

Vafidemstat is safe and well tolerated drug

A very robust safety package; +430 treated subjects







Brain Penetrant

Safe, No DDIs

No side effects

An optimal CSF: plasma ratio of 0.9

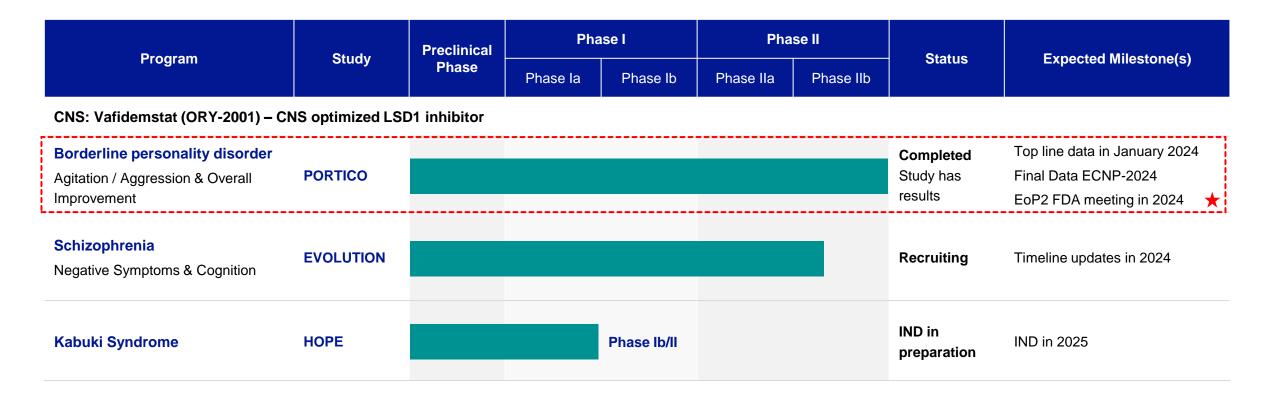
Comparable SARs between placebo and vafidemstat arms in 6 Phase II trials: 1.0% vafidemstat vs 1.0% placebo

No weight gain No sedation / somnolence No sexual dysfunction No extrapyramidal signs

Vafidemstat is a small molecule with oral bioavailability, with potent and selective inhibition of LSD1



Two main catalysts in 2024



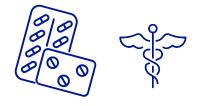
- Final Data of PORTICO in BPD were released at the European College of Neuropharmacology (ECNP) in Milano, on Sept 23rd, 2024
- PORTICO FDA end-of-Phase II meeting held on August 28th, 2024



Borderline personality disorder: an unmet medical need & vast commercial opportunity







Prevalent & impairing disease

Two main types of symptoms

No approved drugs yet

9 million in US & EU

Psychiatric symptoms

Agitation/Aggression (including self-aggression)

Patients on off-label anti-psychotics

Vafi improves these symptoms in:

- BPD patients
- PC models

Oryzon is leading the BPD field ahead of the competition



PORTICO: Global Phase IIb double blind, randomized, placebo-controlled, adaptive 14-week, trial to evaluate the efficacy and safety of vafidemstat in an adult BPD population

N=211 Randomized 1:1

Vafidemstat, 1.2mg Once daily (5 ON, 2 PBO), N=106

> Placebo Once daily, N=105

> 14-week trial

Endpoints

Primary (Multiple, Not Co-Primary):

Agitation/Aggression (CGI-S A/A) from baseline to weeks 8-12

Improvement in Borderline Personality Disorder Checklist (BPDCL) from baseline to weeks 8-12

Secondary (efficacy):

To evaluate the change over time on the CGI-S A/A

To evaluate the change over time on the BPDCL

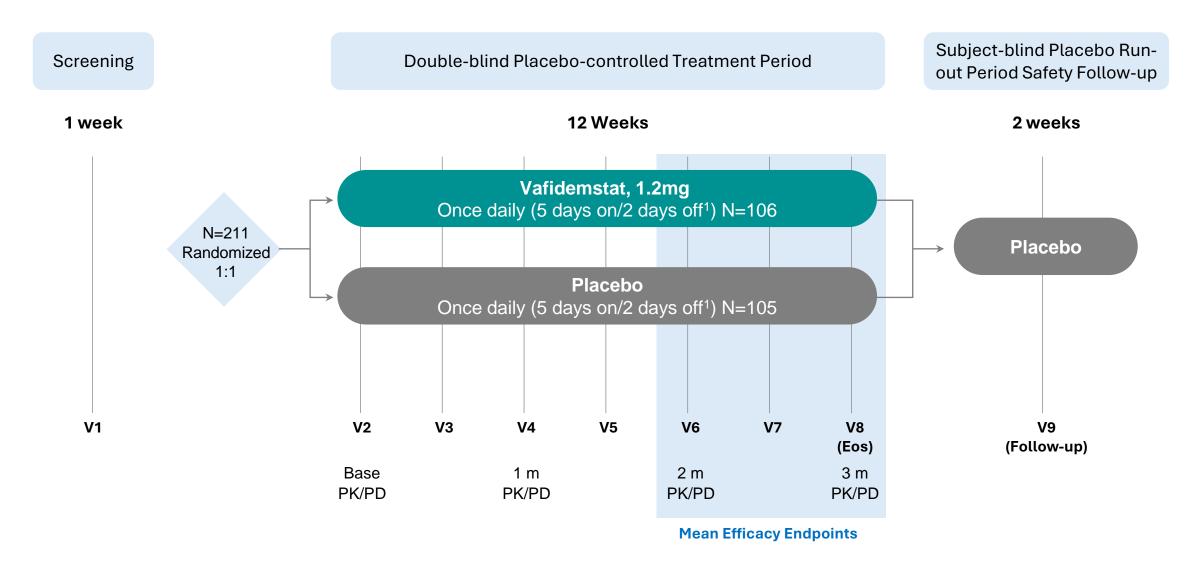
To evaluate the difference on the following measures, from baseline to weeks 8-12, as well as change over time, between the active treatment arm and the placebo arm:

- Borderline Evaluation of Severity over Time (BEST)
- State-Trait Anger Expression Inventory 2 (STAXI-2)
- State-Trait Anxiety Inventory (STAI)
- Beck Depression Inventory II (BDI-II)

Considering there is no 'gold standard' measure of pharmacological improvement in BPD and because PORTICO was a Phase IIb trial, various measures of agitation/aggression and overall disease were included to help inform Phase III

In collaboration with the FDA, the PORTICO Statistical Analysis Plan was modified to incorporate and adopt all Agency recommendations in the final version of the study

PORTICO: Study design







Final Results

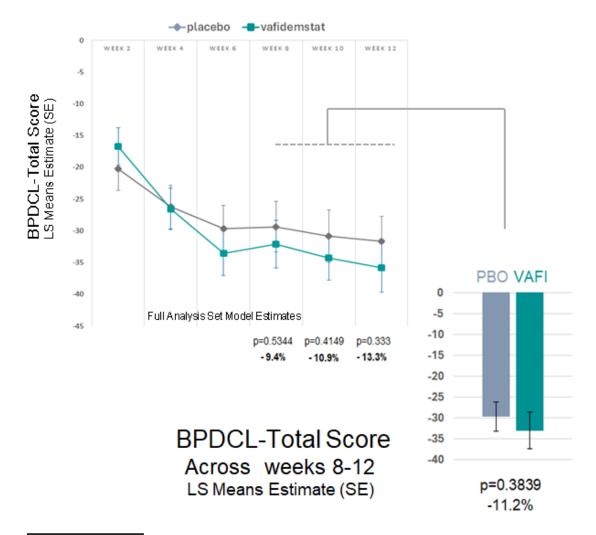
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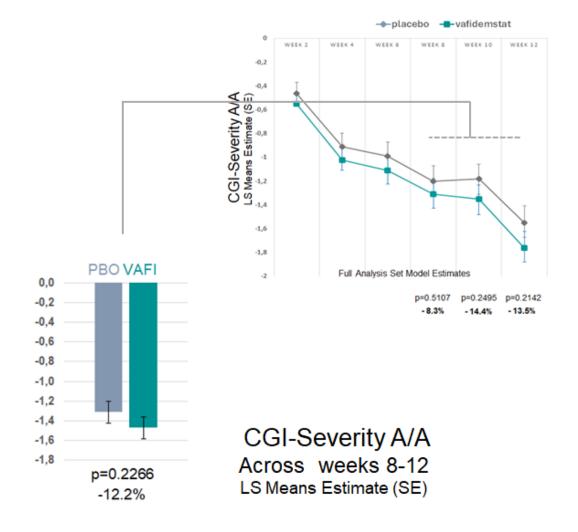
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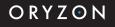
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ECNP, Milan, Italy September 23, 2024

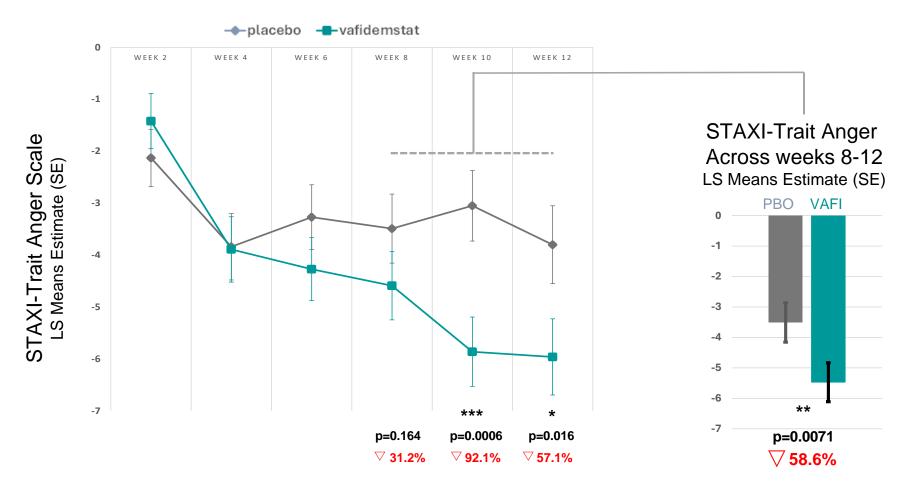
No statistical significance in the two primary endpoints: BPDCL and CGI-S A/A





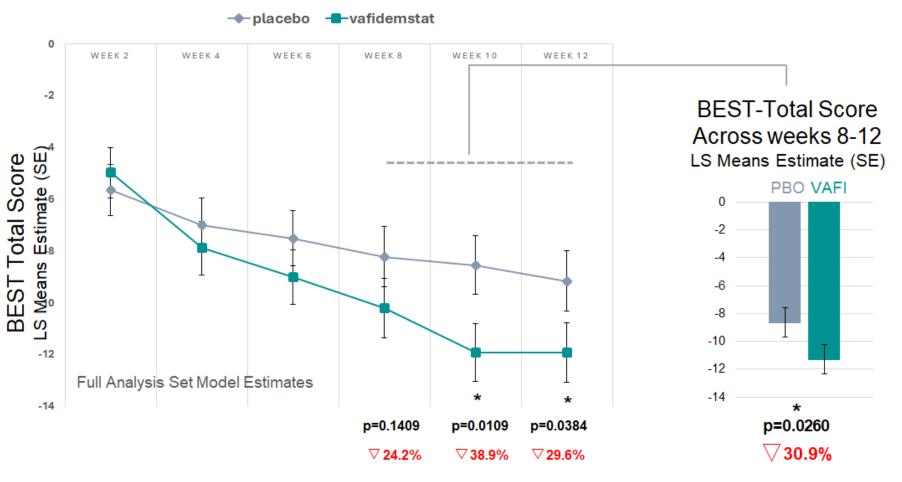


Nominal statistical significance in secondary endpoint: improvement in STAXI Trait Anger across weeks 8-12



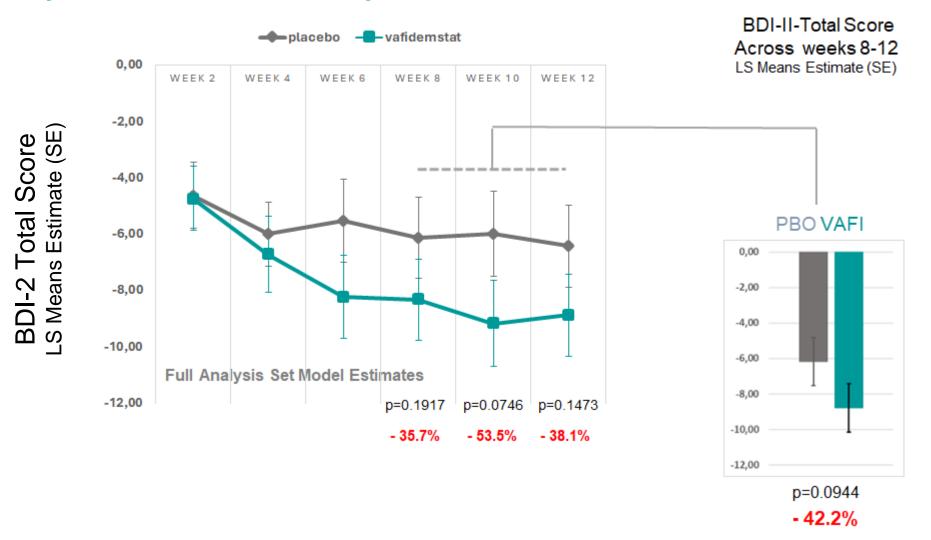
Agitation and aggression of patients, as measured by the secondary endpoint STAXI-2 Trait Anger scale, showed a substantial, statistically significant, and clinically meaningful reduction in the vafidemstat arm compared to placebo, with a p-value of 0.0071 across Weeks 8-12 (previously p = 0.0259). The relative reduction in the vafidemstat-treated group over the placebo group reached a maximum of 92.1% at Week 10, with an average reduction of 58.6% across Weeks 8-12 (previously 80.8% and 46.7%, respectively).

Nominal statistical significance in secondary endpoint: improvement in BEST across weeks 8-12



The overall measure of BPD severity measured by the secondary endpoint Borderline Evaluation of Severity (BEST), also showed an improvement compared to TLD, with a pvalue of 0.0260 across Weeks 8-12 (previously p = 0.0423). The maximal relative reduction in the vafidemstat-treated group over the placebo group reached 38.9% at Week 10, with an average reduction of 30.9% across Weeks 8–12 (previously 29.9%).

A trend in secondary endpoint: improvement in depression by BDI-2 Total Score by weeks 8-12



Interestingly, a trend of improvement in depression measured by the BDI-II Total Score by Weeks 8–12 was detected (p= 0.0944), with an average reduction over the placebo group of 42.2% across Weeks 8–12 (previously 0.1699)

PORTICO: all primary and secondary efficacy endpoints consistently favored vafidemstat over placebo

	Full Analysis Set						Favors Vafidemstat Favors Placebo
Parameter	Analysis Type	Cohen's D	P-value	Difference	CI	T-Score	Tavois validemstat Tavois Flacebo
CGI - Severity	Average Mean	-0.1672	0.2266	-0.16	(-0.42,0.10)	-1.21	•
	Week 12 Mean	-0.1718	0.2142	-0.21	(-0.54,0.12)	-1.25	-
BPDCL - Total Score	Average Mean	-0.1202	0.3839	-3.44	(-11.22,4.34)	-0.87	-
	Week 12 Mean	-0.1336	0.3333	-4.21	(-12.78,4.36)	-0.97	
BEST							
Thoughts and Feelings Score	Average Mean	-0.2733	0.0488	-1.50	(-2.98,-0.01)	-1.98	
	Week 12 Mean	-0.2386	0.0851	-1.44	(-3.09,0.20)	-1.73	•
Behaviors Negative Score	Average Mean	-0.2479	0.0736	-0.55	(-1.16,0.05)	-1.80	
	Week 12 Mean	-0.2768	0.0462	-0.66	(-1.31,-0.01)	-2.01	
Behaviors Positive Score*	Average Mean	-0.2030	0.1424	-0.50	(0.17,-1.16)	-1.47	<u> </u>
	Week 12 Mean	-0.1234	0.3715	-0.37	(0.45,-1.19)	-0.90	-
Total Score	Average Mean	-0.3093	0.0260	-2.67	(-5.02,-0.32)	-2.25	
	Week 12 Mean	-0.2875	0.0384	-2.71	(-5.27,-0.15)	-2.09	
BDI - Total Score	Average Mean	-0.2316	0.0944	-2.61	(-5.68,0.45)	-1.68	-
	Week 12 Mean	-0.2005	0.1473	-2.45	(-5.78,0.87)	-1.46	
STAXI							
State Anger Scale Raw Score	Average Mean	-0.0787	0.5684	-0.57	(-2.53,1.39)	-0.57	•
	Week 12 Mean	-0.1124	0.4157	-0.84	(-2.88,1.20)	-0.82	<u> </u>
Trait Anger Scale Raw Score	Average Mean	-0.3755	0.0071	-2.02	(-3.49,-0.56)	-2.73	
	Week 12 Mean	-0.3359	0.0158	-2.17	(-3.92,-0.41)	-2.44	
Anger Expression Index Raw Score	Average Mean	-0.2300	0.0966	-2.62	(-5.72,0.48)	-1.67	-
	Week 12 Mean	-0.2385	0.0851	-3.05	(-6.53,0.43)	-1.73	•
STAI							
State Anxiety Raw Score	Average Mean	-0.1461	0.2901	-1.54	(-4.41,1.33)	-1.06	
	Week 12 Mean	-0.0943	0.4942	-1.20	(-4.64,2.25)	-0.69	-
Trait Anxiety Raw Score**	Week 12 Mean	-0.1148	0.4057	-1.05	(-3.54,1.44)	-0.83	•
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Global statistical test (GST) consistent with a global treatment effect favoring vafidemstat

BPD is a multisymptomatic disease with psychiatric, behavioral, and functional outcomes. GST is designed to address whether a treatment is efficacious across different aspects of a condition. GST efficiently summarizes a treatment's merit when the medical question is complex.

The final analysis confirmed now a global treatment effect favoring vafidemstat by the Global Statistical Test (GST), with the GST p-value showing a statistical significance, particularly when considering global improvement in the severity of the disease and in agitation/aggression (p = 0.0362, previously a strong trend).

Full Analysis Set	

Parameter	Cohen's D	GST P-value	Difference	СІ	T-Score	P-value	
CGI - Severity	-0.1672		-0.16	(-0.42,0.10)	-1.21	0.2266	-
BPDCL - Total Score	-0.1202	0.2134	-3.44	(-11.22,4.34)	-0.87	0.3839	-
BEST - Total Score	-0.3093	0.0811	-2.67	(-5.02,-0.32)	-2.25	0.0260	
BDI - Total Score	-0.2316	0.0661	-2.61	(-5.68,0.45)	-1.68	0.0944	-
STAXI							
State Anger Scale Raw Score	-0.0787	0.0853	-0.57	(-2.53,1.39)	-0.57	0.5684	
Trait Anger Scale Raw Score	-0.3755	0.0397	-2.02	(-3.49,-0.56)	-2.73	0.0071	
Anger Expression Index Raw Score	-0.2300	0.0362	-2.62	(-5.72,0.48)	-1.67	0.0966	-
STAI							
State Anxiety Raw Score	-0.1461	0.0403	-1.54	(-4.41,1.33)	-1.06	0.2901	-
Trait Anxiety Raw Score**	-0.1148	0.0503	-1.05	(-3.54,1.44)	-0.83	0.4057	
							-5 -4 -3 -2 -1 0 1 T-Score



Topline safety: vafidemstat-treated patients showed a reduced inclination towards self-harm

Treatment-Emergent Adverse Events by Preferred Term Occurring in > 5% of Subjects

	Placebo	Vafidemstat
	(N=104)	(N=106)
	N (%), e	N (%), e
TEAEs by Preferred Term	68 (65.4%), 214	61 (57.5%), 192
Headache	17 (16.3%), 18	13 (12.3%), 16
Nasopharyngitis	18 (17.3%), 22	9 (8.5%), 11
Tension Headache	6 (5.8%), 17	5 (4.7%), 11
Platelet Count Decreased	1 (1.0%), 1	8 (7.5%), 8*
Nausea	2 (1.9%), 2	6 (5.7%), 6
Intentional Self-Injury	6 (5.8%), 10	1 (0.9%), 2

Serious Adverse Events

- There was 1 serious AE, a kidney infection, in a vafidemstat treated subject
- Case was independently judged by the PI as 'Unlikely Related' to treatment (started before treatment)
 - Subject's dose was not changed, the condition 'Recovered/Resolved' within 7 days, and the subject completed the trial



PORTICO: final summary

- Primary endpoints not met by FAS. Yet, a trend by PPA in CGI-S A/A was detected
- Four important pre-specified secondary endpoints reached nominal statistical significance by FAS, with clinically meaningful value reductions compared to placebo
 - Improvement in Agitation/Aggression, with overall improvement over the results of placebo of 59%
 - Overall improvement in BPD disease severity, with overall improvement over the results of the placebo arm of 31%
- Reduction in agitation/ aggression and overall BPD disease severity consistent with Phase IIa REIMAGINE trial results
- Results across ALL primary and secondary efficacy endpoints favored vafidemstat over placebo
- Global Statistical Test (GST-p values) significant and consistent with a global treatment effect favoring vafidemstat
- Vafidemstat was safe and well tolerated
- No deaths/suicides. Suicidal ideation was low
- Lower intentional self-harm events in treated patients

Primary Endpoints (p-values)	FAS	
BPDCL Total	Avg w 8-12	0.38
CGI-Severity A/A	Avg w 8-12	0.22
Secondary Endpoints (p-values)		
BEST Total	Avg w 8-12	0.026
STAXI-2 Trait Anger	Avg w 8-12	0.007
BEST Total	By w 12	0.038
STAXI-2 Trait Anger	By w 12	0.016

PORTICO: Final Summary

PORTICO's efficacy and safety results support further clinical development

Oryzon requested an End-of-Phase II meeting with the FDA to discuss plans for a registrational BPD Phase III trial

FDA: End-of-Phase II Meeting

Objective: To obtain agreement on study design, safety, and efficacy endpoints for the registrational Phase III study (PORTICO-2)

EOP2 meeting briefing package:

- Summaries of previous investigations
- Information of Phase 2 trial PORTICO
- Synopsis of protocol of PORTICO-2 Phase III study
- Other info



FDA End-of-Phase II Meeting minutes: summary

- FDA's feedback supports the initiation of the Phase III trial
- Agitation-Aggression in Borderline Personality Disorder (BPD) acknowledged as a possible therapeutic indication
- The FDA agrees that Oryzon may pursue a Phase III study using STAXI-2 Trait anger as a primary efficacy endpoint measure, but the company will have to provide additional information to demonstrate that STAXI-2 Trait anger is a clinically meaningful endpoint in this indication (i.e through a Qualitative Research of the scale in BPD patients)
- Secondary endpoints will include both patient-rated and clinician-rated scales, as CGI-S A/A to assess agitation/aggression, and BEST and CGI-S to assess overall BPD improvement

FDA End-of-Phase II Meeting minutes: summary

- A Qualitative Research Study will be conducted with a subset of PORTICO-2 patients to provide further validation of the proposed endpoints. The Qualitative Study protocol will be submitted prior to its initiation for FDA review and feedback
- Oryzon plans to also provide the psychometric properties and performance for the selected primary and key secondary endpoints for FDA review prior to the initiation of the Phase III study
- The estimated total sample size for the PORTICO-2 Phase III study is 350 patients (randomized 1:1 vafidemstat or control), with a trial duration of 18 weeks in total
- Subject to FDA review of the final data, the PORTICO-2 Phase III study has the potential to be one of the two registrational trials required by the FDA

FDA End-of-Phase II Meeting: conclusions

- Based on the positive feedback received, ORYZON will now move forward with preparing a full PORTICO-2 Phase III trial protocol to be submitted to the FDA for study approval
- The company will also engage with European regulatory agencies following standard practice before initiation of the PORTICO-2 Phase III trial