

# **IMLIFIDASE: ‘CHEMISCHE PLASMAFERESE’ BINNEN DE NEFROLOGIE**

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# imlifidase (Idefirix®)

EMA conditional approval:

desensibilisatie voor overleden donor niertransplantatie

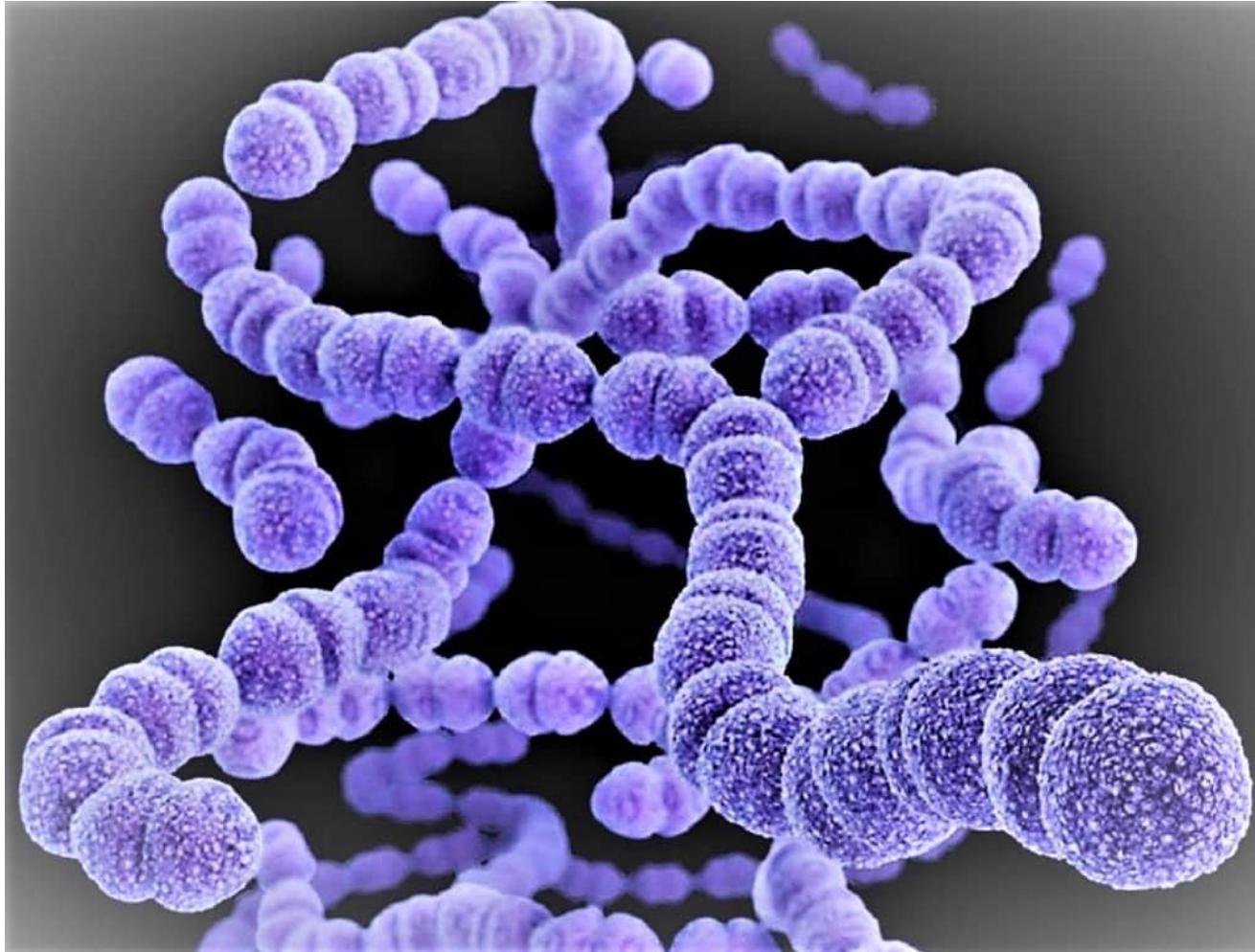
FDA: desensibilisatie RCT

studies:

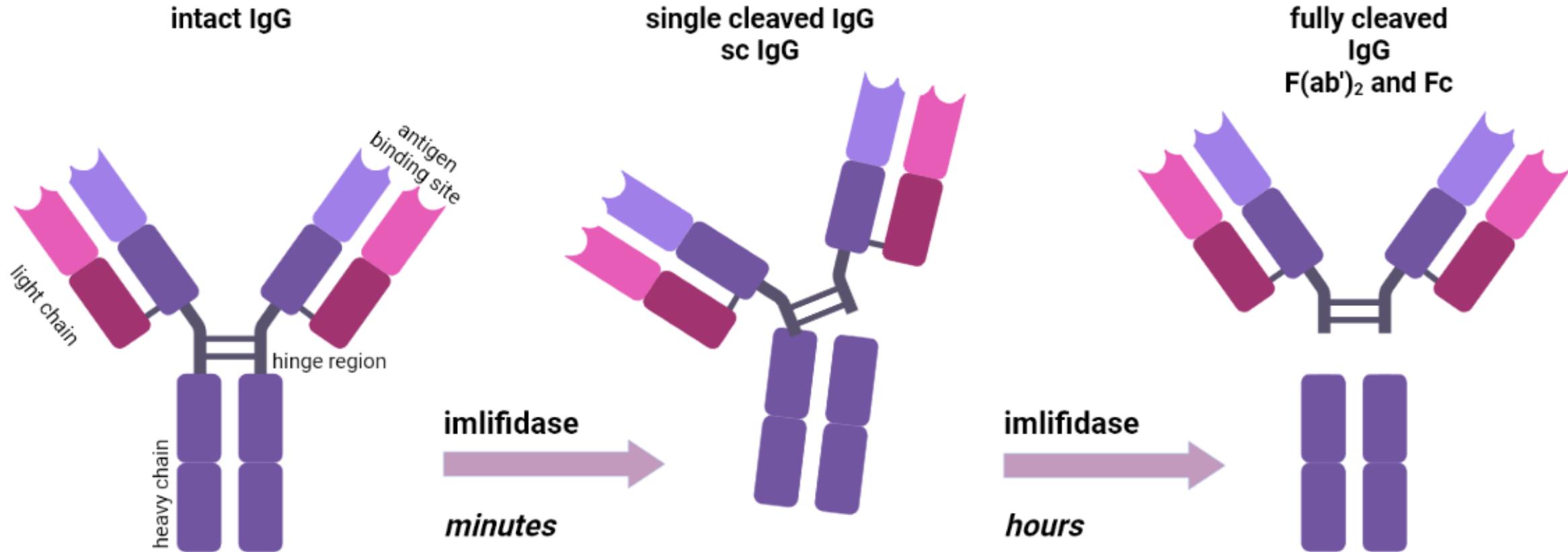
anti-GBM

ANCA-vasculitis

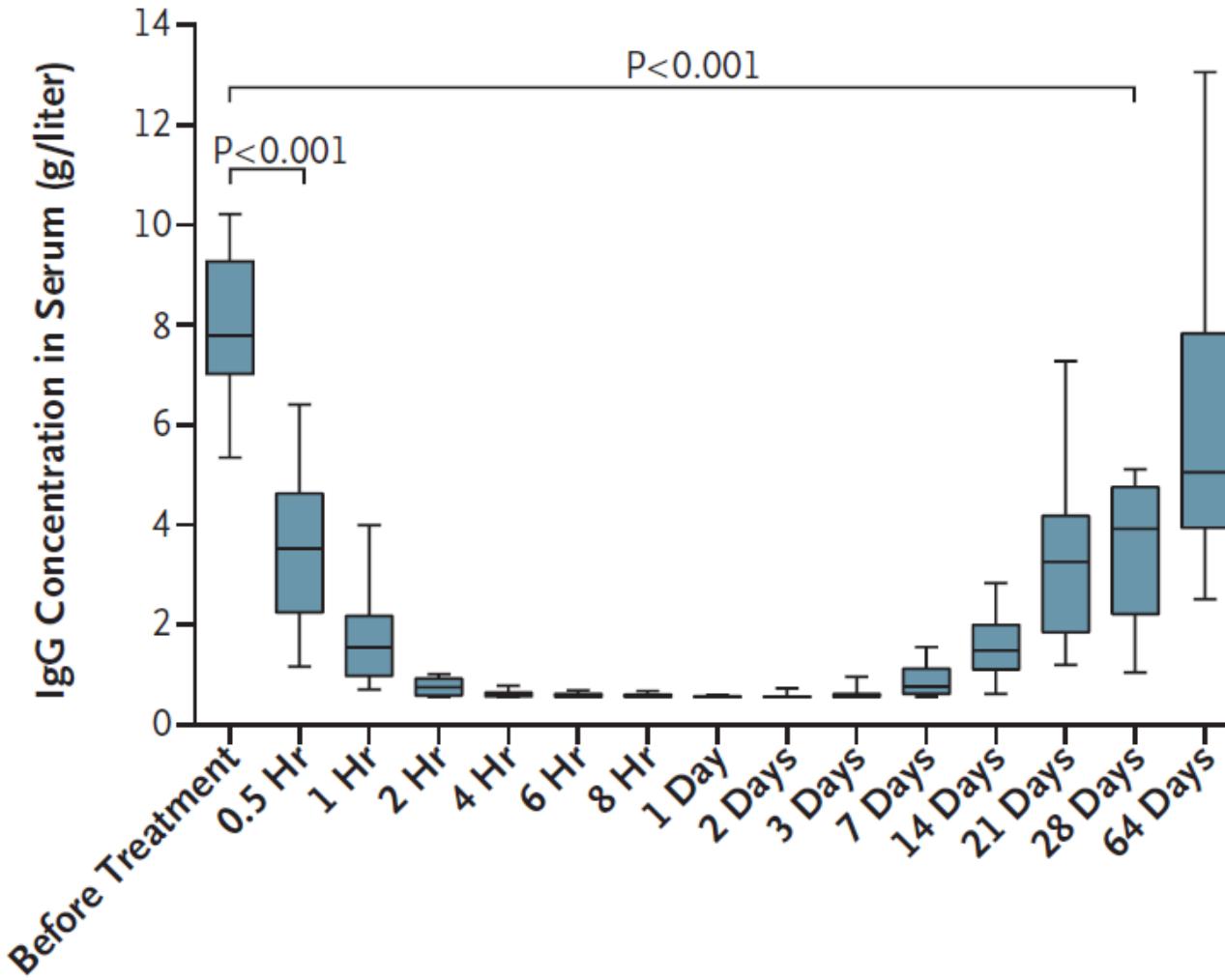
# IdeS, 35 kDa cysteine protease



# Imlifidase klieft (4 subclasses) IgG



# IgG na 1-2 weken terug, 1-2 maanden richting uitgangsniveau



Jordan et al., NEJM 2017.

# “Chemische plasmaferese”



Geen complement en geen IgM

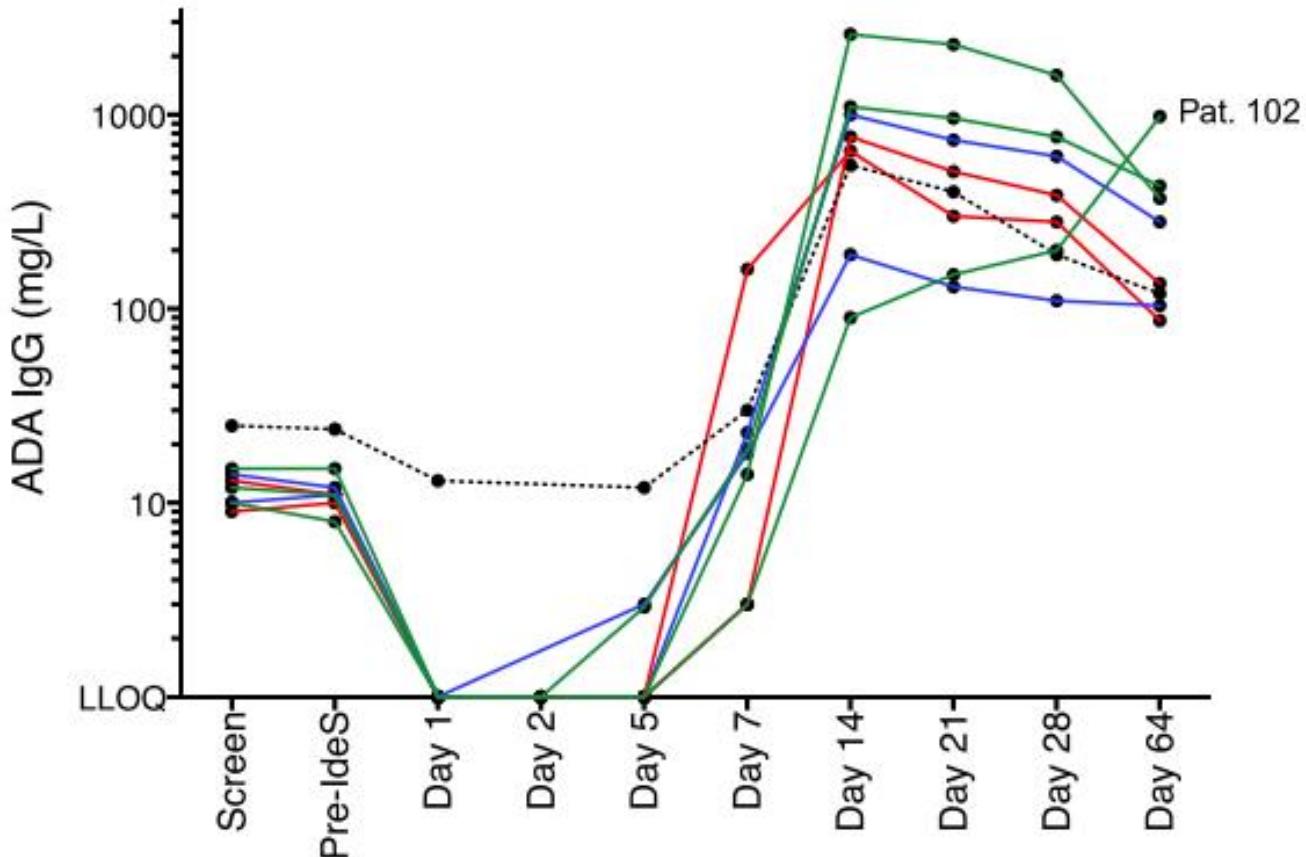


Extravasculair IgG  
IgG gebonden aan B-cel receptor



Snel  
Herhaalde toediening?

# “van nature” anti-drug antibodies



Winstedt et al, PLoS One 2015; Lorant et al., AJT 2018.

# Pre-klinische studies

mus en rat IgG slechts gedeeltelijk gekliefd,  
mens en konijn IgG wel geheel gekliefd

Diermodel:

ITP, Guillan-Barré, neuromyelitis optica, anti-GBM

# **First-in human studies**

proteïnurie na 24-48 u door eliminatie Fc fragments

terugkeer vaccinatie – IgG DKTP en *Haemophilus influenza* ≈ IgG pool  
eliminatie gemiddeld 89 uur

Safety:

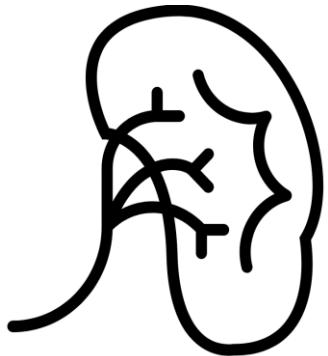
20% vrijwilligers ADA buiten arbitraire range → geëxcludeerd

1/20 infusie reactie (geen IgE)

luchtweginfecties

# ***Proof of concept studies***

TTP by ADAMTS13-antibodies:  
n=2 serum sickness



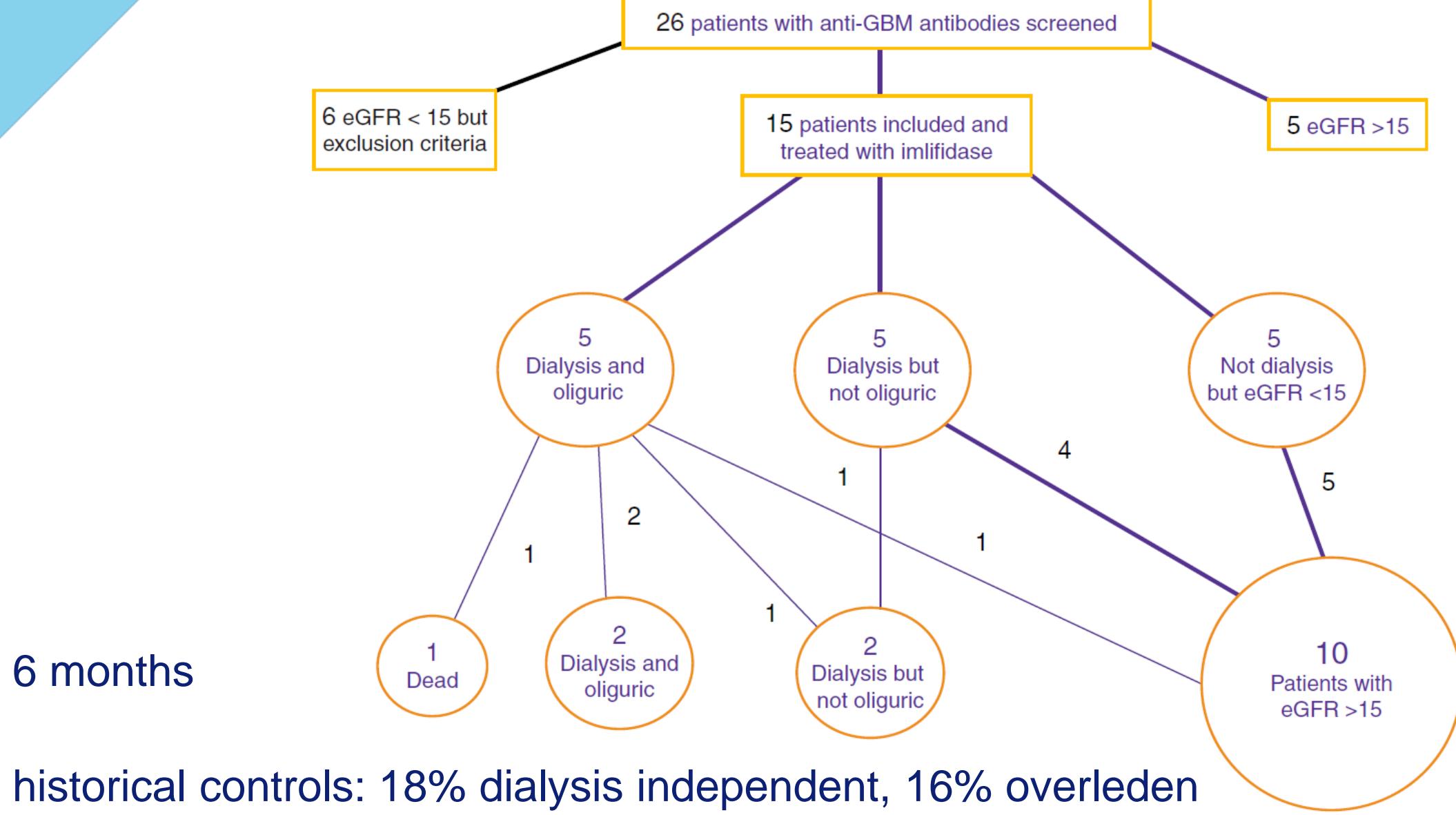
ANCA vasculitis, PR3-GPA  
(ECMO, rituximab, cyclofosfamide, plasmapheresis)  
n=1

anti-GBM, open-label phase 2A  
n=15

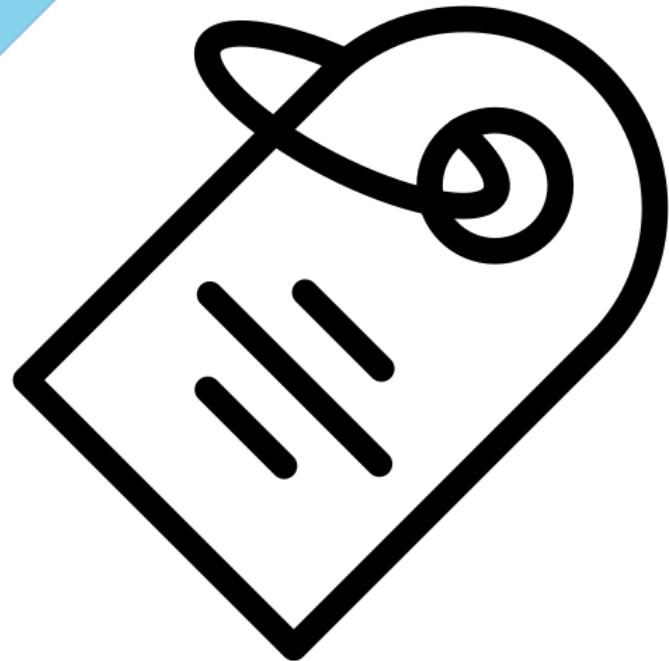
# n=15 vergeleken met historische controles



Characteristics	Men	Women	All	Historical Controls
Number, n (%)	9 (60)	6 (40)	15 (100)	50 (100)
Country: France/Sweden/Denmark Austria/Czech Republic, n	3/1/2/1/1	2/3/1/0/0	5/4/3/2/1	NA
Age years median (range)	60 (19–77)	66 (32–71)	61 (19–77)	63 (16–88)
ANCA MPO/PR3/none, n (%)	3/2/5 (33/22/56)	1/0/4 (17/0/67)	4/2/9 (27/13/60)	15 <sup>a</sup> /7 <sup>a</sup> /29 (30/14/58)
ANA positive, n (%)	3 (33%)	0	3 (20%)	NA
Renal function oliguria/dialysis/no dialysis, n (%)	4/4/1 (44/44/11)	1/1/4 (17/17/67)	5/5/5 (33/33/33)	41 <sup>b</sup> /9 (82/18)
Pulmonary disease AH/other/none, n (%) <sup>b</sup>	1/2/6 (11/22/67)	1/2/3 (17/33/50)	2/4/9 (13/27/60)	21/NA/NA (42/NA/NA)
Smoking current/previous/never, n (%)	2/7/0 (22/78/0)	0/3/3 (0/50/50)	2/10/3 (13/67/20)	NA
Urinary albumin-creatinine, mg/g median (range) Reference range <27 mg/g <sup>c</sup>	2230 (434–30,531)	1932 (195–3540)	1982 (195–30,531)	NA
CRP mg/L median (range) Reference range <0.3 mg/dL <sup>c</sup>	3.4 (<0.07–5.2)	1.2 (<0.07–8.9)	3.2 (<0.07–8.9)	NA
Hb g/dL median (range) <sup>c</sup>	8.4 (6.9–11.1)	9.3 (7.3–11.5)	8.8 (6.9–11.5)	NA
Platelets 10 <sup>9</sup> /L median (range) <sup>c</sup>	318 (131–505)	320 (201–384)	320 (131–505)	NA
Berden class crescentic/mixed/sclerotic/focal, n (%)	6/2/0/0 (75/25/0/0)	3/2/1/0 (50/33/17/0)	9/4/1/0 (65/29/7/0)	25/3/1/0 (86/10/3/0)
Normal glomeruli, % median (range)	11% (0–29)	9% (0–35)	9.5% (0–35)	6.5% (0–43)
Linear staining for IgG, n/n (%)	5/8 (62)	6/6 (100)	11/14 (79)	27/29 (93)

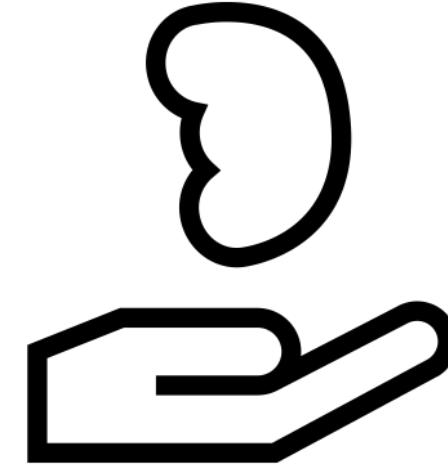


historical controls: 18% dialysis independent, 16% overleden



Desensibilisatie  
voor  
niertransplantatie  
bij  
**hoog-geïmmuniseerden**  
met een  
positieve kruisproef  
tegen een  
overleden donor  
met  
**weinig kansen in huidige allocatieprogramma's**

# Desensibilisatie studies



n=46 (2014-2017)

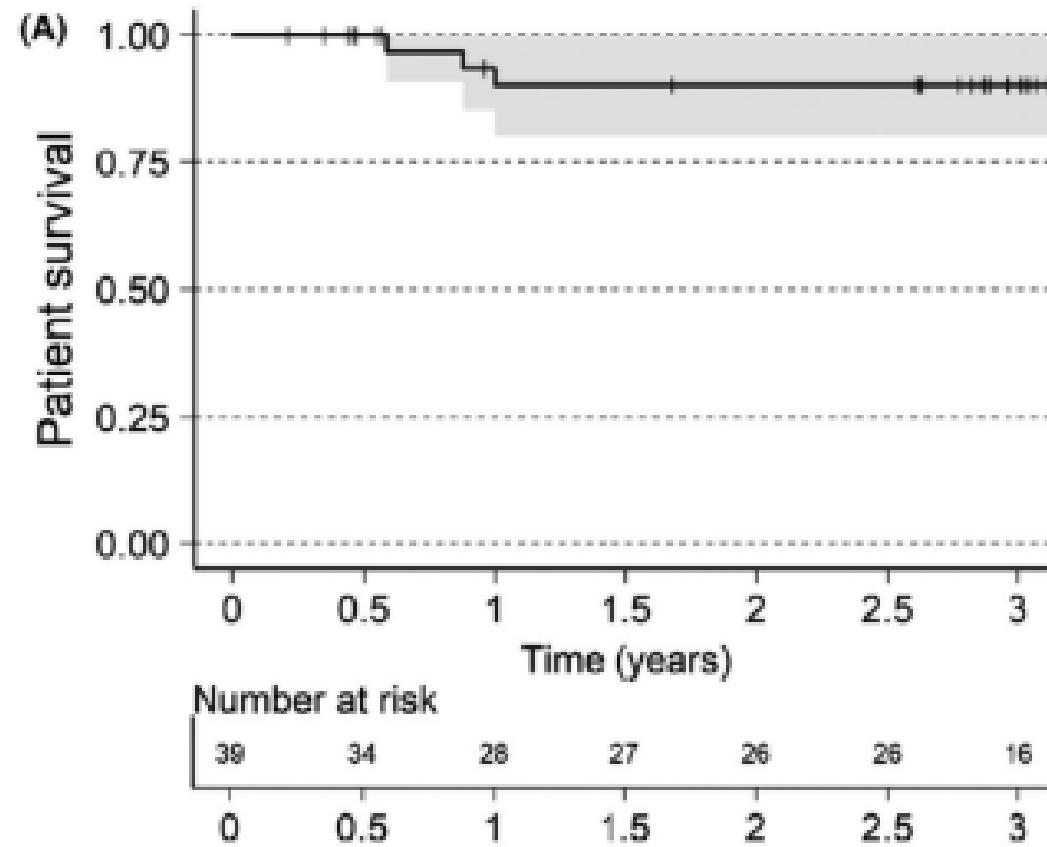
3-year follow-up: n=39 FACS+ crossmatch

gemiddeld 43 jr, PRA 99,6%, 6.4 jaar dialyse

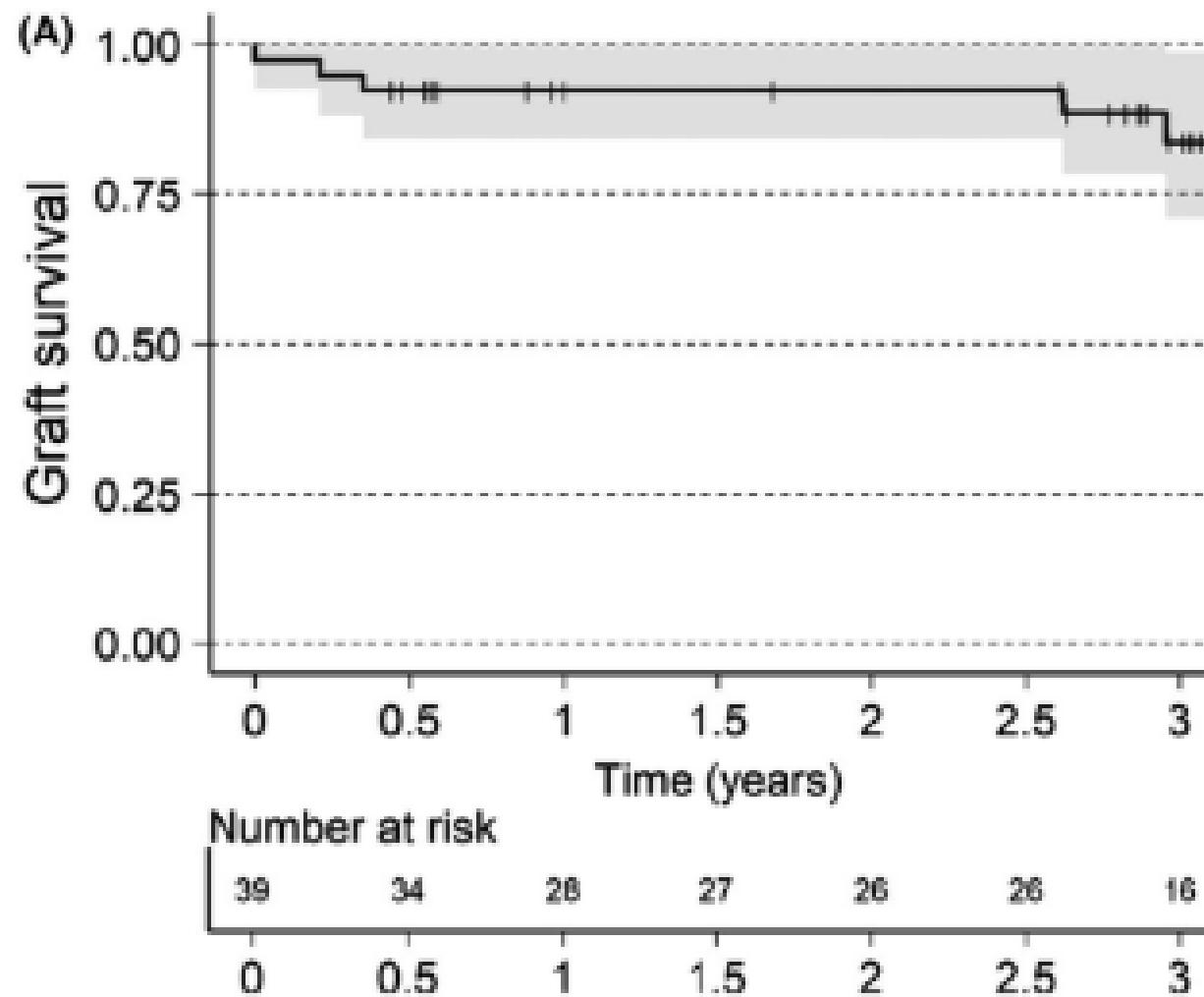
82% overleden donor, 69% retransplantaties

immunodominante DSA MFI 7791 (median, OneLambda)

# patient overleving 90% na 3 jaar



# transplantaat overleving 84% na 3 jaar



# **ABMR 38%**

ABMR+: iDSA MFI 13.009

ABMR -: iDSA MFI 5727

Rebound na +/– 2 weken max 80% van pre-imlifidase levels

“.....immunodominant DSA pre-Imlifidase was more often of class II,  
with higher initial levels and higher rebound in general than class I.....”

# maart 2022 in NL mw H. getransplanteerd

vrouw, 29 jaar  
congenitaal nefrotisch syndroom  
bg A, vPRA 100%  
niertransplantaties 1999 en 2007  
AM 2018  
HU: vascular access

**Anti-HLA antistoffen: Memory ++, current SAB +/−**

# Wegstrepes: delisting unacceptables

HLA-A locus																										
	A1	A2	A3	A9		2403	A10				A11	A19						A28		A36	A43	A80				
typ zelf	Z			23	24		25	26	34	66		29	30	31	32	33	74	68	69							
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LSA cur	1k						2k	2k	1k	1k		2k							1k	2k	1k					
LSA his	5k				7k		7k	6k	5k	6k	9k		6k	1k	2k	6k			4k	6k	4k					
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HLA-B locus																										
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LSA his 17			3k	3k		1k			2k	1k			1k			1k	3k		3k							
AM		4k	12k	12k	3k	8k			5k	9k			7k			5k			13k	6k						
UNAC		AM									AM	AM						AM								
Imli-AM		ja	UNAC	UNAC	ja	ja		ja	ja			ja				ja	ja		UNAC	ja						

zafing

AM donor frequentie 0.000% Delisting → ETKAS 3.95%

# NIERAANBOD

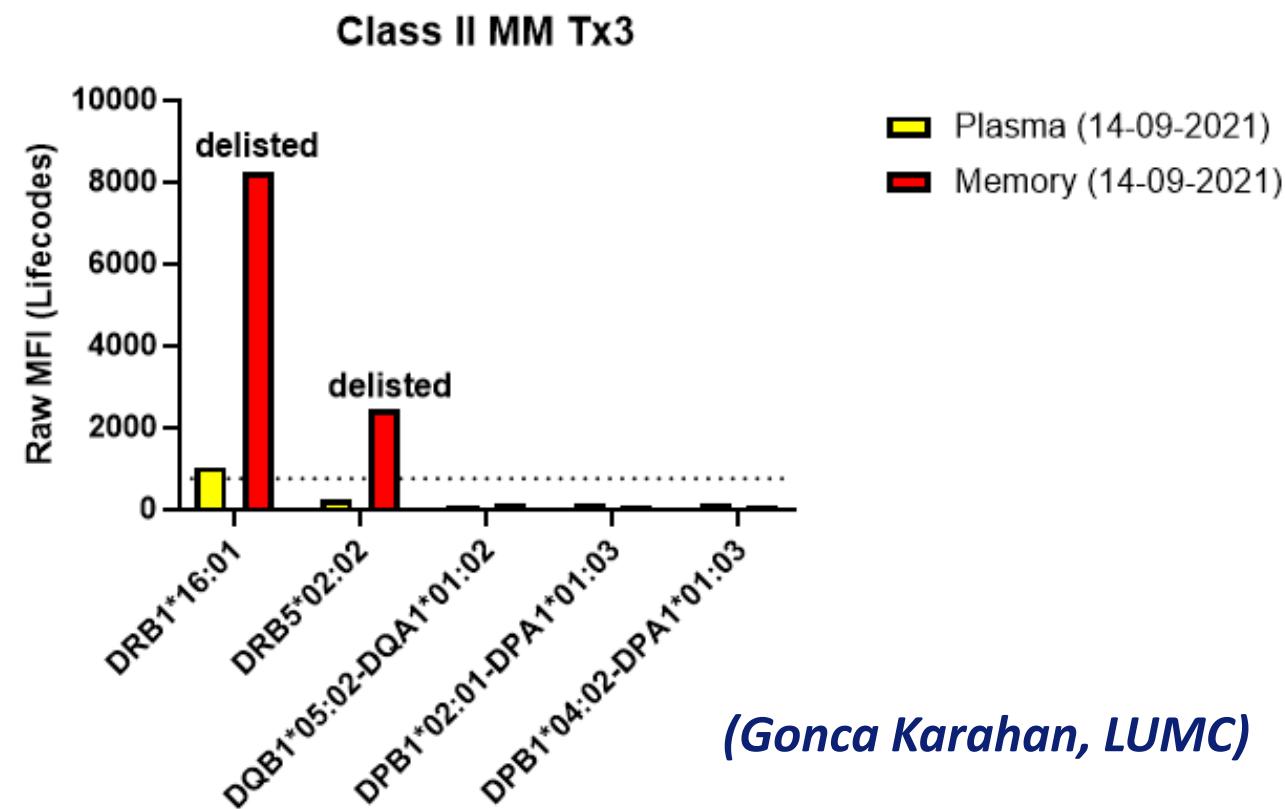
High urgency

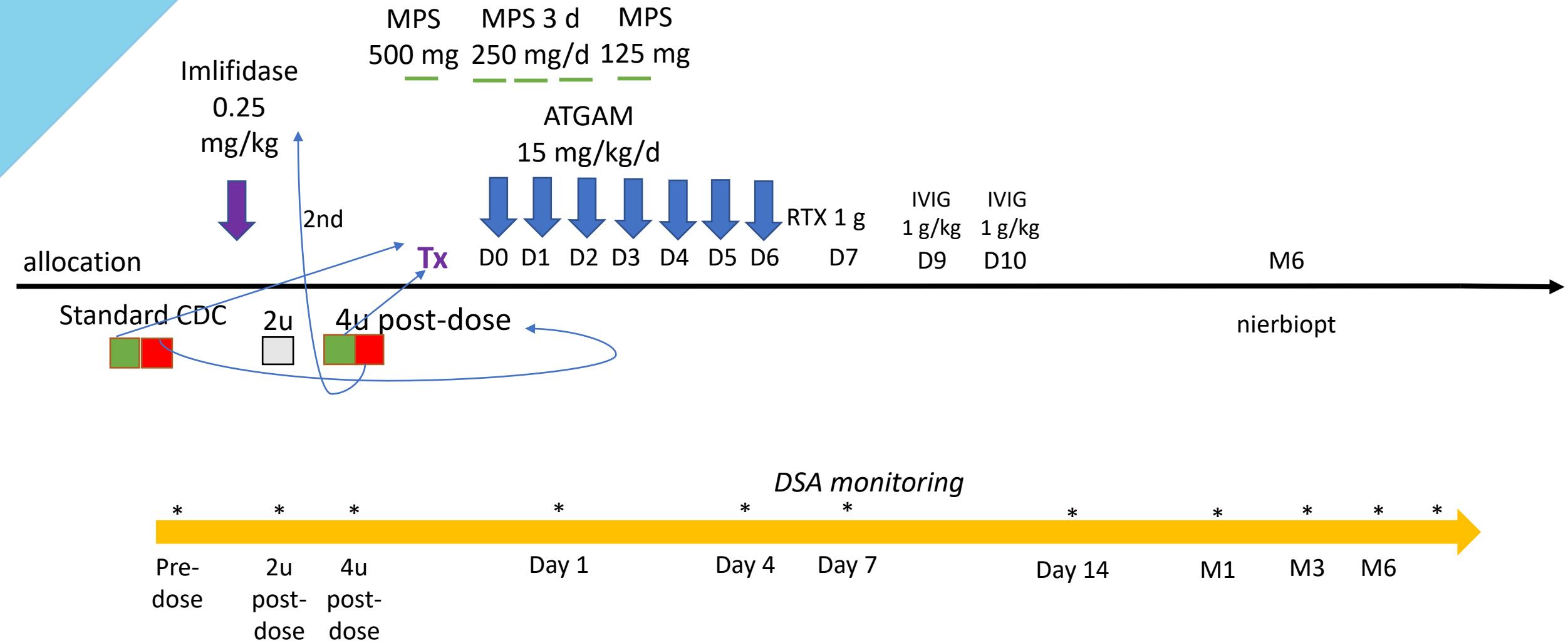
DBD

Mismatch A68, B44, B39, Cw12, **DR16, DR51, DQ5**

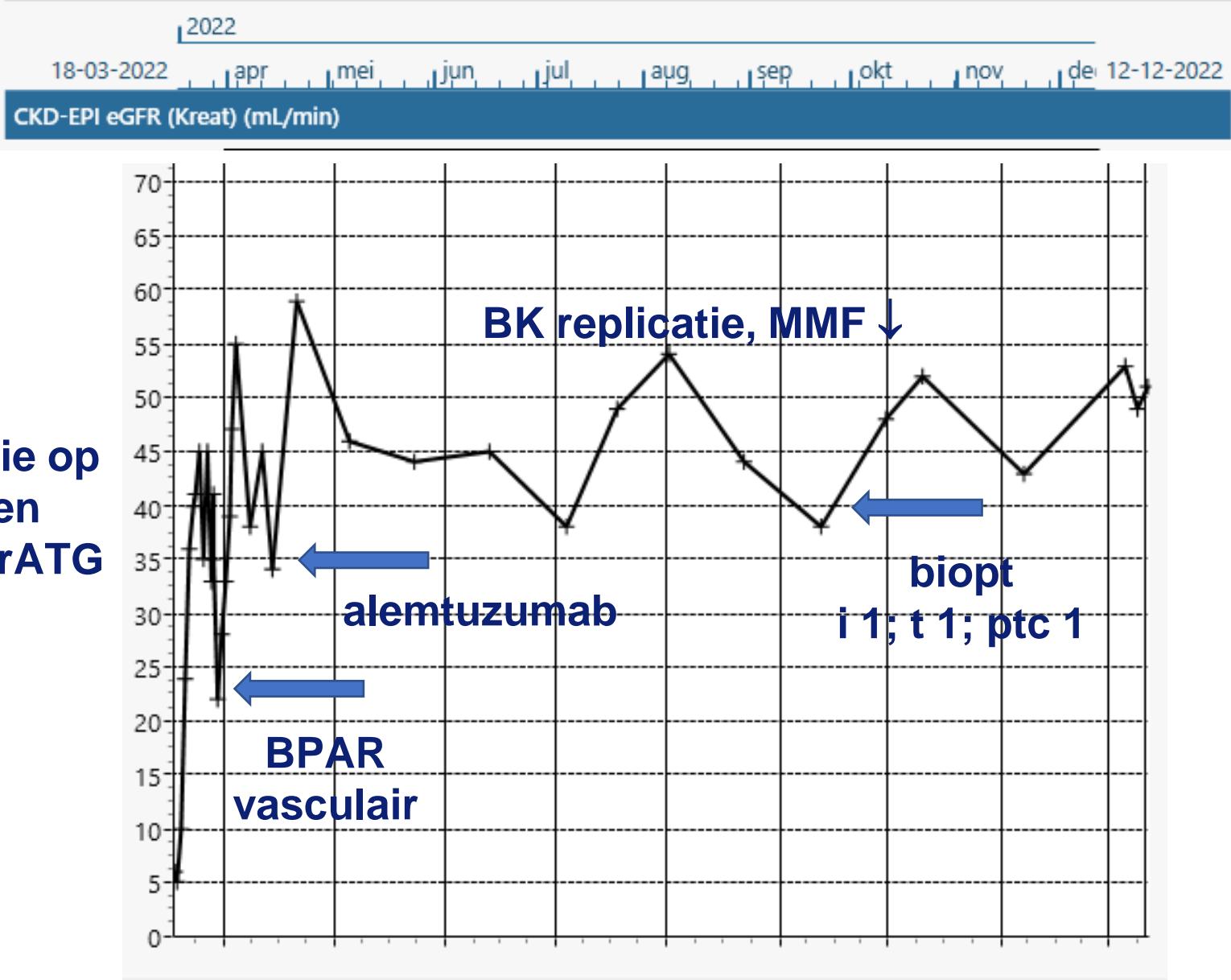
*Virtual crossmatch +*

	DR16	DR51
current	2.5k	2k
historisch	11k	5k



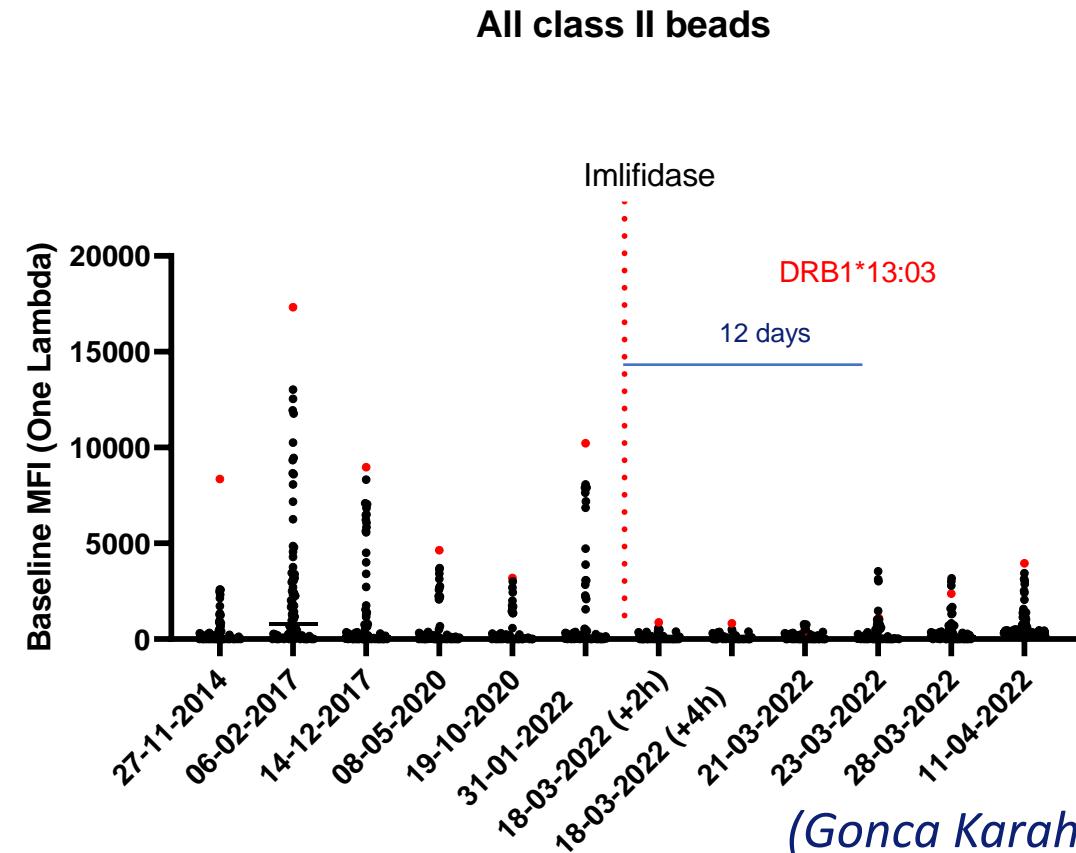
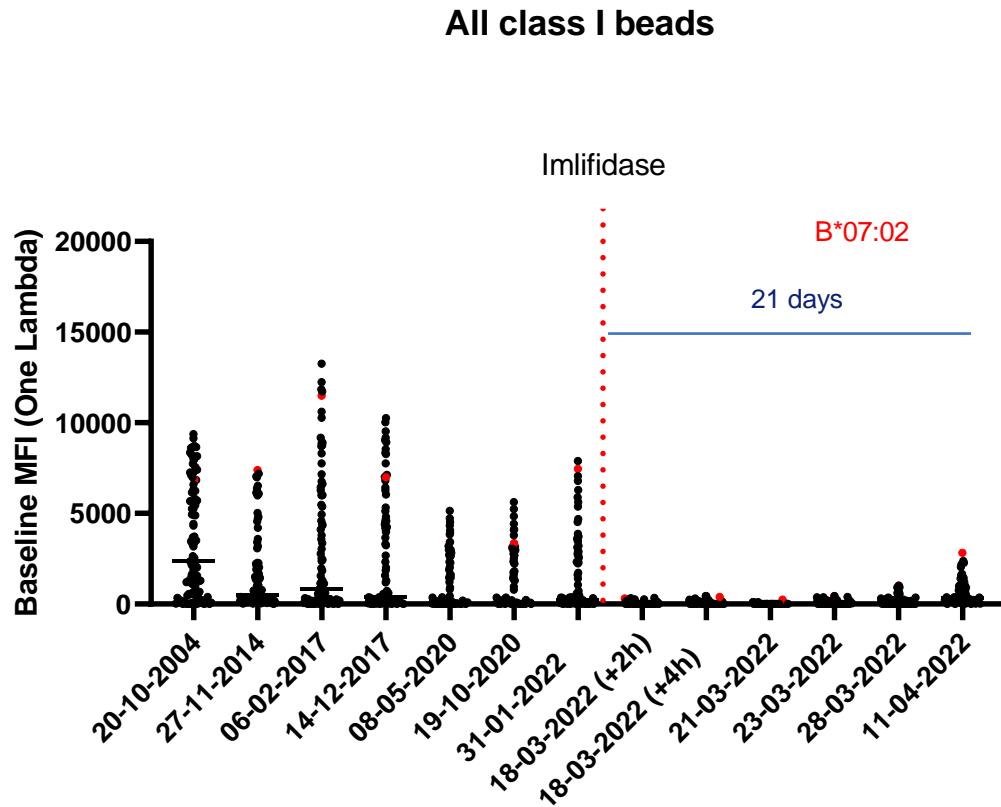


geen  
depletie op  
paarden  
ATG }rATG



# Anti-HLA antistoffen One Lambda Luminex SAB

HLA class II eerder rebound dan class I



(Gonca Karahan, LUMC)

# COMMISSIE IMLIFIDASE

## add-on



potentiële kandidaten?

vPRA  $\geq 85\%$  (99-100) en  $\geq 2j$  AM

streef naar  
FACS+/CDC- kruisproef

'delist' strategie

$\approx$  PAES

protocol

# TIMING IMLIFIDASE



uitslagen kruisproeven ↔ koude ischemie tijd

zekerheid dat donatieprocedure doorgaat?

wanneer komt donoraanbod na delisten?

# **ALLOCATIE reguliere programma, buiten AM**

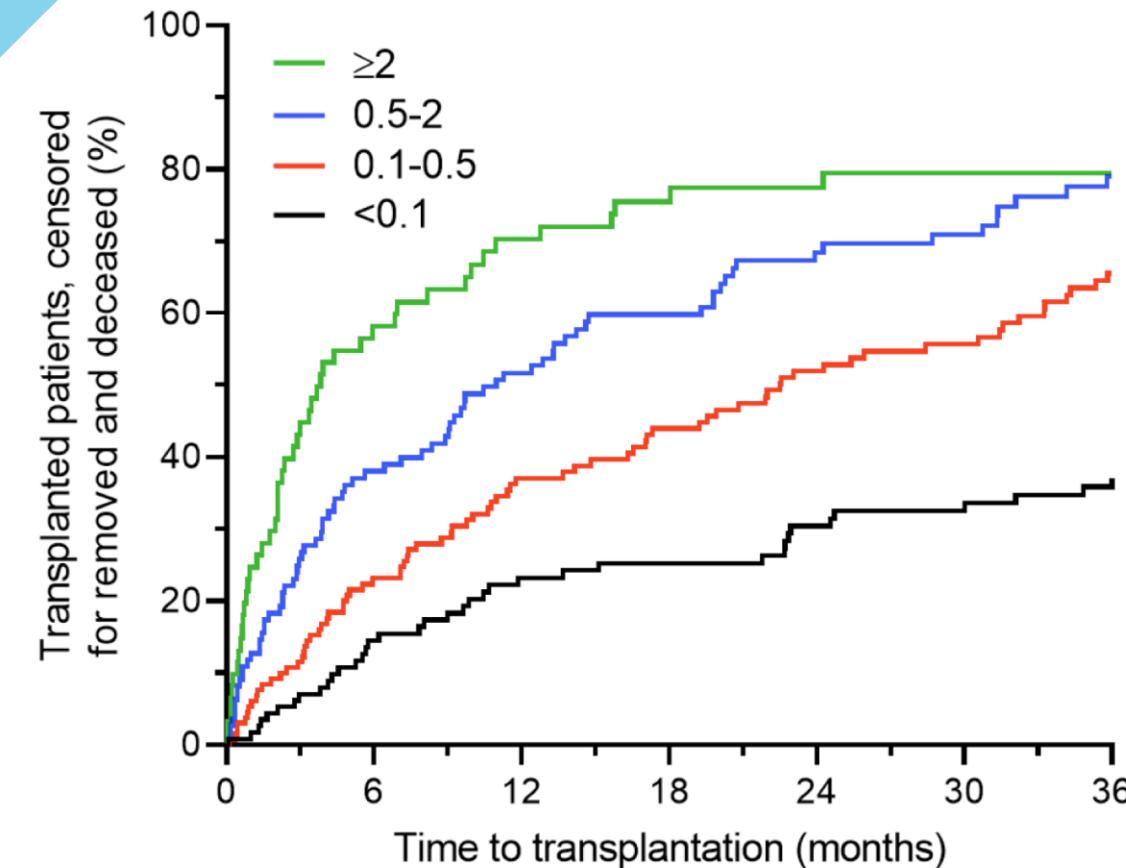
Nabije toekomst:

2de allocatie laag AM

Eurotransplant donoraanbod:

1. AM
2. Langwachtende AMers met Imflifidase delisted unacceptables
3. ETKAS HLA MM 0-0-0
4. ETKAS

# BEHOUD 'PRIORITY ALLOCATION' vooral AMers met extreme lage donorfrequentie zullen profiteren



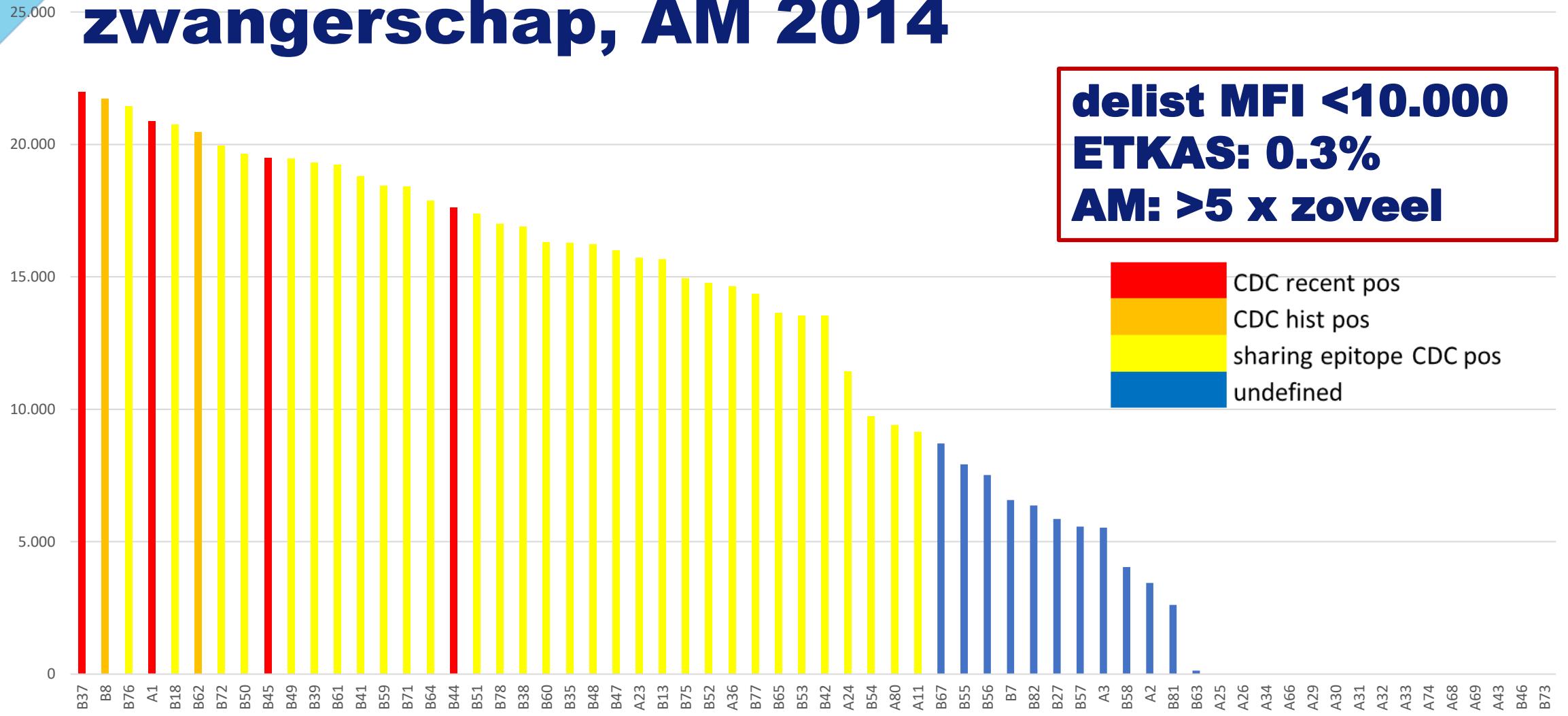
Donor  
frequency  
 $<0.1\%$

Heidt S, et al. Front Immunol. 2021

# at risk	12	6	3	1	0	0	0
$\geq 2.0$	61	25	17	13	11	10	9
0.5-2.0	110	66	49	39	27	23	15
0.1-0.5	131	98	75	65	53	46	34
<0.1	115	91	78	73	67	62	54



# vrouw 30j, bg B, vPRA 100%, zwangerschap, AM 2014



# IMLIFIDASE pijplijn



niertransplantatie:

- desensibilisatie:

PAES (EMA) n=50

RCT (FDA) ConfldeS n=64

NCT05049850 Belatacept en bortezomib voor Imlifidase

- ABMR n=30

Guillan-Barré

anti-GBM?

# IMLIFIDASE ? ?

Transplanteren “immunologisch niet-te transplanteren patiënten”

donoraanbod door delisten ⇔ rebound



“Delisten unacceptables die zonder desensibilisatie een te immunologisch groot risico *lijken te vormen.....*”

# IMLIFIDASE



Hoge prijs

Uniek werkingsmechanisme voor IgG-gemedieerde aandoeningen,  
maar deze zijn meestal geen aan/uit fenomeen (anti-GBM?)

Verankering recombinant IdeS aan ‘target’ cellen

*next-level* interactie nefrologen en immunologen  
Harmonisatie immunologisch beleid

# VRAGEN?

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