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# A phase 2 study investigating the effect of EDP1815

An orally-delivered, antiinflammatory, gut-restricted commensal microbe in the treatment of mild and moderate plaque psoriasis

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#### **DISCLOSURE OF RELATIONSHIPS WITH INDUSTRY**

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### **DISCLOSURES**

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## **The potential of EDP1815**

#### Baseline





Week 16



Patient with moderate psoriasis enrolled in Phase 2 trial who achieved PASI-50 response at week 16 on EDP1815 – skin lesions improved further at follow-up 3



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## The small intestine controls systemic inflammation

- The immune system of the small intestine is connected to the rest of the body via mesenteric lymph nodes.
- This is the small intestinal axis SINTAX
- Gut-restricted medicines that harness SINTAX could send inflammation resolving signals throughout the body.
- SINTAX medicines have the potential to be
  - Oral
  - Effective
  - Safe
  - Affordable
- EDP1815 is non-living preparation of a strain of *Prevotella histicola* sourced from a human duodenal biopsy.



## **Cells in the Small Intestine are Therapeutic Targets for SINTAX Medicines**

#### **Evelo's focus -** Small Intestine

- Abundance of immune cells
- Sensing of signals and governing of inflammation throughout the body

#### EDP1815

- Targets the small intestine
- No modification or colonization of microbiome
- No systemic absorption



## **Mechanism of Action**

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## **EDP1815** Phase 2 Trial in Mild and Moderate Psoriasis





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## Robust PASI-50 Responses with EDP1815 at Week 16 across all 3 groups

No evidence of a dose response





	PASI	PGA	DLQI	PSI
Baseline	10.3	3	12	24.1
Week 16	3.1	1	1	1.6

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## EDP1815 led to clinically meaningful responses

	FOLLOW UP		
Baseline	Week 8	Week 16 PASI-50	Week 20

## **Durability and Deepening of Clinical Responses Observed in 24-Week Post-Treatment Period**



#### **Deepening of Responses to PASI-75 or Greater During Post-Treatment Period**



### **EDP1815:** Placebo-like Safety and Tolerability

AE profile of EDP1815 is comparable to placebo



No related SAEs. No 'expected' AEs



Gastrointestinal or Infection AE rate comparable to placebo



AE profile no different in the drug responders (≥PASI-50)



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# Phase 2 data demonstrate potential of EDP1815 as a foundational psoriasis treatment for all stages of disease



Statistically significant and clinically meaningful improvements in PASI-50 and PGA-0/1



Evidence of durability and deepening of response to PASI-75 or greater off treatment



Oral EDP1815 can driver potent effects with placebo-like safety and tolerability



Coordinated reduction of disease-relevant inflammatory cytokines

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