

Patient Acceptability of INP104 Aligns With the Unmet Needs Identified in the I-BEAM Survey

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Introduction

- Migraine is an undertreated disease despite the availability of acute therapies¹
- Patients have reported dissatisfaction with several aspects of therapy including speed of onset of pain relief, achieving pain freedom, consistency of effect, headache recurrence, and side effects^{2,3}
- INP104 is a novel, investigational drug-device combination product that targets delivery of dihydroergotamine (DHE) mesylate to the upper nasal cavity using Precision Olfactory Delivery (POD[®]) technology, which results in greater, more consistent drug absorption⁴
- The safety, tolerability, and exploratory efficacy of INP104 were assessed in the Phase 3 STOP 301 study over 24 or 52 weeks⁵
 - No new safety signals were identified
 - INP104 led to patient-reported pain freedom in 38.0% of patients, most bothersome symptom freedom in 52.1%, and pain relief in 66.3% at 2 hours for the first INP104-treated migraine attack (MA)
- As part of the STOP 301 trial, the acceptability of INP104 was evaluated through a patient acceptability questionnaire (PAQ). The results of the questionnaire were interpreted in the context of unmet needs evaluated through a patient survey and interview in the I-BEAM study^{6,7}
 - Both I-BEAM (2019) and STOP 301 (2018-2020) were performed prior to the launch of gepants and ditans

Objective

- To report unmet needs in the treatment of migraine from the perspective of patients with migraine as assessed by the I-BEAM study
- To report the product acceptability of INP104 over 24 weeks from the pivotal Phase 3 STOP 301 clinical trial

Methods

I-BEAM: A Patient Experience Study

- The I-BEAM study consisted of surveys and interviews with participants to better understand patient experiences, including satisfaction levels with current treatments and unmet needs
- The target population was 98% female, aged 20-50, experiencing 1-12 MAs per month who “always” or “sometimes” took prescription medication for MAs within the past 6 months
- Recruitment was conducted through social media and referrals (N=50)
- Quantitative Survey (15 minutes; n=50)
 - Obtained diagnosis and treatment information, including past and current treatments, and level of satisfaction
- Qualitative Interview (1 hour; n=49)
 - In-person individual-depth interview (n=24) or web-enabled telephone-depth interview (n=25)
 - Obtained more detailed insight into perspectives surrounding diagnosis and treatment

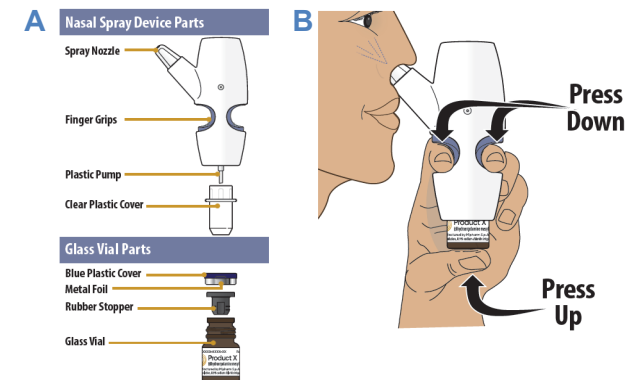
STOP 301: A Phase 3 Clinical Trial of INP104

- STOP 301 was a Phase 3, open-label, single-group study assessing the safety, tolerability,

exploratory efficacy, and product acceptability of INP104 (NCT03557333)

- The study consisted of a 4-week screening period, a 24-week treatment period for all patients, a treatment extension to 52 weeks for a subset of patients, and a 2-week post-treatment follow-up for all patients
- Patients were male or female adults (18-65 years) in good health with a diagnosis of frequent migraine, defined as experiencing a minimum of 2 MAs, with or without aura, each month not qualifying as chronic migraine during the previous 6 months per the *International Classification of Headache Disorders* (version 3 beta)
- During the screening period, patients were on a current “best usual care” treatment. After the screening period, all patients were provided with up to 3 doses/week of INP104 (Figure 1) to nasally self-administer (1.45 mg) with all self-recognized MAs over 24 weeks (or 52 weeks)
- A 9-question PAQ asking patients to assess the acceptability, usability, and effectiveness of INP104 was administered at the end of the study. Results from 6 of these questions will be reported here, as the remaining 3 questions relate to dysgeusia, discomfort in the nose, and determining if patients would ask their doctors for a prescription once available
 - Patients responded using a 5-item scale from “strongly agree” to “strongly disagree” (or not applicable)

Figure 1. (A) INP104 Product and (B) Actuation of INP104



Results

I-BEAM⁶

- Survey participants felt that speed of relief (22%), reliability of effect (22%), and duration of relief (18%) were lacking with their current treatments (Figure 2)
- The most frequently mentioned features of an ideal acute medication for migraine included:
 - Fast acting (15-30 minutes)
 - Long lasting (12-24 hours)
 - Providing complete or near-complete relief
 - Able to be taken any time during the migraine
 - Having few or no side effects, although many patients were willing to accept minor side effects as a trade-off for increased speed and efficacy
 - One medication to relieve all symptoms

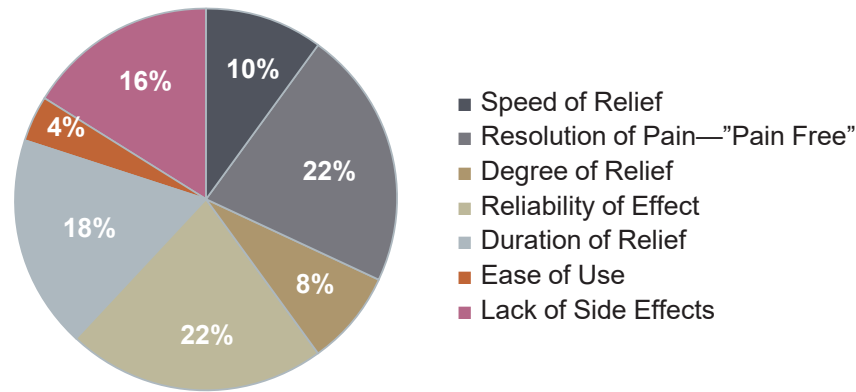
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Figure 2. Participant Views on What Is Most Lacking in Current Medication



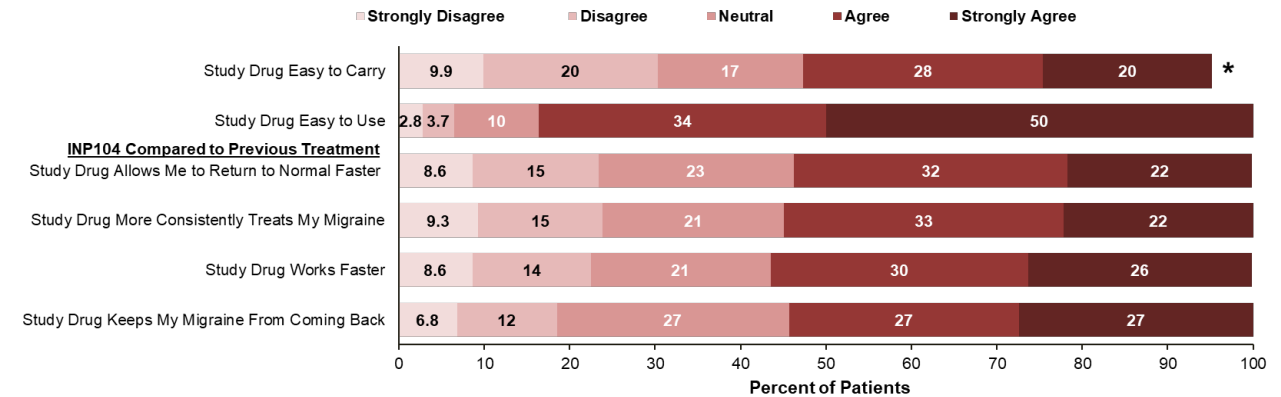
STOP 301⁷

- 360 patients enrolled and 354 received at least 1 dose of INP104, comprising the full safety set (FSS), and took 5,099 doses of INP104 over the first 24 weeks
- 74% of patients completed 24 weeks of the study, with 73 patients entering the extension (and 90% of those completing 52 weeks)
- Most patients agreed/strongly agreed that INP104 was easy to use (84%)
- Compared to their previous best usual care:
 - 54% of patients agreed/strongly agreed that INP104 allowed them to return to normal activities faster
 - 56% and 55% of patients agreed/strongly agreed that INP104 worked faster and more consistently, respectively
 - 54% of patients agreed/strongly agreed that INP104 lasted longer (**Figure 3**)

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Figure 3. PAQ Responses (24-week FSS, N=354)



Note: Data are self-reported via a patient e-diary.

*Remaining 5% never used INP104 outside of the home.

Conclusion

- Most patients found INP104 easy to use and carry, and that INP104 provided faster-acting consistent benefit with longer-lasting relief, and allowed faster return to normal activities compared to their previous best usual care
- Results from the STOP 301 study,⁵ including the PAQ, align with the unmet needs identified by the I-BEAM survey: (1) Fast acting; (2) long lasting; (3) providing complete or near-complete relief; (4) can be taken any time; (5) with few/no side effects
- Overall, the results from the PAQ suggest that upper nasal delivery of DHE mesylate may provide a well-tolerated alternative to acute treatments for migraine, while potentially providing the reliable efficacy of the long-established DHE molecule

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