

# Restore phase 3 trial results for rezafungin

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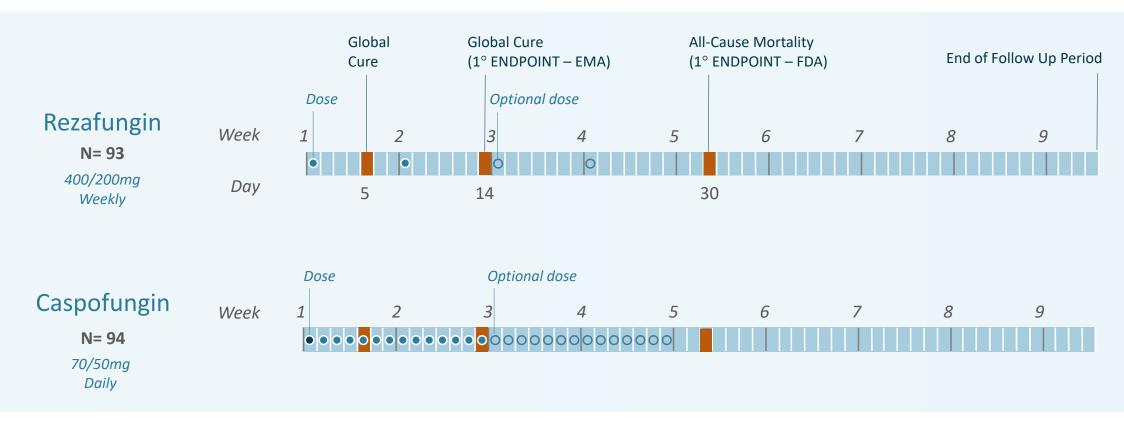


### REZAFUNGIN OVERALL PHASE 3 DEVELOPMENT PLAN

	PHASE 3 TREATMENT TRIAL	PHASE 3 PROPHYLAXIS TRIAL
	ReSTORE	ReSPECT
POTENTIAL INDICATION	Treatment of candidemia & invasive candidiasis	Prophylaxis against <i>Aspergillus, Candida</i> & <i>Pneumocystis</i> in allogeneic blood and marrow transplant patients
PHASE 3 SIZE	187 patients <sup>1</sup> (20% NI margin)	462 patients (12.5% NI margin)
OVERALL OBJECTIVE	FDA: Day 30 All-Cause Mortality vs SOC	Day 90 Fungal free survival vs standard of care

### Restore phase 3 trial design

- A Phase 3, prospective, double-blind, randomized, international, multicenter trial
- Evaluate the efficacy and safety of once-weekly IV rezafungin vs once-daily caspofungin followed by optional oral fluconazole step-down in the treatment of documented candidemia and/or IC
- mITT population: All subjects in safety population who had documented *Candida* infection



### Restore phase 3 trial results summary

#### Primary Efficacy Endpoints

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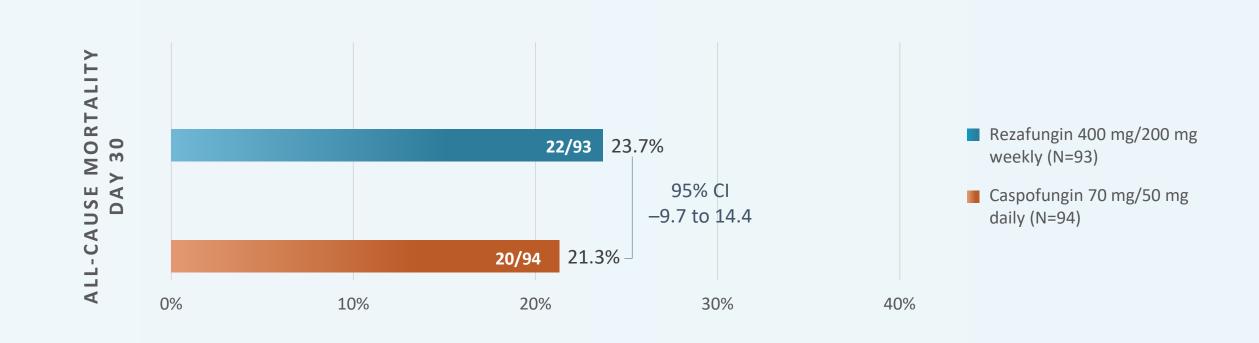
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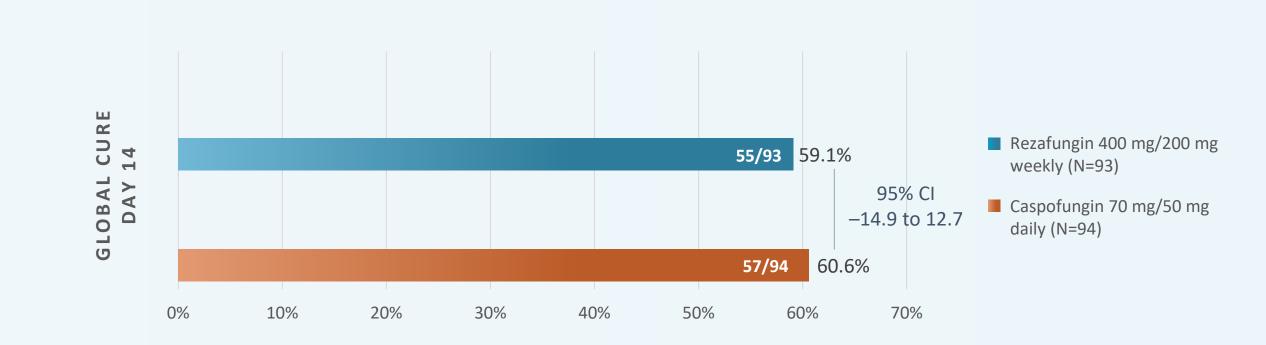
### KEY BASELINE DEMOGRAPHICS SIMILAR ACROSS ARMS

DEMOGRAPHIC OR CHARACTERISTIC	REZAFUNGIN n (%)	CASPOFUNGIN n (%)
Mean Age: ≥65 years	38 (40.9)	38 (40.4)
Sex: Female	31 (33.3)	38 (40.4)
Race		
Asian	23 (24.7)	31 (33.0)
Black or African American	5 (5.4)	4 (4.3)
White	59 (63.4)	55 (58.5)
Other	1 (1.1)	2 (2.1)
Not reported	4 (4.3)	1 (1.1)
Final Diagnosis: Candidemia	64 (68.8)	67 (71.3)
Final Diagnosis: Invasive Candidiasis	29 (31.2)	27 (28.7)
Modified APACHE II score		
≥20	12 (12.9)	17 (18.1)
10–19	42 (45.2)	40 (42.6)
<10	38 (40.9)	37 (39.4)
Absolute neutrophil count <500/µL	7 (7.5)	5 (5.3)



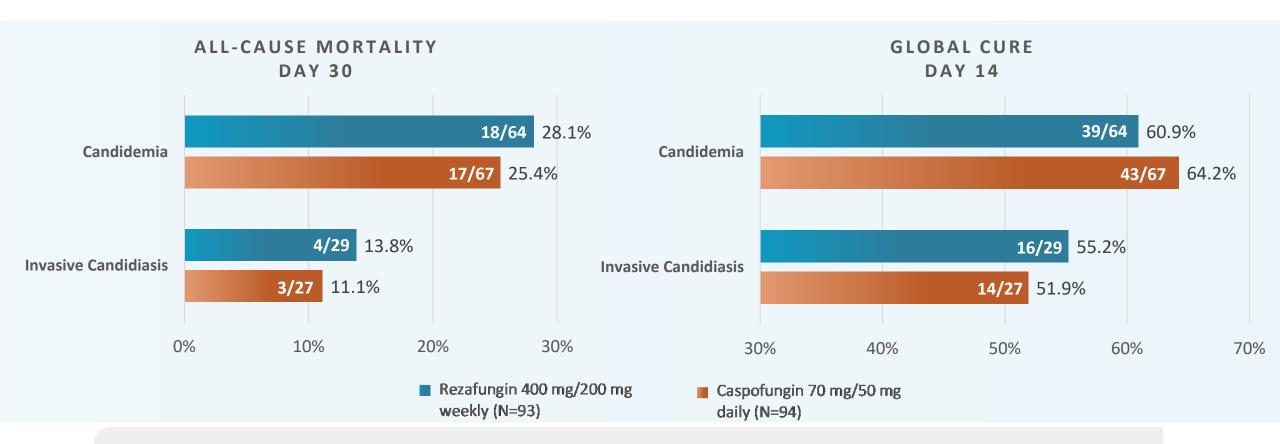
The upper limit of the 95% confidence interval for ACM is 14.4%, which is within the noninferiority margin of 20% established with the FDA.

### DAY 14 GLOBAL CURE (Primary Endpoint for EMA was Achieved)



The lower limit of the 95% confidence interval for Day 14 Global Cure is –14.9%, which is within the noninferiority margin of –20% established with the EMA.

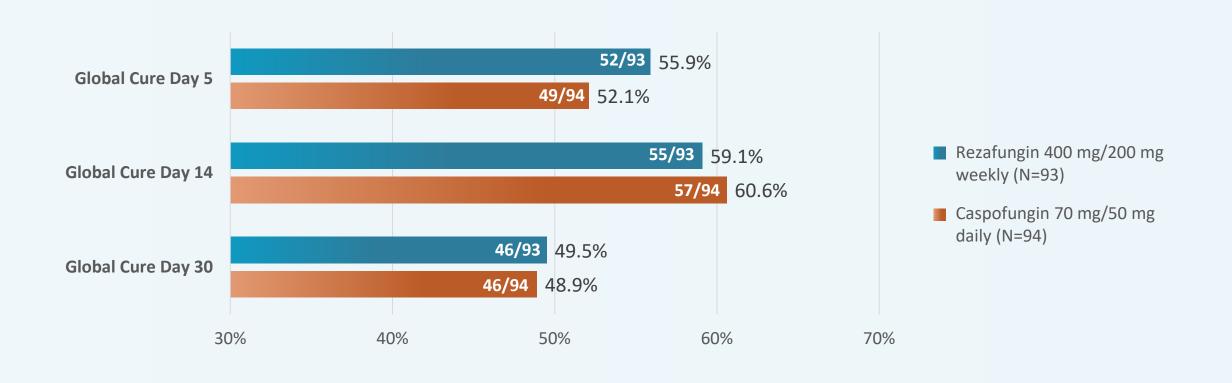
### PRIMARY ENDPOINT RESULTS BY SUBGROUP



Day 30 All-Cause Mortality and Day 14 Global Cure were similar for rezafungin and caspofungin across these predefined subgroups.

### GLOBAL CURE AT DAY 5, DAY 14, AND DAY 30

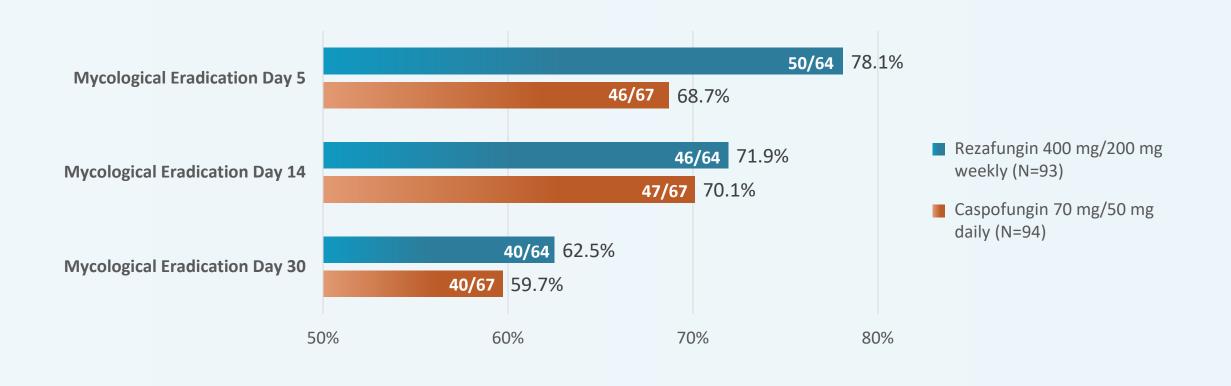
#### Day 5 and Day 30 are Secondary Endpoints



Global Cures were similar between study arms across multiple timepoints.

### MYCOLOGICAL ERADICATION AT DAY 5, DAY 14, AND DAY 30

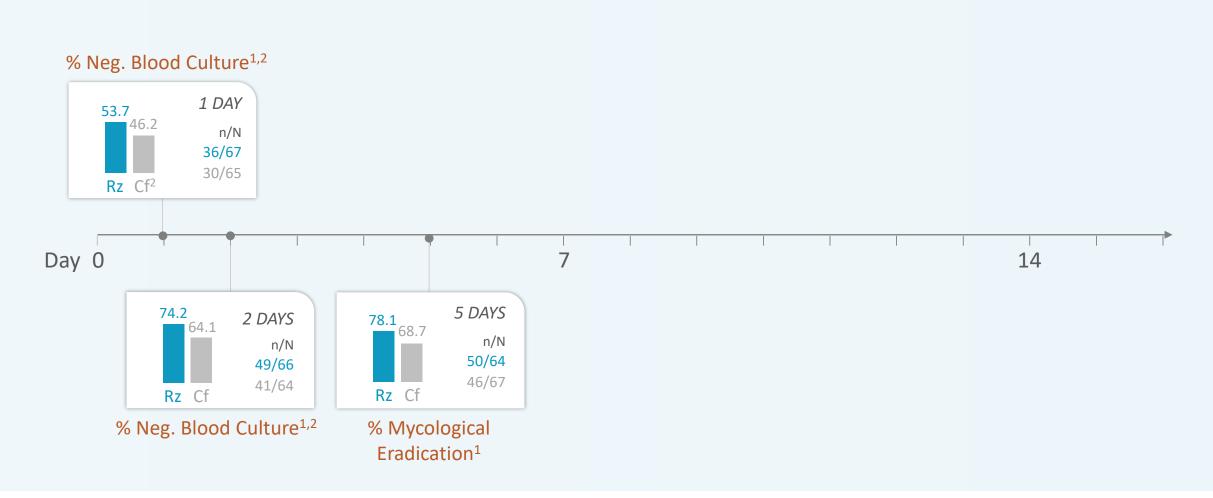
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Mycological Eradication was numerically higher for rezafungin at Day 5 and similar across arms at later timepoints.

### PHASE 3 EARLY EFFICACY AND MEDIAN ICU STAY

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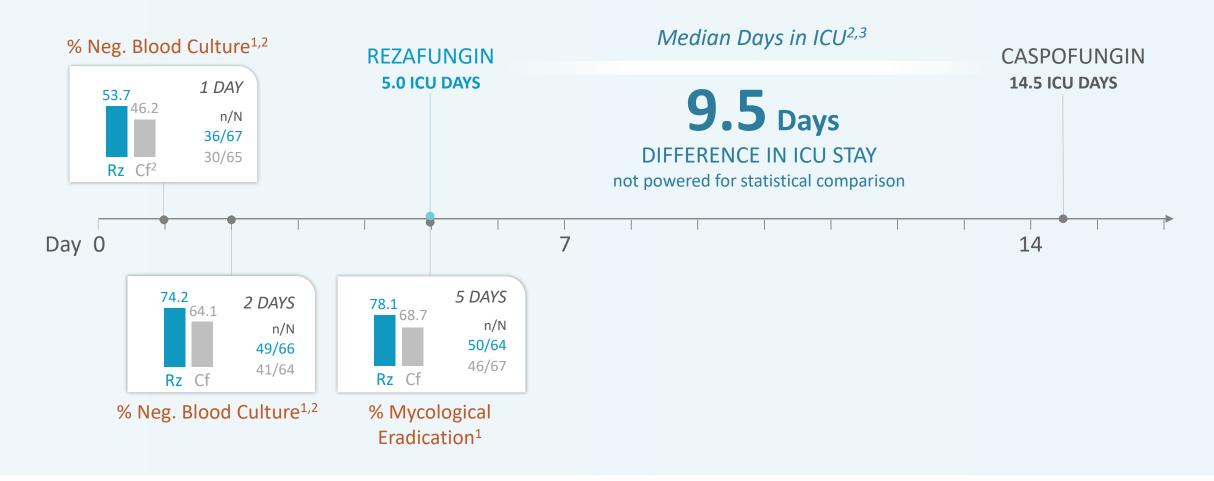
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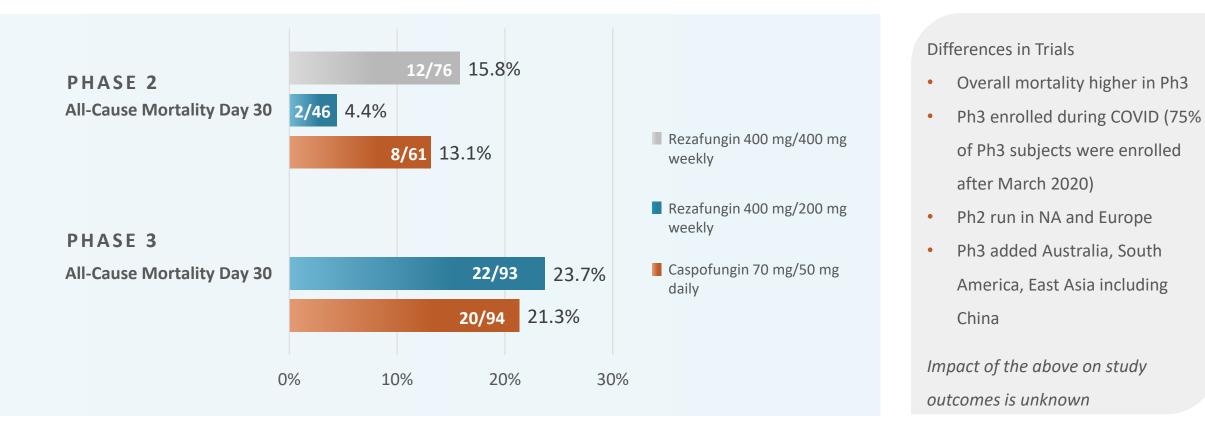
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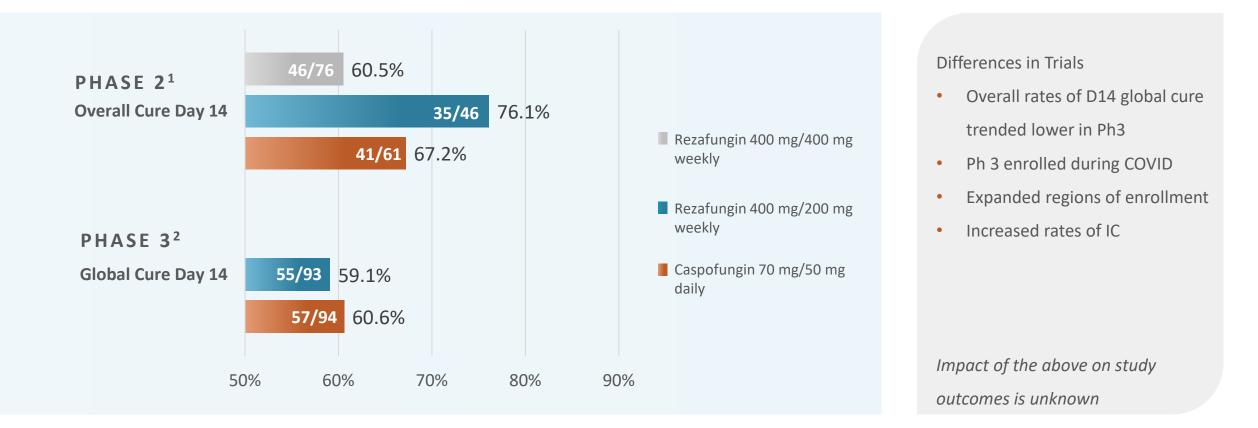
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### REZAFUNGIN PHASE 2 AND PHASE 3 DAY 14 CURE RESULTS



1. Overall Cure (Phase 2): resolution of systemic signs attributable to candidemia or invasive candidiasis AND mycological eradication as demonstrated by a single tissue/fluid culture or 2 negative blood cultures at least 12 hours apart

15 2. Global Cure (Phase 3): investigator assessment of clinical cure AND mycological eradication as demonstrated by a single negative blood or tissue/fluid culture AND (if pertinent) improvement or resolution of evidence of invasive candidiasis on radiographic imaging

Number of Subjects	REZAFUNGIN 400 mg/200 mg Weekly N=98 n (%)	CASPOFUNGIN 70 mg/50 mg Daily N=98 n (%)
≥1 TEAE	89 (90.8)	83 (84.7)
Study drug-related*	16 (16.3)	9 (9.2)
Serious AE	55 (56.1)	52 (53.1)
Study drug-related*	2 (2.0)	3 (3.1)
AE leading to study drug discontinuation	13 (13.3)	11 (11.2)

\* Study drug-related AEs may be considered related to study drug or placebo due to investigator blinding.

5 AEs in the rezafungin arm were considered related to placebo administration.

0 AEs in the caspofungin arm were considered related to placebo administration.

Rezafungin was generally well tolerated and had a similar safety profile to caspofungin.

### SAFETY: RELATED SERIOUS ADVERSE EVENTS AS DETERMINED BY THE PIS

#### Both SAEs in the rezafungin arm were associated with placebo administration

- Rezafungin arm
  - Infusion-related reaction (Day 3)
    - Hypersensitivity reaction during the Day 3 infusion of saline placebo
  - o Urticaria (Day 15)
    - Urticarial rash following oral placebo administration
- Caspofungin arm
  - Hypertransaminasaemia (Day 14)
    - High liver function tests
  - Liver injury (Day 8)
    - High liver function tests
  - Anaphylactic shock (Day 3)
    - Anaphylactic reaction to Day 3 study drug infusion

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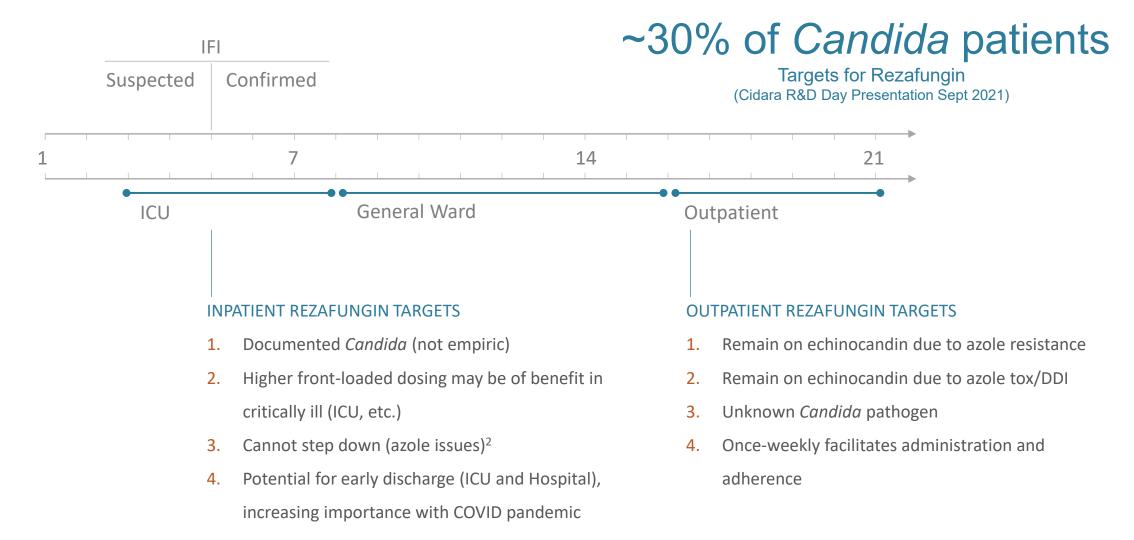
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## **ADVANTAGES**

- Only drug in development successfully compared head-to-head in Ph3 with standard of care echinocandin in 1st line *Candida* treatment
- ✓ 1st and only once-weekly antifungal candidate
- ✓ High front-loaded dosing for rapid *Candida* clearance
- ✓ Substantial tissue and organ penetration
- ✓ No DDIs across two studies with relevant drugs
- May enable early discharge (ICU and Hospital)
- ✓ Active against tough to treat *Candida* strains
  including *C. auris* and azole-resistant *Candida*



30% of patients with *Candida* receive therapy for documented disease whereas 70% receive empiric therapy only (Internal estimate). 30% of patients who start on an echinocandin are still on an echinocandin on the last day of hospitalization because they could not be stepped down. Sofjan, Garey et al. Journal of Antimicrobial Resistance. Vol14, Sept 2018 21 2.



Rezafungin is the only antifungal in clinical stage development for both 1<sup>st</sup>-line treatment and prophylaxis...

...Fluconazole and voriconazole, which sold \$1B and \$800M at peak<sup>1,2</sup> respectively, had a similar approach

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