ATA188: EBV-targeted T-cell Immunotherapy

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- Investigational drug that targets cells with active EBV infections
- Peripheral blood mononuclear cells harvested from healthy donors to develop T cells targeting EBV-specific antigens
- ATA188 is premanufactured, sorted by HLA types, which are matched to recipients

EBV, Epstein-Barr virus; HLA, human leukocyte antigen. Pender MP et al. Presented at European Charcots Foundation 28th Annual Meeting, 2020.

ATA188: EMBOLD Phase 1/2 Clinical Trial

EMBOLD: Phase 1/2 Trial of ATA188

Part 1

- Open-label, single arm
- Dose-escalation
 - 2 infusions of ATA188
 - 1-year follow-up period
- Safety and clinical outcome measures

Part 2

- Double-blind, placebo-controlled
- 2-year study
- Crossover design receive ATA188 one year and placebo the next, or vice versa
- Dose based on recommendation following Part 1
- Clinical, MRI, and safety outcome measures

Open Label Extension

- If completed at least 1 year of Part 1, receive 1 injection of ATA188/year for up to 4 years
- If completed 2 years of Part 2, receive 1 injection of ATA188/year for up to 3 years

Key Inclusion Criteria

- Diagnosis of progressive MS (PPMS or SPMS)
- EDSS score 3.0-7.0 (Part 1) or 3.0-6.5 (Part 2)
- Positive EBV serology

- No relapses within 2 years (Part 2)
- No concurrent DMT and no history of alemtuzumab or ablative stem cell transplant

EBV, Epstein-Barr virus; DMT, disease-modifying therapy; PPMS, primary progressive multiple sclerosis; SPMS, secondary progressive multiple sclerosis. ClinicalTrials.gov. Accessed January 6, 2023.

ATA188: Preliminary Efficacy Results

Preliminary Results	Disability-related Outcomes
from Open-Label	9/24 patients achieved SDI (a composite measure)
Part of EMBOLD trial	Seven of the 9 with SDI: Improvement driven by EDSS (CDI)
(Part 1 and its Extension)	5/5 patients with CDI remaining in extension maintained improvement for up to 25 months (median 23.5 months)

Comparison of MRI	Subpopulation	MRI Endpoint		
Findings in Patients With and Without Disability Improvements	Patients achieving SDI during Part 1	Enlargement	of ventricular volume (P = 0.019)	
	Patients achieving CDI during Part 1	No significant	t differences in any MRI endpoints	
	Patients achieving CDI, including OLE	nMTR (a mar	ker for remyelination; $P = 0.005$)	
		PBVC atrophy	/ (<i>P</i> = 0.037)	

CDI, confirmed disability improvement; EDSS, Expanded Disability Status Scale; MRI, magnetic resonance imaging; nMTR, normalized magnetization transfer ratio; PBVC, percentage brain volume change; SDI, sustained disability improvement. Noteboom S et al. ECTRIMS 2022 – ePoster. Mult Scler. 2022;28:692-945.