

Novel products to prevent and treat serious infections

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Operational highlights 2019

XF-73 for prevention of post-surgical infections

- Phase 2b commenced in April 2019, with 68 patients currently recruited out of a target of 200
 - Study currently paused due to impact of COVID-19
 - 18 sites open in two countries out of 24 (US/Georgia). Serbia awaiting regulatory clearance before opening sites post-COVID-19
- Publication of positive Phase 1 results from an independent study in the Journal of Global Antimicrobial Resistance concluded:
 - Application of a nasal gel formulation of XF-73 in healthy volunteers was safe, well-tolerated and generated minimal side effects
 - Treatment with XF-73 was also associated with a rapid reduction in nasal Staphylococcus aureus in all subjects
- "Non-irritant" classification awarded to XF-73 nasal gel following positive results from a Phase 1 safety clinical study examining the drug's potential to cause irritation when administered topically
- Prototype XF-73 nasal gel pack for the final marketed product being developed to deliver an easy-to-use, single dose, nasal gel tube to enable precise delivery and reduce wastage

Operational highlights 2019

Earlier pipeline and research projects

- MedPharm collaboration signed in 2019 to develop new XF drug formulations as treatments for dermal and ocular infections has developed new XF formulations designed to treat dermal and ocular infections
- Research projects with Cardiff, Southampton and Aston Universities making good progress examining XF Drugs in established infection models for dermal, respiratory, ocular and biofilm related indications
- Award of fourth research grant in collaboration with Sheffield University in September 2019 examining selected XF drugs in bacterial and fungal ocular infection models

COVID-19 – impact and opportunities

- The COVID-19 pandemic has slowed recruitment in our lead Phase 2b clinical trial with XF-73 for the prevention of post-surgical infections
- Some slowdown in grant funded research projects as staff and facilities follow government guidance although the current business impact here is low
- Destiny Pharma operates a virtual model so has transitioned smoothly to the current movement restrictions
- Increased interest in anti-infective sector – driven by virus but crossover into treatment of bacterial infections and issue of AMR
- Company looking at several new grant funded projects related to COVID-19 and prevention/treatment of associated bacterial infections

Financial highlights

Statement of comprehensive income

for the year ended 31 December 2019

| | 2019 £ | 2018 £ |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|
| Continuing operations | | |
| Other operating income | 305,906 | — |
| Administrative expenses | (5,687,003) | (5,346,170) |
| Share based payment expense | (203,655) | (737,687) |
| Loss from operations | (5,584,752) | (6,083,857) |
| Finance income | 63,478 | 75,999 |
| Loss before tax | (5,521,274) | (6,007,858) |
| Taxation | 813,250 | 841,144 |
| Loss and total comprehensive loss for the year from continuing operations | (4,708,024) | (5,166,174) |
| Loss per share – pence | | |
| Basic | (10.7)p | (11.9)p |
| Diluted | (10.7)p | (11.9)p |



Highlights:

- Loss before tax decreased £0.5M to £5.5M (2018: £6.0M)

Key drivers

- Grant income received of £0.3M (2017:£nil)
- £0.3M increase in R&D costs to £3.8M (2018:£3.5M)
- £0.5M decrease in SBP expense to £0.2M (2018:£0.7M)

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Statement of financial position

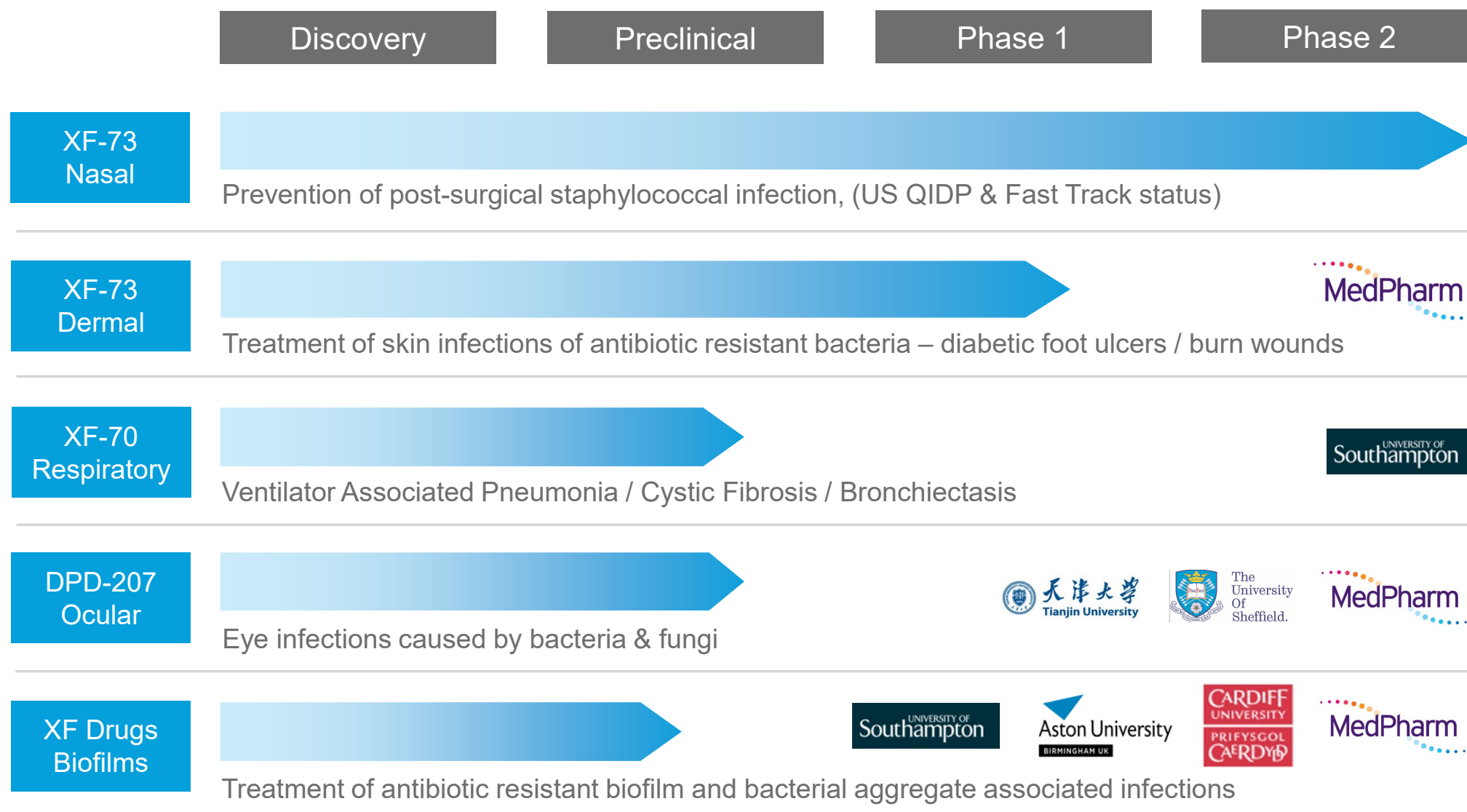


| | 2019 £ | 2018 £ |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------|-------------|
| Assets | | |
| Non-current assets | 30,421 | 30,421 |
| Current assets | | |
| Receivables and prepayments | 1,044,900 | 967,165 |
| Cash & other financial assets | 7,479,642 | 12,060,821 |
| | 8,524,542 | 13,027,986 |
| Total assets | 8,557,464 | 13,058,407 |
| Equity & liabilities | | |
| Equity | | |
| Share capital and premium | 17,734,989 | 17,727,910 |
| Accumulated losses | (9,975,664) | (5,471,295) |
| | 7,759,325 | 12,256,615 |
| Current liabilities | | |
| Trade and other payables | 798,139 | 801,792 |
| Total equity and liabilities | 8,557,464 | 13,058,470 |

Highlights:

- £7.5 million year end cash provides runway through to Q4 2021
- R&D tax credit of £0.84M (2018:£0.81M) receivable in Q2 2020
- Net cash outflow in 2020 of £4.6M (2018:£4.7M)

XF drug product pipeline: targeting unmet clinical needs



Partnered with China Medical Systems in China region

Lead asset XF-73 breaks through the antibiotic paradox



| Antibiotic Challenges | XF-73 Advantages |
|---|--|
| No new mechanisms for decades | Highly novel mechanism with strong IP <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Awarded QIDP* status by FDA Novel application as an anti-infective |
| Widespread, community use increases fear of resistance and positions new antibiotics as ' drugs of last resort | Hospital only <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Controlled, hospital setting for XF-73 leverages its unique no/low resistance profile |
| Systemic use / exposure leads to toxicology and safety concerns | No systemic absorption <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Targeted, topical delivery with acute use and no systemic absorption minimises potential tolerability/side effect profile Reducing nasal <i>S. aureus</i> carriage reduces post surgical infection by c.60% |
| Pricing pressure from generics and current payment models restrict return on investment | Strong pharmaco-economics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> US market research supports current planned pricing range for XF-73 Inclusion in total surgical cost for reimbursement |

XF-73 offers clear advantages over current standard-of-care

| | Mupirocin | XF-73 | | |
|---------------------|-----------------|--------------|---|--|
| Pre-op dosing | 5 Days | 1 Day | ✓ | Reduces timeframe needed to treat prior to surgery |
| Efficacy | Not All Strains | All Strains | ✓ | Targets the entire SA spectrum |
| Resistance Build Up | Yes | No | ✓ | Expands target patient population |
| Administration | Nasal Ointment | Nasal Gel | ~ | Positive effect on compliance |
| Tolerability | Irritant | Non-irritant | ✓ | Well-tolerated – positive impact on compliance |
| MoA | Traditional | Innovative | ✓ | Superior efficacy and safety profile |
| Indication | Off Label | Licensed | ✓ | Increases potential for adoption onto hospital formulary |

Post surgical infections delay recovery & increase treatment costs

Clean, healing wound post-surgery



Post-surgical leg infections – superficial and deep wound



Patients with wound infections stay in hospital 15 days longer than patients without infections

“The hospital has the biggest financial incentive to reduce post-operative surgical infections and can absorb the [XF-73] cost in the DRG payment”

- Quote from independent hospital (US market research 2018)

Independent research in 2019 supports XF-73 market positioning



Mupirocin Resistance in *Staphylococcus aureus*: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis

- Dadashi *et al* 2019

- Global mupirocin-resistant *Staphylococcus aureus* prevalence has now increased to 7.6% and that mupirocin-resistant MRSAs have significantly increased to 13.8%
- The authors conclude that monitoring of mupirocin-resistance development remains critical.

Guidelines for Perioperative Care in Cardiac Surgery: Enhanced Recovery After Surgery Society Recommendations

- Engelman *et al*, 2019

- Article instructs US surgeons to, “Perform topical intranasal decolonization prior to surgery”, with the highest IA recommendation
- Enhanced Recovery After Surgery recommended that topical therapy be applied universally to all cardiac surgical patients, not only *Staphylococcus aureus* carriers.

New Asian guidelines recommend decolonisation

- Ling *et al*, 2019

- Guidelines warn of issue of antibiotic resistance highlighting the need for new approaches
- Recommend decolonisation of *Staphylococcus aureus* in surgical patients to prevent surgical site infections
- The APSIC guidelines also support Destiny Pharma's strategic approach in China where it has a regional collaboration with China Medical Systems

XF-73 dermal clinical program

- XF-73 dermal targeting infections associated with diabetic foot ulcers (DFUs) and burns
- Builds on existing XF-73 nasal data
- Phase 1 safety study completed in abraded skin supports dermal potential
- New formulations developed with Medpharm. Dermal toxicology being planned
- Target is to be ready for clinical studies in 2021



Diabetic foot ulcer

Annual cost of DFU care in US is over **\$10 billion**

~20% of diabetes patients experience DFU

infections **>350,000** in US alone

XF-73 dermal targeting

\$0.5bn

peak sales opportunity

XF pre-clinical and discovery programmes

Research collaborations/grant funding validate XF platform potential

- Grant funded biofilm research projects signed with Aston, Southampton and Sheffield Universities targeting dermal, ocular and respiratory infections
 - Biofilms are a key component in serious infections associated with cystic fibrosis, medical devices, implants and catheters
- Awarded up to £1.6m under UK-China AMR fund
 - Research projects addressing infections (including ocular) and AMR in collaboration with Cardiff University, Tianjin University and Chinese partners
- Seeking to enter further collaborations/grants to extend XF drug platform projects
- Latest microbiology test screens of XF-73 confirms efficacy against 70 of the latest *S. aureus* and MRSA strains



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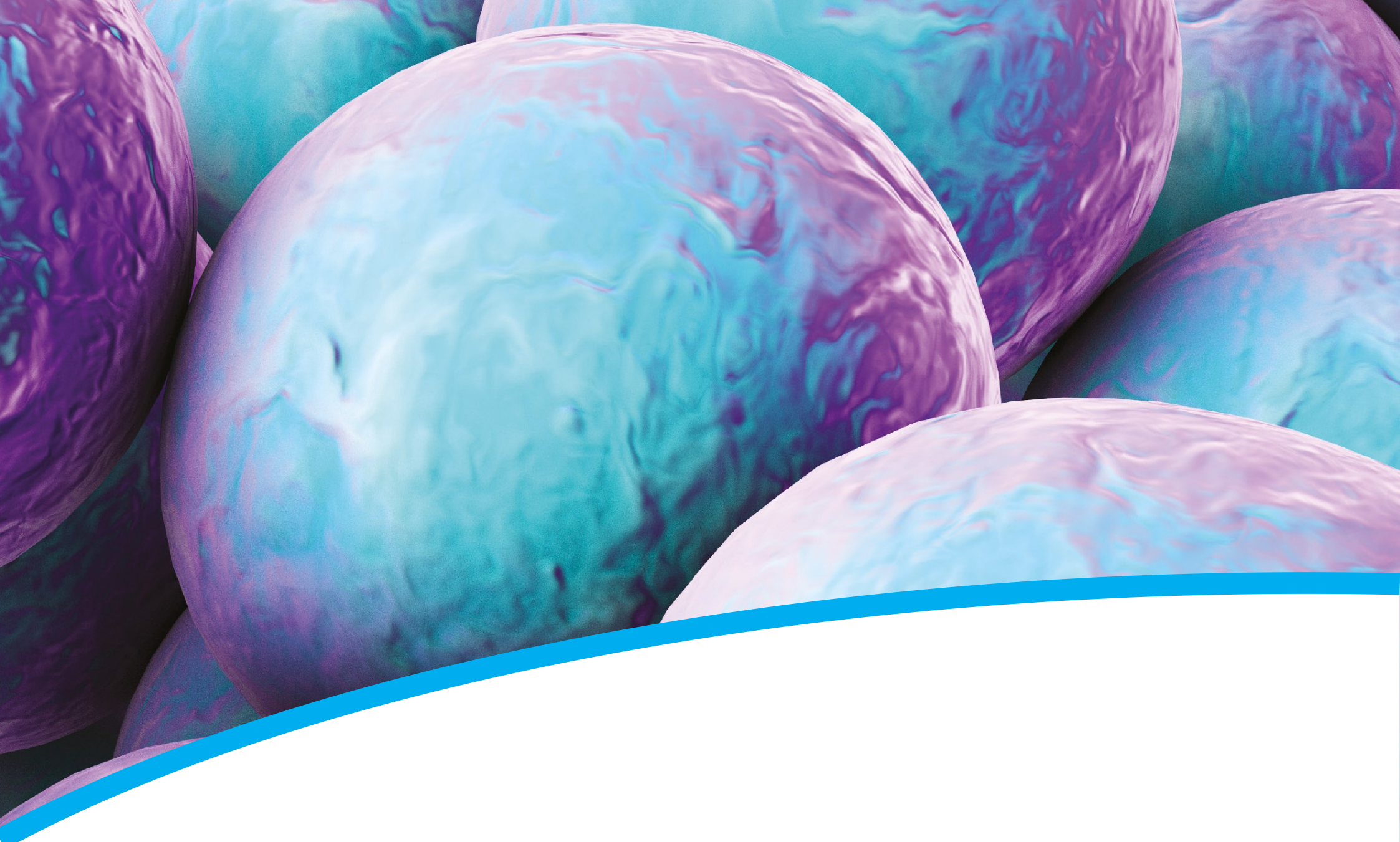
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Ex-Roche, GSK and, most recently, at Polyphor. Held several senior roles at Novartis. On the board of Hutman Diagnostics and BerGenBio

XF-73 nasal targeting established hospital risk with a blockbuster opportunity

1 in 3

people carry
S. aureus

Carriers have **10x**
higher risk of post-surgical
infection

40 million US surgical
patients at risk of post-surgical
infection

Annual cost of complications in US
due to post surgical infections
<\$10 billion

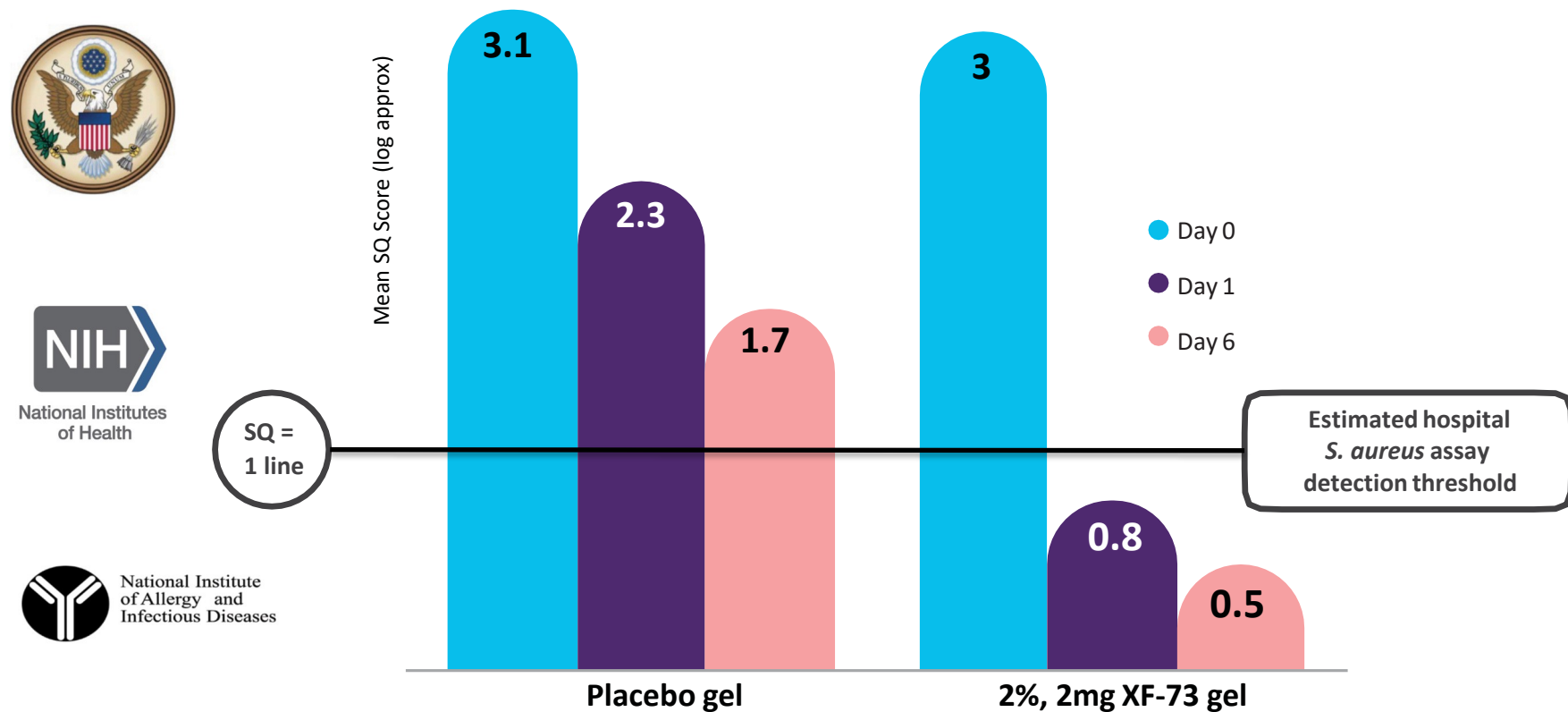
XF-73 target market a **\$1bn** peak sales opportunity

XF-73 delivers rapid & sustained clinical *S. aureus* nasal reduction

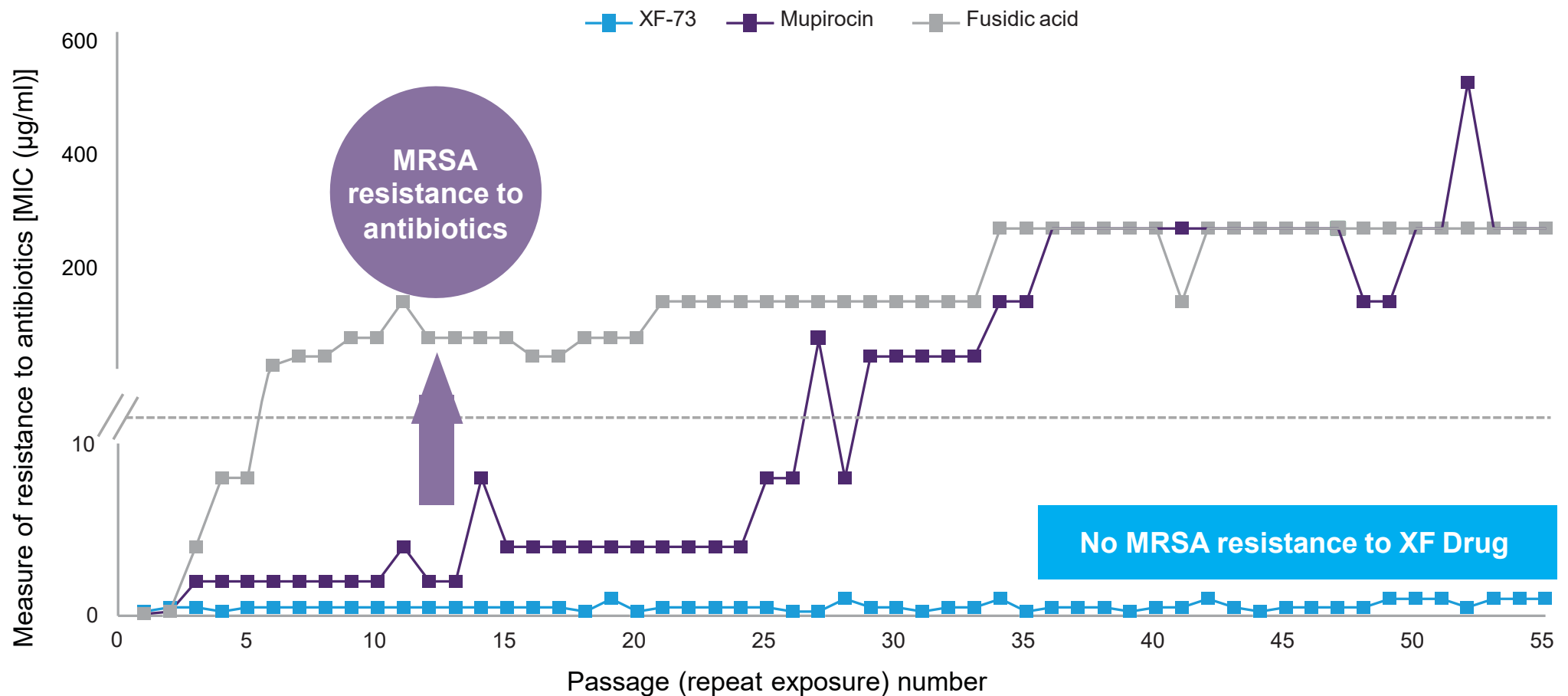
Reduction of bacterial burden reduces bacterial infection rate (Datta et al 2014)

Data from US government funded trial in 2016 supports XF-73 as a potential effective preventative agent. Published in November 2019 in Journal of Global Antimicrobial Resistance.

S. aureus load after 0, 1 & 5 days dosing. 48 subjects



XF-73 – unique no/low resistance profile



Farrell, *et al.*; Investigation of the potential for mutational resistance to XF-73, Retapamulin, Mupirocin, Fusidic acid, Daptomycin and Vancomycin in MRSA isolates during a 55-Passage study. *Antimicrobial Agents & Chemotherapy* (2011); 55; (3) 1177-1181

XF-73 is significantly de-risked

7 Phase 1 trials completed in 278 subjects

| Study Title | Sponsor | # of Subjects | Design & Results |
|----------------------|----------------------|---------------|--|
| XF-73A01 | Destiny Pharma | 23 | 1st in man, low dose (.075mg/g), 5 days dosing, safe |
| XF-73B01 | Destiny Pharma | 45 | Higher dose (.5mg/g), anti-S. aureus effect, 5 days dosing, dose response, safe |
| XF-73B02 | Destiny Pharma | 32 | Higher dose (2.0mg/g), enhanced anti-S. aureus effect , 5 days dosing, safe |
| XF-73B03* | Destiny Pharma | 60 | 2 day dosing, lower viscosity gel, hospital-like procedure, rapid anti-S. aureus nasal effect, safe |
| DMID-11-0007* | US Government Funded | 48 | 5 day dosing, lower viscosity gel, hospital-like procedure, rapid anti-S. aureus nasal effect, safe |
| XF-73B05 | Destiny Pharma | 35 | 5 day dosing, high concentrations, lack of systemic absorption, non-irritant, |
| XF-73B06 | Destiny Pharma | 35 | 21 day dosing, low viscosity gel, no adverse events, safe, well-tolerated |

**Both studies placebo controlled & XF-73 applied as an intra-nasal gel achieved statistical difference for S. aureus reduction*

Upcoming value inflection point

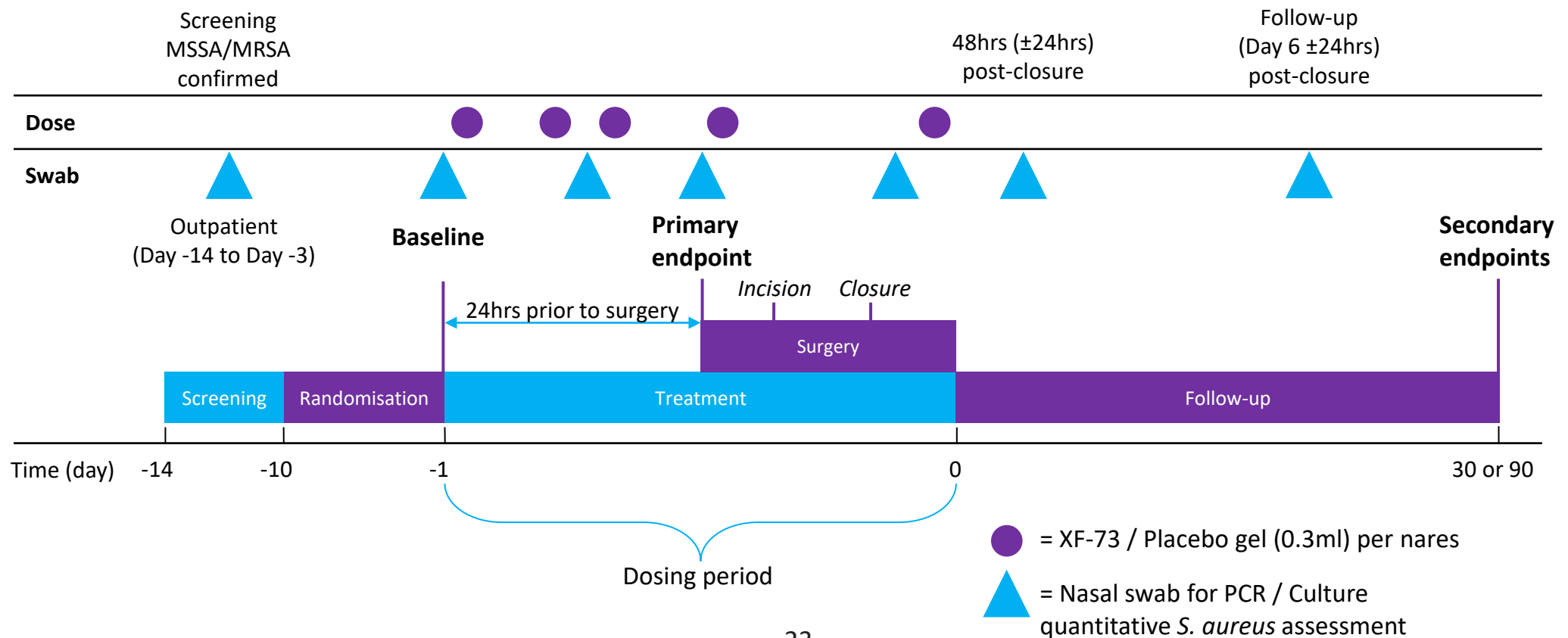
XF-73 Phase 2b clinical trial recruitment completing mid-2020

200 surgical patients
Across 22 sites and 2 countries

- 5 doses (0.3ml) over a 24 hour treatment period
- 7 swabs for *S. aureus* assessment

Primary endpoint:

To demonstrate the efficacy of a 0.2% XF-73 nasal gel in reducing the microbiological burden of nasal *S. aureus* verses placebo



XF 73 nasal US clinical development plan

| Stage | Status |
|--|--|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Phase 2b, 200 patient, microbiological efficacy trial in US/Europe Easy to use single dose applicator for Phase 3 study (photos below) Phase 3 study US registration EMA marketing authorisation application China FDA registration | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recruitment ongoing Ongoing development with Swiss contractor Discuss design with FDA in 2020/21 US / EU / International sites included Submission possible in 2023/24 Options to be discussed with regulators Strategy led by partner CMS |

Un-dispensed



Dispensed



XF-73 nasal gel product applicator:

- Easy use for self or nurse administration
- Dispenses single clinical nasal dose
- Convenient & encourages compliance
- Efficient and accurate dosing
- Minimises product wastage

XF-73 addresses pre-surgical nasal eradication

A significant, unmet clinical need

No approved drug in US market – current practice:

- Either, no treatment (despite “best practice” recommending decolonisation)
- Or, pre-surgical use of the old GSK nasal antibiotic, mupirocin, as unapproved drug

Significant unmet medical need:

- Widespread and prolonged use of mupirocin leads to rapid emergence of *S. aureus* mupirocin resistance and some hospitals have halted mupirocin use

XF-73 addresses this unmet clinical need

- Hospitals incentivised to prevent post-surgical infections & reimbursement simplified

“The use of an effective agent, should be the incentive since it would lower [the cost of] post-operative infections”

- Medical Director, California hospital

CMS partnership highlights rest of world strategy



Signed China regional deal with China Medical Systems

- CMS – specialty pharma company based in China, focused on marketing, promotion and sales of prescription drugs and other medicinal products to hospitals nation-wide; 2018 sales of >\$800m
- CMS have regional rights to all XF platform drugs and potential for Destiny Pharma to receive manufacturing margin and sales related milestones
- CMS fund China-related research and development

EU/US/RoW strategy to capitalise on commercial opportunities, including partnering and licensing

- XF-73 nasal
 - US priority – clinical studies most advanced under IND
 - Post-surgical infection is a global issue
- XF platform
 - Opportunity for earlier XF projects to be partnered as data packages develop