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ALXN1840 (tiomolibdate choline) stabilizes liver disease and improves neurological symptoms as well as quality of life in treatment-experienced Wilson disease patients

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Wilson Disease (WD)

- **Wilson disease** is a rare autosomal recessive disorder of impaired copper (Cu) transport
- Cu accumulates in the **liver** and **brain**, causing organ damage
- Inadequately treated or untreated, Cu accumulation leads to **neuropsychiatric manifestations, hepatic failure**, and ultimately **death**
- Standard of care therapies (D-penicillamine, trientine, and zinc) carry safety risks such as paradoxical neurological worsening¹

~1 in 30,000

Estimated prevalence worldwide¹



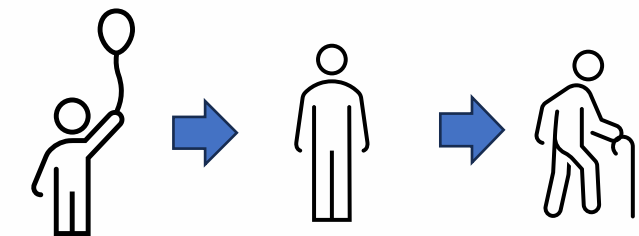
~25%

Of patients with neurologic WD paradoxically worsen on chelator therapy^{2,3}



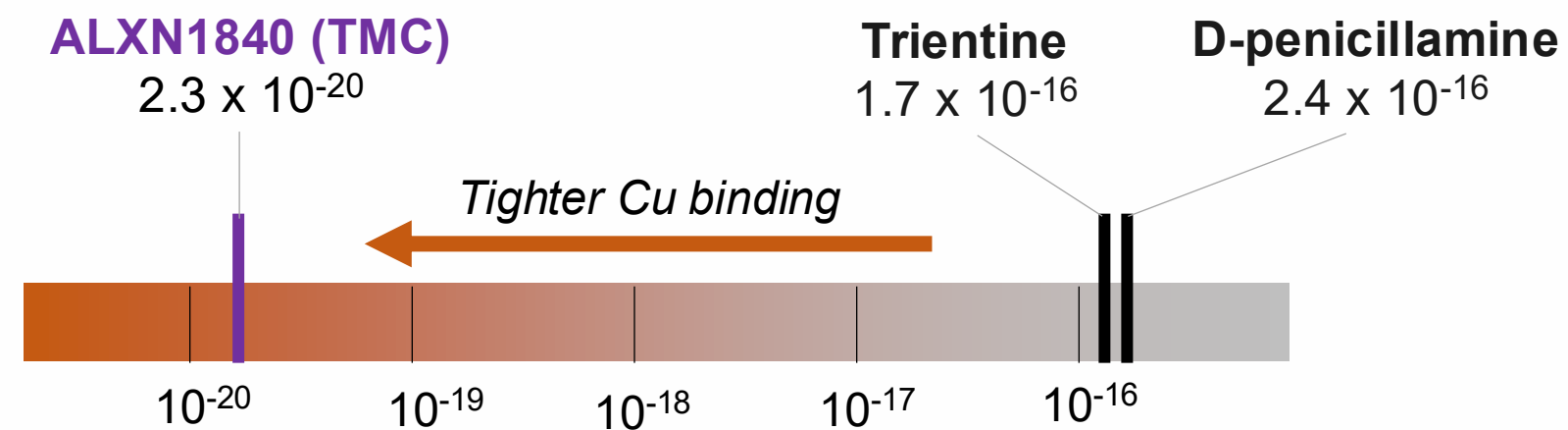
Lifelong

Treatment burden — requires cumbersome multi-dose daily regimen, separated from food



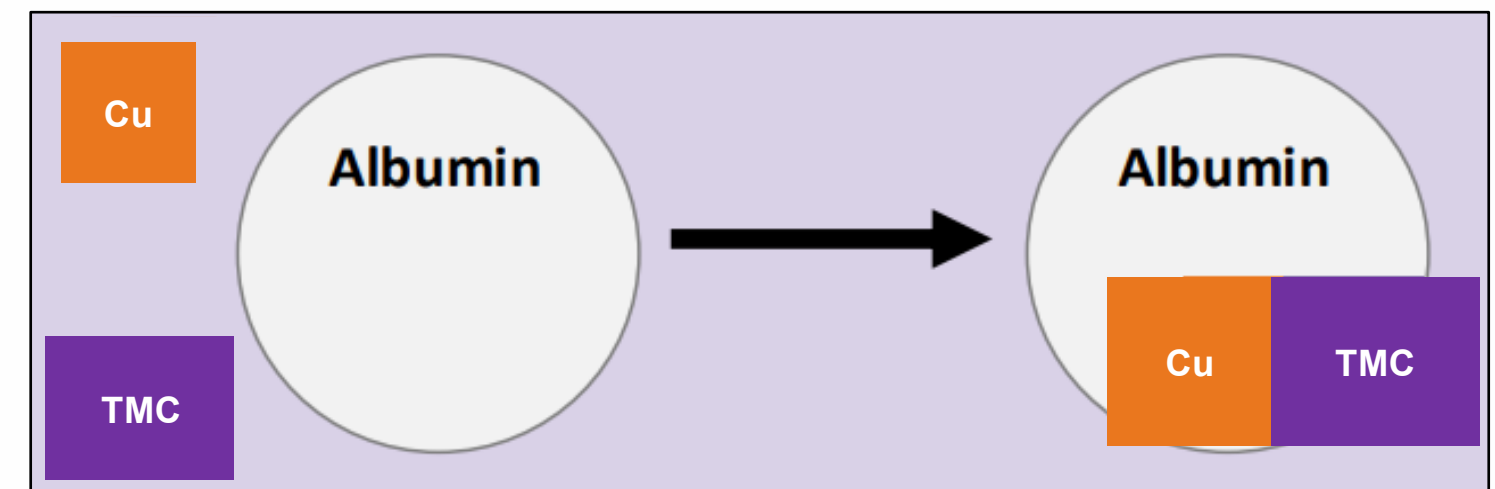
Tiomolibdate Choline (TMC; ALXN1840)

CU-BINDING AFFINITY (K_D) OF WD THERAPIES



Tiomolibdate choline (TMC, ALXN1840) demonstrates **superior Cu binding affinity**¹ and specificity compared to currently approved chelators

TMC-CU-ALBUMIN FORMS A TRIPARTITE COMPLEX



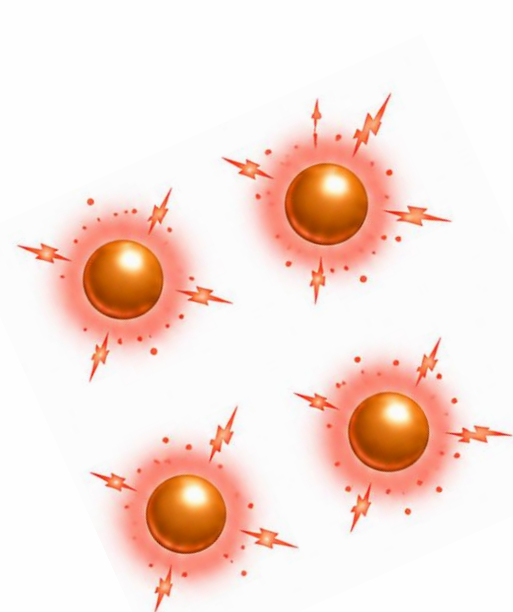
Tiomolibdate choline is an albumin tripartite complex (ATC) activator, binding Cu and albumin to form a stable tripartite complex — **mobilizing** and **sequestering** hepatic Cu^2

TMC Protects the Liver by Binding and Neutralizing Hepatic Cu

Differentiated from SoC, TMC's binding affinity is strong enough to **inhibit reactivity of free Cu** and **remove Cu from metallothionein¹** — directly protecting the liver

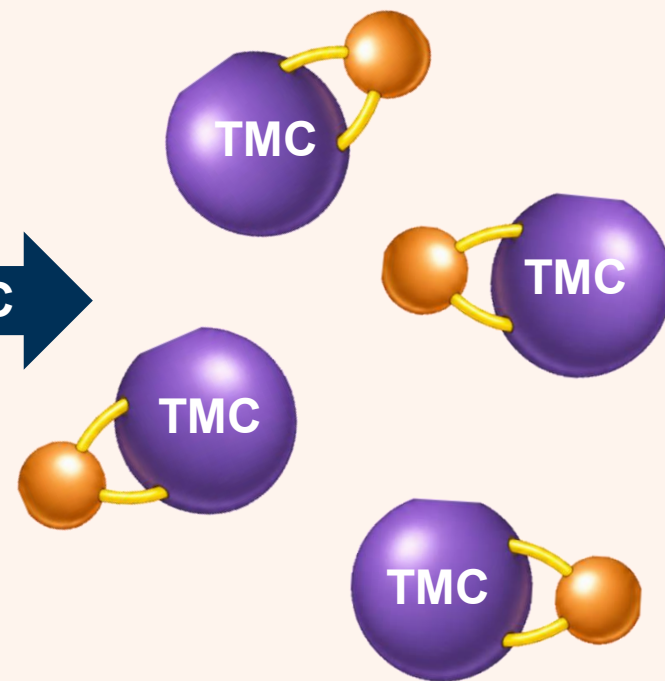
TMC AND REACTIVE FREE CU

Excess **reactive free Cu** causes tissue **toxicity**



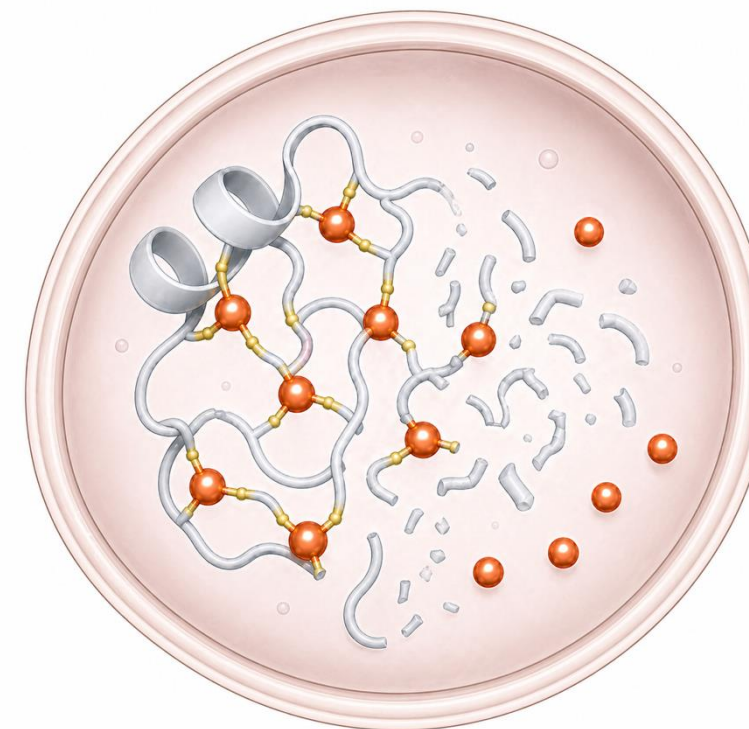
+TMC

TMC directly binds Cu, **preventing redox reactivity²**



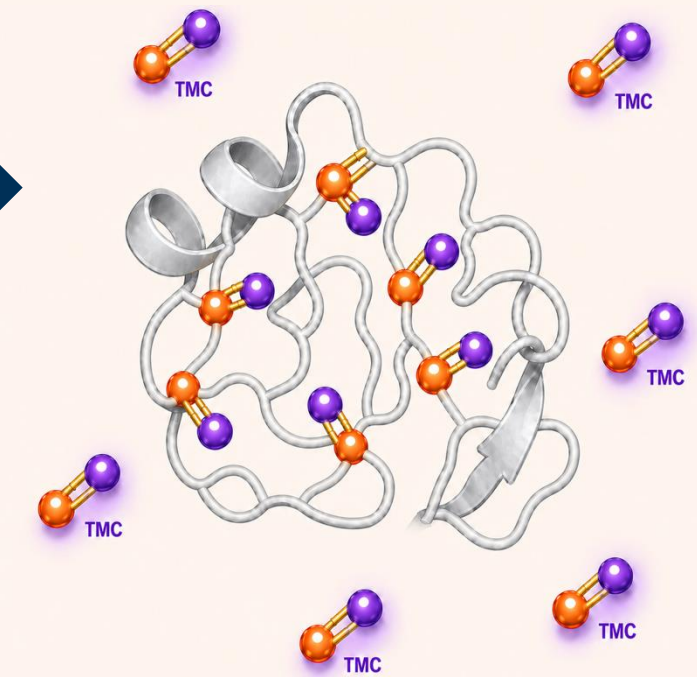
TMC AND METALLOTHIONEIN (MT)

Catabolism of Cu–MT **releases reactive Cu³**



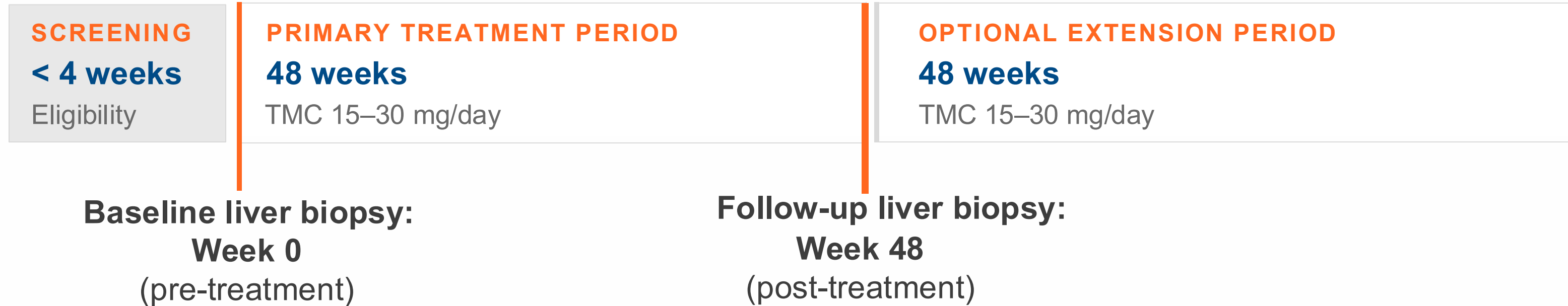
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TMC prevents reactive Cu release by both **binding Cu** and **removing it from MT⁴**



48-week Liver Biopsy Study Methods

Open-label, multicenter, pathologist-blinded trial of TMC monotherapy in **treatment-experienced** (≥ 1 year) patients with WD



LIVER BIOPSY ENDPOINTS

Biopsy endpoints assessed by pathologist **blinded to treatment status**

Hepatic Cu concentration *Primary Endpoint*

Fibrosis (*NASH CRN Fibrosis Stage, NAS total score*)

Steatosis (*NAS steatosis grade, hepatocellular ballooning*)

Inflammation (*lobular inflammation, portal inflammation*)

OTHER ENDPOINTS

Neurologic

(Unified Wilson Disease Rating Scale)

Global

(Clinical Global Impressions scale)

Quality of Life

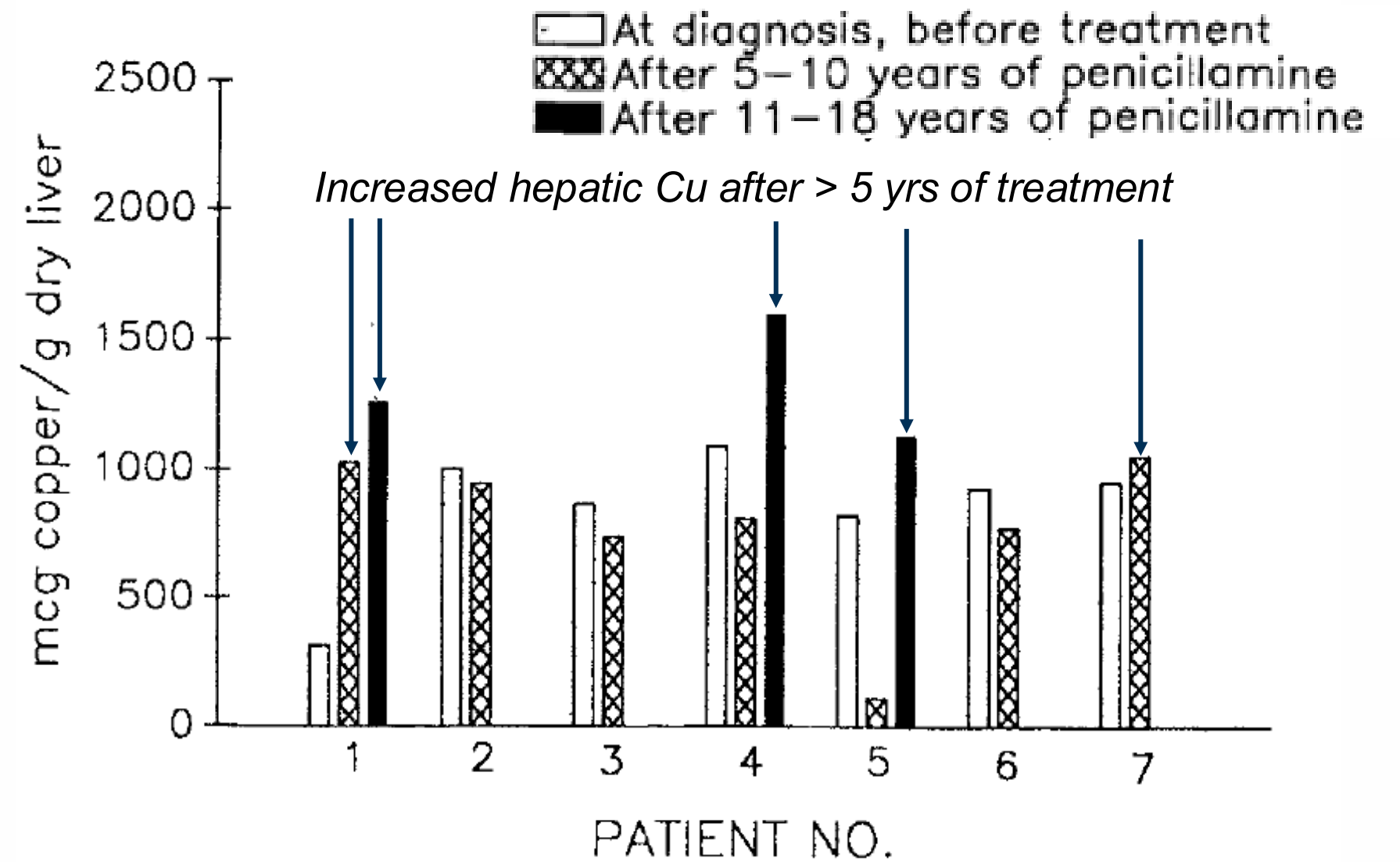
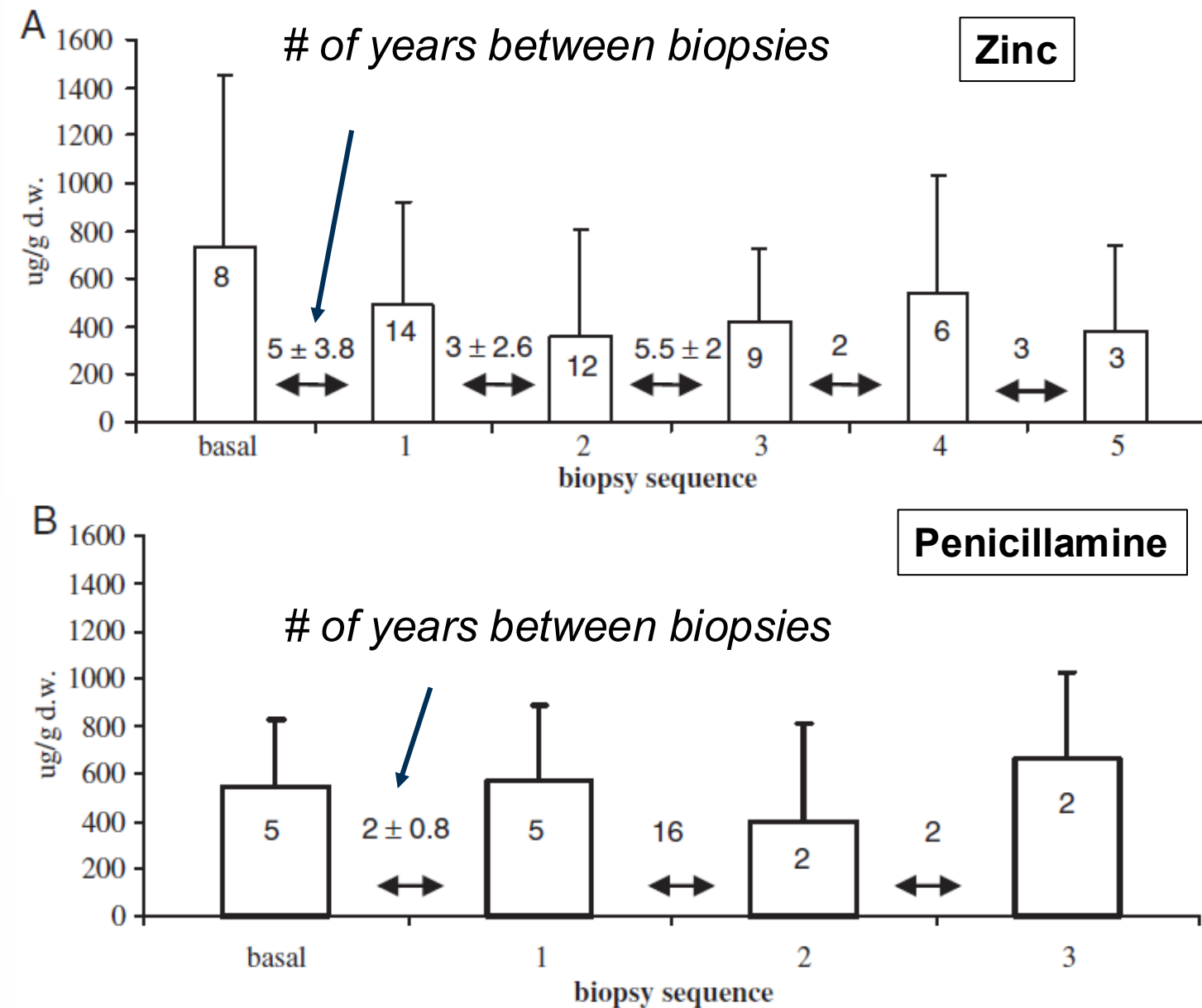
(EuroQol-5D-5L)

Safety

(adverse events, physical exam)

Literature Shows Stable/Increased SoC Hepatic Cu Change

Serial liver biopsy studies of SoC show **stable/increased hepatic Cu** over years on treatment

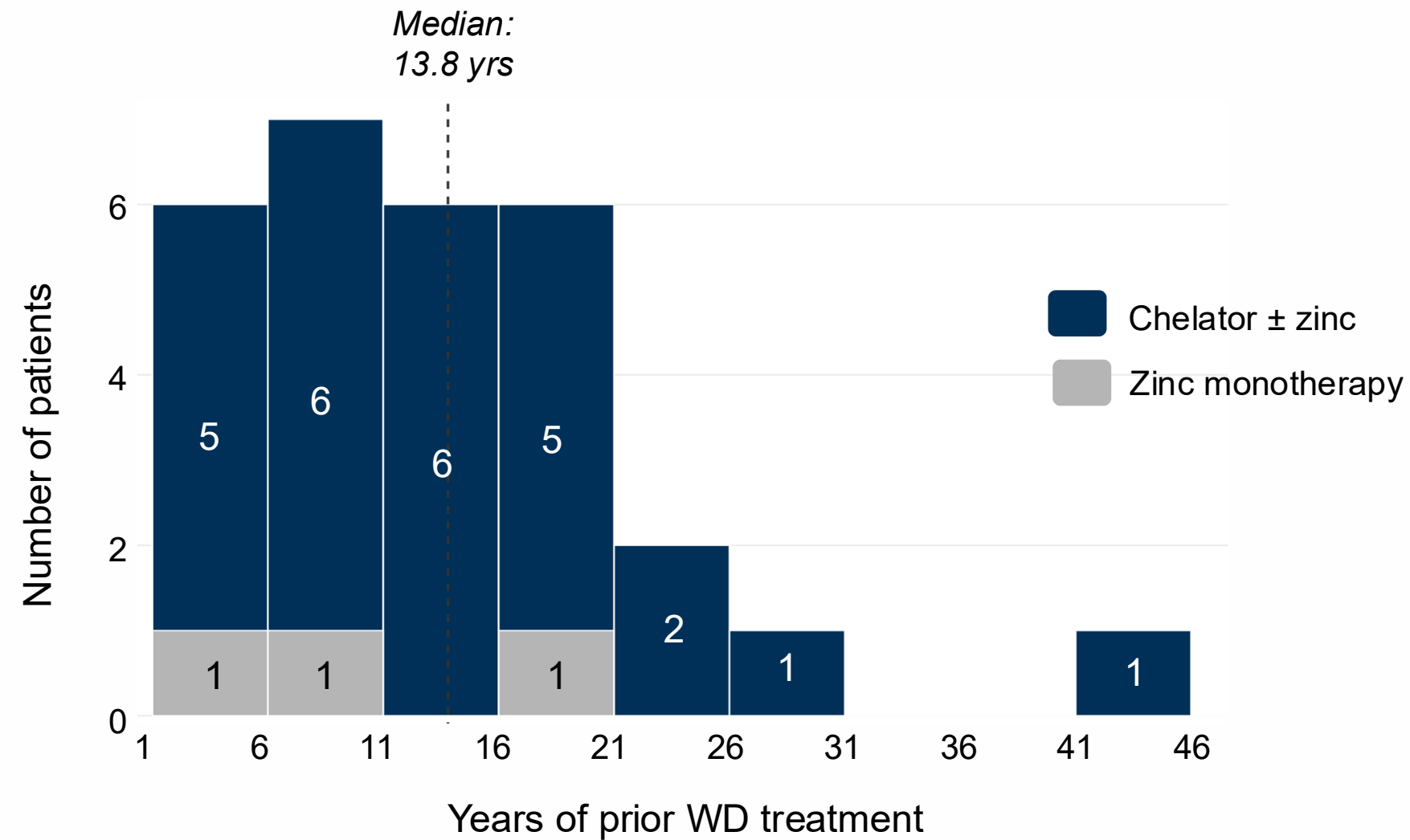


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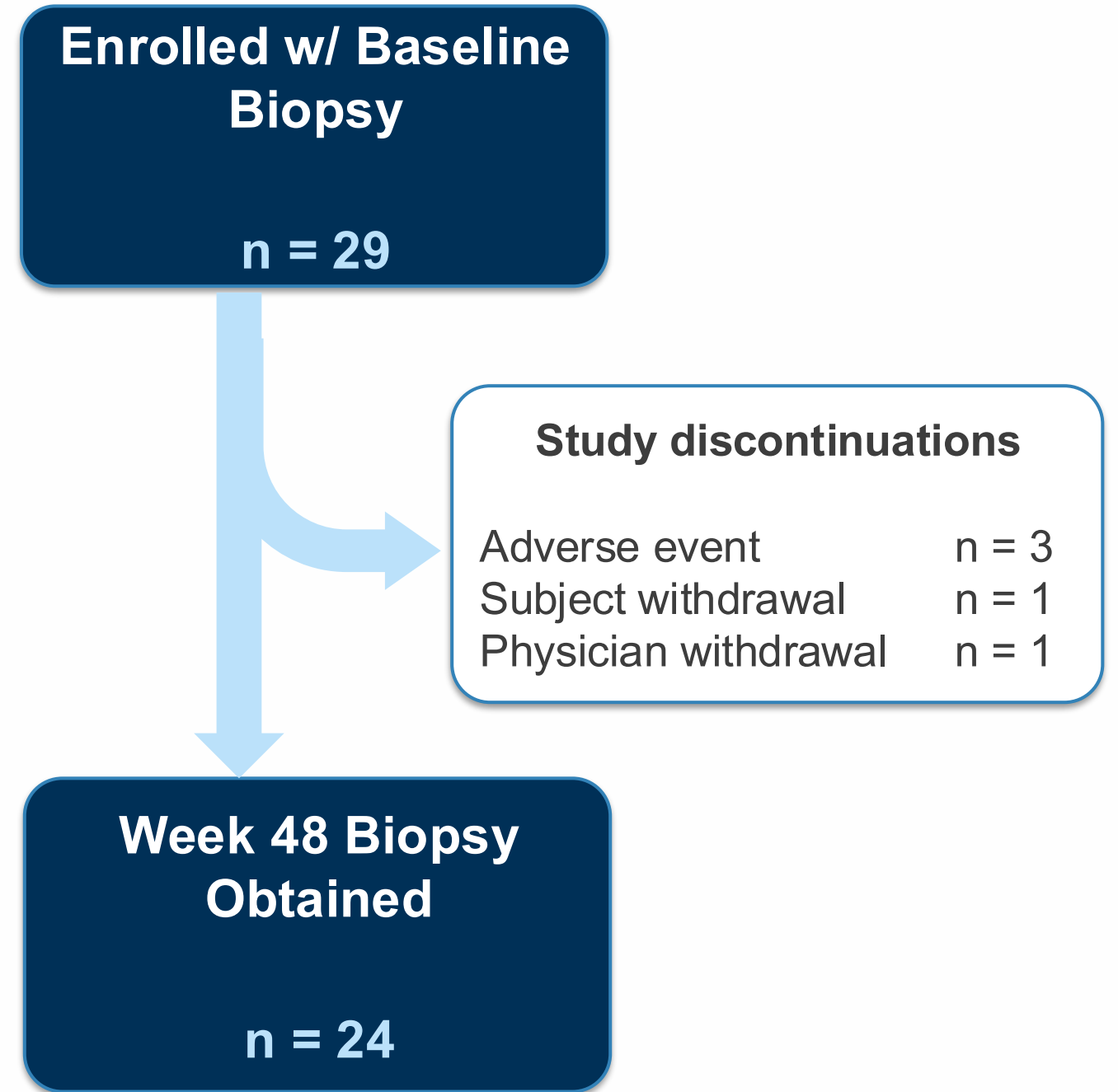
Study Enrolled a Heavily Pre-treated Population

CUMULATIVE DURATION OF PRIOR WD TREATMENT



Prior WD treatment	n	Median (yrs)	Min (yrs)	Max (yrs)
Chelator ± zinc	26	13.9	1.2	41.9
Zinc monotherapy	3	8.7	3.4	19.8

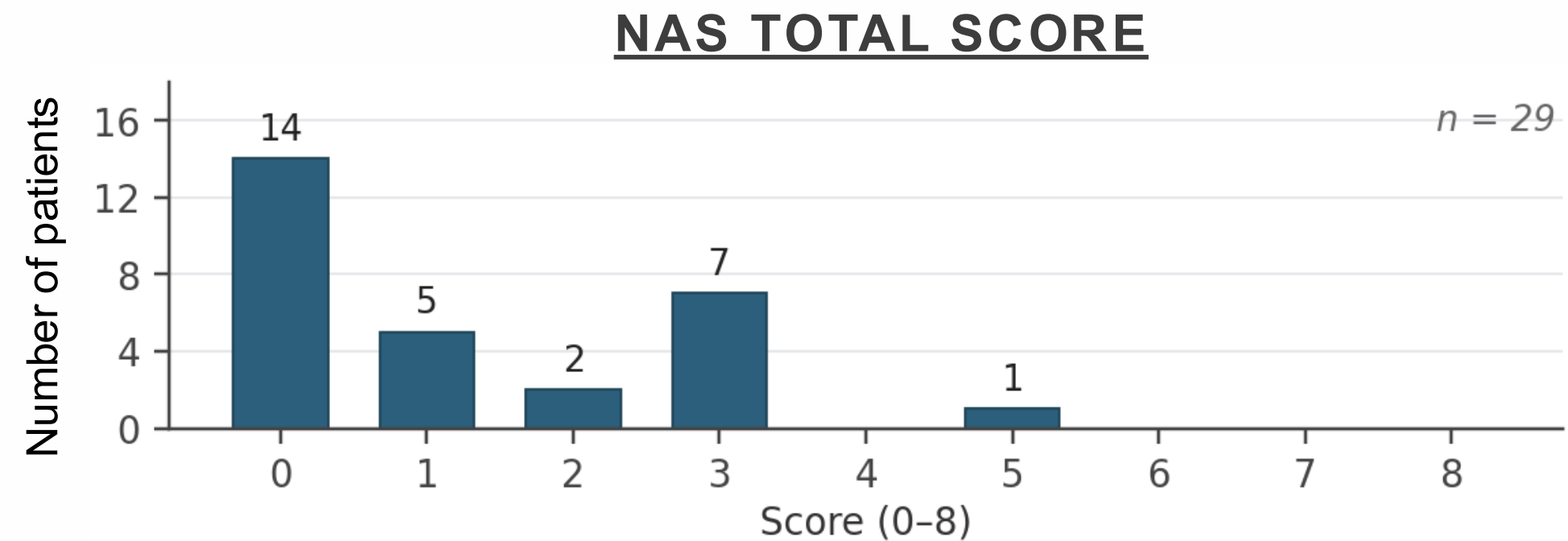
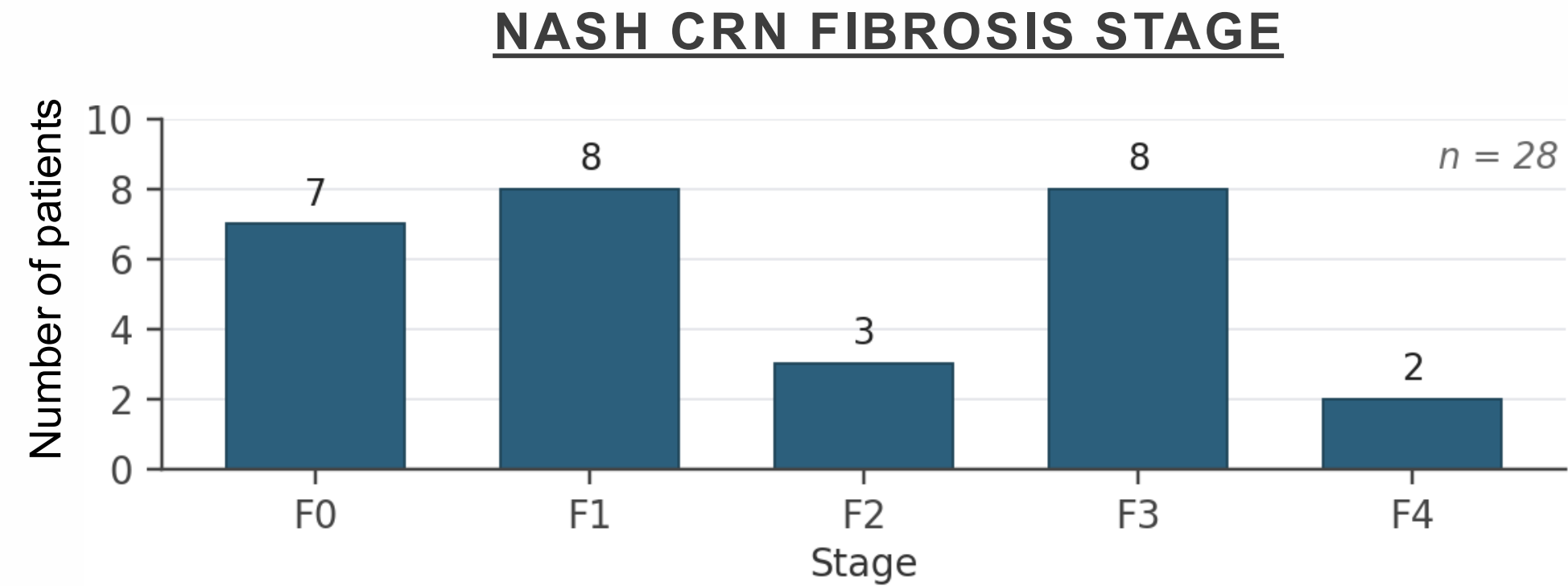
PATIENT ENROLLMENT



Numbers above are for the full analysis set (n=29); 31 enrolled but 2 had no baseline liver biopsy

Baseline Demographics and Characteristics

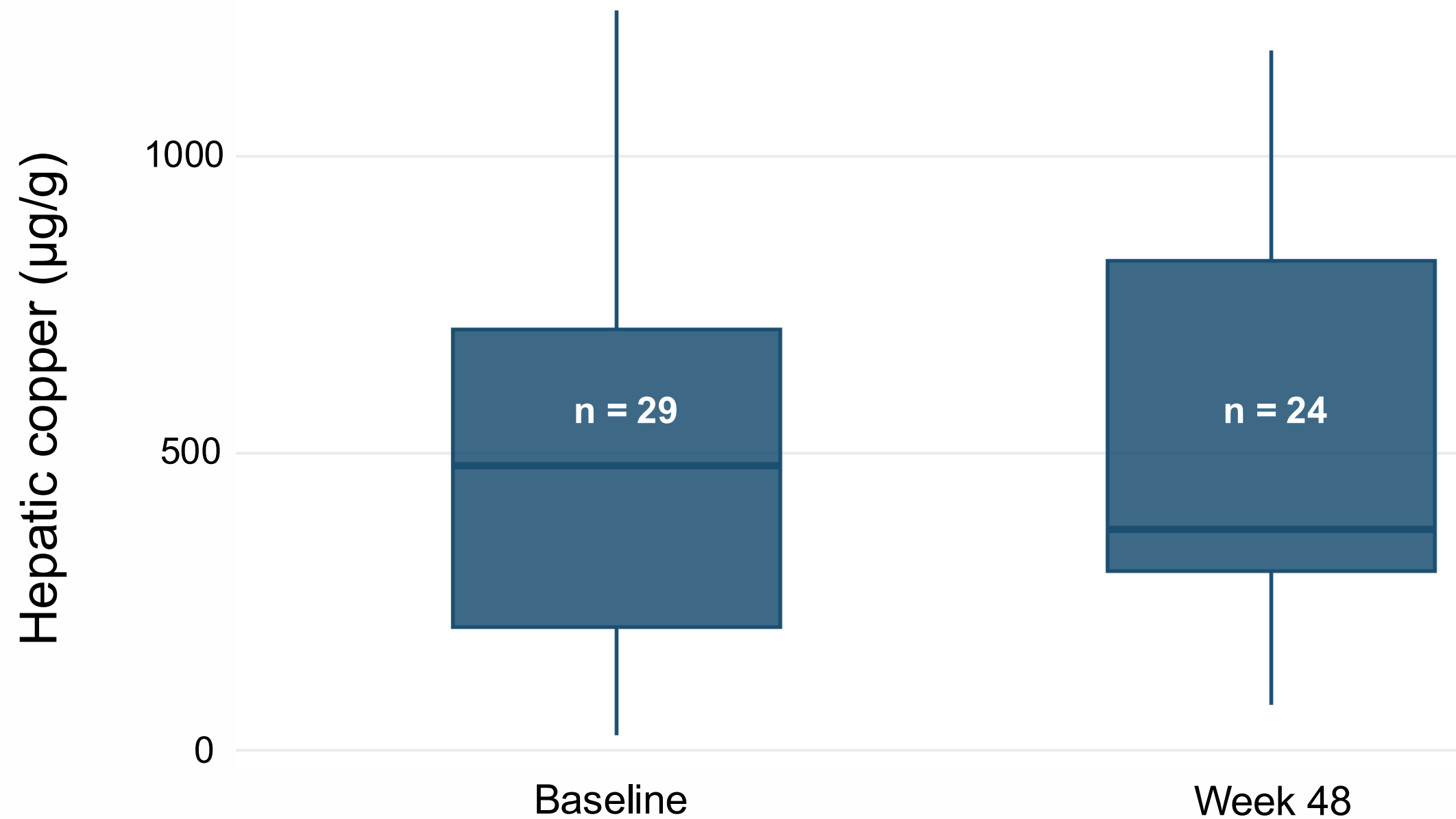
Enrolled patients n=29	
<u>Demographics</u>	
Male sex, n (%)	19 (65.5%)
Age in years, median (IQR)	35.0 (17.0)
<u>Clinical characteristics</u>	
Years of prior WD treatment, median (IQR)	13.8 (10.9)
Medical history of cirrhosis, n (%)	12 (41.4%)
Abnormal liver ultrasound, n (%)	8 (27.6%)
UWDRS Part III score, median (IQR)	4.0 (9.0)
MELD score, median (IQR)	7.0 (2.0)



TMC Also Shows No Significant Change in Hepatic Cu

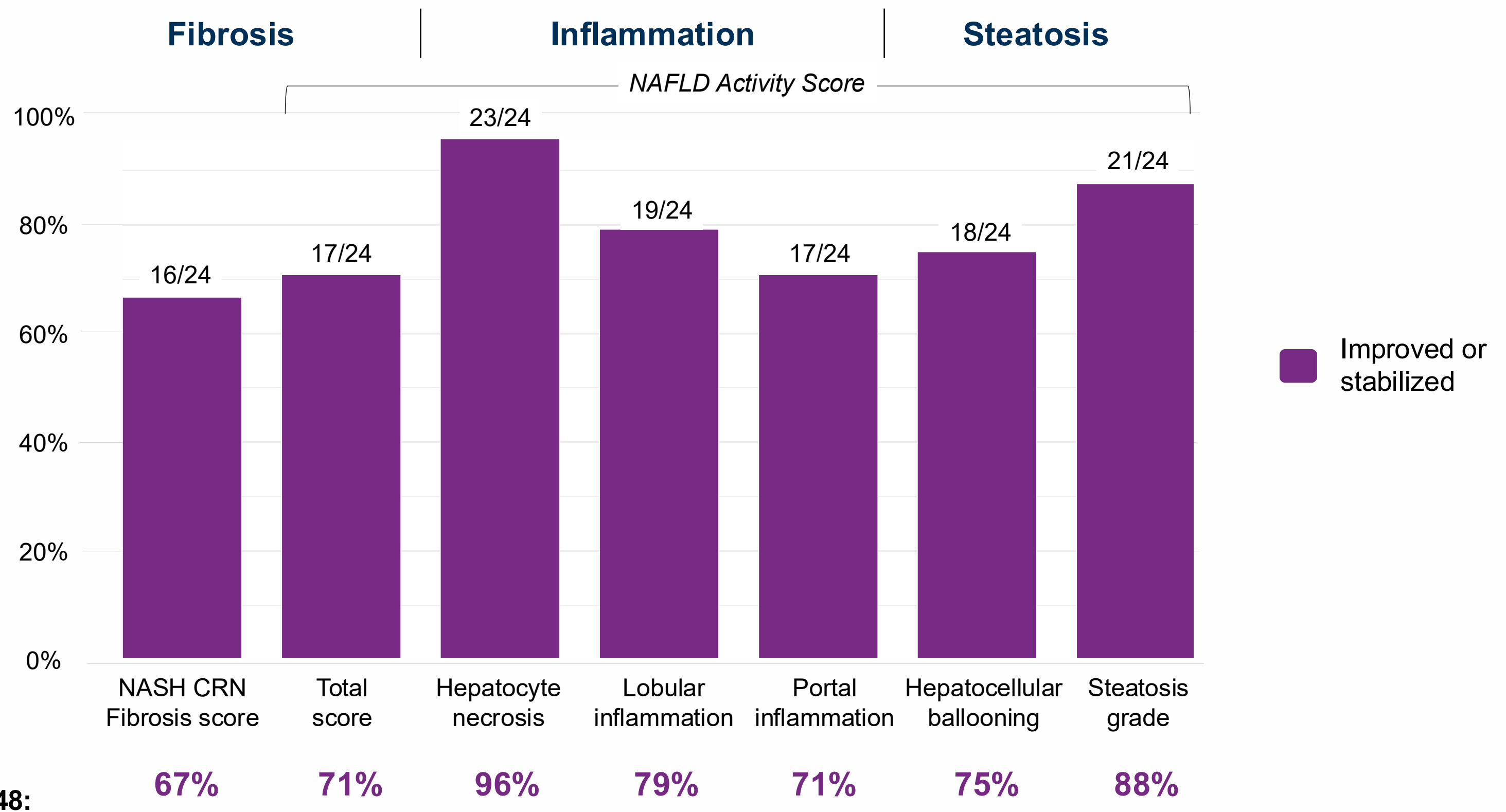
No statistically significant difference in hepatic Cu concentration after 48 weeks of treatment, consistent with expected results in heavily pre-treated patients

OBSERVED CHANGE FROM BASELINE IN HEPATIC CU CONCENTRATION ($\mu\text{g/g}$)



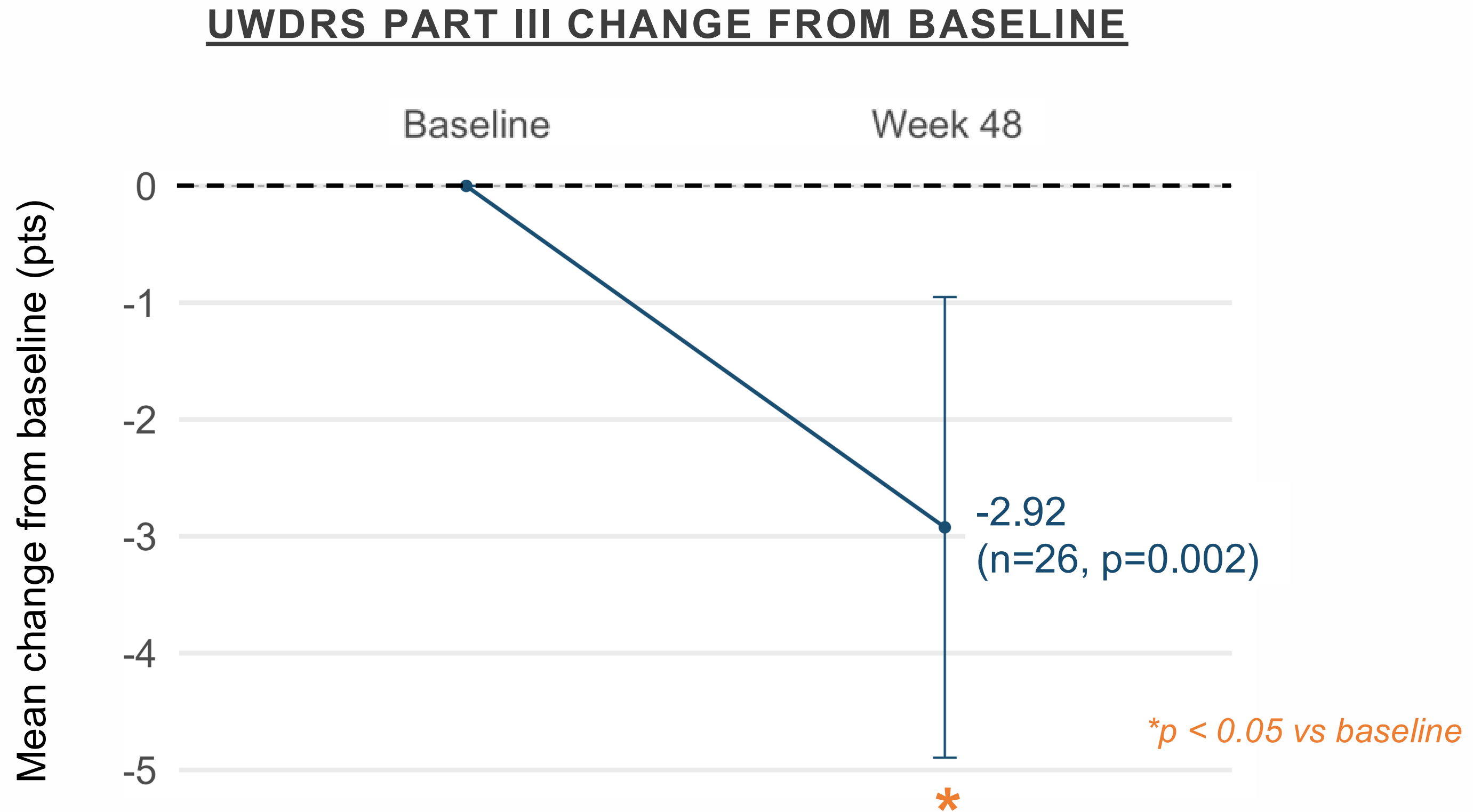
TMC Treatment Leads to Hepatic Stabilization and Improvement

By Week 48, most patients demonstrated **stabilization or improvement** in:

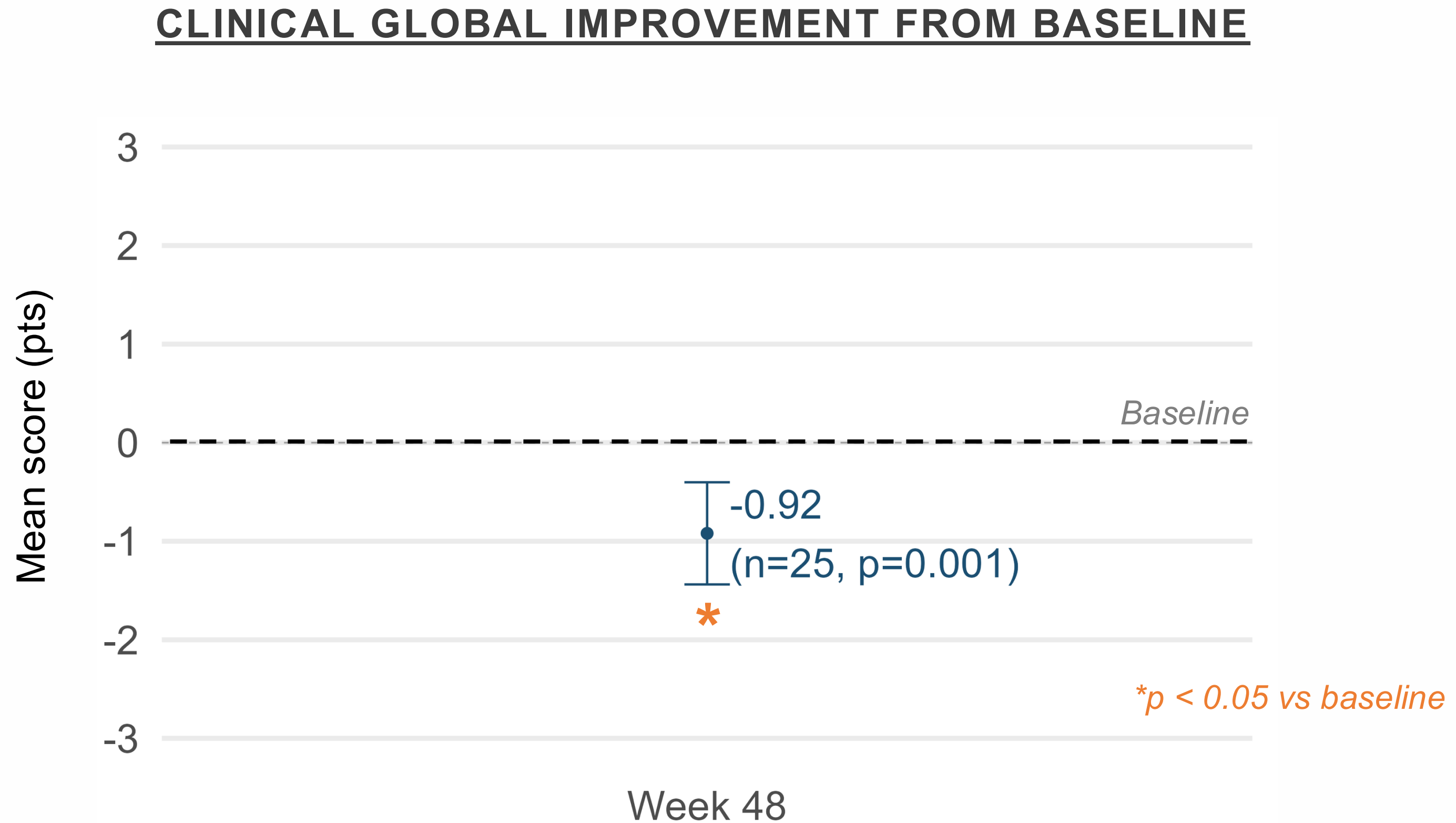


Improved/stabilized
from baseline to Week 48:

Neurological WD Symptoms Significantly Improved at Week 48

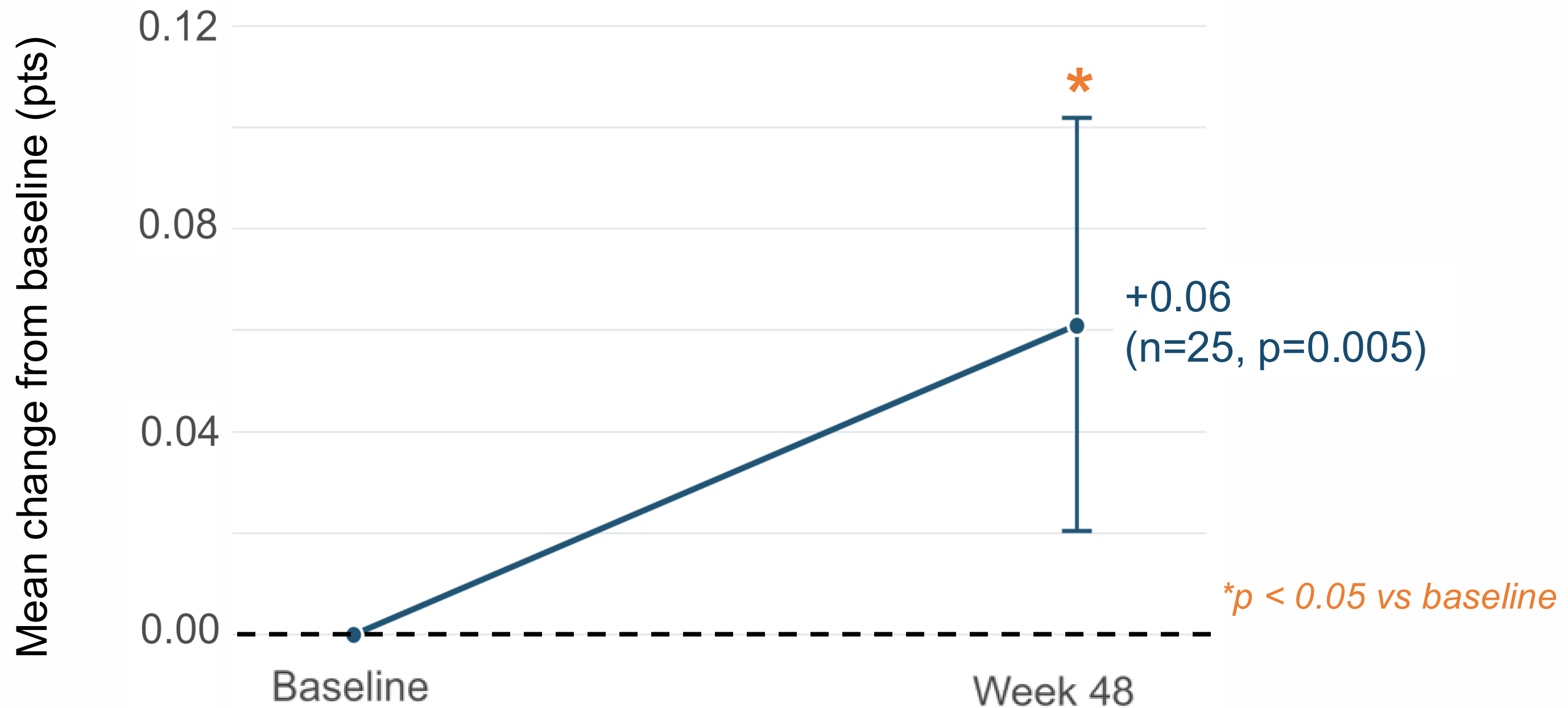


Global Clinical Disease Burden Significantly Improved at Week 48



Patient-reported Quality of Life Significantly Improved at Week 48

EUROQOL-5D UK HEALTH INDEX CHANGE FROM BASELINE



TMC is Well Tolerated, with Few Severe Adverse Events

- TMC was generally well tolerated; most treatment-emergent adverse events (TEAEs) were **nonserious** and **Grade 1 or 2** in severity
- No deaths were reported
- One event of DILI was reported
 - Patient was stable on TMC until Week 47; developed UTI and initiated on ciprofloxacin with DILI onset very shortly after
 - Adjudicated by independent panel as unlikely relationship to TMC

TEAEs IN SAFETY POPULATION (N=31)

	Primary period n=31	Extension period n=25
TEAEs	30 (96.8%)	19 (76.0%)
Related	24 (77.4%)	3 (12.0%)
Grade 1	17 (54.8%)	3 (12.0%)
Grade 2	16 (51.6%)	0
Grade 3	5 (16.1%)	0
Grade 4	0	0
Grade 5	0	0

Safety population (n=31) includes all patients who received ≥ 1 dose of TMC, including 2 patients enrolled without an evaluable baseline liver biopsy (full analysis set, n=29). Severity grade counts are subject-level and not mutually exclusive.

- Hepatic Cu concentration was **stable** after 48 weeks of TMC, consistent with published serial liver biopsy studies of WD patients treated with standard-of-care
- Treatment with TMC in heavily pre-treated patients resulted in **hepatic stabilization/improvement**
- TMC treatment **significantly improved neurological symptoms, global clinical status, and patient-reported quality of life**
- With the unique ability to **bind Cu with high affinity, remove excess Cu** from metallothionein, and **activate albumin-triartite-complex (ATC) formation**, TMC has the potential to provide a therapeutic advantage over standard-of-care for the long-term treatment of WD



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Questions?