



PTC518 Huntington's Disease Deep Dive

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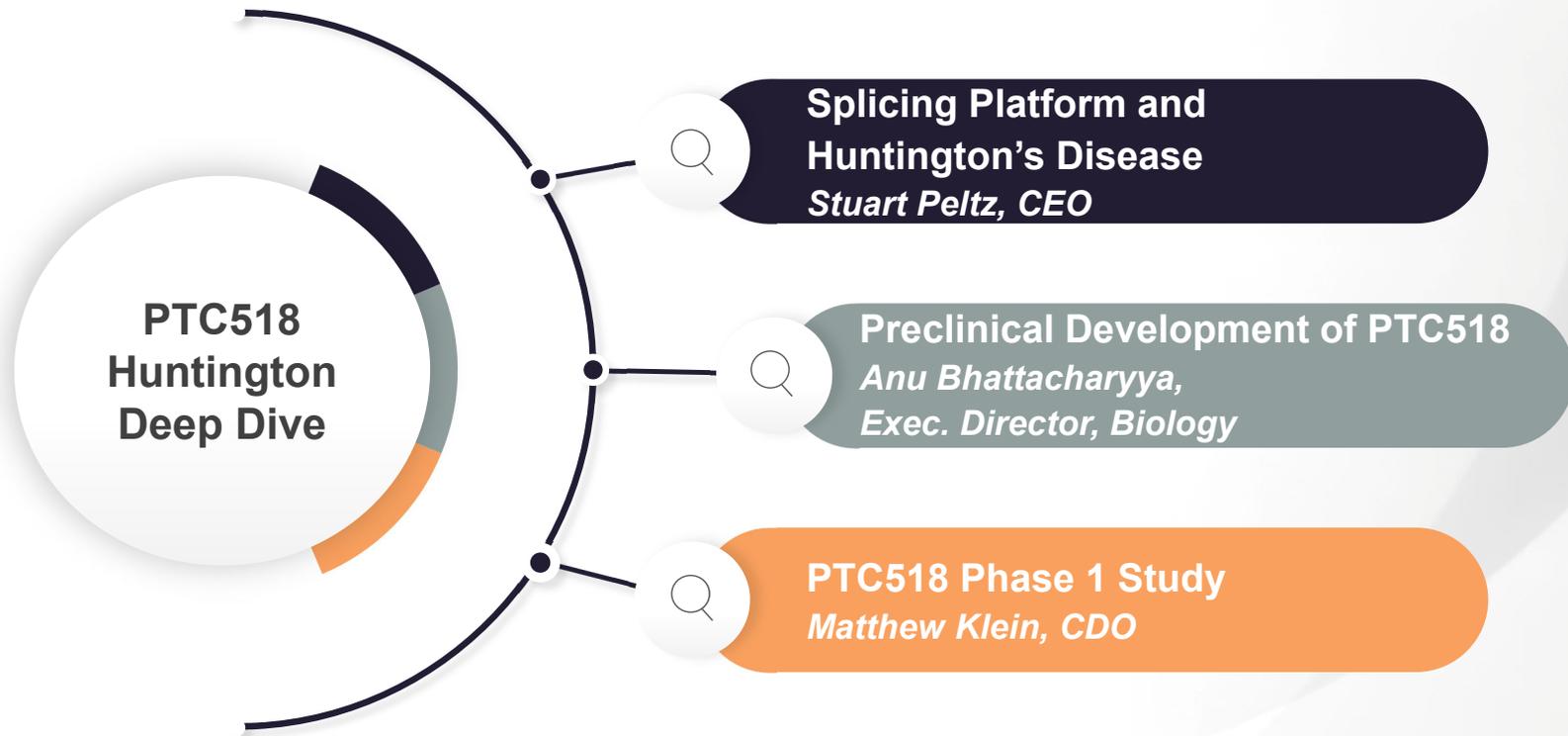
Diversified Platform Drives Strong Portfolio

SCIENTIFIC PLATFORMS and RESEARCH

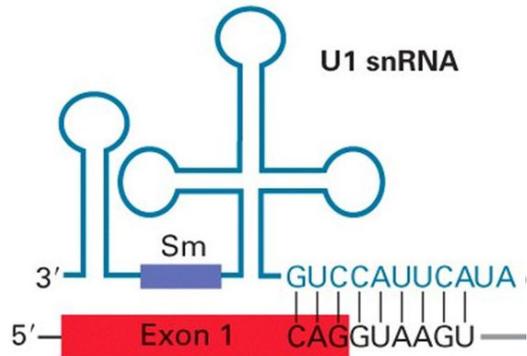
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Commercial	 Emflaza® (deflazacort) <small>6 mg 18 mg 30 mg 36 mg tablets 22.75 mg/ml, oral suspension</small>	 Tegsedil™ <small>(telotristat eme)</small> waylivra™ <small>(volanesorsen sodium) Injection 300mg in 1.5mL</small>	 translarna™ <small>ataluren</small>	 Evrydsi <small>risdiplam</small>						
Clinical			US Dystrophin	PTC518 HD	PTC-AADC	Vatiquinone ME Vatiquinone FA	PTC923 PKU	PTC596 DIPG PTC596 LMS PTC299 AML	PTC299 COVID-19	
Research	Potential registrational studies			SCA-3 MAP-Tau	FA Angelman IRDs Cog Disorders	Undisclosed				

• AADC, aromatic L-amino acid decarboxylase deficiency; AML, acute myeloid leukemia; COVID-19, coronavirus disease 2019; DIPG, diffuse intrinsic pontine glioma; FA, Friedrich's ataxia; GBA, glucocerebrosidase; HD, Huntington's disease; IRD, inherited retinal dystrophy; LMS, leiomyosarcoma; ME, Mitochondrial Epilepsy; PD, Parkinson's disease; PKU, phenylketonuria; SCA-3, spinocerebellar ataxia type 3.

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PTC is the Leader in Splicing With 20 Years of Expertise and Proven Track Record



Exploiting splicing



Databases of Splicing Targets

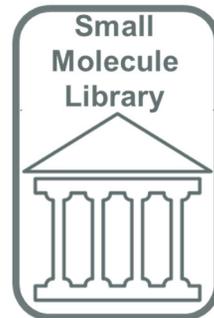


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Proprietary systems and specialty libraries



Small Molecule Library

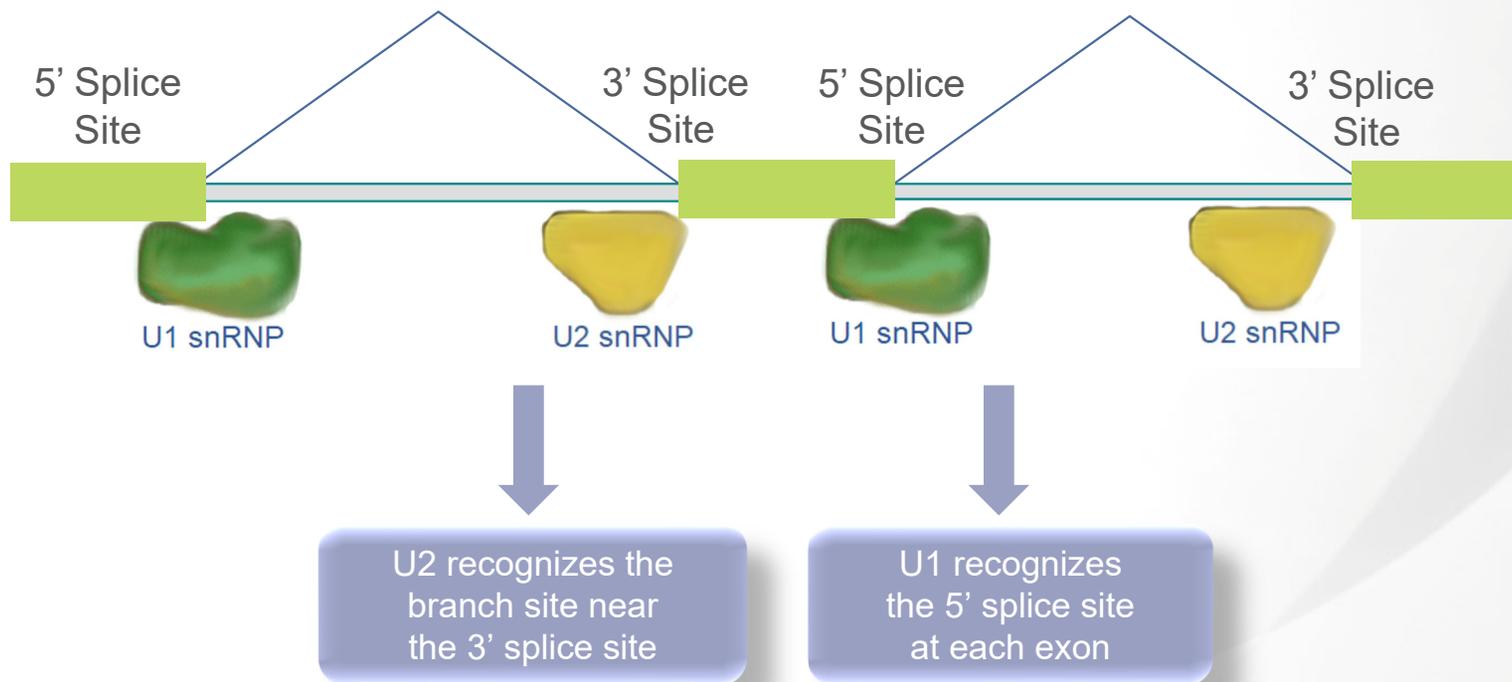
Spinal muscular atrophy

Familial dysautonomia

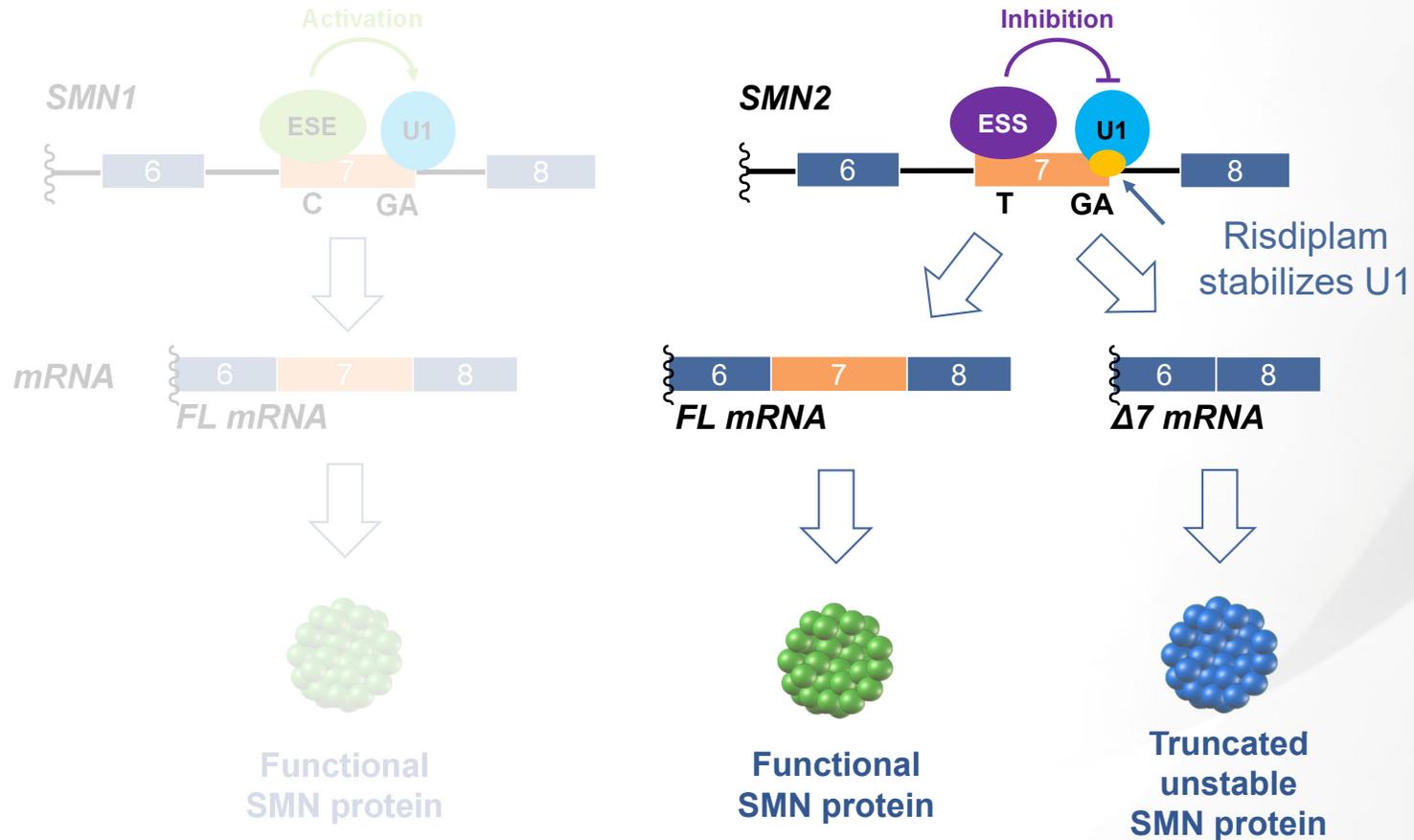
Huntington's disease

Many additional targets

Recognition of Pre-mRNA is Mediated by U-snRNP Complexes U1 and U2

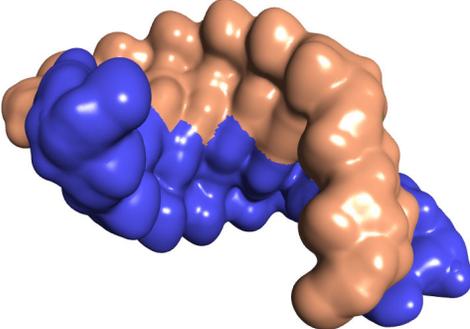


Targeting Alternative Splicing of SMN2 in SMA by Targeting the U1 Site

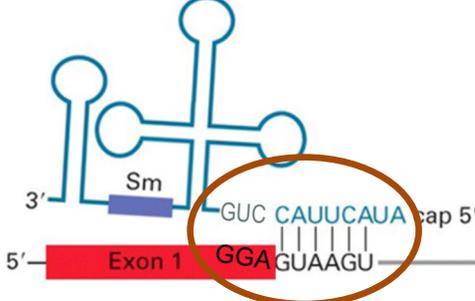
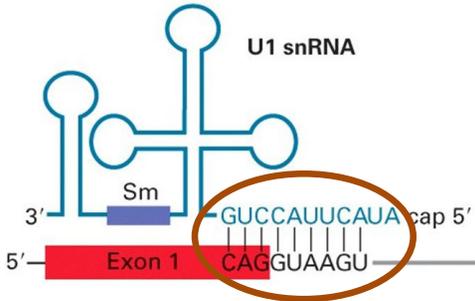
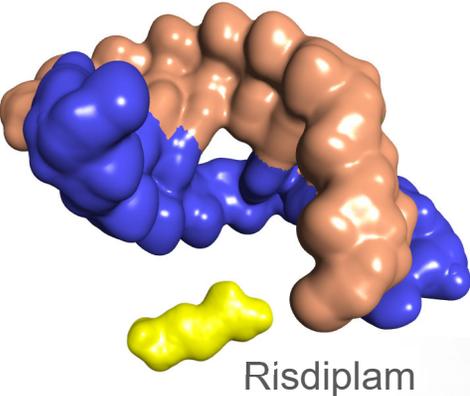


The SMN2 5'-Splice Site Presents a Unique Structural Interface for Small Molecule

Canonical Duplex

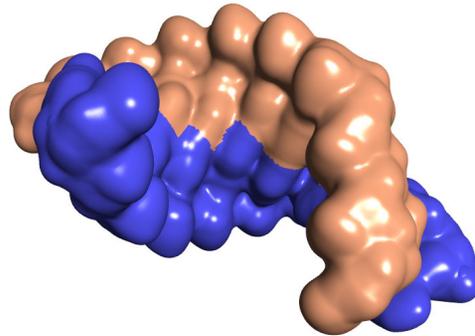


SMN2 Exon 7

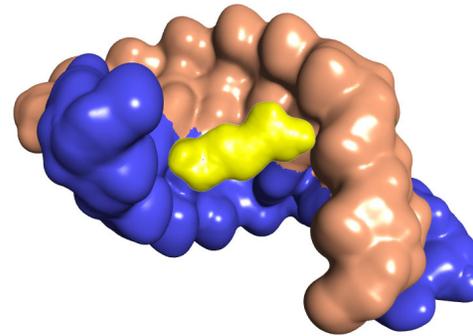


Risdiplam SMN2 Improves the Ability of the 5'-Splice Site to Promote Splicing

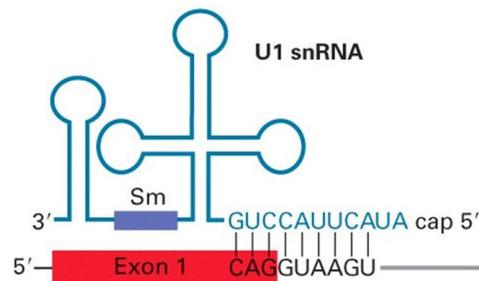
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SMN2 Exon 7



Risdiplam

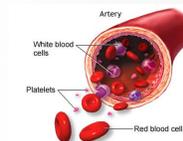


Risdiplam Increases SMN Protein in Multiple Tissues to Near or Above Heterozygous Levels

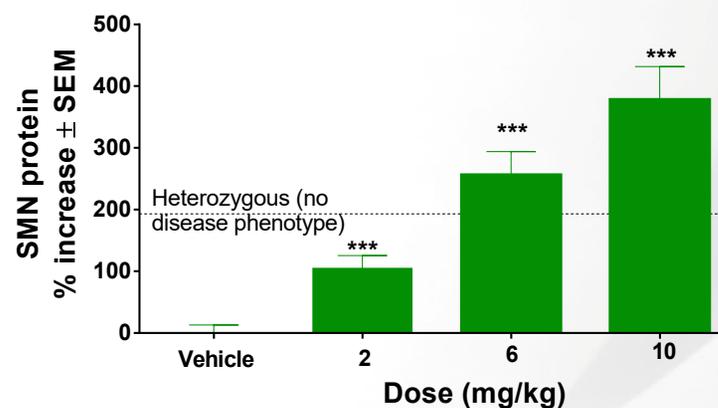
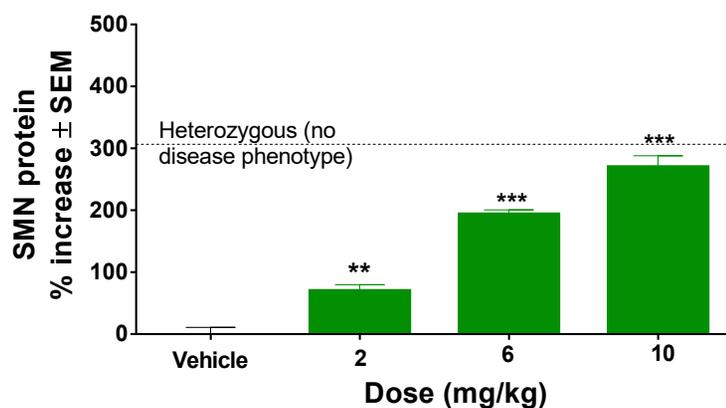


Brain

Oral dosing for 10 days in mild SMA mouse model

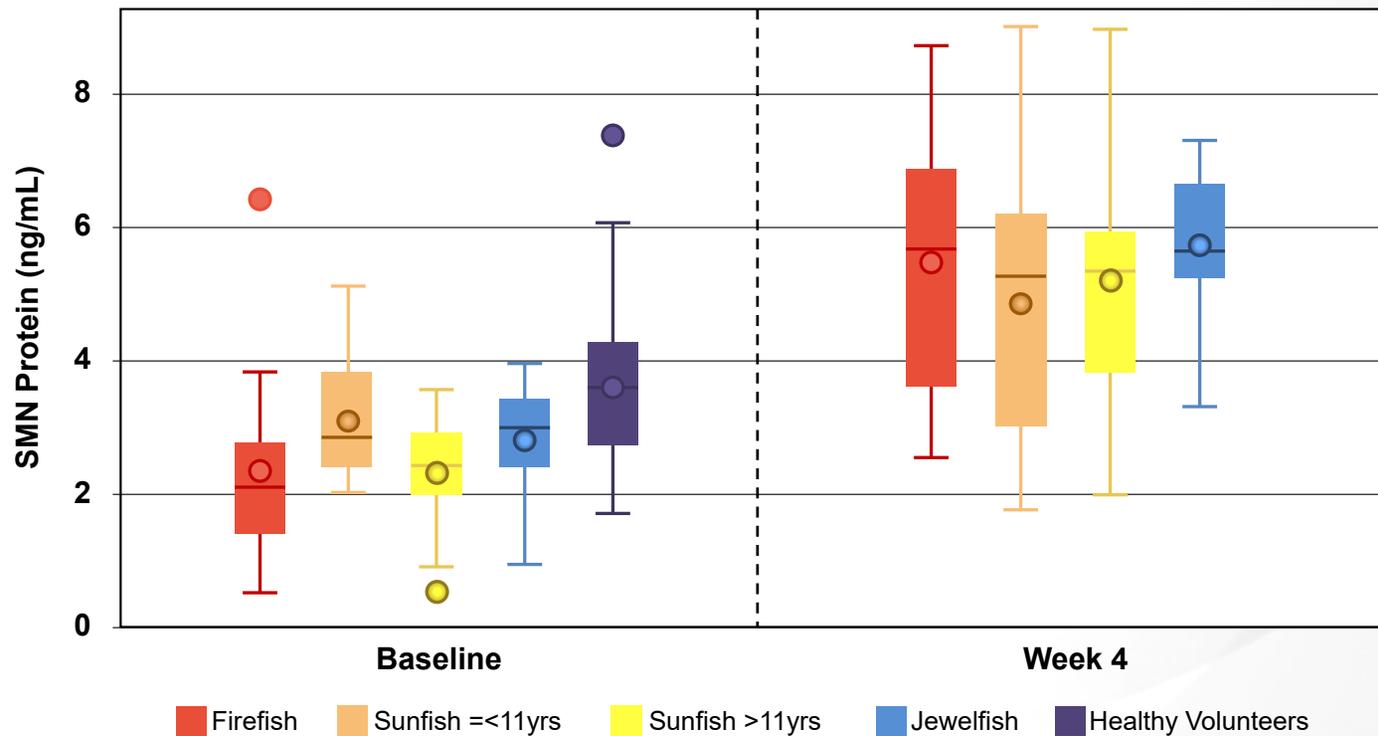


Peripheral Blood Mononuclear Cells



- SMN protein levels in peripheral blood cells correlate to those in brain
- Similar increases in SMN observed in spinal cord, muscle, heart, liver, skin

Risdiplam Increases SMN Protein Levels in All SMA Types to the Level in Adult Healthy Subjects



Healthy subjects: n=49, age 18-60 years. Patients with SMA: n=84, age 3.3 months to 52 years. FIREFISH part 1 (n=21), SUNFISH part 1 (n=51), JEWELFISH (n=12). Patients on all dose levels of risdiplam have been included
SMA, spinal muscular atrophy; SMN, spinal motor neuron.
Kletzl H, et al. 23rd International Annual Congress of World Muscle Society, October 2-6, 2018; Mendoza, Argentina.

Evrysdi™ Roadmap to Success

Orally
bioavailable and
penetrates blood
brain barrier



Highly
selective



Broad tissue
distribution in
animal models



1:1 ratio
between
blood and
brain



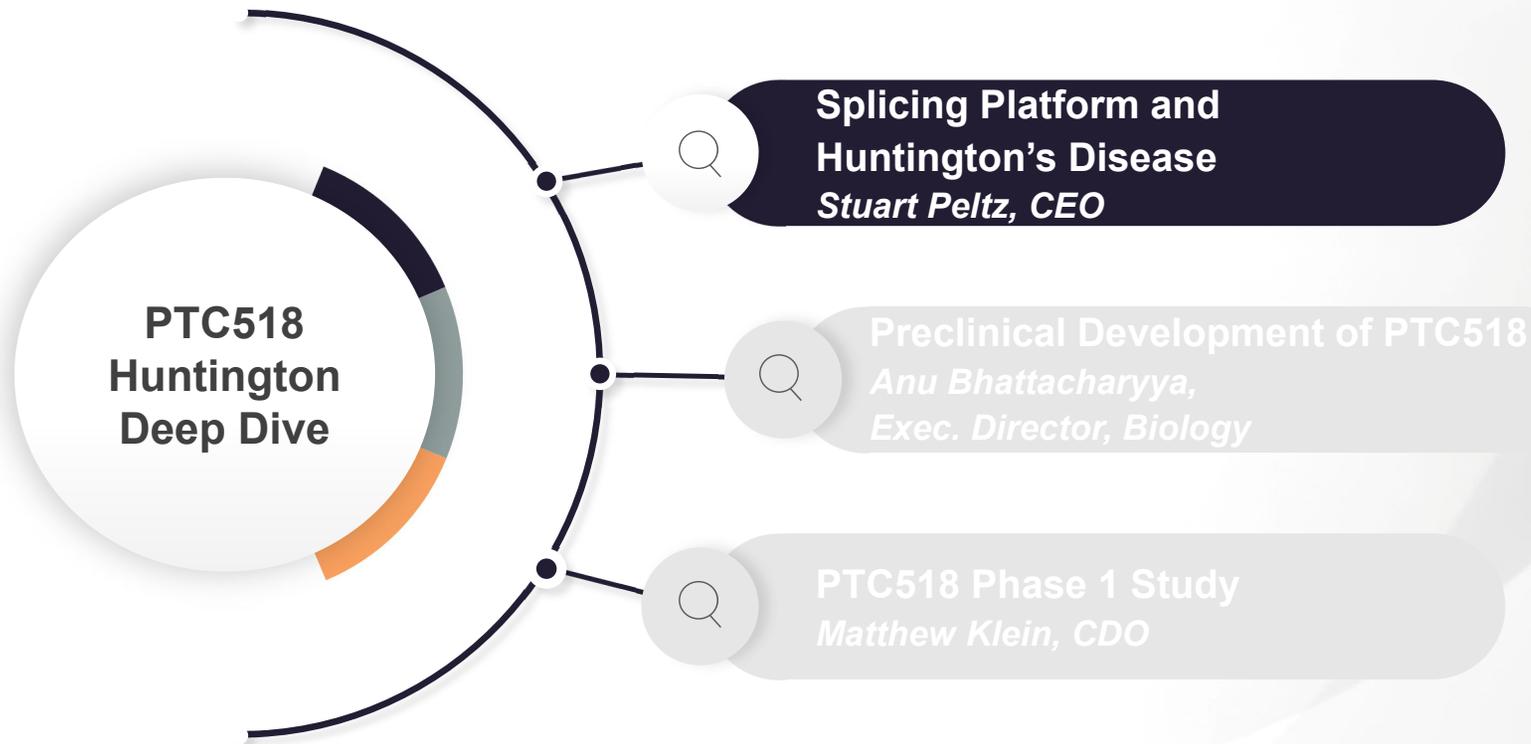
Proof of
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demonstrated
in P1 HV



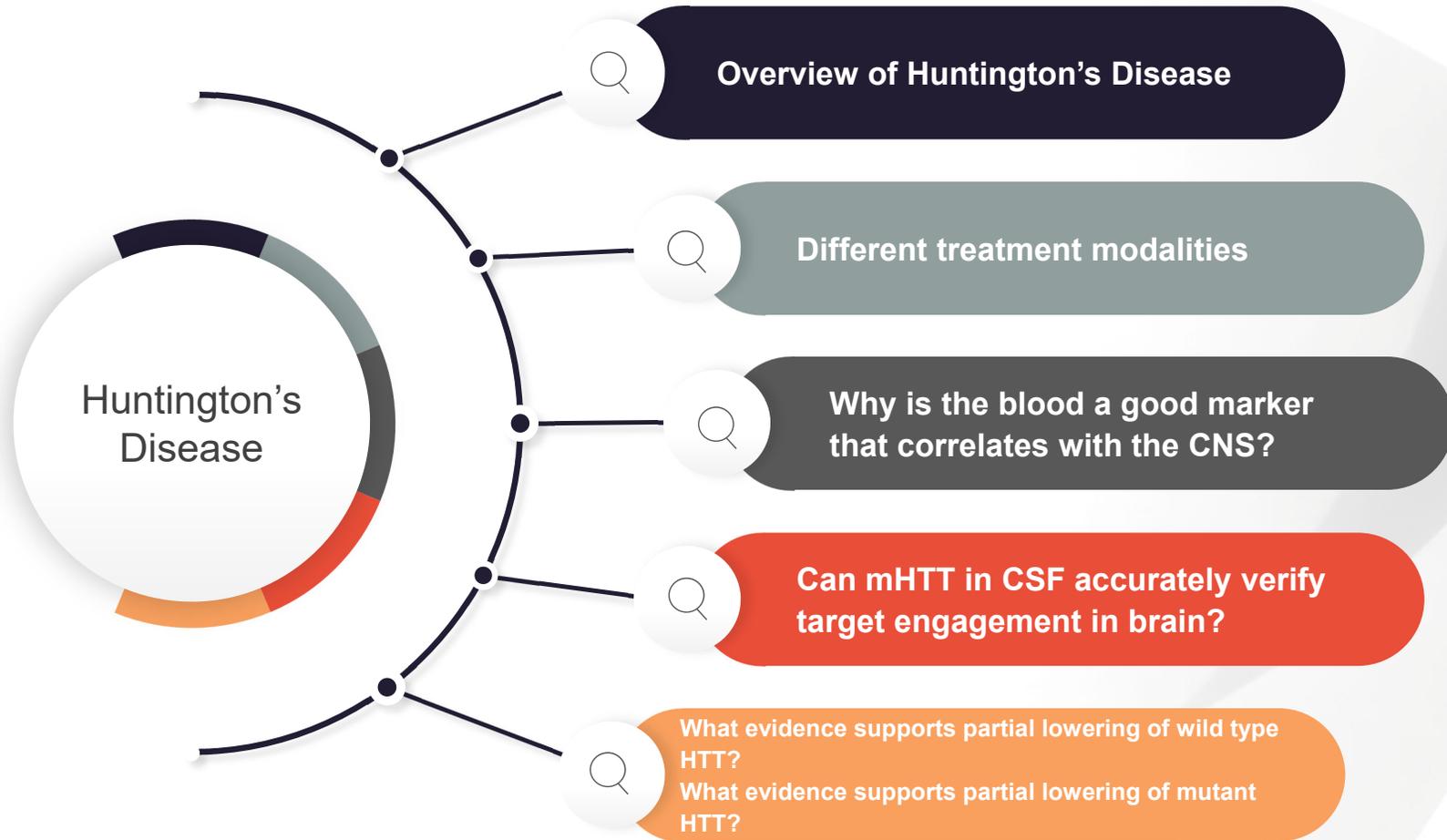
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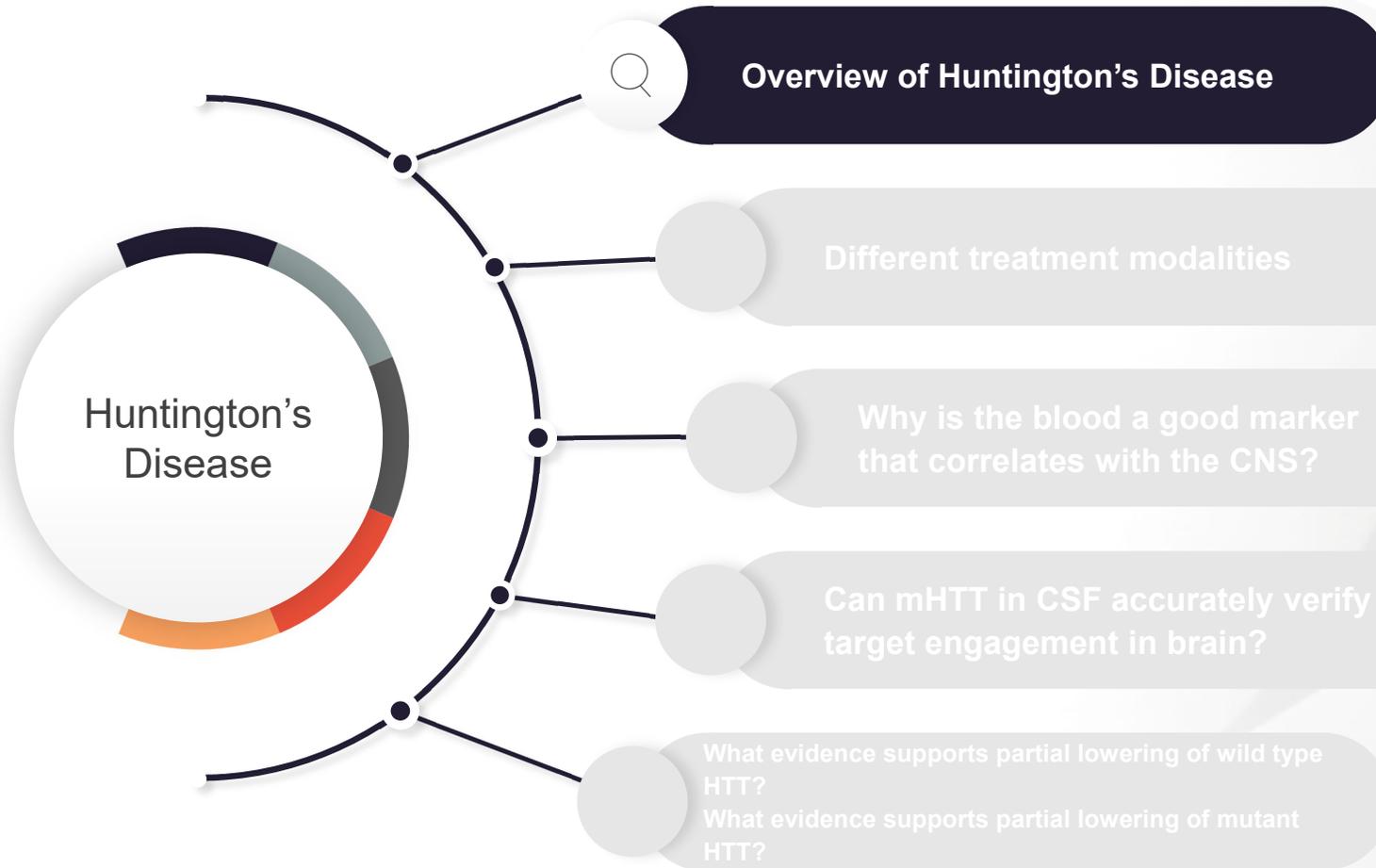
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Huntington's Disease is a Debilitating Neurodegenerative Disorder with No Available Disease Modifying Treatments



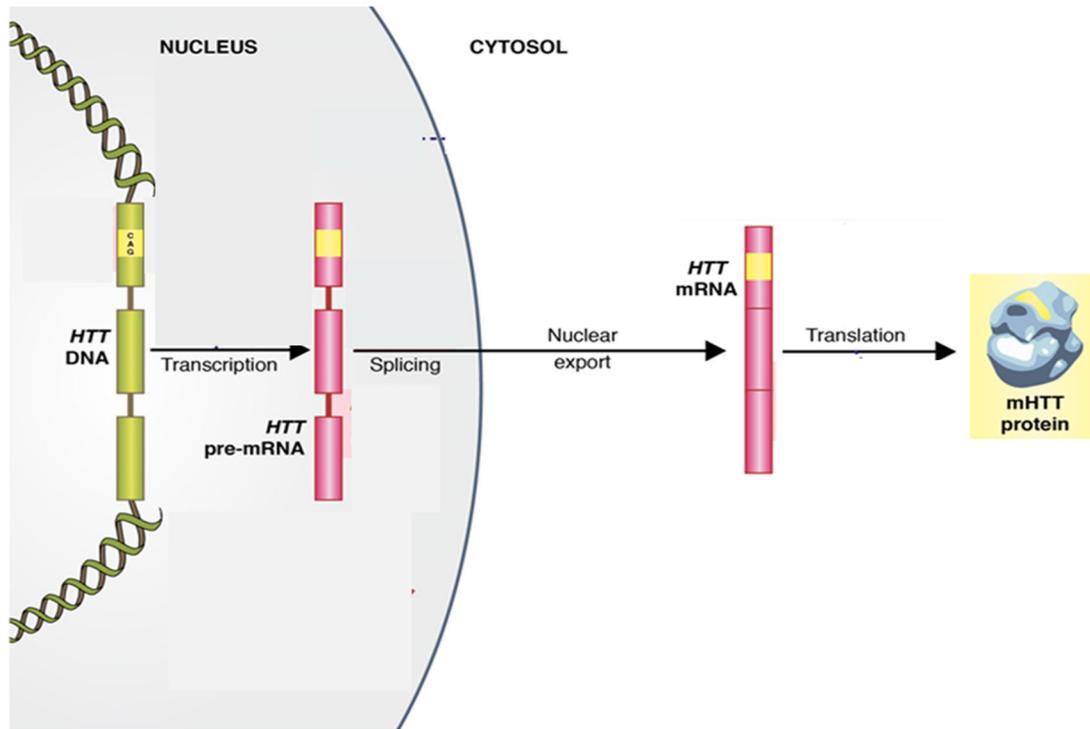
Huntington's Disease

- Caused by a monogenic defect; autosomal dominant inheritance
- Expansion of CAG trinucleotide repeat in the huntingtin (HTT) gene
- Leads to movement, psychiatric and cognitive disorders

Current Treatments

- No approved disease modifying therapies

Molecular Basis of Huntington's Disease is Well Understood

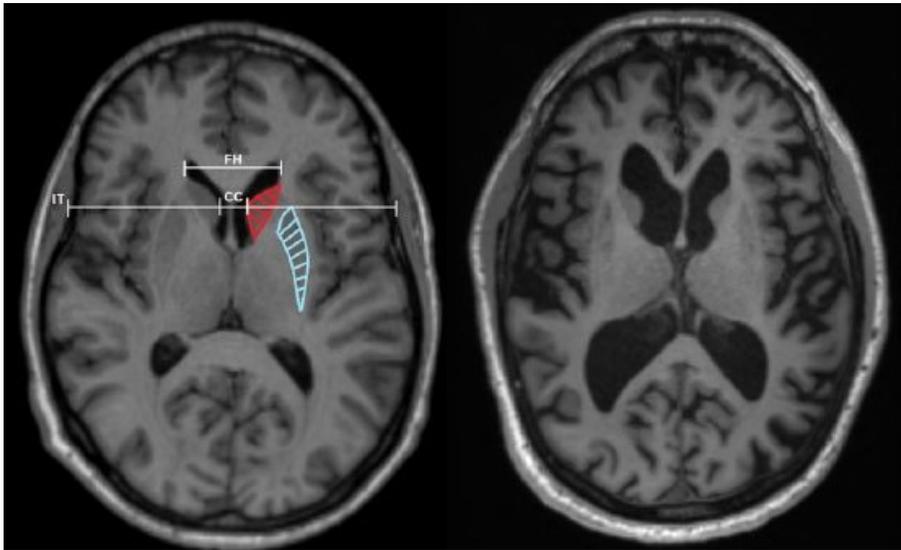


Repeat Count	Classification	Disease Status
<28	Normal	Unaffected
28–35	Intermediate	Unaffected
36–39	Reduced Penetrance	+/- Affected
40-above	Full Penetrance	Affected

Progressive Neuronal Degeneration Occurs Throughout the Brain

Healthy

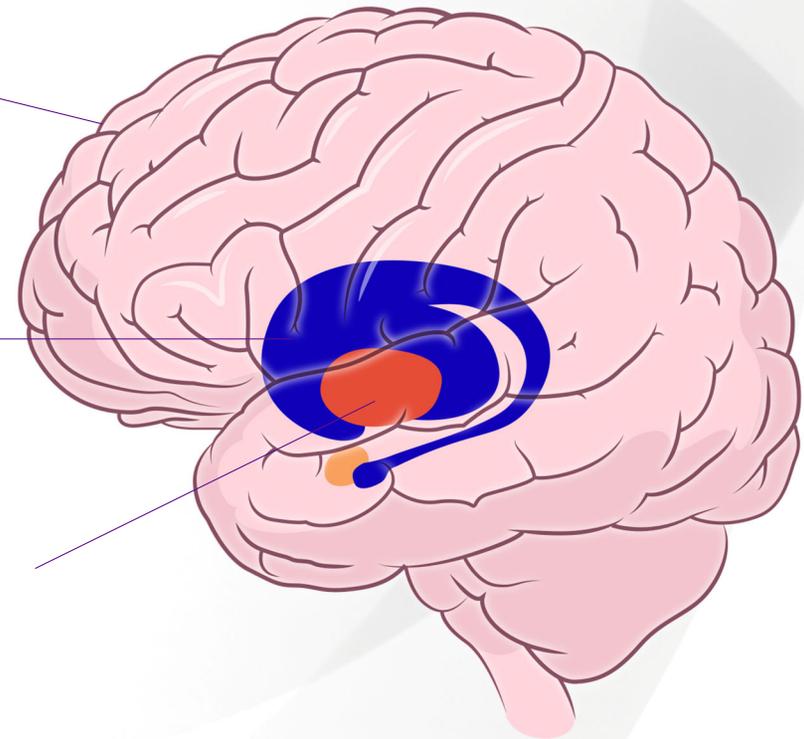
HD



Cortex

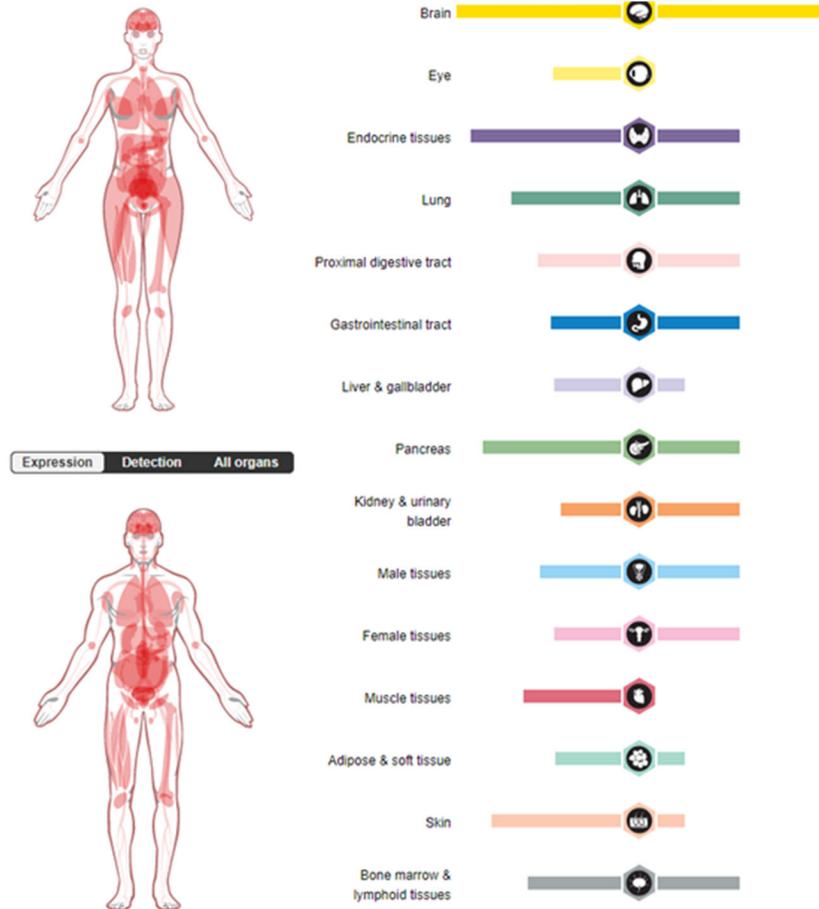
Striatum

Globus Pallidus

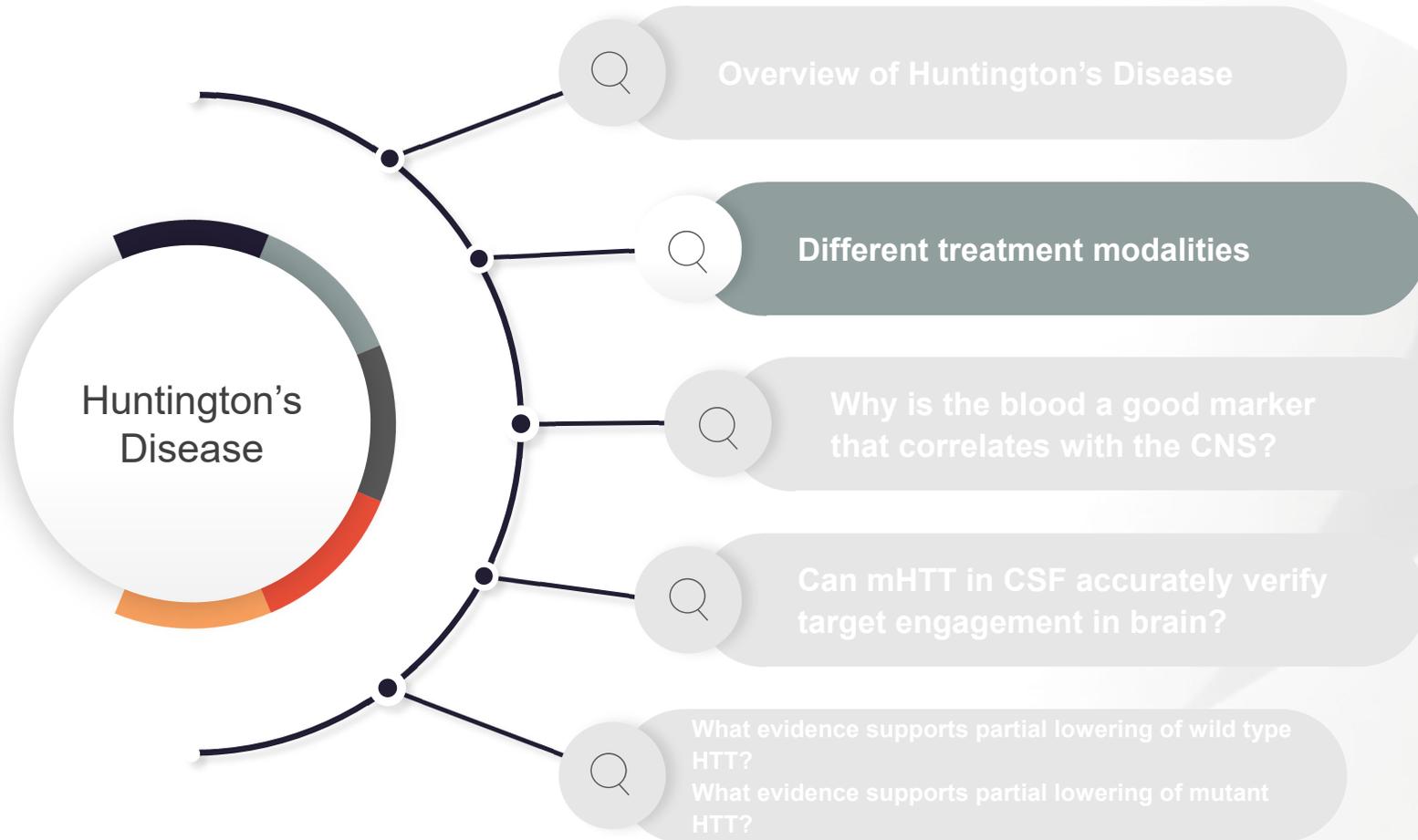


***HTT* is Ubiquitously Expressed and Involved in Many Cellular Processes**

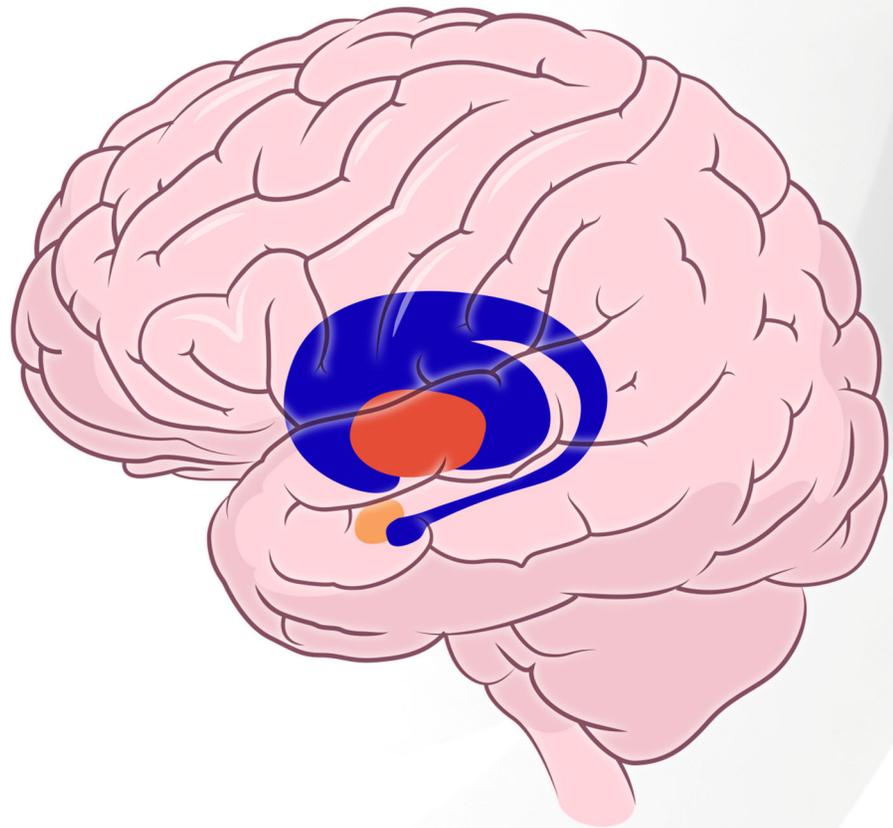
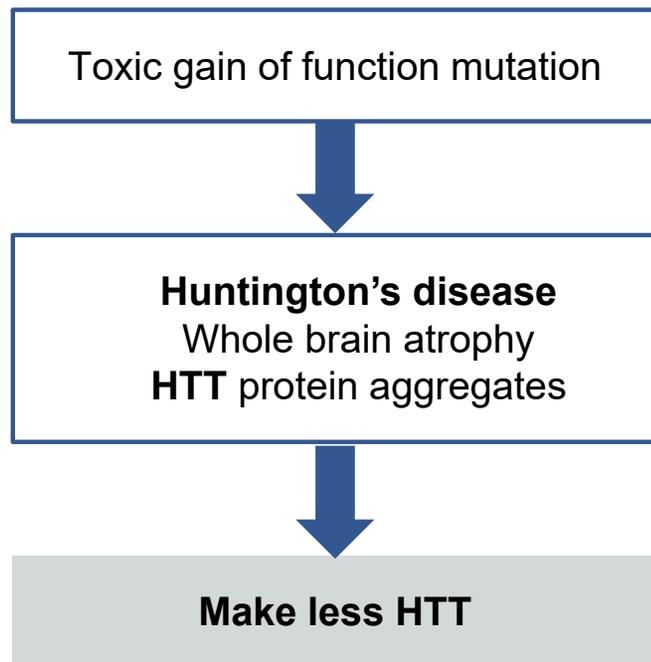
- Predominantly an intra-cellular protein
- Required during embryonic development
- Ubiquitously expressed throughout development and in all adult tissues



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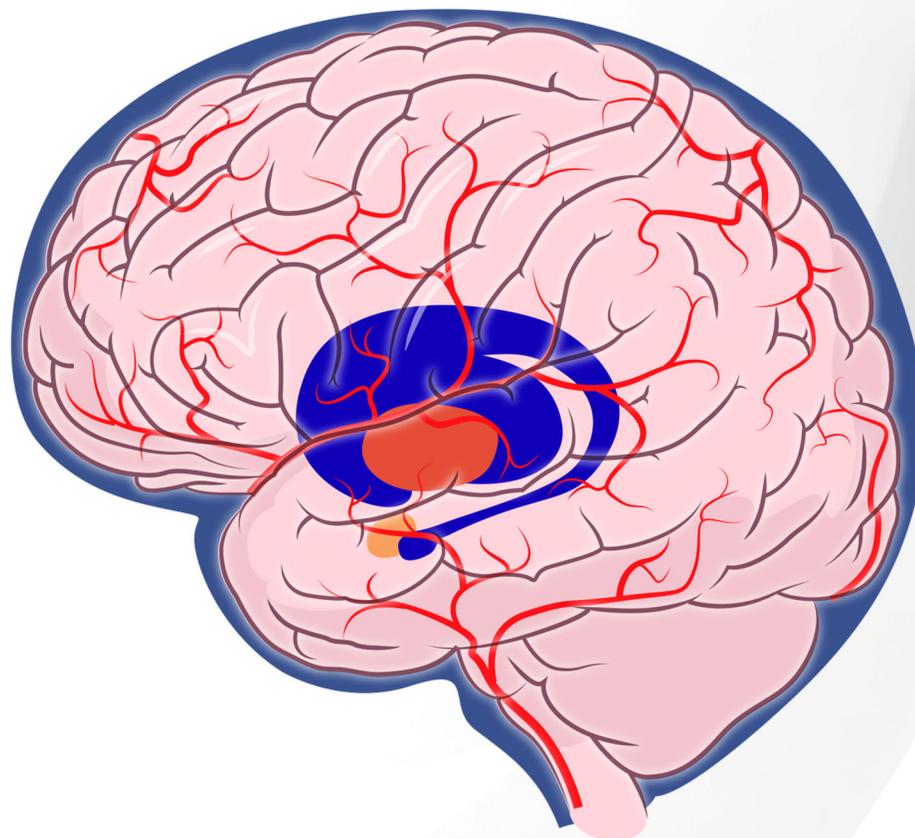


Lowering mHTT Expression to Target Root Cause of Pathogenesis



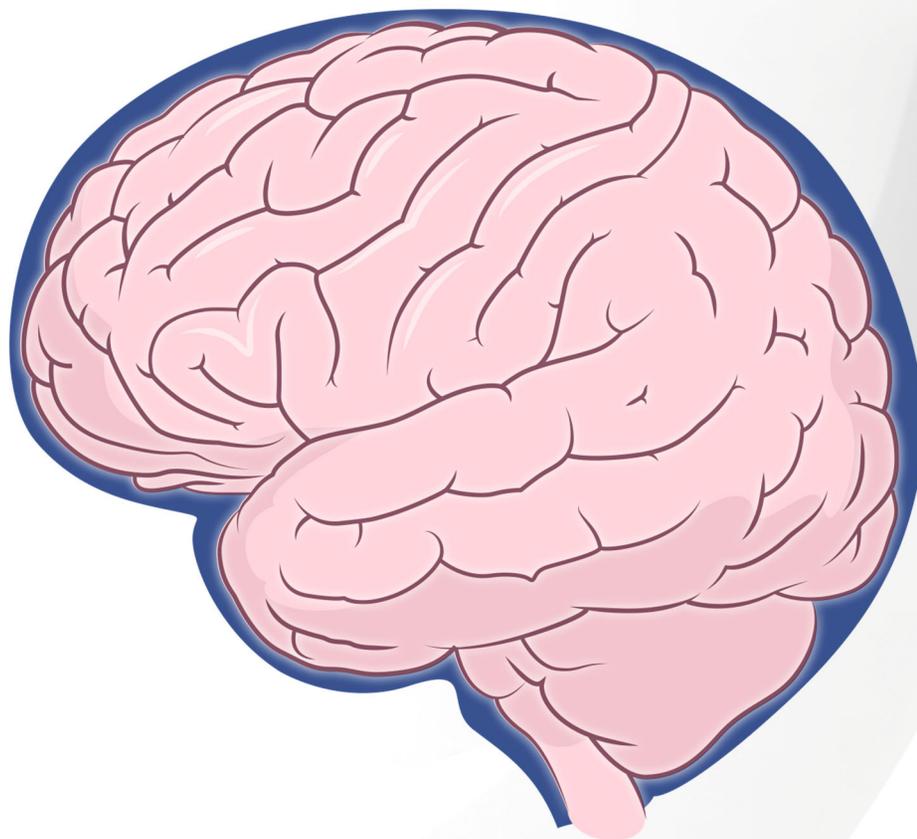
Oral Treatment has Uniform Lowering Across the Key Regions of the Brain

Property	Small molecules
Delivery	Oral
CNS lowering	Equal across the key areas of the brain
Peripheral lowering	Yes
Reversible	Yes



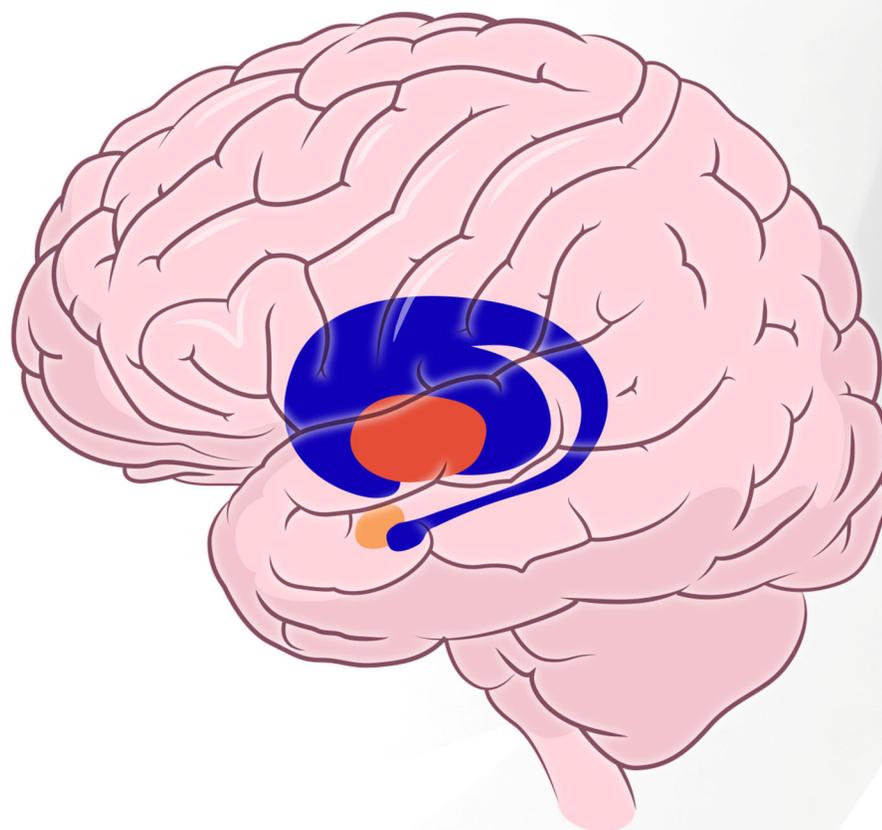
Antisense Oligonucleotide Treatment has More Lowering in the Cortex Compared to the Striatum

Property	ASOs
Delivery	Intrathecal
CNS lowering	Less reduction in the striatum compared to cortex
Peripheral lowering	No
Reversible	Yes



Gene Therapy Treatment has More Lowering in the Striatum Compared to the Cortex

Property	RNAi
Delivery	Striatum/Thalamus
CNS lowering	Less reduction in the cortex compared to striatum
Peripheral lowering	No
Reversible	No



PTC518 Drug Development Objectives

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What is the
Dose?

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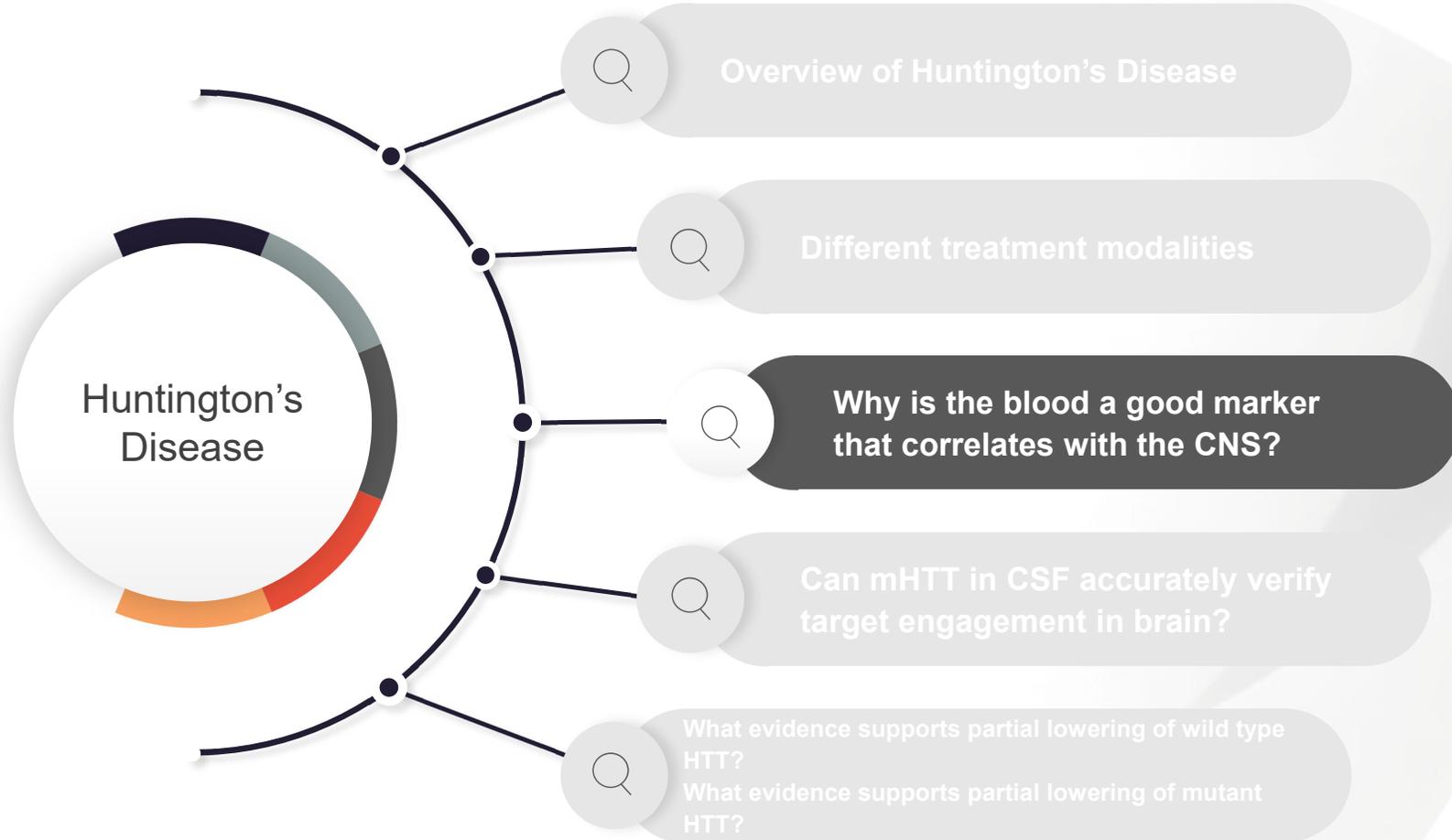
What is the
Exposure?

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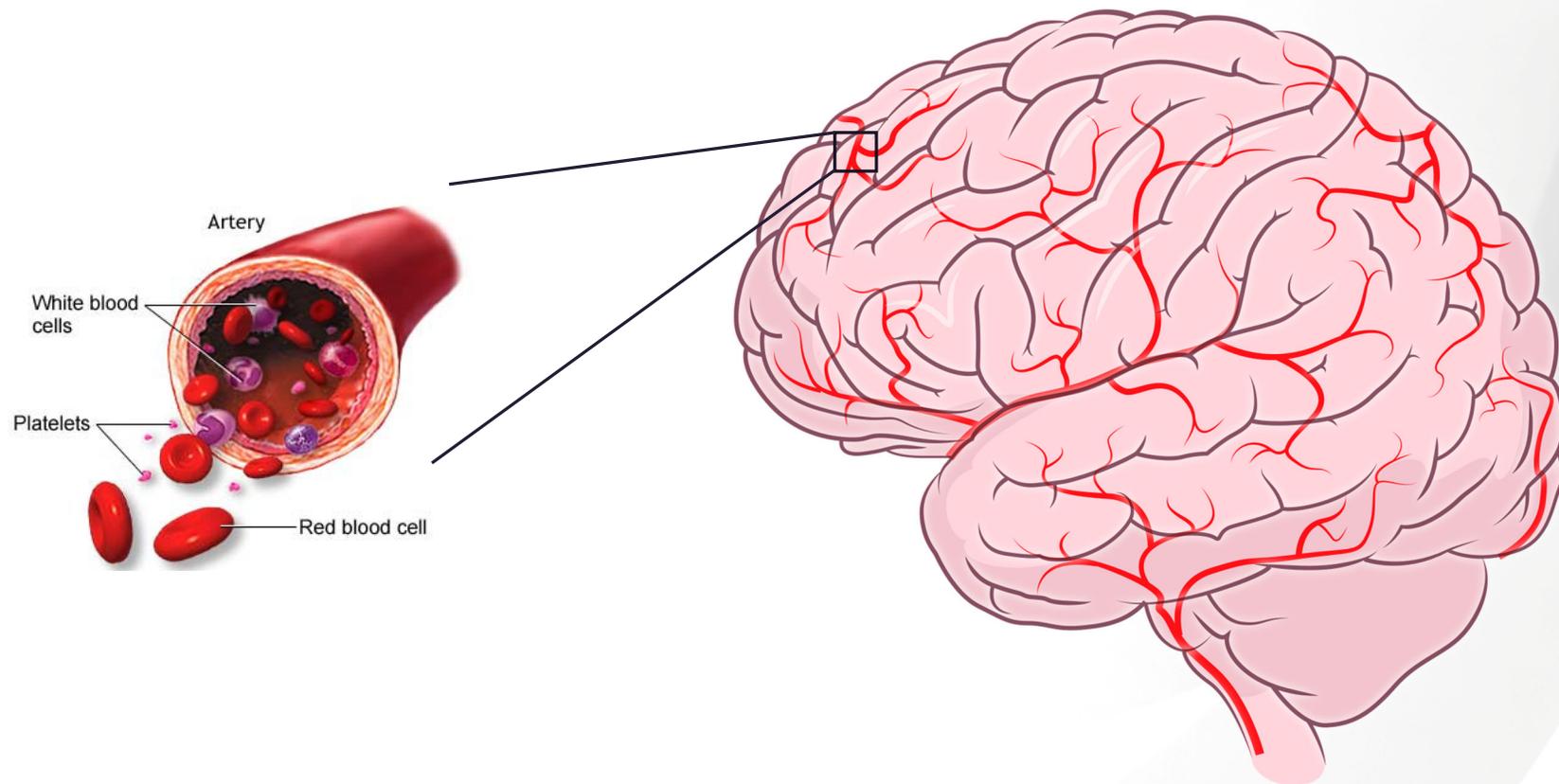


What is the
Level of HTT
Reduction?

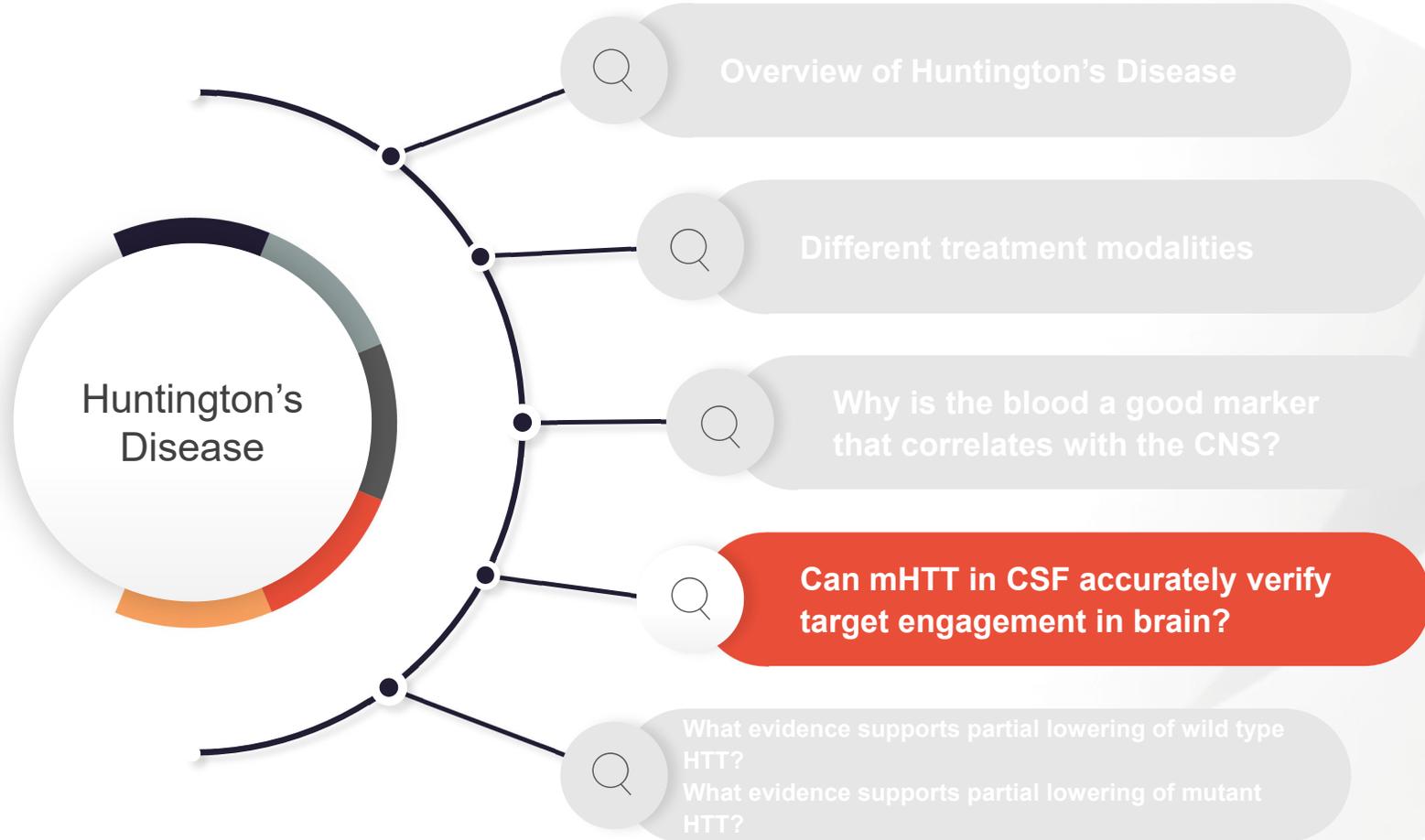
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Distribution Through the Blood Effectively Targets the Whole Brain



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The Cerebrospinal Fluid Cushions the Brain

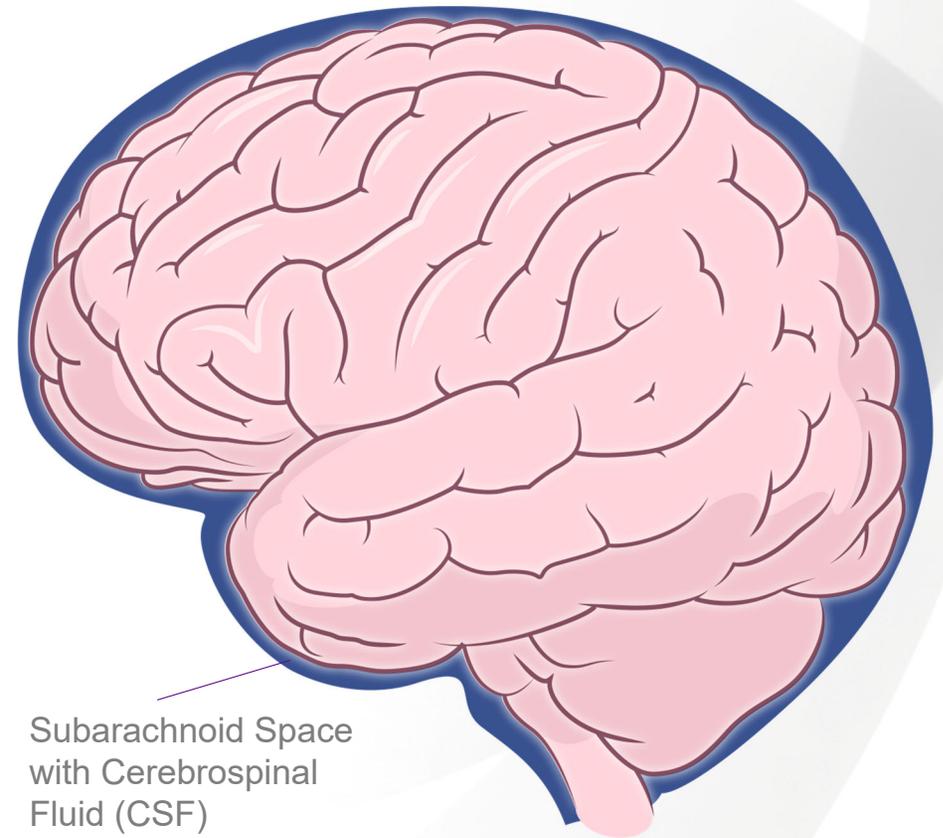
In healthy people, the cerebrospinal fluid (CSF):

Does

- Cushion the brain
- Provide immune surveillance
- Remove metabolic waste

Does not

- Interact with most neurons directly
- Contain very much protein (35 mg/dL, compared to 7000 mg/dL in serum)



Limitations of CSF HTT Measurement as a Pharmacodynamic Marker for HTT lowering

What We Know

Brain mHTT levels >100X
CSF mHTT levels



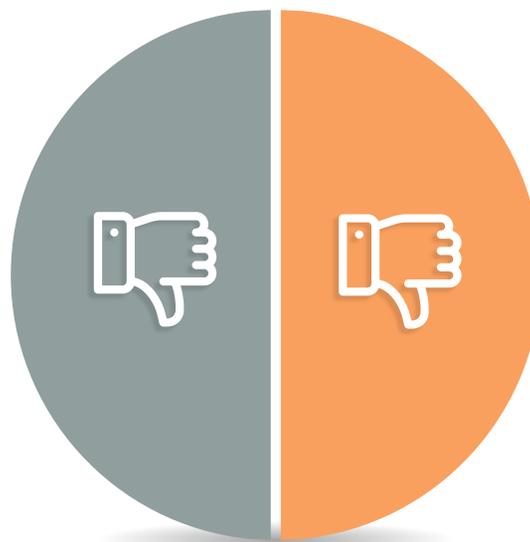
Very low levels of CSF
mHTT – an ultra sensitive
assay (low fM) required for
measurement



Assay inconsistency and
variability



Lack of strong correlation
between brain and CSF
lowering with different
modalities



Unknowns



The origin of CSF mHTT

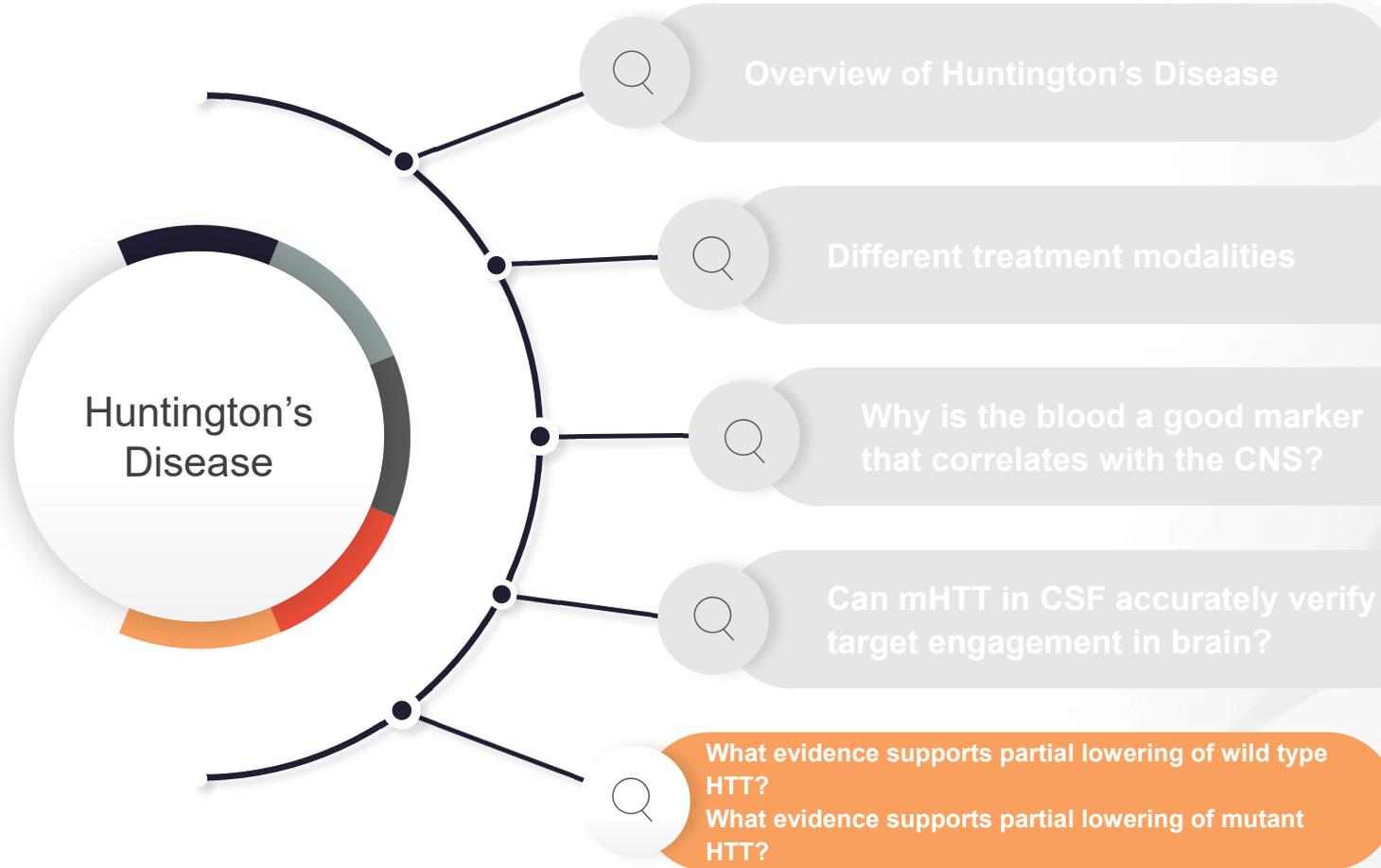


Specific contributions of
brain regions to CSF mHTT
levels



Not enough data to
understand a meaningful
treatment related change in
levels over assay variability

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Multiple Models Demonstrate Partial Reduction of Wild Type HTT Is Well Tolerated

Species	Magnitude of wild type HTT change	Phenotype
 Human	Loss of one normal HTT allele ~50%	No detectable abnormal phenotype
 Adult Nonhuman Primates	~50%	No alterations in motor function; No abnormal histopathologic findings
 Adult Rodents	~50%	No alterations in motor performance or activity

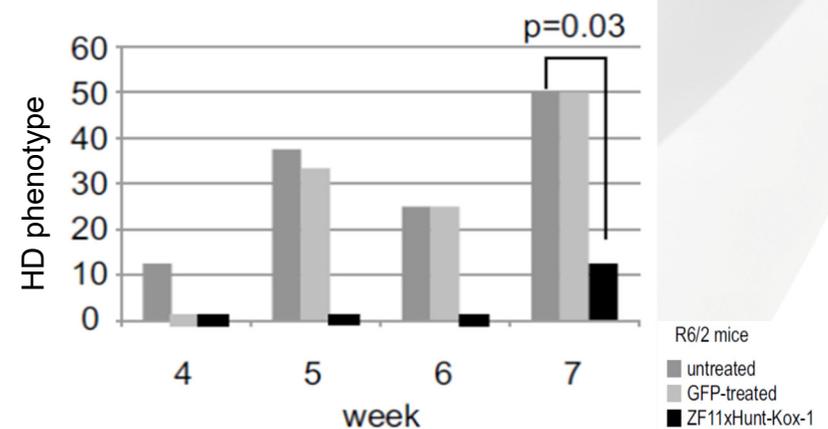
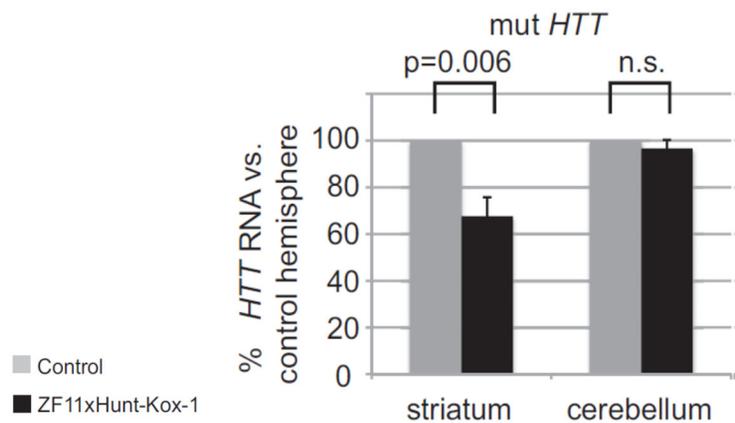
HTT Reduction Correlates with Clinical Benefit



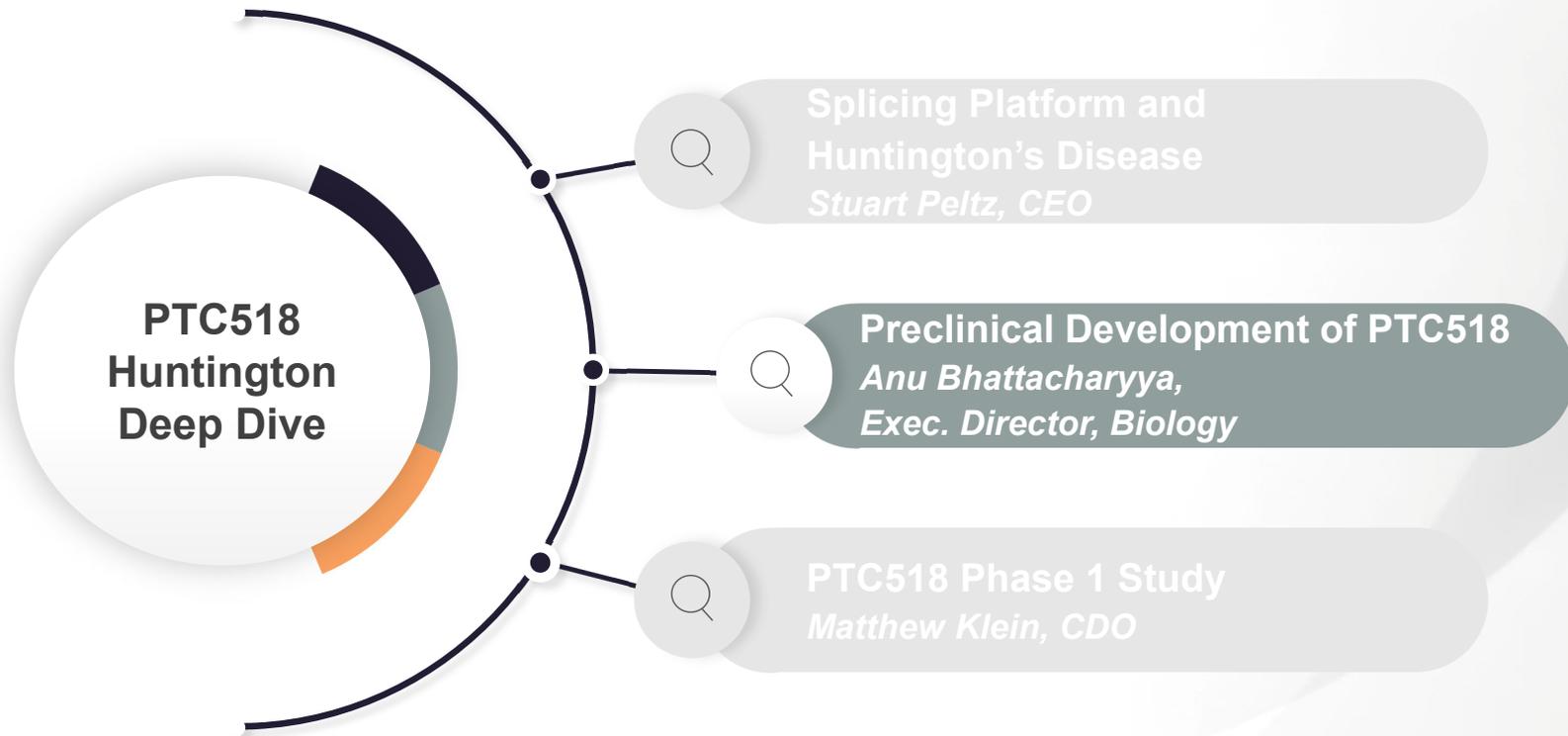
Human data: ~50% reduction in *HTT* transcriptional activity results in mean delay of age of onset by 9.3 years



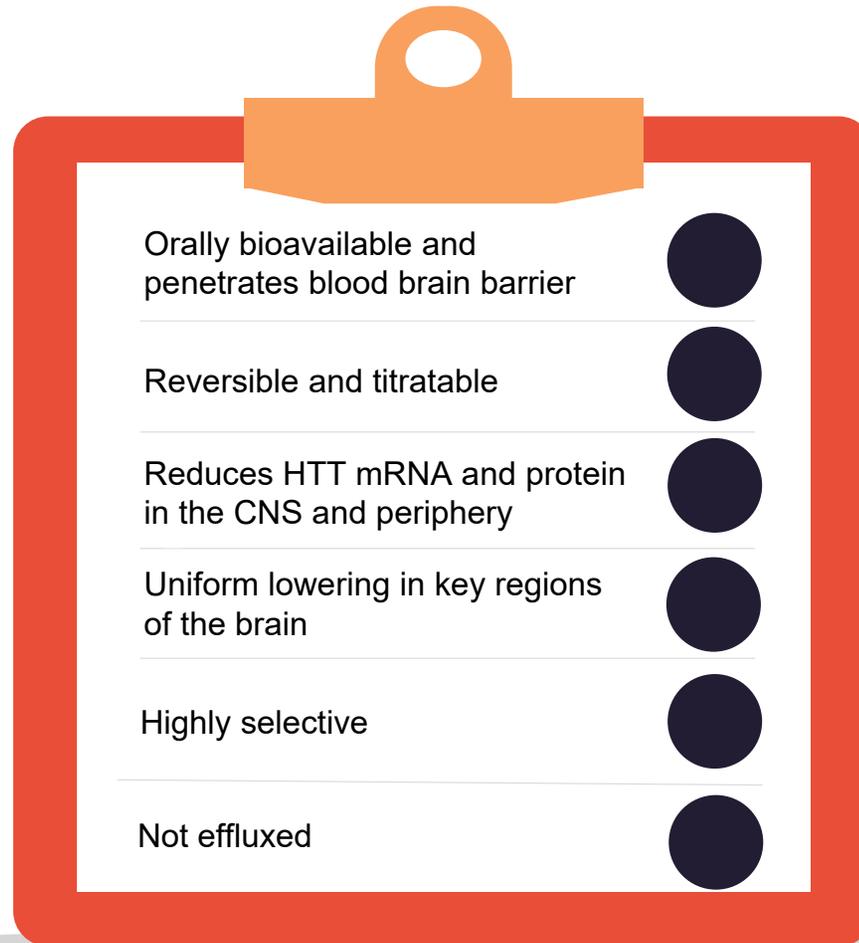
Mouse data: 30-40% reduction in *mHTT* expression translates to beneficial effects



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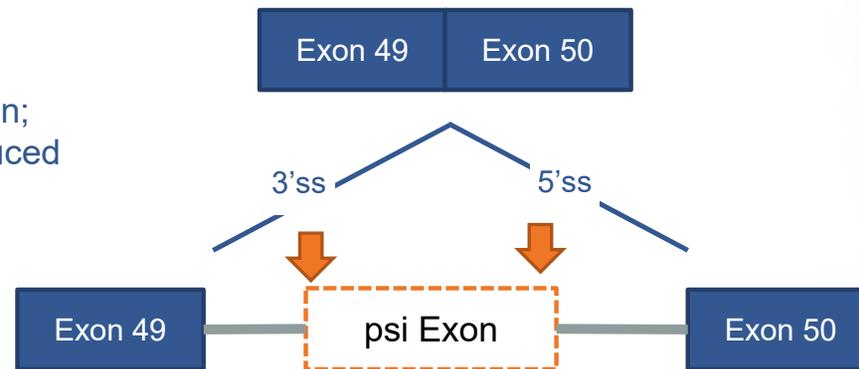


What are the Characteristics of a Promising HD Therapeutic?



Identification of a Novel Splicing Mechanism that Leads to Degradation of Mutant *HTT* mRNA

No compound
Pseudoexon is not spliced in;
full length *HTT* protein is produced

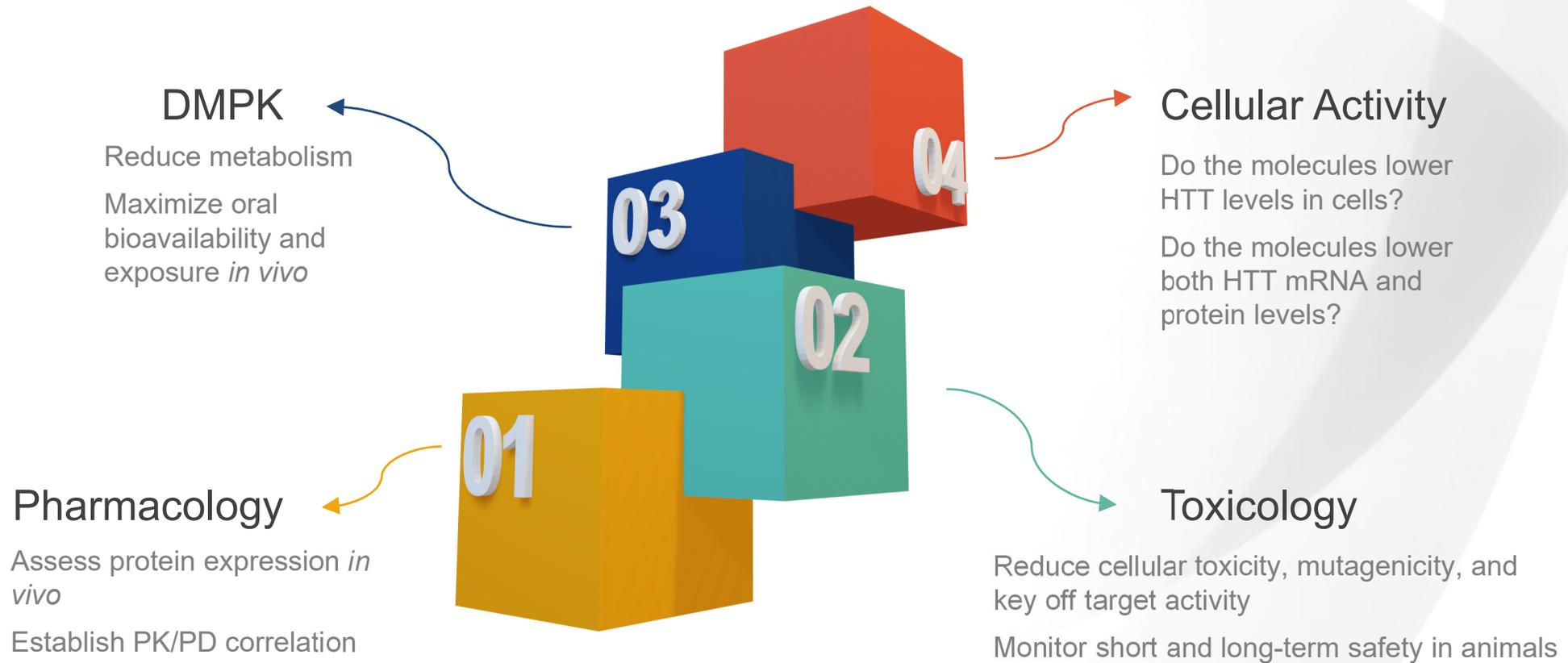


With PTC518
Pseudoexon is spliced in;
Nonsense mutation leads
to mRNA degradation



Nonsense-mediated *HTT* mRNA decay

Key Preclinical Proof Points

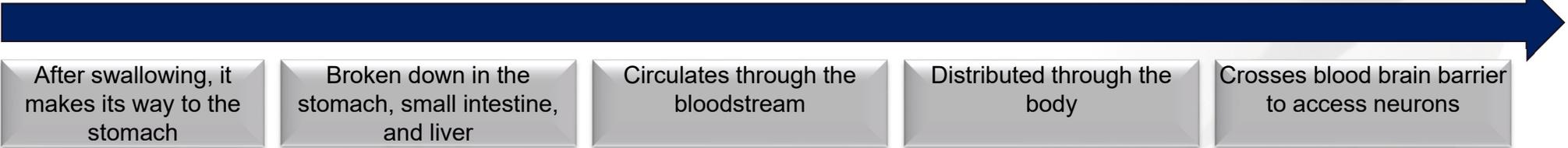
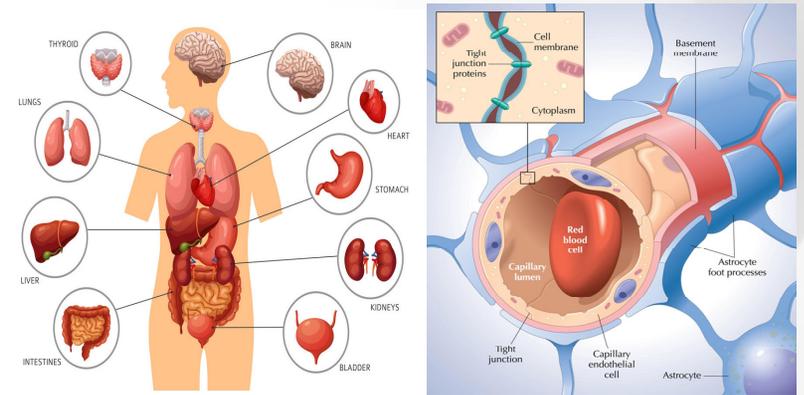


Animal Models Were Selected to Best Show PK and PD

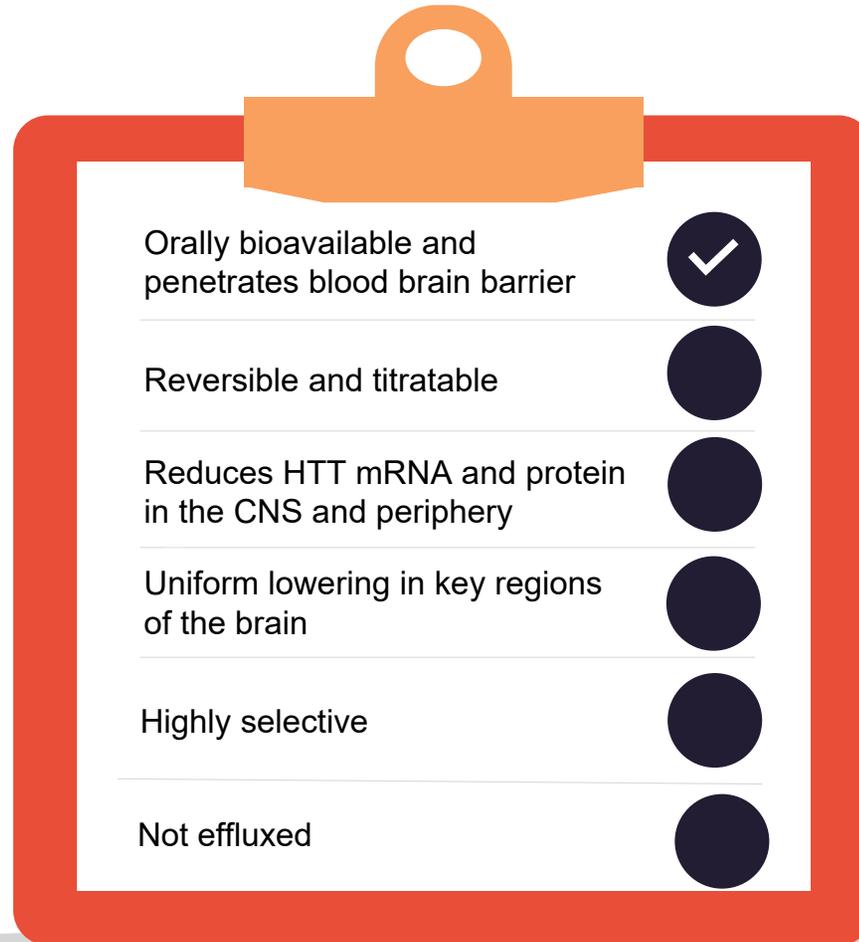
Model	Purpose	Pros	Cons
BACHD mouse	PK-PD-distribution/ HTT lowering biomarker	Human Genomic Locus Full-length HTT/PsiExon target	Subtle & late onset phenotype/ Increased body weight
WT Mouse	PK-distribution	Availability; commonly used; quick PK	NO PsiExon target
WT NHP	PK-distribution	Large brain; study efflux (CSF PK)	NO PsiExon target



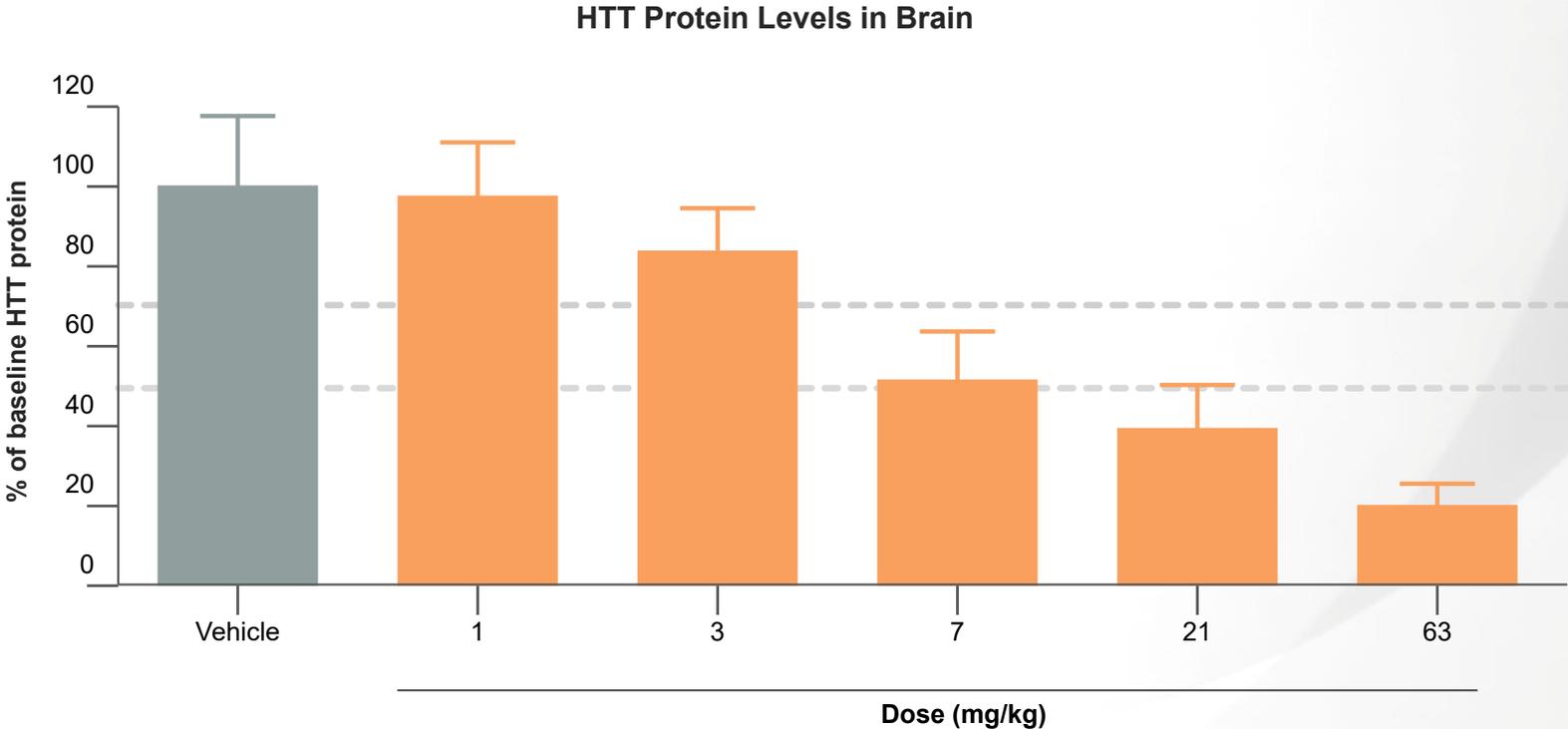
PTC518 is Orally Bioavailable and Crosses the Blood Brain Barrier



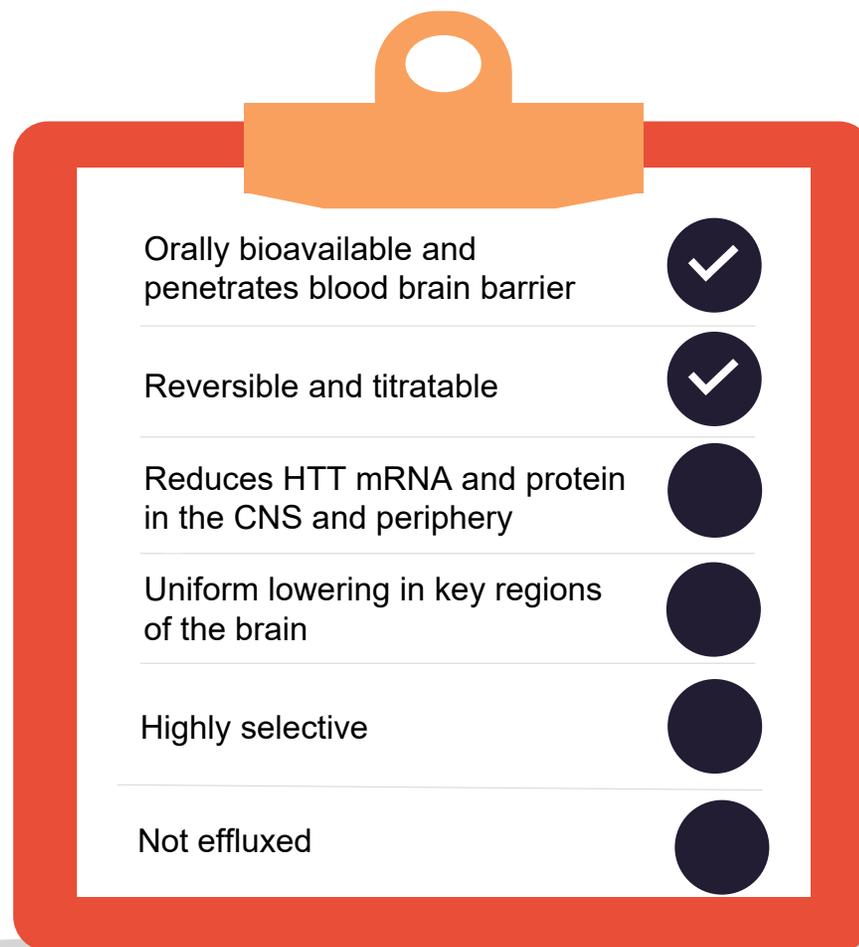
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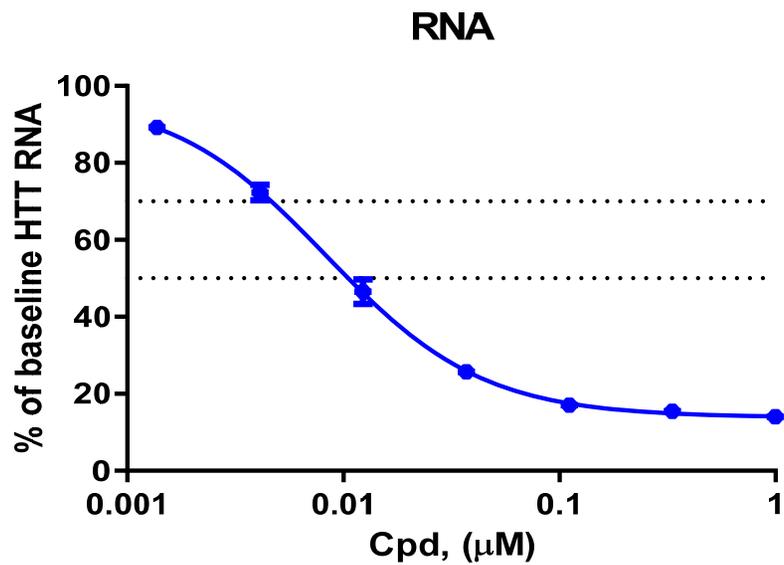
Dose Dependent HTT Lowering in the Brain of BACHD Mice



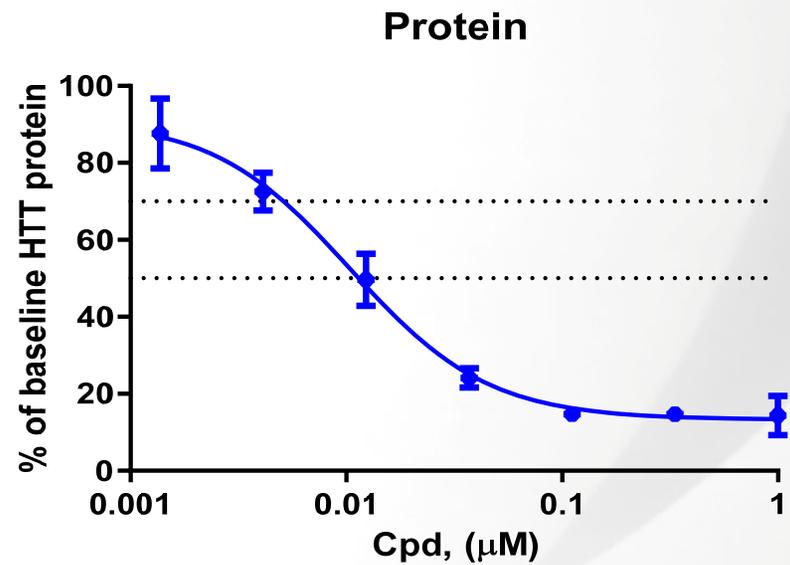
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PTC518 is Highly Potent in Promoting Splicing of *HTT* Pre-mRNA and Lowering *HTT* Protein Levels in Human Cells

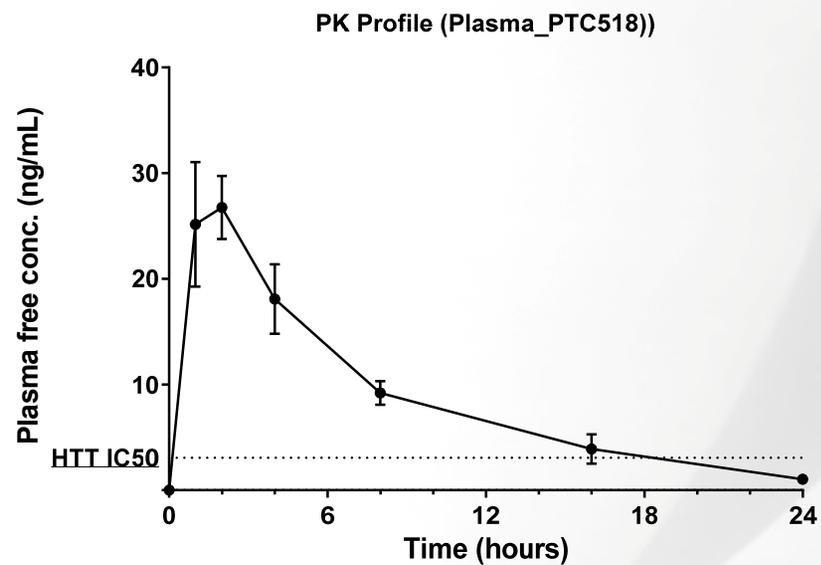
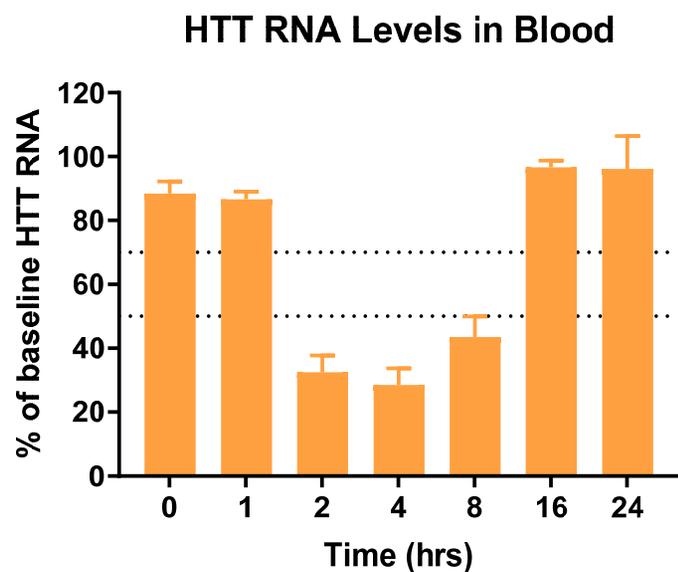


HTT pre-mRNA splicing

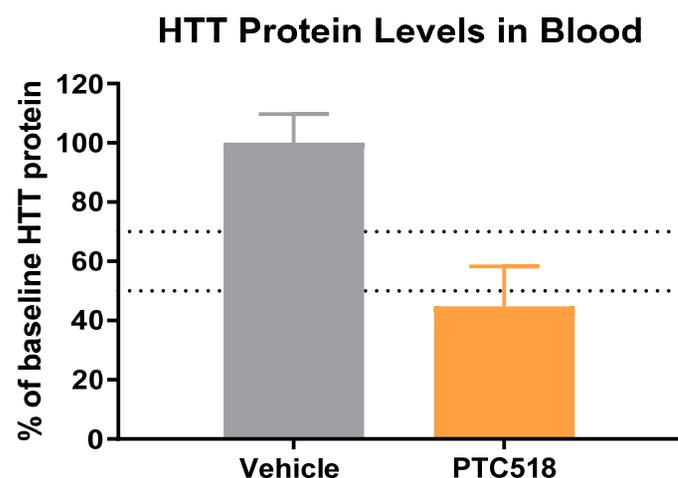


HTT protein lowering

PTC518 Promotes Splicing of *HTT* Pre-mRNA in BACHD Mouse Whole Blood

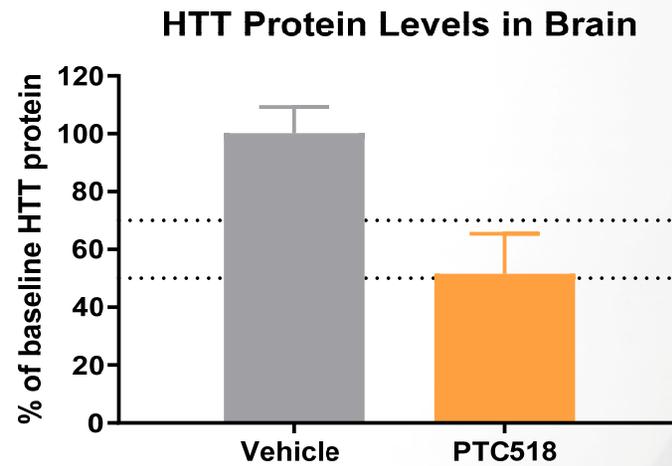
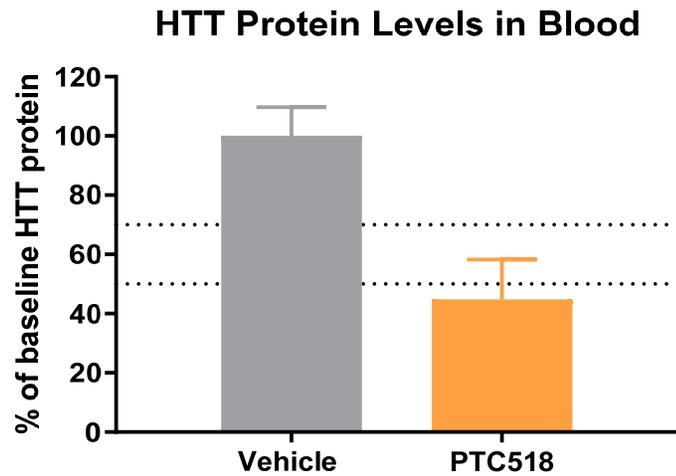


PTC518 Showed a Strong Correlation Between *HTT* mRNA Splicing and Protein Lowering in Blood of BACHD Mice

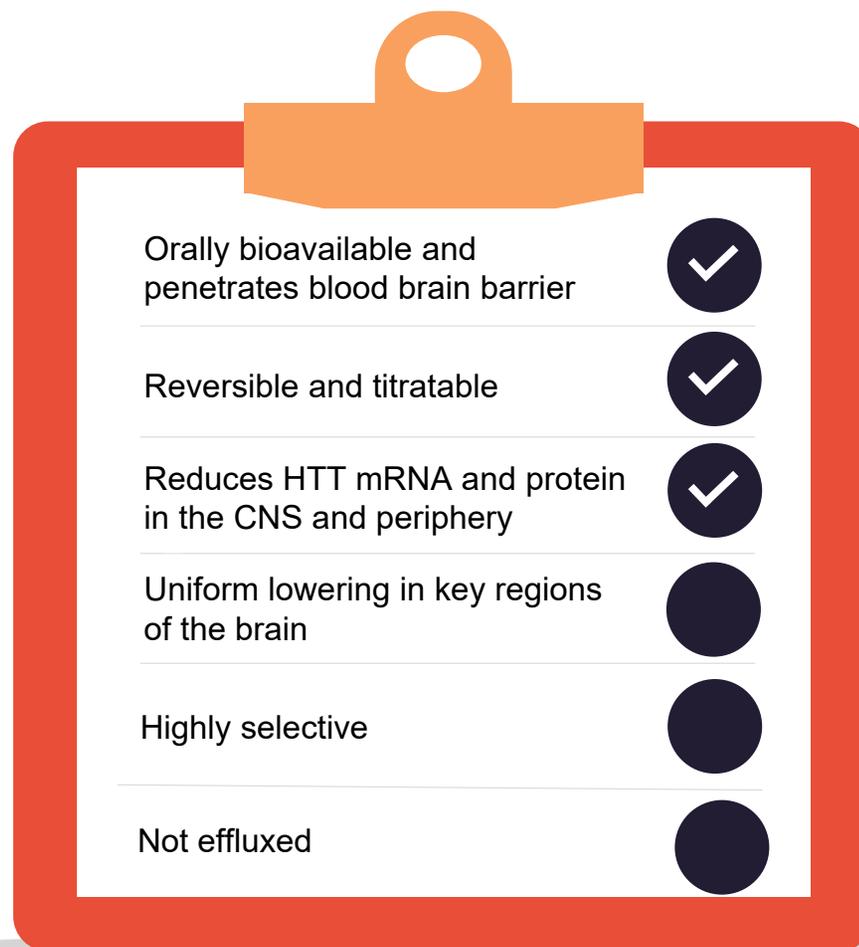


- HTT protein lowering in BACHD white blood cells
 - Time – 21 days; multiple doses; PD evaluated 2h post last dose

PTC518 Uniformly Lowers HTT Protein Levels in BACHD Mouse Brain and White Blood Cells

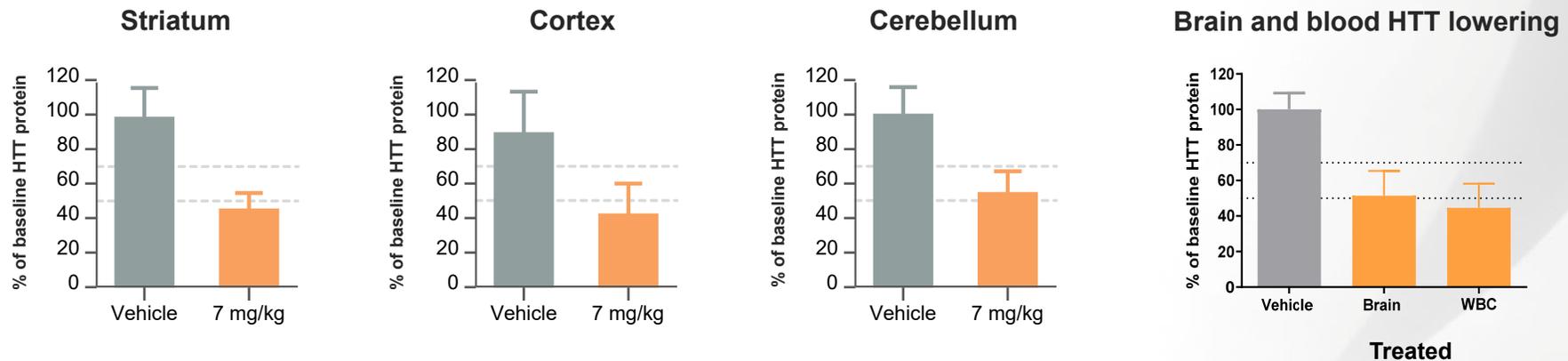


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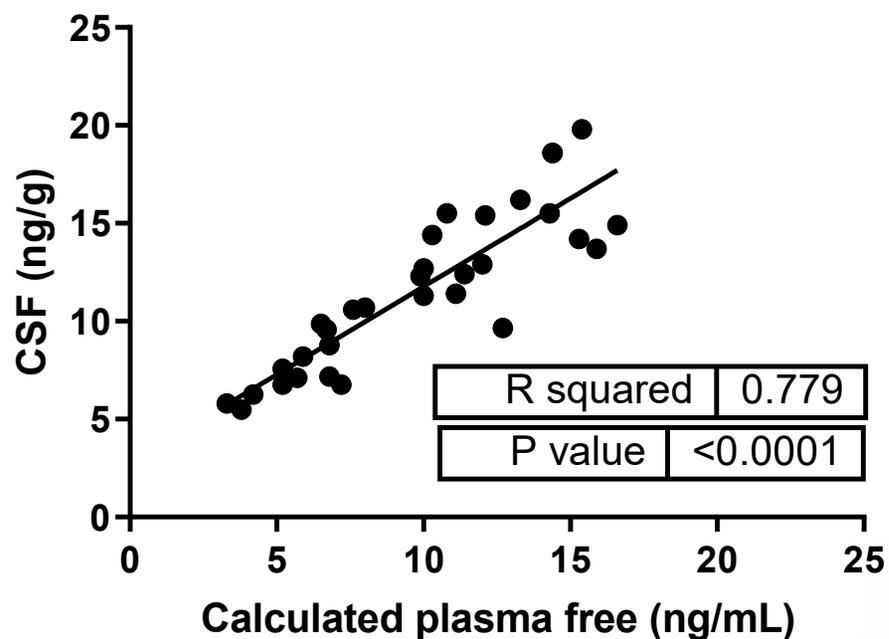
HD Splicing Small Molecules Demonstrate Robust HTT Reduction in BACHD Mouse Brain

Measurements demonstrate uniform HTT lowering across brain regions with ~1:1 brain and blood lowering effect

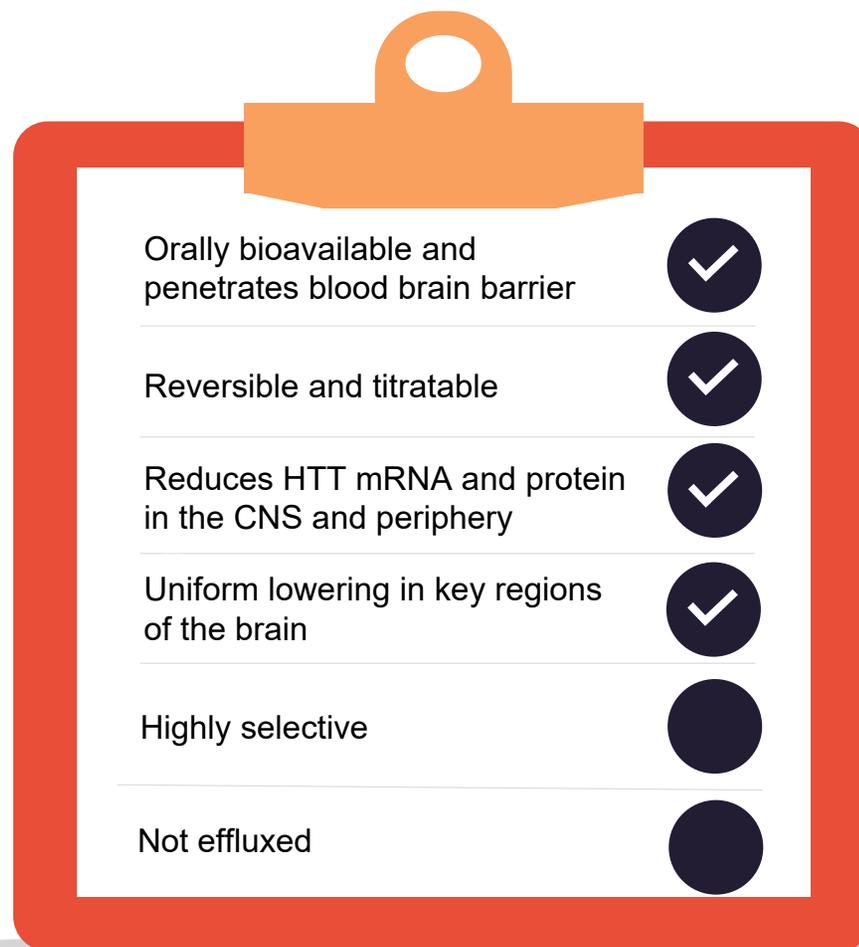


PTC518 Crosses the Blood Brain Barrier in Non-Human Primates

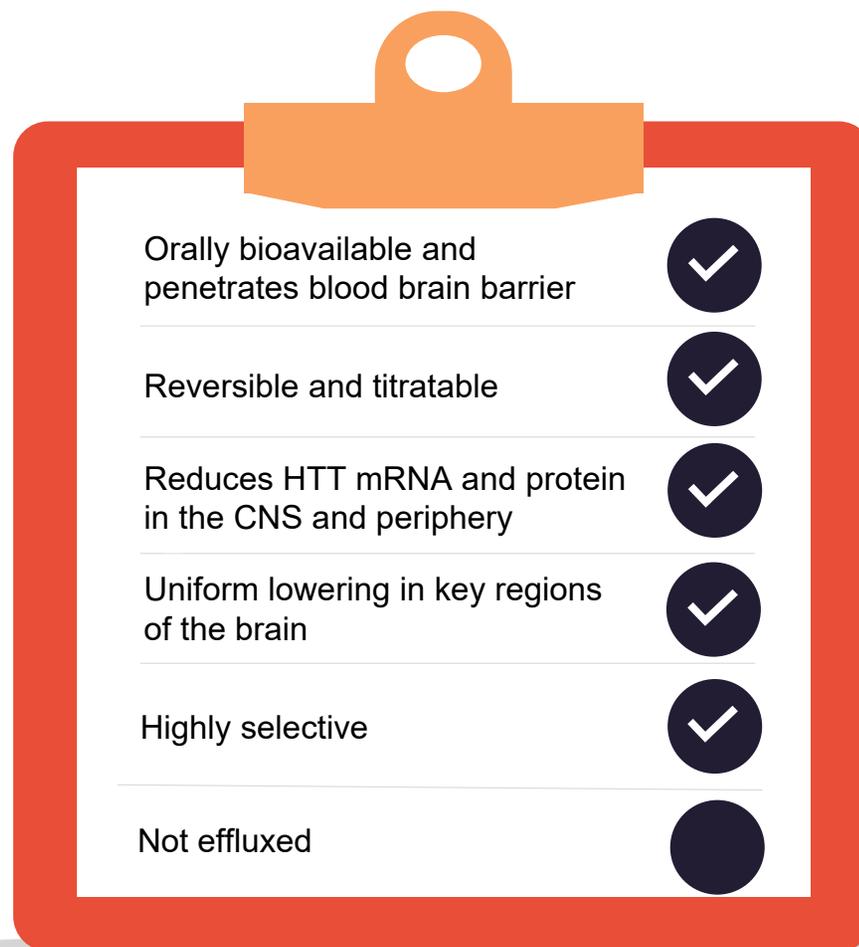
Monkey plasma CSF correlation



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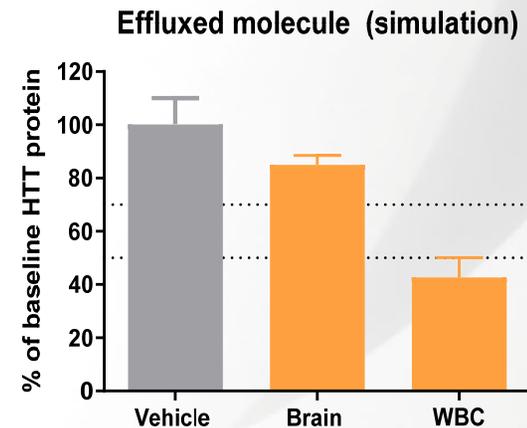
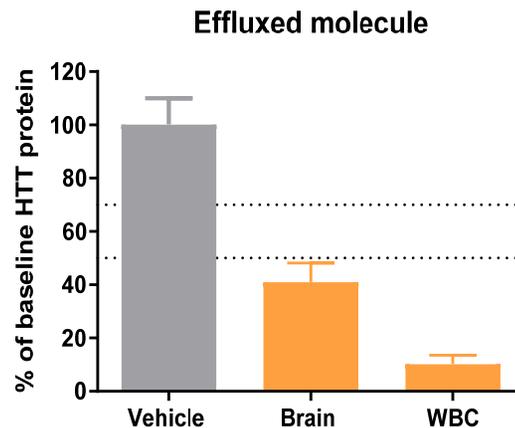
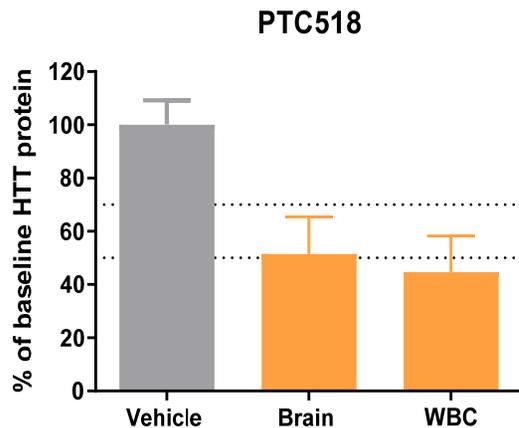


Why is it Important to Reduce Efflux?

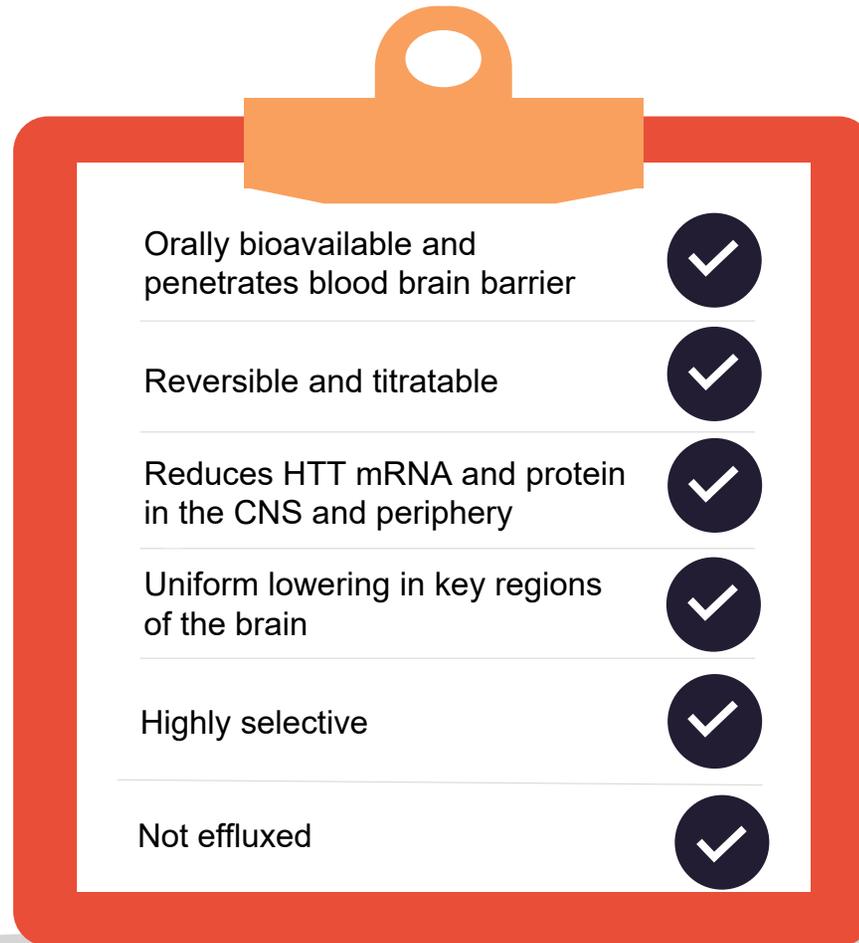
- Reducing efflux has several advantages:
 - Balancing the extent of peripheral vs brain lowering is critical
 - Increases the therapeutic window versus non target-related splicing in the periphery
 - Stronger correlation between blood (peripheral) and brain lowering

PTC518 is Not Effluxed Resulting In ~1:1 Brain and Blood Lowering Effect In BACHD Mice

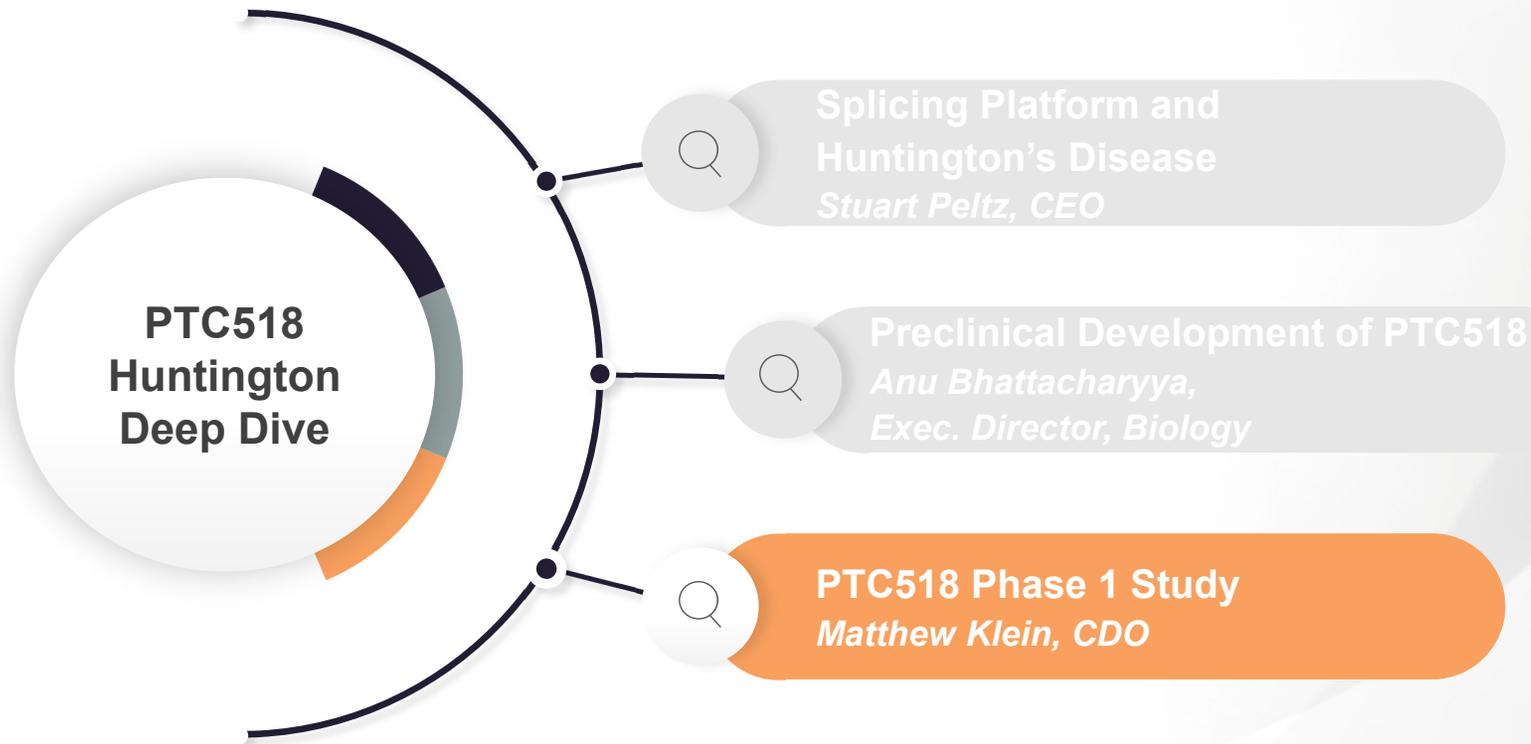
PTC518	Effluxed Molecule
Peripheral \approx Brain	Peripheral \gg Brain



What are the Characteristics of PTC518?



PTC518 Huntington's Disease Deep Dive Agenda



The Phase 1 Trial is a 4-Part Study

**Phase 1 trial
in healthy
volunteers is
ongoing**

Single ascending dose

- Five cohorts of 8 healthy volunteers (6 active and 2 placebo)
- Evaluate safety & tolerability; HTT mRNA splicing

Multiple ascending dose

- Up to 5 cohorts of 8 healthy volunteers (6 active and 2 placebo)
- Evaluate safety & tolerability; HTT mRNA splicing & protein lowering

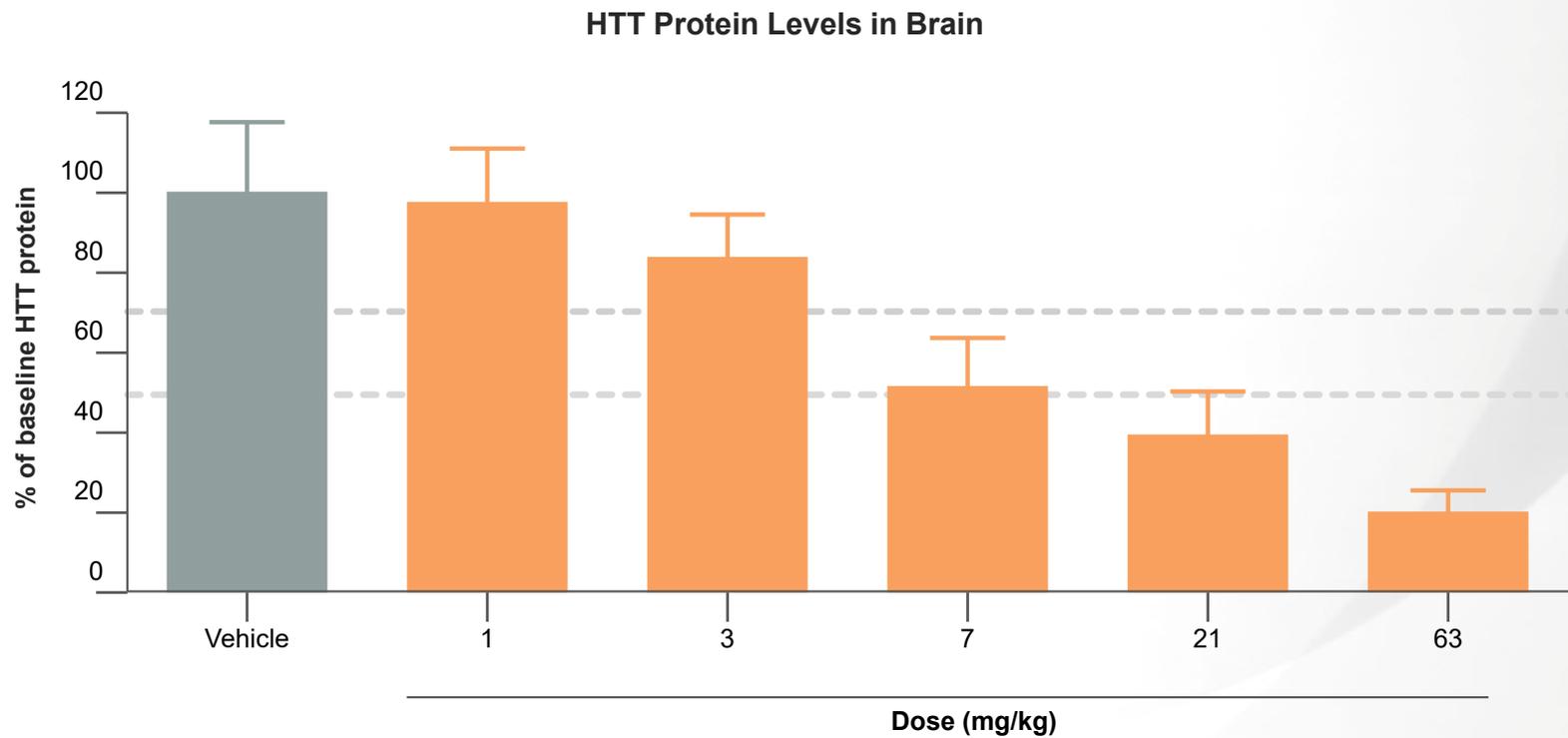
Food effect

- Crossover design
- Evaluate the effects of food on PTC518 pharmacokinetics

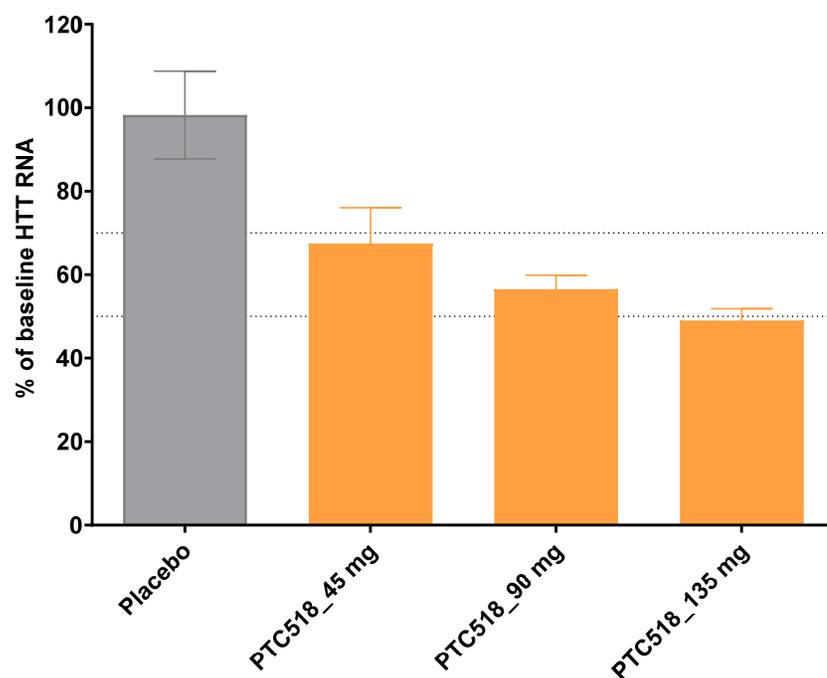
CSF sampling

- Evaluate pharmacokinetics of PTC518 in the CSF
- Compare drug levels in CSF with plasma compartment

Phase 1 Objective: Establish Dose Dependent HTT Lowering Similar to the BACHD Mouse

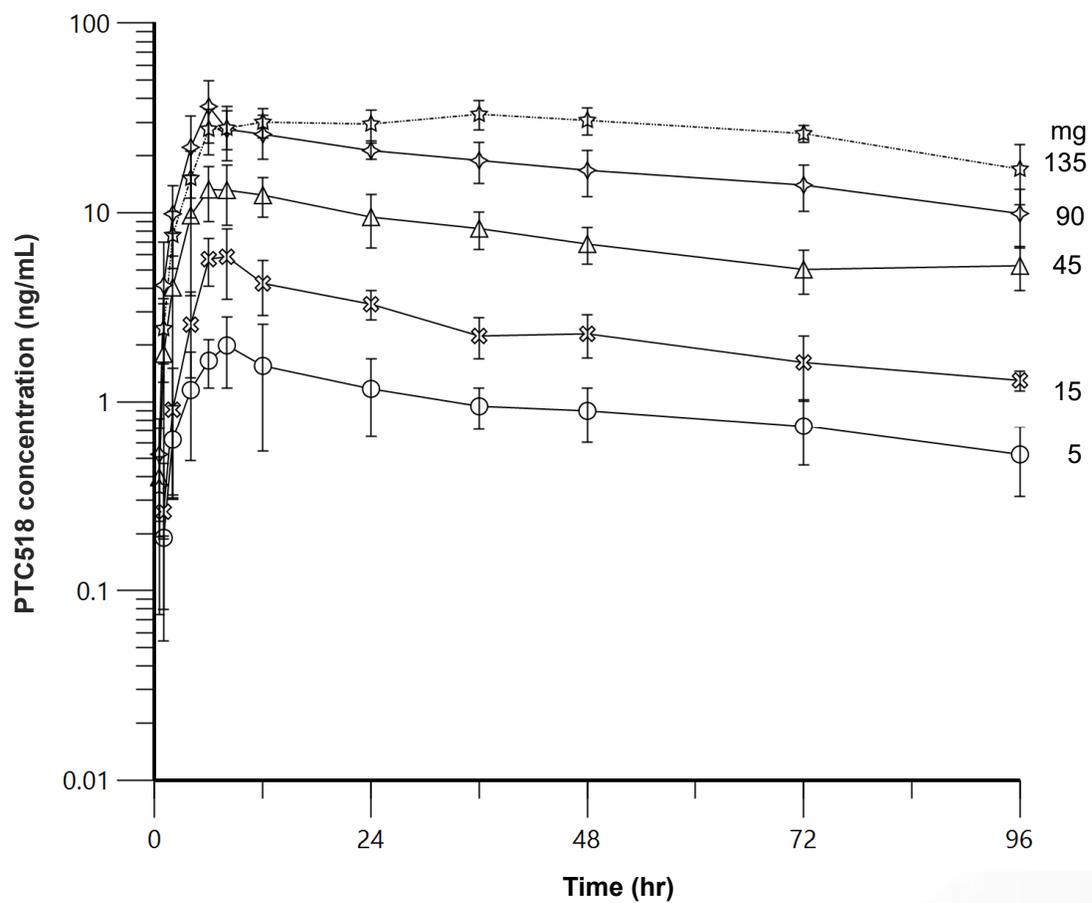


SAD Study: Proof of Mechanism of PTC518 Demonstrated By Dose-Dependent *HTT* Splicing



- Whole blood *HTT* splicing in humans
 - Doses evaluated = 45 mg, 90 mg, and 135 mg
 - Time – one day; single dose; splicing evaluated 24h post dose

SAD PK Demonstrates Dose Predictable Drug Exposure



Phase 1 SAD Interim Results Summary

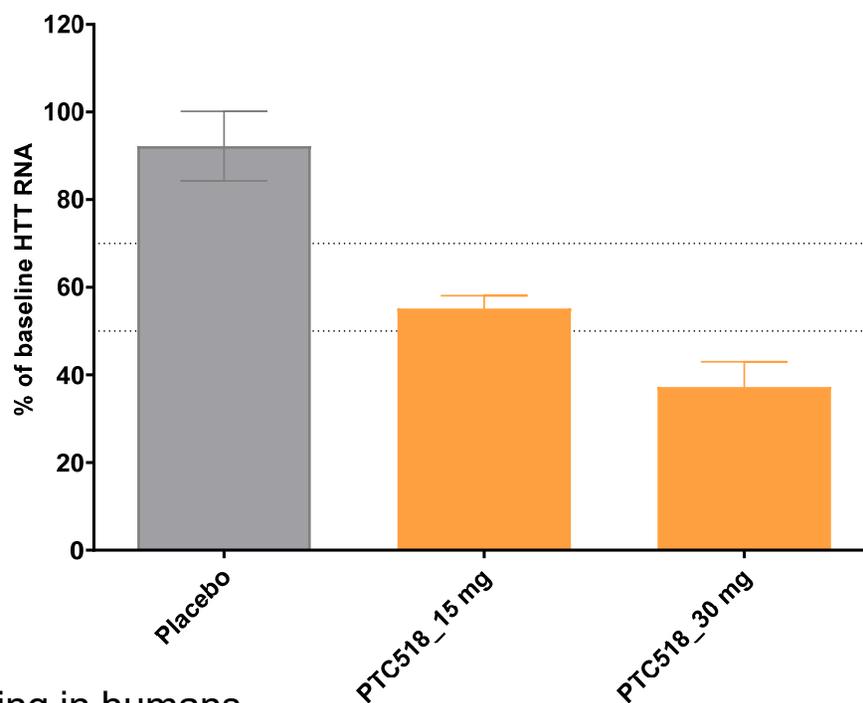
Well-tolerated with no safety-related findings

Predictable pharmacology

Dose-dependent splicing of *HTT* mRNA

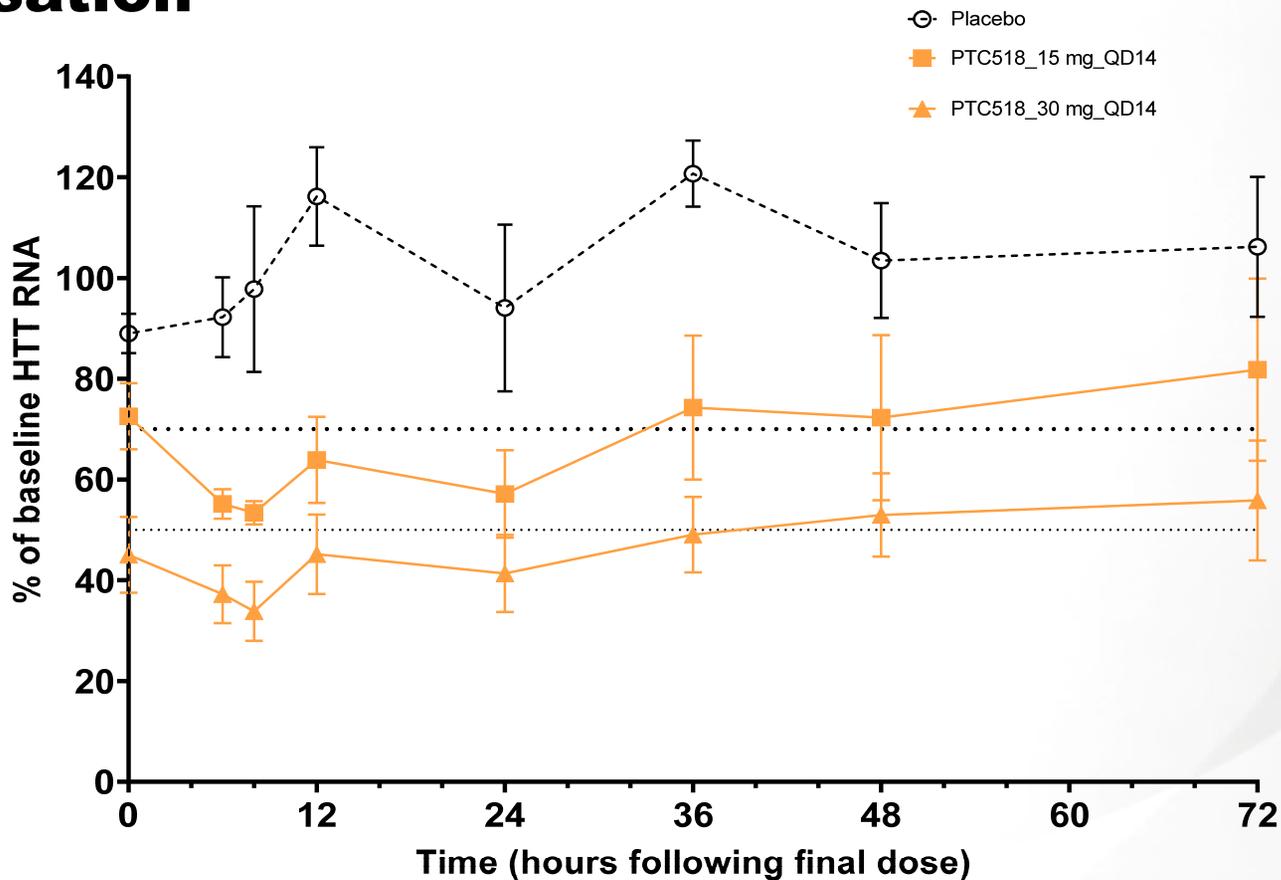
Target splicing reduction achieved with single dose

MAD Study: Proof of Mechanism of PTC518 Confirmed By Dose-Dependent *HTT* Splicing



- Whole blood *HTT* splicing in humans
 - Doses evaluated = 15 mg and 30 mg
 - Time – Day 14; multiple doses; splicing evaluated 6h post dose on day 14

Durability of Response: Splicing Activity Persists 72 hrs Post Cessation



HTT splicing monitored after the final dose at day 14 (calculated % HTT remaining from baseline (pre-dose_Day0))

Phase 1 MAD Interim Results Summary

Two cohorts completed; two to three additional planned

Well-tolerated with no safety-related findings

Dose dependent splicing of *HTT* mRNA

Long-half life with maintenance of splicing up to 72 hours following last dose

Phase 1 Trial Next Steps

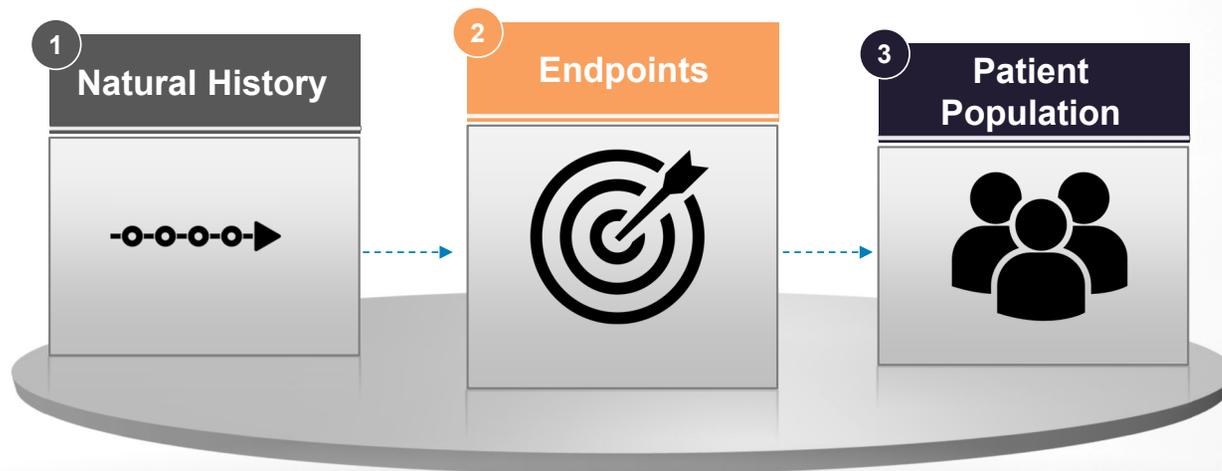
1 Complete Additional MAD Cohorts

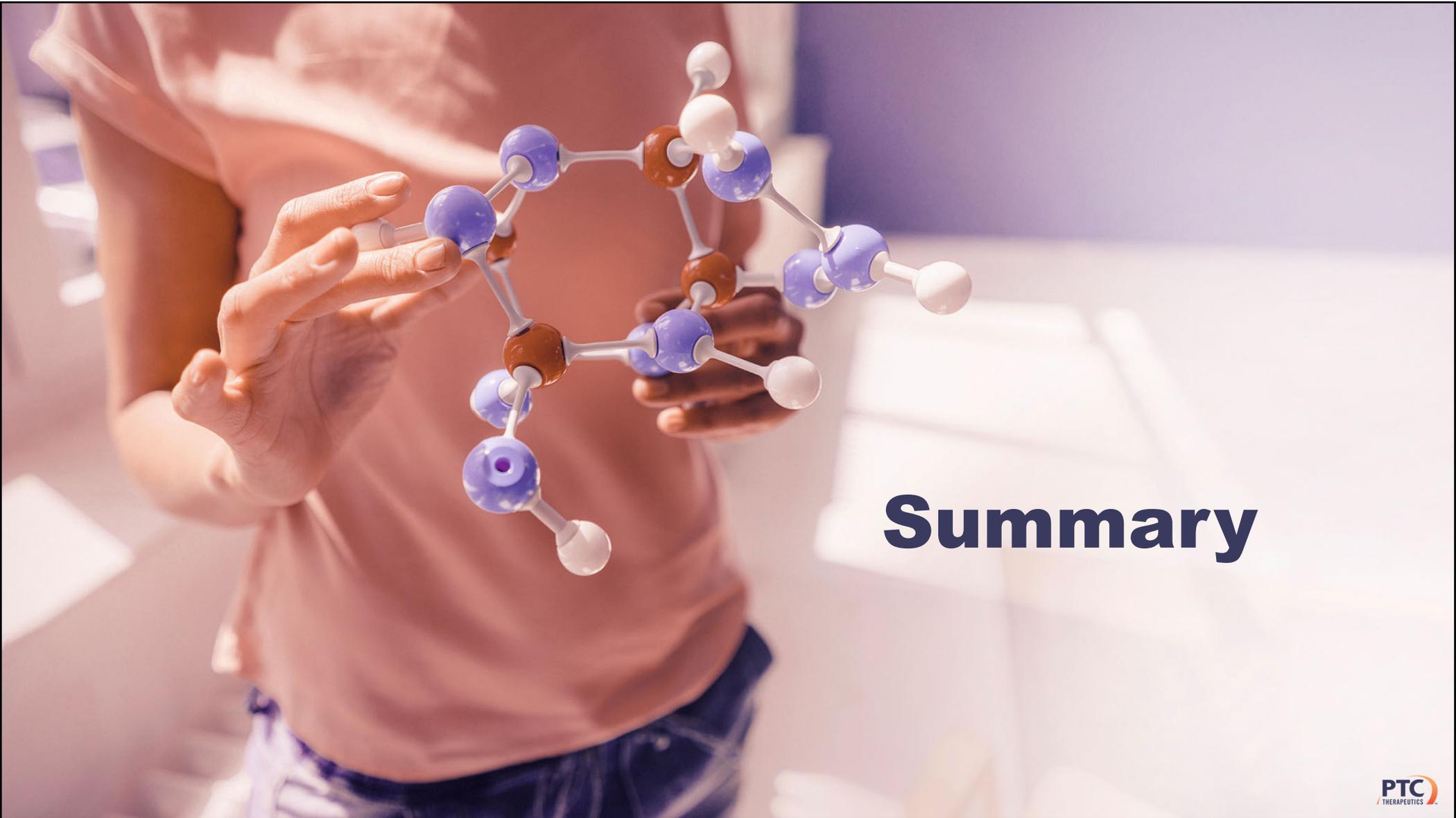
2 Complete CSF Cohort

3 Complete Food Effect Cohort

4 Finalize Clinical Development Plan

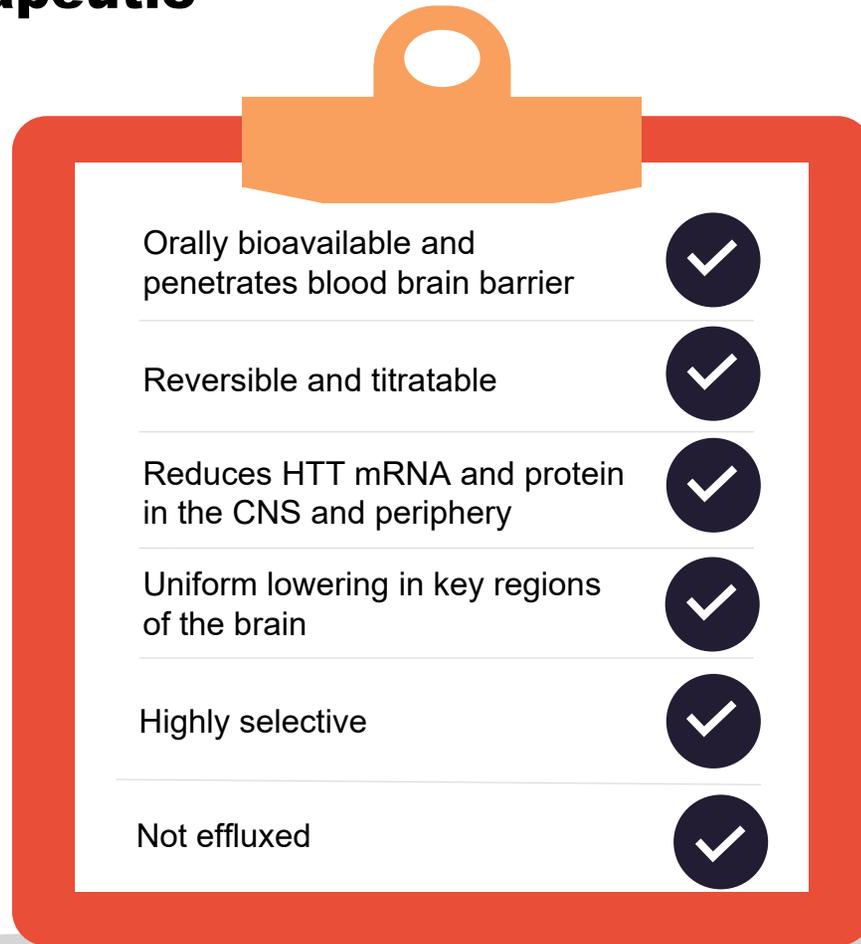
Defining Clinical Next Steps





Summary

Preclinical Studies Show PTC518 Has all the Characteristics Of a Promising HD Therapeutic



PTC518 Drug Development Objectives

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What is the Dose?



02



What is the Exposure?



03



What is the Level of HTT Reduction?



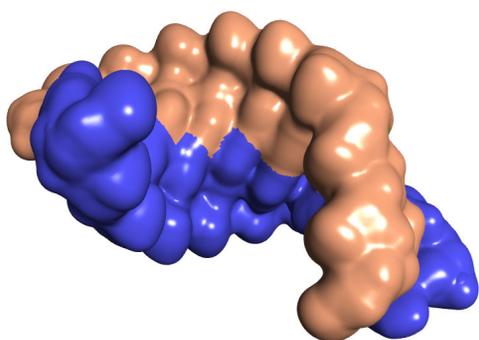
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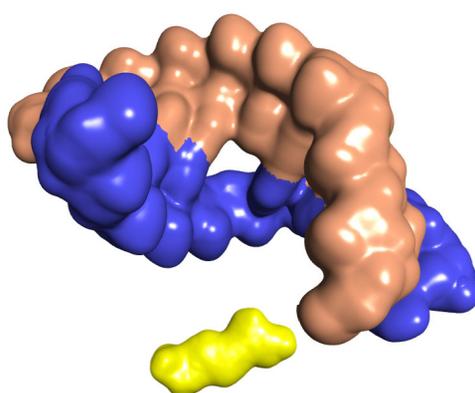
How to Demonstrate Clinical Benefit?

The Splicing Platform Has Proven to be a Robust Engine to Identify Development Candidates

Canonical duplex

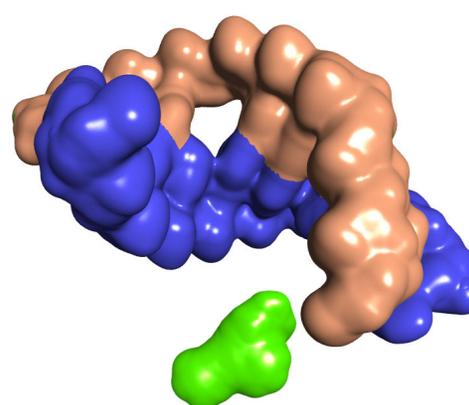


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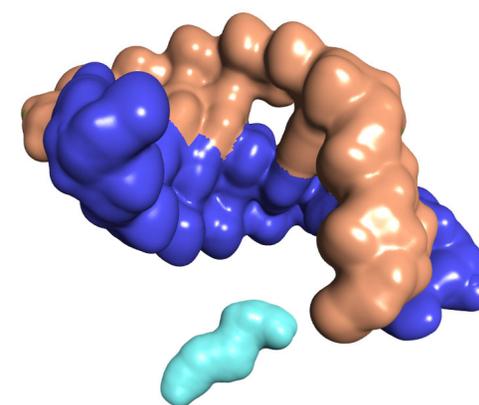
Risdiplam

HTT



PTC518

And the next one....



PTC-XXX

Molecules are designed to match a unique pre-mRNA/U1 interface and serve as molecular glue to help initiate splicing events

Questions?