The Effects of Encaleret (CLTX-305) on Mineral Physiology in Autosomal Dominant Hypocalcemia Type 1 (ADH1) Demonstrate Proof-of-Concept: Early Results from an Ongoing Phase 2B, Open-Label, Dose-Ranging Study



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Background

- Autosomal dominant hypocalcemia type 1 (ADH1) is a rare form of hypoparathyroidism caused by gain-of-function pathogenic variants in the gene encoding the calciumsensing receptor (CaSR).¹
- The estimated U.S. prevalence is 3.9/100,000 with > 90 gain-of-function CASR variants reported.¹⁻²
- Biochemical features of ADH1:³
 - hypocalcemia and hypercalciuria
 - hyperphosphatemia
 - inappropriately low parathyroid hormone (PTH)
- hypomagnesemia
- Conventional therapy for ADH1 (calcium and calcitriol) can lead to or exacerbate hypercalciuria, increasing risk of nephrolithiasis, nephrocalcinosis, and renal insufficiency.
- Calcilytics (investigational allosteric antagonists of the CaSR) are designed to shift the concentration-response relationship between extracellular calcium and the cellular response of cells bearing the CaSR to the right (Figure 1).³
- Through direct renal effects, calcilytics may further reduce calcium and magnesium excretion in ADH1.
- Calcilytics increase plasma levels of PTH and normalize mineral metabolism in animal models of ADH1.^{5,6}
- A small clinical trial demonstrated that the calcilytic NPSP795 increased plasma levels of PTH and decreased calcium excretion in patients with ADH1.⁷
- Encaleret (CLTX-305), an investigational oral calcilytic, has the potential to restore normal mineral homeostasis without calcium and vitamin D supplementation.





Figure 1: The effects of allosteric modulators on the CaSR

Calcilytics decrease the sensitivity of CaSRs to extracellular calcium, resulting in increased PTH secretion (left panel) and decreased calcium excretion (right panel). Calcimimetics (CaSR agonists) have the opposite effect [Figure adapted from Tfelt-Hansen, 2002].

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Characteristic	N=6	Normal Range
Age, mean (range)	40 (22-60)	
Male, n (%)	3 (50%)	
Nephrocalcinosis, n (%)	4 (67%)	
ECG QTcB (msec)	452 ± 9	< 440
Corrected calcium (mg/dL)*	7.6 ± 0.6	8.4-10.2
Intact PTH (pg/mL)*	3.4 ± 4.5	15 – 65
Phosphorus (mg/dL)*	4.5 ± 0.7	2.5 - 4.5
Magnesium (mg/dL)*	1.6 ± 0.4	1.6 – 2.6
24h Urine Calcium (mg/24h)	436 ± 255	< 250-300
Supplement Doses		
Elemental Calcium (mg/day) [mean (range)]	2317 (800-4000)	
Calcitriol (µg/day) [mean (range)]	0.9 (0.5-2.0)	

Subjects with Serious AEs	0 (0%)
Subjects with AEs	5 (83%)
Mild	5 (83%)
Moderate	0 (0%)
Severe	0 (0%)
Number of AEs	9
Mild	9 (100%)
Moderate	0 (0%)
Severe	0 (0%)

asymptomatic hypophosphatemia < 2 mg/dL (n=2). Baseline prolonged QTcB normalized to 433 ± 11 msec on Day 5.



† Where Day 5 values were unavailable, Day 4 values shown. * Values below limit of assay quantitation were plotted as "0".

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