Botulinum Neuromodulators: Clinical Data & Applications

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Will discuss <u>off-label</u> uses Will use <u>brand names</u> for ease of understanding Will refer to BOTOX *Cosmetic* as BOTOX



BoTN-A Product Information

FDA Approved

- BOTOX Cosmetic OnabotulinumtoxinA
- DYSPORT AbobotulinumtoxinA
- XEOMIN IncobotulinumtoxinA

Not FDA Approved

- MYOBLOC RimabotulinumtoxinB
- NEURONOX Botulinum toxin A
- RT001- Botulinum toxin A (Topical)



FDA Cosmetic Approval

- **BOTOX** *Cosmetic* * [Allergan]
 - Moderate to severe glabellar lines
 - Moderate to severe lateral canthal lines
- **DYSPORT**

[Medicis/Valeant]

- Moderate to severe glabellar lines
- **XEOMIN** [Merz Aesthetics]

- Moderate to severe glabellar lines

• All for adults ≤ 65 years old



What FDA Wants You to Know

- Black Box Warning
 - Possibility of experiencing potentially life-threatening distant spread of toxin effect from injection site after local injection
 - Not reported in cosmetic uses
- Risk Evaluation and Mitigation Strategy (REMS)
 - Medication Guide to help patients understand risks & benefits
- Potency units are specific to each BoTN-A product
 - Doses or units cannot be compared or converted



BoTN-A Mechanism of Action

Block neuromuscular junction transmission by inhibiting <u>acetyl choline</u> release

- BoTN-A binds to cholinergic nerve terminals
- Internalized into nerve
- Light-chain translocated into nerve cytosol
- Enzymatic cleavage of SNAP-25 (essential for ACh release)
- Impulse transmission re-established by formation of new nerve endings





Hallett NEJM 1999;341 (2): 118

Product Comparison

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Strain	• Hall (Allergan)	• Hall [¥]	• Hall
Receptor/Target	• SV2/SNAP-25	• SV2/SNAP-25	• SV2/SNAP-25
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BoTN-A Molecule

BoTN-A



BoTN-A + Accessory Proteins



Non-Hemagglutinin Protein



BoTN-A Protein Comparison



Pivotal Study Doses

BoTN-A	Dilution	Glabella	Duration
BOTOX	4u/0.1 cc	4 u at 5 sites	3-4 months
DYSPORT	10u/0.08 cc	10 u at 5 sites	3-4 months
XEOMIN	4u/0.1 cc	4 u at 5 sites	3 months

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BOTOX Pivotal Studies

50% of patients maintain improvement at 3 months



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DYSPORT Pivotal Studies

40% - 50% of patients maintain 1-Grade improvement at 3 months

Improvement at every time point²

Investigator and Subject Assessment of 1+ Grade Improvement in Glabellar Line Severity at Maximum Frown (Study GL-3)^{1,2} Post-treatment Glabellar Line Severity of None or Mild with at Least a 1-Grade Improvement from Baseline



GL-3 was a 5-month, single-dose, double-blind, multicenter, randomized, placebo-controlled study (N=300) to assess the safety and efficacy of 50 Units of *Dysport* vs placebo in subjects with moderate to severe glabellar lines at maximum frown.¹ 60% (120/200 *Dysport* patients versus 0% treated with placebo) met the primary endpoint.

Improvement demonstrated for up to 4 months³





^{*} NS = Not statistically significan

GL-1 was a 6-month, single-dose, double-blind, multicenter, randomized, placebo-controlled study (N=158) to assess the safety and efficacy of 50 Units of *Dysport* vs placebo in subjects with moderate to severe glabellar lines at maximum frown.¹ 55% percent (58/105 *Dysport* patients versus 0% treated with placebo) met the primary endpoint.



XEOMIN Pivotal Studies

15% - 25% of patients maintain 2-Grade improvement at 3 months





BOTOX vs DYSPORT Dose

For cervical dystonia and blepharospasm



BOTOX vs DYSPORT Duration

Duration From a Double-Blind, Randomized, Parallel-Group Study¹

Incidence of at least 1-grade improvement from baseline in glabellar line severity at maximum contraction





Lowe, J Am Acad Dermatol 2006

BOTOX vs XEOMIN Dose

Meta-analysis established 1:1 dose effectiveness but not duration

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Relative Potency of A Meta-Analysis of	⁻ Incobotulinumtoxin Key Evidence	A vs OnabotulinumtoxinA
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Botulinum neurotoxin-A (BoNT-A) has available. Although widely assumed to (Botox®/Vistabel®, Allergan UK, Mar raised concerns that clinicians may b a review of the clinical evidence for the analysis, carried out using mixed trea demonstrated that at a dose of 24 uni in achieving a response as defined in clinical and preclinical studies identifi suggested that there was no difference formulations to be equipotent until sug	become widely used in aesthetic applications be equipotent, recent claims that the original low, UK) is more potent than incobotulinumtox e persuaded to increase doses to the potentia e commercially available cosmetic formulations tment analysis (MTA) methodology, of the ava ts, there was a 94% likelihood that incobotulin the included studies; however, the scale of this ed comparing incobotulinumtoxinA and onabot e in the relative potency of the two products. A ch time that compelling clinical evidence to the	over the past 20 years with several formulations now commercial formulation, onabotulinumtoxinA inA (Bocouture®/Xeomin®, Merz Pharma, UK) have I detriment of their patients. To investigate this further, s of BoNT-A was undertaken alongside a meta- ilable clinical data in the aesthetic setting. This umtoxinA was more effective than onabotulinumtoxinA s advantage was not clinically meaningful. Of 11 ulinumtoxinA directly, the weight of evidence as such, clinicians should continue to consider the e contrary becomes available.

J Drugs Dermatol. 2012;11(6):731-736.



Unique Characteristics

DYSPORT

- Don't use in cow's milk allergy
- May have greater diffusion area
 - Significant clinical effect?
 - Dilution and injection technique?
- May have more injection pain
 - Not significant clinical effect
 - Dilution and injection technique

XEOMIN

• Unreconstituted can store at room temperature



BoTN-A Resistance & Accessory Proteins

- Some patients develop less effect or nonresponse
- May be due to development of antibodies (Ab)
 - BoTN-A Ab very rare in cosmetic uses
 - Some secondary nonresponders don't have measured Ab
 - Some patients have measured Ab and still respond
- XEOMIN has no accessory proteins
 - May induce less Ab formation
 - But accessory protein Ab may not effect BoTN-A itself
 - Antibodies directly against BoTN-A may effect result



Personal Experience

- Fastest time to onset
- Shortest duration
- Cost*
- Pain
- Spread

DYSPORT (1-3 days) XEOMIN? **BOTOX > DYSPORT > XEOMIN** Same (technique?) Same (dilution & technique?)



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Personal Experience

- Accessory proteins
- Interchangeable
- Split face
- Patient cross-over
- BOTOX non-responders

Do they matter? Maybe (more similar than different) Not much difference Not much difference It's the same molecule but worth a try?



In Your Practice

- Consider your overall BoTN-A usage
 - Other product lines & rewards programs
 - Time to educate patients
 - High volume users may allow for 2 or 3 products
 - Low volume users may have more product waste
- What are patients demanding?
- Patient perceived superiority or inferiority of product
- Consider XEOMIN for touch-ups (cost & duration)
- New products = new marketing opportunities



Applications





Observe Patient During Conversation

- Watch for expressions & muscle movements during a normal conversation
- More appropriate initially than treating exaggerated or extreme movements



Patient Education

- Explain what it can & what it can't improve
- Introduce the "4 R's"
 - Relax, Resurface, Refill, then Relift



New Patients

- Informed consent & "off-label" use
- Photo documentation
- Start with lowest doses needed
- Need for 2 week follow up visit



Product Dilutions

Assume vial with 100 units of BOTOX

- 1.0cc = 10u/0.1 cc
- 2.0 cc = 5 u / 0.1 cc
- 2.5 cc = 4u/0.1 cc
- 4.0 cc = 2.5 u/0.1 cc

High injection volume increases diffusion (Forehead) Less product waste

Low injection volume limits diffusion (Glabella)

More product waste



Injection

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1.0 cc syringe with removable 32G needle (Less discomfort than 30G needle)

0.3 cc insulin syringe with fixed 31G needle

Needle dulls after a few injections



Document the Treatment

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Results after Last Injection:	l iH	
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Filler or Stimulator Artefill [A]Restylane [Rs] Betlateto [B]Rediasse [Rd] Juvederm Ultra [J]Rediasse [Rd] Juvederm Ultra Plus [J+Noluma [V] Sculptca [S]cc/vial Treatment outcomes:	Injection 32 ^{G Needle} 27 ^{G Missocanaule}	Anesthetic None Mi% Lido + Epj, at injection sites Nerve block Topical Ice
Place Product Stickers Here C 32 1578 Voluma 13-578 Additional Notes $F= 2w \times 6 = 12w$		2 2 2 2 2
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Injection Sites Assume Botox Units & First Treatment









Bunny Lines 2 Units per Injection Site

2-4 injection sites Procerus mucle Nasalis muscles





Upper Lip Lines 2 Units per Injection Site

1-2 injection sites per side







Forehead 2 Units per Injection Site







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Crow's Feet & Laugh Lines 2 Units per Injection Site

2-3 injection sites per side







Lateral Brow Lift 2 Units per Injection Site

1 injection site per side







Glabella 4-5 Units per Injection Site









Glabella 4-5 Units per Injection Site









Masseter Hypertrophy 5-10 Units per Injection Site

2-3 injection sites per side









Lip Corner Elevation 3 to 5 Units per Injection Site

1 injection per side Depressor anguli oris muscle





Gummy Smile 4-5 Units per Injection Site

1 injection per side



Levator labii superioris alaeque nasi muscle Other lip elevators





Chin Dimples 4-5 Units per Injection Site





Platysmal Bands 4 Units per Injection Site

1 injection every 1-2 cm per side





Eyelid Ptosis Reversal

- Alpha-adrenergic agonist ophthalmic eye drops
 - Apraclonidine 0.5% (Iopidine)
 - Naphazoline (Naphcon)
 - Phenylephrine 2.5% (Myfrin)
- Stimulate Mueller's muscle elevate ptotic eyelid
 - Typical 2 mm of lid elevation

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