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Capricor Therapeutics

HOPE-2 Open Label Extension
(1-Year Data Results)

Trial conducted by Capricor

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CAP-1002 is an Investigational New Drug and is not approved for any indications. None of Capricor's exosome-based candidates have been approved for clinical investigation.

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CAP-1002 Cell Therapy



- CAP-1002: Allogeneic Cardiosphere-Derived Cells (CDCs)
- Has been investigated in eight clinical trials
- Clinical data demonstrating skeletel and cardiac improvements in DMD
- Sourced from transplant qualified hearts



Does not act by «stemness» the cells do not engraft into host tissue

CAP-1002: Mechanism of action

Cells secrete exosomes

- Contain miRNAs, non-coding RNAs and proteins
- Trigger natural signaling with target cells
- Activate changes in cellular behavior

CAP-1002 Infusion Protocol is Easy

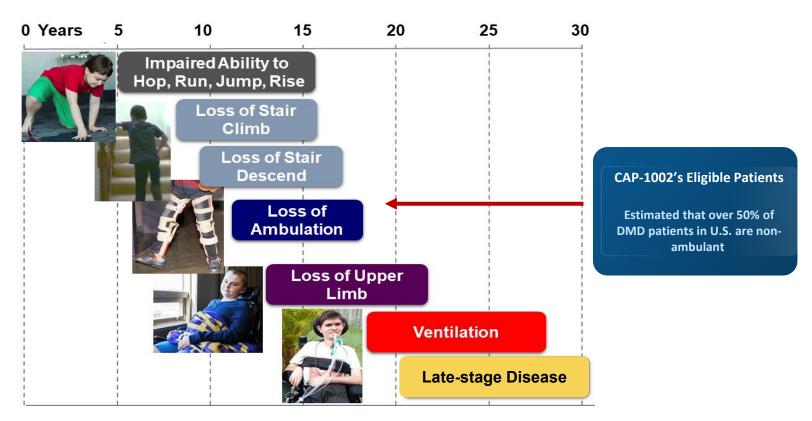


- I.V. (intravenous) administration every 3 months – ~45 minutes
 Procedure
- Simple oral premedication regimen before infusion
- Safety profile: no treatment related SAEs reported through 94 infusions in ongoing HOPE-2 open label extension
- CAP-1002 has been administered to over 200 subjects to date across multiple clinical trials



CAP-1002's Eligible DMD Population

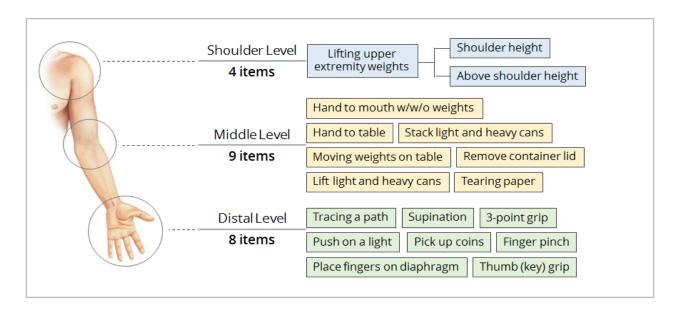




Measure: Performance of Upper Limb



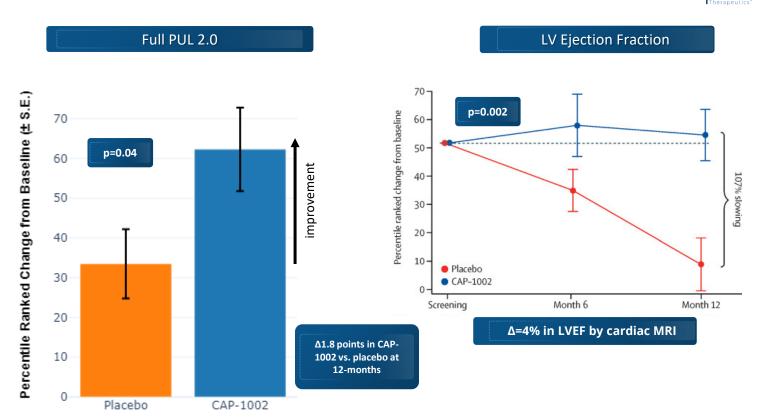
(PUL Test)



^{*}Mayhew et al, 2019; Pane et al, 2018.

HOPE-2 Upper Limb and Cardiac Improvements PCapricor





Developing Transformative Therapies from Bench to Bedside

HOPE-2 Open Label Extension Overview



HOPE-2

1 year CAP-1002 or placebo



GAP Phase

Off treatment

Average 392 days



Open Label Extension

1 Year

CAP-1002

Open Label Extension Year 1 Overview

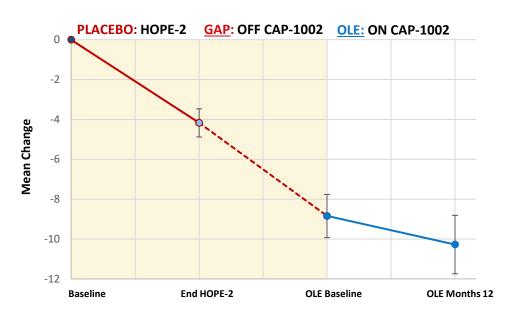
- n=13
- 6 original CAP-1002 patients
- 7 original placebo patients
- 1 patient withdrew consent

Patient Demographics

- Mean age: 13 years
- All patients were non-ambulant
- All patients on stable regimen corticosteroids

CAP-1002's Impact on Disease Progression





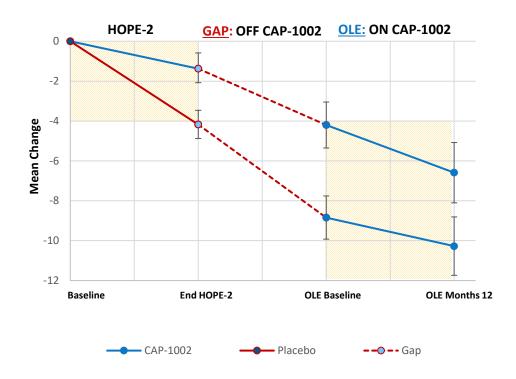


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Impact of CAP-1002 on Rate of PUL Decline



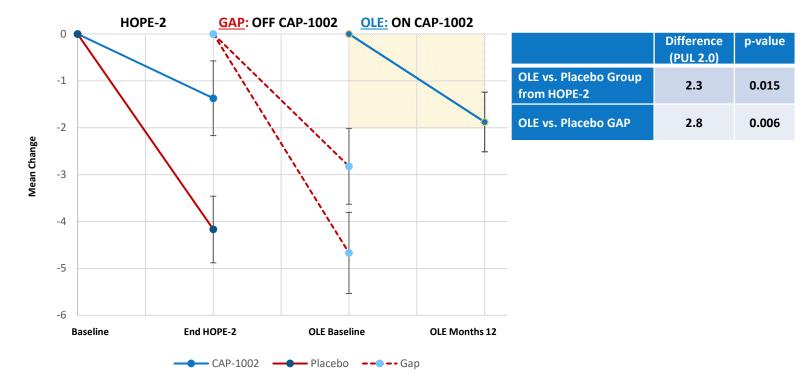


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Accelerated Decline in PUL when Off-Treatment Capricor



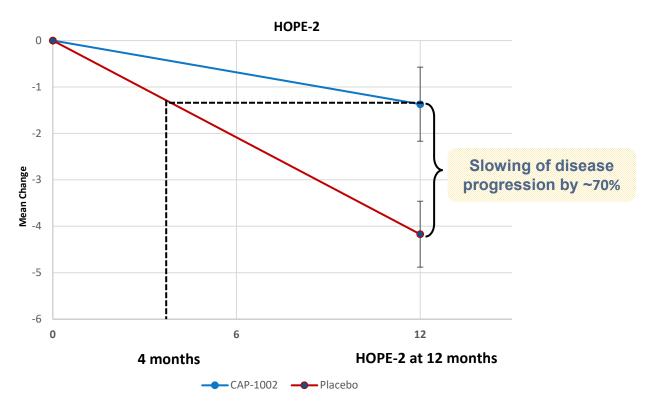


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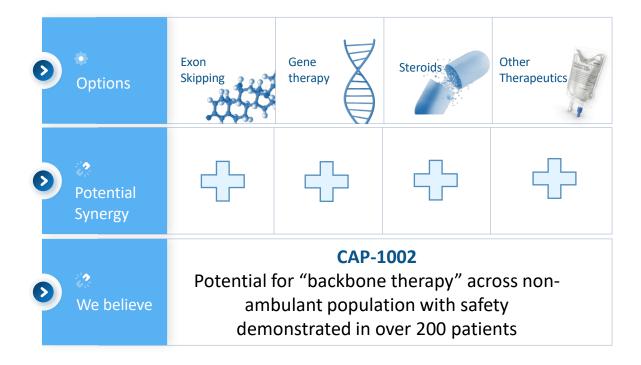
Time is Muscle for DMD Patients



- CAP-1002: Potential Disease Modifying Benefit
 - Patients on therapy experience a slower progression of their disease
 - Urgency to initiate therapy: while treatment benefits are maintained (compared to placebo patients), loss of PUL points are never recovered
 - Potential sustained benefit: durable benefit of treatment at 2 years
- Safety profile of CAP-1002 reinforced
- Preserved cardiac ejection fraction shown in HOPE-2
- HOPE-3 pivotal Phase 3 clinical trial open for enrollment
 - Primary efficacy endpoint: PUL 2.0 at 12 months

CAP-1002 Opportunity for "Backbone Therapy"





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Q&A