

A Study of the Efficacy and Safety of Guselkumab in Participants with Moderately to Severely Active Crohn's Disease

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Janssen Research & Development, LLC

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GALAXI

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Public title Acronym

A Study of the Efficacy and Safety of Guselkumab in Participants with Moderately to Severely Active Crohn's Disease

Scientific title Acronym

A Phase 2/3, Randomized, Double-blind, Placebo- and Activecontrolled, Parallel group, Multicenter Protocol to Evaluate the Efficacy and Safety of Guselkumab in Participants with Moderately to Severely Active Crohn's Disease

Brief summary of the study: English

The purpose of this program is to evaluate the efficacy and safety of

guselkumab in participants with Crohn's disease.

Brief summary of the study: Arabic

الغرض من هذا البرنامج هو تقييم فاعلية وأمان غوزيلكوماب عند استخدامه لدى مشاركين مصابين بداء كرون نشط من متوسط إلى حاد

Health conditions/problem studied: Specify

Moderately to Severely Active Crohn's Disease

Interventions: Specify

Arm Title * Type * Description [*]

Phase 2 (GALAXI 1): Group 1 (Guselkumab) Experimental Participants will receive guselkumab (Dose

1) by intravenous (IV) infusion, followed by

guselkumab (Dose 2) by subcutaneous (SC)

injection. Participants who are eligible and

willing to continue guselkumab may enter the

Long-Term Extension (LTE) phase and continue to receive guselkumab.

Phase 2 (GALAXI 1): Group 2 (Guselkumab) Experimental Participants will receive guselkumab (Dose

3) by intravenous (IV) infusion, followed by

guselkumab (Dose 2) by subcutaneous (SC)





injection. Participants who are eligible and willing to continue guselkumab may enter the LTE phase and continue to receive guselkumab Phase 2 (GALAXI 1): Group 3 (Guselkumab) Experimental Participants will receive guselkumab (Dose 4) by intravenous (IV) infusion, followed by guselkumab (Dose 5) by subcutaneous (SC) injection. Participants who are eligible and willing to continue guselkumab may enter the LTE phase and continue to receive guselkumab Phase 2 (GALAXI 1): Group 4 (Ustekinumab) Active Comparator Participants will receive ustekinumab by intravenous (IV) infusion, followed by subcutaneous (SC) injection. Participants who are eligible and willing to continue ustekinumab may enter the LTE and continue to receive ustekinumab. Phase 2 (GALAXI 1): Group 5 (Placebo/Ustekinumab) Experimental Participants will receive placebo administered by intravenous (IV) infusion. At Week 12, non-responders will receive active treatment (Ustekinumab) administered by intravenous (IV) infusion followed by subcaneous (SC) injection. Participants who are eligible and willing to continue

continue to receive placebo/ustekinumab. Phase 3 (GALAXI 2 and 3): Group 1 and

placebo/ustekinumab may enter the LTE and

Group 2 (Guselkumab)

Experimental Participants will receive guselkumab by

intravenous (IV) infusion, followed by

guselkumab by subcutaneous (SC) injection.

Participants who are eligible and willing to

continue guselkumab may enter the LTE

phase and continue to receive guselkumab.

Phase 3 (GALAXI 2 and 3): Group 3

(Ustekinumab)

Active Comparator Participants will receive ustekinumab by

intravenous (IV) infusion, followed by

subcutaneous (SC) injection. Participants

who are eligible and willing to continue ustekinumab may enter the LTE phase and

continue to receive ustekinumab.

Phase 3 (GALAXI 2 and 3): Group 4

(Placebo/Ustekinumab)

Experimental Participants will receive placebo

administered by intravenous (IV) infusion. At

Week 12, non-responders will receive active

treatment (ustekinumab) administered by

intravenous (IV) infusion followed by

subcaneous (SC) injection. Participants who

are eligible and willing to continue

Intervention Name* Type* Associated Arms Description

Guselkumab Dose 1 Drug Phase 2 (GALAXI 1): Group 1

(Guselkumab)

Guselkumab will be

administered by IV

infusion.

Guselkumab Dose 2 Drug Phase 2 (GALAXI 1): Group 1

(Guselkumab)

Phase 2 (GAL AXI 1): Group 2

(Guselkumab)

Guselkumab will be

administered by SC

injection.

Guselkumab Dose 3 Drug Phase 2 (GALAXI 1): Group 2

(Guselkumab)

Guselkumab will be

administered by IV

Guselkumab Dose 4 Drug Phase 2 (GALAXI 1): Group 3





(Guselkumab) Guselkumab will be administered by IV infusion. Guselkumab Dose 5 Drug Phase 2 (GALAXI 1): Group 3 (Guselkumab) Guselkumab will be by SC Guselkumab Drug Phase 3 (GALAXI 2 and 3): Group 1 and Group 2 (Guselkumab) Guselkumab will be administered by IV infusion and SC injection. Ustekinumab Drug Phase 2 (GALAXI 1): Group 4 (Ustekinumab) Phase 2 (GALA XI 1): Group 5 (Placebo/Ustekinumab) Phase 3 (GALAXI 2 and 3): Group 3 (Ustekinumab)

Phase 3 (GALAXI 2 and 3): Group 4 (Placebo/Ustekinumab)

Ustekinumab will be administered by IV infusion and SC injection.

Placebo Drug Phase 2 (GALAXI 1): Group 5

(Placebo/Ustekinumab)
Phase 3 (GALAXI 2 and 3):
Group 4 (Placebo/Ustekinumab)
Placebo will be

administered as IV

Key inclusion and exclusion criteria: Inclusion criteria

Inclusion Criteria:

- Have Crohn's disease (CD) or fistulizing Crohn's disease of at least 3 months duration (defined as a minimum of 12 weeks), with colitis, ileitis, or ileocolitis, confirmed at any time in the past by radiography, histology, and/or endoscopy
- Have moderate to severe CD as assessed by CDAI, stool frequency (SF), and abdominal pain (AP) scores, and Simple Endoscopic Score for Crohn's Disease (SES-CD)
- Have screening laboratory test results within the protocol specified parameters
- A female participant of childbearing potential must have a negative urine pregnancy test result at screening and baseline
- Demonstrated intolerance or inadequate response to conventional or to biologic therapy for CD

Key inclusion and exclusion criteria: Gender

Key inclusion and exclusion criteria: Specify gender

Both

Key inclusion and exclusion criteria: Age minimum

Key inclusion and exclusion criteria: Age maximum

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Key inclusion and exclusion criteria: Exclusion criteria

Exclusion Criteria:

- Current diagnosis of ulcerative colitis or indeterminate colitis
- Has complications of Crohn's disease, such as symptomatic strictures or stenoses, short gut syndrome, or any other manifestation
- Unstable doses of concomitant Crohn's disease therapy
- Receipt of Crohn's disease approved biologic agents (within 8 weeks prior to Baseline), or any investigational biologic or other agent or procedure within 8 weeks prior to baseline (or within 5 half-lives of baseline, whichever is longer)
- Prior exposure to p40 inhibitors or p19 inhibitors
- Any medical contraindications preventing study participation

Type of study

Interventional

Type of intervention Type of intervention: Specify type

Pharmaceutical

Trial scope

Therapy

Study design: Allocation Randomized controlled trial

Study design: Control

Active

Study design: Purpose

Treatment

Study design: Assignment

Parallel

IMP has market authorization

No

Name of IMP

Guselkumab

Type of IMP

Immunological

Pharmaceutical class

interleukin inhibitor

Therapeutic indication

Crohn's disease

Therapeutic benefit

Change in the Crohn's Disease Activity Index (CDAI) Score

Study model

N/A

Study model: Specify model

N/A

Time perspective

N/A

Time perspective: Specify perspective

Target follow-up duration

Number of groups/cohorts

N/A

Trial scope: Specify scope

Study design: Masking Blinded (masking used)

Study phase

2 to 3

Study design: Specify purpose

Study design: Specify assignment

IMP has market authorization: Specify

Year of authorization Month of authorization

Study model: Explain model

N/A

Time perspective: Explain time perspective

N/A

Target follow-up duration: Unit

Biospecimen retention

Samples without DNA

Biospecimen description

N/A

Target sample size

28

Date of first enrollment: Type

Actual

Date of study closure: Type

Actua

Recruitment status

Recruiting

Date of completion

IPD sharing statement plan

No

Actual enrollment target size

Date of first enrollment: Date

31/03/2019

Date of study closure: Date

31/05/2024

Recruitment status: Specify

IPD sharing statement description

to be determined in case applicable

Additional data URL

https://clinicaltrials.gov/ct2/show/NCT03466411?term=CNTO1959CRD3001&rank=1

Admin comments

Trial status

Approved

Secondary Identifying Numbers

No Numbers

Sources of Monetary or Material Support

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Countries of Recruitment	
Name	
Lebanon	

Health Conditions or Problems Studied			
Condition	Code	Keyword	
Crohn's Disease	2-Propanol (T51.2)	Crohn's Disease	

Interventions			
Intervention	Description	Keyword	
Guselkumab Dose 1	Guselkumab will be administered by IV infusion.	Phase 2 (GALAXI 1): Group 1 (Guselkumab)	
Guselkumab Dose 2	Guselkumab will be administered by SC injection.	Phase 2 (GALAXI 1): Group 1 (Guselkumab) Phase 2 (GAL AXI 1): Group 2 (Guselkumab)	
Guselkumab Dose 3	Guselkumab will be administered by IV infusion.	Phase 2 (GALAXI 1): Group 2 (Guselkumab)	
Guselkumab Dose 4	Guselkumab will be administered by IV infusion.	Phase 2 (GALAXI 1): Group 3 (Guselkumab)	
Guselkumab Dose 5	Guselkumab will be by SC injection.	Phase 2 (GALAXI 1): Group 3 (Guselkumab)	
Guselkumab	Guselkumab will be administered by IV infusion and SC injection.	Phase 3 (GALAXI 2 and 3): Group 1 and Group 2 (Guselkumab)	
Ustekinumab	Ustekinumab will be administered by IV infusion and SC injection.	Phase 2 (GALAXI 1): Group 4 (Ustekinumab) Phase 2 (GALA XI 1): Group 5 (Placebo/Ustekinumab) Phase 3 (GALAXI 2 and 3): Group 3 (Ustekinumab) Phase 3 (GALAXI 2 and 3): Group 4 (Placebo/Ustekinumab)	
Placebo	Placebo will be administered as IV infusion.	Phase 2 (GALAXI 1): Group 5 (Placebo/Ustekinumab) Phase 3 (GALAXI 2 and 3): Group 4 (Placebo/Ustekinumab)	

Primary Outcomes			
Name	Time Points	Measure	
The CDAI score will be assessed by collecting information on 8 different Crohn's disease-related variables, with scores ranging from 0 to approximately 600. A decrease over time indicates improvement in disease activity.	Baseline and Week 12	Phase 2: Change from Baseline in the Crohn's Disease Activity Index (CDAI) Score at Week 12	
Clinical remission is defined as CDAI less than (<) 150 points.	Week 12	Phase 3: Clinical Remission at Week 12	



Key Secondary Outcomes		
Name	Time Points	Measure
Clinical remission is defined as CDAI score <150.	Week 12	Phase 2: Clinical Remission at Week 12
Clinical response is defined as greater than or equal to (>=) 100-point reduction from baseline in CDAI score or CDAI score <150.	Week 12	Phase 2: Clinical Response at Week 12
PRO-2 remission is defined based on average daily stool frequency (SF) and average daily abdominal pain (AP) score.	Week 12	Phase 2 and Phase 3: Patient-Reported Outcome (PRO)-2 Remission at Week 12
Clinical-biomarker response is defined using clinical response based on the CDAI score and reduction from baseline in C-reactive protein (CRP) or fecal calprotectin.	Week 12	Phase 2: Clinical-Biomarker Response at Week 12
Endoscopic Response is measured by the Simple Endoscopic Score for Crohn's Disease (SES-CD). The SES-CD is based on the evaluation of 4 endoscopic components across 5 ileocolonic segments, with a total score ranging from 0 to 56.	Week 12	Phase 2 and Phase 3: Endoscopic Response at Week 12
Clinical remission is defined as CDAI score <150.	Week 48	Phase 3: Clinical Remission at Week 48
Durable clinical remission is defined as CDAI<150 for most of all visits between Week 12 and Week 48.	Week 48	Phase 3: Durable Clinical Remission at Week 48
Corticosteroid-free clinical remission is defined as CDAI score <150 at Week 48 and not receiving corticosteroids at Week 48.	Week 48	Phase 3: Corticosteroid-Free Clinical Remission at Week 48
PRO-2 remission is defined based on average daily stool frequency (SF) and average daily abdominal pain (AP) score.	Week 48	Phase 3: PRO-2 Remission at Week 48
Fatigue response will be based on the Patient-Reported Outcomes Measurement Information System (PROMIS).Fatigue Short Form 7a contains 7 items that evaluate the severity of fatigue, with higher scores indicating greater fatigue.	Week 12	Phase 3: Fatigue Response at Week 12
Endoscopic response is measured by the Simple Endoscopic Score for Crohn's Disease (SES-CD).	Week 48	Phase 3: Endoscopic Response at Week 48



Trial Results	
Summary results	
Study results globally	
Date of posting of results summaries	Date of first journal publication of results
Results URL link	
Baseline characteristics	
Participant flow	
Adverse events	
Outcome measures	
URL to protocol files	