

Phase 3 Results From an Innovative Trial Design of Treating Plaque Psoriasis Involving Difficult-to-Treat, High-Impact Sites With Icotrokinra, a Targeted Oral Peptide That Selectively Inhibits the IL-23–Receptor

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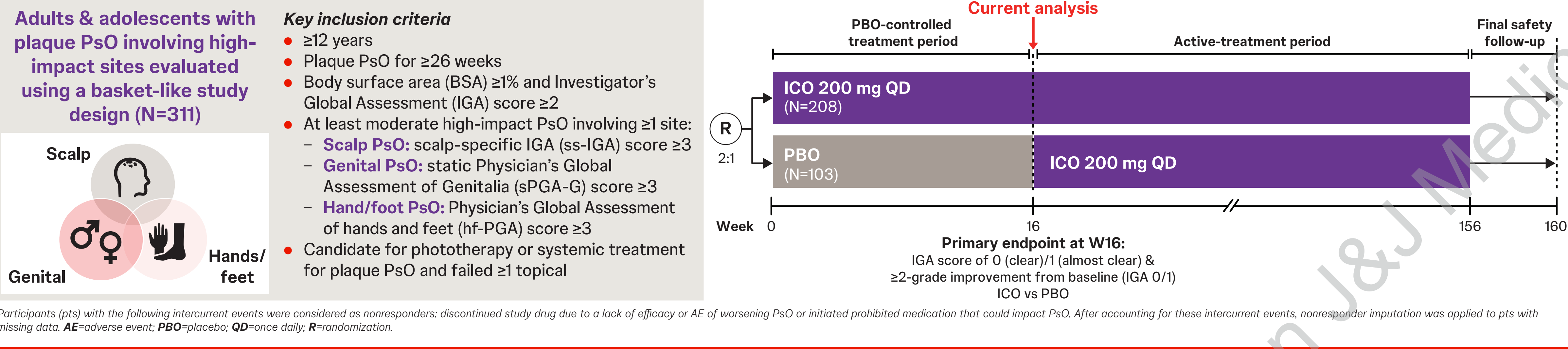
Background

- Icotrokinra for plaque psoriasis**
 - Patients with moderate-to-severe plaque psoriasis (PsO) are generally limited to injectable therapies to achieve high-level efficacy with a favorable safety profile
 - Icotrokinra (ICO) is a first-in-class targeted oral peptide that:
 - Selectively binds the interleukin (IL)-23 receptor and inhibits IL-23 pathway signaling¹
 - Demonstrated significant skin clearance and no safety signals through 1 year in phase 2 PsO studies^{2,3} and through Week (W)24 in adults & adolescents with moderate-to-severe plaque PsO in the phase 3 ICONIC-LEAD study⁴

Objectives

The pivotal, phase 3 ICONIC-TOTAL study evaluated ICO in adults & adolescents with plaque PsO involving difficult-to-treat, high-impact sites, by employing a novel basket-like design; key clinical/patient-reported outcomes (PROs) and safety-related findings are reported through W16

ICONIC-TOTAL: a novel basket-like design



Results

Baseline characteristics were generally similar between groups

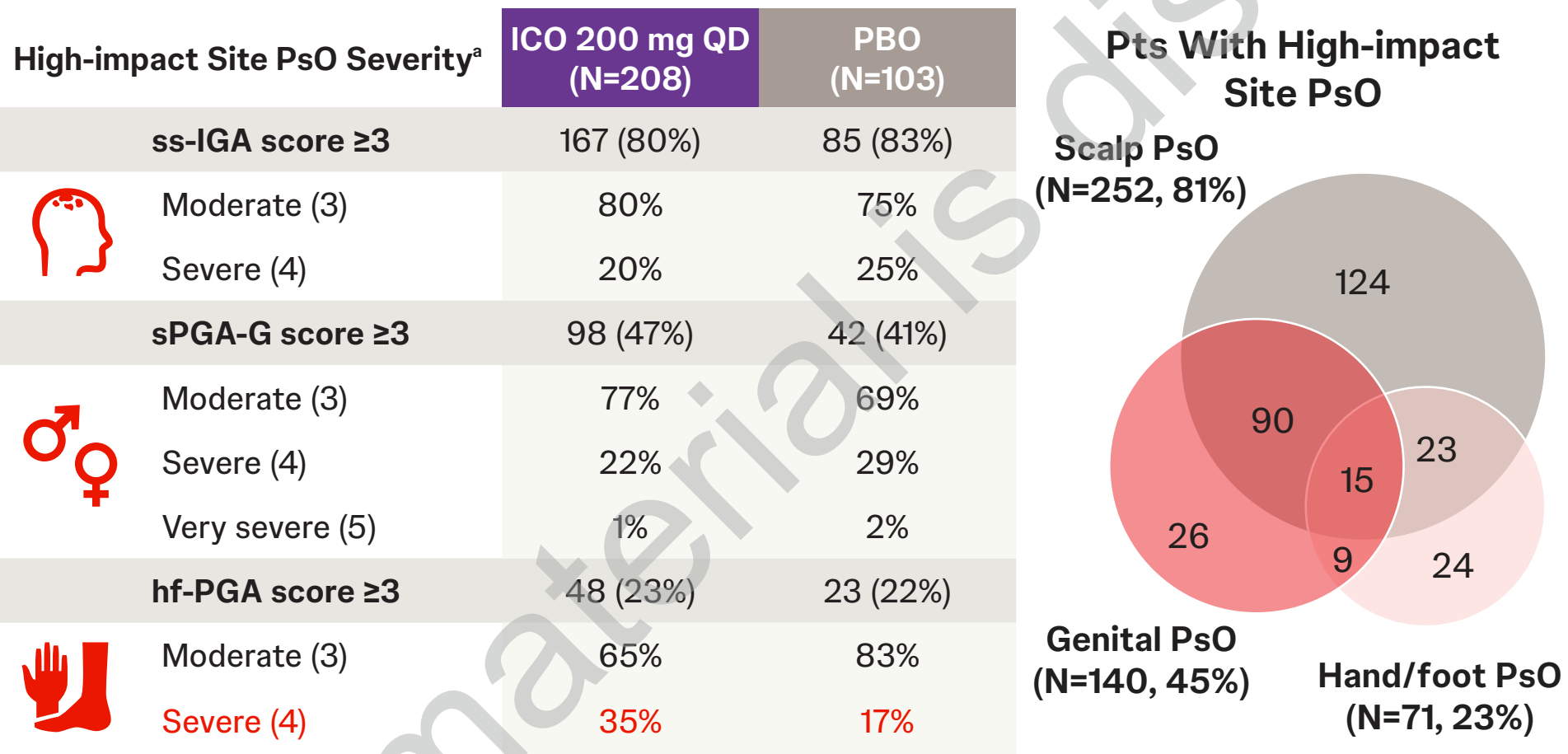
- Overall, 5% of pts (ICO: 4%; PBO: 9%) discontinued treatment through W16^a

Baseline Characteristics	ICO 200 mg QD (N=208)	PBO (N=103)
Demographics		
Age, years	45.3 (14.6)	43.5 (13.8)
Male	66%	61%
White	77%	80%
BMI, kg/m ²	29.0 (6.6)*	29.4 (8.1)*
Disease Characteristics		
PsO disease duration, years	16.8 (13.3)	15.2 (10.5)
% BSA with PsO		
<10%	36%	37%
≥10%	64%	63%
IGA score		
Moderate (3)	74%	71%
Severe (4)	22%	21%
PASI (0-72)	14.6 (7.6)	14.0 (7.0)
Prior Treatment for PsO		
Phototherapy (PUVA and UVB)	43%	31%
Systemic therapy ^b	73%	73%
Biologic therapy ^c	34%	31%

Data shown are mean (SD), unless otherwise indicated. *ICO: N=203; PBO: N=101. ^aConventional nonbiologic systems, novel nonbiologic systems, 125-vitamin D3 and analogues, phototherapy, and biologics. ^bAdalimumab, alefacept, brikzinumab, brodalumab, certolizumab pegol, efalizumab, etanercept, guselkumab, infliximab, ixekizumab, natalizumab, risankizumab, secukinumab, tiludakizumab, and ustekinumab. ^cAmong the pts who discontinued treatment through W16 (ICO: n=8 [4%]; PBO: n=3 [9%]), the most common reasons for loss of efficacy and AEs in the ICO group (n=3 [1%] for each) and lack of efficacy in the PBO group (n=5 [5%]) **BMI**=body mass index; **PASI**=Psoriasis Area and Severity Index; **PUVA**=psoralen plus ultraviolet A; **SD**=standard deviation; **UVB**=ultraviolet B.

Scalp and genital PsO severity at baseline was generally similar between groups

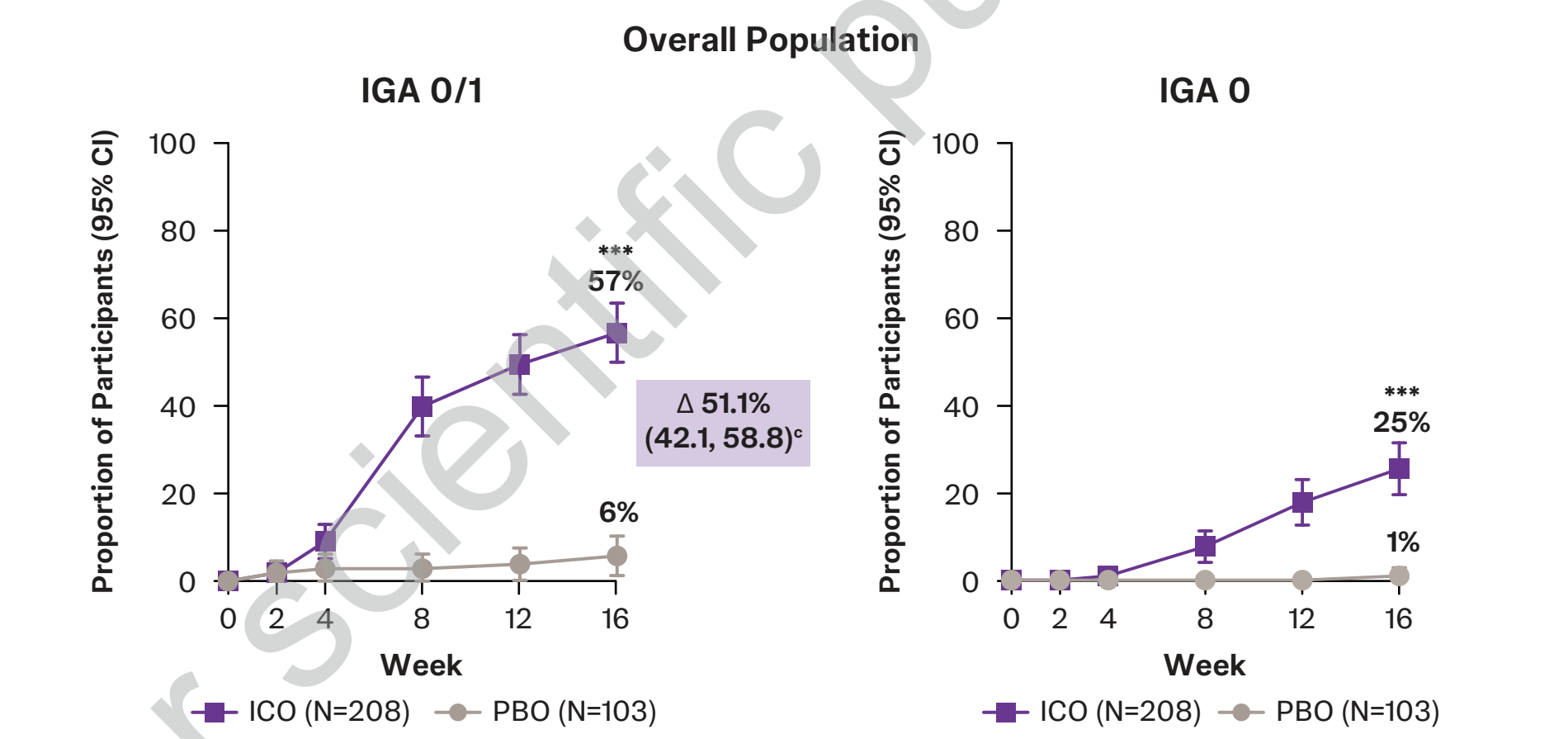
- Among the limited subset of pts with hf-PGA score ≥3, a higher proportion in the ICO group had severe involvement vs PBO
- 44% of pts had >1 high-impact site involved



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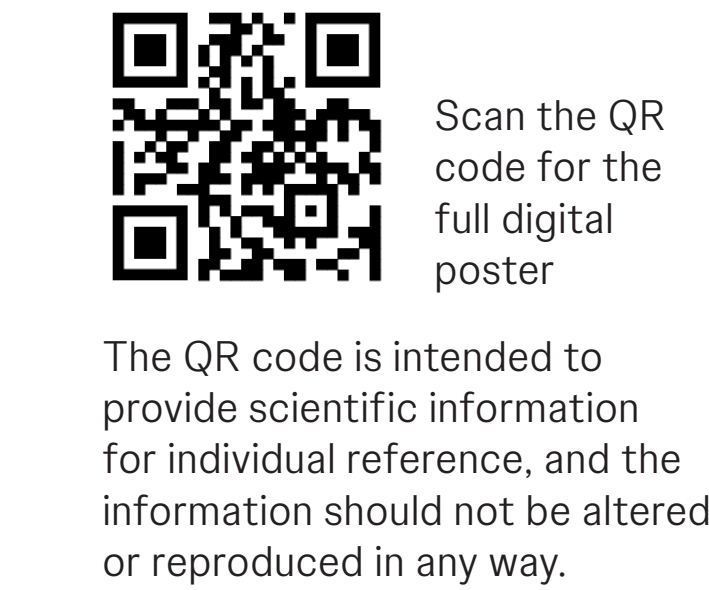
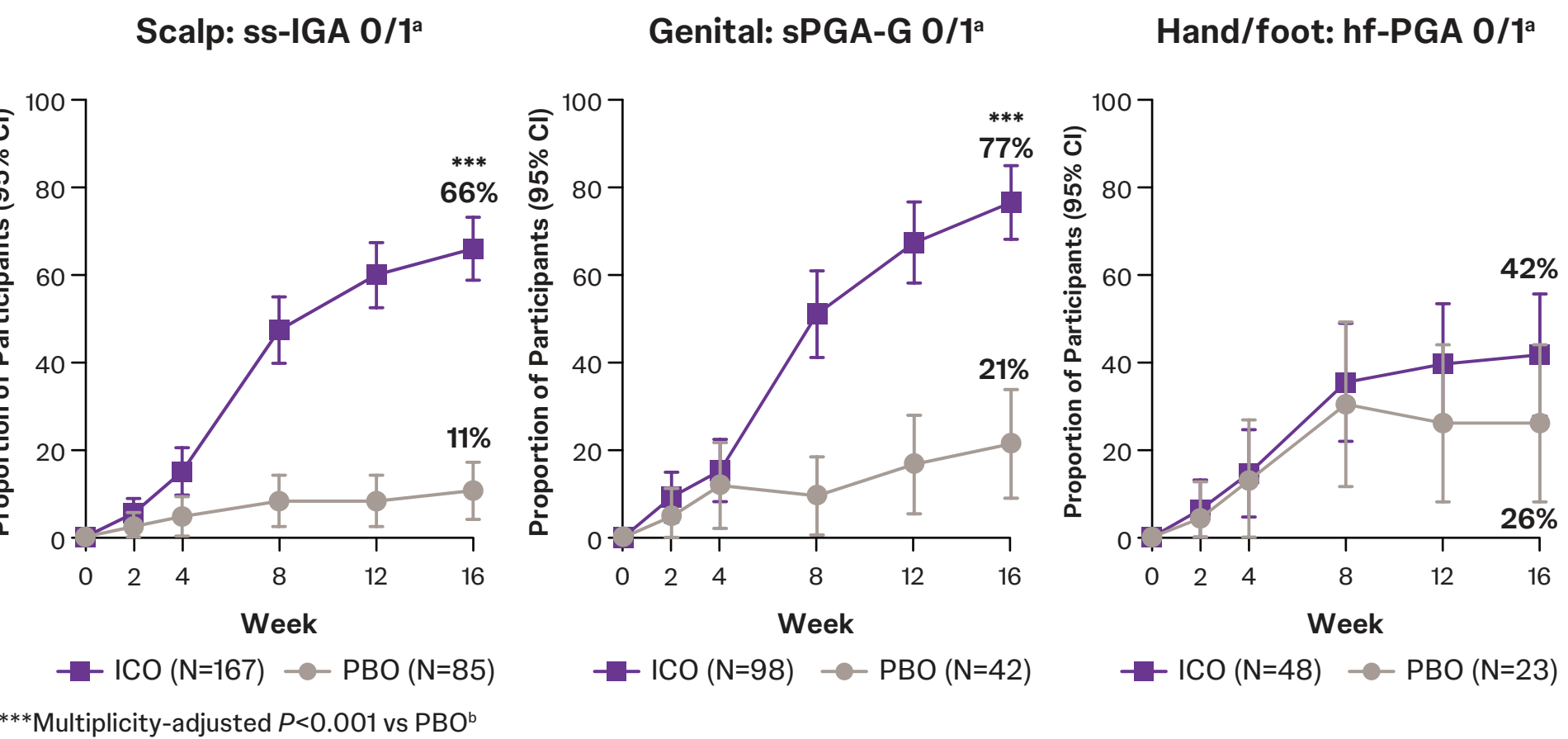
ICO demonstrated significantly higher rates of IGA 0/1 vs PBO at W16 (primary endpoint)

- Significantly higher proportions of ICO-treated pts reported meaningful improvement in itch (CMI PSSD Itch,^{a,b} 60% vs 14%; *P*<0.001) and symptom resolution at W16 (PSSD Symptom 0,^{a,b} 16% vs 3%; *P*<0.01)



ICO demonstrated significantly higher rates of clear/almost clear scalp and genital PsO vs PBO

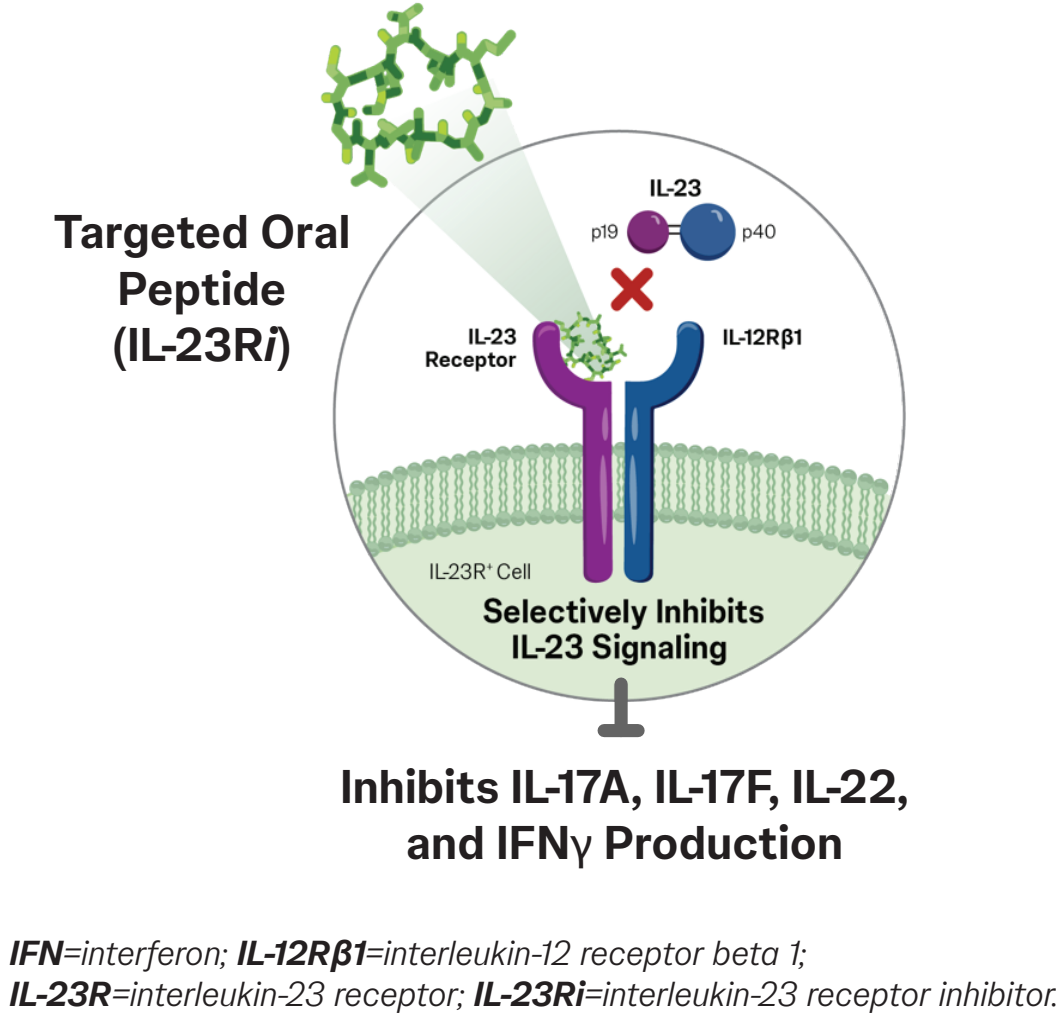
- A numerically greater proportion of ICO-treated pts achieved hf-PGA 0/1 vs PBO at W16



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Icotrokinra Blocks IL-23 From Binding to its Receptor



IFN=interferon; **IL-12RB1**=interleukin-12 receptor beta 1; **IL-23R**=interleukin-23 receptor; **IL-23RI**=interleukin-23 receptor inhibitor.

Key Takeaways

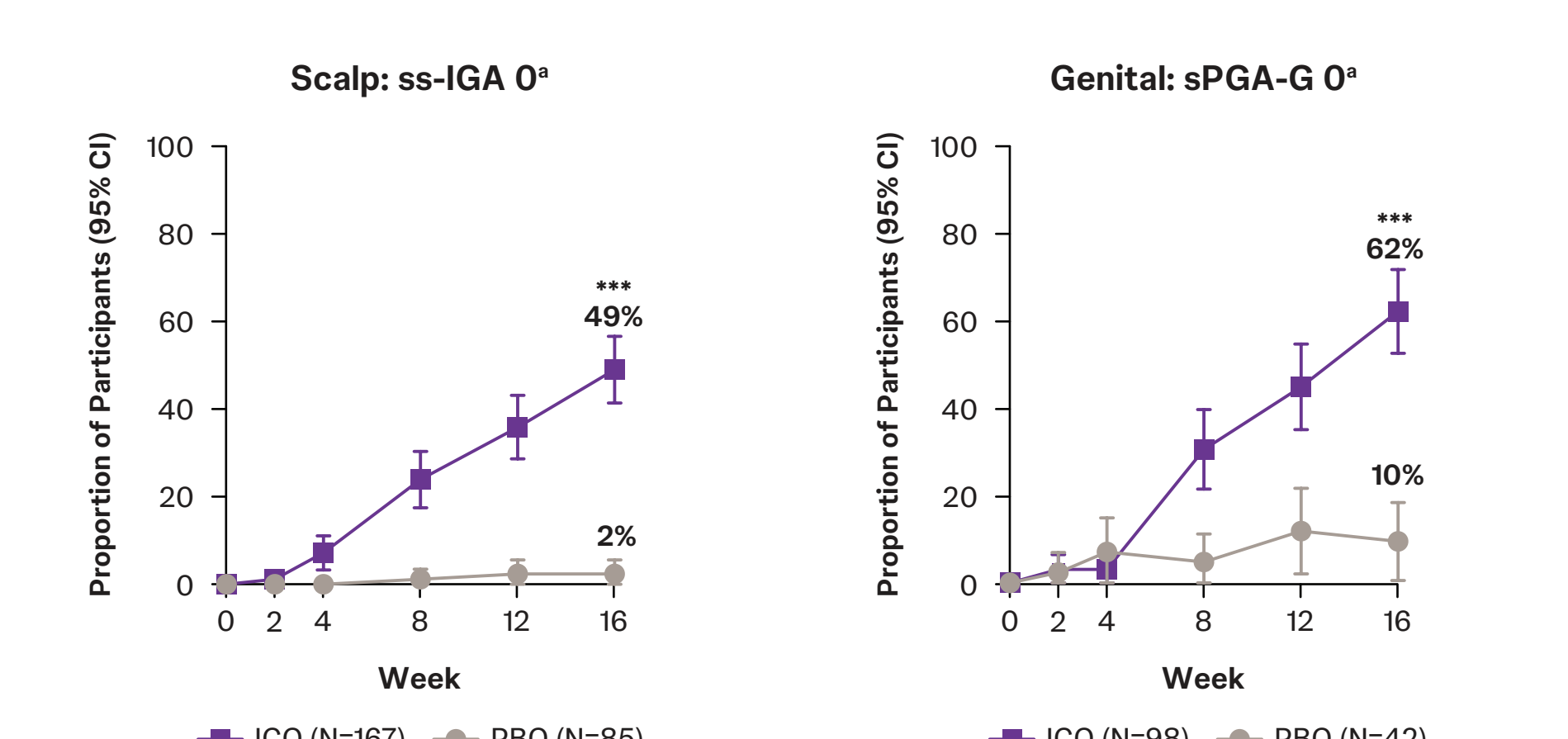
✓ In ICONIC-TOTAL, a pivotal phase 3 study evaluating ICO in a diverse cohort of pts with plaque PsO and difficult-to-treat, high-impact site involvement:

- ✓ ICO demonstrated significantly higher rates of clear/almost clear skin, including in the scalp and genital areas, than PBO at W16
- ✓ ICO-treated pts achieved significantly higher PRO response rates, including meaningful improvements in the scalp and genital areas, vs PBO at W16
- ✓ Rates of AEs were generally similar in the ICO and PBO groups; no safety signal was identified through W16

✓ ICONIC-TOTAL results complement those of the ongoing phase 3 ICONIC-LEAD study evaluating ICO in adults & adolescents with moderate-to-severe plaque PsO⁴

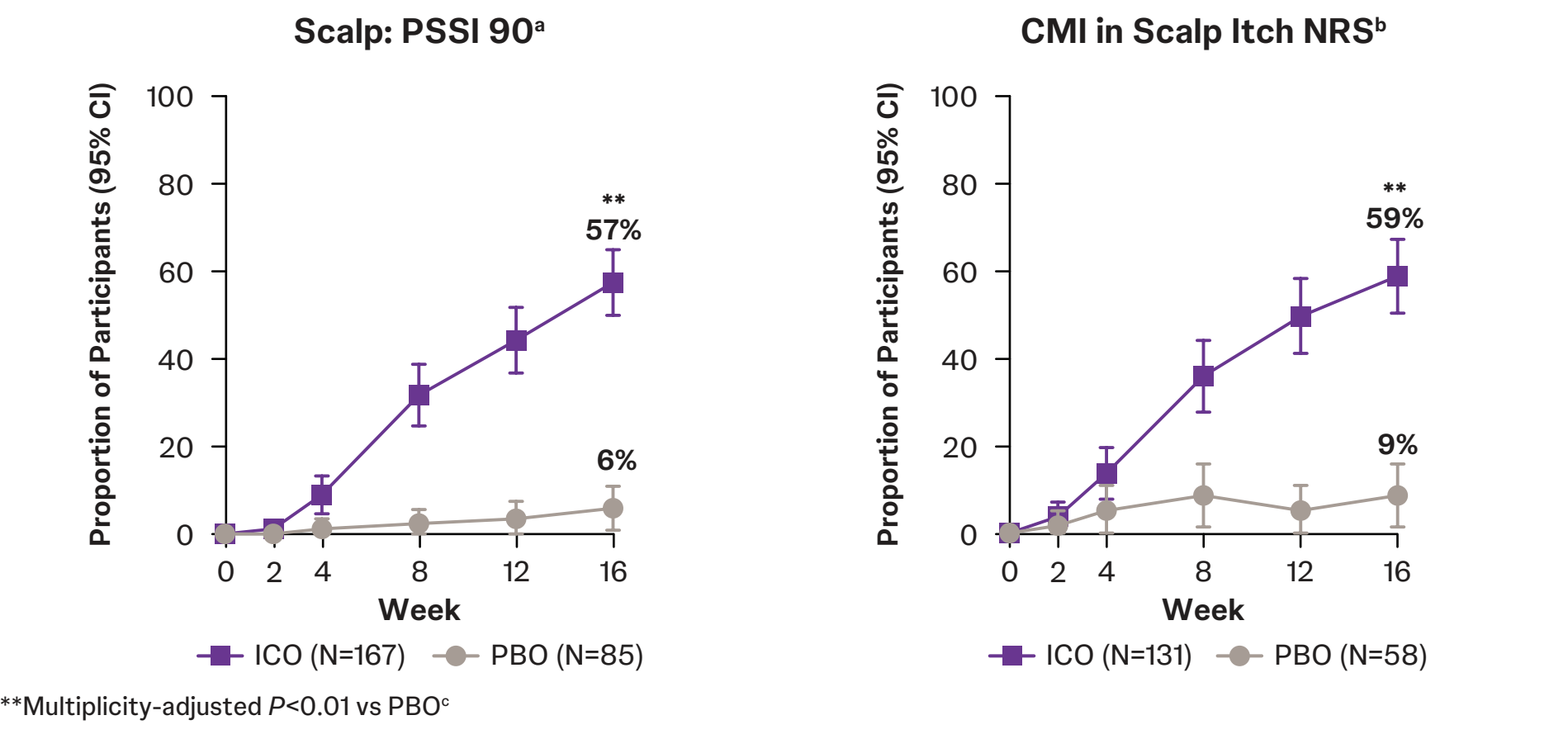
ICO demonstrated higher rates of completely clear scalp and genital PsO vs PBO

- A numerically greater proportion of ICO-treated pts achieved hf-PGA 0^a vs PBO at W16 (25% vs 13%)

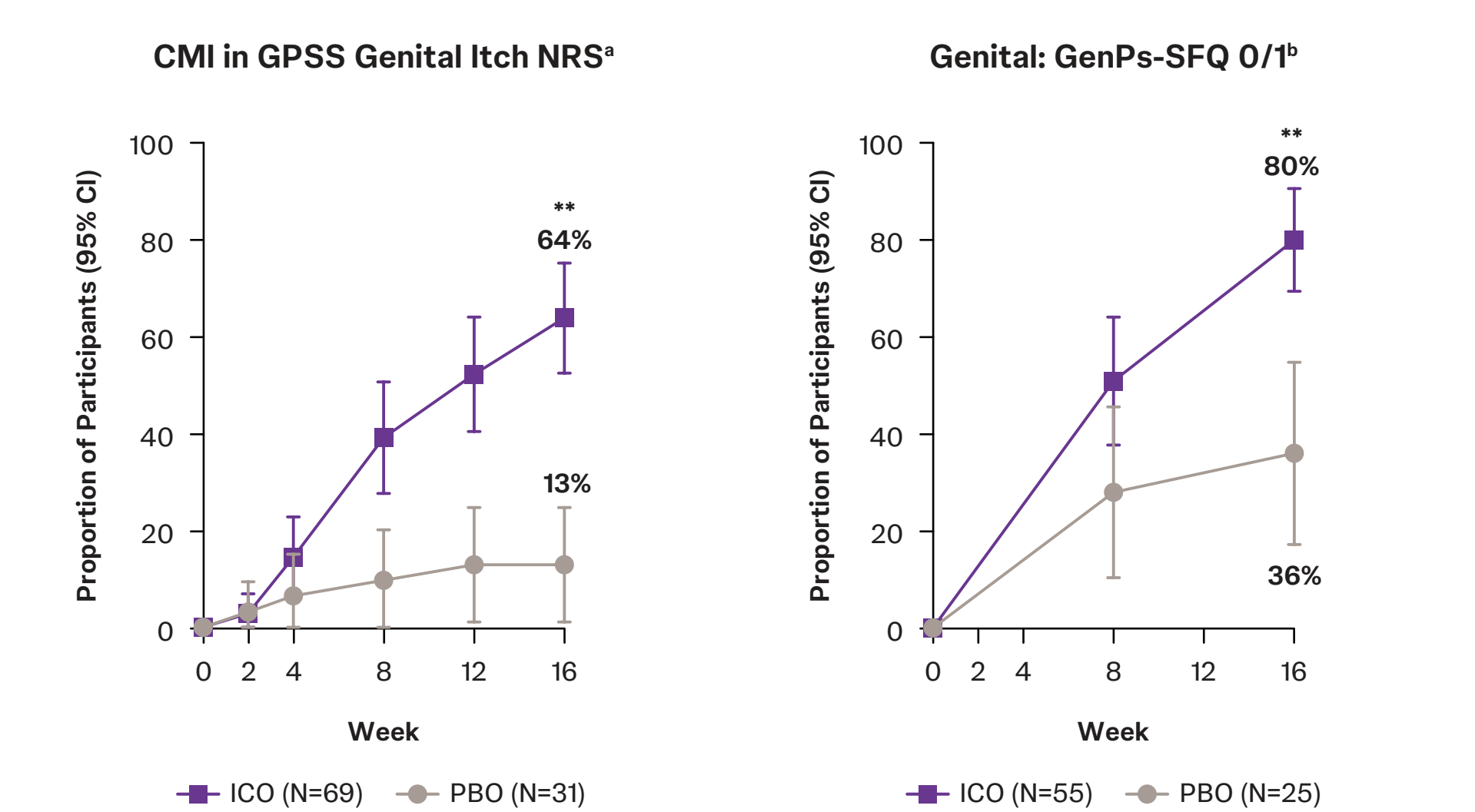


ICO demonstrated significantly higher rates of scalp clearance and meaningful improvement in scalp itch vs PBO

- ICO demonstrated early separation from PBO



ICO significantly improved pt-reported genital PsO itch & impact of PsO on sexual activity vs PBO



Adverse event rates were generally similar between groups through W16

	ICO 200 mg QD (N=208)	PBO (N=103)
Safety through W16		
Mean weeks of follow-up	16.0	15.7
Any AE	104 (50%)	43 (42%)
Most common AEs (≥5%)		
Nasopharyngitis	26 (12%)	11 (11%)
Upper respiratory tract infection	9 (4%)	5 (5%)
Headache	6 (3%)	6 (6%)
SAE ^a	1 (<1%)	2 (2%)
Infection	59 (28%)	22 (21%)
Serious infection	0	1 (1%)
AE leading to discontinuation^b	4 (2%)	3 (3%)
Gastrointestinal AEs	15 (7%)	8 (8%)
Active TB	0	0
Malignancy^c	1 (<1%)	0

^aSAEs through W16 included COVID-19 pneumonia, sepsis, sciatica, and acute respiratory failure in the PBO group; and hepatitis in the ICO group. ^bAEs leading to discontinuation through W16 included COVID-19 pneumonia, psoriatic arthropathy, and psoriasis in the PBO group; and vision blurred, visual field defect, laryngitis fungal, malignant melanoma in situ, and headache in the ICO group. ^cMalignancy reported in the ICO group was malignant melanoma in situ in a pt with a recent personal history of melanoma (in 2021). **COVID-19**=coronavirus disease 2019; **SAE**=serious adverse event; **TB**=tuberculosis.