to first the rapeutic trough and mean number of days treated were significantly higher in IVDU versus non-IVDR samples (65.9 vs. 50.2 hours P=0.044 and 5.4 vs. 12.3 days P=0.017, respectively). There was no detectable difference in rates of AKI and vancomyc in failure.

Primary outcome graph for patients with IV drug use



Primary outcome graph for patients without IV drug use



Conclusion. Vancomycin use in patients with IVDU resulted in significantly lower steady state troughs compared to patients who were non-IVDU. These patients also had a longer time to first therapeutic trough. Patient populations who are IVDU may require additional consideration as a special population for future development of vancomycin pharmacokinetic models.

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1097. A Comparison of Area-Under Curve (AUC)-Guided vs Trough-Guided Monitoring of Vancomycin and Its Impact on Nephrotoxicity: A Systematic Review and Meta-analysis

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Background. Trough levels have been used for Vancomycin (VAN) therapeutic drug monitoring (TDM) historically due to its practicality. A paradigm shift towards the use of area under curve (AUC)-guided dosing TDM has been made due to availability of advanced pharmacokinetics software, variability between trough levels and AUC values and the potential for reducing toxicity. This review aims to evaluate the impact of AUC-guided vs trough-guided vancomycin TDM on nephrotoxicity-related outcomes.

Methods. A systematic review was conducted using PubMed*, Embase*, Web of Science*, CINAHL*, Google scholar and Cochrane library* up till 1st January 2021 and was reported according to the PRISMA checklist. Studies which evaluated AUC-guided or trough-guided VAN TDM and vancomycin-associated nephrotoxicity were included. Random effects models were used to compare differences in nephrotoxicity between trough level or AUC based vancomycin TDM due to expected heterogeneity in study designs.

PRISMA Flowchart



PRISMA flow chart depicting the selection process of studies included in the meta-analysis

Results. Of 1191 records retrieved, 57 studies were included. Majority of studies included adult and elderly patients (n=47, 82.5%). The pooled prevalence of nephrotoxicity was lower using the AUC-guided TDM [6.2%, 95% confidence interval (CI): 2.9 - 9.5%] compared to trough-guided TDM [17.0%; 95% CI: 14.7 - 19.2%]. The risk of nephrotoxicity was lower with the AUC-guided approach as compared with the trough-guided approach [OR: 0.53, 95% CI: 0.32 - 0.89]. AUC thresholds correlated with risk of nephrotoxicity only for the first 96 hours of therapy. A frequency analysis of significant multivariable factors showed that concomitant use of nephrotoxicity.

Forest plot comparing the risk of nephrotoxicity of AUC-guided vs trough-guided

	AUC		Troug	gh		Odds Ratio		Odds	Ratio	
Study or Subgroup	Events	Total	Events	Total	Weight	M-H, Random, 95% CI		M-H, Rand	om, 95% CI	
Finch 2017	54	734	54	546	45.4%	0.72 [0.49, 1.07]		-		
Muklewicz 2021	24	328	35	308	36.7%	0.62 [0.36, 1.06]		-		
Neely 2018	2	177	6	75	8.7%	0.13 [0.03, 0.67]				
Dda 2020	2	22	15	52	9.2%	0.25 [0.05, 1.19]			t i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i	
Total (95% CI)		1261		981	100.0%	0.53 [0.32, 0.89]		+		
Total events	82		110							
Heterogeneity: Tau ² =	0.11; Ch	² = 5.4	3, df = 3 (P = 0.1	4); I ² = 45	%	0.001	1	1	1000
Fest for overall effect: Z = 2.39 (P = 0.02)								Favours AUC	Favours Trough	1000

Forest plot comparing the risk of nephrotoxicity of AUC-guided vs trough-guided Pooled nephrotoxicity rates from AUC-guided monitoring



Pooled nephrotoxicity rates from AUC-guided monitoring Pooled nephrotoxicity rates from trough-guided monitoring



Pooled nephrotoxicity rates from trough-guided monitoring

Conclusion. The AUC-guided approach appeared to have lower risk of nephrotoxicity which supports the updated American Society of Health-System Pharmacists recommendations. More studies should be performed to evaluate the optimal derivation of AUC and clinical utility of repeated measurements of vancomycin AUC and trough levels.

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1098. A Phase 1 Safety and Tolerability of Single Ascending Doses of a Novel Engineered Cationic Peptide, PLG0206, in Healthy Subjects

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Background. PLG0206 is a novel engineered cationic antimicrobial peptide being evaluated for treatment of prosthetic joint infections (PJI). This abstract presents the results from the first in human study to evaluate the safety, tolerability and pharmacokinetic (PK) profile of PLG0206 when administered as an intravenous (IV) infusion.

Methods. 6 cohorts of 8 participants were planned to receive escalating single 1-hour IV infusions of PLG0206 at 0.05, 0.125, 0.25, 0.5, 1, 2 and 3 mg/kg dose or placebo. Participants were randomized to receive either PLG0206 (6 per cohort) or placebo (2 per cohort). At each dose level, there were 2 sentinel participants (1 active, 1 placebo) who were dosed at least 48 hours in advance of the other participants in their group. Serial pharmacokinetic samples were taken prior to infusion and up to 48 post infusion. Safety and tolerability was assessed throughout the study. There was at least a 7-day period after dosing at each of the dose levels before dose escalation.

Results. PLG0206 was safe and well tolerated when administered to healthy volunteers at doses ranging from 0.05 and 1 mg/kg. Therapeutic exposures were achieved at 1 mg/kg. The 2 and 3 mg/kg cohorts were not studied. The incidence of treatment emergent adverse events related to study drug administration was low and most events mild (Grade 1) in severity and was similar between the PLG0206 treatment and placebo groups. There were no SAEs, life-threatening events or deaths throughout the study. IV PLG0206 exhibited linear PK over the dose range of 0.05 to 1.0 mg/kg. The median terminal half-life (t¹/₂) ranged from 7.37 to 19.97 hours. AUC₀ increased with increasing PLG0206 dose ranging between 1581.41 and 21141.52 ng.hr/mL. Cmax ranged between 256 and 2653 ng/mL. The mean apparent volume of distribution (Vz) increased was between 25.49 and 94.2 L, mean clearance (CL) were similar across all and ranged from 2.42 to 4.18 L/hour.

Conclusion. Following single IV infusion to healthy volunteers, PLG0206 was safe and well tolerated at doses ranging from 0.05 to 1 mg/kg. IV PLG0206 exhibits linear PK over the dose range. These findings support the ongoing development of IV PLG0206 and will inform dosing regimens in future studies to investigate its utility as an antimicrobial agent.

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1099. Evaluation of the Safety and Pharmacokinetics (PK) following

Administration of Single and Multiple Doses of Anti-Staphylococcal Lysin, LSVT-1701, in Healthy Adult Subjects

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Background. LSVT-1701 is an anti-staphylococcal phage lysin being developed for treatment of MRSA infections in combination with SoC antibiotics. The safety and PK of single ascending doses of LSVT-1701 0.1 to 10 mg/kg in healthy adult volunteers were previously described (Jun, et.al, AAC 2017;61:e02629-16). We further evaluated the safety and PK of multiple ascending doses of LSVT-1701 in healthy adult subjects.

Methods. Study ITB-101-1b was a Phase 1, randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled, multiple ascending dose study. 8 subjects were randomized 3:1 to active:placebo in each cohort. LSVT-1701 was administered as a 6 mg/kg single dose and twice daily (BID) doses of 1.5, 3.0, and 4.5 mg/kg for 4 days (24h between Doses 1-2, 12h between Doses 2-6). Study drugs were administered as a 1-hour IV infusion. Serial serum samples were collected over 24 hours following the first and last doses for measurement of LSVT-1701 concentrations by a validated ELISA method. PK analysis of LSVT-1701 concentration-time data was done using noncompartmental methods. Safety was assessed by AEs, clinical labs, vital signs, and ECG.

Results. 30/32 (94%) subjects completed the study. No subjects withdrew due to AEs, and there were no severe AEs, no serious AEs, and no deaths. AEs were of mild (97%) to moderate (3%) intensity and were reported by all subjects in the LSVT-1701 6 mg/kg single dose group and 1-3 (17-50%) of subjects receiving 1.5 to 4.5 mg/kg BID or placebo. The most common AEs of headache, chills, rigors, and fever generally lasted for ≤2 days with or without acetaminophen treatment, and no clinically significant changes in blood pressure, heart rate, ECG, or clinical labs (other than transient increases in CRP) were observed. Infusion site reactions (erythema, pain, induration, warmth) were observed with BID administration of LSVT-1701, but not with the single 6 mg/kg dose or placebo. LSVT-1701 exposure increased greater than in proportion to

dose and $t_{_{1/2}}$ was concentration-dependent, increasing with higher doses. No accumulation in LSVT-1701 exposure was observed. Summary of LSVT-1701 PK Parameters

LSVT-1701 Dose (mg/kg)	Day	Mean (SD)					
BID [N=6/cohort]		AUC ^a (µg.h/mL)	Cmax (µg/mL)	t/1/2 (h)			
1.5 single dose (N=6)	1	1.14 (0.519)	1.24 (0.509)	0.39 (0.08)			
3.0 single dose (N=6)	1	5.70 (1.35)	4.93 (1.08)	0.73 (0.21)			
4.5 single dose (N=6)	1	11.8 (1.15)	10.8 (1.53)	1.16 (0.29)			
6.0 single dose (N=6)	1	24.8 (7.05)	21.4 (3.91)	3.38 (3.40)			
1.5 BID (N=6)	4	1.23 (0.657)	1.30 (0.696)	0.45 (0.16)			
3.0 BID (N=6)	4	5.70 (1.34)	5.01 (1.21)	2.02 (0.78)			
4.5 BID (N=6)	4	10.3 (1.56)	10.2 (1.43)	3.72 (2.85)			

Summary of LSVT-1701 PK Parameters

The safety and PK profile of LSVT-1701 is favorable for evaluation Conclusion. in patients with

S. aureus infections, including bacteremia and infective endocarditis, for which new treatments are needed.

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1100. A Prospective Evaluation of Neurotoxicity Among Patients Receiving Dose-Optimized Cefepime or Meropenem With Concomitant Therapeutic Drug Monitoring

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Background. Cefepime (FEP) induced neurotoxicity (NT) may have serious implications for patients (pts). Retrospective studies have employed variable definitions of NT, finding renal impairment and FEP trough concentrations (Cmin) > 20 mg/L as risk factors. Prospective studies comparing antibiotics have not been performed.

Methods We conducted a prospective study of pts receiving FEP or meropenem (MEM) with neurologic evaluation and therapeutic drug monitoring (TDM). A NT advisory board (NTAB) was established to develop standardized definitions of possible, probable and definitive NT (Fig 1). Cases of potential NT were adjudicated by the NTAB who were blinded to study treatment. FEP and MEM midpoint and Cmin concentrations were measured at steady-state by validated methods.

Figure 1. Neurotoxicity Definitions

Beta-lactam Neurotoxicity	Onset of Symptoms		Alternative Diagnosis	EEG Findings	Neuroimaging findings		Clinical Improvement		
Unlikely	Prior to beta-lactam initiation or after beta- lactam discontinuation		Alternative diagnosis more likely to have caused clinical syndrome	EEG normal or changes consistent with alternative explanation	Neuroimaging absent or inconclusive for etiology of neurotoxicity.		No clinical improvement after discontinuation of beta-lactam		
Possible	During beta-lactam therapy		Alternative diagnosis as likely to have caused clinical presentation	EEG changes equally consistent with beta- lactam neurotoxicity or alternative explanation	Neuroimaging absent or inconclusive for etiology of neurotoxicity.		No clinical improvement or unclear clinical improvement after discontinuation of beta-lactam		
Probable	≤ 5 days from ≥ 1 of the following: Beta-lactam initiation or Dose increase or Worsening renal function		Alternative diagnosis less likely than beta- lactam to have caused symptoms	EEG changes consistent with beta-lactam neurotoxicity and alternative explanation less likely	Neuroimaging less likely to support alternative etiology of neurotoxicity		Clinical improvement after discontinuation of beta-lactam		
Definitive	s 5 days from 2 1 of the following: Beta-lactam initiation or Dose increase or Worsening renal function		Alternative diagnosis much less likely to have cause symptoms	EEG changes consistent with beta-lactam neurotoxicity without alternative explanation and improvement in EEG off of beta-lactam	Neuroimaging not supportive of alternative etiologies for neurotoxicity		Clinical improvement after discontinuation of beta-lactam		
Objective	Neurotoxicity	Subje	ctive Neurotoxicity	Neurologic Adverse Read	tions	Neu	rotoxicity Adv	isory Board (NTAB)	
Ataxia A		Alte	ered mental status	Headache	ID		Physician ID Pharmacist		
Encephalopathy O		Cog	nitive disturbances	Dizziness	Ir		Intensivist Neuro Intensivist		
Myoclonus		Paresthesia		Blurry vision			Epileptologist x2		
Seizures			Somnolence	Other					
Non-epileptiform EEG changes (See separate chart)		Difficulty awakening from sedation							

Results. 127 patients were included (70 FEP, 57 MEM). Demographics and treatment characteristics were similar between groups (Fig 2); 63% were in the ICU. FEP and MEM Cmin varied from 1.9 - 140.5 and 0.6 - 31.3 mg/L, respectively. Median FEP Cmin and total exposures (AUC) were 23.1 mg/L and 347.6 hr*mg/L, respectively. Corresponding MEM values were 5.9 mg/L and 124.8 hr*mg/L, respectively. Cmin values were inversely correlated with renal function for both FEP and MEM (P< 0.001). Rates of possible, probable, or definitive NT were 10% and S% for FEP and MEM, respectively (P=0.51; Fig 3). 16% and 3% of pts with FEP Cmin > or < 20 mg/L had NT, respectively (P=0.11; Fig 4). Median MEM Cmin were 12.3 and 5.4 mg/L among pts with and without NT, respectively (P=0.09; Fig 4). Rates of NT did not vary by infusion length or dose. FEP and MEM exposures were similar between patients with (17%) or without (83%) microbiologic recurrence due to the same pathogen. FEP was discontinued in 4 pts due to NT; no pts stopped MEM due to NT.