

TNX-4800: A Long-Acting, Bactericidal, Human Monoclonal Antibody to Prevent Lyme Disease in the U.S.

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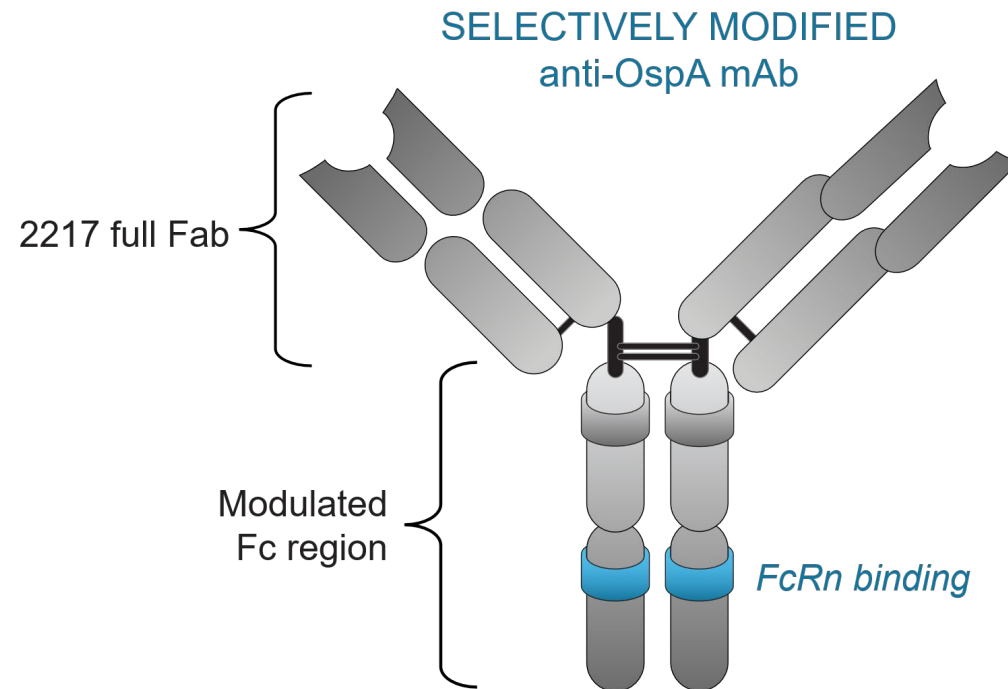
TNX-4800 Summary

- TNX-4800 is a long-acting borreliacidal, human monoclonal antibody (mAb) with an engineered crystallizable fragment (Fc) domain for an extended half-life that targets outer surface protein A (OspA) of *Borrelia burgdorferi*
 - *Borrelia burgdorferi* causes 99.9% of Lyme disease cases in the U.S.
- There are currently no marketed U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA)-approved vaccines or prophylactics to protect against Lyme disease
- TNX-4800 was studied in a phase 1, randomized, double-blind, sequential dose-escalation study (NCT04863287) that evaluated safety, tolerability, pharmacokinetics (PK), and immunogenicity of TNX-4800 in healthy adults
- The Phase 1 data support a planned adaptive Phase 2 field study, pending FDA agreement, to evaluate the safety, efficacy, and tolerability of TNX-4800 in preventing primary Lyme disease in volunteers from Lyme-endemic areas
- TNX-4800 is being developed as a prophylactic to be administered subcutaneously in the spring with a booster after ~12 weeks (Day 85), which is expected to provide protection within 2 days for at least 6 months*

*Primary efficacy endpoint at 6 months
Key secondary efficacy endpoint at 3 months

About TNX-4800, a Long-acting anti-OspA Monoclonal Antibody

TNX-4800 (formerly 2217LS) is a long-acting borreliacidal, human mAb with an engineered Fc domain for an extended half-life that targets OspA of *Borrelia burgdorferi*^{1,2}



LS substitutions maintain C1q binding and function and augment FcRn binding for extended half-life

1. Schiller ZA, et al. *J Clin Invest.* 2021;131(11):e144843.
2. Wang Y, et al. *J Infect Dis.* 2016;214(2):205-211.

TNX-4800 Characteristics

- TNX-4800 is being developed as a prophylactic to be administered subcutaneously in the spring with a booster after ~12 weeks (Day 85), which is expected to provide protection within 2 days for at least 6 months*
 - Each 450 mg SC dose will be divided into 2 injections of 1.5 mL volume with 225 mg each
 - TNX-4800 avoids the onerous immunization regimens of over 6 to 12 months for protection required by OspA vaccines in development
- TNX-4800 acts inside the tick to kill *Borrelia* and block the differentiation and transmission of *Borrelia*
- Nonclinical efficacy studies (mice and macaques) provide evidence that TNX-4800 mean serum levels ≥ 15 $\mu\text{g/ml}$ resulted in a mean of 89.4% protection of animals from infection with *B. burgdorferi*-infected nymphs
- Phase 1 study of TNX-4800, a long-acting, human mAb, showed no significant clinical or laboratory safety signals
 - Serum TNX-4800 was measurable at the earliest sampling time of 48 hours, indicating rapid absorption
 - TNX-4800 was found to be safe when administered to healthy volunteers
 - The PK of TNX-4800 were typical of a human IgG1 with an Fc domain mutation that extends half-life
- TNX-4800 is a mAb measured in concentration “ $\mu\text{g/mL}$ ” in serum, which is different from the polyclonal antibody responses to vaccines that are measured in “titers”
- TNX-4800 serum concentration enables direct PK-driven exposure targeting

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Addressing the Significant Public Health Challenge of Lyme Disease in the U.S.

- ✓ Phase 1 study complete, showing favorable safety, tolerability, immunogenicity, and pharmacokinetics
- ✓ Phase 2 adaptive field study planning and GMP manufacturing underway for 1H 2027

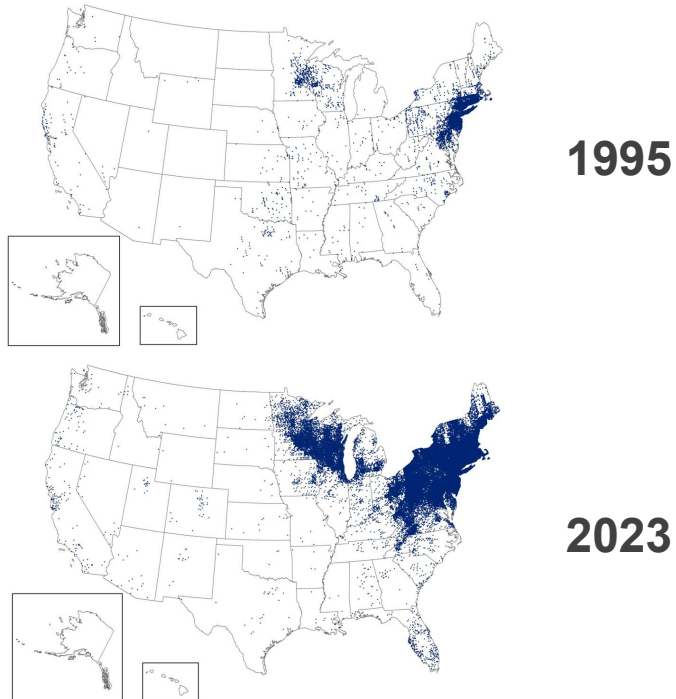
TNX-4800 Upcoming Milestones



GMP = Good Manufacturing Process

Lyme Disease: Epidemiology in the U.S.

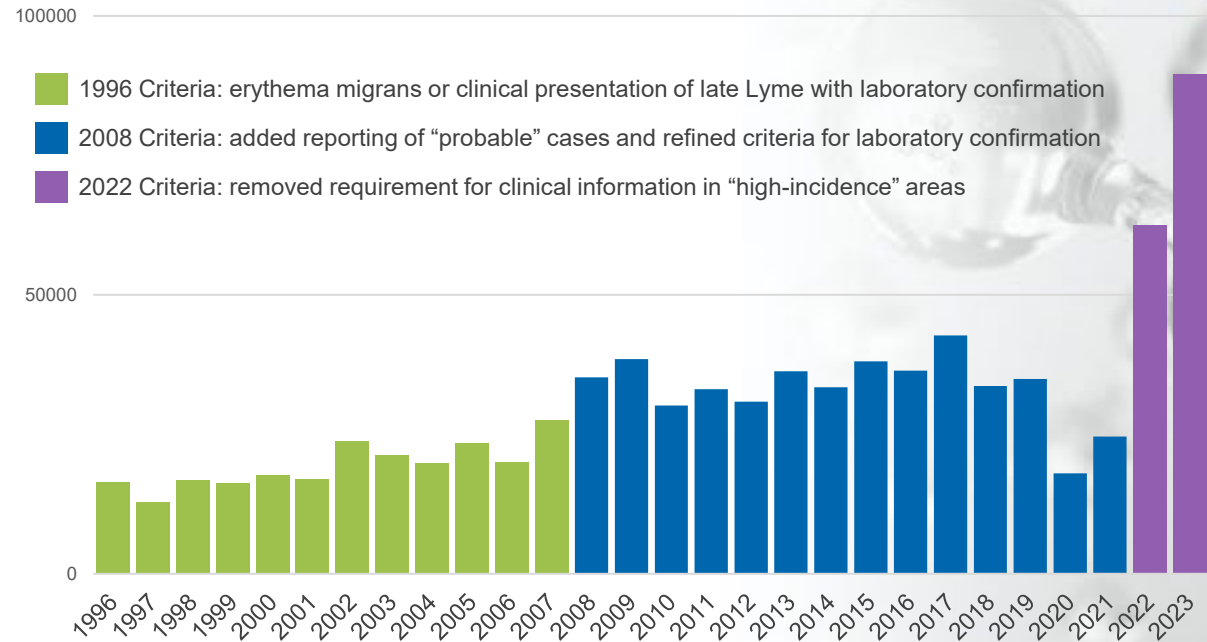
The range of Lyme disease is expanding¹



Images from CDC NNDSS

Lyme disease is reported most often in the Northeast and Midwest, with 95% of cases coming from “high-incidence” areas¹

Lyme disease is an increasing problem²



The actual prevalence of Lyme disease is estimated to be 8 to 12 times higher than reported.³ In 2022, more sensitive surveillance criteria resulted in a 67% increase in reported cases²

1. U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. National Notifiable Diseases Surveillance System; maps. February 11, 2025. Accessed July 18, 2025. <https://www.cdc.gov/lyme/data-research/facts-stats/surveillance-data-1.html>.

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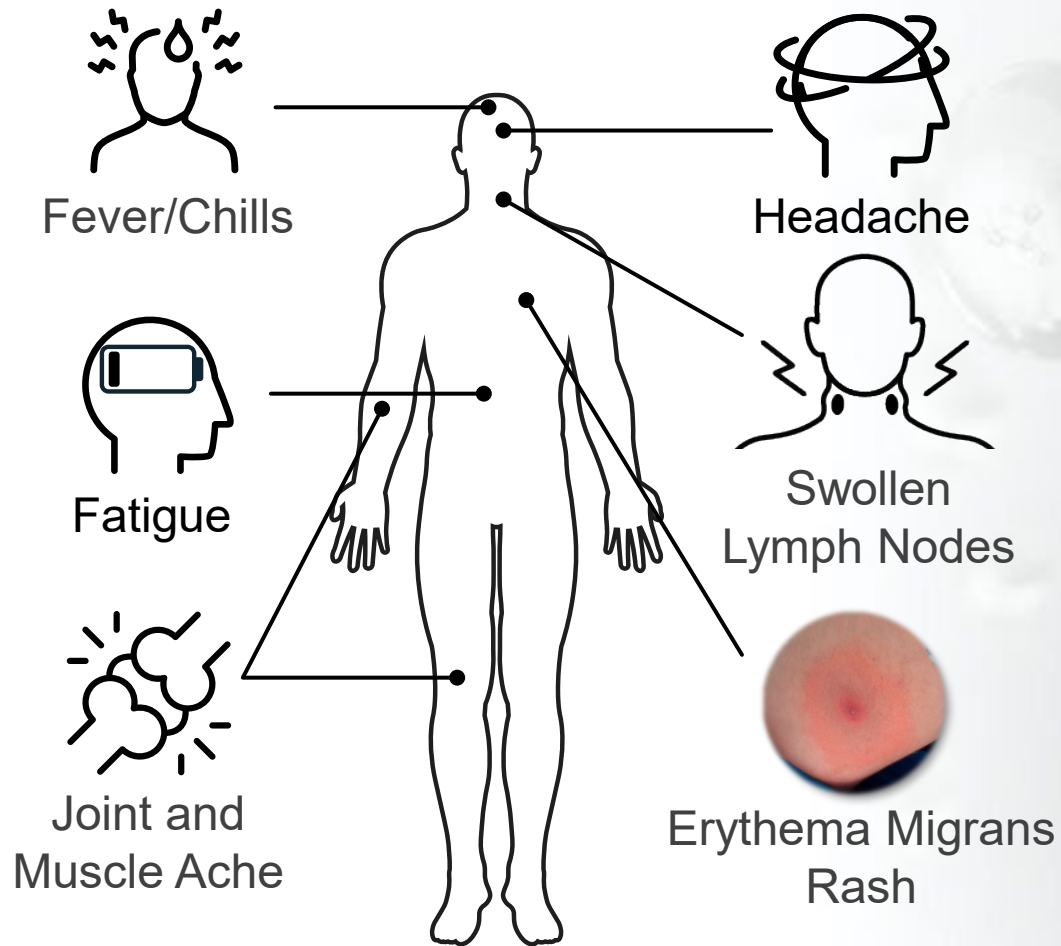
Clinical Presentation: Acute Lyme Disease

There are 3 stages of Lyme disease: early, early disseminated, and late¹

Early, or acute, Lyme disease has many signs or symptoms^{1,2}

Erythema migrans rash is a hallmark symptom of early Lyme disease, occurring in 70% to 80% of people^{1,2}

- Begins at site of tick bite and expands up to 12 inches in diameter
- Development is delayed, with an average of 7 days after bite
- Sometimes has a “bull’s-eye” appearance



1. Cleveland Clinic. Updated August 16, 2022. Accessed July 18, 2025. <https://my.clevelandclinic.org/health/diseases/11586-lyme-disease>.

2. U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. May 15, 2024. Accessed July 18, 2025. <https://www.cdc.gov/lyme/signs-symptoms/index.html>.

Current Landscape for Lyme Disease Prophylaxis and Treatment



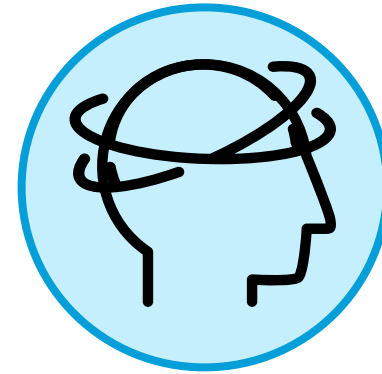
U.S. population where Lyme disease is endemic is estimated to be 87 million¹



Recommendations for pre-exposure prevention focus on tick bite avoidance. No vaccine is currently on the market²⁻⁵



Presently available post-exposure prophylaxis is limited to antibiotic regimens, typically doxycycline.⁶ Extended use of antibiotics has recognized side effects⁵



Approximately 10-20% of Lyme disease patients experience long-term sequelae including Post-Treatment Lyme Disease Syndrome (PTLDS)^{6,7}

1. Kugeler KJ, et al. *Emerg Infect Dis.* 2021;27(2):616-619.

2. U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. May 15, 2024. Accessed July 18, 2025. <https://www.cdc.gov/lyme/signs-symptoms/index.html>.

3. <https://www.idsociety.org/practice-guideline/lyme-disease>.

4. Chan PA, et al.. *Sex Transm Dis.* 2023 50(11):701-712.

5. Lantos PM et al, *Clinical Infectious Diseases*, 72,(1) 2021, Pages e1–e48.

6. Zafar K, et al. *Front Microbiol.* 2024;15:1459202.

7. Melia M.T.N *Engl J Med.* 2016;374:1277–1278.

Lyme Disease in the U.S. and Europe are Caused by Different *Borrelia*



- **>99.9% of cases caused by *B. burgdorferi sensu stricto* (s.s.)^{1,2}**
 - U.S. *B. burgdorferi* minimal genetic variability³
 - Incidence is seasonal in summer months³



- **Caused by a diverse group of serotypes¹**
 - Serotypes are (*B. afzelii*, *B. garinii*, *B. bavariensis*, etc.)
 - Lyme disease “Season” varies, based on country and climate

- **The only approved U.S. vaccine was directed to *B. burgdorferi* OspA**
 - SmithKline Beecham’s LYMERix vaccine had ~70-80% protection, but was withdrawn from the market⁴

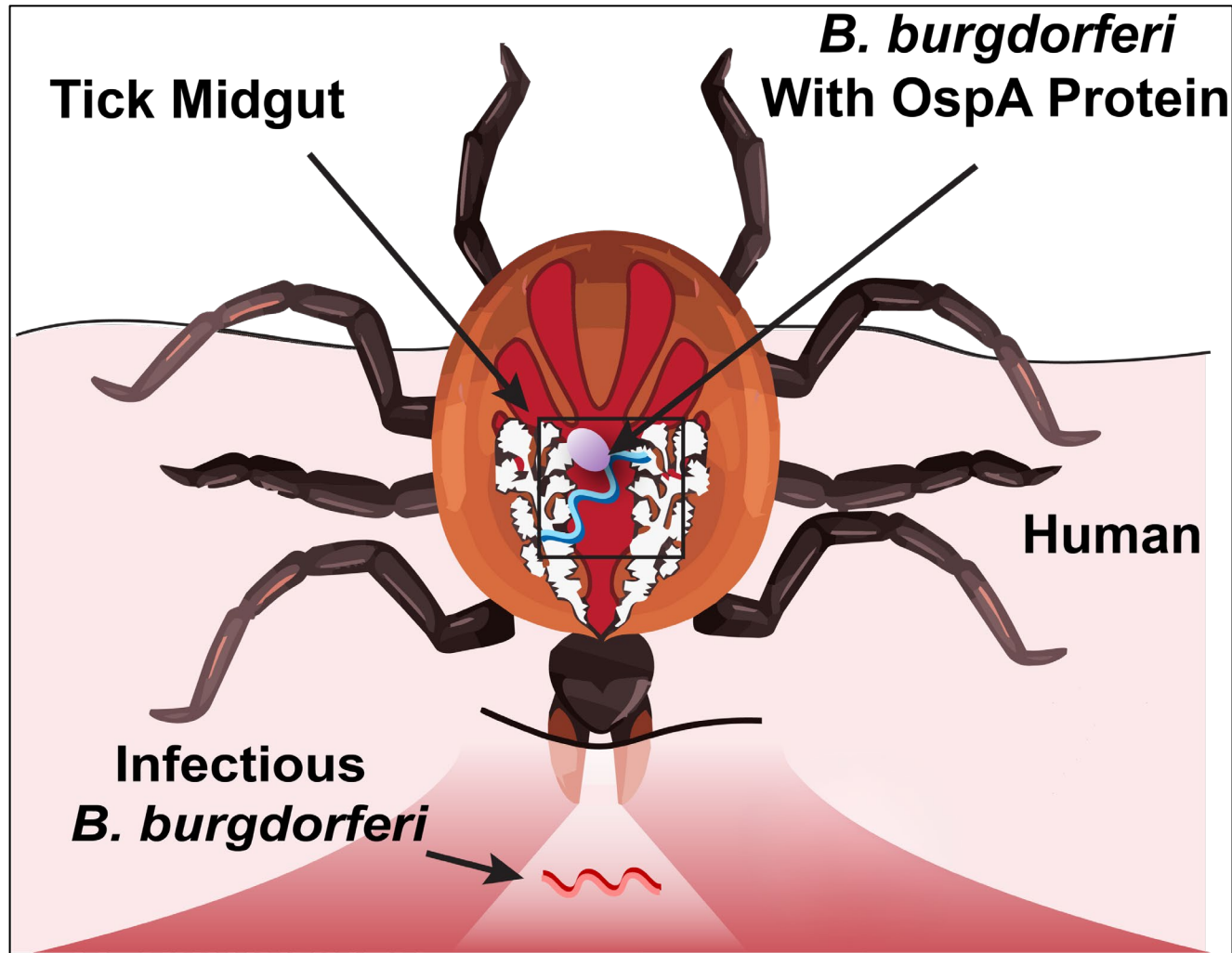
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OspA Is an Outer Membrane Protein on *Borrelia* That Facilitates Bacterial Adherence to the Tick Midgut¹⁻³

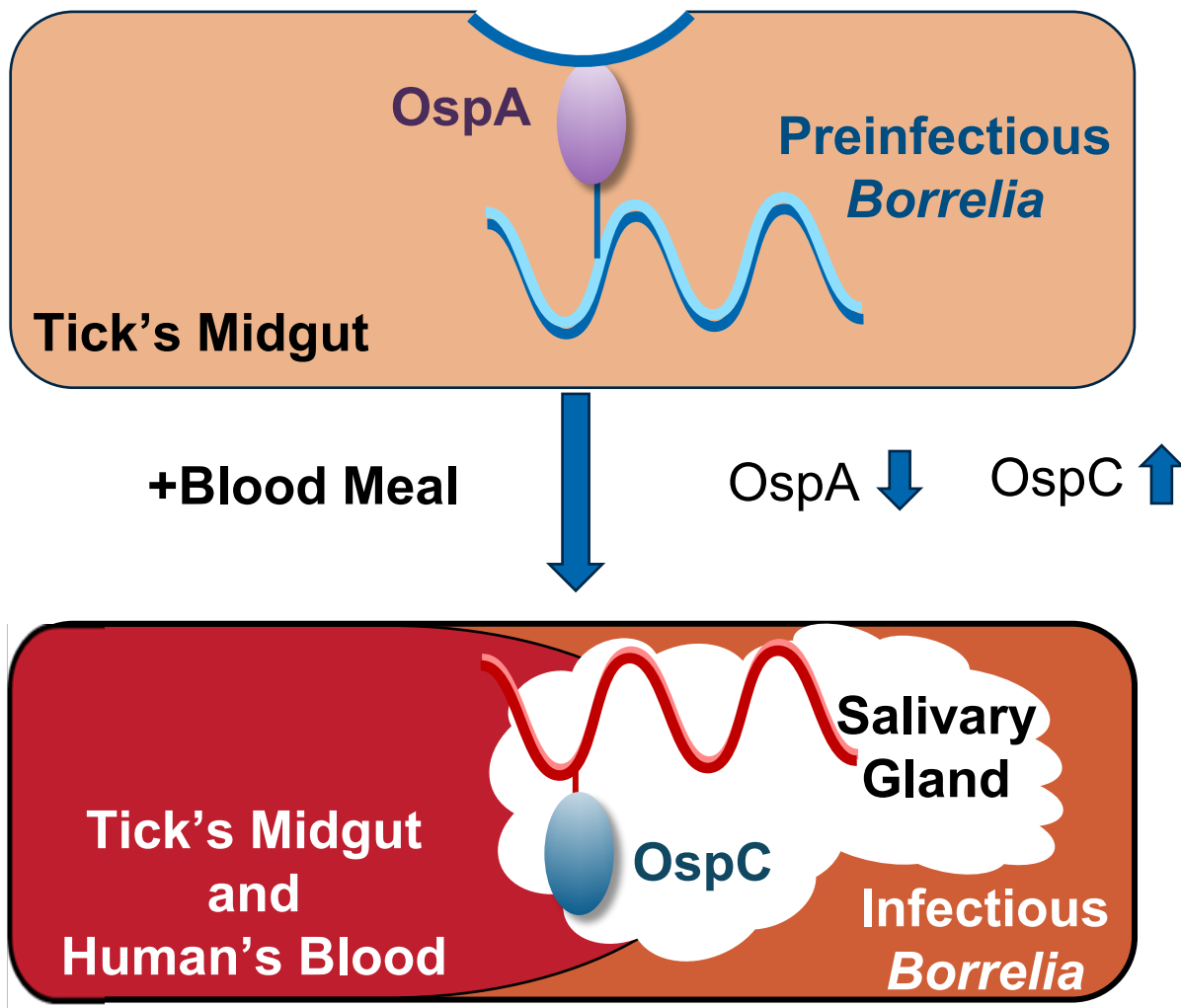


- People who contract Lyme disease rarely make antibodies to OspA because *Borrelia* at the pre-infectious stage stays in the midgut^{1,2}
- The lack of an antibody response to OspA may explain why infection confers no protection and humans can be repeatedly infected^{1,2}

1. de Silva AM, et al. *J Exp Med*. 1996;183(1):271-275.

2. Radolf JD, et al. *Nat Rev Microbiol*. 2012;10(2):87-99.

Blood Induces Metamorphosis of *Borrelia* From the Preinfectious to Infectious Stage^{1,2}



- The outer membrane protein OspA supports *B. burgdorferi* survival in the tick midgut via adherence¹⁻³
- Once the tick bites a host, the iron in a blood meal downregulates OspA, and bacteria migrate from the midgut to the salivary glands for transmission¹⁻³
- While OspA is essential for transmission, it is only expressed within infected ticks, and levels seen in the human host are insufficient for seroconversion (antibody production)⁴

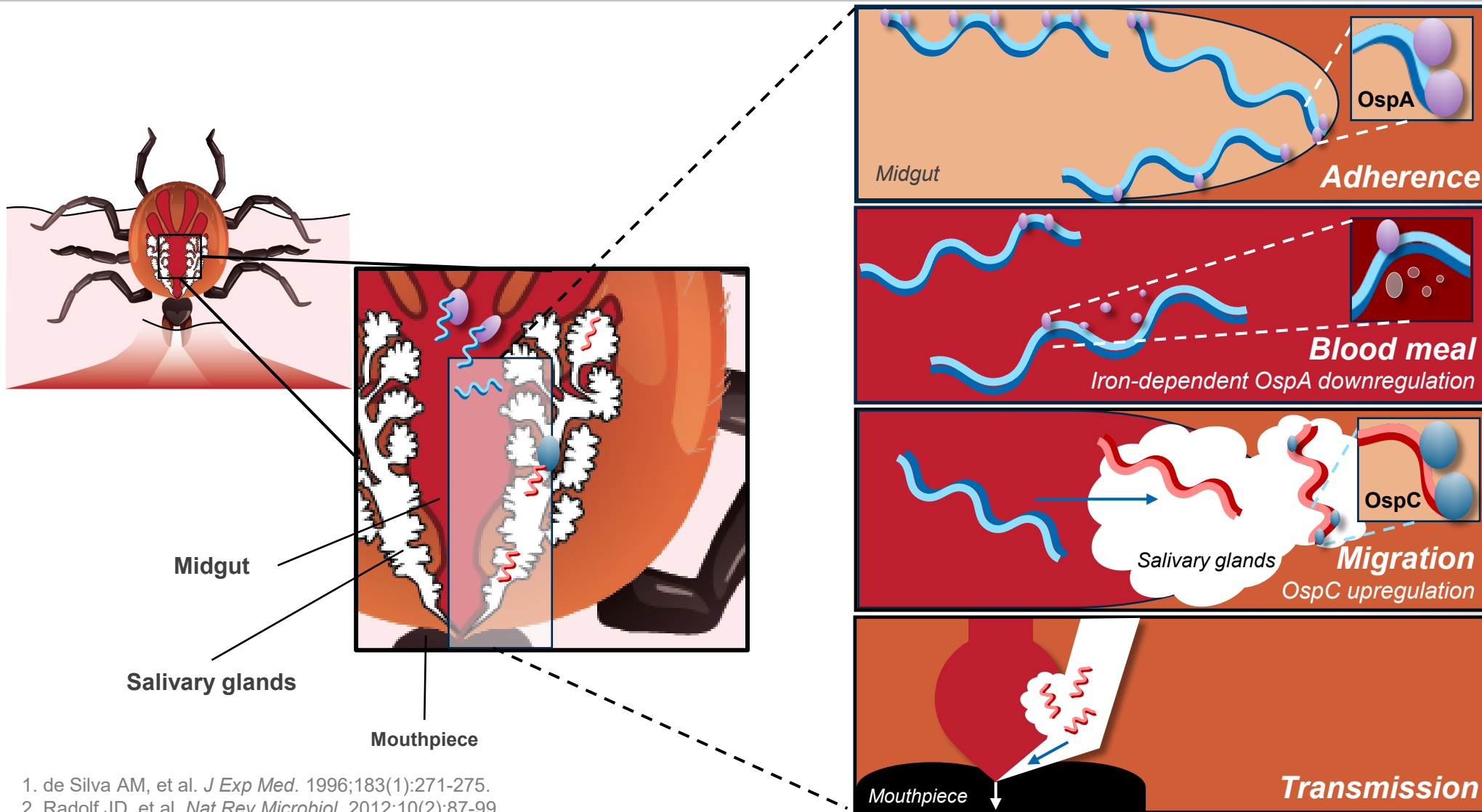
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4. Woodman ME, et al. *FEMS Immunol Med Microbiol*. 2008;54(2):277-282. © 2026 Tonix Pharmaceuticals Holding Corp.

OspA Facilitates Bacterial Adherence to the Tick Midgut, and Downregulation Promotes Bacterial Migration to Salivary Glands for Transmission¹⁻³



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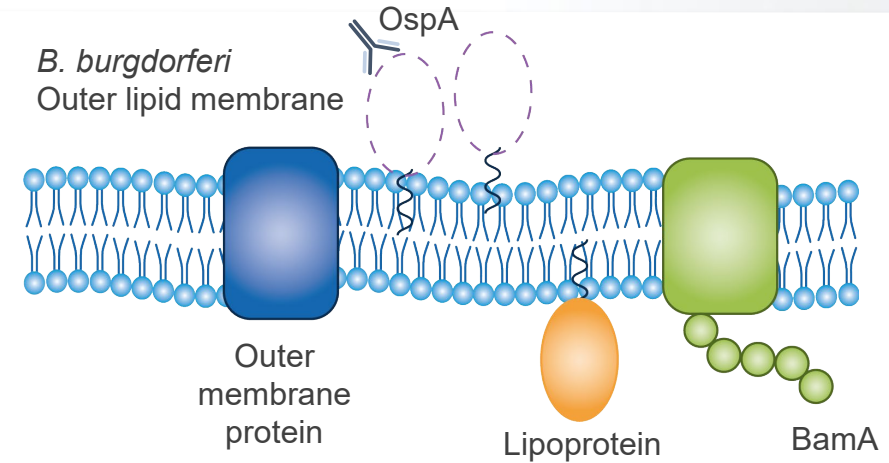
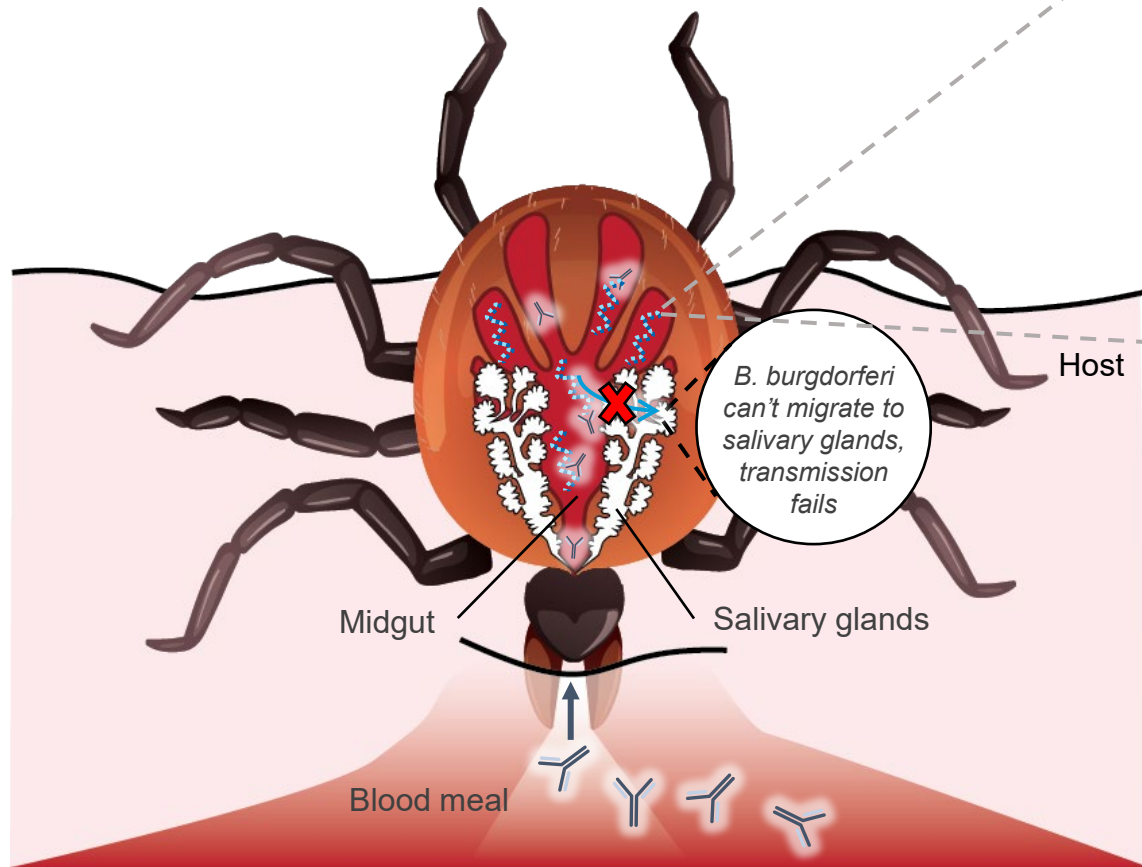
Osp=outer surface lipoprotein

OspA is a Target for Antibodies to Block Transmission

- Anti-OspA antibodies, or immunization with recombinant OspA protein (rOspA), block transmission¹⁻³
- Feeding on OspA vaccinated mice or monkeys also eliminates *B. burgdorferi*^{4,5}
- Anti-OspA antibodies' ability to agglutinate *B. burgdorferi* suggests a *second* bactericidal mechanism of action⁶⁻⁸
- Other mechanisms may be operative since titer of anti-OspA antibody required to eliminate *B. burgdorferi* from ticks is 100 times higher than the titer required to block transmission⁹
- Even low concentrations of anti-OspA monoclonal antibody blocked transmission despite the presence of live spirochetes in the tick¹⁰

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3. Fikrig E, et al. *Science*. 1990;250(4980):553–556.
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Circulating Anti-OspA Monoclonal Antibody (TNX-4800) Ingested by Tick Blocks *B. burgdorferi* Transmission From Tick to Human¹

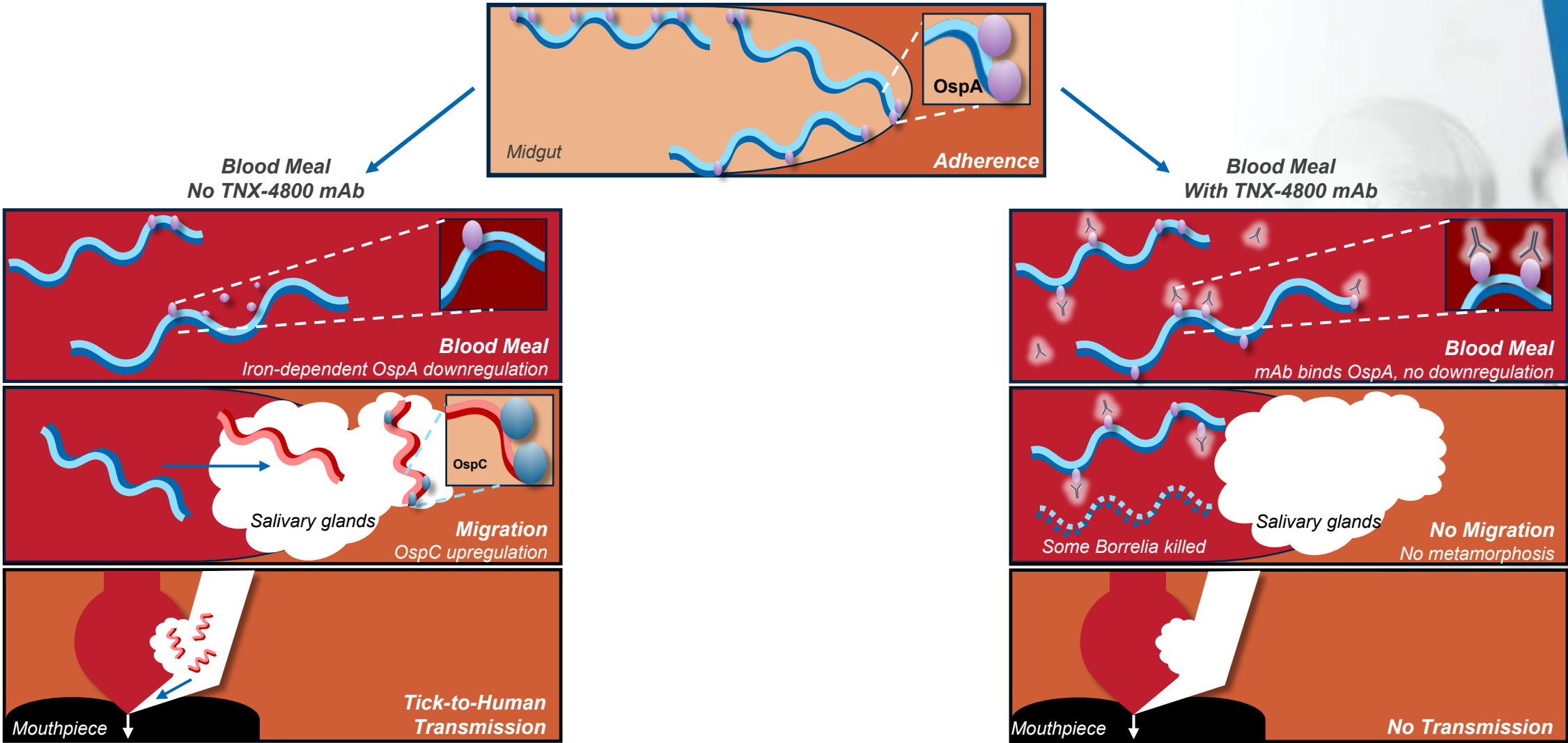


- TNX-4800 is a human monoclonal antibody against OspA¹
- An Fc region mutation in TNX-4800 extends its half-life: such that a two-dose regimen is expected to provide protection during the months of high infection risk
- If a tick bites a human immunized with TNX-4800, anti-OspA antibodies enter the tick midgut and bind to OspA on *B. burgdorferi* spirochetes^{2,3}
- After TNX-4800:OspA binding, bacteria are killed or fail to migrate from the midgut to salivary glands, preventing transmission to the human host²

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Bam=β-barrel assembly machinery; Fc=fragment crystallizable; Osp=outer surface lipoprotein

Anti-OspA mAb TNX-4800 Blocks Differentiation of *Borrelia* From the Pre-infectious to Infectious Stage, Migration to Salivary Glands, and Transmission



Woodman ME, et al. *FEMS Immunol Med Microbiol.* 2008;54(2):277-282.

Introducing TNX-4800

TNX-4800^{1,2} is a human anti-OspA monoclonal antibody with engineered Fc domain for extended half-life, licensed from UMass Chan Medical School in 2025

Expected Mechanism of Action

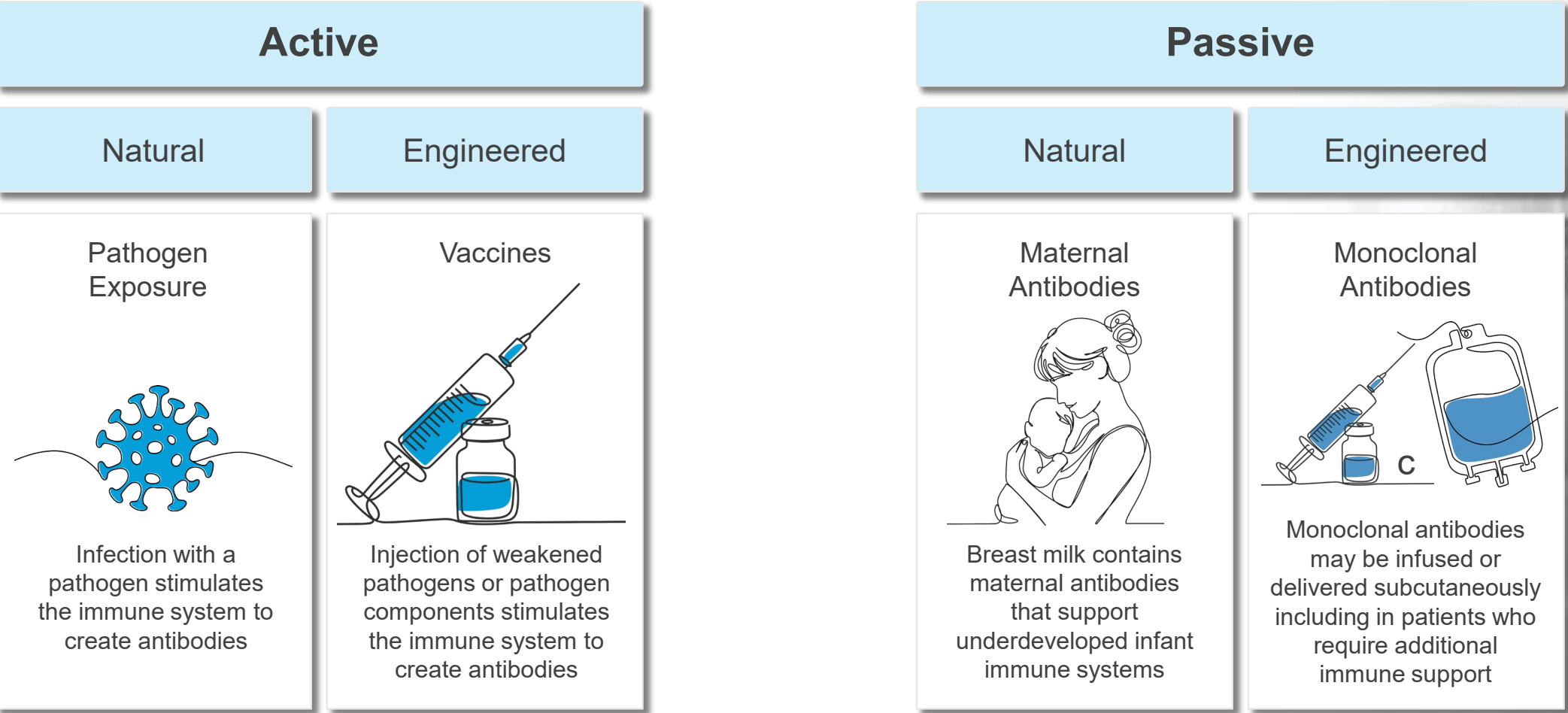


TNX-4800 provides passive immunity by directly supplying neutralizing antibodies, bypassing the need for a patient's immune system to generate its own antibodies

1. TNX-4800 is an investigational biologic and is not approved for any indication.
2. TNX-4800 is protected by [Issued US Patent US 10,457,721](#), which is licensed from UMass Chan with expiry in January 2036 (with PTA), excluding any possible patent term extension.

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Key secondary efficacy endpoint at 3 months

Antibodies Can Be Created Endogenously or Received From Exogenous Sources



Active immunity necessitates the creation of endogenous antibodies, while passive immunity entails the transfer of external antibodies

U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. July 30, 2024. Accessed July 15, 2025. <https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/basics/immunity-types.html>.

Clinical and Market Acceptance of Monoclonal Antibody Preventive Treatments

Monoclonal antibody prophylaxis has been approved for respiratory syncytial virus (RSV) and COVID-19, including ENFLONIA™,¹ BEYFORTUS®,² and PEMGARDA™³



1. Enflonsia. Prescribing information. Merck Sharp & Dohme LLC; 2025.

2. Beyfortus. Prescribing information. Sanofi; 2024.

3. Pemgarda. Prescribing information. Invivyd, Inc.; 2025.

Not All anti-OspA mAbs are Bactericidal

Name		OspA Epitope ^{1,2}			Bactericidal
Antibody	Vaccine	N-terminus	Central Domain		C-terminus
				~aa 165–173	
184.1		+			-
TNX-4800			+		+
LA-2					+
	LYMERix	+	+	+	+
	VLA15	+	+	-	+

- **Monoclonal anti-OspA antibodies can be bactericidal**
 - In a series of mAbs, only those directed towards the C-terminal and central domains manifested bactericidal activity *in vitro*, and prevention of transmission *in vivo*¹
 - For example, mAbs TNX-4800 (central domain)² and LA-2 (C-terminal) are bactericidal
- **N-terminal anti-OspA antibodies can be inactive**
 - 184.1 is an example of a non-bactericidal mAb that binds the N-terminal region

1. Embers ME, et al. *Vaccine*. 2026 75:128231. doi: 10.1016/j.vaccine.2026.128231.

2. Schiller ZA, et al. *J Clin Invest*. 2021;131(11):e144843.

3. LYMERix was full length OspA aa 20-273 from *B. burgdorferi* strain B31 produced in *E. Coli*.

4. VLA15 modifies the B31 OspA sequence to remove the putative arthritogenic/LFA-1-mimicking epitope (~aa 165–173).

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Comparison of TNX-4800 with VAL15, mRNA-1975, and mRNA1982

	TNX-4800	VLA15	mRNA-1975	mRNA-1982
Sponsor	Tonix	Pfizer/Valneva	Moderna	Moderna
Status	Phase 2 ready	Phase 3	Phase 1/2	Phase 1/2
Type	Monoclonal Antibody	Vaccine alum adjuvant	Vaccine mRNA	Vaccine mRNA
Immunity	Passive	Active	Active	Active
Target Market	U.S.	EU + U.S.	U.S.	EU + Asia
<i>Borrelia</i> targeted ¹⁻⁴	<i>B. burgdorferi</i> (U.S.)	<i>B. burgdorferi</i> (U.S.) <i>B. afzelii</i> (Europe) <i>B. garinii</i> * (Europe) <i>B. Bavariensis</i> (Europe)	<i>B. burgdorferi</i> (U.S.)	<i>B. burgdorferi</i> (U.S.) <i>B. afzelii</i> (Europe) <i>B. garinii</i> (Europe) <i>B. bavariensis</i> (OspA type 4)(Europe) <i>B. garinii</i> (OspA type 5 and 6 variants)(Asia) <i>B. spielmanii</i>

1. Marques AR, et al. *Emerg Infect Dis.* 2021. 27(8):2017-2024. doi: 10.3201/eid2708.204763.

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*VLA15 contains 3 OspA's from different garinii genospecies.

Comparison of TNX-4800 with Alum-Adjuvanted Subunit Vaccines LYMERix (Withdrawn) and VLA15 (in Development) in Terms of OspA Targeting

	TNX-4800	LYMERix ¹⁻⁴	VLA15 ¹⁻⁴
Sponsor	Tonix	SmithKline (GSK)	Pfizer/Valneva
Status	In Development	Withdrawn	In Development
Type	Monoclonal Antibody	Vaccine	Vaccine
Immunity	Passive	Active	Active
Target Market	U.S.	U.S.	EU + U.S.
Clinical Studies	U.S.	U.S.	EU + U.S.
<i>Borrelia</i> targeted	<i>B. burgdorferi</i> (U.S.)	<i>B. burgdorferi</i> (U.S.)	<i>B. burgdorferi</i> (U.S.) <i>B. afzelii</i> (Europe) <i>B. garinii</i> * (Europe) <i>B. Bavariensis</i> (Europe)

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Comparison of TNX-4800 with Alum-Adjuvanted LYMERix and VAL15 Administration Protocol and Intended Timing (Onset and Duration) of Protection

	TNX-4800	LYMERix (Withdrawn)	VLA15 ¹
Sponsor	Tonix	SmithKline (now GSK)	Pfizer/Valneva
1 st dose	Day 1	Day 1	Day 1
2 nd dose	~12 weeks (Day 85) from 1 st dose	1 month	2 months
3 rd dose	-	12 months	5-9 months
4 th dose	-	-	12 months
Protection duration	At least ~6 months*	Seasonal	Seasonal
Protection onset	Within 2 days of 1 st dose*	After 3 rd shot	After 4 th shot ²

- **TNX-4800 is expected to be protective within 2 days****
- **Lyme vaccines typically take >6 months to be protective**
 - Depend on high-titer antibodies and requires annual boosters
 - Complex immunization schedule may have contributed to poor LYMERix uptake

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2. VALOR study missed primary endpoint. Pfizer press release. March 23, 2026.

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Key secondary efficacy endpoint at 3 months

**Based on human pharmacokinetics and animal models

Comparison of TNX-4800 (Monoclonal Antibody) and VLA15 (Vaccine): Administration Protocol and Intended Timing (Onset and Duration) of Protection

Criteria	TNX-4800 (mAb) ^{1,2}	VLA15 ^{4,5}
Treatment mode	Pre-exposure two-dose mAb regimen: one 450 mg SC dose or placebo at Day 1, and one 450 mg SC dose or placebo 12 weeks later at Day 85	Pre-exposure 4-dose vaccination regimen
Onset of maximal protection	Within 2 days following subcutaneous (SC) dose	> 1 year post 4 th intramuscular (IM) dose ³
Target patient population	People at risk who live, work, or travel to endemic areas in the U.S.	General populations who do not need immediate protection
Activity	Designed against <i>B. burgdorferi</i>	The VLA15 vaccine reportedly covers 6 serotypes prevalent in North America and Europe
Dosing regimen	Two-dose regimen expected to provide at least 6 months protection*	Multiple doses needed to obtain initial protection with seasonal durability ⁶
Dosing route	SC	IM
Risks	Anticipated low safety risk like other fully human mAbs for which there is considerable experience Does not recognize the putative arthritogenic T-cell epitope	OspA-targeted vaccines induce immune responses (associated with side effects), and include polyclonal antibody responses (that may have off-target effects)

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5. <https://valneva.com/research-development/lyme-disease>.

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Key secondary efficacy endpoint at 3 months

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IM=intramuscular; mAb=monoclonal antibody; Osp=outer surface protein

Comparison of TNX-4800 and VLA15 Lyme Preventatives in Development

- **TNX-4800 is a long-acting human mAb (in development) against *B. burgdorferi* OspA**
 - Bactericidal activity against *B. burgdorferi* B31
 - Strong bactericidal activity of TNX-4800 with $EC_{50} = 0.345$ to $0.469 \mu\text{g/mL}$ *in vitro*¹
 - Planned testing exclusively targets U.S. serotype (*Borrelia burgdorferi*)
 - Safety studies, field testing, and marketing approval, if any, planned for U.S. only
- **Pfizer/Valneva's VLA15 (in development) is a vaccine that elicits antibodies against 6 different *Borrelia* OspAs²**
 - Vaccine that elicits polyclonal antibodies to six OspA-derived peptide antigens
 - Field tests in EU and the U.S.
 - 5 of 6 OspA antigens in VLA15 are European serotypes:
 - *B. afzelii* (one serotype), *B. garinii* (3 serotypes), *B. bavariensis* (one serotype)
 - 1 of 6 OspA antigens in VLA15 is U.S.: *Borrelia burgdorferi* sensu stricto (s.s.)

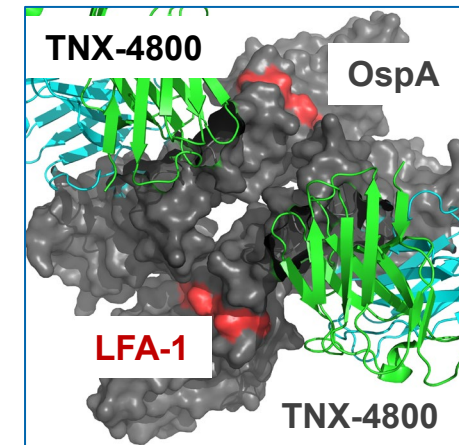
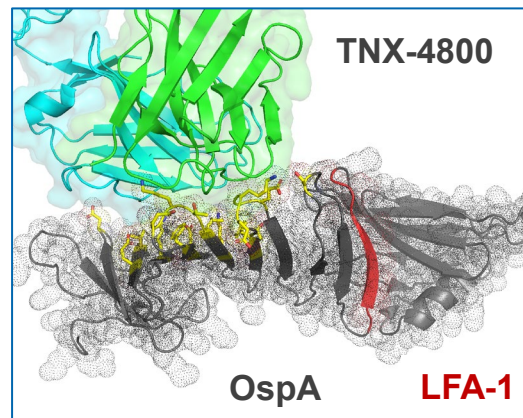
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2. Comstedt P, et al. *PLoS One*. 2014 9(11):e113294. doi: 10.1371/journal.pone.0113294.

TNX-4800 Binds to a Specific Epitope on OspA to Avoid Off-Target Effects

- An epitope in the OspA protein mimics human leukocyte function–associated antigen 1 (hLFA-1 or LFA-1)¹
- Antibodies to the LFA-1-like epitope can trigger an arthritogenic autoimmune condition^{1,2}
- LYMERix™ was withdrawn from the market in part over unsubstantiated claims of this concern²
- TNX-4800 does not bind to this epitope and instead binds to the 71-141 region, which has no human homologue and does not carry the same risk³
- This advantage of TNX-4800 may extend to individuals who have experienced previous infections and/or carry allelic genotype predispositions (*HLA-DRB1*0401*) to autoimmune arthritis¹

OspA Protein



1. Steere AC, et al. *Arthritis Rheum.* 2003;48(2):534-540.
2. Nigrovic LE, Thompson KM. *Epidemiol Infect.* 2007 135(1):1-8.
3. Schiller ZA, et al. *J Clin Invest.* 2021;131(11):e144843.
Osp=outer surface lipoprotein

TNX-4800 Target Product Profile (TPP)*

Variable	Target
Primary Indication	Pre-exposure prophylactic against Lyme disease
Clinical Pharmacology	Blood levels sufficient to provide protection within 2 days and maintained efficacy for ≥6 months* Consistent with bacterial-targeted, fully human mAbs
Nonclinical Toxicology	Consistent with bacterial-targeted, fully human mAbs
Patient Population	Adolescents and adults ≥18 years of age initially, then ≥6 months old Persons at risk who are living in, working in, or traveling to endemic areas in the U.S.
Limitations of Use in Specific Populations	None
Duration of protection	Two-dose regimen (Day 1 and ~12 weeks (Day 85) from the first dose) Expected to provide at least six months protection*
Delivery Mode	SC injection; each 450 mg SC dose will be divided into 2 injections of 1.5 mL volume with 225 mg each
Efficacy	Protection against the transmission of Lyme disease from an infected tick ≥80% efficacy*
Storage Requirements	2°C to 8°C
Drug Interactions	None
Target Jurisdictions	United States
Safety Profile Risks/Side Effects Warnings and Precautions Adverse Reactions	Predominantly mild and moderate side effects consistent with other infectious disease mAbs
Contraindications	None currently

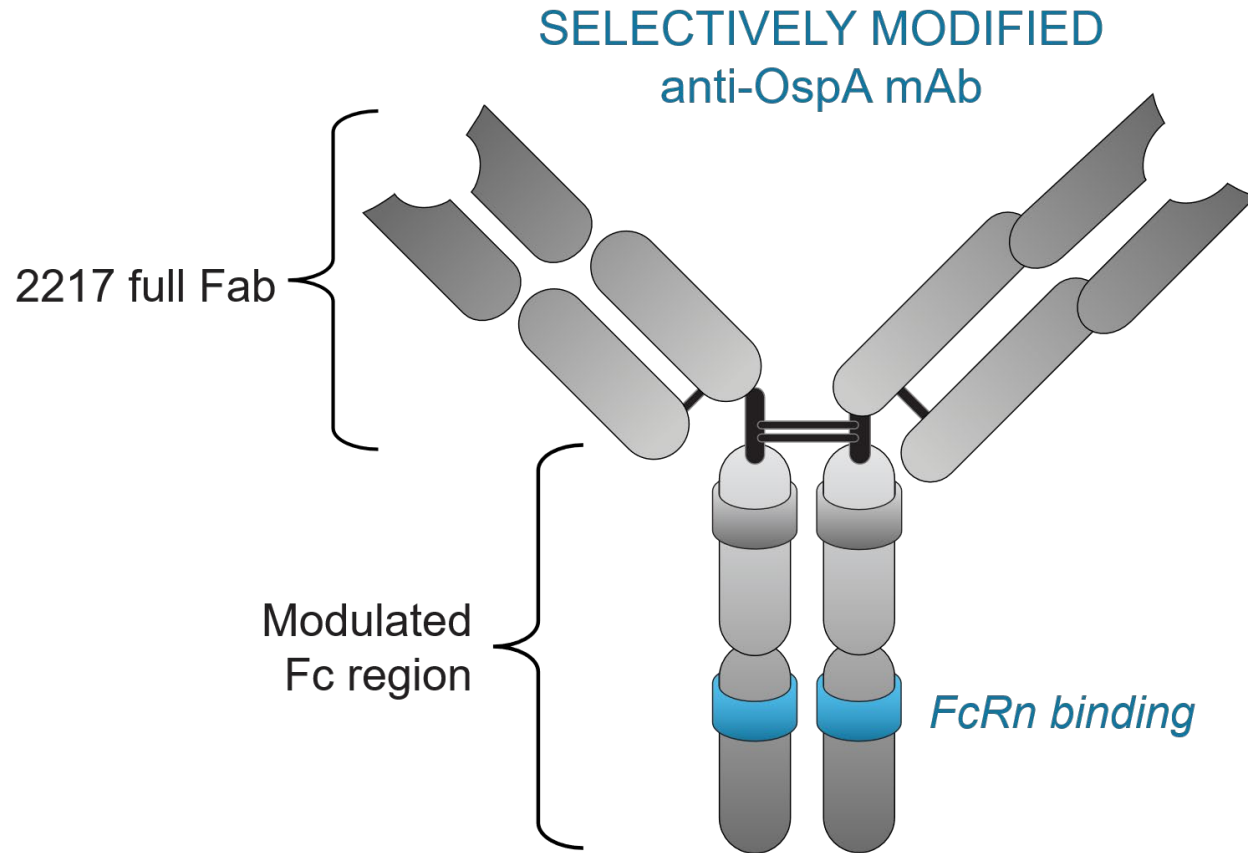
*Subject to change and FDA approval.

mAb=monoclonal antibody; mg=milligrams; SC=subcutaneous

*Primary efficacy endpoint at 6 months

Key secondary efficacy endpoint at 3 months

TNX-4800 Long-acting anti-OspA Monoclonal Antibody Design



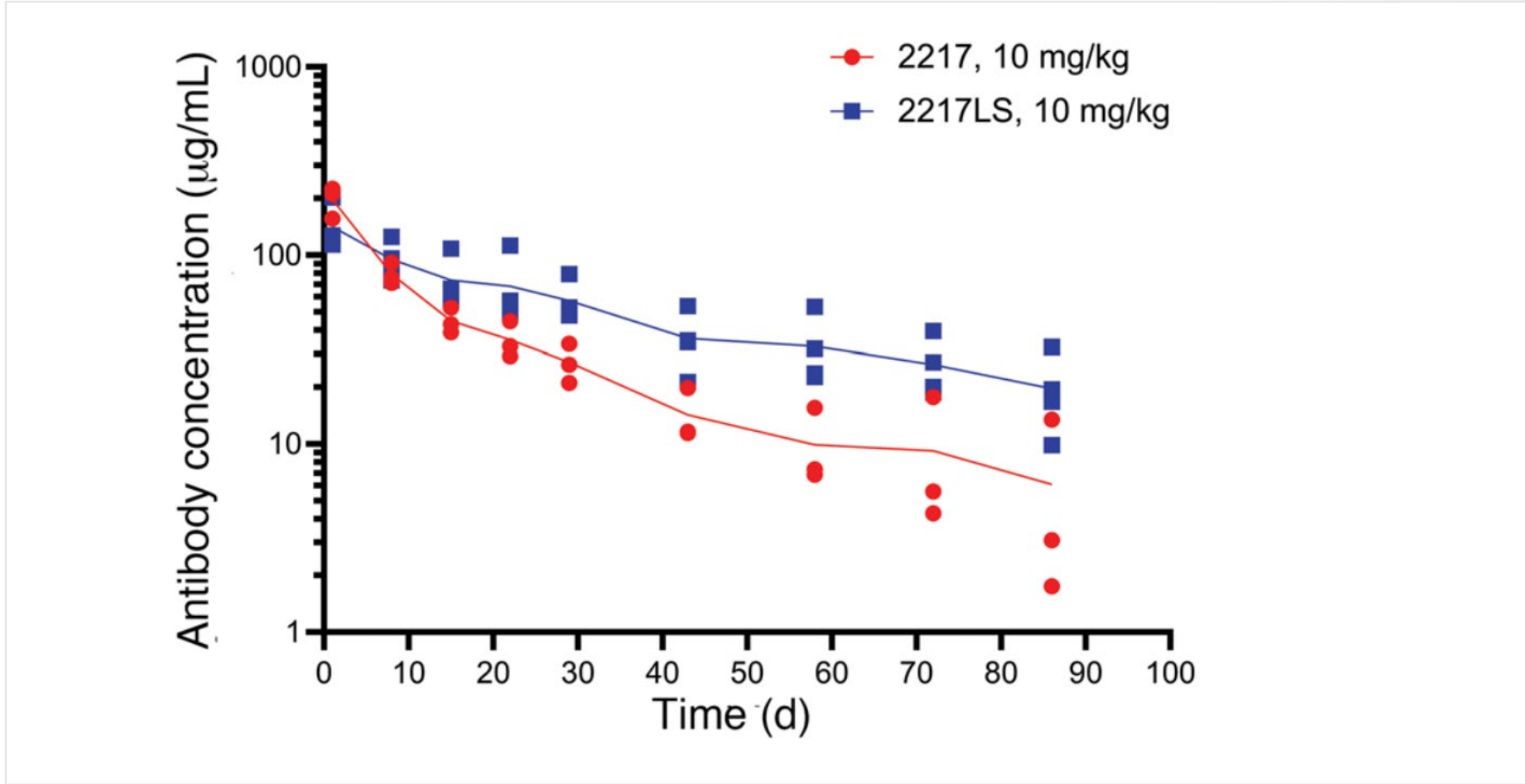
- TNX-4800 (formerly 2217LS) is a long-acting borreliacidal, human mAb with an engineered Fc domain for an extended half-life that targets OspA of *Borrelia burgdorferi*^{1,2}

LS substitutions maintain C1q binding and function and augment FcRn binding for extended half-life

1. Schiller ZA, et al. *J Clin Invest.* 2021;131(11):e144843.

2. Wang Y, et al. *J Infect Dis.* 2016;214(2):205-211.

Engineered Fc Mutations Extend Half-Life of TNX-4800 (2217LS) in Nonhuman Primates Relative to Parent mAb 2217¹



¹Schiller ZA, et al. *J Clin Invest.* 2021;131(11):e144843.

N=4 for each group and each dot represents one monkey. Half-lives are reported in days and hours as mean $\pm$ SD (line).

Fc=fragment crystallizable.

Analysis of Efficacy Relevant Threshold #1 – *In vitro* Bactericidal Activity

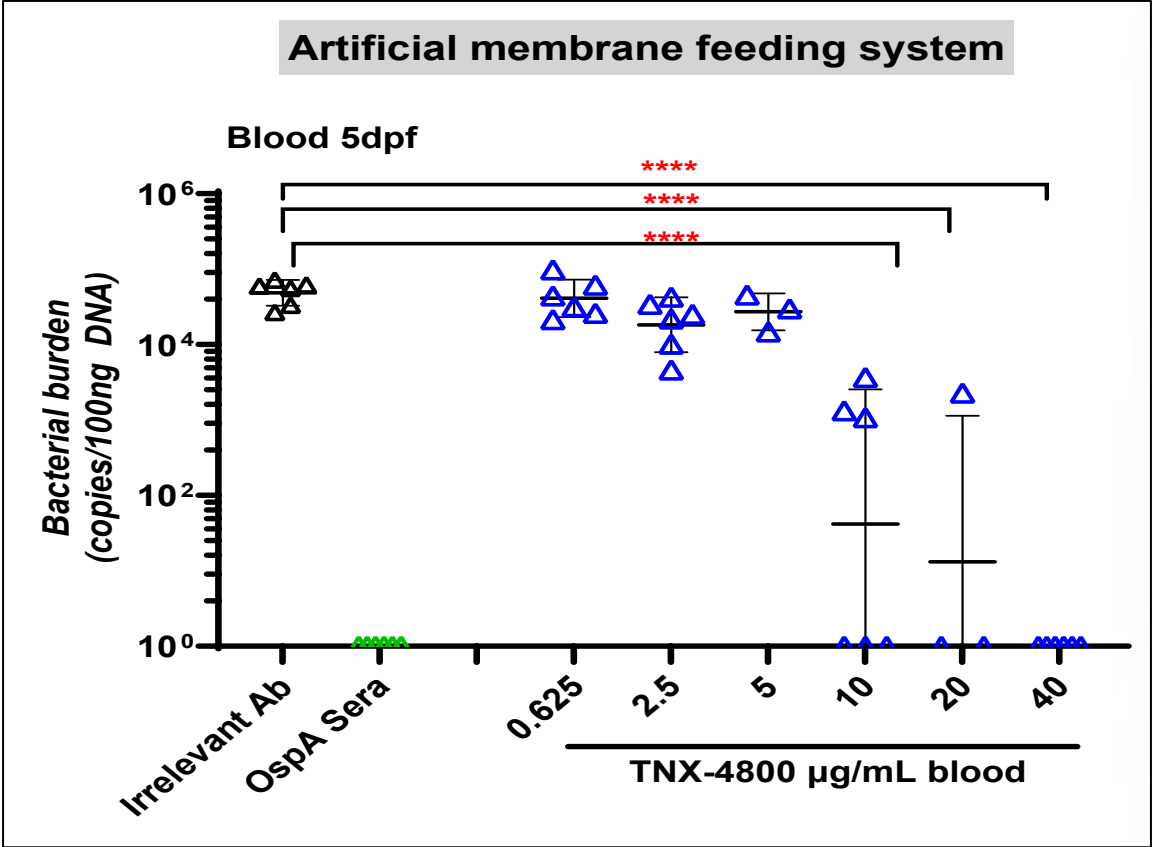
- **TNX-4800 showed $EC_{50} = 0.345 - 0.469 \mu\text{g/mL}$ *in vitro*¹**
 - Efficacy relevant threshold $\sim 10 \times EC_{50}$ ²
- **Efficacy relevant threshold based on Borreliacidal activity:**
 - Efficacy relevant threshold $\sim 5 \mu\text{g/mL}$

1. Wang Y, et al. *J Infect Dis.* 2016. 214(2):205-11.

2. Rogers RR et al, *Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy*, Oct. 2004, p. 3670–3676.

Analysis of Efficacy Relevant Threshold #2: Artificial Membrane Tick Feeding Method

TNX-4800 blocks tick-to-blood transmission of *B. burgdorferi* B31

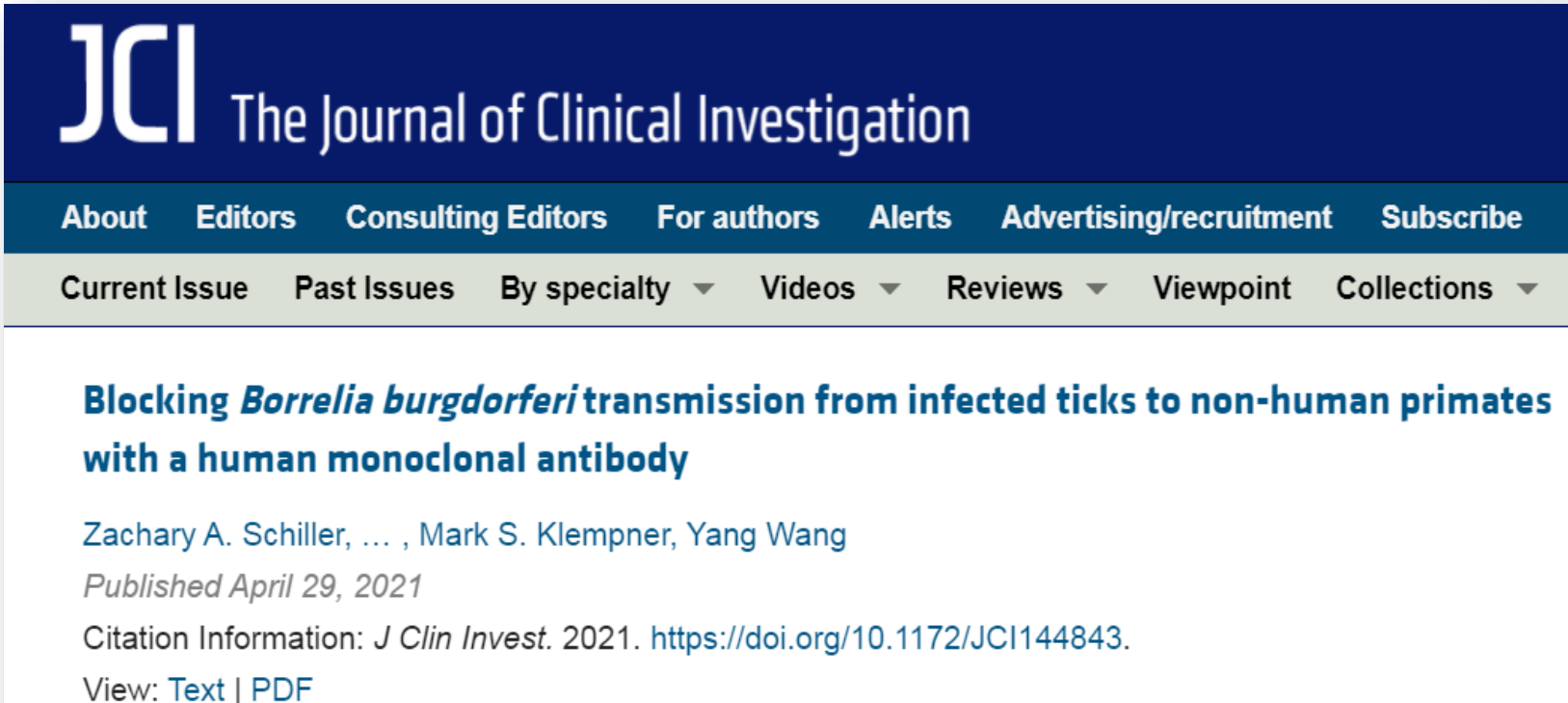


Data on file. N=5, Asterisk * = statistically significant

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Analysis of Efficacy Relevant Threshold #3

– *in vivo* Primate Challenge Model



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Blocking *Borrelia burgdorferi* transmission from infected ticks to non-human primates with a human monoclonal antibody

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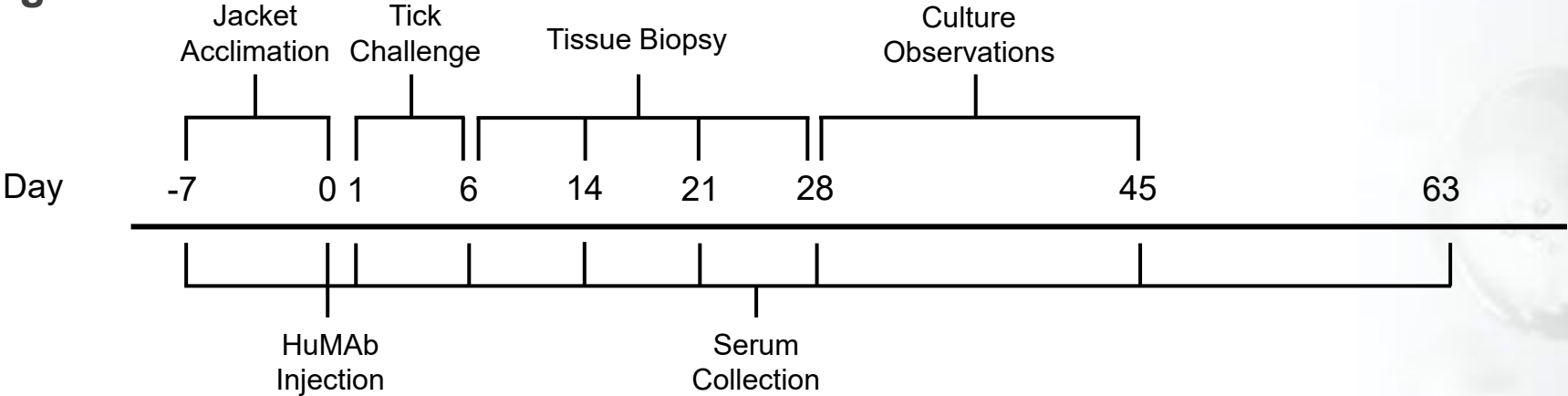
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Nonhuman Primate Challenge Model: Protocol and Protection by Dosage Level

Study Design¹:



- 4 dosing groups, 1 irrelevant IgG control
- 4 to 6 animals per group
- Seroconversion for IgG antibodies against *B. burgdorferi* was measured as an indicator of efficacy

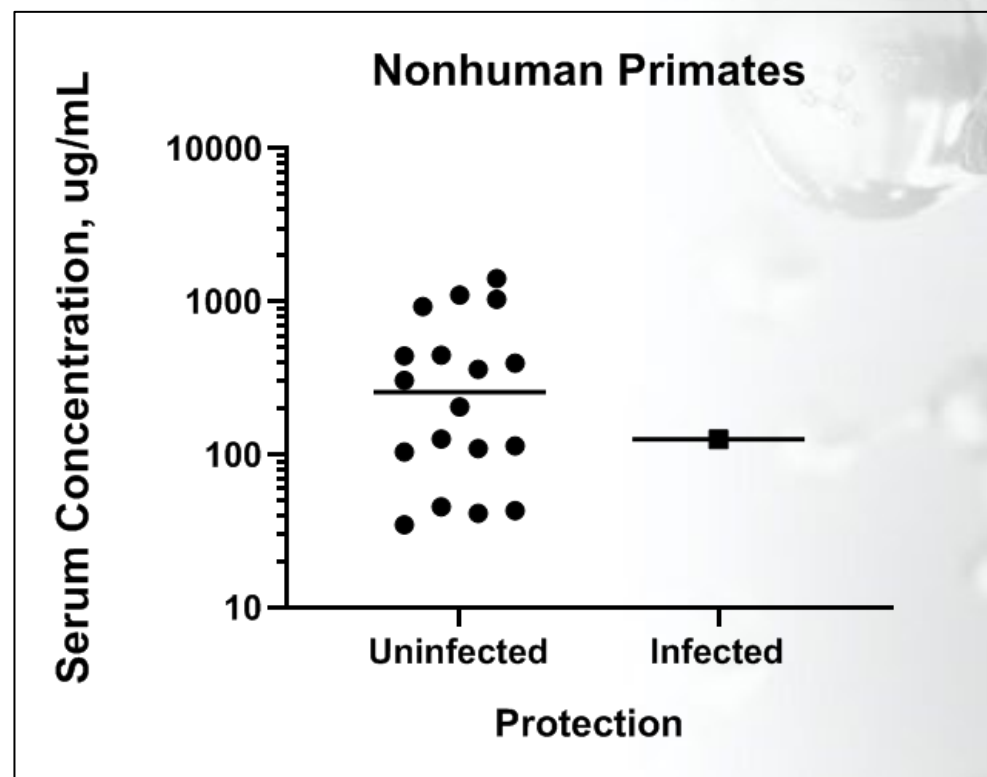
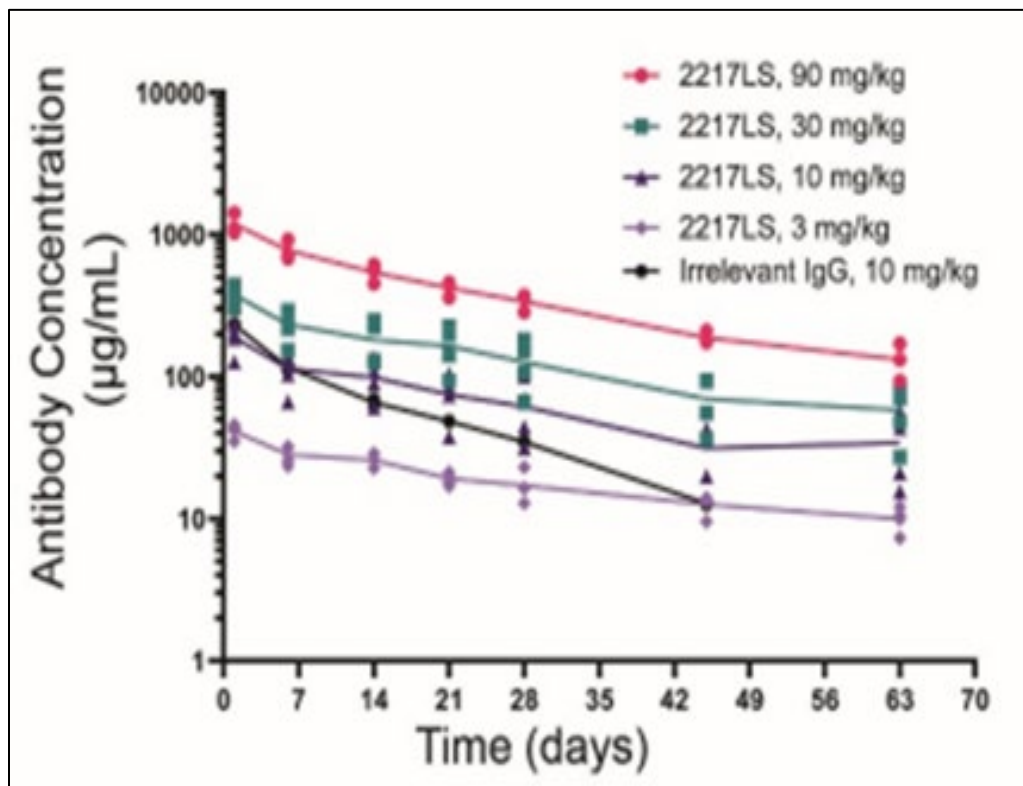
Results:

Group	Group 1	Group 2	Group 3	Group 4	Irrelevant IgG
Dose (mg/kg)	3	10	30	90	10
Protection (%)	100	83	100	100	0
P value	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	N/A

1. Schiller ZA, et al. *J Clin Invest.* 2021;131(11):e1144843.
HuMAb=human monoclonal antibody; IgG=immunoglobulin G

TNX-4800 Efficacy in Primate Challenge Model

- Infected ticks were placed on each non-human primate administered TNX-4800 (N=20) for 5 days¹
- Steady state through level of $\geq 10\mu\text{g/ml}$ provided mean of 91.3% protection



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Analysis of Efficacy Relevant Threshold by Three Methods

- ***In vitro* bactericidal activity**
 - TNX-4800 EC_{50} = 0.345- 0.469 $\mu\text{g/mL}$ *in vitro*¹
 - Efficacy relevant threshold $\sim 10\text{X } EC_{50}$ ²
 - Serum level $\sim 5 \mu\text{g/mL}$
- ***In vitro* tick feeding**
 - TNX-4800 showed blocking transmission³ $\geq 10 \mu\text{g/mL}$
- ***In vivo* efficacy in primate challenge model**
 - TNX-4800 serum levels $\geq 10\mu\text{g/mL}$ were 91.3% protective^{1,3}

1. Wang Y, et al. *J Infect Dis.* 2016. 214(2):205-11.

2. Rogers RR et al , *Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy*, Oct. 2004, p. 3670–3676.

3. Schiller ZA, et al. *J Clin Invest.* 2021;131(11):e144843.

TNX-4800: Nonclinical Safety Data

- **cGLP Tissue Cross Reactivity study in rat and human tissues**
 - No significant cross-reactivity
- **Non-GLP pharmacokinetic and tick challenge studies in monkeys**
 - Did not reveal a safety signal
- **cGLP 5-week multiple dose study with 4-week recovery in rats and a cGLP single dose local tolerance study in rats**
 - Observed abnormalities were mild to moderate and all findings were judged non aversive (hematologic and ALT, AST ALP and APTT increases (notably without bilirubin changes), injection site inflammation, liver and spleen organ weight increases, liver histopathology, primarily in males. All findings were reversible)
- **Exposure in Phase 1 study was multiples relative to NOAEL in rats**
 - Starting dose (0.5 mg/kg): 37- to 166-fold lower
 - Highest dose (10mg/kg): 1.5- to 6.7-fold lower

cGLP = clinical good laboratory practice, ALT = alanine transaminase, AST = aspartate aminotransferase, AP = alkaline phosphatase, APTT = activated partial thromboplastin time, NOAEL = No-observed-adverse-effect level

Once weekly administration of TNX-4800 (intravenous or subcutaneous) for 4 weeks followed by a 35-day recovery period in male and female Sprague Dawley rats was tolerated at doses of up to 500 mg/kg/week intravenous or 300 mg/kg/week SC with no adverse findings. Therefore, under the conditions of this study, 500 mg/kg/week intravenous or 300 mg/kg/week SC was considered to be the NOAEL.

TNX-4800 Phase 1 Study Overview

Primary Objective:

- Evaluate safety and tolerability of a SC injection of TNX-4800 (2217LS) when administered to healthy volunteers

Secondary Objective:

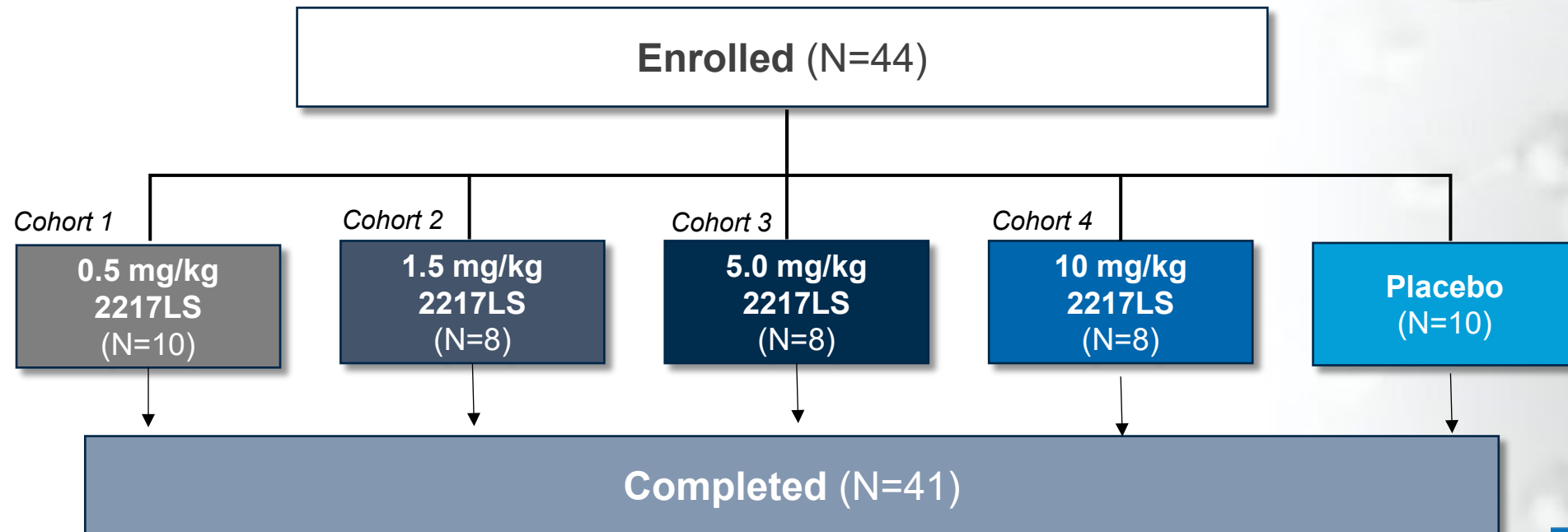
- Evaluate pharmacokinetics of a SC dose of TNX-4800 (2217LS) when administered to healthy volunteers

Study Population:

- Healthy male and female volunteers, age 19 to 65 years, inclusive

Human Phase 1 Study: Safety, Tolerability and Immunogenicity: Design

- First-in-human, randomized, double-blind, sequential dose-escalation study (N=44)
- Healthy male and female volunteers aged 19 to 65 years, serum negative for anti-*B. burgdorferi* antibodies, by an FDA-approved modified 2-tier ELISA test, were recruited
- Safety was assessed via clinical and lab evaluations
- Serum TNX-4800 concentrations were measured by ELISA, with pharmacokinetic analysis
- Antidrug antibodies were detected using an electrochemiluminescence immunoassay

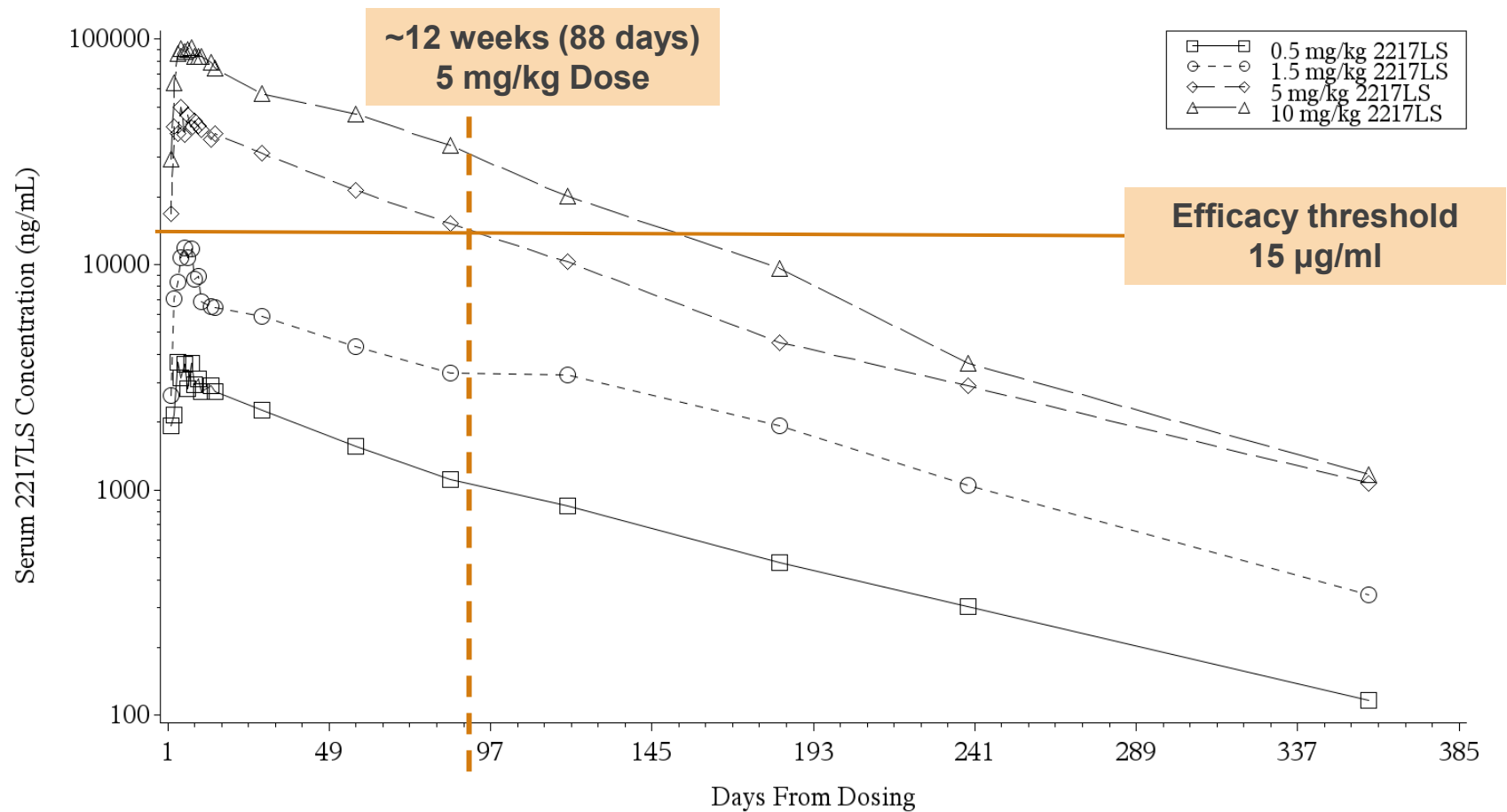


TNX-4800 Phase 1 Study Results¹

- No significant clinical or laboratory safety signals
- The mean exposure, based on AUC-inf and $C_{\max}$ for Cohort 4 (10mg/kg), was less than 17% of the highest exposures in the rat toxicology study
- Serum TNX-4800 (2217LS) was measurable at the earliest sampling time of 2 days indicating rapid absorption
- For all cohorts $C_{\max}$ was observed at 10-13 days followed by a prolonged elimination phase
- At 5 mg/kg dose $T_{\max}$ observed at 4.5 days and half-life $T_{1/2}$ 63 days
- Cohort 3 (5mg/kg) serum concentrations:
 - TNX-4800 serum level ≥ 15 $\mu\text{g/ml}$ achieved for 88 days (*in vivo* efficacy relevant threshold and $> \sim$ *in vitro* bactericidal relevant threshold)

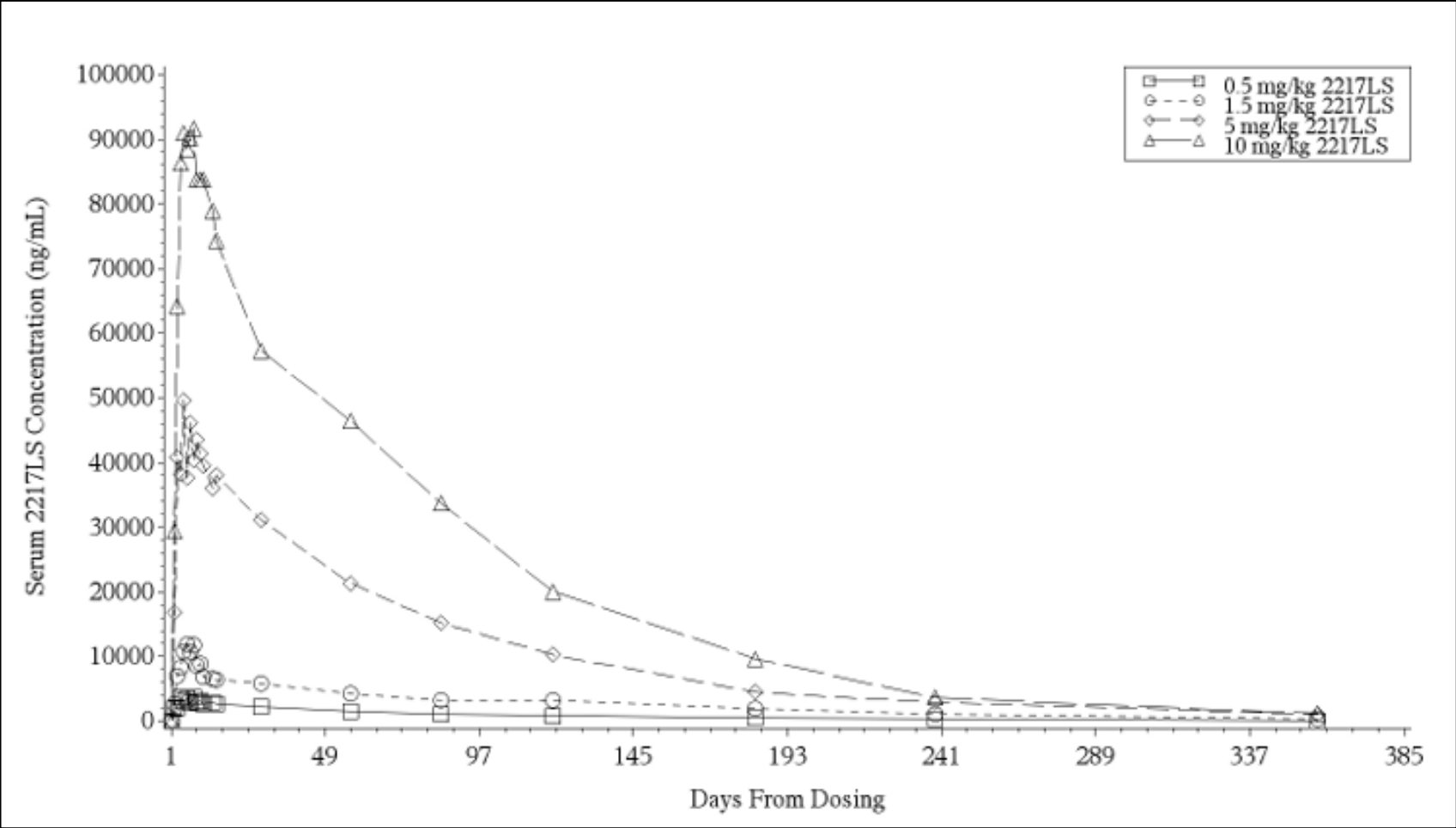
1. Klempner M. Presentation at the 4th Annual Ticks and Tickborne Diseases Symposium.
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Observed Phase 1 Pharmacokinetics and Efficacy Threshold



Each point represents a mean for the cohort at the specified timepoint and dose.

TNX-4800 Phase 1: Serum Concentrations at Sampling Time Points in Each Cohort



Each point represents a mean for the cohort at the specified timepoint and dose.
The profiles for 1.5 mg/kg, 5 mg/kg, and 10 mg/kg TNX-4800 (2217LS) are shifted to the right for ease of reaching.

TNX-4800 Phase 1 Pharmacokinetics Parameters

Pharmacokinetic Parameters	Cohort 1 TNX-4800 : 0.5 mg/kg (n=10)	Cohort 2 TNX-4800 : 1.5 mg/kg (n=8)	Cohort 3 TNX-4800 : 5 mg/kg (n=8)	Cohort 4 TNX-4800 : 10 mg/kg (n=8)
AUC0-t (µg*hr/mL)	6271 (26.0)	20610 (23.7)	79760 (36.5)	165500 (26.0)
AUC0-inf (µg*hr/mL)	6812 (25.3)	21490 (23.5)	82070 (37.2)	168100 (25.9)
AUC%ext (%)	7.83 ± 4.87	4.10 ± 1.63	2.81 ± 1.39	1.49 ± 0.49
Cmax (µg/mL)	3.39 (31.4)	10.88 (41.3)	45.65 (22.0)	84.56 (37.5)
Tmax (hr)	96.078 (72.0, 335.9)	144.02 (95.9, 215.9)	108.32 (71.9, 216.1)	108.05 (48.0, 167.8)
Kel (1/day)	0.0120 ± 0.0061	0.0102 ± 0.0014	0.0140 ± 0.0089	0.0114 ± 0.0017
t½ (days)	67.3 ± 22.2	69.1 ± 10.1	63.2± 27.3	62.1± 10.2
CL/F (mL/day/kg)	1.814 ± 0.483	1.716 ± 0.418	1.554 ± 0.622	1.469 ± 0.373
Vd/F (mL/kg)	171.2 ± 61.3	170.1 ± 47.3	123.7 ± 29.8	133.0 ± 44.4

Cohort 1,2 and 3 : A single subcutaneous injection, Cohort 4: Two subcutaneous injection
AUCs and Cmax are presented as geometric mean (geometric CV%).
Tmax values are presented as median (min, max).
Other parameters are presented as arithmetic mean ± SD.
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Phase 1 Clinical Study Summary Results

- TNX-4800 studied in randomized, double-blind, sequential dose-escalation study (NCT04863287) to evaluate its safety, tolerability, pharmacokinetics and immunogenicity
- 44 healthy adult volunteers randomized and 41 completed study; volunteers received a single subcutaneous (SC) administration of placebo or TNX-4800 at 0.5, 1.5, 5, or 10 mg/kg
- Peak serum concentration ($C_{\max}$) increased by ~25-fold for a 20-times increase in dose
- Serum TNX-4800 measurable at earliest sampling time of 2 days, indicating rapid systemic absorption
- TNX-4800 levels remained quantifiable for >200 days in 80% of volunteers at lowest dose and for up to 350 days in majority of participants at higher doses (i.e., ≥ 1.5 mg/kg)
- Mean half-life ranged from 62–69 days across TNX-4800 groups; serum concentrations quantifiable for up to 12 months in most volunteers
- At the highest dose of TNX-4800 tested in rats with 1.5 to 6.72-fold higher exposure compared to 10 mg/kg cohort, no adverse toxicity was observed, thus the highest dose tested was considered No Observed Adverse Effect Level (NOAEL)
- Anti-drug antibodies (ADA) detected in <10% of treated volunteers
- Most adverse events were mild or moderate¹
- TNX-4800 determined to be generally safe and well tolerated

1. One serious adverse event deemed unrelated to study drug.

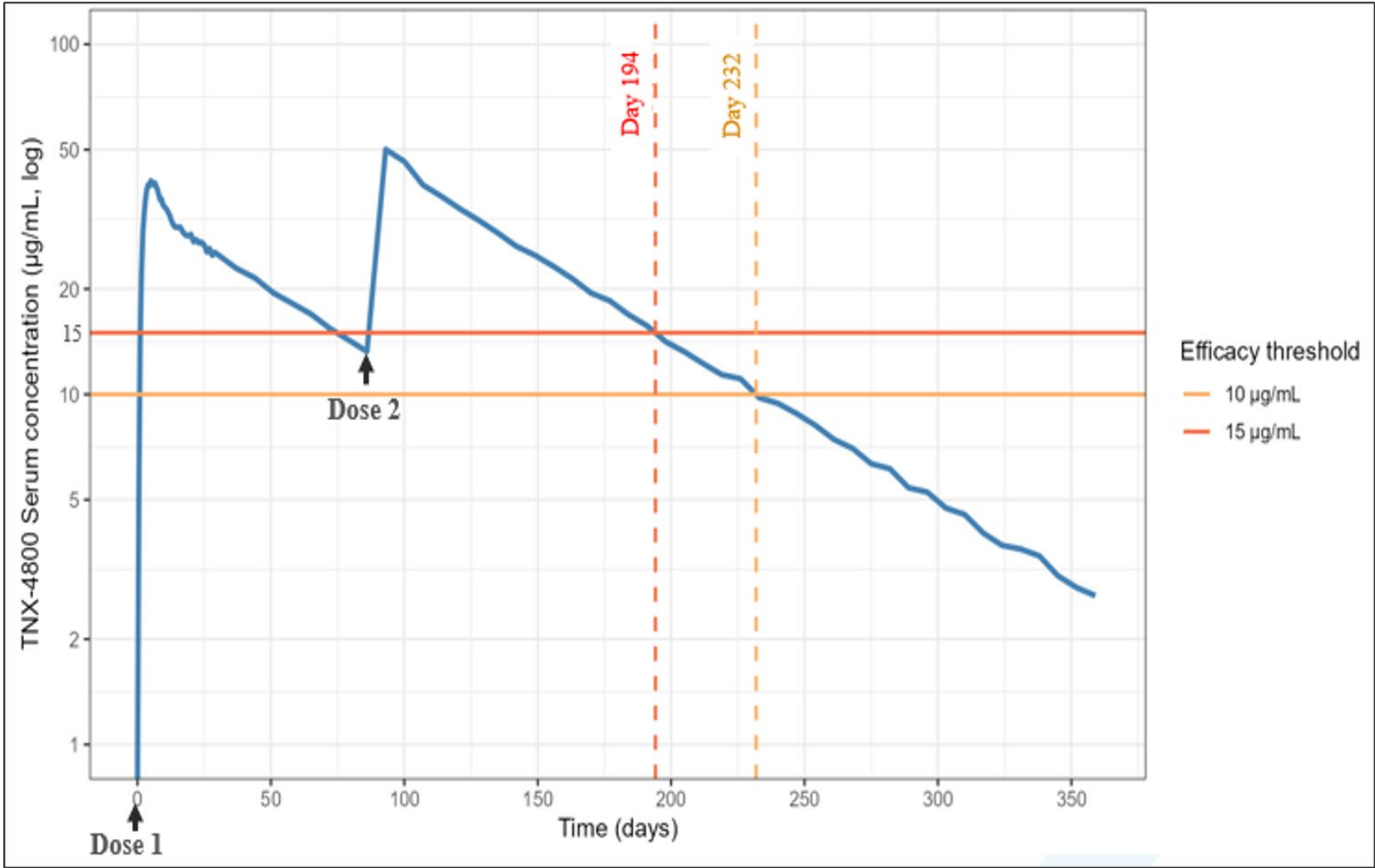
Planned Phase 2 Field Study

TNX-4800 is intended to be studied in an adaptive randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled field study, pending FDA agreement

- **Primary Efficacy Endpoint***: Incidence of a first confirmed case of Lyme disease, caused by *B. burgdorferi* within the period of 2 days post administration up through Week 24 following first administration
 - **Primary Efficacy Objective**: Evaluate the efficacy of TNX-4800 in preventing the first occurrence of confirmed Lyme disease during the primary efficacy surveillance period from Day 2 after the first administration up to Week 24 following the first administration
 - **Primary Safety Objective**: Evaluate the safety and tolerability of TNX-4800 over a 24-week period
- **Inclusion**: Adolescents and adults¹ ≥18 years of age and older from U.S. Lyme-endemic areas
 - **Dosing**: Two total doses; one 450 mg SC dose or placebo at Day 1, and one 450 mg SC dose or placebo 12 weeks later at Day 85
 - **Administration**: Each 450 mg SC dose or placebo will be divided into two injections that each have 1.5 mL volume with 225 mg
 - **Rationale**: Efficacy relevant threshold based on Phase 1 pharmacokinetic results and nonclinical protection models against *B. burgdorferi* transmission

Key secondary efficacy endpoint at 12 weeks.

Simulation Median Profile of Two 450 mg Doses and Efficacy Threshold of TNX-4800



Addressing the Significant Public Health Challenge of Lyme Disease in the U.S.

- ✓ Phase 1 study complete, showing favorable safety, tolerability, immunogenicity, and pharmacokinetics
- ✓ Phase 2 adaptive field study planning and GMP manufacturing underway for 1H 2027

TNX-4800 Upcoming Milestones



GMP = Good Manufacturing Process



THANK YOU

