

# Assessment of Patient-Reported Outcomes from the Phase 3 Vivacity-MG3 Study of Nipocalimab in gMG

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## Introduction

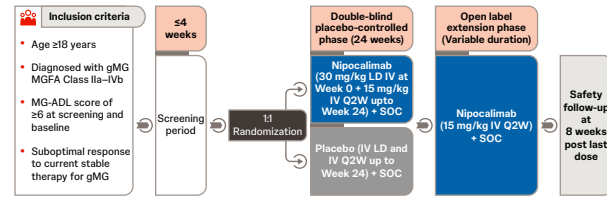
- Generalized myasthenia gravis (gMG) is a rare, chronic, immunoglobulin G (IgG)-mediated autoimmune disease that causes fluctuating and potentially life-threatening muscle weakness<sup>1,2</sup>
- It significantly impacts multiple domains of patient health, with greater disease severity linked to poorer health-related quality of life (HRQoL)<sup>3</sup>
- Many patients experience substantial residual disease burden and poor HRQoL even when gMG appears clinically controlled<sup>4,5</sup>
- As severity and distribution of muscle function impacts vary among patients, accurate assessment of overall disease burden and treatment effects also entails impacts on HRQoL and treatment satisfaction<sup>6</sup>
- Nipocalimab as an add-on therapy to standard-of-care (SOC) has demonstrated statistically significant sustained and meaningful improvements versus placebo + SOC in a 24-week phase 3, randomized double-blind Vivacity-MG3 study in adults with gMG<sup>7</sup>

## Objectives

- To evaluate patient-reported HRQoL and treatment satisfaction among patients treated with nipocalimab + SOC vs placebo + SOC in Vivacity-MG3

## Methods

Figure 1: Vivacity-MG3 study design



gMG=Generalized myasthenia gravis; IV=intravenous; LD=Loading dose; MG-ADL=Myasthenia Gravis-Activities of Daily Living; MGFA=Myasthenia Gravis Foundation of America; Q2W=Every two weeks; SOC=Standard of care.

- The efficacy population included participants who were antibody-positive for a gMG-related pathogenic antibody (anti-acetylcholine receptor, anti-muscle-specific tyrosine kinase, or anti-low density lipoprotein receptor-related protein 4)
- HRQoL was assessed utilizing PRO measures (Table 1) completed at varying timepoints throughout the double-blind phase of the study (Figure 1)
- Descriptive statistics were used to report and compare changes in PROs between treatment arms from baseline through Week 24

Table 1: PRO measures used for HRQoL assessment

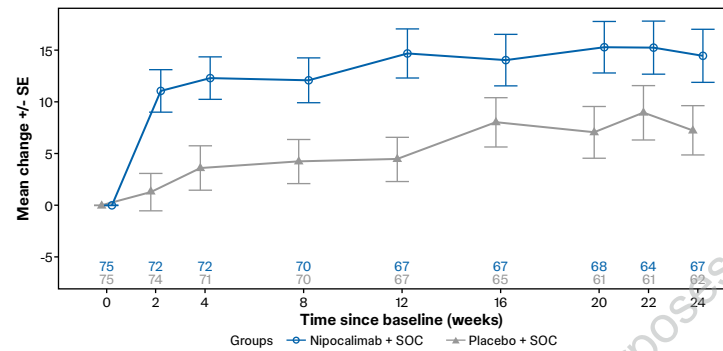
PRO Measure	Scoring Range	Interpretation
EQ-5D-5L VAS*	0–100	Higher scores indicate better health
PGIS†-Fatigue	1 (none) – 5 (very severe)	Higher scores indicate more severe fatigue
PGIC†-Fatigue	1 (much better) – 7 (much worse)	Higher scores indicate increased fatigue from baseline
TSQM-9‡	0–100	Higher scores indicate greater satisfaction

\*EQ-VAS self-rating records the respondent's own assessment of his or her overall health status. †Assesses fatigue severity. ‡Assesses change in fatigue severity. §9-Item scale assessing effectiveness, convenience and global satisfaction with treatment in the last 2-3 weeks. EQ-5D-5L VAS=European Quality of Life Group, 5 Dimension, 5 Level version, Visual Analogue Scale; PGIC=Patient global impression of change; PGIS=Patient global impression of severity; TSQM=Treatment satisfaction questionnaire for medication.

## Results

- By Week 2, patients receiving nipocalimab + SOC demonstrated a statistically significant improvement in European Quality of Life 5-Dimension 5-Level version Visual Analogue Scale (EQ-5D-5L VAS) scores when compared with placebo + SOC (Least square mean difference: 8.1 [95% CI: 3.86, 12.30];  $p < 0.001$ )
  - Mean (95% CI) change from baseline (Figure 2): nipocalimab + SOC: 11.1 (7.1, 15.2); placebo + SOC: 1.3 (–2.2, 4.8)
- Nipocalimab-treated patient experienced sustained improvements in perceived health status through Week 24
- At Week 24, the mean change (standard error [SE]) in EQ-5D-5L VAS score from baseline was 14.6 (2.56) in the nipocalimab + SOC arm and 7.3 (2.39) in the placebo + SOC arm, representing a 7.3-point higher mean change in the nipocalimab + SOC arm

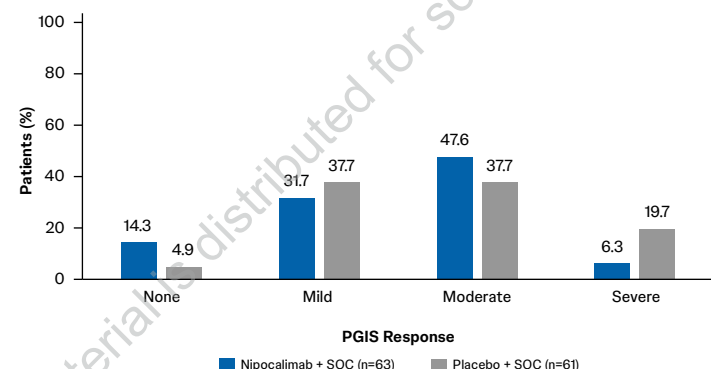
Figure 2: Mean change in EQ-5D-5L VAS scores across 24 weeks



EQ-5D-5L-VAS Score range is 0–100. Positive score changes indicate improvement.  
EQ-5D-5L-VAS=European Quality of Life Group, 5 Dimension, 5 Level version, Visual Analogue Scale; SE=Standard error; SOC=Standard of care.

- At Week 24, a greater proportion of patients in the nipocalimab + SOC arm reported lower fatigue severity, with 14.3% reporting “None” compared to 4.9% in the placebo + SOC arm (Figure 3)
  - Conversely, fewer patients in the nipocalimab + SOC arm vs the placebo + SOC arm rated fatigue as “Severe” (6.3% vs 19.7%) on the PGIS at Week 24
- 56.5% of patients in the nipocalimab + SOC arm reported fatigue as “much better” or “moderately better,” which is 15.5% higher than the placebo + SOC arm (Figure 3)

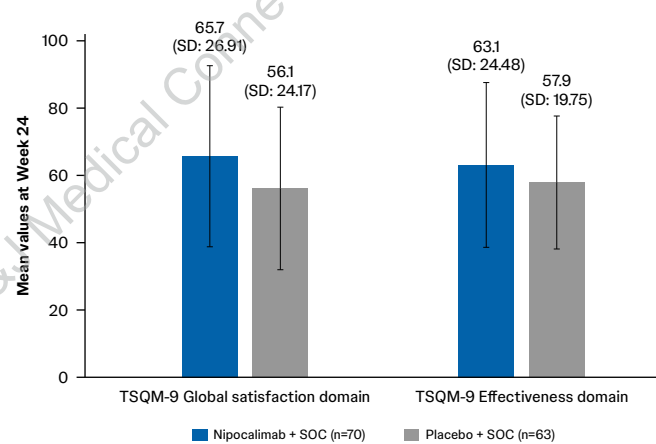
Figure 3: PRO scores per PGIS/PGIC at Week 24



\*None of the patients reported PGIS response as “Very Severe”. PGI=Patient Global Impression; PGIC=Patient Global Impression of Change; PGIS=Patient Global Impression of Severity; PRO=Patient-reported outcomes; SOC=Standard-of-care.

- At Week 24, the global Satisfaction scores from the TSQM-9 were numerically higher in the nipocalimab + SOC arm vs placebo + SOC arm (Figure 4)
  - Global Satisfaction scores were higher with nipocalimab + SOC (65.7 [SD 26.91]) vs placebo + SOC (56.1 [SD 24.17]), showing a 9.6-point difference favoring nipocalimab
  - Effectiveness scores were also higher with nipocalimab + SOC (63.1 [SD 24.48]) vs placebo + SOC (57.9 [SD 19.75]), reflecting a 5.2-point difference favoring nipocalimab

Figure 4: PRO scores per TSQM-9 scale at Week 24



TSQM-9: “Global satisfaction” and “Effectiveness” domains each consists of 3 items.  
PRO=Patient-reported outcomes; SD=Standard deviation; SOC=Standard-of-care; TSQM-9=Treatment Satisfaction Questionnaire for Medication-9 items.

## Conclusions



Nipocalimab-treated patients reported significantly greater improvements in patient-reported health status and numerically greater treatment satisfaction compared with placebo-treated patients

- Nipocalimab + SOC-treated patients reported significantly greater improvements as early as Week 2 vs placebo + SOC on health status, as assessed by EQ-5D-5L VAS, and these improvements were sustained over the 24-week period
- Numerically greater satisfaction scores were observed with nipocalimab than with placebo on patient-reported global measures and treatment satisfaction, as measured by TSQM-9 at 24 weeks

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