

# IMPAACT 2005 Update

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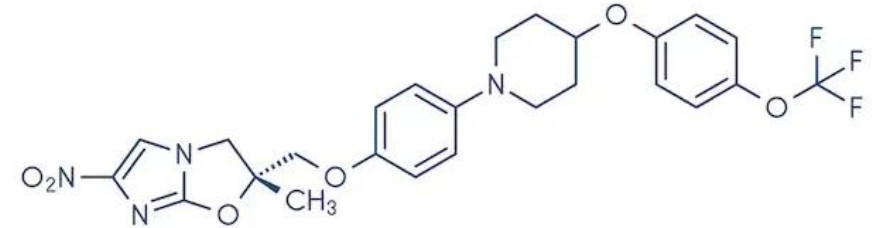
**IMPAACT 2005:** *A Phase I/II Open-label,  
Single-Arm Study to Evaluate the  
Pharmacokinetics, Safety, and Tolerability of  
Delamanid in Combination with Optimized  
Multidrug Background Regimen (OBR) for  
Multidrug-Resistant Tuberculosis (MDR-TB)  
in HIV-infected and HIV-uninfected Children  
with MDR-TB*

# Background & Rationale: Delamanid

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- **The drug**

- Nitroimidazole class, mycobacterial cell wall synthesis inhibitor
- Bactericidal, with potent sterilizing activity
- First-in-class for MDR-TB; EMA approved; WHO guidance



- **Microbiologic efficacy in adults**

- **RCT: DLM vs. placebo + OBR**
- N=481 adults (4 HIV+) with PTB
- DLM 100mg BID vs 200mg BID vs placebo (2 mos on Rx + 1 mo F/U)
- **Higher 2-month culture conversion (45.4% vs. 29.6%;  $p=0.008$ )** with DLM c/w placebo

- **Safety and long-term outcomes in adults**

- **F/U 24-mo Observational Study in Adults**
- **lower mortality** in those who received >6 months vs. < 2 months of DLM (1.0% vs 8.3%;  $p<0.001$ )
- **74.5% vs 55% favorable outcomes** ( $p<0.001$ )
- *QT prolongation but no clinical SAEs*

- **Critical Need for Safe and Effective Injectable-Sparing Treatment Regimens for MDR-TB in Children**

# Rationale for Injectable-sparing Regimen in Children

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## Injectables commonly cause severe, often-irreversible toxicities

- **Ototoxicity**
  - $\geq 25\%$  of children, often irreversible
  - Significantly affects neurocognitive development, psychosocial functioning, school performance [Seddon JA et al Thorax 2014;69(5):458-64]
  - Programmatic challenge
- Profound source of **physical and emotional suffering** for children and caregivers

## The contribution of injectables to *standard* MDR-TB treatment efficacy is unclear

- **In vitro**--amikacin weakly bactericidal; kanamycin bacteriostatic [Sanders WE et al Tubercle 1982;63(3):201-8.]
- **EBA**-- Amikacin 5-15mg/kg/day has **no early bactericidal activity** [Donald PR et al IJTLD 2001;5(6):533-8; Jindani A et al Am Rev Resp Dis 1980;121(6):939-49.]
- **Clinical outcomes:**
  - Adults: Large, Individual Patient Data Meta-analysis including 9153 pts, the use of kanamycin, amikacin, or capreomycin vs. no injectable was **NOT associated with a successful treatment outcome** [Ahuja SD et al PloS Med 2012;9(8):e1001300.]
  - Children: IPD meta-analysis of 842 children: 119 children were treated **without injectables** and **71.9% with culture-confirmed MDR-TB had a successful outcome.**

## Adding *new drug* with proven sterilizing activity to MDR-TB regimen should improve outcomes significantly

- Example of bedaquiline (high cure rates in patients with TB resistant to injectables (pre-XDR and XDR TB) [Njeka IJTLD 2015]
- Example of another nitroimidazole, pretomanid (high potency in combination with moxifloxacin, pyrazinamide)

## Children typically have paucibacillary disease, so generally are easier to treat than adults

# Delamanid Pharmacokinetics & Safety

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## Adult PK highlights

- $T_{\max}$  = 4 hours ;  $T_{1/2}$  is 30-38 hours; metabolites (including DM-6705) 150-600 hours
- Increased bioavailability with food & with separating dose from companion drugs; non-linear bioavailability
- No significant DDI with key ARV
- Effects of HIV infection on absorption unknown

## Adult safety

- QT prolongation (maximum 15 ms) , no other cardiac toxicity
- Maximal QT effect at 8 weeks, associated with DM-6705 exposures

## Pediatric PK & safety: (Otsuka Trials 232 (14 days) and 233 (24 weeks))

- In small pediatric trial of children with MDR-TB without HIV infection:
  - Ages 0-17 (n=31): exposures similar to those seen in adults (exception: Group 4)
  - Drug safe and well-tolerated in children (**no QT prolongation**).
- Delamanid Pediatric Formulation (DPF) developed and available
  - bioequivalence study completed: 125mg DPF is bioequivalent to 100mg adult formulation DLM

# Objectives

In HIV-infected and HIV-uninfected children treated for MDR-TB with OBR

## Primary Objectives

- Evaluate the PK of DLM, at doses most likely to achieve exposures similar to those achieved in adults with 100mg twice-daily
- Safety of DLM over treatment period (24 weeks)

## Secondary Objectives

- Effects of HIV co-infection and/or co-treatment, dose, age contributions on PK variability
- Acceptability/ tolerability of DLM
- Long-term safety (72 weeks following treatment initiation)
- TB treatment outcomes

## Exploratory Objectives

- HIV treatment outcomes ; TB treatment outcomes, safety and tolerability of injectable-sparing, delamanid-containing regimens in the treatment of MDR-TB; PK-QT relationships; longitudinal biomarkers of TB treatment responses in children

# Endpoints

## Primary Endpoints

- **PK:** population PK model and simulation results
- **Safety:** Over 24 weeks--Grade 3 or 4 AE, permanent study drug discontinuation due to AE, QTcF  $\geq$  500 ms

## Secondary Endpoints

- Covariate effects on population PK model
- Grade  $\geq$  2 AE, QTcF  $\geq$  500 ms, or  $\Delta$ QTcF > 60ms, over 72 weeks
- Drug discontinuation for reasons other than toxicity
- Acceptability questionnaire responses, by week 24
- Bacteriological cure, probable cure, death, treatment failure

# Study Design

**Design:** Phase I/II open label, single-arm study with modified age de-escalation approach

**Cohort 1:** ages 12 to <18 years: adult formulation

**Cohort 2:** ages 6 to <12 years: adult formulation

**Cohort 3:** ages 3 to <6 years: pediatric formulation

**Cohort 4:** ages 0 to <3 years: pediatric formulation

**Regimen:** **Cohorts 1 & 2:** 100 mg BID for >35 kg; 50 mg BID for 15-35 kg

**Cohorts 3 & 4:** open to accrual and dosing dependent on weight of participant:

- >12 kg: 25 mg twice daily
- >10 to 12kg: 10 mg twice daily
- >8 to 10kg: 5 mg twice daily
- 5.5 to 8 kg: 5 mg once daily

**Duration:** 24 weeks on study treatment, follow-up through 96 weeks

**Population:** Children with confirmed or probable MDR-TB (including XDR), with or without HIV co-infection

**PK sampling:** 14 samples per child, over 28 weeks; 504 total observations  
(semi-intensive & sparse)

\*participants will also receive optimized background treatment, ART as appropriate



# Safety Assessment & Monitoring

- **Risks**

- **QT prolongation**--ECGs each study visit while on drug, 4 weeks after drug discontinuation; ECGs read centrally

- **Toxicity management**

- Specific management guidelines for ECG-determined or clinical cardiac toxicity, liver toxicity
- Guidance for management of known toxicities related to companion drugs

- **Monitoring**

- Protocol team, in real time
- **SMC—Meetings annually and as-needed; if pre-specified AEs occur**

# IMPAACT 2005 Milestones & Updates

- MOP, LPC, CRFs finalized
- January 2018: Study opened to accrual
- February 2018: Regional study-specific start-up training held in Cape Town, South Africa
- 15 June 2018: First site (KCMC, Tanzania) activated!
- June/July 2018: First enrollment expected!!



# Sites & Activation Timeline

IMPAACT 2005 Participating Sites	Activation Date
<b>Tanzania</b>	
5118 KCMC	15 June 2018
<b>Botswana</b>	
12701 Gaborone	Expected July 2018
12702 Molepolole	Expected July 2018
<b>South Africa</b>	
31790 DTTC	Expected August 2018
31929 Sizwe	Expected August 2018
31976 PHRU Matlosana	Expected August 2018
<b>India</b>	
31441 BJMC	Expected September 2018

# The Team!



*Thank  
you*

# Study schema

**Semi-intensive PK:** Weeks 1, 2, 8  
**Sparse PK:** Weeks 4, 12, 16, 24, 28

**Minimum of 9 participants/cohort (6HIV+, 3HIV-)**  
**Minimum of 8 children taking EFV**  
**Minimum of 8 children taking PI**

