



Unlocking protein production with translational read-through for rare genetic diseases

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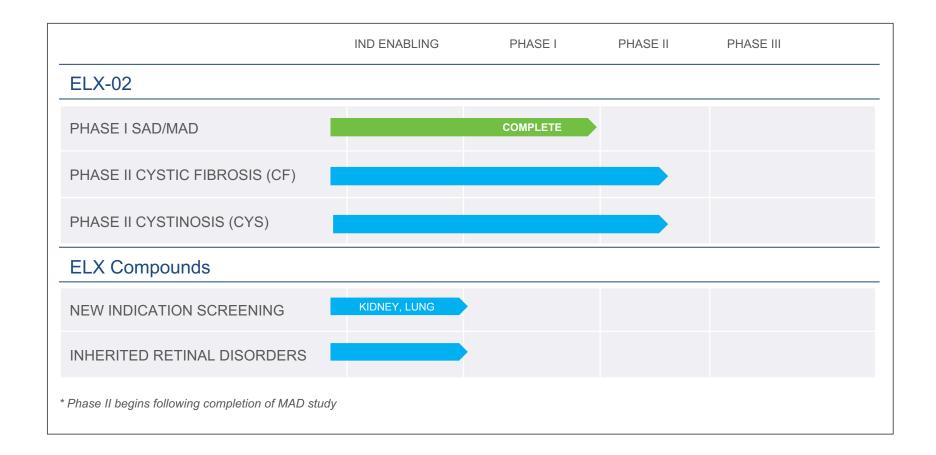


## **Eloxx Pharmaceutical Highlights**

- Experienced Leadership Team
- Phase 2 ELX-02 Clinical Trial in Cystic Fibrosis
  - U.S. IND Open
  - Cystic Fibrosis Foundation Endorsed Protocol
  - Dr. Ahmet Uluer, Director of Adult Cystic Fibrosis Program, Boston Children's Hospital, Lead U.S. Investigator
  - Dr. Eitan Kerem, Head of Division of Pediatrics, Children's Hospital, Haddassah Medical Center, Global Lead Investigator
- Phase 2 ELX-02 Clinical Trial in Cystinosis
  - Dr. Paul Goodyer, Professor of Pediatrics, McGill University, Principal Investigator
  - Non-dilutive funding from Genome Quebec and Genome Canada
- Topline ELX-02 Phase 2 Data in Cystic Fibrosis and Cystinosis in 2019
- New Indication Screening Ongoing (Eye, Kidney, Lung)
- Actively Developing Business Development Opportunities to Advance Full Pipeline and Expand Therapeutic Programs



## **Eloxx Pipeline**





## The Potential for Read-Through of Rare Genetic Diseases

>1,800

Genetic diseases involve nonsense mutations



Cystic Fibrosis



Cystinosis



Retinitis Pigmentosa



Usher Syndrome



Primary Ciliary Dyskinesia



Polycystic Kidney Disease

- In every genetic disease a subset of patients have nonsense mutations that impair the production of essential proteins
- Translational read-through is directed at restoring the production of full length proteins by overcoming the premature stop codon and nonsense mediated decay

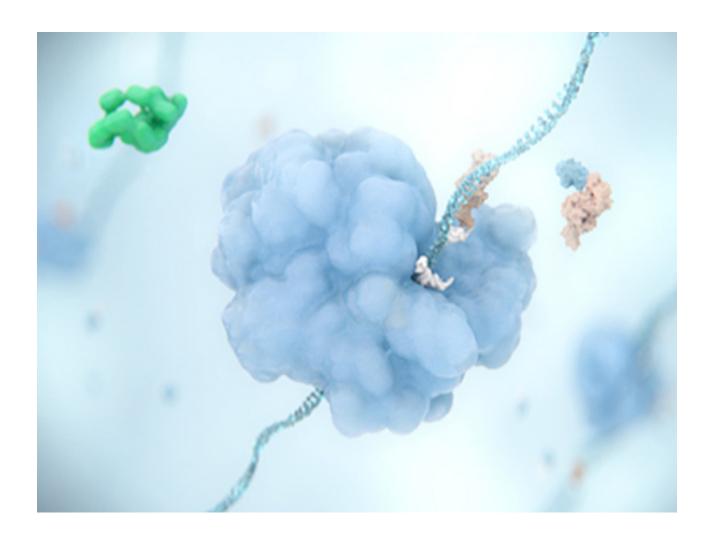
Advances in our understanding of translational read-through enables design of novel small molecules

ELOXX proprietary library of novel read-through product candidates have been evaluated for activity in over 10 rare disease areas

ELOXX is advancing molecules for subcutaneous and intravitreal dosing for diseases of the lung, kidney, eye and other target organs

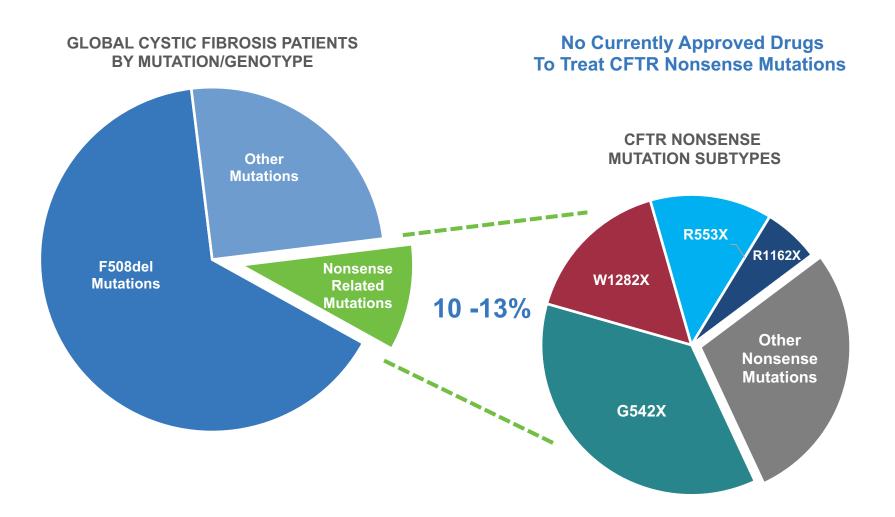


# **Eukaryotic Ribosomal Selective Glycosides (ERSGs) Nonsense Mutation Suppressors Rescue Full-Length Protein**





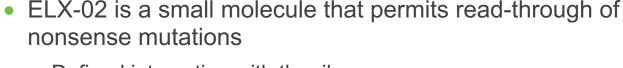
# **Cystic Fibrosis Nonsense Mutation Patients Represent a Key Unmet Need Population**



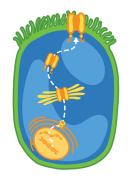


# **ELX-02: ERSG In Development For Nonsense Mediated Cystic Fibrosis**





- Defined interaction with the ribosome
- High selectivity for the eukaryotic cytoplasmic ribosome relative to mitochondrial ribosome



- ELX-02 demonstrates read-through in multiple cystic fibrosis model systems
  - Pronounced CFTR read-through demonstrated in plasmid, HBE,
     FRT, transgenic mice and patient-derived organoids
  - Significant read-through demonstrated for G542X, W1282X, R553X, R1162X, and E60X alleles which represent the most common nonsense population
  - Defined MOA: Demonstrated significant increases in CFTR function, protein and <u>mRNA</u>

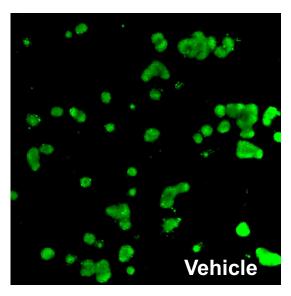


- ELX-02 is progressing to Phase 2 clinical studies
  - Phase 2 focus on patients with G542X genotype
  - Planned topline patient data will be reported in 2019

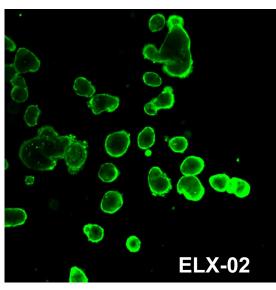


## **Organoid Swelling Assay Demonstrates CFTR Function**

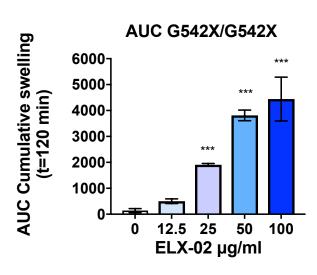
### Cystic Fibrosis Organoid dose-responsive swelling assay response



Patient Organoid without drug treatment: No Swelling of Organoids



Patient Organoid with ELX-02 treatment: Swelling of Organoids

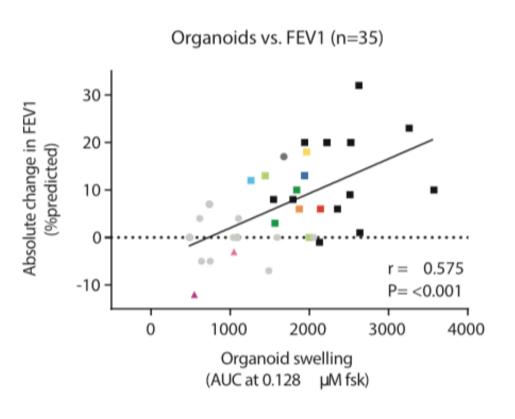


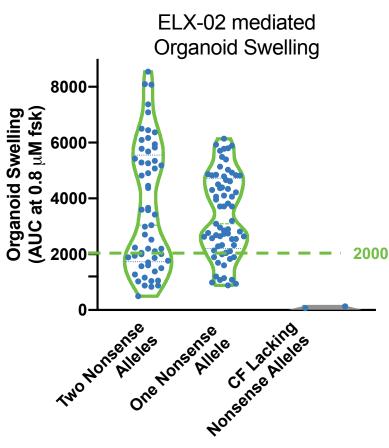
Swelling quantification of patient organoid with ELX-02 treatment.





# **ELX-02** Response in Organoids Compares Favorably to Published Results





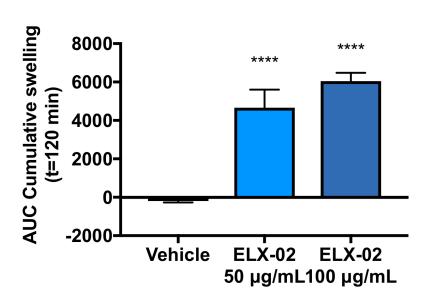
Berkers et al. Cell Reports (2019) Rectal Organoids Enable Personalized Treatment of Cystic Fibrosis.

Eloxx data on file.

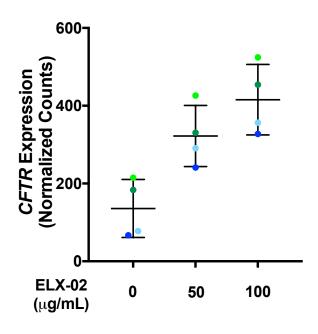


## **Homozygous Nonsense Mutation (G542X)**

#### **SWELLING (FUNCTION) ASSAY**



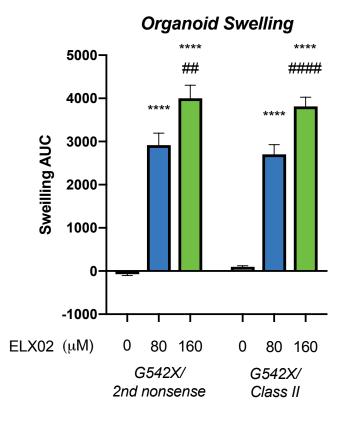
#### **NANOSTRING (MRNA) ASSAY**





# ELX-02 Mediated Organoid Swelling Is Equivalent in Organoids With One or Two Nonsense Mutations

- Significant increase in organoid swelling is observed in both G542X organoids with a second nonsense mutation and heterozygous organoids.
- Experiments used 0.8 μM Forskolin



ordinary one-way ANOVA with Tukey's multiple comparison testing was used,, \*\*\*\* p<0.0001 versus vehicle control, ## p<0.01 versus next lower concentration, , #### p<0.0001 versus next lower concentration. Data represent >40 biological replicates per group from 2 or 4 independent patient organoids, respectively.



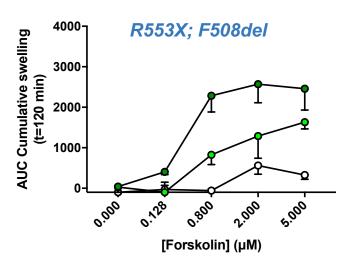
# **ELX-02** Organoid Response is Observed Across a Range of CF Genotypes

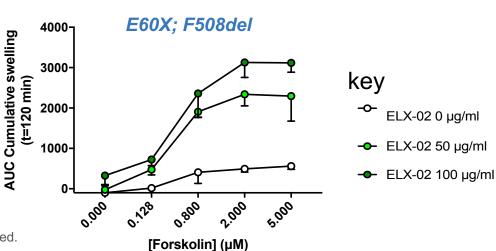
### → G542X; G542X

- G542X; F508del
- → G542X; R1066C
- R1162X; F508del

- \* R553X; F508del

### **New Genotypes**





Eloxx data on file Data from multiple individuals with the same genotypes also collected.



## **ELX-02 Completed Phase 1 Studies**



January 16, 2019

Safety, Tolerability, and Pharmacokinetics of Single Ascending Doses of ELX-02, a Potential Treatment for Genetic Disorders Caused by Nonsense Mutations, in Healthy Volunteers

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A Phase 1, Randomized,
Double-Blinded, Placebo-Controlled, Third
Party Open, Multiple Dose Escalation,
Single Center Study to Evaluate the Safety,
Tolerability and Pharmacokinetics of
Subcutaneously Administered ELX-02 in
Independent Consecutive
Cohorts of Healthy Subjects

COMPLETED



# We Believe Demonstrated Preclinical Results De-risk Phase 2 Cystic Fibrosis Program

- Pronounced CFTR read-through demonstrated in plasmid, HBE, FRT, transgenic mice and patient-derived organoids
- ELX-02 permits dose-dependent increases in CFTR mRNA
  - Nonsense mediated decay activity is detectable through 3'/5' binding ratios
- ELX-02 dose-dependently increases CFTR mRNA stability
  - Response is most pronounced in organoids bearing two nonsense alleles
  - Contributions of the NMD pathway are currently under evaluation
- ELX-02 increases CFTR function in organoids bearing nonsense alleles representing the most common of the cystic fibrosis nonsense genotype population



## Phase 2 Cystic Fibrosis Top Line Data in 2019

## Phase 2 Clinical Trial Program

- ✓ US IND Open
- ✓ Protocol Endorsed by Cystic Fibrosis Foundation
- ✓ Clinical Trial Application (CTA) approved, EU CFS "high priority" for Phase 2 Protocol
- ✓ Dr. Ahmet Uluer, Director, Adult Cystic Fibrosis Program at Boston Children's Hospital lead US investigator
- ✓ Dr. Eitan Kerem, Head of Division of Pediatrics, Children's Hospital, Haddassah Medical Center

### Phase 2 Protocol

- Enrolling up to 24 patients with the G542X nonsense mutation on one or both alleles in the U.S., Europe and Israel
- 4 increasing doses of ELX-02 ranging from 0.3 up to 3.0 mg/kg/day
- Measuring changes in sweat chloride consistent with other Phase 2 trials for approved drugs



# North American Cystic Fibrosis Conference (NACFC) October 31 - November 2, 2019



"Investigational Drug ELX-02 Mediates CFTR Nonsense Mutation Read-through To Increase CFTR mRNA CFTR Protein Translation and CFTR Function"

November 1, 2019 2:15 p.m. -3:50 p.m. CDT ORAL Workshop: New & Emerging Therapies to Correct the Basic Defect"

"Pharmacokinetics, Safety, and Tolerability of Multiple Ascending Doses of ELX-02 in Healthy Volunteers, a Potential Treatment for Cystic Fibrosis Caused by Nonsense Mutations" October 31, 2019 11:15 a.m. – 1:45 p.m. CDT POSTER Session 1

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## Phase 2 Cystinosis Top Line Data in 2019

## Phase 2 Clinical Trial Program

- ✓ Renal Impairment Study Completed
- ✓ Enrolling Phase 2 Clinical Trial in Canada
- ✓ Non-dilutive funding from Genome Quebec and Genome Canada
- ✓ Cystinosis Research Foundation provided funding for preclinical phase
- ✓ Dr. Paul Goodyer, Professor of Pediatrics at McGill University is the Prinicipal Investigator

#### Phase 2 Protocol

- Enrolling 6 patients with nephropathic cystinosis with at least 1 nonsense mutation in the cystinosis gene
- Three increasing doses of ELX-02 ranging from 0.3 up to 2.0 mg/kg/day
- Measuring the dose-dependent effect of ELX-02 on cysteine levels in white blood cells



## **ELX-02 Completed Phase 1 Studies**

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A Study to Evaluate the Effects of Renal Impairment on the Pharmacokinetics of ELX-02

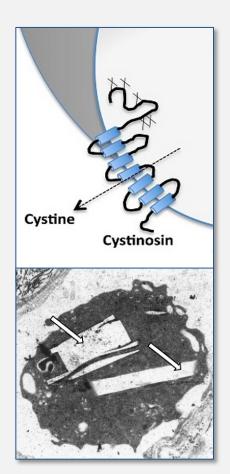


- ✓ Mild, Moderate, Severe Renal
   Impairment Patient Cohort dosing
   complete
- ✓ Data analysis ongoing
- ✓ Preliminary results consistent with pK model and generally supportive of continued development including indications where individuals may have renal impairment as a component of ongoing renal disease



## **Cystinosis Development Program**

- Ultra-rare lysosomal storage disease
- Caused by mutations in cystinosin (CTNS)
  - Cysteine efflux channel
- Cystine lysosomal accumulation causes manifestations of disease
- The current standard of care, Cysteamine acts within the lysosome to convert cystine into forms which can exit the lysosome via cysteine transport pathways
- W138X most common nonsense mutation is estimated to represent 1/3 of patient population
- Currently available data on our investigational drug candidate, ELX-02, suggest the potential to:
  - Increase translational read-through
  - Reduce NMD
  - Restore CTNS mRNA to near normal levels
  - Lower cystine accumulation in vitro and in vivo





Ex Vivo Treatment with a Novel Synthetic Aminoglycoside NB54 in Primary Fibroblasts from Rett Syndrome Patients Suppresses MECP2 Nonsense

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RESEARCH REPORT

Aminoglycoside-Induced Premature Stop Codon Read-Through of Mucopolysaccharidosis Type I Patient O70X and W402X Mutations in Cultured Cells

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PURPOSE. The human Usher syndrome (USH) is the most fre-

quent cause of inherited combined deaf-blindness. USH is clin-

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#### ORIGINAL INVESTIGATION

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#### Aminoglycoside antibiotics restore dystrophin function to skeletal muscles of mdx mice

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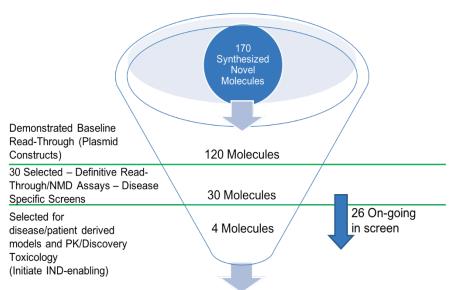
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## **Advancing Our Portfolio of Novel ERSGs**

### Multiple Novel Compounds Are Advancing To IND Enabling Studies



Next Step: Completion of IND Enabling Studies

EXTENSIVE INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY PORTFOLIO

- Eloxx holds global rights on these library compounds
- ELX-02 Composition of Matter 2031 without extensions
- Library Composition of Matter from 2027-2038 or later
- Library Use Patents Expire 2036 or later



## **Rare Kidney Diseases**



- > 150 identified Rare Kidney Diseases
- Overall Prevalence: 60-80 cases per 100,000
- Fifth most common cause of ESRD

Patients with inherited kidney disorders rarely die (many progress to renal transplantation)

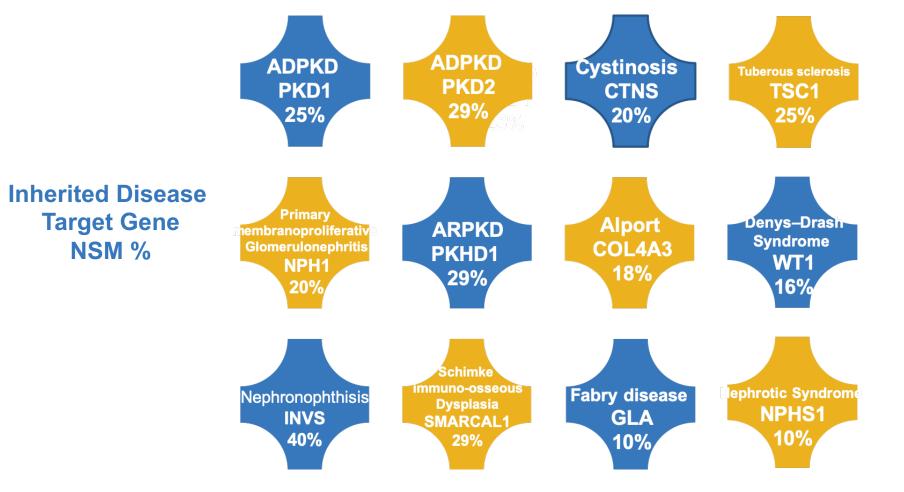
Results in poor health, low quality of life, multisystemic complications. *Devuyst & Gauy-Woodford - KDIGO Conference* (2016)

Nephropathic cystinosis is an autosomal recessive storage disease caused by defective transport of cystine out of lysosomes .The renal tubular damage of cystinosis, begins at 6 to 12 months of age, glomerular damage generally becomes apparent by 2 to 5 years of age and results in end-stage renal disease by 9 to 10 years of age unless cystine-depleting therapy is initiated early in life. Renal transplantation, often by age of 20, has transformed cystinosis from an exclusively pediatric disease to one that affects individuals up to (and potentially beyond) 50 years of age.

Nonsense mutations are an important genetic variation in a wide range of rare kidney disorders including: Nephropathic Cystinosis, Autosomal Dominant Polycystic Kidney Disease, Cystinuria, and others



## Nephrology NSM mediated disease opportunities



Source: Torra et al, UGA hopping: a sport for nephrologists too? Nephrol Dial Transplant (2010) 25: 2391–2395



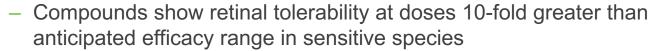
## **Ocular Program Development**



- High unmet medical need and prevalence of nonsense mutations across inherited retinal diseases (IRDs)
- Screened multiple compounds from ERSG library for read-through and tolerability
- IND-enabling studies are progressing







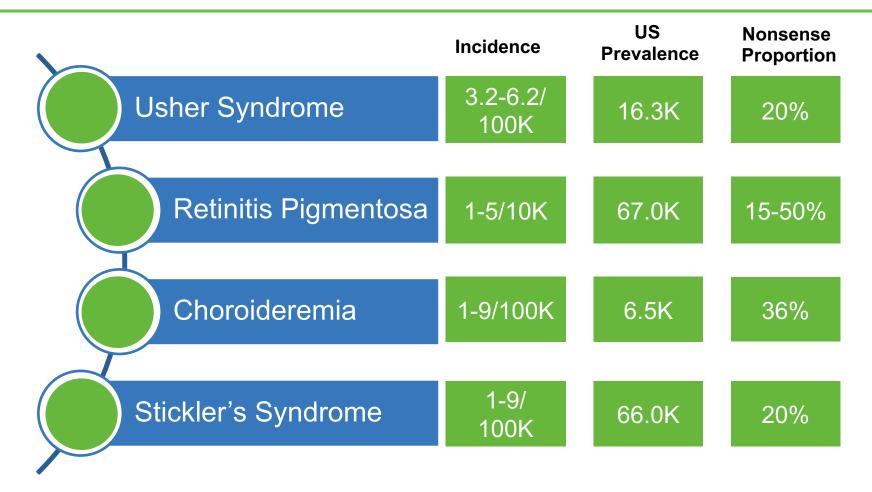
- No adverse ELX compound-related retinal anatomic or functional changes observed to date by histopathology and ERG
- Dose-dependent read-through of Usher mutations greater than gentamicin reference
- Encouraging PK demonstrating retina exposure
- Growing team of ophthalmic expertise
- Support from the FFB and Research Community







## **Substantial Opportunities in Inherited Retinal Diseases**

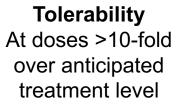


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## **Emerging Profile of Read-through For Usher Syndrome**







Read-through
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Pharmacokinetics
demonstrate
substantial retinal
exposure



Focus
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- Topline ELX-02 Phase 2 Data in Cystic Fibrosis and Cystinosis in 2019
- Reported Cash & Cash Equivalents at June 30, 2019 of \$76.3M funded through top-line data and into 2021







Thank you.

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