RCT/Guselkumab/CD/Maintenance

Phase 2, multicenter, double blind, placebo controlled trial. Adult patients with mod-severe CD were randomized to IV induction phase (0,4,8) with subcut maintenance at week 12:

- Guselkumab (GUS) 200 IV→100mg SC
- GUS 600 IV → 200mg SC
- GUS 1200 IV → 200mg SC
- Ustekinumab (UST) 6mg/kg week 0→ 90mg SC q8w
- Placebo induction and for maintenance responders remained on placebo and non-responders were given ustekinumab

Primary endpoint: CDAI remission (<150) at week 48

Results: N=309

- At week 48, DAI remission was 64% GUS200-100, 73% GUS600-200, 57% GUS 1200-200, 59% UST
- CDAI remission w12 in placebo was 15/61 (24.6%) and continued on placebo, of these 9/15 (60%) were in clinical remission at w48with the rest starting UST, of these 59% were in clinical remission at w48.

Conclusion:

Patients receiving guselkumab intravenous induction and subcut maintenance treatment achieved high rates of clinical and endoscopic efficacy up to week 48. No new safety concerns were identified.

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