

TX45 Phase 1b (Part B) PH-HFrEF Data Release Single Dose Hemodynamic Trial

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Positive Results in TX45 Single Dose Study in PH-HFrEF Patients

Trial Goal

- Assess safety and tolerability of TX45 in patients with PH-HFrEF
- Observe trends in hemodynamic effects similar to Phase 1b (Part A) PH-HFpEF study (Topline data reported January 2025)

Results

- TX45 was observed to be well tolerated
- Improvements in left ventricular function and pulmonary hemodynamics in PH-HFrEF were consistent with effects demonstrated in PH-HFpEF

Outlook

- Phase 1b Part B data support further clinical investigation of TX45 in PH-HFrEF, pending data in APEX Phase 2, expanding potential market opportunity
- Ongoing APEX Phase 2 trial is evaluating chronic treatment in ~180 PH-HFpEF patients
 - Study enriched for CpcPH ($PVR \geq 3$), primary endpoint is in this patient population

PH-HFrEF = pulmonary hypertension, heart failure with reduced ejection fraction
PH-HFpEF = pulmonary hypertension, heart failure with preserved ejection fraction
PVR = pulmonary vascular resistance
CpcPH = combined post- and pre-capillary pulmonary hypertension

Rationale for Exploring TX45 in PH-HFrEF, Enriched for CpcPH

(Combined post- and pre-Capillary Pulmonary Hypertension)

Mechanism Appears Ideal to Address Disease Pathology

- Pulmonary and systemic vasodilator resulting in decreased right ventricle (RV) and left ventricle (LV) afterload
- Cardiac relaxation during diastole to improve LV filling
- Anti-fibrotic and reverse remodeling effects on pulmonary vasculature and LV

Clinically Demonstrated Effects on Hemodynamics and Echo¹

- Phase 1b Part A in PH-HFpEF
 - Improvement in PCWP, PVR, mPAP, CO, and TPR
 - Echocardiographic improvements at Day 29

Unmet Need

- Like PH-HFpEF, PH-HFrEF patients have worse exercise capacity and mortality compared with those without PH, especially patients with CpcPH (PVR \geq 3)
- No approved therapeutic options exist to treat PH-HFrEF

Potential Market Expansion

- PH-HFrEF in the U.S. is ~1.1M with ~300K CpcPH (PVR \geq 3)²

1. Data shared in January 2025 and echo data in May 2025

2. Estimates based on company sponsored market analysis conducted by Health Advances

PCWP = Pulmonary Capillary Wedge Pressure

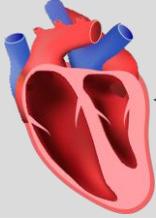
PVR = Pulmonary Vascular Resistance

mPAP = mean Pulm. Artery Pressure

CO = Cardiac Output

TPR = Total pulmonary resistance

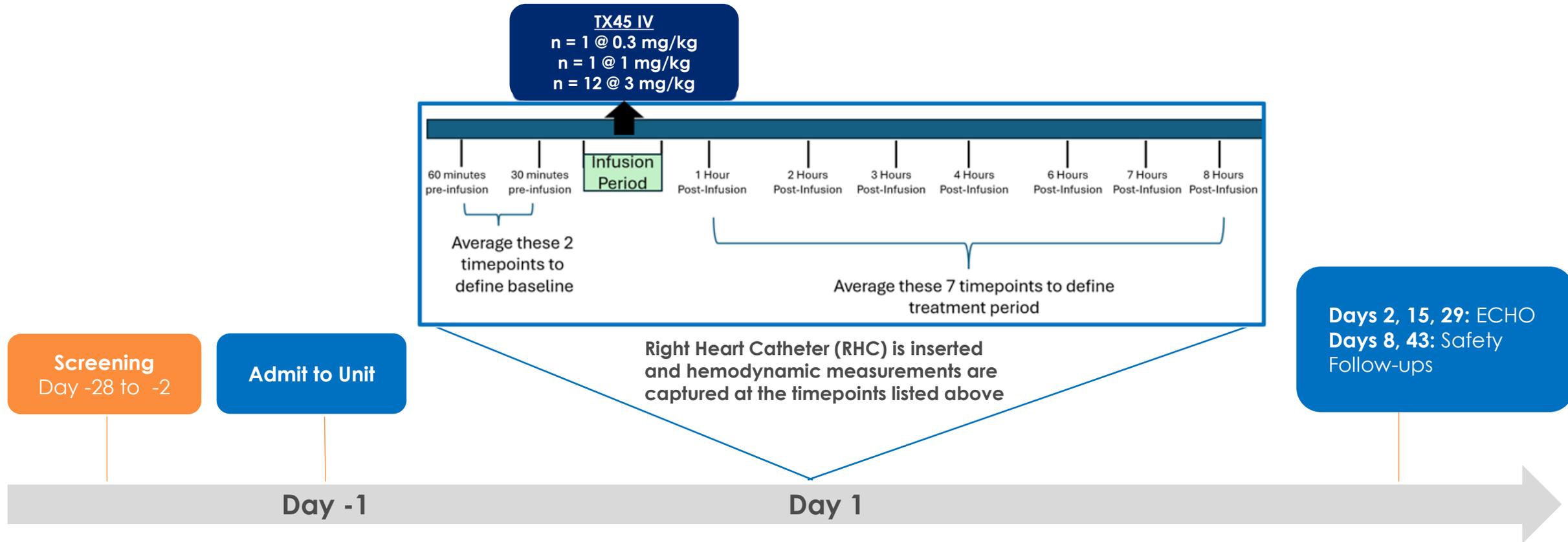
Different LV Pathology but Similar Pulmonary Vascular and RV Consequences

 <p>Normal heart</p>	 <p>Weakened heart muscle</p>	 <p>Thickened, less distensible heart muscle</p>
Characteristics	HFrEF (Heart Failure with Reduced Ejection Fraction)	HFpEF (Heart Failure with Preserved Ejection Fraction)
Ejection Fraction %	$\leq 40\%$	$> 40\%^*$
Common Causes	Myocardial infarction, cardiomyopathy	Hypertension, aging, diabetes, obesity
Left Ventricle State	Dilated, weak  pumping impairment during systole, sensitive to SVR	Less distensible, normal-sized or concentric hypertrophy  filling impairment in diastole
Driver of PH, RV failure	Elevated left heart filling pressures can lead to PH and RV failure	
Hemodynamic Changes	Increases in PCWP, mPAP, PVR; Decrease in CO	

* Current definition of HFrEF is 41% to 49% EF and HFpEF is EF $\geq 50\%$

Phase 1b (Part B) Trial Design

A Single Dose, Open-Label, Acute Hemodynamic Trial in PH-HFrEF (n = 14)



- Hemodynamic data was prespecified to be pooled across all doses. After IV administration, all dose levels result in exposures which are in the predicted efficacious range during the 8-hour assessment period (i.e., above trough exposure of 2 ug/ml)
- Pure intention to treat (ITT) analysis performed: all data points included in the analysis

Key Hemodynamic Measures

Goal: Treatment for PH due to heart failure needs to **both** increase LV function and improve pulmonary vascular and right ventricular component of the disease

Hemodynamic	Definition	Significance
PCWP (Pulmonary Capillary Wedge Pressure)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Measure of left atrial pressure 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Key marker of left ventricular (LV) function
PVR (Pulmonary Vascular Resistance)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Measure of resistance to blood flow in pulmonary vessels • $PVR = (mPAP - PCWP) / CO$ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health of the pulmonary vessels
SVR (Systemic Vascular Resistance)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Measure of resistance to blood flow through the entire systemic circulation • $SVR = (mAP - CVP) / CO$ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Critical indicator of cardiovascular health
TPR (Total Pulmonary Resistance)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Measure of right ventricular afterload • $TPR = mPAP / CO$ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Key marker of resistance, how hard must the right ventricle (RV) work
CO (Cardiac Output)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Amount of blood heart pumps (volume/time) • $CO = \text{heart rate} \times \text{stroke volume}$ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How well is the heart working (both RV and LV)
SV (Stroke Volume)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Amount of blood ejected from ventricle per beat 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Effectiveness of the heart at pumping blood (both RV and LV)

Note: mPAP = mean Pulmonary Artery Pressure = average pressure required to pump blood through the lungs, mAP = mean Arterial Pressure, CO = Cardiac Output, CVP = central venous pressure

Baseline Characteristics and Concomitant Medications Consistent with HFrEF Population; Enriched for CpcPH

Baseline Characteristics	All Subjects
Age [mean (SD)]	66.9 (7.9)
Females [n (%)]	7 (50%)
LVEF (%); [mean (SD)]*	34.1 (6.6)
NT-proBNP (pg/mL); [mean (SD)]	3188 (2217)
BMI [mean (SD)]	30.1 (5.3)
Creatinine (uMol/L); [mean (SD)]**	98.6 (23.6)
Comorbidities:	
Hypertension [n (%)]	14 (100%)
Atrial fibrillation [n (%)]	10 (71.4%)
Diabetes mellitus [n (%)]	2 (14.3%)
Coronary artery disease [n (%)]	10 (71.4%)
NYHA Class [n (%]):	
NYHA Class II	6 (42.9%)
NYHA Class III	8 (57.1%)

PVR < 2WU	2 WU ≤ PVR < 3WU	PVR ≥ 3 WU
n = 2	n = 5	n = 7

Key Concomitant Medications	All Subjects
ACEi/ARB/ARNi [n (%)]	14 (100%)
MRA [n (%)]	10 (71.4%)
SGLT2i [n (%)]	9 (64.3%)
Loop Diuretic [n (%)]	12 (85.7%)
Beta-blocker [n (%)]	11 (78.6%)
Digoxin [n (%)]	6 (42.9%)

* Left Ventricular Ejection Fraction

** Creatinine normal range (uMol/L): Males: 61.9-114.9 / Females: 53.0 to 97.2

Baseline Hemodynamics are Consistent with PH-HFrEF

Parameter	All Patients Baseline Value Mean (SD)	Generally Accepted Normal Ranges (At Rest)
Systolic Blood Pressure (mm Hg)	136 (14.1)	90-120
Diastolic Blood Pressure (mm Hg)	78 (11.3)	60-80
Pulmonary Capillary Wedge Pressure (mm Hg)	21.1 (5.2)	4-12
Pulmonary Vascular Resistance (Wood Units)	3.26 (1.46)	<2
Cardiac Output (L/min)	4.23 (1.53)	4-8
Stroke Volume (mL)	62.9 (23.9)	60-100
Total Pulmonary Resistance (Wood Units)	8.94 (3.31)	<3
Mean Pulmonary Artery Pressure (mm Hg)	34.1 (6.8)	12-16
Systemic Vascular Resistance (Wood Units)	22.4 (6.5)	10-15
Right Atrial Pressure (mm Hg)	10.3 (3.6)	2-8

TX45 was Well-Tolerated in PH-HFrEF After a Single Dose

- No serious or severe adverse events, discontinuations, infusion related reactions or drug related adverse events
- All TEAEs were mild/moderate and self-limited
- There were no clinically significant changes in vital signs, ECG or safety laboratory values
 - Transient asymptomatic drop of sBP (5-10 mm Hg) on day 1
- No signs or symptoms of congestion
- No TEAE of fatigue

Treatment-emergent adverse events (TEAE)				
Preferred Term	0.3 mg/kg (n = 1)	1 mg/kg (n = 1)	3 mg/kg (n = 12)	Total (n = 14)
Procedural back pain*	1	-	5	6 (42.9%)

* TEAE of procedural back pain due to Right Heart Catheterization

TX45 Improved Left Heart Function and Pulmonary Hemodynamics in PH-HFrEF Patients

Hemodynamic Endpoints	CFB* Mean [95% CI]	% CFB* Mean [95% CI]
Key Hemodynamic Endpoints (n = 14)		
Δ PCWP in all participants	-6.4 [-8.6 to -4.2] mm Hg	-29.2% [-36.0% to -22.4%]
Δ PVR in CpcPH (PVR ≥ 3 WU) (n = 7)	-1.10 [-2.79 to +0.59] WU	-19.7% [-45.2% to +5.8%]
Δ PVR in CpcPH (PVR ≥ 2 WU) (n = 12)	-0.61 [-1.72 to +0.50] WU	-10.3% [-36.6% to +15.9%]**
Other Hemodynamic Effects (n = 14)		
Δ CO (cardiac output)	+0.65 [+0.25 to +1.05] L/min	+17.3% [+5.2% to +29.3%]
Δ SV (stroke volume)	+6.8 [+0.6 to +13.0] mL	+13.4% [+0.9% to +25.9%]
Δ TPR (total pulmonary resistance)	-2.82 [-4.00 to -1.64] WU	-29.2% [-37.1% to -21.3%]
Δ mPAP (mean pulmonary artery pressure)	-6.5 [-8.7 to -4.2] mm Hg	-19.3% [-24.8% to -13.8%]
Δ SVR (systemic vascular resistance)	-3.2 [-5.7 to -0.7] WU	-12.9% [-20.8% to -5.0%]
Δ RAP (right atrial pressure)	-3.1 [-4.3 to -1.9] mm Hg	-29.2% [-39.1% to -19.4%]

WU = Wood Unit

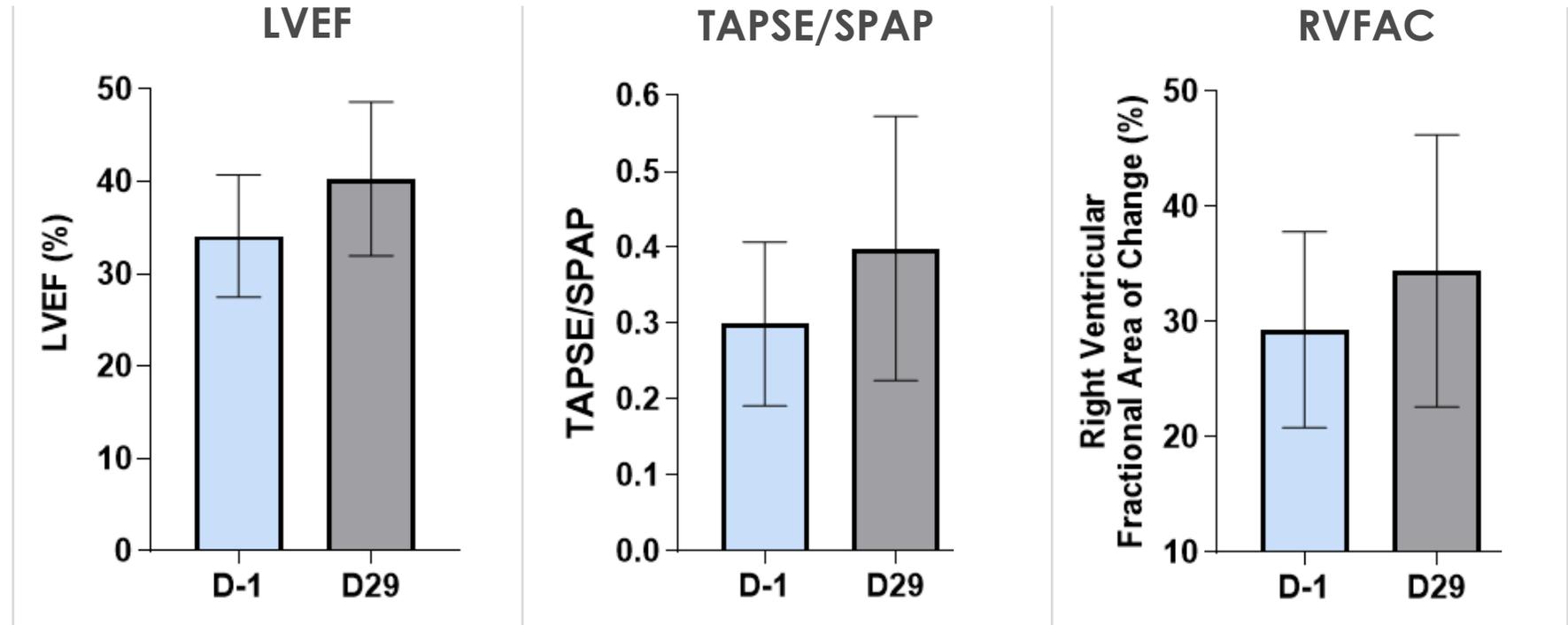
Green CFB endpoints signify 95% confidence interval does not cross zero

* CFB = Change from Baseline = (Average of Hours 1-8) – Baseline

** In the PVR ≥ 2 WU group, there was one outlier that drove a difference between the mean (-10.3%) and the median (-18.3%); mean and median values were similar for other hemodynamic assessments

Echo Results at Day 29 Demonstrated Sustained Improvement in Markers of LV and RV Function, and Pulmonary Hemodynamics

Data Presented as Mean ± SD for All Subjects (n = 14)



CFB Mean [95% CI]	+6.2 [+2.7 to +9.7]	+0.10 [+0.03 to +0.17]	+5.1 [-0.11 to +10.3]
% CFB Mean [95% CI]	+19.4% [+9.0% to +29.8%]	+36.3% [+11.3% to +61.2%]	+20.3% [+3.2% to +37.3%]

CFB = change from baseline, CI = confidence interval
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 LV / RV = left ventricle / right ventricle
 LVEF = left ventricular ejection fraction
 TAPSE/SPAP = tricuspid annular plane systolic excursion/systolic pulmonary arterial pressure, an inversely correlated surrogate for PVR
 RVFAC = right ventricular fractional area of change; a measure of right heart function

Summary: TX45 Improves Cardiac and Pulmonary Hemodynamics in PH-HFrEF and PH-HFpEF Patients

- TX45 was well-tolerated in both patient populations
- TX45 demonstrated hemodynamic improvements in both left heart function and in the pulmonary vasculature in PH-HFrEF, consistent with effects in PH-HFpEF
 - Acute improvement in left ventricular hemodynamics and pulmonary vascular / RV hemodynamics (PCWP, CO, PVR, TPR, mPAP)
 - Echocardiographic improvements at Day 29 (LVEF, TAPSE/SPAP, RVFAC)
 - The magnitude of the reduction in PCWP and PVR, demonstrated in our HFpEF and HFrEF cohorts, have been associated with meaningful changes in 6MWD in previous studies¹⁻³
 - Right ventricular afterload, as assessed by TPR, was reduced. Reduced RV afterload has been associated with improved mortality and outcomes in cohort studies of patients with Group 2 PH⁴
- Results support future expansion of TX45's addressable Group 2 PH patient population to PH-HFrEF, pending results of ongoing APEX Phase 2 clinical trial

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