Alternative Complement Pathway Inhibition With Iptacopan for the Treatment of C3 Glomerulopathy - Study Design of the APPEAR-C3G Trial



Methods and cohort



APPEAR-C3G Trial RCT, double blinded Phase III (NCT04817618)



38 centers 18 countries

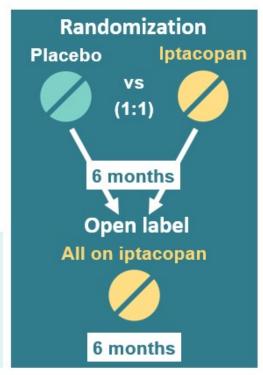


n = 68

Criteria

- + Biopsy proven C3G
- + Low C3 levels (<77 mg/dl)
- + Proteinuria (≥1.0 g/g)
- + eGFR ≥30 mL/min/1.73m2

Intervention



Objectives (Iptacopan vs placebo at 6 months)

Primary



To demonstrate superiority of iptacopan on proteinuria (UPCR) reduction

Secondary



Improvement of baseline eGFR



Effect on patient reported fatique



Reduction of glomerular inflammation



Evaluate safety and tolerability

C3G Complement 3 glomerulopathy eGFR estimated glomerular filtration rate UPCR Urine protein creatinine ratio



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Conclusion This study aims to demonstrate the clinical benefits of alternative pathway inhibition with iptacopan in C3 glomerulopathy.

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