Phase 3 KONFIDENT Trial of Oral Sebetralstat for Treatment of Hereditary Angioedema Attacks: Analysis of the European and US Patient Subgroups

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Rationale

- International treatment guidelines recommend that patients with hereditary angioedema with C1-inhibitor deficiency (HAE-C1INH) consider treating all attacks, treat attacks as early as possible, and always carry sufficient on-demand therapy with them to treat 2 attacks^{1,2}
- Currently approved on-demand treatments must be administered parenterally³⁻⁷ and are associated with delays and/or withholding of treatment⁸⁻¹³
- Sebetralstat, a plasma kallikrein inhibitor, is the first orally administered therapy to have been evaluated in a phase 3 trial for the on-demand treatment of HAE-C1INH attacks¹⁴

Objective

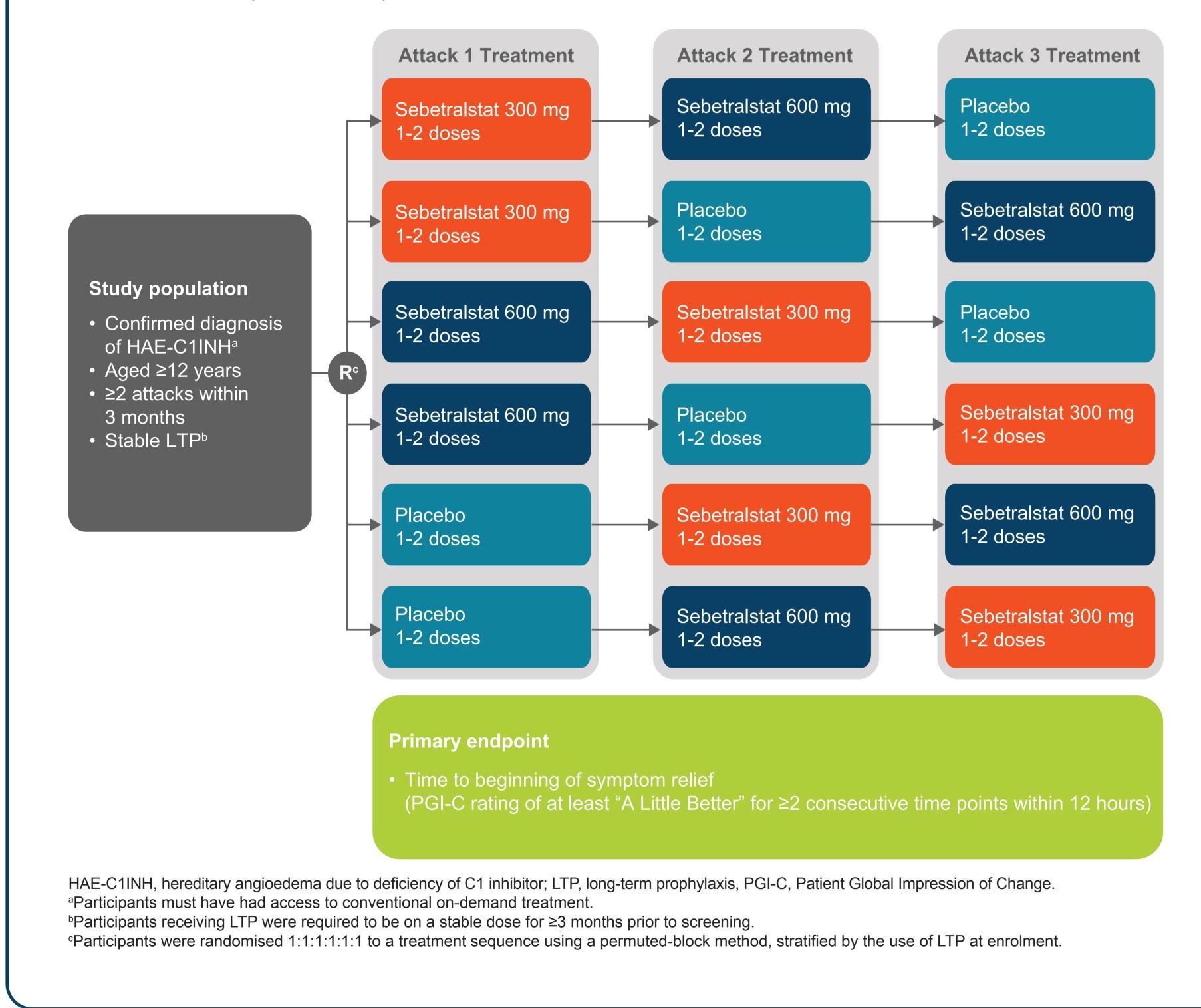
The objective of the phase 3 KONFIDENT trial was to determine the safety and efficacy of sebetralstat in adults and adolescents with HAE-C1INH. This analysis assessed consistency between US participants and European participants (ie, the two largest geographic subgroups)

Methods

- The phase 3 KONFIDENT trial (NCT05259917) was a double-blind, randomised, placebo-controlled, 3-way crossover trial¹⁵ Adults and adolescents with HAE-C1INH and ≥2 documented attacks within 3 months were randomly assigned to 1 of 6 treatment sequences in which 3 eligible attacks were treated with 1-2 doses of sebetralstat 300 mg or 600 mg or with
- placebo (Figure 1) - All attack locations and severity were included except for laryngeal attacks that were considered severe at onset
- The primary endpoint was time to beginning of symptom relief, defined as a Patient Global Impression of Change (PGI-C)
- rating of at least "A Little Better" for 2 consecutive time points within 12 hours
- Subgroup analyses are not powered for efficacy and must be interpreted with caution

Figure 1. Study Design

KONFIDENT (NCT05259917): International, Randomised, Double-blind, Placebo-controlled Phase 3 Trial



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Participants and Attacks

The full analysis set included 110 participants (**Table 1**) who treated 264 attacks (**Table 2**)

Table 1. Participant Demographics and Disease Characteristics

	All participants ^a N=110	US participants ^a n=34	European participants ^{a,b} n=58
Age, median (IQR), years	39.5 (25.0 to 49.0)	39.5 (28.0 to 51.0)	40.0 (25.0 to 48.0)
Sex, female, n (%)	66 (60.0)	27 (79.4)	28 (48.3)
BMI, median (IQR), kg/m²	26.2 (22.8 to 31.7)	29.3 (25.2 to 35.4)	25.4 (22.9 to 30.7)
Race, n (%)			
White	92 (83.6)	31 (91.2)	50 (86.2)
Asian	10 (9.1)	2 (5.9)	1 (1.7)
Black or African American	1 (0.9)	1 (2.9)	0
Other or not reported	7 (6.4)	0	7 (12.1)
HAE-C1INH type, n (%)			
Type 1	101 (91.8)	28 (82.4)	55 (94.8)
Type 2	9 (8.2)	6 (17.6)	3 (5.2)
Time since HAE diagnosis, median (IQR), years	12 (7 to 22)	13 (5 to 29)	13 (8 to 20)
Current treatment regimen, n (%)			
On-demand only	86 (78.2)	18 (52.9)	54 (93.1)
On-demand + LTP ^c	24 (21.8)	16 (47.1)	4 (6.9)

BMI. body mass index; HAE-C1INH, hereditary angioedema due to deficiency of C1 inhibitor; IQR, interguartile range; LTP, long-term prophylaxis.

^aParticipant characteristics are reported for patients who experienced ≥ 1 treated attack. European countries with participants who treated ≥ 1 attack included Greece (n=9), the United Kingdom (n=8), France (n=6), Germany (n=5), Italy (n=5), Poland (n=5), Bulgaria (n=4), Spain (n=4), the Netherlands (n=3), Portugal (n=3), Hungary (n=2), Macedonia (n=2), and Slovakia (n=2).

°Of the 24 participants receiving LTP, 10 (42%) received berotralstat, 8 (33%) received lanadelumab, and 7 (29%) received C1INH.

Table 2. Attack Characteristics

All attacks N=264	Attacks treated by US participants n=78	Attacks treated by European participants n=141
113 (42.8)	35 (44.9)	45 (31.9)
102 (38.6)	33 (42.3)	59 (41.8)
45 (17.0)	8 (10.3)	35 (24.8)
120 (45.5)	43 (55.1)	57 (40.4)
		2 (1.4)
142 (53.8)	34 (43.6)	83 (58.9)
41 (6 to 140)	38 (5 to 124)	48 (6 to 205)
147 (55.7)	44 (56.4)	74 (52.5)
34 (39.1)	13 (48,1)	16 (36.4)
37 (39.8)	12 (42.9)	20 (40.8)
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IQR, interguartile range; PGI-S, Patient Global Impression of Severity.

^aBaseline PGI-S rating and baseline attack location are missing for 2 attacks in the sebetralstat 300-mg group (1 attack in a US participant and 1 attack in a European participant). ^bTwo attacks in the placebo group (1 from a US participant and 1 from a European participant) had a baseline PGI-S category of "None".

^cAmong mucosal attacks, 8 involved the larynx: 2 attacks in the sebetralstat 300-mg group, 2 attacks in the sebetralstat 600-mg group, and 4 attacks in the placebo group.

^dThe time from attack onset to first administration of study drug was missing for 1 attack treated by a European participant. ^eParticipants were instructed to administer the optional second dose of study drug \geq 3 hours after the administration of the first dose.

• 78 (29.5%) attacks occurred among US participants and 140 (53%) attacks occurred among European participants. Baseline attack severity tended to be higher in European participants than in US participants

• A higher proportion of attacks with mucosal involvement (including laryngeal attacks) occurred in US participants than in European participants

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Efficacy

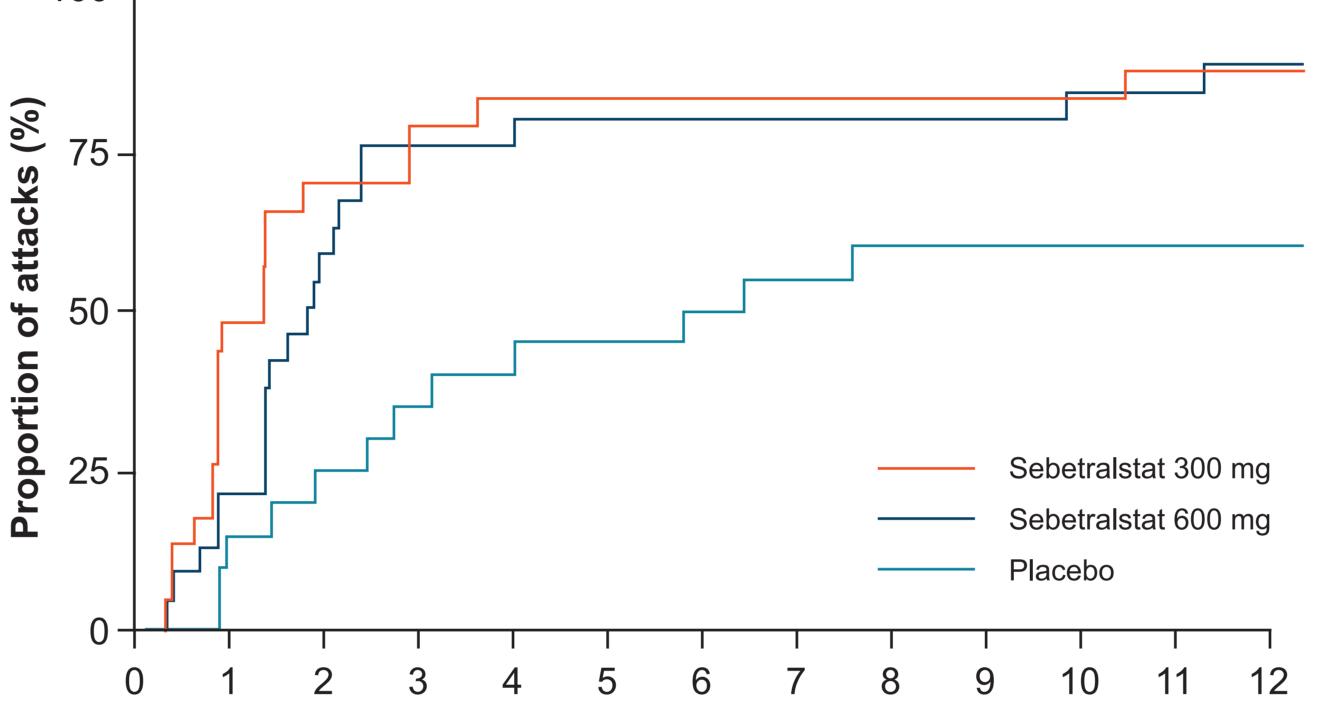


Table 3. Primary Endpoint

Time to beginning of symptom relief^a *P* value versus placebo^b Median (IQR), hours

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Nominal *P* value compared with placebo.

Figure 3. Attacks Reaching the Primary Endpoints Without an Additional Dose

Endpoint

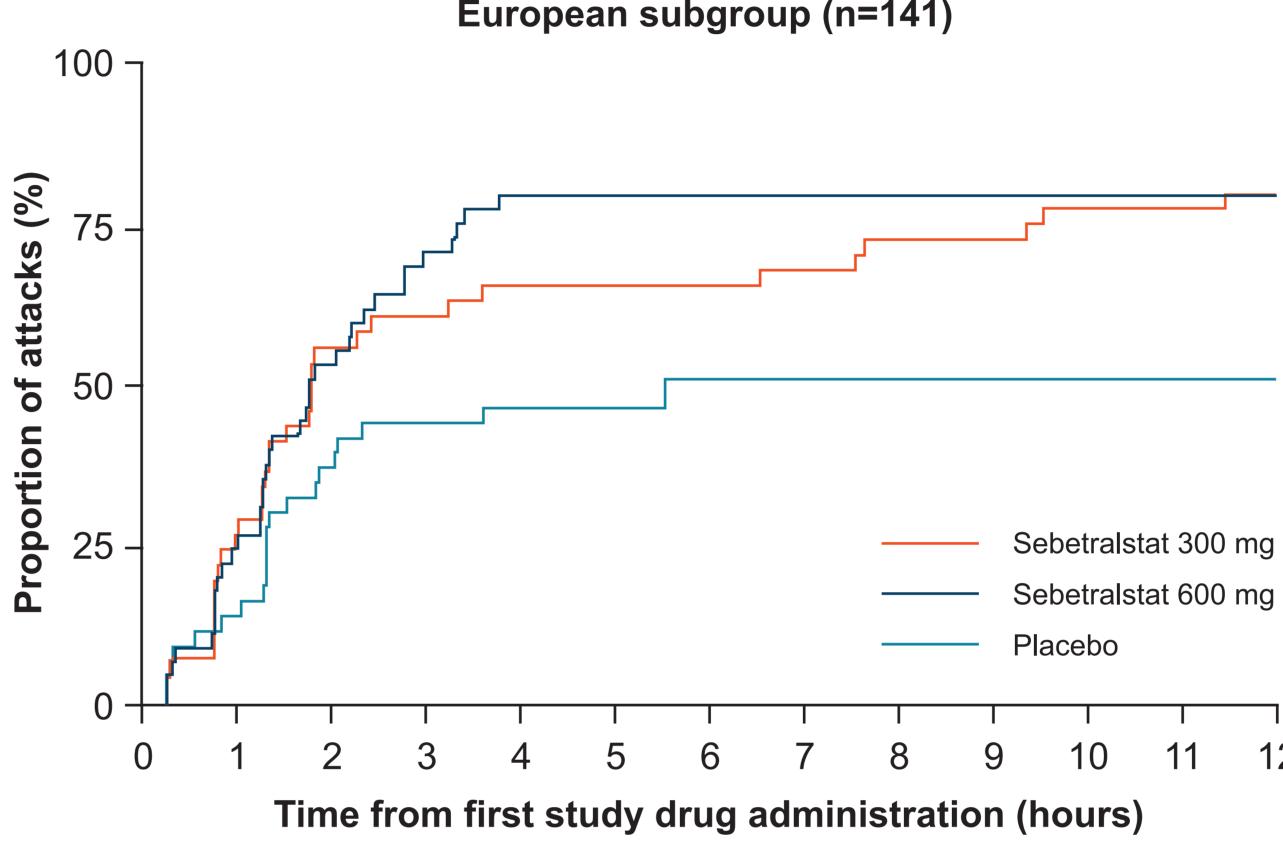
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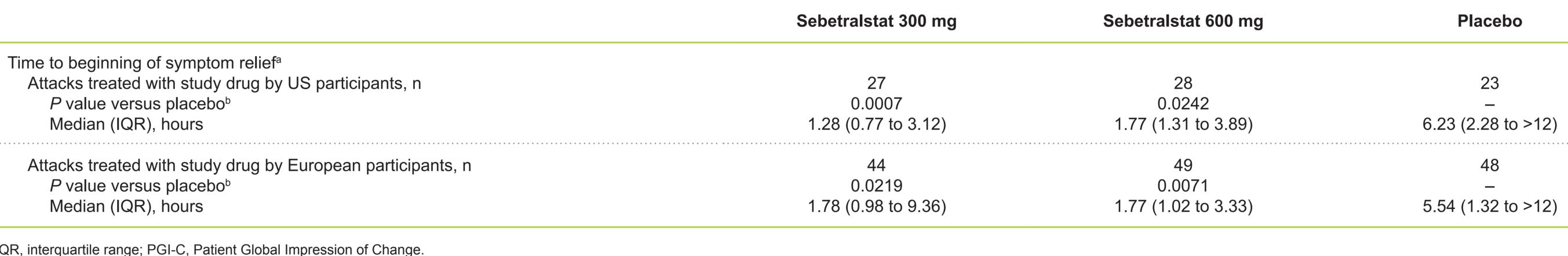
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Figure 2. Primary Endpoint: Time to Beginning of Symptom Relief in US and European Participants US subgroup (n=78)

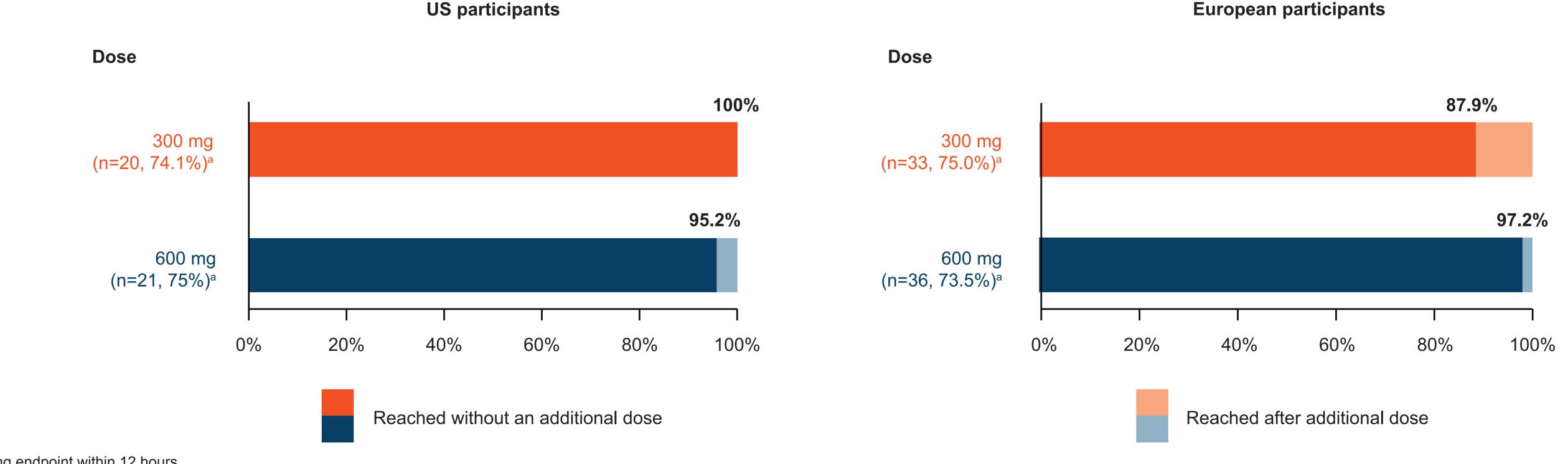
Time from first study drug administration (hours)

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^aProportion of attacks reaching endpoint within 12 hours.

• In both US and European participants, most attacks treated with sebetralstat that reached beginning of symptom relief did so without an additional dose of study drug (Figure 3)

Safety

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87.9%

97.2%

The observed safety profiles of sebetralstat in US participants and in European participants were consistent with that of the overall population and were no different to that of placebo (**Table 4**)

Table 4. Safety

	Sebetralstat 300 mg	Sebetralstat 600 mg	Placebo
US participants, n (%)	n=27	n=28	n=23
Any TEAE Treatment-related	7 (25.9) 2 (7.4)	8 (28.6) 1 (3.6)	6 (26.1) 1 (4.3)
Serious TEAE Treatment-related	0 0	2 (7.1) ^b 0	0 0
Severe TEAE Treatment-related	0	0 0	0 0
TEAEs leading to study discontinuation	0	0	0
TEAEs leading to death	0	0	0
European participants, n (%)	n=43	n=49	n=47
Any TEAE Treatment-related	9 (20.9) 0	6 (12.2) 2 (4.1)	9 (19.1) 3 (6.4)
Serious TEAE Treatment-related	1 (2.3) ^a 0	0 0	0 0
Severe TEAE Treatment-related	1 (2.3) ^a 0	0 0	0 0
TEAEs leading to study discontinuation	0	0	0
TEAEs leading to death	0	0	0

TEAE, treatment-emergent adverse even Values are in n (%) unless otherwise noted

^aThe severe TEAE and serious TEAEs listed are the same event: lumbar disc herniation that necessitated hospitalization and was deemed severe by the ^bThe serious TEAEs were 1 event of anisocoria related to lisdexamfetamine use and 1 event of exacerbation of an HAE attack, in which the participant dic not have the study drug.

Conclusions

- Sebetralstat, an oral plasma kallikrein inhibitor, enabled early treatment of HAE-C1INH attacks among US and European participants. Compared with placebo, attacks treated with sebetralstat exhibited faster times to beginning of symptom relief in both subgroups
- Although certain demographic factors (eg, LTP use) and attack characteristics (eg, baseline attack severity) differed, the efficacy and safety of sebetralstat were comparable between the US and European subgroups
- Long-term safety and efficacy are being studied in the KONFIDENT-S (NCT05505916, EudraCT: 2021-001176-42) 2-year open-label extension trial
- As of 13 September 2024, XX US participants have treated XXX attacks and XX European participants have treated XXX attacks with sebetralstat

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