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Cytisinicline, as a first potential new nicotine dependent treatment in nearly 20 years, gives Achieve Life Sciences a unique opportunity to treat an addressable market of up to 50 million Americans who use tobacco¹ Addressing nicotine dependence, an underserved public health crisis costing billions of dollars and impacting lives.

Smoking cessation NDA filed with launch expected in 2H26. Vaping cessation indication, under FDA Breakthrough Therapy designation and Priority Review.

Competitive advantage with a highly differentiated and welltolerated product profile and favorable payor environment with anticipated Affordable Care Act coverage.



Focused launch strategy leveraging innovative, data-driven solutions to drive adoption and future growth.

Driving toward regulatory approval and launch Anticipated timeline and key milestones



Over \$600B in smokingrelated U.S. health care costs annually¹

80%

of deaths from lung cancer & COPD from smoking³

2-4x

increased risk of CVD from smoking³

30-40%

increased risk of Type 2 Diabetes from smoking³

9x

increased risk of stroke from heavy smoking⁴

1. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. (2024, September 17). Economic trends in tobacco. https://www.cdc.gov/tobacco/php/data-statistics/economic-trends/index.html. 2. VanFrank B, Malarcher A, Cornelius ME, Schecter A, Jamal A, Tynan M. Adult Smoking Cessation — United States, 2022. MMWR Morb Mortal Wkly Rep 2024;73:633–641; 3. USDHHS-The Health Consequences of Smoking-2014; 4. Bhat VM.-2008.

29M U.S. smokers with few treatment options²



~60% of adult e-cigarette users want to quit¹

- Majority of people who vape are 18-24 and have never smoked^{3,4}
- Instead of harm reduction, this is possible harm creation for this group
- Many popular vapes used by young adults contain the nicotine equivalent of 13 packs of cigarettes⁵
- The cumulative exposure to vape aerosols over time in these young vapers could lead to severe nicotine dependence and the emergence of previously unknown lung diseases
- Palmer AM, Smith TT, Nahhas GJ, et al. Interest in quitting e-cigarettes among adult e-cigarette users with and without cigarette smoking history. JAMA Netw Open. 2021;4(4):e214146.
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- Leigh, N. J., Page, M. K., Jamil, H., & Goniewicz, M. L. (2024). Characteristics and ingredients of disposable 'Elfbar'e-cigarettes sold in the United States and the United Kingdom. Addiction.
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~17M U.S. adults reported use of e-cigarettes²



Source: National Center for Health Statistics, National Health Survey⁶

Cytisinicline: The first new potential treatment option for nicotine dependence in 20 years



Nicotine dependence alters brain chemistry

Cytisinicline helps restore it

Dual-acting mechanism of action



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Strong results from smoking cessation trials

ORCA-2 and ORCA-3: Efficacy, tolerability, craving reduction, broad patient response



Source: ORCA-2: Rigotti NA, Benowitz NL, Prochaska JJ, et al. Cytisinicline for Smoking Cessation: A Randomized Clinical Trial. *JAMA*. 2023;330(2):152–160. ORCA-3: Rigotti NA, Benowitz NL, Prochaska JJ, et al. Cytisinicline for Smoking Cessation: The ORCA Phase 3 Replication Randomized Clinical Trial. *JAMA Intern Med*. Published online April 21, 2025. doi:10.1001/jamainternmed.2025.0628

Cytisinicline

Placebo

Overall effectiveness: Pooled Phase 3 studies

Cytisinicline demonstrates higher abstinence rates vs placebo



Abstinence by self-report of not smoking and verified by carbon monoxide < 10ppm

Highly selective targeting improves tolerability profile

Adverse event profile compared to Chantix®

Comparative Analysis of Safety Events*

	Cytisinicline ¹	Varenicline (Chantix®) ²
Treatment Time	12 weeks	12 weeks
Adverse Events		
Nausea	6.2%	30%
Insomnia	10.8%	18%
Abnormal Dreams	7.7%	13%
Headache	8.1%	15%

Selective Receptor Targeting³

Cytisinicline³Varenicline (Chantix®)²Adverse Events5-HT3Nauseaα7Sleep Disturbancesα4β2α4β2

Chantix[®] is a registered trademark of Pfizer, Inc.

1. Data on file; Achieve Life Sciences ORCA-2 & ORCA-3 pooled data.

2. Chantix Prescribing Information, 6/2018 Pfizer, Inc.

3. Coe J et al. J. Med. Chem. 2005, 48:3474-3477; Papke RL et al. JPET. 2011, 337:367-379; Slater YE et al. Neuropharm. 2003, 44:503–515; Lummis SCR et al. JPET. 2011, 339:125–131. 4. Lummis, SCR, Price,KL, Clarke A, SRNT-E 2020.

Cytisinicline is >2000 fold less potent at the human 5-HT3 receptor⁴

*Not a head-to-head comparison trial evaluation.

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Smoking cessation trials demonstrated clear benefits

Efficacy, tolerability, craving reduction, broad patient response

Robust efficacy

Odds ratios exceeding all available treatment options in both 6- and 12-week dosing options

Key insights from smoking cessation trials (N=1602)

Excellent tolerability

Nearly all single-digit rates of adverse events and excellent treatment adherence

Reduction in cravings and urges

Clear and significant reductions in overall urges and cravings occurred within 6 weeks of cytisinicline treatment

Broad patient response

Cytisinicline benefited heavily pre-treated and hardened smokers regardless of gender, age, prior quit attempts (# and methods), and other concomitant medical conditions

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Vaping trial expands nicotine dependence opportunity

Efficacy, tolerability, compliance, Phase 3 warranted

Phase 2 ORCA-V1 trial design

Nicotine E-Cigarette Cessation Trial



Key insights from vaping cessation trial (N=160)

Robust efficacy

Statistically significant quit rates despite small sample size showing 2.6x (p=0.035) increased likelihood of quitting

Excellent tolerability

Favorable adverse event profile demonstrated, no serious adverse events reported

High-level compliance

Greater compliance observed in cytisinicline-treated arm compared to placebo

Phase 3 warranted

Strong evidence supporting use of cytisinicline for vaping cessation to be further evaluated in Phase 3 ORCA-V2 trial

Breakthrough therapy granted (with Priority Review) for cytisinicline in vaping cessation

Phase 3 ORCA-V2 trial design for vaping cessation

Phase 3 ORCA-V2 trial design

Nicotine E-cigarette cessation trial



Innovative and Focused... a data-driven commercialization strategy for maximum impact

Attractive market conditions to launch the first smoking cessation treatment in 20 years

Clearly defined customer segments with high unmet need



Limited treatment options with nothing new since 2006 – most have tried and failed Well-established therapeutic category



Harms of smoking are known – education to focus on optimal patient selection Ease of market entry and prescribing



ACA coverage expected Favorable tolerability profile reduces HCP burden Quiet promotional landscape

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No branded products to battle for share of voice and customer headspace – nothing new on the horizon

Unlocking value by addressing a critical unmet public health need



Lack of options for people who want to quit & for **HCPs**

~53% attempt to guit smoking annually¹ ~50% who saw an HCP received advice about quitting⁵ <10% successfully quit¹

No new FDA-approved options in nearly 20 years

CDC estimates 36% of people who smoke utilize **Rx and OTC cessation** treatments annually⁵

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- 2. Estimate of \$500/mo. Chantix pricing 1 mo.. Rx/patient
- 3. Vahratian A, Briones EM, Jamal A, Marynak KL. Electronic cigarette use among adults in the United States, 2019–2023. NCHS Data Brief, no 524. Hyattsville, MD: National Center for Health Statistics. 2025. DOI: https://dx.doi.org/ 10.15620/cdc/174583
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- 5. Centers for Disease Control Smoking Cessation Fast Facts, accessed 2/8/25.

Precise targeting of high-volume prescribers and engaged quitters

Changing the Narrative about Nicotine Dependence Medical Issue vs. Moral Issue

Drive Awareness & Education of Cytisinicline First New Treatment in 20 Years

Focus at Launch on Audiences Most Likely to Take Action: High-Volume Prescribers & Engaged Quitters

Cessation Rx Enthusiasts

- High prescribing volume of varenicline
- Sizeable smoking population in practice
- Actively initiates in cessation discussions and follows up
- Prefers Rx to natural treatments
- Favorable impression of cytisinicline

Highly Motivated Quitters

- Heavy, long-term smoker embarrassed of habit and concerned about its health impact
- Consider quitting a top priority
- Confident in healthcare system and utilize it regularly
- Proactively pursue Rx from doctor
- Willing to take oral medication for 6-12 weeks

Focused Health Care Provider (HCP) launch strategy

Built for growth: initial target on varenicline market share



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Traditional pharma promotional model is evolving

HCP access and engagement preferences have changed

Traditional approach: Activity based & siloed

Over-indexing on F2F sales rep-to-doctor interactions and rep-provided content





1. Veeva Pulse Field Trend Report, Jan.-Dec. 2023. 2. P360 "Maximizing Pharma Sales Call Effectiveness in Today's Industry" Dec. 2023. 3. Prescriber Point Maximizing HCP engagement with your mobile & social media channels, July 2024.

Launch focus on data-driven omnichannel approach



Transforming public health while delivering shareholder value

ACHV: Poised to disrupt and drive value

Executive summary

Public health priority Smoking is the leading cause of preventable death and disease. ¹ Covered by the Affordable Care Act. ²	Near-term solution With a compelling data package and differentiated product profile, we believe cytisinicline is well- positioned to become the new standard of care for nicotine dependence.	Proven leadership Executive team and board of directors with track record of successful value creation.
Clear commercial vision Large and underserved market opportunity and patient need for new and effective treatment for nicotine dependence.	Strong IP position Broad IP portfolio and patent protection to 2040.	Cash position Cash runway into the second half of 2026.

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