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Alkermes Value Proposition: Opportunity for Significant Value Creation in 2025

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**Profitable business driven by
proprietary commercial products**

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**Leader in one of the most exciting
development spaces within neuroscience**

3

**Established scientific expertise and
clinical development experience**

**ALKS 2680
phase 2 data
expected in 2025:**

Randomized,
placebo-controlled,
multi-week studies
in patients with
narcolepsy type 1
and type 2

Highly Profitable, Self-Funding Business With Strong Balance Sheet



>\$1B of proprietary product net sales expected in 2025

Non-dilutive funding for development pipeline



>\$200M of EBITDA* expected in 2025

Ongoing commitment to efficiency



~\$825M in cash and investments at 12/31/24

Strong financial position and clean balance sheet**

EBITDA represents earnings before interest, tax, depreciation and amortization; earnings include share-based compensation expense.

*The company is not providing reconciliation of, or comparable measures prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in the U.S. ("GAAP") for this forward-looking non-GAAP measure because such measure is not determinable without unreasonable efforts due to the inherent difficulty in forecasting and quantifying certain future financial amounts necessary for such reconciliation, which amounts could have a significant impact on the comparable GAAP financial measure

** Retired ~\$290M of long-term debt and repurchased \$200M of the company's shares in 2024

Extensive Experience Developing Small Molecule CNS Medicines

Vivitrol[®]
(naltrexone for extended-release
injectable suspension) 380 mg/vial

LYBALVI[®]
olanzapine and samidorphan
5 mg/10 mg · 10 mg/10 mg · 15 mg/10 mg
20 mg/10 mg tablets

ARISTADA[®] *
aripiprazole lauroxil
extended-release injectable suspension
441 mg 662 mg 882 mg 1064 mg

VUMERITY[®] **
(diroximel fumarate) delayed-release
capsules 231 mg

Experience and established capabilities

- Dosage form design
- Clinical development
- Regulatory strategy
- Commercial positioning

CNS: Central nervous System

*Inclusive of ARISTADA INITIO[®]

**Licensed product (royalty & manufacturing revenue)



Advancing Neuroscience Pipeline in Hypersomnolence Disorders and Beyond

Central Disorders of Hypersomnolence: Narcolepsy and Idiopathic Hypersomnia

Distinguishing Clinical Features of Hypersomnolence Disorders

Narcolepsy type 1 (NT1)

Excessive daytime sleepiness with cataplexy, a sudden muscle weakness triggered by strong emotions

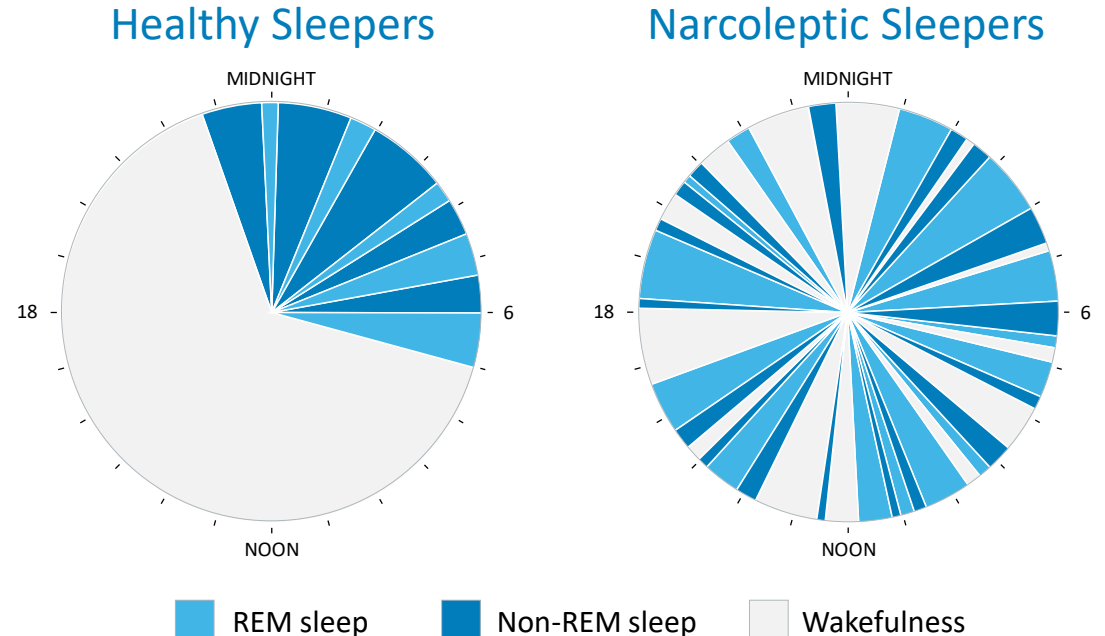
Narcolepsy type 2 (NT2)

Excessive daytime sleepiness, but no cataplexy

Idiopathic hypersomnia (IH)

Excessive daytime sleepiness, long sleep and sleep inertia (difficulty waking with repeated returns to sleep)

Distribution of Sleep Stages Over a 24-Hour Period:



For illustrative purposes. Source: <https://www.falling-asleep.com/advocacy-tools/>

High Unmet Need: Narcolepsy and Idiopathic Hypersomnia in the U.S.

Narcolepsy

200,000 prevalence^a

100,000 diagnosed^b



NT1: ~30%



NT2: ~70%



Idiopathic Hypersomnia

40,000 diagnosed^c



^aNarcolepsy Network Fast Facts

^bCohen et al., *Sleep Med* 43:14 (2018) and Longstreth et al., *Sleep Med* 10:422 (2009) prevalence rates applied to U.S. population

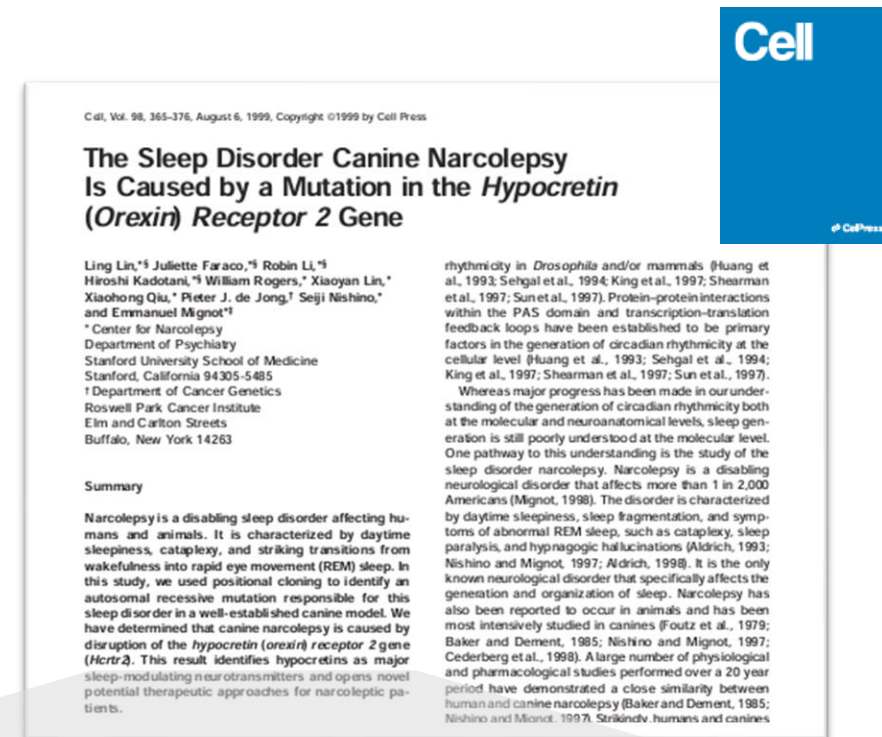
^cAcquavella et al., *J Clin Sleep Med* 16:1255 (2020)



A recent survey was conducted in the United States with the aim of sharing patients' perspectives on the treatment of narcolepsy...95% of responders reported having been prescribed at least one of the FDA-approved medications. Nonetheless, 74% complained of daily narcolepsy symptoms. Eighty-four percent described impaired work or school performance and judged their condition as moderate or severe.

Orexin System is the Master Regulator of Wakefulness

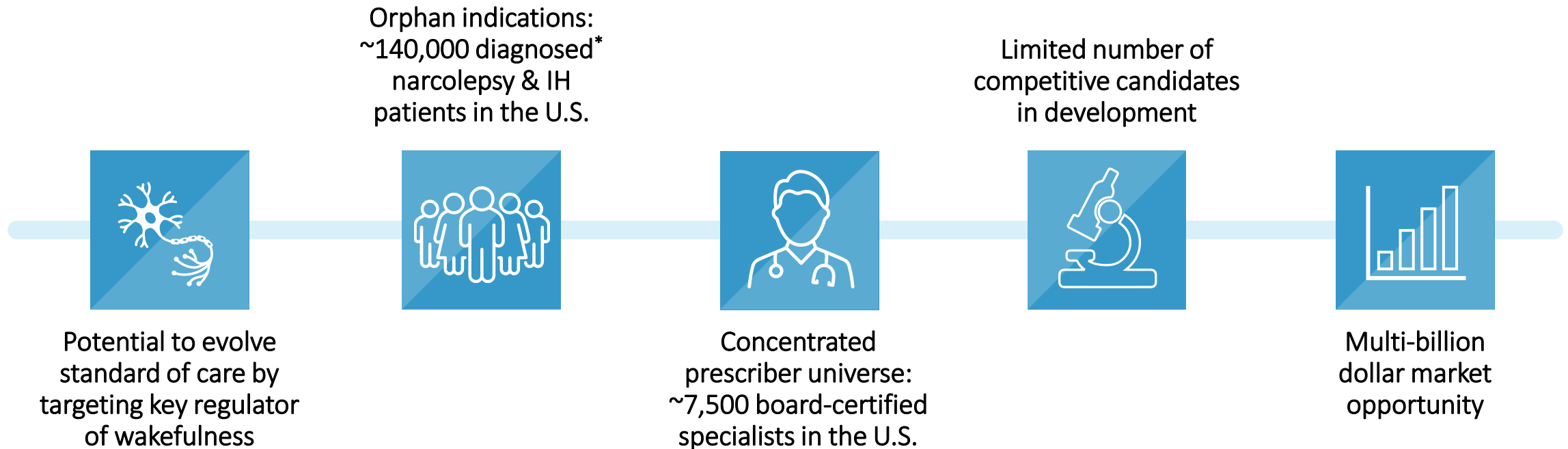
- Orexin (hypocretin), a neuropeptide produced in the hypothalamus, is the master regulator of wakefulness*
- Decreased orexin signaling leads to excessive daytime sleepiness associated with narcolepsy
- Narcolepsy type 1 is characterized by the loss/absence of orexin-producing neurons



This result identifies hypocretins as major sleep-modulating neurotransmitters and opens novel potential therapeutic approaches for narcoleptic patients.

*Buysse, D. Diagnosis and assessment of sleep and circadian rhythm disorders. Journal of Psychiatric Practice. 2005; 11(2):102-115

Orexin 2 Receptor Agonists: Transformative Potential in Hypersomnolence Disorders



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ALKS 2680: Differentiated Orexin 2 Receptor Agonist Advancing With Robust Phase 2 Dataset Expected in 2025



Data in patients across NT1, NT2 and IH

- Phase 1b demonstrated normalization* of wakefulness with once-daily dosing
- FDA Fast Track designation for narcolepsy



Designed to have a strong competitive profile

- Simple, once-daily dosing in NT1, NT2 and IH
- Range of doses to accommodate patient and disease variability in narcolepsy and IH
- Currently most advanced in development and potentially first-to-market in NT2 and IH



Phase 2 narcolepsy data expected in H2 2025

- Vibrance-1 (NT1) and Vibrance-2 (NT2) phase 2 studies ongoing
- Initiation of phase 2 study in idiopathic hypersomnia expected in H1 2025



Foundational for expansion

- Potential applicability of orexin biology in other disease categories
- Additional Alkermes orexin 2 receptor agonist molecules expected to enter clinic in 2025

*Mean sleep latencies for healthy individuals (30.4 ± 11.2 minutes); Krahn LE, et al. *J Clin Sleep Med.* 2021;17(12):2489-2498

ALKS 2680 Development Strategy Designed to Support Regulatory Approval and Competitive Positioning



Chemical design

- Potency
- Selectivity
- Oral bioavailability
- Blood brain penetration
- Pharmacokinetic profile



Clinical proof-of-concept data in patients

- Proof-of-concept endpoints: Maintenance of Wakefulness Test (MWT), Karolinska Sleepiness Scale
- Initial safety and tolerability
- Dose proportionality
- 1x daily dosing



Confirmatory clinical development studies (multi-week, phase 2/3)

- Regulatory endpoints: MWT, Epworth Sleepiness Scale, cataplexy events, Idiopathic Hypersomnia Severity Scale
- Safety and tolerability
- Patient-reported outcomes
- Long-term safety

ALKS 2680 Phase 1b: Wide Therapeutic Index With Generally Well-Tolerated Profile at All Doses Tested in NT1, NT2 and IH

- Most TEAEs were mild in severity and transient
- No serious or severe TEAEs, or TEAEs leading to discontinuation
- Treatment-related TEAEs* reported in >1 subject in each population listed below:
 - NT1: insomnia, pollakiuria, salivary hypersecretion, decreased appetite, dizziness, and nausea
 - NT2: pollakiuria, insomnia, and dizziness
 - IH: pollakiuria, insomnia, and dizziness
- No clinically meaningful changes in laboratory parameters
- No cardiovascular safety signals in vital signs or ECGs

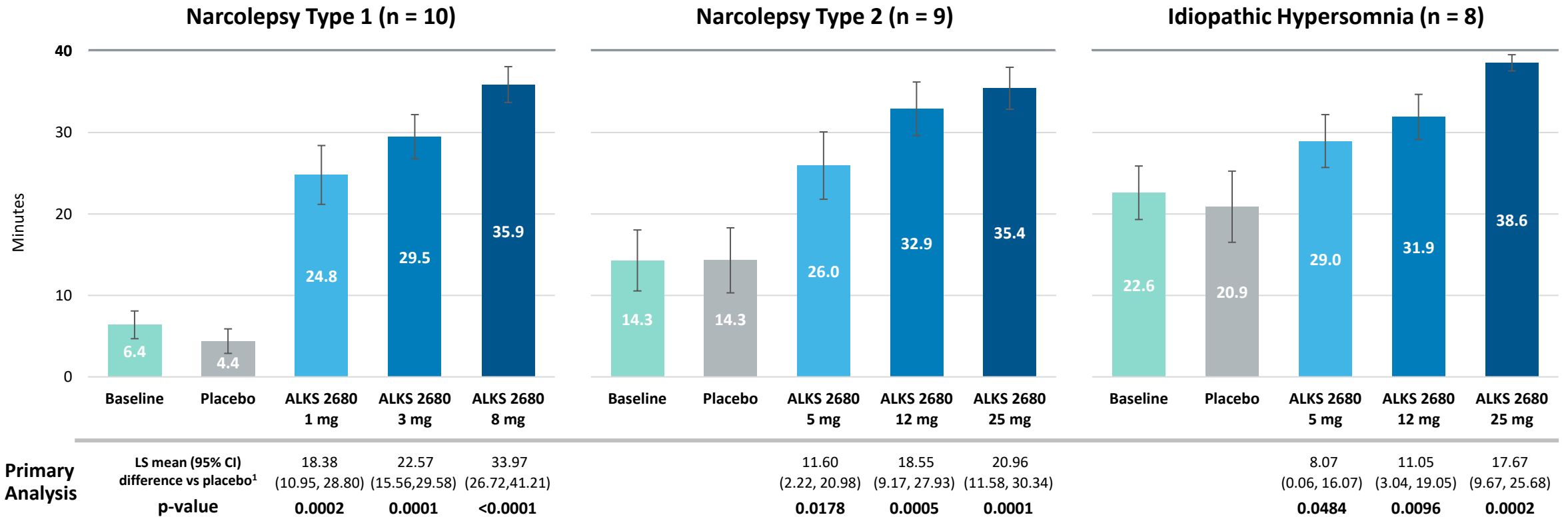
*Relationship per investigator determination.

Insomnia includes TEAE terms of insomnia, middle insomnia, and initial insomnia. Dizziness includes TEAE terms of dizziness and dizziness postural.

NT1: Narcolepsy type 1; NT2: Narcolepsy type 2; IH: Idiopathic hypersomnia; TEAE: Treatment-Emergent Adverse Event; ECG: Electrocardiogram

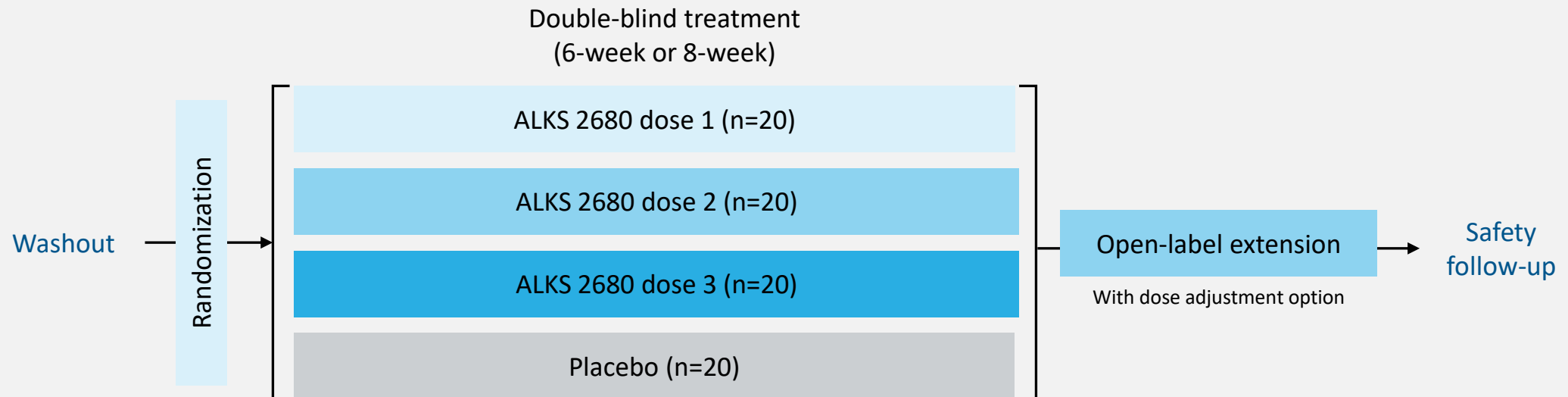
ALKS 2680 Phase 1b: Demonstrated Meaningful, Consistent and Dose-Dependent Effect on Wakefulness in NT1, NT2 & IH Patients

Absolute Mean Sleep Latency on Maintenance of Wakefulness Test (MWT) - Mean ± SE

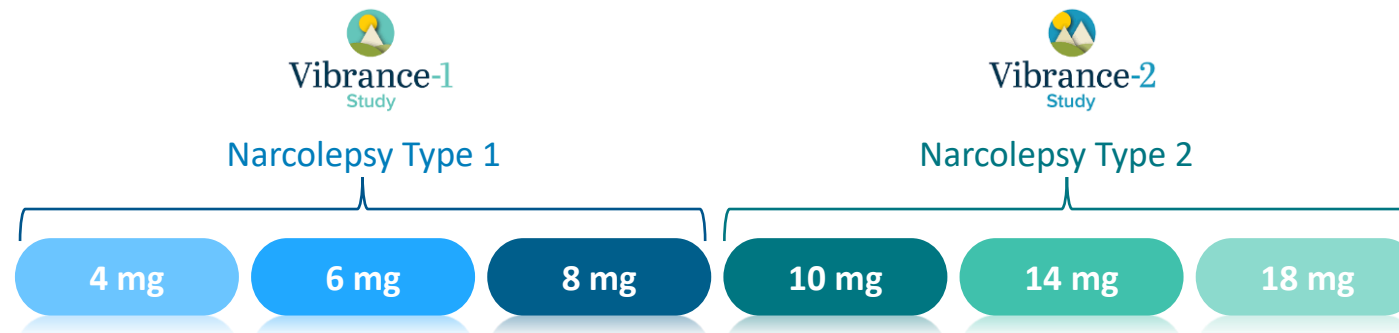


1: Primary analysis based on a mixed effect model of repeated measurement with the dose level and the period as fixed factors, and the average sleep latency on Day -1 is included as the baseline covariate
SE: standard error; LS: least squares

ALKS 2680 Phase 2 Clinical Program Evaluating Once-Daily Administration in Narcolepsy Type 1 and Type 2



**ALKS 2680
phase 2 doses**



Robust Phase 2 Design Incorporates Elements to Support Phase 3, Registration, Commercial Positioning



Key phase 2 program features:

- **Sample size and duration.** Robust dataset to capture patient variability, durability of effect and multi-week safety
- **Incorporates regulatory feedback.** Placebo-controlled, double-blind, multi-dose, parallel study design
- **Gold-standard clinical endpoints.** Consistent with planned phase 3 endpoints
- **Patient-reported outcome measures.** Characterize outcomes important to patients
- **Long-term, open-label extension.** Capture patient dose preference, long-term safety and tolerability data



Preparing for rapid initiation of phase 3 studies. Key workstreams:

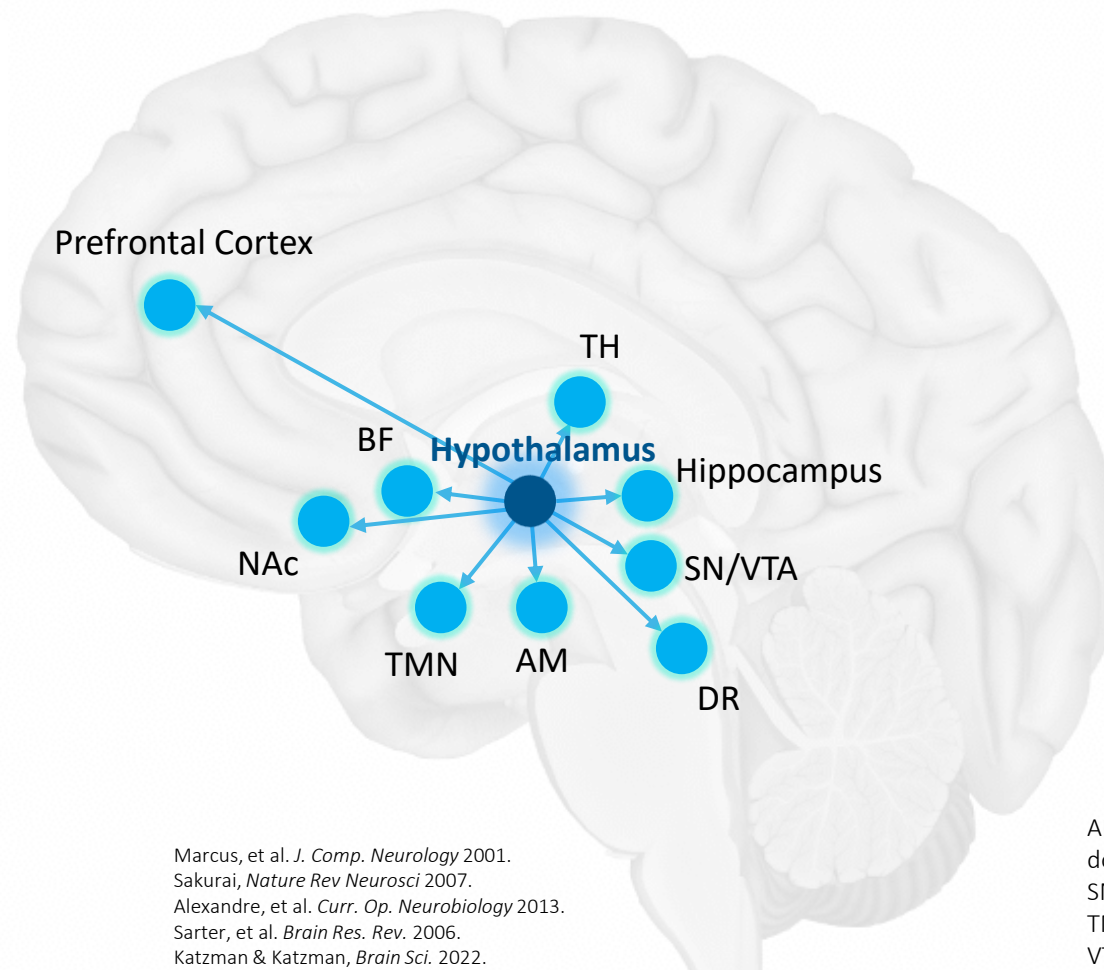
- **Manufacturing.** Production of clinical supply and registration stability batches
- **Phase 3 strategy and protocol design.** Leverage common features of Vibrance studies
- **Preparing for interactions with key regulatory authorities.** U.S. FDA and ex-U.S. regulators
- **Engaging with critical partners.** Clinicians, medical societies and patient advocacy organizations

Orexin System Modulates Diverse Neuronal Functions Beyond Wakefulness

Orexin pathway

Originates in hypothalamus and engages distributed neuronal circuitry

Promotes adaptive behavioral responses



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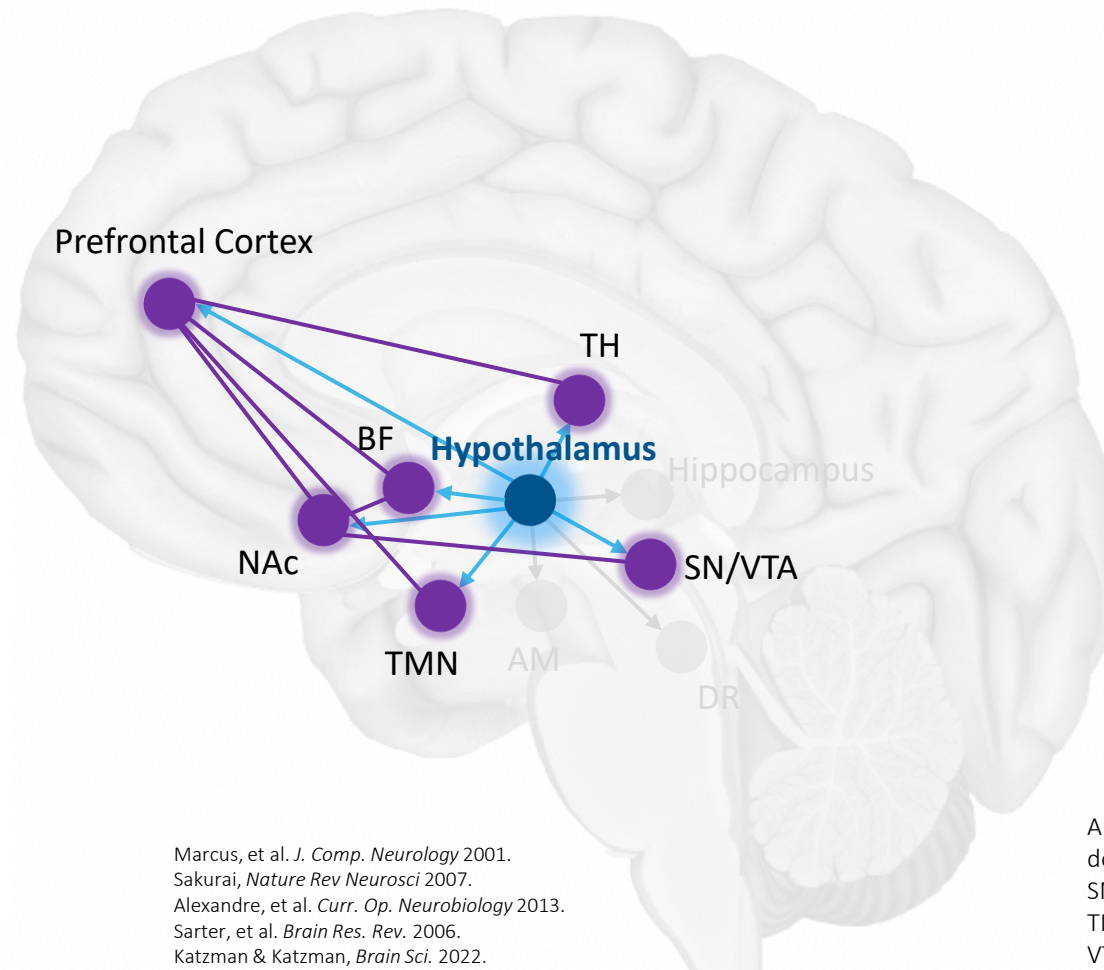
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Attention Pathway

Cortical, sensory, and basal ganglia circuitry receives orexin neuron projections and expresses orexin 2 receptors

Important for vigilance, signal processing and goal-directed behavior



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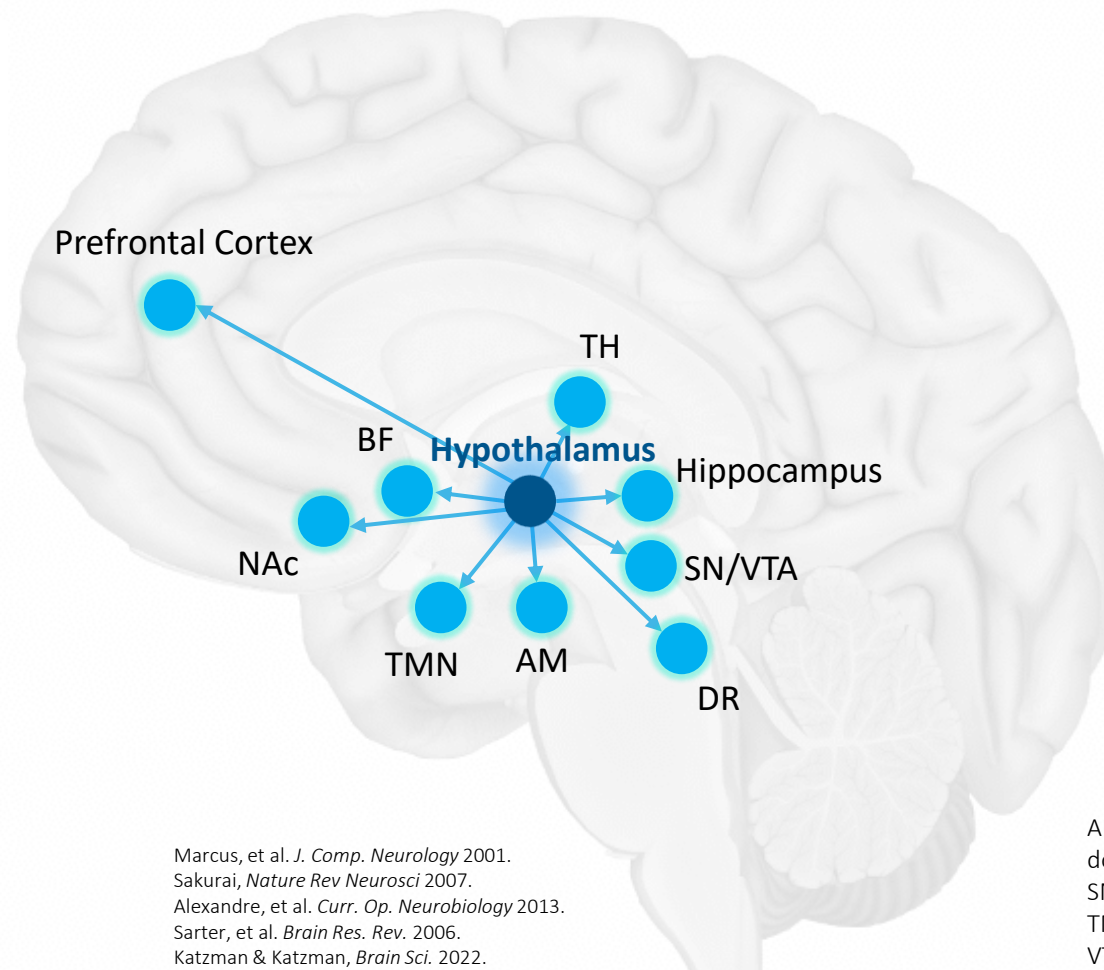
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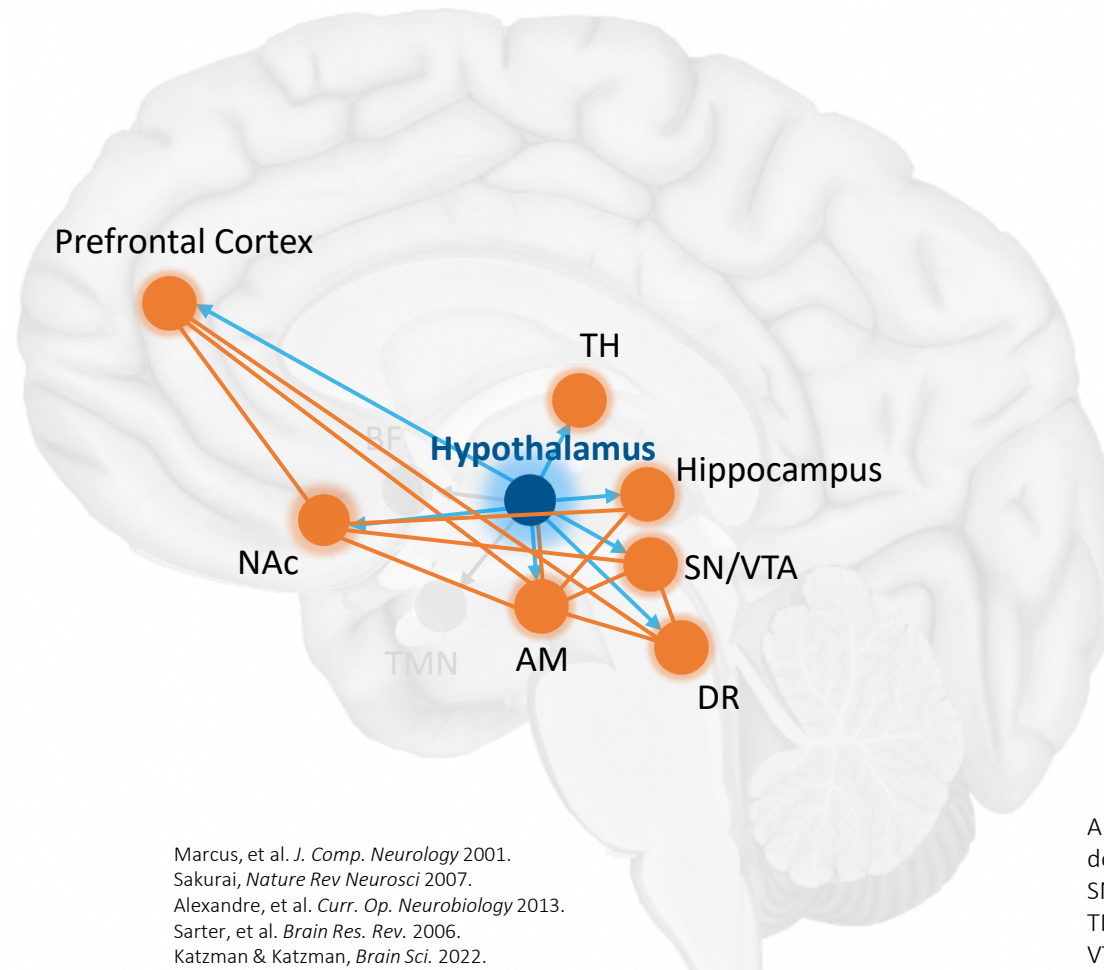
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Mood Pathway

Cortical and limbic circuitry receives orexin neuron projections and expresses orexin 2 receptors

Regulates emotion, motivation and executive function

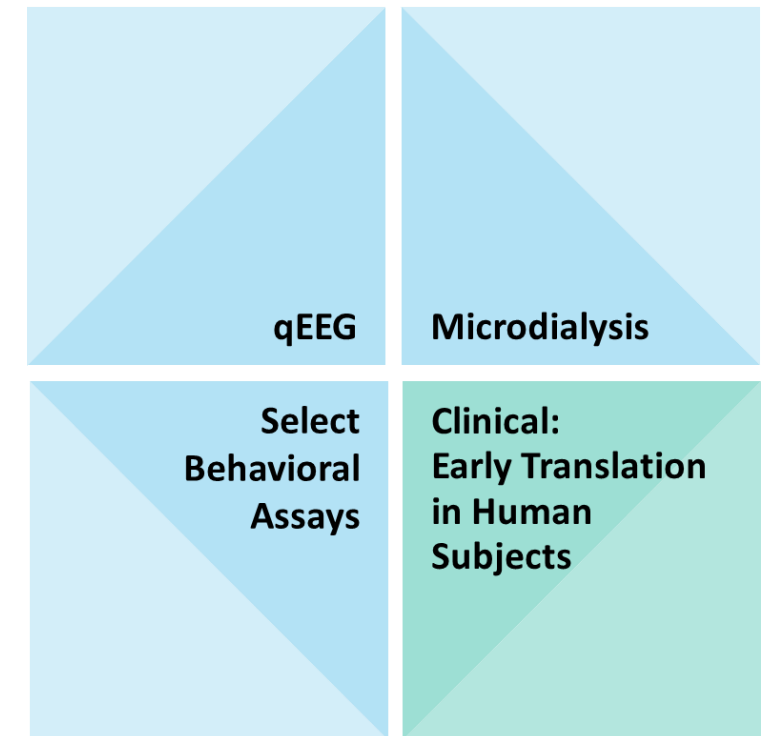


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Preclinical Data Support Expanding Orexin 2 Receptor Agonist Program: New Molecules in Additional Disease States

- Validated preclinical models provide translational value and enable data-driven decision making
- Orexin 2 receptor agonism demonstrated significant effects across prefrontal cortical neurotransmission, cortical arousal, and symptom-relevant behavioral preclinical assays*
- ALKS 4510 and ALKS 7290 orexin 2 receptor agonist candidates expected to enter the clinic in 2025
- Single- and multiple-ascending dose studies in healthy volunteers to be followed by disease-relevant translational studies in patients



*Alkermes data on file

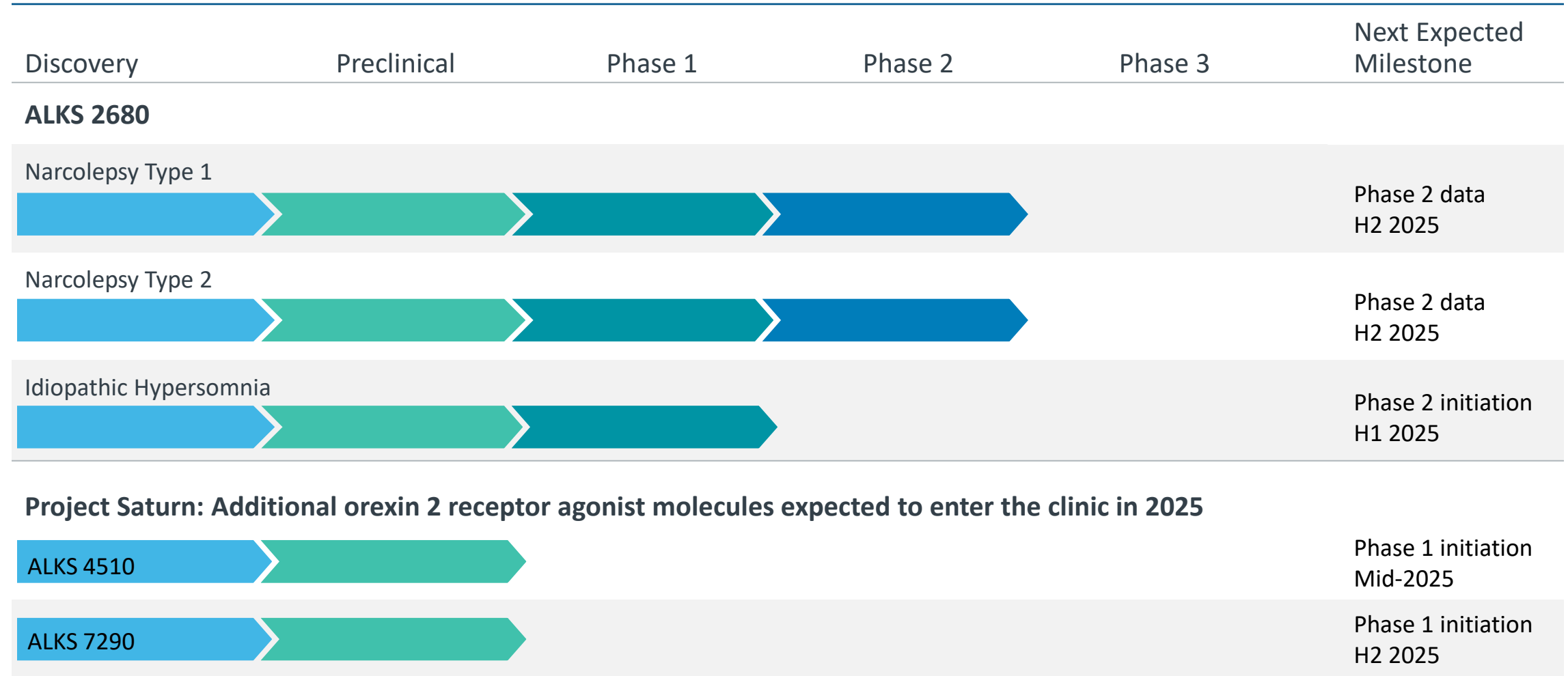
qEEG: quantitative electroencephalography

Orexin 2 Receptor Agonists May Have Potential Applicability in Broad Range of CNS Diseases

**Beyond Sleep Disorders:
Disease states with key clinical aspects that
may be modulated by the orexin pathway**

	Ultra Orphan Diseases <5,000 patients	Orphan Diseases 5,000 - 200,000 patients	High Prevalence Diseases >200,000 patients
# of Potential Indications of Interest	3	7	12
# of Potential Addressable U.S. Patients	<2,300	220,000	42 million

Advancing Multiple Orexin Development Candidates for Treatment of CNS Disorders



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