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Prademagene Zamikeracel:

An Investigational Genetically Engineered Autologous Cell Therapy

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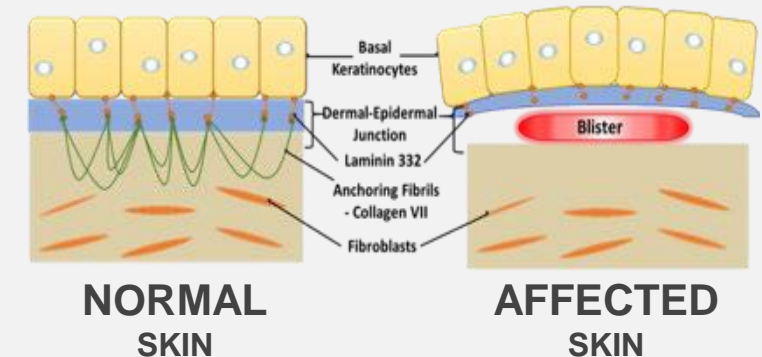
Recessive Dystrophic Epidermolysis Bullosa (RDEB) is a painful, lifelong debilitating connective tissue disease

Disease Overview

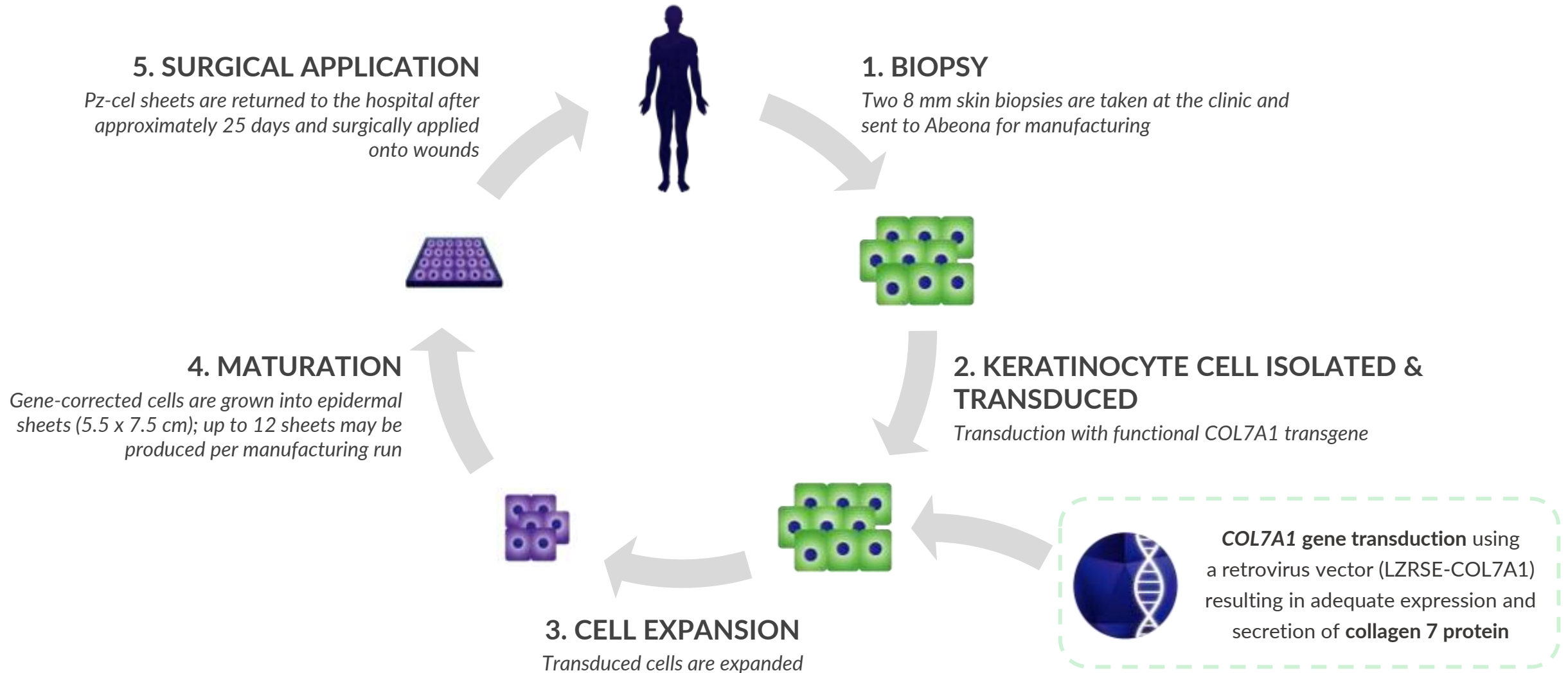
- **Ultra-rare genetic disease** with an estimated fewer than 1,500 patients in the US¹
- Caused by the absence of the patient's functional copy of **COL7A1 gene** which encodes **collagen 7**, a protein necessary to form anchoring fibrils and keep patient's skin intact
 - On average >30% of patient's body surface covered in wounds³
 - Chronic wounds remain open for years with up to 90% risk of developing **squamous cell carcinoma (SCC)**²
 - 76% likelihood of death by the age 40⁴
- Significant clinical, economic and humanistic burden on patients and caregivers



Lack of functioning anchoring fibrils leads to skin blistering and tears from minor trauma



Prademagene zamikeracel (pz-cel) is an autologous cell-based gene therapy that targets the underlying cause of RDEB disease



VIITAL Study Summary

Phase 3 randomized, intra-patient, controlled trial conducted at Stanford and UMass Memorial

Eligibility

- Aged ≥ 6 years with confirmed RDEB
- Two or more matched large chronic wounds¹ per patient
- No evidence or history of SCC in the area that would undergo pz-cel application

43 large wound pairs randomized
14 nonrandomized wounds² across 11 patients

1:1 randomized wound pair

43 wounds
pz-cel treated

43 wounds
standard of care

Patient follow-up
at weeks 6, 12, 24, and 26

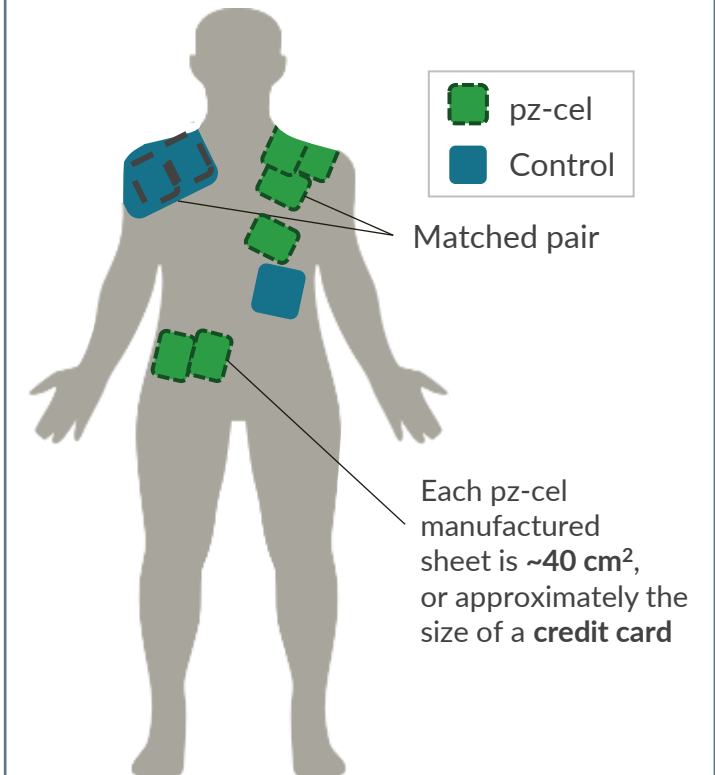
Coprimary endpoints:

- $\geq 50\%$ wound healing at week 24³
- Pain reduction at week 24 assessed using Wong-Baker FACES® Pain Rating Scale

Secondary endpoint:

- Complete wound healing at weeks 12 and 24

VIITAL study patient (illustrative)



Wounds had been open for a **median of 5 years** (range of 0.5 to 21 years) prior to study enrollment

¹ Large: ≥ 20 cm² surface area; chronic: open for ≥ 6 months.

² Wounds with no matching controls and were not included in primary analysis.

³ Week 24 result confirmed at week 26.

In clinical trials, genetically engineered epidermal sheets were surgically applied under general anesthesia within 36 hours of manufacturing, followed by 5-7 days of wound immobilization

Pz-cel Surgical Application

1

Wound bed prepared and antibiotics applied while surgeon prepared pz-cel for application



2

Surgeon sutured pz-cel on wounds



3

Covered wounds were treated with antibiotics and wrapped with gauze and surgical netting



Patient from Pivotal Phase 3 Study



Baseline



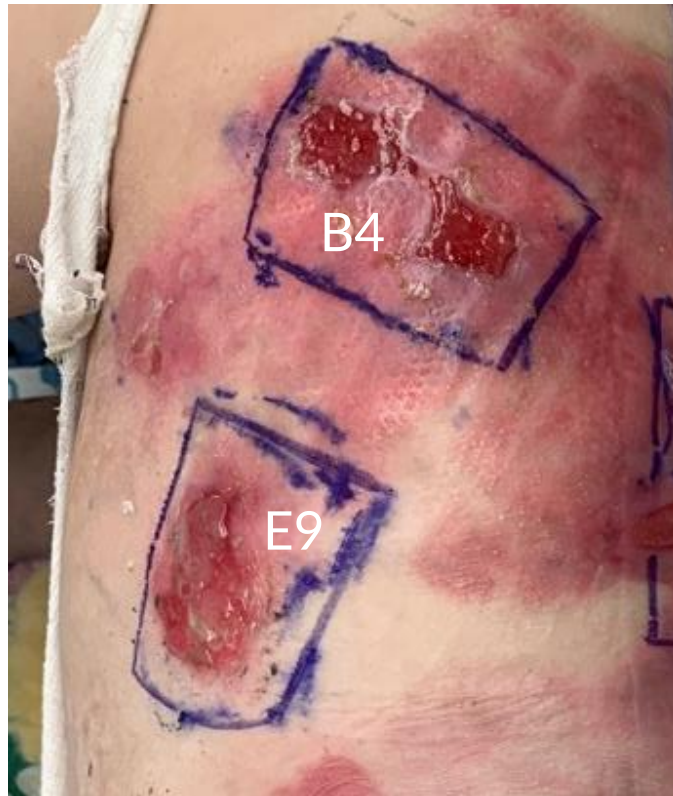
Surgery



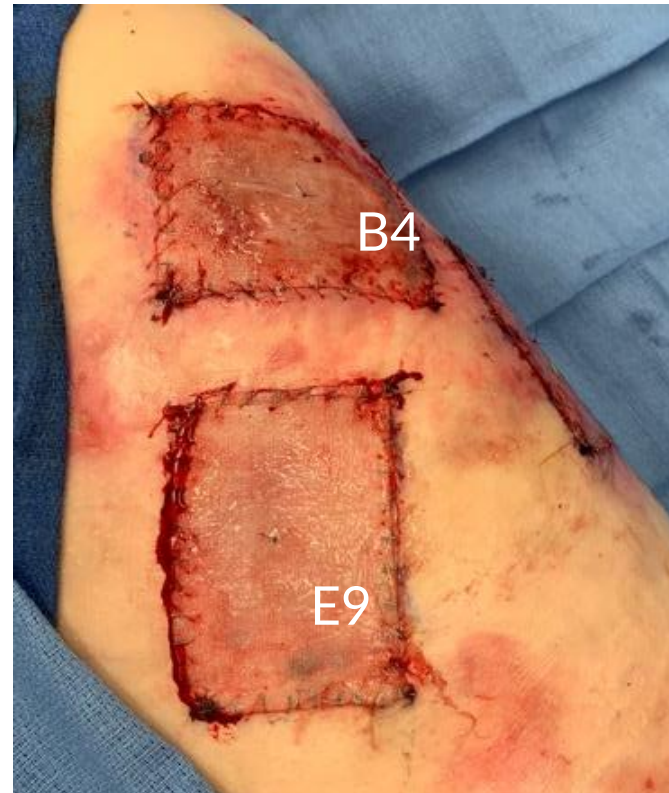
Week 24

Examples of $\geq 75\%$ and complete wound healing after pz-cel treatment (upper back)

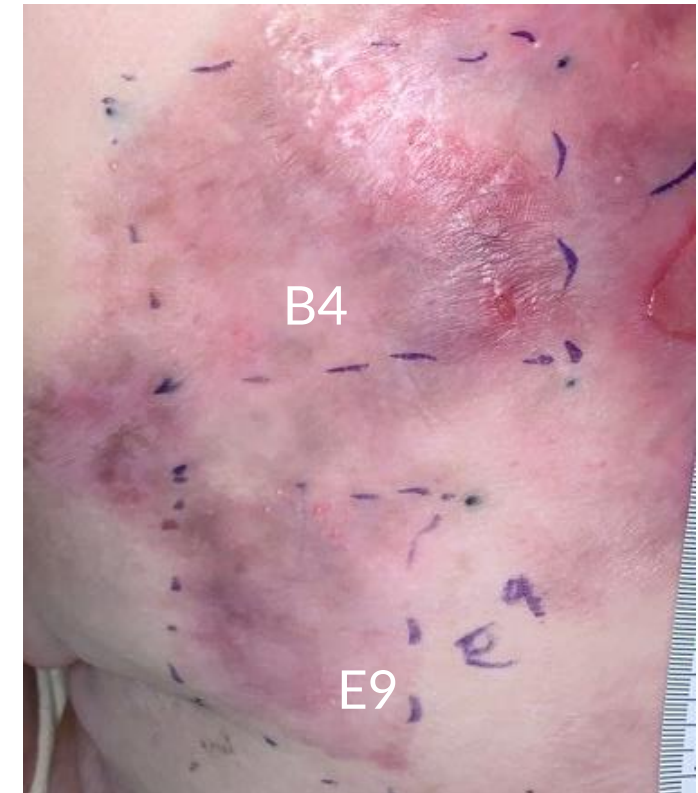
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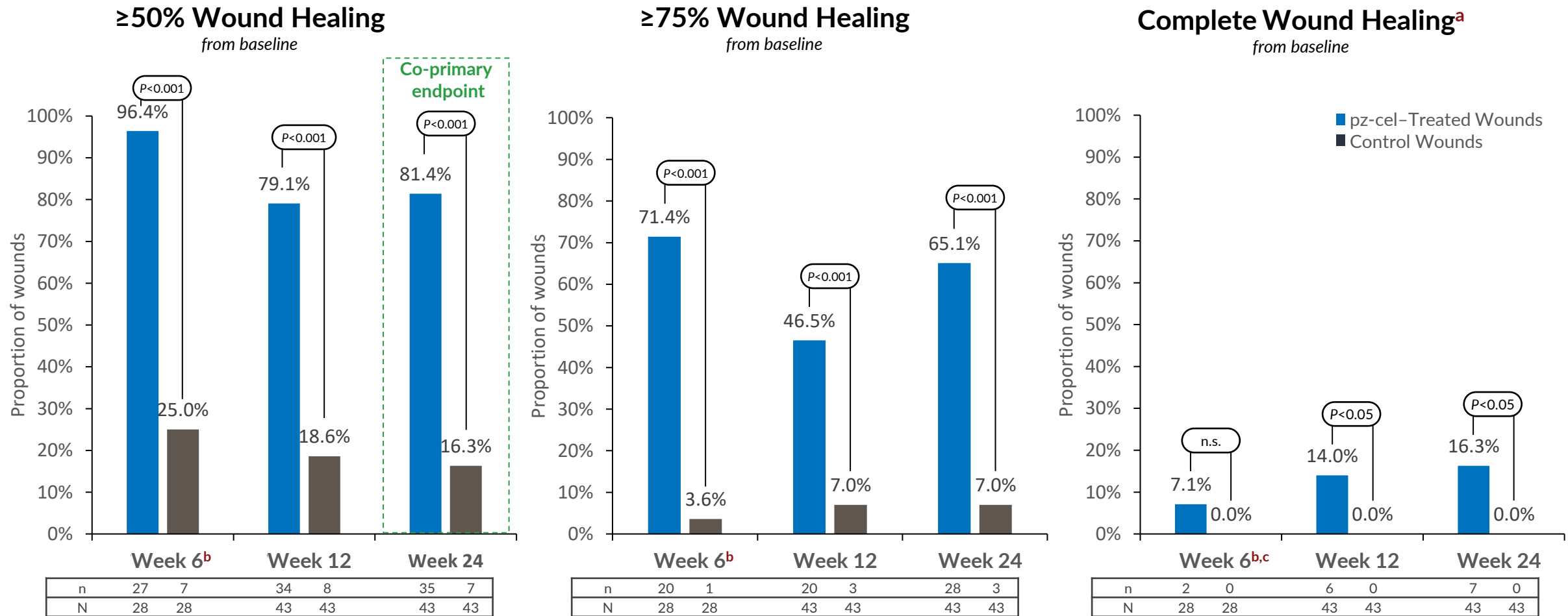


Week 24



B4 scored as $>75\%$ healed
E9 scored as complete wound healing

Pz-cel improved wound healing in as early as 6 weeks and across all timepoints in Phase 3 clinical trial



Wounds demonstrating healing at week 24 were required to be confirmed ≥2 weeks later to be included.

^a Complete wound healing was defined as re-epithelialization with no drainage or erosion and presence of only minor crusting. ^b Post hoc endpoint. ^c Missing data was not imputed; observed case only. n, number of wounds in healing improvement category; N, number of total wounds with nonmissing healing improvement category; n.s., not significant.

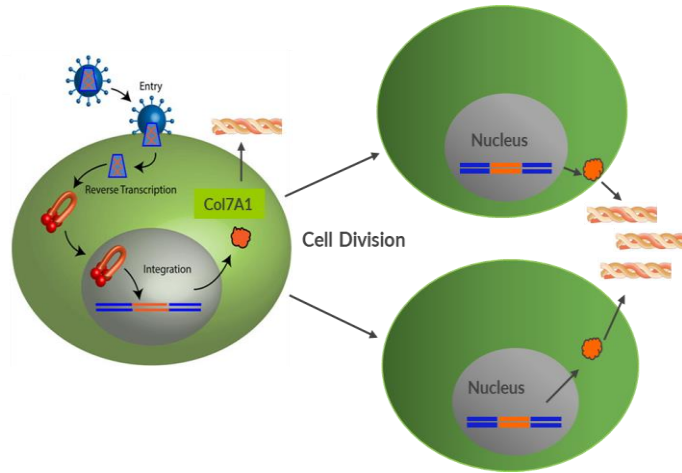
Pz-cel had a favorable safety profile with no serious TEAEs related to study treatment in clinical trials

System Organ Class	Patients n (%)
Preferred Term	
Wound Type	
Injury, Poisoning and Procedural Complications	7 (38.9)
Procedural Pain	7 (38.9)
Treated Study Wound	1 (5.6)
Control Study Wound	1 (5.6)
Non-Study Wound	6 (33.3)
General Disorders and Administration Site Conditions	3 (16.7)
Local Reaction	3 (16.7)
Treated Study Wound	2 (11.1)
Control Study Wound	0 (0.0)
Non-Study Wound	1 (5.6)
Infections and Infestations	3 (16.7)
Wound Infection	3 (16.7)
Treated Study Wound	1 (5.6)
Control Study Wound	0 (0.0)
Non-Study Wound	2 (11.1)
Skin and Subcutaneous Tissue Disorders	2 (11.1)
Pruritus	2 (11.1)
Treated Study Wound	1 (5.6)
Control Study Wound	0 (0.0)
Non-Study Wound	2 (11.1)

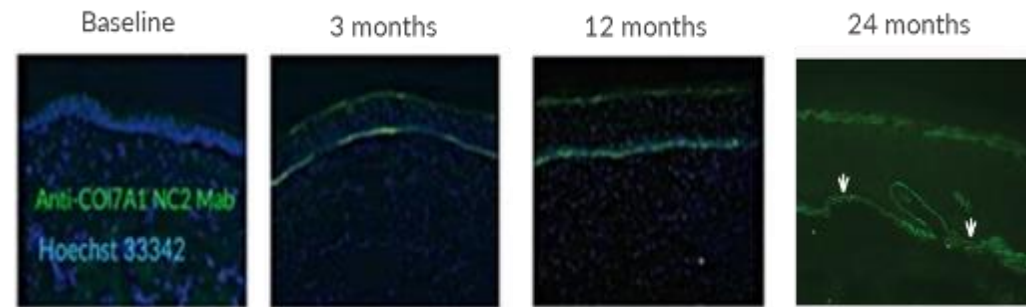
Adverse reactions are sorted by descending frequency of System Organ Class and Preferred Term
Adverse events were coded using MedDRA 23.0

- Across Phase 1/2a and VIITAL Phase 3 studies, 99 total wounds were treated in 18 patients; aggregated data from these studies and the long-term follow-up are shown
- 10 patients (55.6%) had adverse reactions related to pz-cel
- 2 TEAEs with a fatal outcome, 1 event each of sepsis and failure to thrive, both were unrelated to study treatment.
- No serious TEAEs or TEWAEs related to pz-cel were reported.
- No instances of positive replication-competent retrovirus (RCR) results were reported

Long-term follow-up: Evidence for collagen expression and durable wound healing (up to 8 years) following one-time surgical application with pz-cel¹

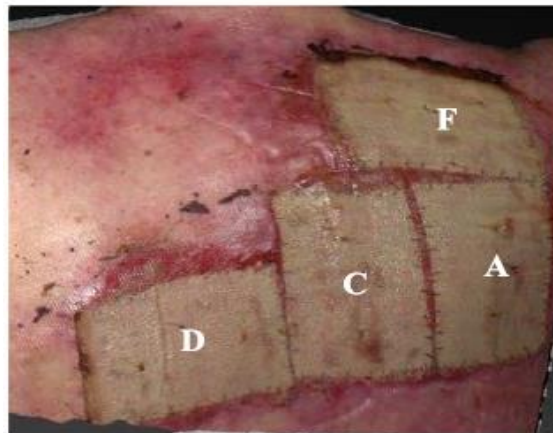


Long term *COL7A1* expression at treated site detected by immunofluorescence



Example from
pz-cel Phase
1/2a Study

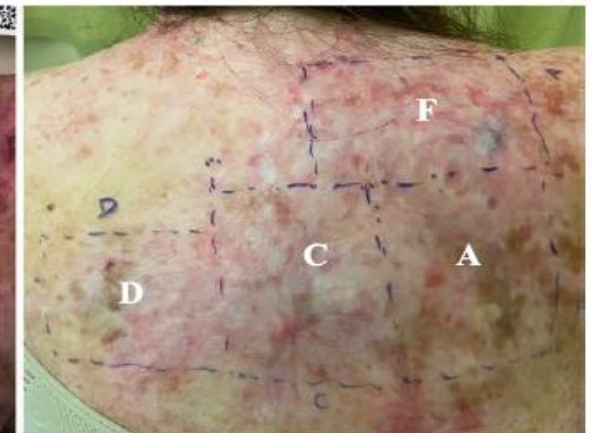
Day 0



Year 2



Year 5





- What diagnoses are associated with RDEB?
 - Q81.2 Epidermolysis bullosa dystrophica; Q81.8 Other epidermolysis bullosa; Q81.9 Epidermolysis bullosa, unspecified
- Where would prademagene zamikeracel be documented in the medical record for individuals?
 - Documentation would be found in an Operative Report or Procedure Note since it will be surgically applied in a surgical suite under general anesthesia
- What are the different naming conventions for the drug/device/technology/service or procedure?
 - prademagene zamikeracel gene-corrected autologous cell therapy, pz-cel, pz-cel cell therapy, pz-cel, EB-101, EB-101 gene-corrected autologous cell therapy, EB-101 gene-corrected keratinocyte sheets, EB-101 LZRSE-COL7A1 engineered autologous epidermal sheets

Summary

- Biologics License Application (BLA) under Priority Review by the FDA with Prescription Drug User Fee Act (PDUFA) date of **May 25, 2024**
- Pz-cel is a genetically engineered autologous cell therapy that contains a functional *COL7A1* transgene delivered by a retrovirus vector (RVV) for the treatment of wounds associated with RDEB
- Pz-cel uses a patient's own skin cells (biopsy) as starting material and introduces the missing *COL7A1* transgene into keratinocyte cells *ex vivo* to express collagen protein from mature epidermal sheets
- Genetically engineered epidermal sheets are then surgically applied onto a patient's wound bed under general anesthesia, followed by a 5 to 7 days of wound immobilization – all of which requires extensive healthcare resource utilization
- If approved for use, we anticipate pz-cel will be available at 5 to 7 medical centers in the US
- 15-year patient follow-up will be conducted for pharmacovigilance like other cell & gene therapies