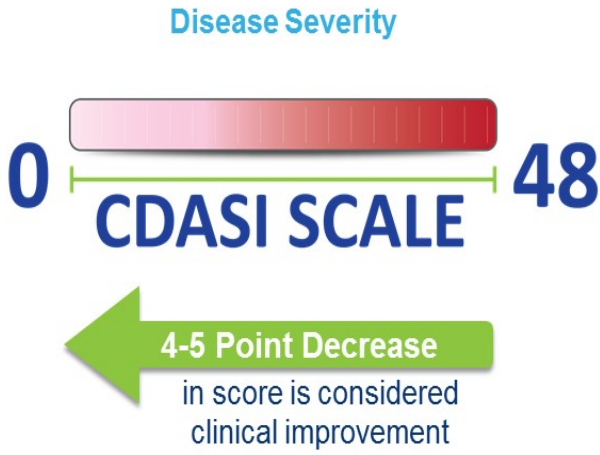
- Safety/tolerability
- Change in skin activity using CDASI

Secondary Endpoint:

- Quality of life and disease activity outcomes

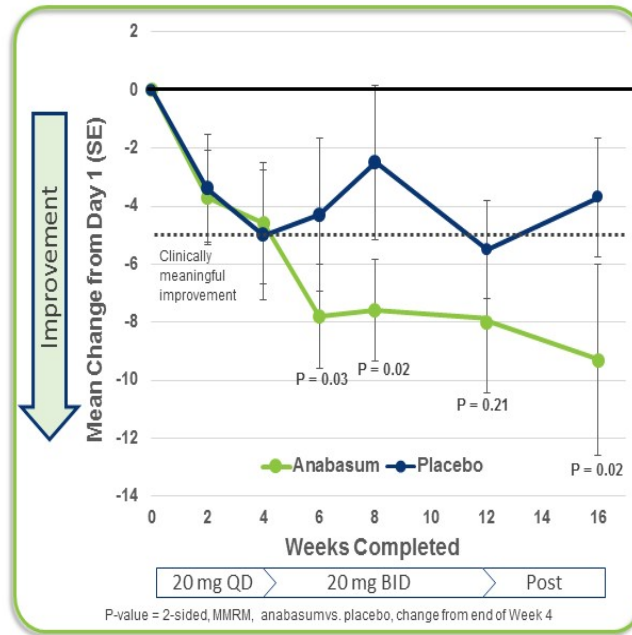
Cutaneous Dermatomyositis Disease Area and Severity Index (CDASI)

CDASI was developed to measure multiple inflammatory elements in the skin¹



CDASI Score – Anabasum Demonstrated Clinically Meaningful Improvement

Anabasum improved CDASI by 9.3 vs. 3.7 for placebo; $p = 0.04$, 2-sided MMRM



Changes in Skin





Safety and Tolerability Summary

- **Anabasum was well tolerated and demonstrated a favorable safety profile**
- **No evidence of immunosuppression**
- **No serious or severe side effects related to anabasum**
- **No subjects dropped out of the study**

Strong Evidence of Clinical Benefit Merits Further Development in Dermatomyositis

Next Steps



Systemic Lupus Erythematosus:

- Ongoing Phase 2 study
- Funded by NIH NIAID Autoimmunity Centers of Excellence



Systemic Lupus Erythematosus

Chronic systemic autoimmune disease characterized by inflammation of skin and muscles

500,000

Patients in the US + EU



- Occurs more often in women of child bearing age
- Higher incidence and more severe in black and Asian populations

NON-IMMUNOSUPPRESSIVE TREATMENTS NEEDED

Key Takeaways



Treated with immunosuppressive therapies that have significant toxicities



Represents largest indication targeted by anabasum



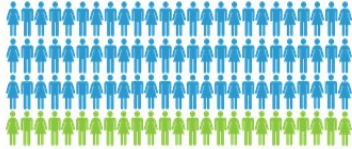
Study funded by the NIH NIAID Autoimmunity Centers of Excellence



Ongoing SLE Phase 2 Study

Study Commenced December 2017

~100 adult SLE patients with active musculoskeletal disease



1:1:1:1 overall ratio of anabasum:placebo

15 clinical sites in the United States



Double-blind

randomized, placebo-controlled

3 month study with 1 month follow-up



Primary Outcomes:

- Assess pain from active musculoskeletal disease

Secondary Outcomes:

- Overall disease activity using SLE Responder Index
- Safety of Estrogens in Lupus Erythematosus National Assessment (SELENA)
- SLE Disease Activity Index (SLEDAI)
- British Isles Lupus Activity Group (BILAG)

Management Team



Yuval Cohen, PhD
Chief Executive Officer, Director

Co-founder and former President of Celsus Therapeutics (CLTX). Expertise in developing anti-inflammatory drugs including for CF



Mark Tepper, PhD
President & Chief Scientific Officer

Former VP U.S. Research & Operations, EMD Serono;
Sr. Investigator, Bristol-Myers Squibb



Sean Moran, CPA, MBA
Chief Financial Officer

Former CFO: InVivo (NVIV), Celsion (CLSN), Transport Pharma, Echo Therapeutics (ECTE) & Anika Therapeutics (ANIK)



Barbara White, MD
Chief Medical Officer

Board-certified rheumatologist and clinical immunologist. Previously SVP and Head, R&D Stiefel, a GSK company, VP and Head of Immunology Therapeutic Area for UCB, VP and Senior Director of Clinical Development for MedImmune, and Director of Medical Affairs, Inflammation Therapeutic Area for Amgen



Board of Directors



Amb. Alan Holmer Ret. - Chairman of the Board

- Former CEO of PhRMA (1996-2005)
- Over two decades of public service in Washington, D.C. including Special Envoy to China (2007-2009)
- Former board member of Inspire Pharma
- Chairman of the Board of the Metropolitan Washington, D.C. Chapter of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation



Avery W. (Chip) Catlin

- Retired CFO Celldex Therapeutics (CLDX)
- Over 20 years experience in industry: Repligen (CFO) and Endogen (CFO)



David Hochman

- Managing Partner of Orchestra Medical Ventures
- Over 19 years of venture capital and investment banking experience
- Former Managing Director of Spencer Trask Ventures, Inc.



Renu Gupta, MD

- Over 25 years of R&D, regulatory and senior management experience in the biopharma industry
- Former EVP, and CMO of Insmed, a specialty CF company
- Former VP and Head of U.S. Clinical Research and Development, Novartis
- Senior Advisor to CEOs and Boards of biopharma



Paris Panayiotopoulos

- Former President and Chief Executive Officer and a member of the Board of Directors of ARIAD Pharmaceuticals, Inc., which was acquired by Takeda Pharmaceuticals for \$5.2 billion
- Former President of EMD Serono, Inc., President of the Serono Research and Development Institute and President of Merck Serono, Tokyo, Japan
- Has led multiple partnerships, including those with Pfizer Inc., Bristol-Myers Squibb Company, Eli Lilly and Company, Sumitomo Dainippon Pharma Co., Ltd., Mitsubishi Tanabe Pharma Corporation, Otsuka Pharmaceutical Co. Ltd. and Incyte Corporation



Scientific Advisory and Principal Investigators

Scientific Advisors

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Charles Serhan, PhD



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Principal Investigators

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US PI – SSc



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SPECIAL SURGERY

Christopher Denton, PhD, FRCP

EU PI – SSc



Royal Free London **NHS**
NHS Foundation Trust

James Chmiel, MD

US PI – CF



CASE WESTERN RESERVE
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Stuart Elborn, MD, FRCP

EU PI – CF



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US PI – DM



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Meggan Mackay, MD

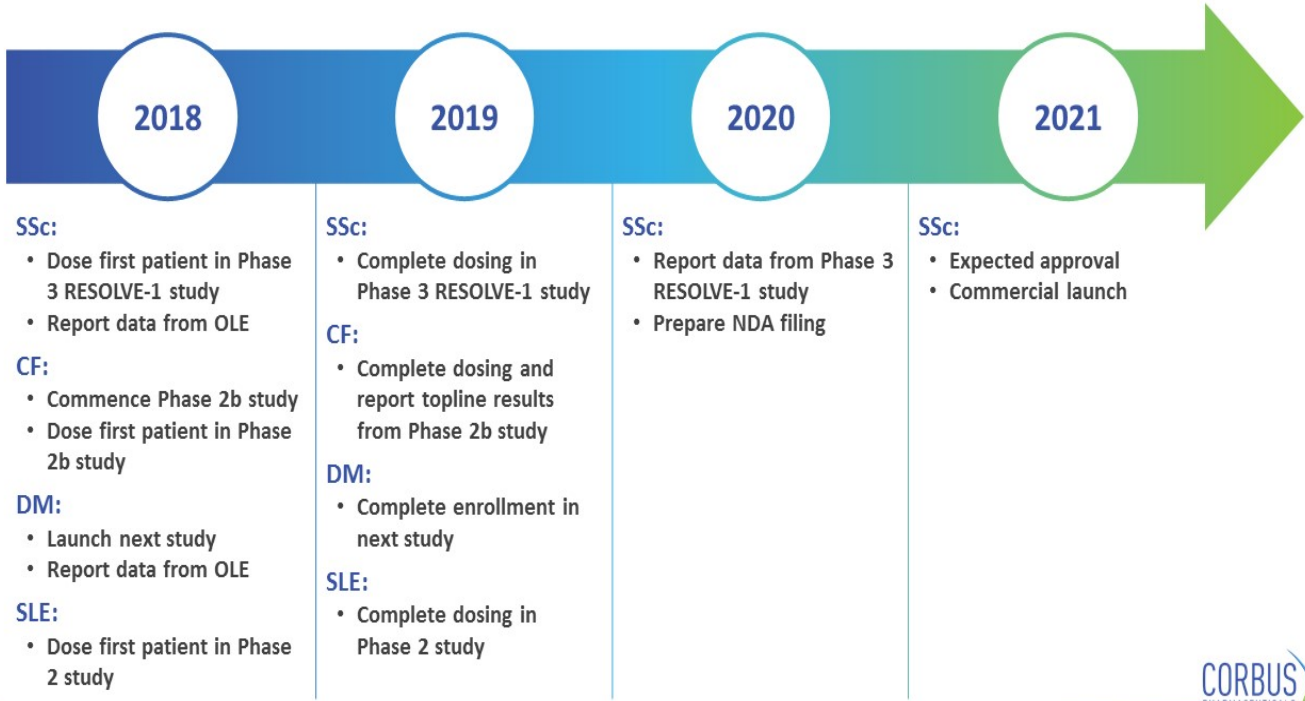
US PI – SLE



HOFSTRA NORTHWELL
SCHOOL of MEDICINE
AT HOFSTRA UNIVERSITY



Expected Milestones





Financial Profile: CRBP (NASDAQ)

\$473MM

Market cap*

55.6MM

Common shares
outstanding
(64.6MM fully diluted)**

\$120MM

Raised to-date
+

\$20MM

non-dilutive funding from
N.I.H. and CF Foundation

816K

50 day average
daily volume*

\$67.2MM

Cash balance**

Summary

Focused on rare diseases with no current approved therapies



First-in-class drug targeting inflammation + fibrosis



Multiple clinical and regulatory milestones expected in 2018



Building a commercial pharmaceutical company





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SSc Backup Slides



Design of Completed Phase 2 Study

Positive Results of Double-blinded, Placebo-controlled Portion of Trial Reported in November 2016



43 Adults

2:1 overall ratio of anabasum:placebo

9 clinical sites across the U.S.



Double-blind

randomized, placebo-controlled

16 week study – 12 week active dosing



Primary Endpoints:

- Safety and tolerability
- ACR CRIS

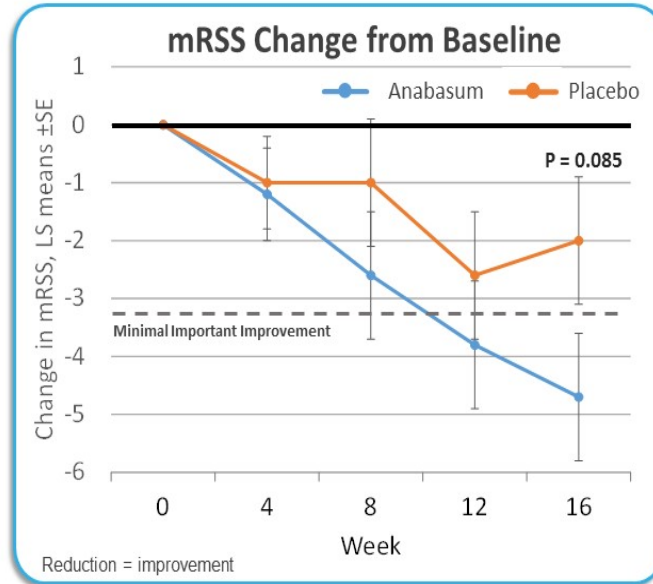
Secondary Endpoints:

- ACR-CRIS domains: mRSS; FVC % predicted; PtGA; MDGA; HAQ-DI
- Patient-reported outcomes



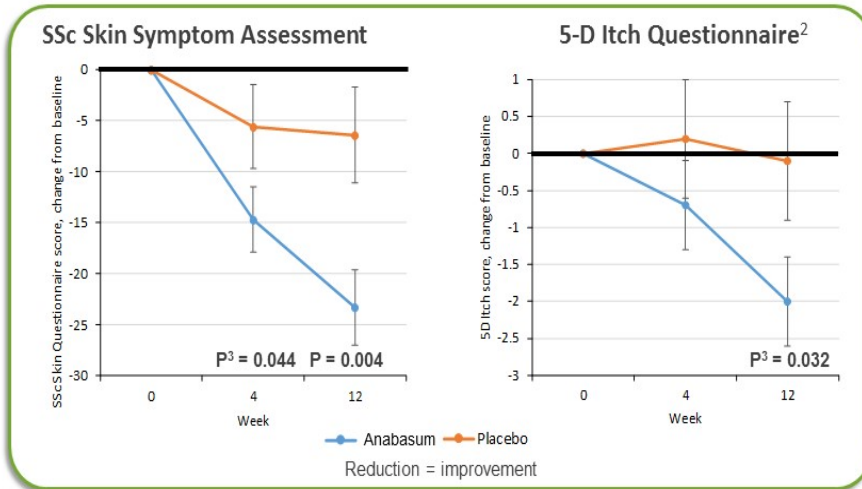
mRSS: Skin Thickening Improved

Primary Endpoint in Phase 3 RESOLVE-1 Study





Improved Patient Reported Skin Symptoms



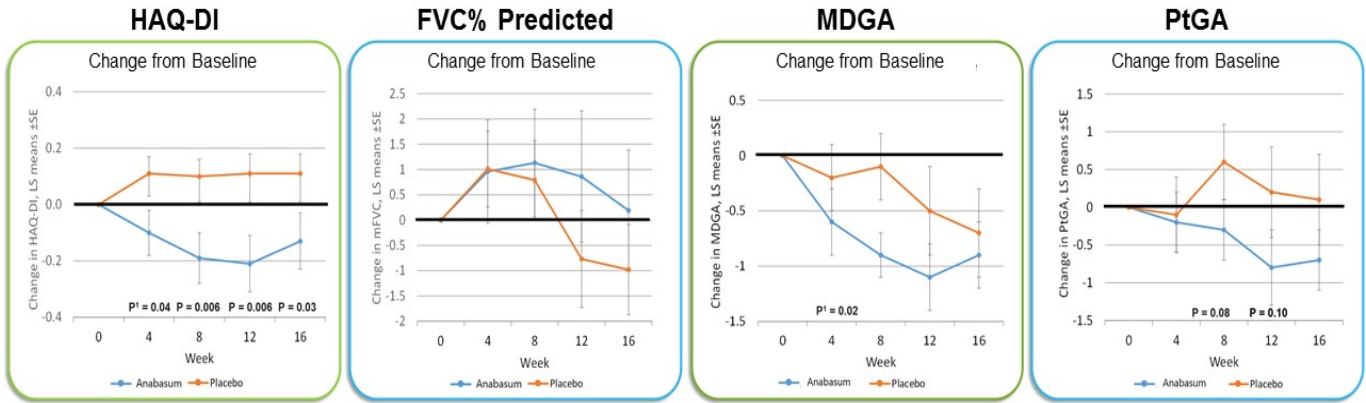
- Greater improvement in skin symptoms than placebo-treated subjects
- Improvements were seen as early as 4 weeks with anabasum treatment

1: Ziemek J et al. Rheumatology 2016;55:911. 2: Elman S et al. Br J Dermatol 2010;162:587.
2: Efficacy population, least squares means ± SE, analysis of covariance model, one-sided p-value.



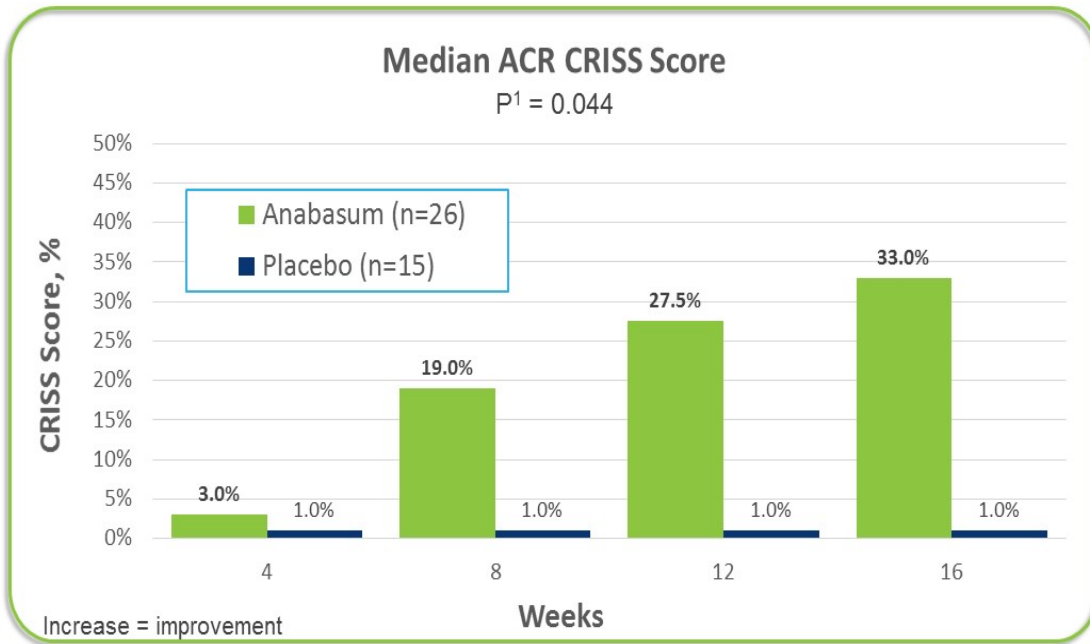


Additional Efficacy Outcomes Favor Anabasum



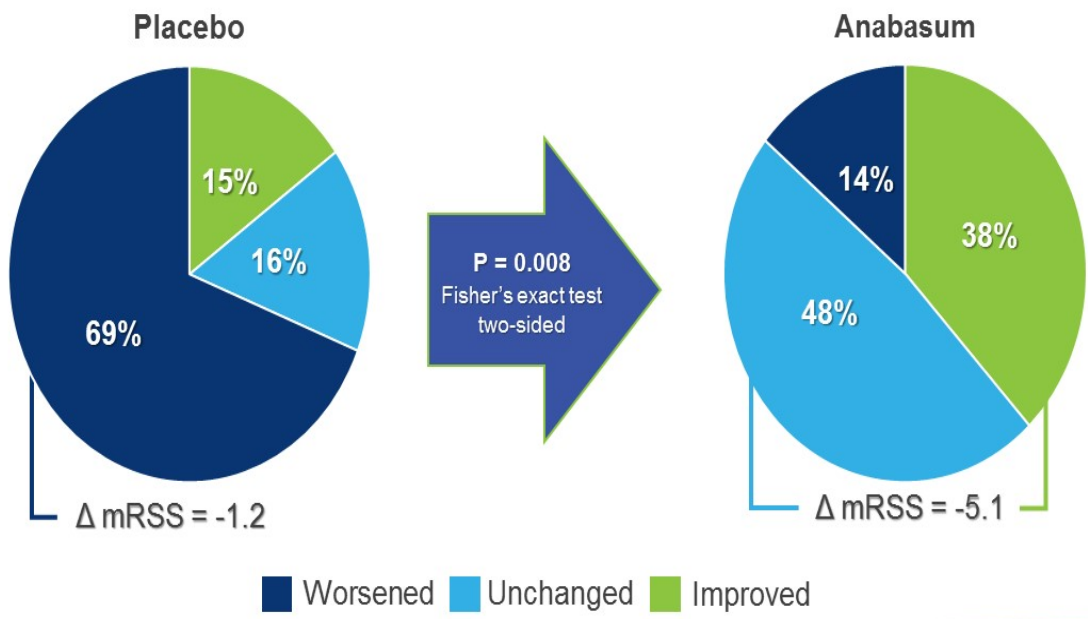


Improvements in ACR-CRISS Scores



On Target Effect: Anabasum Reduces *Inflammation* in Skin (Histology Analysis)

Change in *inflammation* after only 12 weeks of treatment



On Target Effect: Anabasum Reduces *Fibrosis* in Skin (Histology Analysis)

Change in *fibrosis* after only 12 weeks of treatment



■ Worsened ■ Unchanged ■ Improved



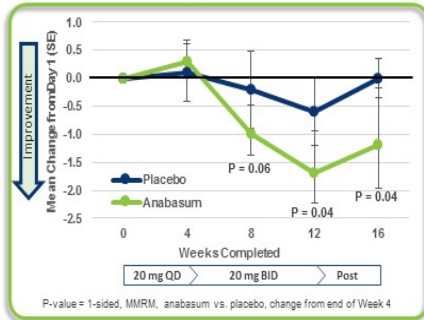


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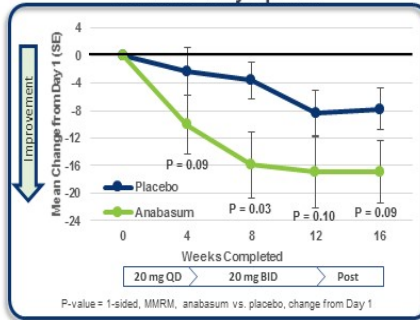


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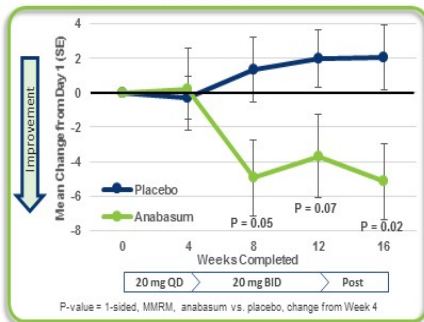
Patient Skin Global



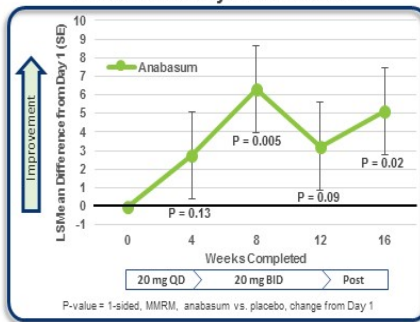
Skindex-29 Symptoms



PROMIS-29 Pain Interference



PROMIS-29 Physical Function



CDASI Damage Index

