# IV Oliceridine for the Management of Moderate-to-Severe Acute Pain in Hospital or Controlled Clinical Settings

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#### Introduction

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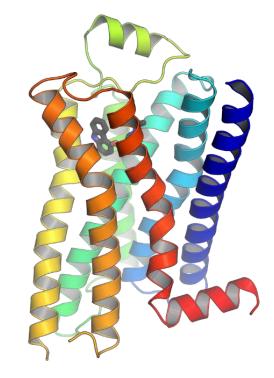
## Overview of IV Oliceridine for Management of Moderate-to-Severe Acute Pain

- New chemical entity with novel mechanism of action
- Designed to deliver pain relief of conventional IV opioid with fewer opioid-related adverse events (ORAEs)
  - Improving benefit-risk profile for patients
- First new opioid molecule in decades

#### **Oliceridine Scientific History**

- Trevena founded in 2008 to translate
   GPCR discoveries into better medicines
- Lab of Robert Lefkowitz, Duke University
  - 2012 Nobel Prize in Chemistry for work on GPCRs

## G Protein-Coupled Receptor (GPCR)

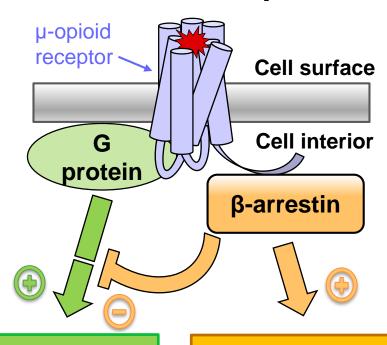


## Prior Theory on GPCRs, Including µ-Opioid Receptor

- Operated like light switch
  - ON by agonist like morphine
  - OFF by antagonists like naloxone
- Beneficial and adverse effects inseparable
- Opioid analgesia only obtained with associated ORAEs

## New Hypothesis: GPCRs Have Distinct Signaling Pathways

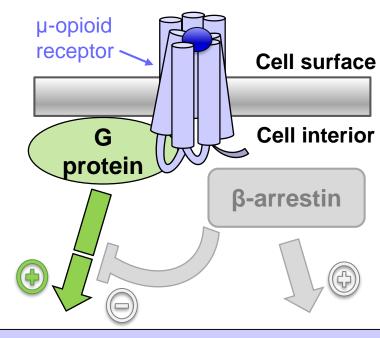
#### **Conventional Opioids**



Analgesia
Respiratory Depression
Nausea/Vomiting
Liking/Dependence

Respiratory Depression Nausea/Vomiting

#### Oliceridine



#### **Hypothesis (vs Conventional Opioids):**

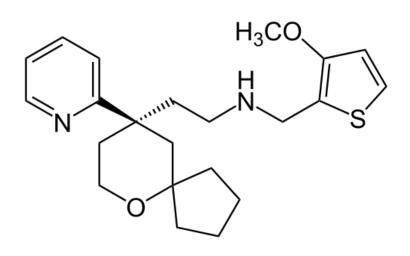
- Similar Analgesia
- Similar Liking/Dependence
- Less Respiratory Depression
- Less Nausea / Vomiting

Violin & Lefkowitz. *Trends Pharmacol Sci* 2007. Siuda et al. *Curr Opin Pharmacol* 2017.

### IV Oliceridine: G-Protein Biased Ligand at µ-Opioid Receptor (MOR)

- Novel MoA designed to optimize MOR pharmacology
- New chemical entity; not derivative of opium

#### Oliceridine



#### Morphine

#### **Hydromorphone**

#### IV Opioids Essential Treatment Option for Moderateto-Severe Acute Pain in Hospital or Controlled Setting

- Optimizing multimodal therapy and ERAS protocols
  - Reduced need for IV opioids for many procedures
- IV opioids still often necessary
  - Pain more severe, deep/visceral, longer duration
- 45 million patients received IV opioids in US hospitals<sup>1</sup>

#### **Limitations of Conventional IV Opioids**

- ORAEs
  - Nausea, vomiting, and respiratory depression
- Narrow therapeutic windows
  - Small dose range effective without leading to ORAEs
- Active metabolites
  - Complicates analgesic and side effect profile

### IV Oliceridine in Context of Ongoing Opioid Crisis

- Schedule II product with same mandatory restrictions as other IV opioids
- Reversible by naloxone
- Not expected to affect opioid abuse crisis
  - Short-term IV use only
  - Used only in hospital or other controlled clinical setting
  - Substitute for current IV opioids

#### Unique Features of Oliceridine Development Program

- IV oliceridine studied in > 1,800 individuals in 17 clinical trials
- Included IV morphine as active comparator
- Used as needed (PRN) dosing
- Studied respiratory safety
  - Experimental gold standard VRH test
  - No accepted clinical endpoint for respiratory depression
    - Variety of different measures

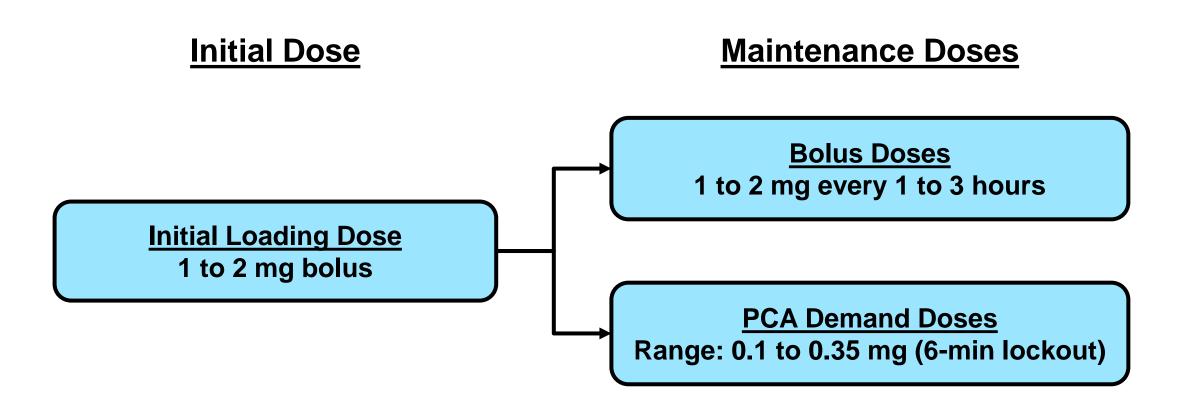
### IV Oliceridine Key Efficacy and Safety Findings

- Met efficacy requirements for approval
  - Superior to placebo in both Phase 3 studies
- Safe for intended use
  - Evaluated full safe and efficacious dose range
  - Expert review found no clinically significant hepatic or cardiac safety issues
- Delivered sufficient analgesia similar to morphine
- Supportive evidence of safety benefit vs morphine across multiple safety measures, studies, and interventions
  - Not seeking label claim

#### Oliceridine Proposed Indication

- Oliceridine is a G protein-biased ligand at the mu-opioid receptor indicated for the management of moderate-to-severe acute pain in adult patients for whom an intravenous opioid is warranted.
- Administration supervised by trained medical personnel
  - Acute use only
  - Hospital or other controlled setting

#### Oliceridine Proposed Dosing



- Maximum single bolus dose of 3 mg
- Maximum daily dose of 40 mg

### **Agenda**

Efficacy and Safety	Mark A Demitrack, MD Chief Medical Officer Trevena, Inc.
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**Clinical Pharmacology** 

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Human Abuse Liability
Opioid-induced Respiratory
Depression

#### Lynn Webster, MD

Vice President, Scientific Affairs PRA Health Sciences

### **Efficacy and Safety**

#### Mark A Demitrack, MD

**Chief Medical Officer** 

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## Efficacy and Safety Supported by Phase 2 and Phase 3 Studies

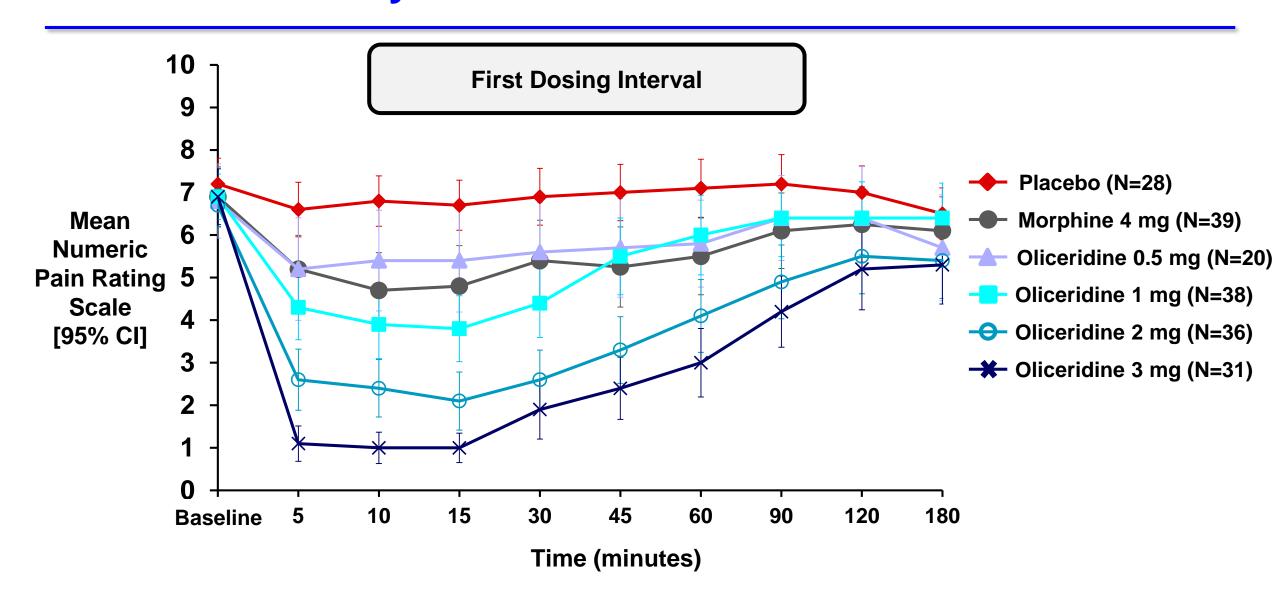
Study (Phase)	Pain Model (Design)	N Treated	Dosing
<b>Study 2001</b> (Phase 2a)	Bunionectomy (RCT)	333	Fixed
<b>Study 2002</b> (Phase 2b)	Abdominoplasty (RCT)	200	
APOLLO 1 (Phase 3)	Bunionectomy (RCT)	389	As Needed (PRN)
APOLLO 2 (Phase 3)	Abdominoplasty (RCT)	401	
ATHENA (Phase 3)	Diverse settings (Open-label)	768	PRN

IV morphine comparator in controlled studies

### Phase 2a Bunionectomy Study (Study 2001)

- 333 randomized and treated patients
- Explored range of oliceridine dose strengths and intervals
  - Placebo and morphine 4 mg comparators
- Clearest assessment of onset, magnitude, and duration

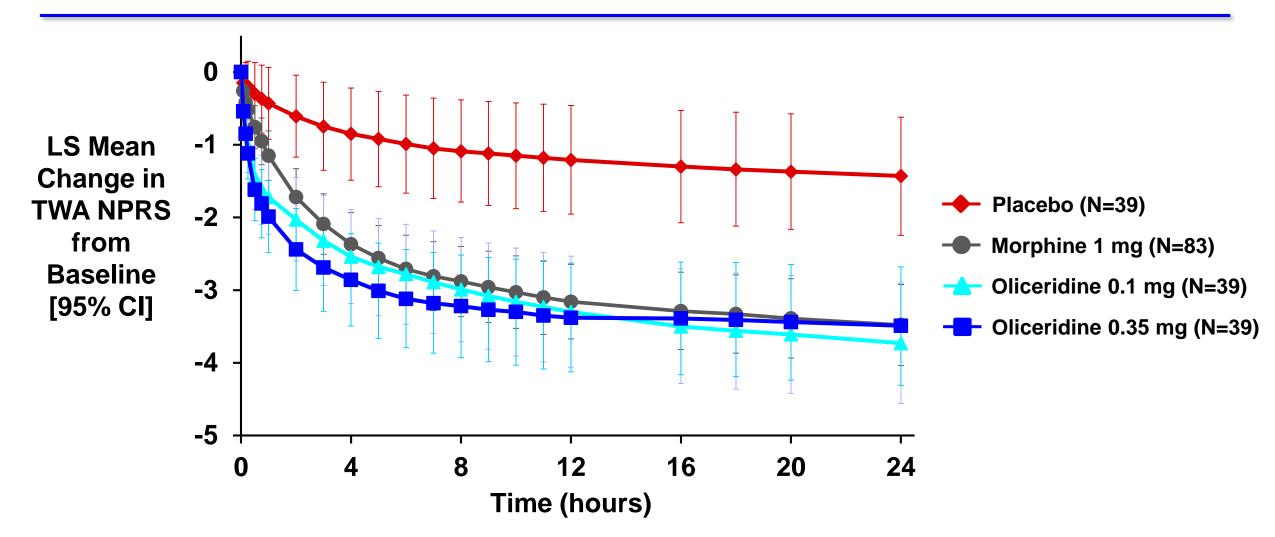
## Phase 2a (Bunionectomy): Fixed Doses of Oliceridine Provided Efficacy for Moderate-to-Severe Acute Pain



### Phase 2b Abdominoplasty Study (Study 2002)

- 200 patients randomized and treated
- PRN dosing to reflect clinical practice
  - Oliceridine: 1.5 mg loading with 0.1 or 0.35 mg demand doses
  - Morphine: 4 mg loading with 1 mg demand dose
  - Placebo
- 6-minute lockout intervals

## Phase 2b (Abdominoplasty): Oliceridine Statistically Significant Pain Reductions vs Placebo, Similar to Morphine



Last observation carried forward (LOCF) imputation for rescue medication TWA NPRS: time-weighted average in numeric pain rating scale

## Phase 3 Bunionectomy (APOLLO 1) and Abdominoplasty (APOLLO 2) Studies

Studies 3001 and 3002

### **APOLLO 1 and APOLLO 2 Study Designs**

Design Element	APOLLO 1	APOLLO 2	
Acute pain model	Bunionectomy (hard tissue)	Abdominoplasty (soft tissue)	
N randomized and treated	389	401	
Treatment period	48 hours	24 hours	
Anesthesia	Regional (popliteal sciatic nerve block)	General	
Pain entry criteria	NRS ≥ 4 within 9 hours after discontinuation of regional anesthesia	NRS ≥ 5 within 4 hours from end of surgery	

### **APOLLO 1 and APOLLO 2: Treatment Regimens**

Nominal Dose	Clinician-administered Loading Dose	Patient-administered Demand Dose	Clinician-administered Supplemental Dose
Oliceridine 0.1 mg		0.1 mg	
Oliceridine 0.35 mg	1.5 mg	0.35 mg	0.75 mg q1h PRN
Oliceridine 0.5 mg		0.5 mg	
Morphine	4 mg	1 mg	2 mg q1h PRN
Placebo	Volume-matched solution	Volume-matched solution	Volume-matched solution

- Monotherapy protocol: multimodal therapy not allowed
- Rescue pain medication: etodolac 200 mg q6h PRN

## Considerations for Analysis of IV Opioid Efficacy with PRN Dosing

- Treatment paradigm with opioid analgesics
  - Patients should receive what they need and no more
- Sufficiency, not magnitude, of efficacy most clinically relevant
- Efficacy greater than adequate should not be considered benefit
  - Reflects unnecessary opioid exposure and added risk
- Analyses focused on magnitude alone may bias towards treating patients with more opioid than needed
- Pre-specified treatment responder primary endpoint that measures both efficacy and tolerability

## FDA Guidance Document Acknowledges Responder Analyses as Appropriate Primary Efficacy Endpoints

#### **Guidance for Industry**

Analgesic Indications: Developing Drug and Biological Products

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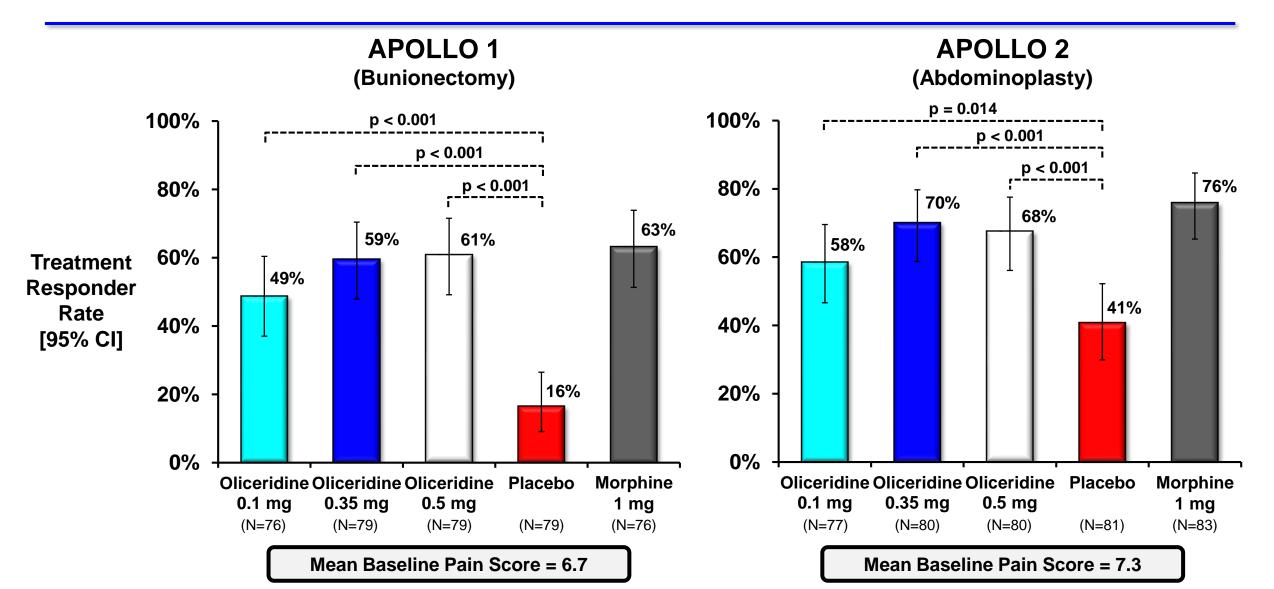
#### **Section 11a – Demonstrating efficacy**

"A responder analysis, in which the outcome for each subject is summarized as a success or a failure based on a single cut-off point (e.g., 30 percent reduction in pain (with early discontinuation counted as a failure)), can be used... such analyses are easy for clinicians to interpret, and they can greatly mitigate the problems of missing data."

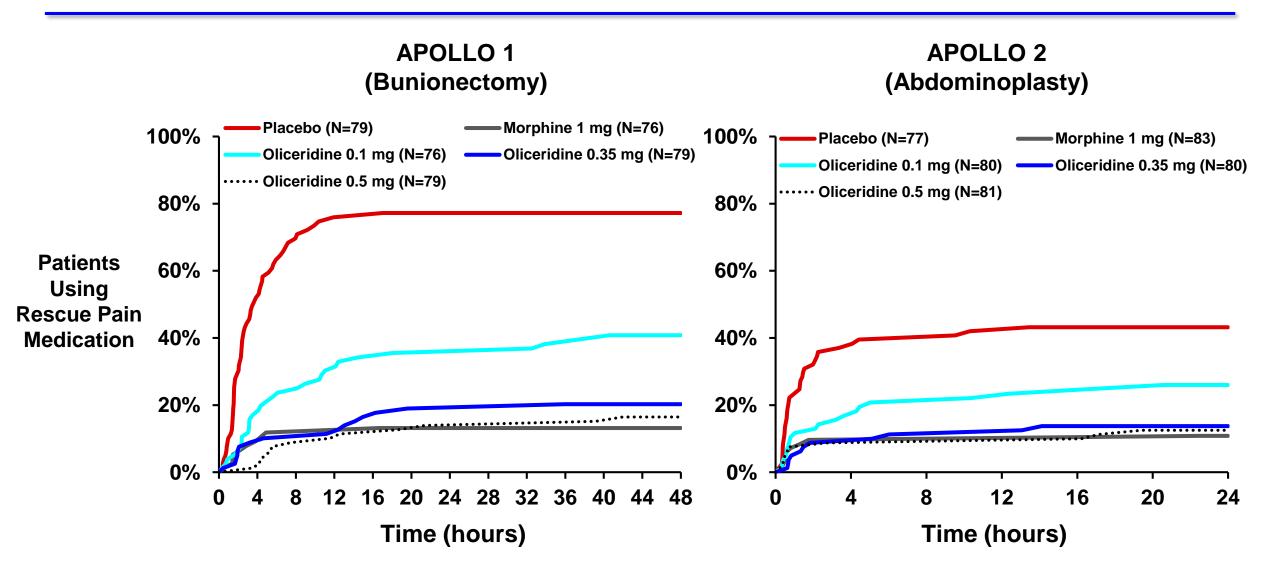
### **APOLLO 1 and APOLLO 2 Primary Endpoint**

- Treatment responder if all 4 criteria met
  - ≥ 30% improvement in SPID
  - Without rescue pain medication
  - Without early discontinuation
  - Without reaching study medication dosing limit
- No imputation required for rescue medication or discontinuation
- Primary efficacy analysis vs placebo
- Analysis considerations incorporated at FDA request
  - Account for use of analgesics outside of rescue pain medication
  - Multiple imputation for missing data

#### All Oliceridine Regimens Met Primary Endpoint



## Time to First Use of Rescue Medication Consistent with Results of Primary Endpoint



## **Efficacy Analyses Evaluating Sufficiency vs Magnitude**

### Clinical Meaningfulness of Efficacy Analyses

<b>Efficacy Consideration</b>	Treatment Responder	SPID with Imputations	
Change in Pain Score	> 30% is adequate	Greater is better	
Rescue Pain Medication		LOCF for duration of labeled dosing interval	
Discontinue Study Medication for Lack of Efficacy	Non-responder (inadequate analgesia or lack of tolerability)	Not accounted for	
Discontinue Study Medication for AE		Not accounted for	
Discontinue Study for Lack of Efficacy		LOCF to end of treatment period	
Discontinue Study for AE		BOCF to end of treatment period	
What does it measure?	Sufficiency, Comfort	Magnitude, Intensity	

**BOCF:** baseline observation carried forward

## Focus on Magnitude of Efficacy Alone Favors Higher Opioid Doses

		Oliceridine	
APOLLO 1 Efficacy Measure	Placebo	0.35 mg	0.5 mg
SPID48-LOCF-6hr (placebo-corrected)	0	27	51
Primary endpoint (treatment responder)	16%	59%	61%
Did not use rescue medication	23%	80%	84%
Discontinuation for lack of efficacy	34%	4%	5%
Patient dissatisfied (mostly/completely)	47%	10%	11%
Clinician dissatisfied (mostly/completely)	46%	8%	11%

SPID-LOCF suggests
0.5 mg twice as efficacious
as 0.35 mg

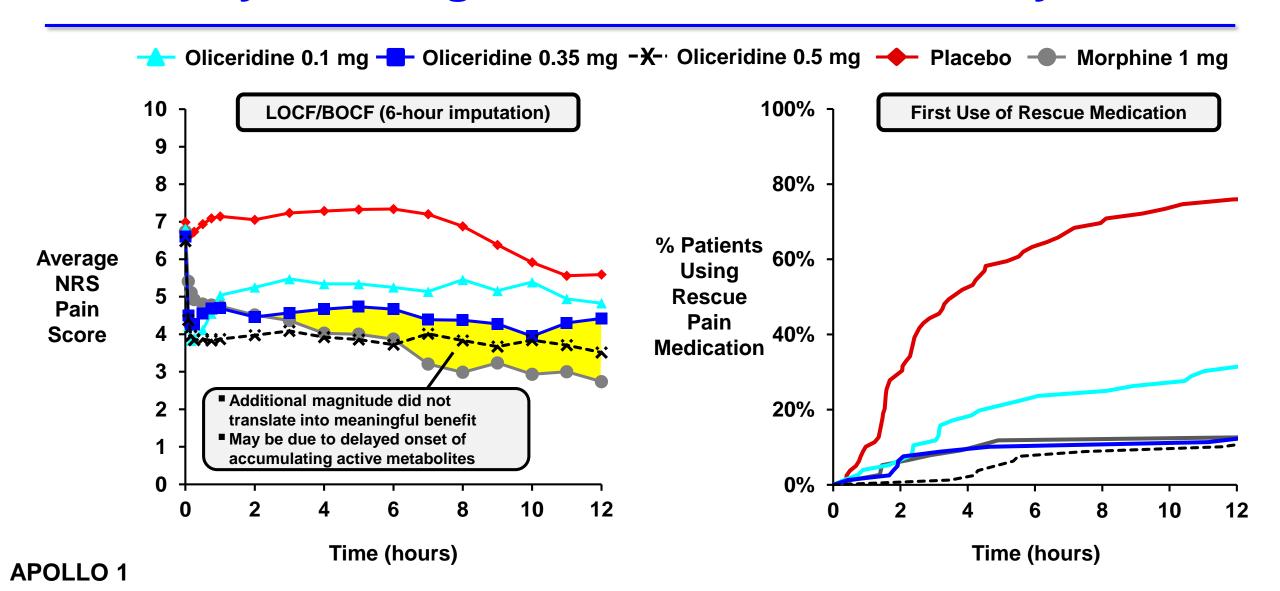
Additional efficacy measures suggest 0.35 and 0.5 mg offer comparably sufficient analgesia



#### SPID-LOCF

- Favors higher doses
- As primary efficacy measure, misaligned with goal of minimizing opioid exposure

## Differences in Pain Scores May Not Represent Clinically Meaningful Differences in Efficacy



### **Summary of Efficacy Findings**

- Oliceridine is efficacious IV opioid
- Evaluated broad range of doses and regimens
- Met primary endpoint vs placebo in pivotal studies
- Secondary endpoints support sufficiency of 0.1 and 0.35 mg regimens
  - No added benefit of 0.5 mg regimen
- PCA dosing regimens sought for approval
  - Initial loading dose 1 to 2 mg
  - Range of demand doses 0.1 to 0.35 mg

### **Safety**

### **Incidence (%) of AEs by Treatment Regimen**

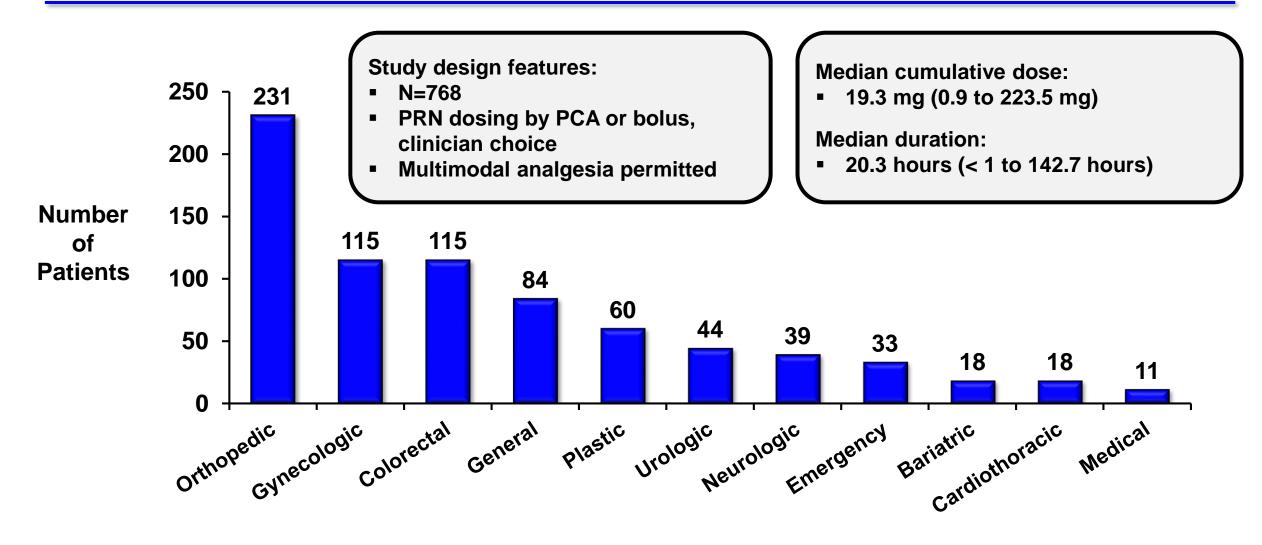
	Oliceridine						
Adverse Event, %	<b>0.1 mg</b> N=153	<b>0.35 mg</b> N=158	<b>0.5 mg</b> N=159	Placebo N=162	Morphine N=158		
Any AE	82	90	93	73	97		
AE leading to discontinuation	0	3.2	5.7	0	5.1		
SAE	0	0.6	2.5	0	0.6		
Severe AE	5.9	6.3	6.9	3.1	8.9		
Deaths	0	0	0	0	0		

#### **Pooled APOLLO Studies**

## **Phase 3 Open-Label ATHENA Study**

**Study 3003** 

## Broad Surgical, Medical, and Emergency Department Patient Population Treated in ATHENA



## **Key Findings from ATHENA Consistent with APOLLO Studies**

- ATHENA patients older with more comorbidities (32% ≥ 65 years)
- Safety and tolerability similar to APOLLO studies
  - 91% completed study using oliceridine
  - 4.3% discontinued for lack of efficacy
  - 2.2% discontinued for AE
  - 3.4% experienced an SAE
  - No deaths
- No differences in safety between bolus and PCA treatment conditions
- No new safety signal in larger, more diverse general acute pain patient population with more comorbid conditions

### **Special Safety Topics**

**Hepatic Safety** 

Cardiac Safety

### Clinical Interpretation of Hepatic Findings

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# **Expert Panel of Hepatologists Convened to Assess Causality**

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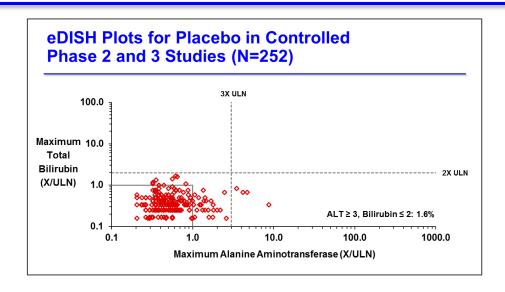
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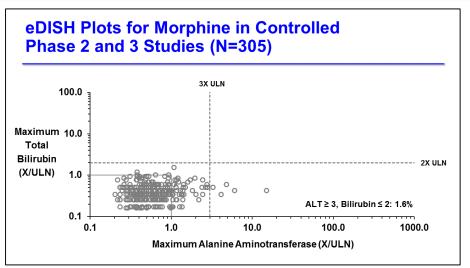
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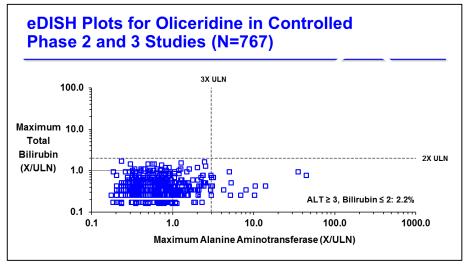
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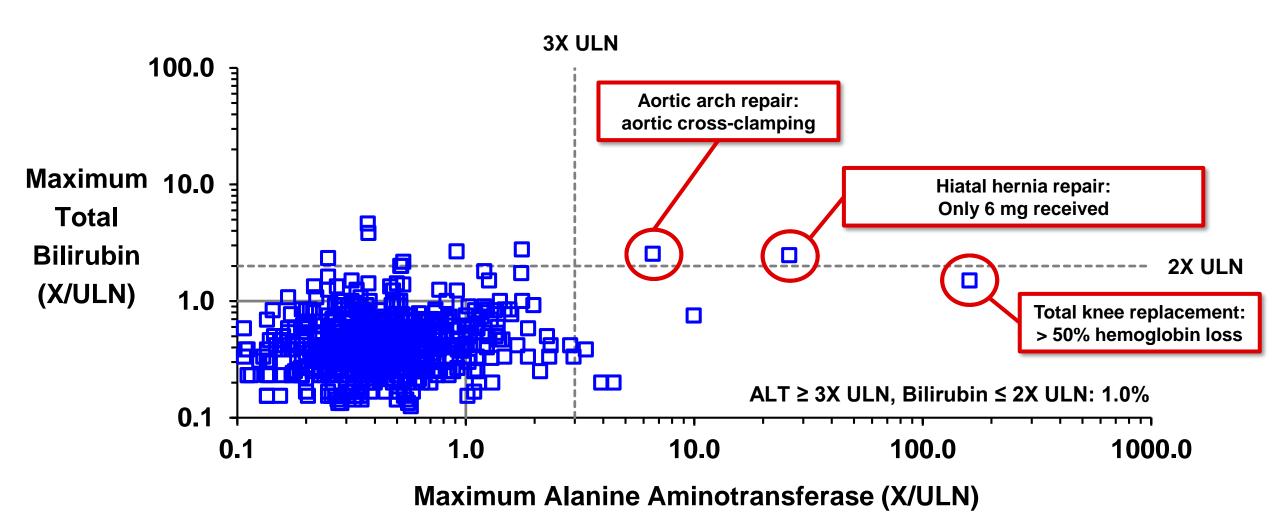
#### eDISH Plots for Controlled Phase 2 and 3 Studies







# eDISH Plot for Oliceridine in Open-Label ATHENA Study (N=706)



### **Additional Considerations for Hepatic Safety**

- No preclinical liver safety signal
- No relationship between dose of oliceridine received and liver events
- Total dose of oliceridine received low and duration of treatment too short to cause DILI
- Similar events were seen in placebo and morphine cases
  - Suggesting population or procedure-related risk factors

## Current Data Do Not Suggest Clinically Significant Hepatic Safety Risk of Oliceridine

- Unanimous consensus of expert hepatologist panel
  - No liver events likely result of treatment with oliceridine
  - No evidence of clinically significant liver safety signal with oliceridine

#### **Cardiac Safety**

#### Robert B Kleiman, MD

Chief Medical Officer, Vice President Global Cardiology eResearch Technology

# **Expert Cardiologists Convened to Evaluate Oliceridine's Cardiac Safety**

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Emeritus Chair, Lankenau Heart Institute William Wikoff Smith Chair for CV Research Lankenau Institute for Medical Research

## Overview of Evidence for Cardiac Safety of Oliceridine

- No preclinical signal
- Minor QT effect for supratherapeutic dose in tQT Study
- No QT prolongation in Phase 3 studies

## No Clinically Relevant Effect of Oliceridine or Metabolites on Cardiac Ion Channels

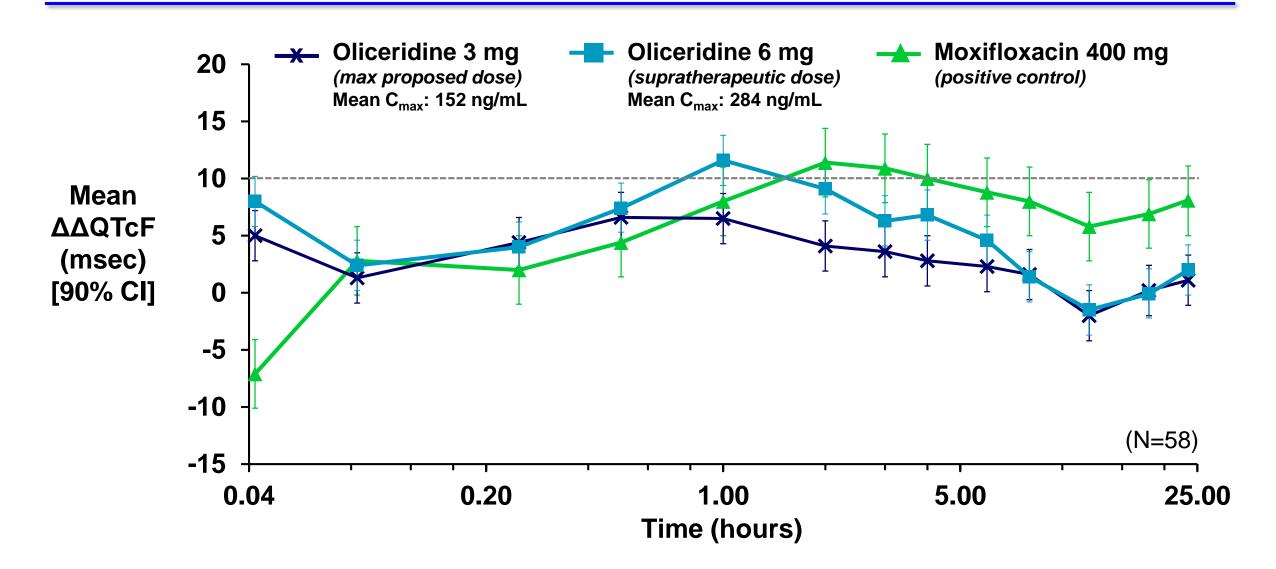
	IC <sub>50</sub> (Concentrate	IC <sub>50</sub> (Concentration blocking 50% of flow through channel)			
Channel	Oliceridine	TRV0109662	M22		
hERG	4.3 μM	> 300 µM	> 300 µM		
hCav1.2	> 10 µM	> 300 µM	> 300 µM		
hNav1.5 (tonic)	> 10 µM	> 300 µM	> 300 µM		
hNav1.5 (phasic)	> 10 µM	> 300 µM	> 300 µM		
Late hNav1.5	8.8 µM	> 300 µM	> 300 µM		

- Oliceridine's major metabolites have no measurable activity at the tested channels
- IC<sub>50</sub> for oliceridine at 4.3 μM (116x greater than maximum human exposure)
- Additional studies also showed no QT effect:
  - Isolated rabbit wedge preparation
  - Cynomolgus monkeys at 8x maximum human exposure

## TQT Study Evaluated ECG Effects of Therapeutic and Supratherapeutic Oliceridine Doses

- Randomized, double-blind, placebo- and active-controlled four-period crossover study
- 58 healthy adults randomized and received at least 1 active dose
- Randomized treatment sequence
  - Placebo IV bolus over 5 min
  - Oliceridine 3 mg (max proposed dose) IV bolus over 5 min
  - Oliceridine 6 mg (supratherapeutic dose) IV bolus over 5 min
  - Moxifloxacin 400 mg PO (positive control)

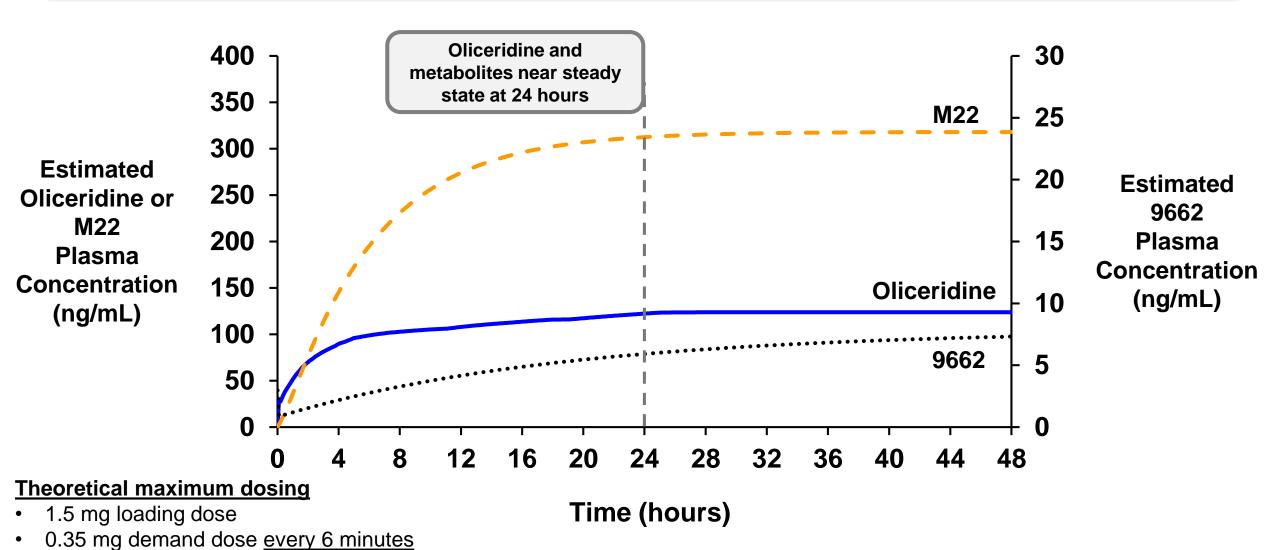
## No Clinically Significant Effect of Maximum Proposed Oliceridine Dose on Cardiac Repolarization



# Trevena Followed FDA Recommendations to Monitor Cardiac Safety in Phase 3

- FDA suggested ECG measurements at baseline, following first dose, and periodically at later time points
  - Sought to capture potential delayed QT effect
- Trevena incorporated ECGs for > 1,500 patients in Phase 3
  - Baseline
  - 1 hour (peak effect in tQT study)
  - 24 hours (potential delayed effects)
  - Every 24 hours thereafter (potential delayed effects)

## 24-Hour ECG Assessment Captures Maximum Levels of Oliceridine and Its Inactive Metabolites



# No Clinically Meaningful Differences in Incidence of QT Prolongation in Controlled Phase 3 Studies

	Oliceridine				
Threshold ECG Criteria, %	<b>0.1 mg</b> N=153	<b>0.35 mg</b> N=158	<b>0.5 mg</b> N=159	Placebo N=162	Morphine n=158
QTcF > 500 msec	0	0	0	0	0
QTcF change from baseline > 60 msec	0.7	0	0	0	0
QTcF change from baseline > 30 msec	9.8	7.0	8.2	7.5	8.3

#### **ECG** Assessments in ATHENA

- No control group and not designed for QT testing
- Few patients experienced QT prolongation
  - Many with QT prolongation at baseline
  - No ventricular arrhythmias
- Among patients who did not experience QT prolongation
  - 1 patient undergoing aortic valve replacement had non-sustained ventricular tachycardia

#### **Summary of Oliceridine Cardiac Safety**

- Comprehensive nonclinical program revealed no QT concerns
- tQT study: small QTc increase for supratherapeutic dose
  - Prompted enhanced ECG monitoring in Phase 3
- No differences in ECG findings in controlled Phase 3 studies
- Totality of data
  - Small QTc effect in tQT study not clinically relevant
  - Oliceridine does not pose clinically meaningful risk for drug-induced ventricular arrhythmia

#### **Opioid-Related Adverse Events**

#### Jonathan Violin, PhD

Co-founder and Senior Vice President of Scientific Affairs Trevena, Inc.

#### Clinical Program Explored Biased Ligand Hypothesis

- Hypothesis for oliceridine
  - Provide opioid-level efficacy
  - Attenuate, but not <u>eliminate</u>, incidence of ORAEs
- No precedent for how to explore impact of novel MoA in clinical setting
  - Attempted to capture safety in variety of ways
  - Assessed experimental gold standard, clinically-relevant events, interventions for safety, MedDRA Preferred Terms, novel endpoints
- Goal to identify dosing regimens
  - Meaningfully reduced ORAEs
  - Provided sufficient analgesic efficacy

#### **Respiratory Safety**

- Phase 1: Gold standard VRH test for opioid-induced respiratory depression
- Phase 2 and 3: Standard and novel complementary endpoints

### Phase 1 Pharmacologic Proof-of-Concept Study

- Randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled crossover study
- 30 healthy volunteers randomized and received study drug
- 5 study periods with 2-minute IV infusions
  - Placebo, morphine 10 mg, oliceridine 1.5, 3, and 4.5 mg
- Assessed experimental models
  - Analgesic effects cold pressor test
  - Opioid-induced respiratory depression VRH

## **Cold Pressor Test Measures Analgesic Effects via Pain Tolerance**

- Hand immersed in 2°C water for as long as possible (up to 180 sec)
- Analgesic effect measured as duration of hand in cold water

#### **Cold Pressor Test**



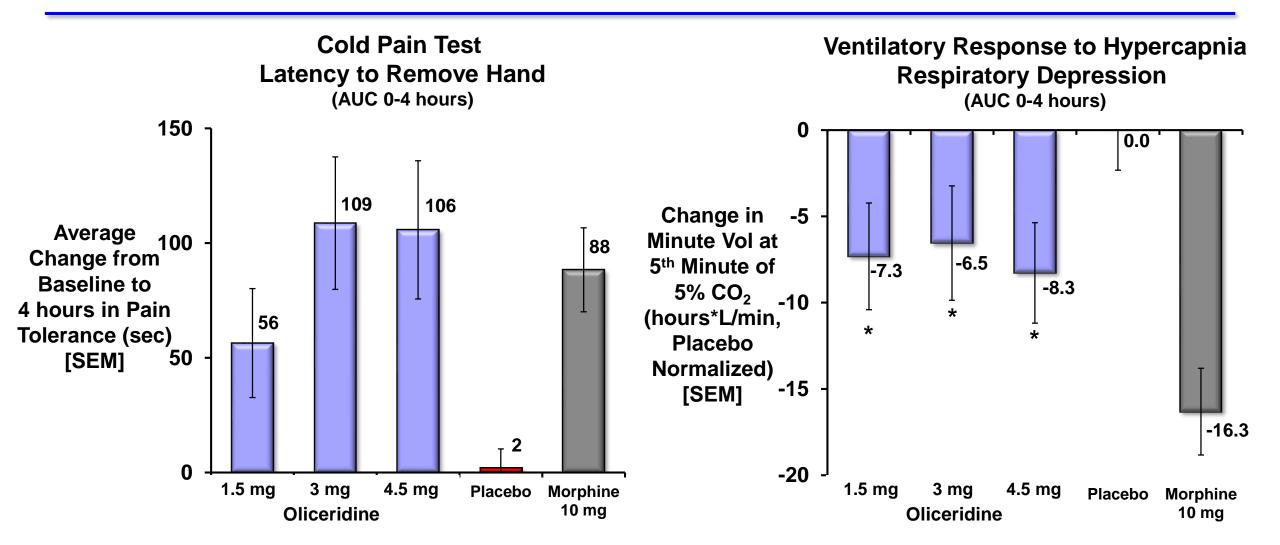
## VRH Measures Respiratory Impact via Change in Ventilation

- Inhaled 5% CO<sub>2</sub> to experimentally induce respiratory drive
- Opioid-induced respiratory depression measured as change in minute ventilation

#### **VRH**



# Oliceridine Produced Significantly Less Opioid-Induced Respiratory Depression than Morphine

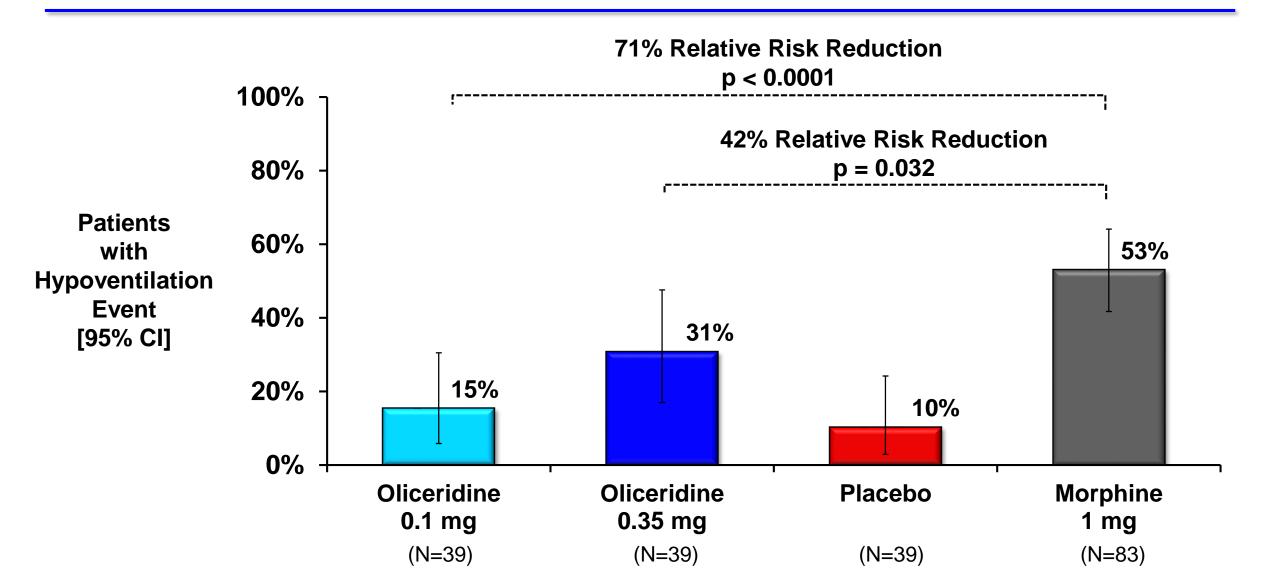


<sup>\*</sup> p < 0.05 vs Morphine

# Phase 2b Study: Evaluated Incidence of Clinically Significant Respiratory Events

- Hypoventilation prospectively defined as clinically apparent and persistently decreased
  - Respiratory rate
  - Respiratory effort
  - Oxygen saturation
- Respiratory events ascertained using standard clinical monitoring in blinded fashion

### Phase 2b Study: Significantly Fewer Hypoventilation Events with Oliceridine than Morphine



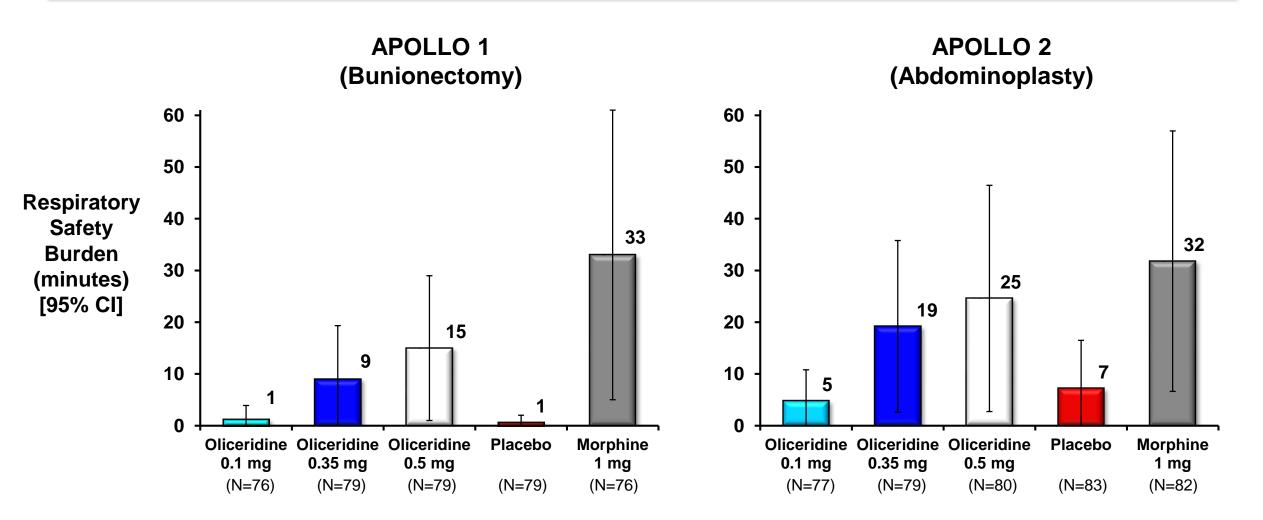
# Phase 3 Studies Included Rigorous Monitoring and Assessment of Respiratory Events

- Trained anesthesiologists and certified registered nurse anesthetists (CRNA) performed all monitoring
  - Assessed signs, symptoms, and duration of respiratory effects
  - Administered clinical interventions
- Systematically captured incidence, severity, and duration
- Monitoring occurred every 2 hours or every 30 minutes during event in blinded fashion

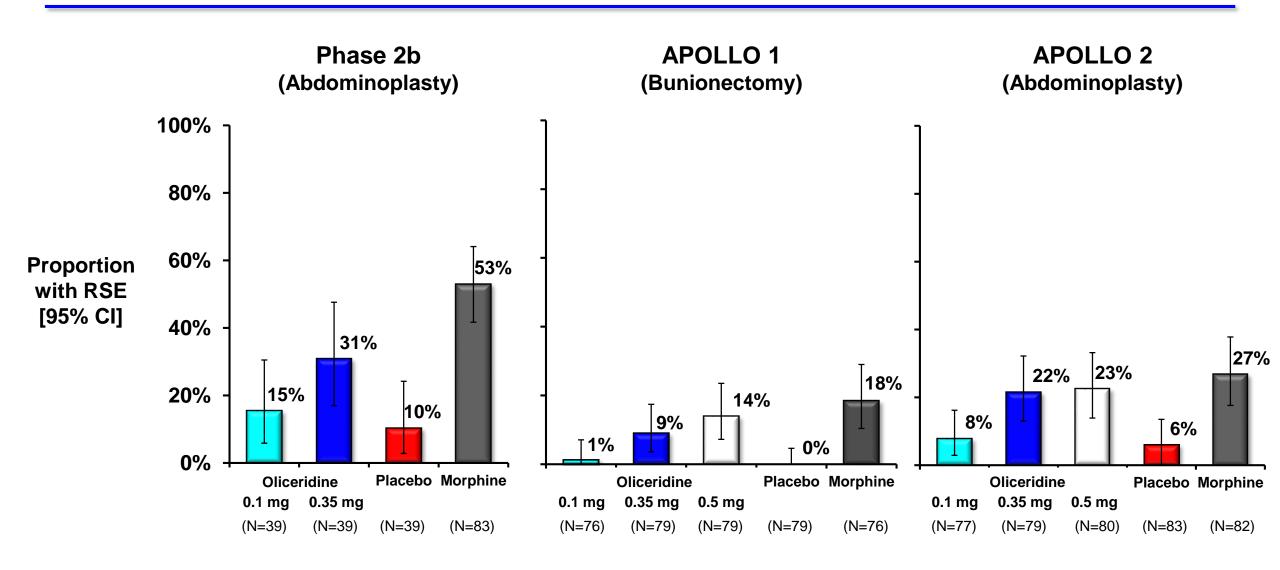
### **Definitions of Respiratory Endpoints in Phase 3**

- Respiratory Safety Event (RSE)
  - Clinical expertise used to declare clinically relevant worsening in O<sub>2</sub> desaturation, reduced respiratory rate, or sedation
- Respiratory Safety Burden (RSB) new composite index
  - Product of RSE incidence and duration
  - Key secondary endpoint
  - Not eligible for labeling claims
- Respiratory interventions
  - Supplemental O<sub>2</sub> administration, dosing interruption, and study medication discontinuations

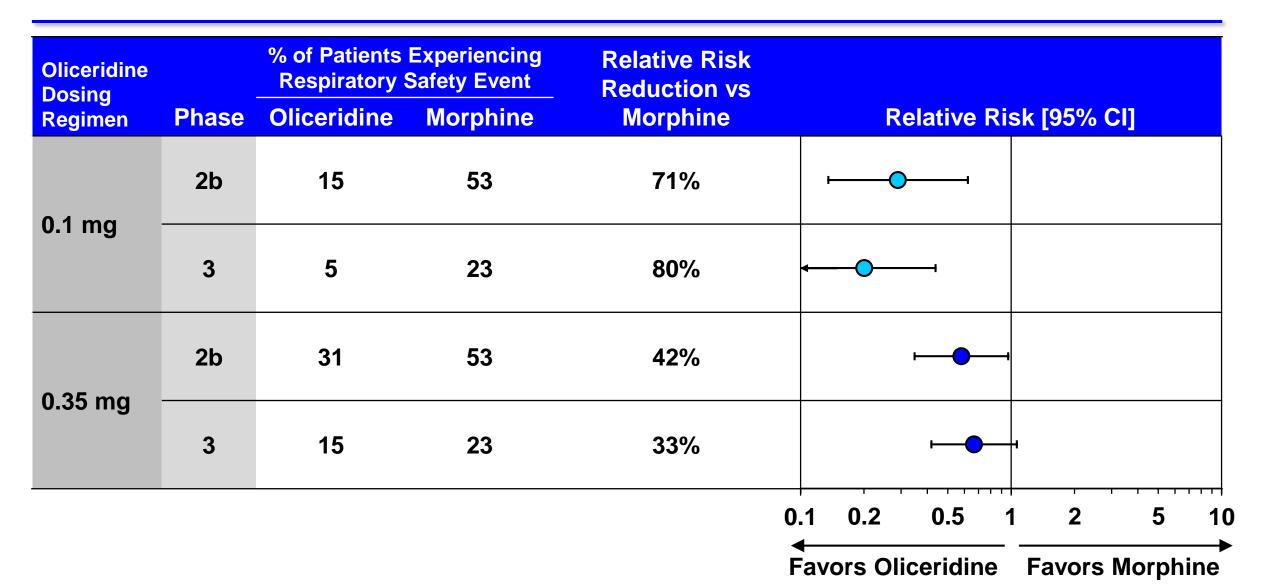
# Phase 3: Reductions in RSB Dose-Regimen Dependent and Numerically Lower than Morphine



# Lower Incidence of Respiratory Safety Events in All Groups in Phase 3 vs Phase 2



### Similar Relative Risk Reductions in Hypoventilation and Respiratory Safety Events



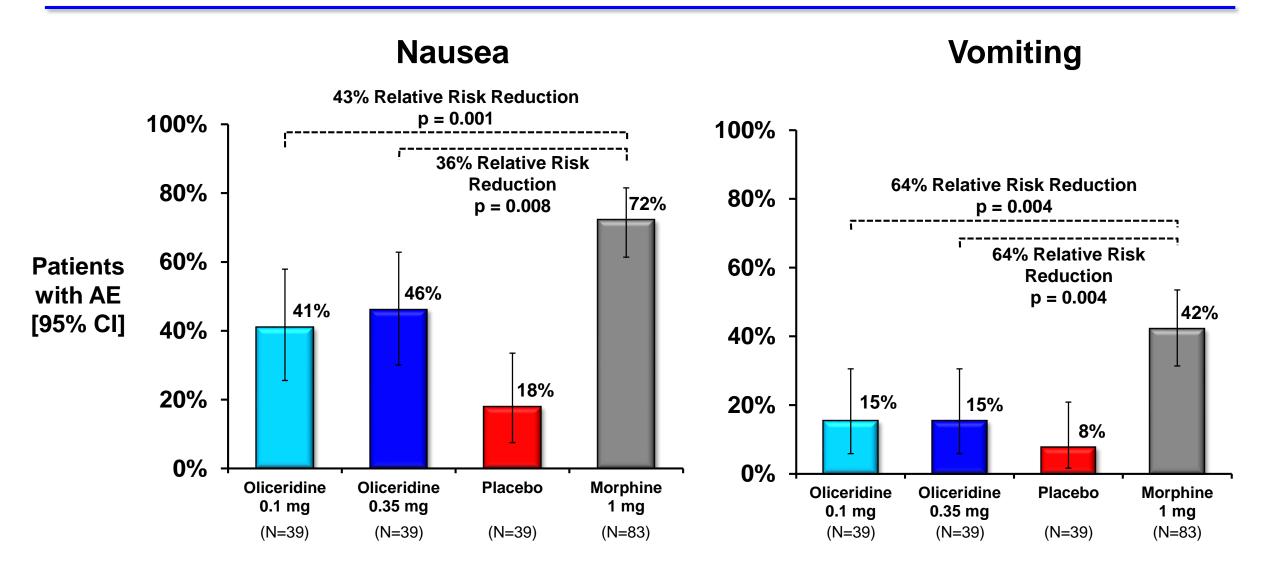
## **Summary of Respiratory Safety Interventions**

	Oliceridine		Morphine	Relative Risk Reduction (p-value)		
Safety Parameter, %	<b>0.1 mg</b> N=153	<b>0.35 mg</b> N=158	<b>0.5 mg</b> N=159	1 mg N=158	0.1 mg vs Morphine	0.35 mg vs Morphine
O <sub>2</sub> Saturation < 90%	5.9	14.6	17.0	22.2	73% (< 0.001)	34% (0.11)
Dosing Interruption	3.9	14.6	17.6	24.7	83% (< 0.001)	41% (0.033)
Supplemental O <sub>2</sub>	4.6	14.6	17.6	22.8	80% (< 0.001)	36% (0.083)

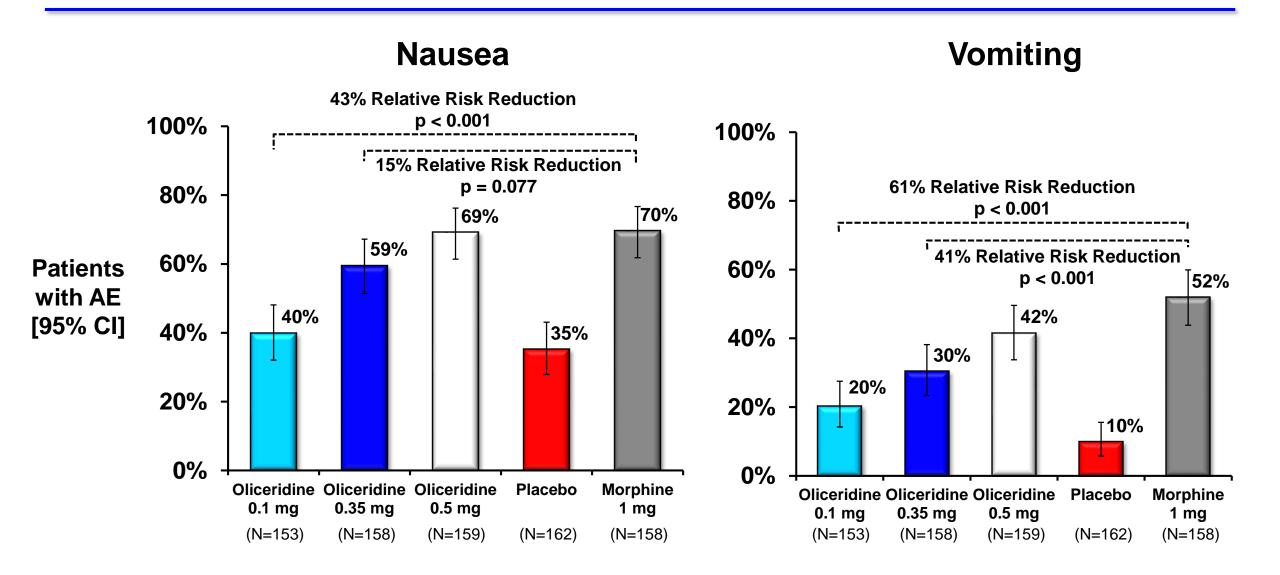
### **Nausea and Vomiting**

MedDRA Preferred Terms for Nausea and Vomiting

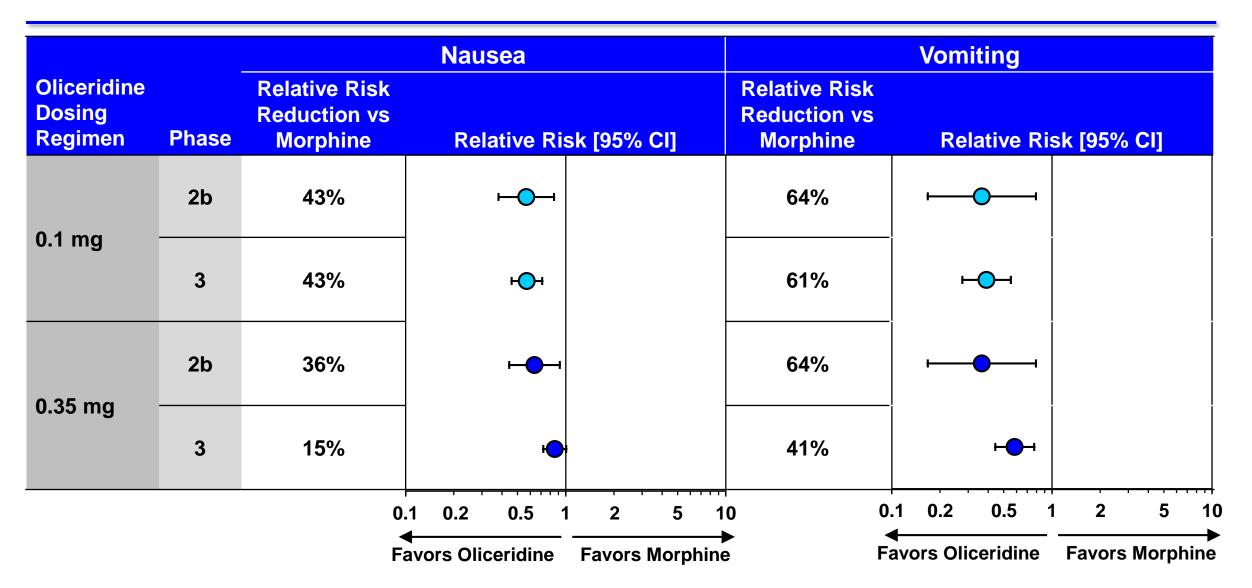
# Incidence of Nausea and Vomiting in Pivotal Phase 2b Study



# **Incidence of Nausea and Vomiting in Pivotal Phase 3 Studies**



# Oliceridine Associated with Clinically Relevant Reductions in Nausea and Vomiting

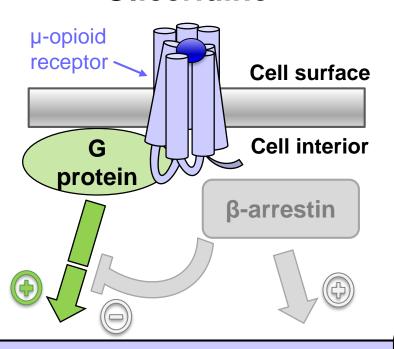


#### **Benefit-Risk Assessment**

- Summary of comparative ORAEs
- Sufficiency of analgesia vs risks

# Clinical Results Provide Support for G Protein Biased Ligand Hypothesis

#### Oliceridine

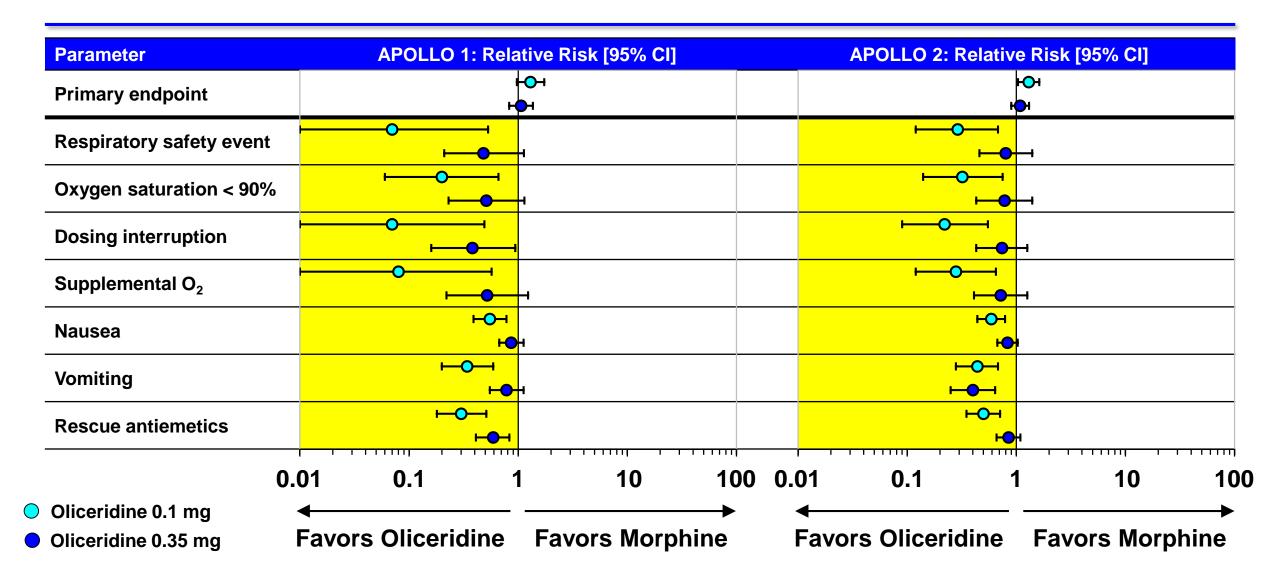


#### **Hypothesis (vs Conventional Opioids):**

- Similar Analgesia
- Similar Liking/Dependence
- Less Respiratory Depression
- Less Nausea / Vomiting

Hypothesis	Current Evidence		
Similar analgesia	<ul> <li>Met primary endpoint for all doses in both Phase 3 studies</li> </ul>		
Similar liking / dependence	Similar liking to equianalgesic morphine		
Less respiratory depression	<ul> <li>50% less opioid-induced respiratory depression vs morphine (gold standard)</li> <li>Consistent reductions in safety events and interventions</li> </ul>		
Less nausea / vomiting	<ul> <li>Consistently reduced in Phase 2 and 3 studies</li> </ul>		

#### Positive Benefit-Risk Profile of Oliceridine



### **Clinical Perspective**

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### **Need for Incremental Improvement in IV Opioid Therapy**

- Most surgical inpatients require IV opioids
  - Adequate pain management may be challenging
- No significant advances in IV opioids over several decades
- Biased ligands first in new class of targeted pain therapies
  - Opioid-level efficacy with fewer adverse effects
- Need to embrace step-wise approach

### Oliceridine: First Step in Biased Ligand Discovery

- Important incremental improvement in pain management
- Provides opioid-level analgesia with improved safety and tolerability profile

### IV Opioid Safety: Nausea and Vomiting

- Nausea and vomiting common opioid side-effects
  - Patients would rather avoid nausea/vomiting than pain<sup>1</sup>
- May mitigate with antiemetics but come with other side effects

# Oliceridine Associated with Clinically Relevant Reductions in Nausea and Vomiting

#### Phase 2b

- 3 in 4 morphine patients had nausea
  - Oliceridine reduced incidence by 35-40%
- 2 in 5 morphine patients experienced vomiting
  - Oliceridine reduced incidence by 64%

#### Phase 3

- 2 in 3 morphine patients had nausea
  - Oliceridine reduced incidence by 15-40%
- 1 in 2 morphine patients experienced vomiting
  - Oliceridine reduced incidence by 40-60%

### **Opioid-Induced Respiratory Depression**

- Minimize risk by titrating medications gradually to effect
- Conventional IV opioids have narrow therapeutic window
- Overshoot opioid dose
  - Discontinue opioid
  - Administer or increase supplemental oxygen, high-flow nasal cannula therapy, or CPAP
  - Rare cases may need naloxone reversal, positive pressure ventilation

# IV Oliceridine Reduces Opioid-Induced Respiratory Depression

- VRH gold standard for respiratory depression since 1960s
- 50% less respiratory depression vs equianalgesic morphine dose



## Respiratory Safety Benefit: Consistent Safety Signal Across Clinical Studies

#### Phase 2b

- 1 in 2 morphine patients had hypoventilation event
  - Oliceridine reduced incidence by 40-70%

#### Phase 3

- 1 in 4 morphine patients had respiratory safety event
  - Oliceridine reduced incidence by 33-80%
- 1 in 4 morphine patients had PCA taken away for respiratory issues
  - Oliceridine reduced incidence by 40-80%

### **Clinical Practice: Titrate Dose to Response**

- Initial loading dose (1 to 2 mg)
- Analgesia maintained with demand doses
  - PCA dose range: 0.1 to 0.35 mg
- 0.1 mg demand dose
  - Smaller, more "fragile" patients
  - History of opioid sensitivity, PONV
  - Relatively minor procedures
  - Sufficient in many patients
- Titrate dose as needed



### **Summary of Clinical Perspective**

- IV opioids important medications with many safety liabilities
- Need to move beyond current opioid formulations
  - Make potent analgesic molecules safer
- Oliceridine first potent analgesic pharmacology engineered to reduce ORAEs
  - Reduces respiratory events, nausea, and vomiting
  - Does not eliminate ORAEs or reduce drug liking
- Incremental improvements should be embraced

### **Trevena Perspective on FDA Questions**

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# **Trevena Perspective on FDA Questions**

FDA Question	Key Findings		
1. Substantial evidence of efficacy	<ul> <li>Superior to placebo in all pivotal Phase 3 studies</li> <li>Comparable analgesic efficacy to morphine</li> </ul>		
2. Adequacy of safety profile			
a. Safety database	<ul> <li>&gt; 1,800 individuals have received oliceridine</li> <li>Max daily dose of 40 mg based on median of top 350 exposures</li> </ul>		
b. Hepatic safety	<ul> <li>Expert panel found no evidence for clinical safety issue</li> </ul>		
c. Respiratory safety	<ul> <li>~50% less opioid-induced respiratory depression vs morphine</li> <li>Consistent relative risk reductions in clinical studies</li> </ul>		
d. QT prolongation	No clinically meaningful risk for drug-induced arrhythmia		
3. Impact on public health	<ul> <li>Acute use in controlled setting</li> <li>Similar abuse potential to morphine</li> </ul>		
4. Approvability	<ul> <li>Meets regulatory requirements for approval</li> <li>Incremental improvement vs conventional IV opioids</li> </ul>		

# IV Oliceridine for the Management of Moderate-to-Severe Acute Pain in Hospital or Controlled Clinical Settings

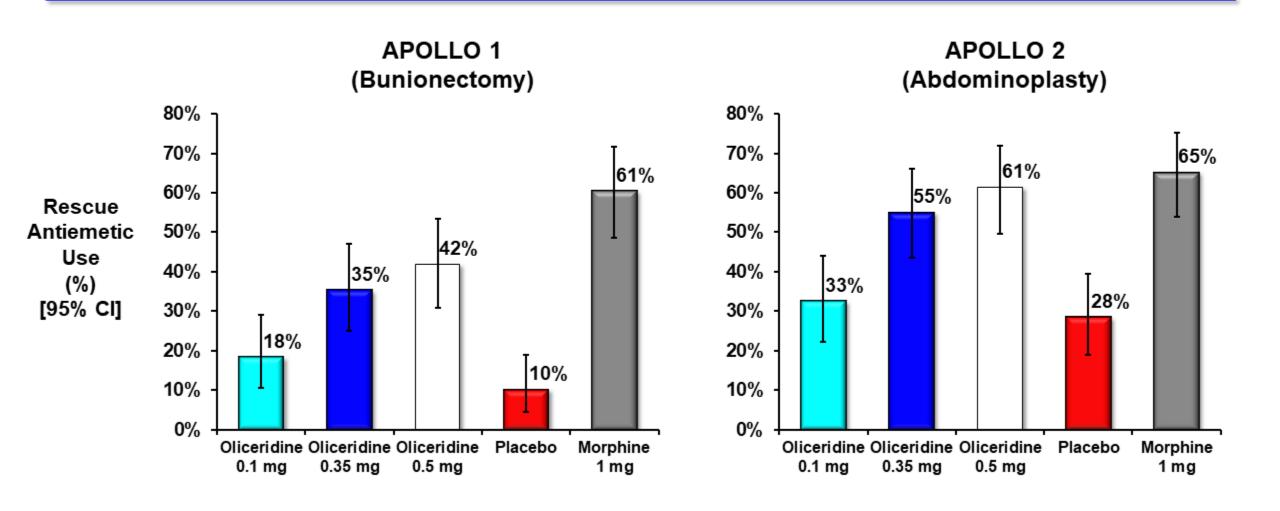
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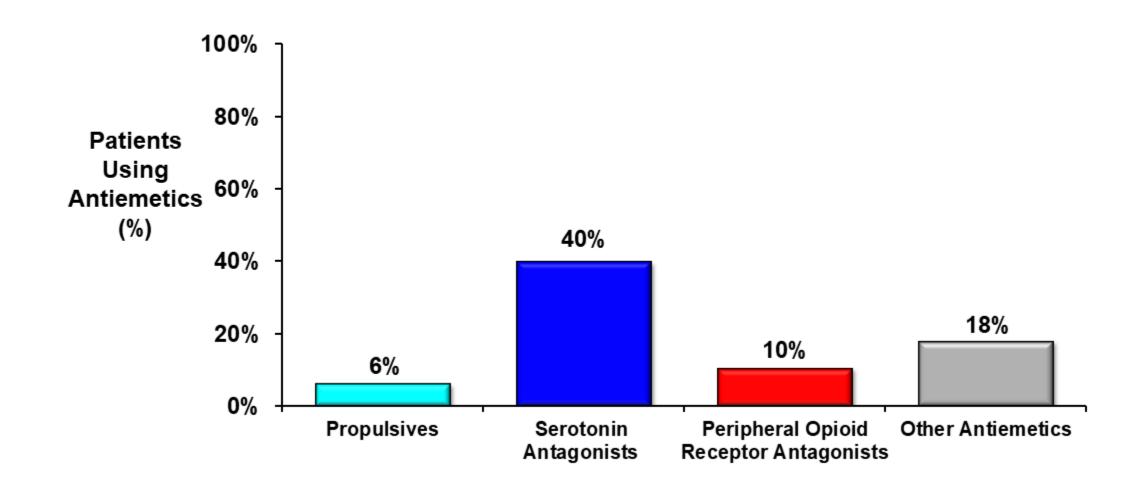
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### **BACKUP SLIDES**

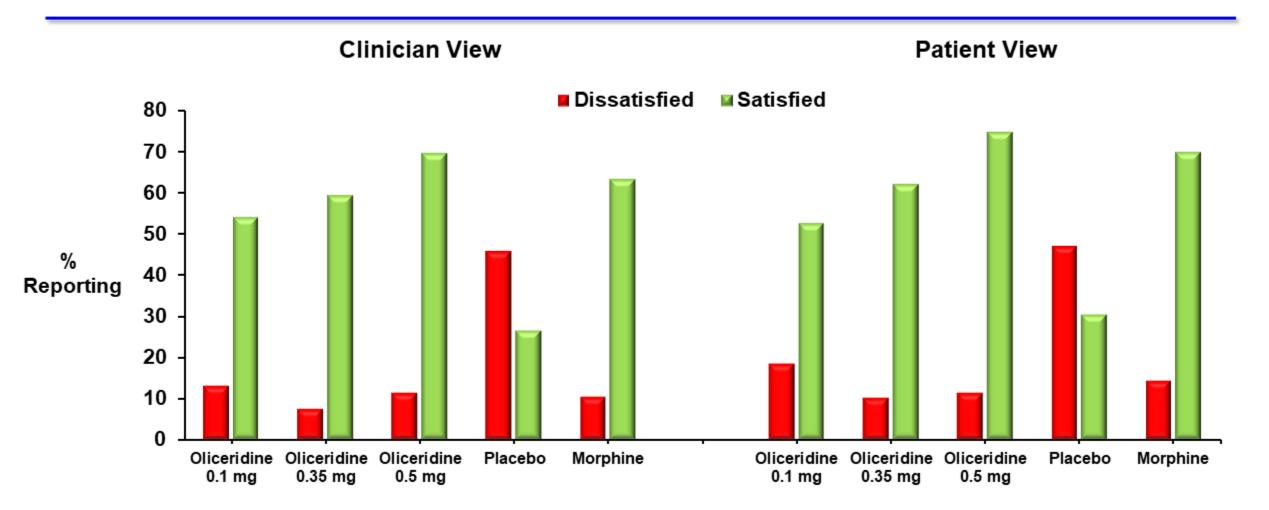
#### **APOLLO Studies: Rescue Antiemetic Use**



#### **ATHENA: Concomitant Antiemetics**

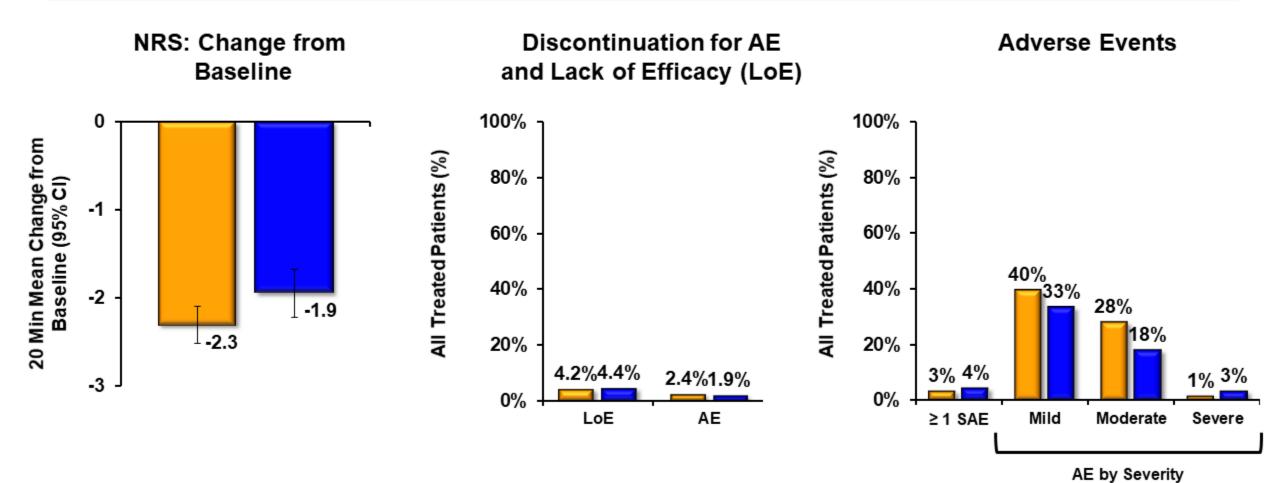


# APOLLO 1: Clinician and Patient Satisfaction Self-Reported Global Outcomes



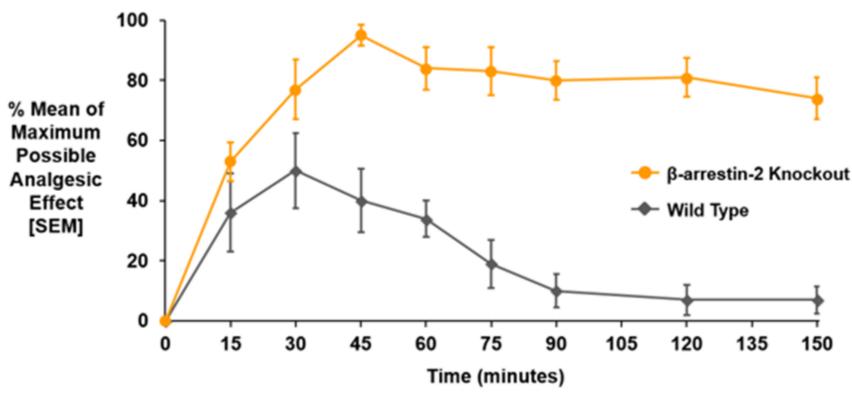
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### ATHENA: Benefit/Risk Evaluation by Sex



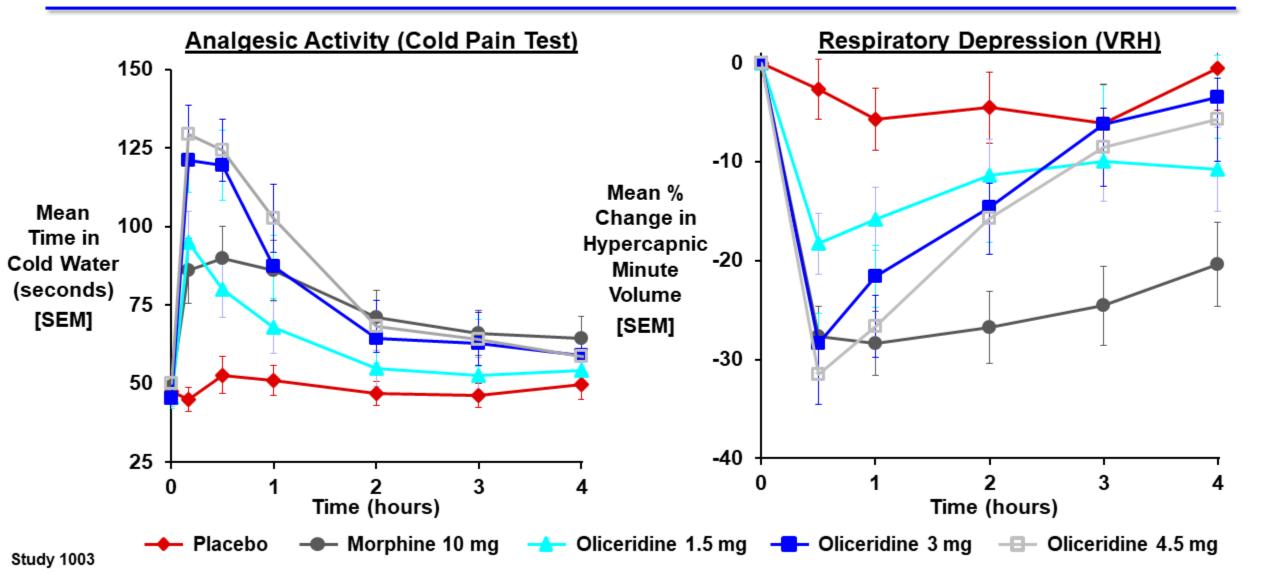


# Figure 15: Analgesic Effect of Morphine in β-arrestin-2 Knockout Mice in Hot Plate Assay

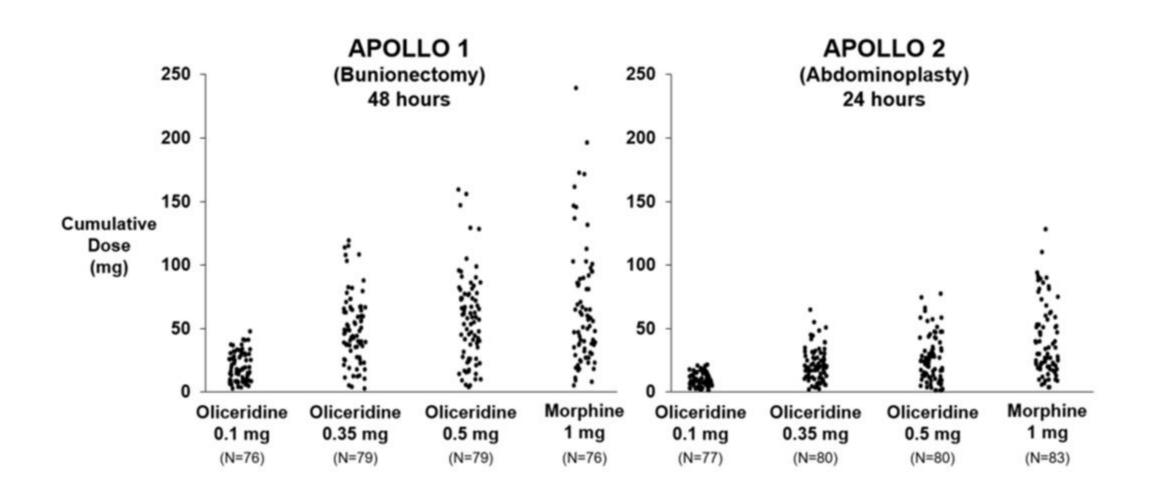


Morphine dose: 10 mg/kg s.c. Adapted from Bohn et al. Science, 1999

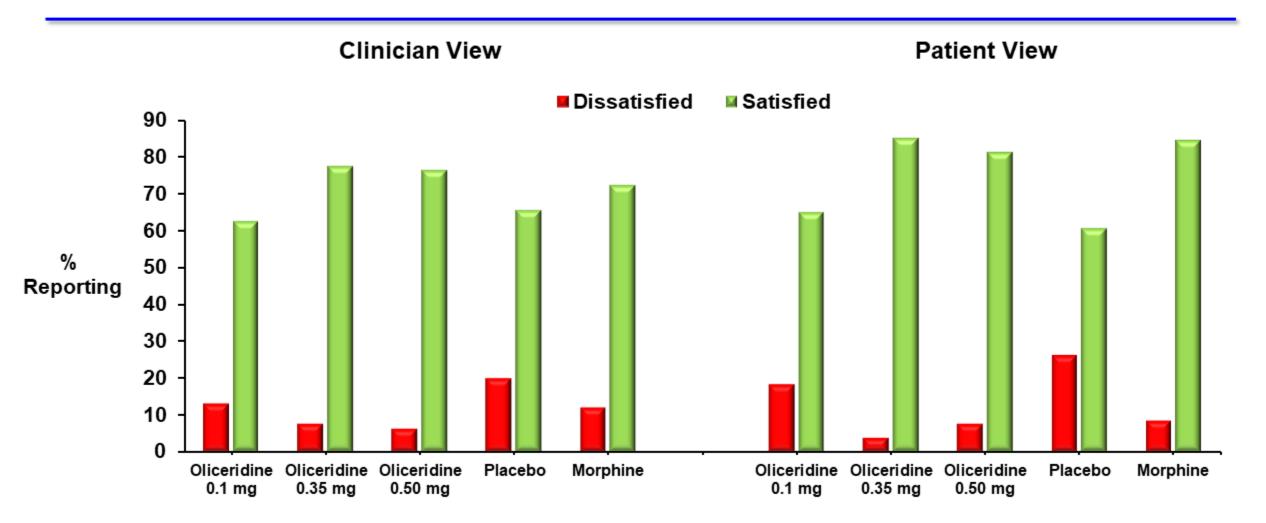
# Phase 1: Oliceridine Showed Favorable Balance Between Analgesia and Respiratory Safety



# Figure 29: Cumulative Dose of Study Medication in APOLLO 1 and APOLLO 2

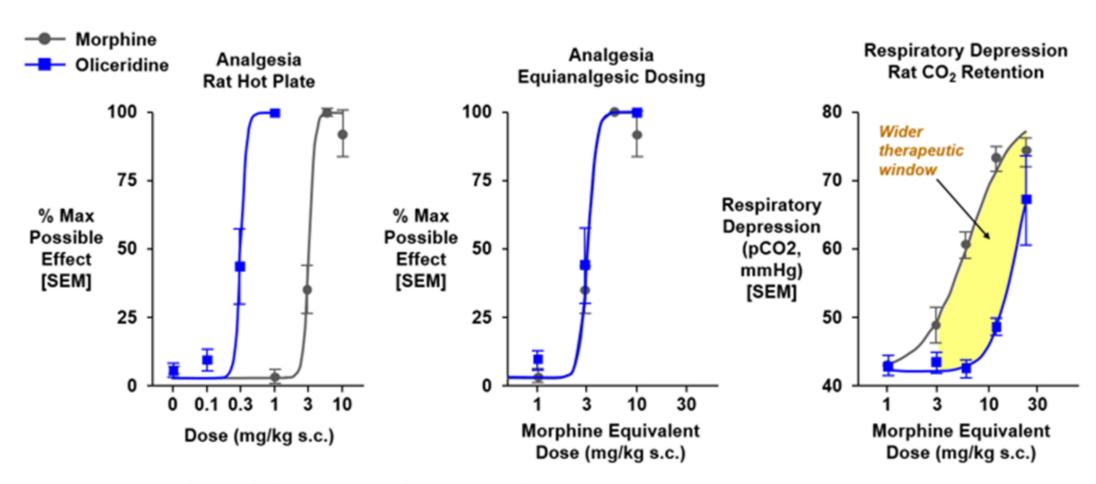


# APOLLO 2: Clinician and Patient Satisfaction Self-Reported Global Outcomes



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# Figure 20: Log-Transformed Oliceridine and Morphine Dose-Response Curves for Analgesic Activity and Respiratory Depression in Rats



Source: Adapted from Violin et al. Trends Pharmacol Sci, 2014