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## PELAREOREP

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a transformative dsRNA immunotherapy platform  
for gastrointestinal tumors

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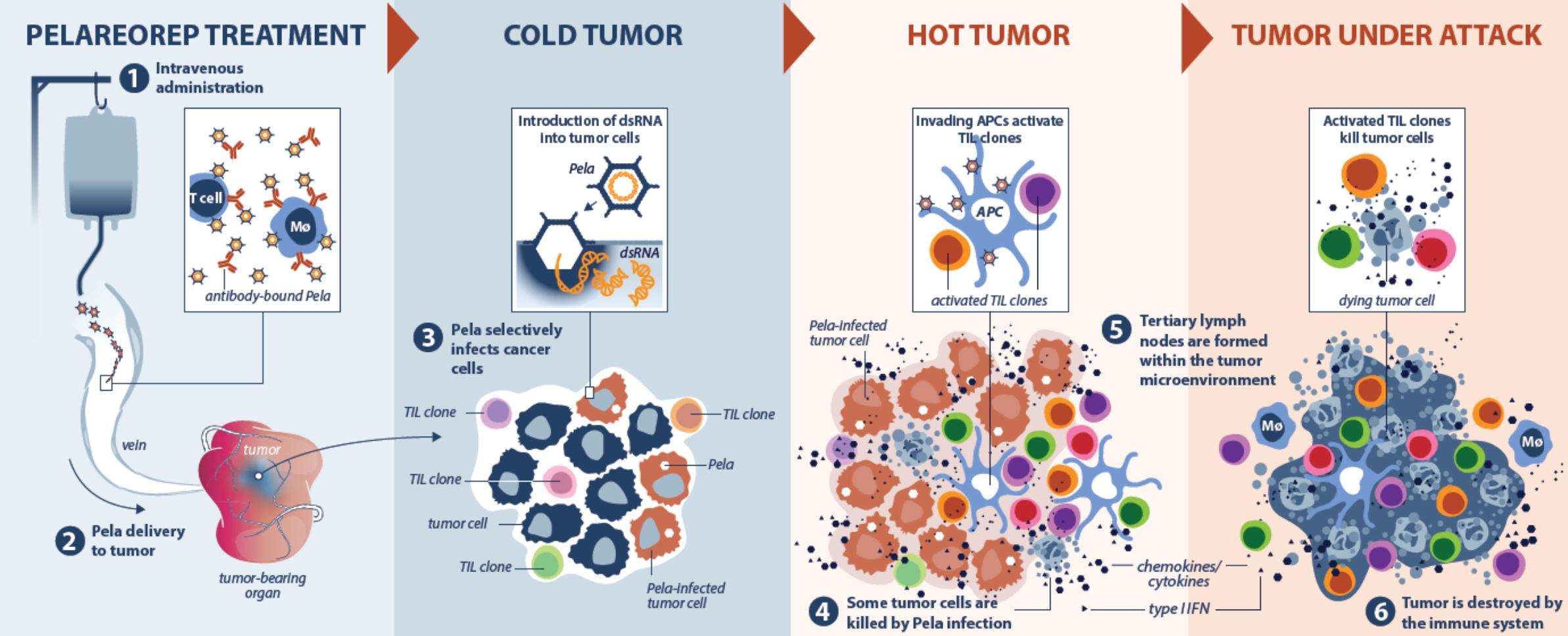
We will leverage our proprietary product candidate, pelareorep (pela), an investigational first-in-class double-stranded RNA immunotherapeutic agent, to establish a platform immunotherapy for the treatment of gastrointestinal (GI) tumors.

We believe GI tumors are the largest unmet medical need in oncology and seek to provide patients across multiple GI tumors with a tolerable immunotherapy that increases the chances they will live longer lives.

# PELAREOREP PROPOSED MECHANISM OF ACTION

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Intravenous pela evades neutralization by associating with mononuclear cells in the blood and is delivered to the tumor.	Pela selectively infects and replicates in tumor cells with RAS pathway mutations. Pela replication produces dsRNA in tumor cells.	Pela infection kills some tumor cells by cell lysis and initiates an inflammatory response, through activation of chemokines and cytokines creating a "hot" tumor.	The pela-initiated inflammatory response results in activation and expansion of TIL clones that can attack and kill the tumor.
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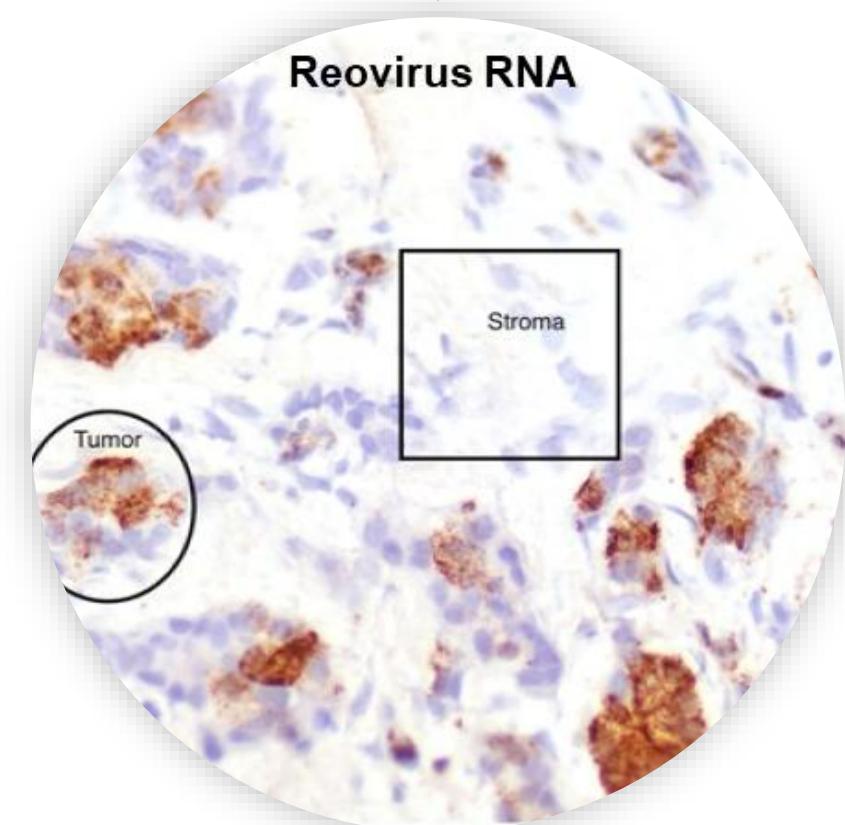
# PELAREOREP HAS BEEN OBSERVED TO REPLICATE IN ALMOST ALL EVALUATED TUMORS

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## Pela is found in almost all on-treatment tumor biopsies

Indication treated with IV Pela	# of biopsied tumors	# Pela-positive biopsies
Pancreatic ductal adenocarcinoma	12	12
Metastatic colorectal cancer	12	11
Head and neck cancer	3	3
Gliomas/metastatic brain tumors	9	8
Relapsed multiple myeloma	20	20
Primary breast cancer	23	23
Other	4	4

Pela RNA is found in tumor but not stromal cells



Brown staining: PELA RNA

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# BROAD CLINICAL EXPERIENCE AND WELL-UNDERSTOOD SAFETY RESULTS

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Pela has been evaluated in

>20 Oncolytics-sponsored studies and several externally sponsored studies (NCI, CCTG, etc.)

Multiple cancer indications (breast, pancreatic, colorectal, myeloma, brain, etc.)

>1,200 patients treated, including >300 patients with GI tumors

## Most common PELA-adverse reactions:

- “Flu-like” symptoms: Fever, chills, headache, fatigue, myalgia, cough, anorexia
- GI symptoms also common: Nausea, diarrhea, vomiting
- Lymphopenia, neutropenia, thrombocytopenia also common, but rarely clinically significant
- No maximum tolerated dose (MTD) identified
- Adverse events usually last <6 hours and can be managed with OTC medications

## Results from a pooled safety analysis (2017):

- A total of 563 patients were studied
- Fatigue was the most common grade  $\geq 3$  treatment-related adverse event (TRAE) (<10%)
- Grade  $\geq 3$  neutrophil count decreased and/or WBC decreased (<20%)
- Addition of pelareorep did not increase the frequency or severity of grade  $\geq 3$  TRAEs
- Most common serious TRAEs (<5%): fever, febrile neutropenia, sepsis and flu-like syndrome
- Considered “generally well-tolerated”

Gastrointestinal cancer is the fastest growing cancer in the world in people under 50 years old



### 2L Metastatic Colorectal Cancer (mCRC)

- ~ 1,900,000 patients globally<sup>4</sup>
- ~ \$20 billion total addressable market with 4.7% CAGR to 2033<sup>5</sup>
- KRAS mutant patient population high unmet medical need
- 15% mCRC 5-year survival rate<sup>6</sup>



### 2L unresectable Squamous Cell Anal Carcinoma (mSCAC)

- ~ 54,000 patients globally<sup>7</sup>
- ~ \$1.01 billion total addressable market with 8.7% CAGR to 2032<sup>8</sup>
- Evolving standard of care with very few treatment options
- 36% mSCAC 5-year survival rate<sup>9</sup>



### 1L Metastatic Pancreatic Ductal Adenocarcinoma (mPDAC)

- ~ 500,000 patients globally<sup>1</sup>
- ~ \$3 billion total addressable market with 15% CAGR to 2032<sup>2</sup>
- Chemotherapy standard of care with no approved immunotherapy
- 3% mPDAC 5-year survival rate<sup>3</sup>

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## PELAREOREP CLINICAL DEVELOPMENT

# CLINICAL POC ACROSS TARGETED INDICATIONS GUIDES STRATEGIC SEQUENCING

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Targeted indication	SOC benchmark*	Pela Data	Delta
2L mCRC (KRAS mutant)	<b>OS: 11.2 mo, PFS: 5.7 mo</b> <b>ORR: 6-11%<sup>1,2</sup></b>	<b>OS: 27 mo, PFS: 16.6 mo</b> <b>ORR: 33%<sup>9</sup></b>	<b>~ 2-3x</b>
≥2L SCAC	<b>ORR: 11-24%<sup>3-6</sup></b>	<b>ORR: 30%</b>	<b>~ 1.5-3x</b>
1L mPDAC	<b>2-year OS rate: ~ 9%<sup>7, 8</sup></b>	<b>2-year OS rate: ~ 22%<sup>6</sup></b>	<b>~ 2.5x</b>

Development sequencing,  
short-term to long-term

2L mCRC: biomarker-driven study in KRAS mutant population to offset costs while validating the platform potential

2L SCAC: fastest potential registration path with potential single-arm study in rare disease with few treatment options

1L mPDAC: could be only registration-directed study with an immunotherapy candidate in indication; will seek partnership for study

mPDAC: metastatic pancreatic ductal adenocarcinoma; mCRC: metastatic colorectal cancer; SCAC: squamous cell carcinoma of the anal canal; pela: pelareorep; IST: investigator-sponsored trial; 1L: First-Line; 2L: Second-Line; SOC: standard of care; OS: overall survival; PFS: progression-free survival; ORR: objective response rate \*Benchmarks do not represent a head-to-head analysis, caution should be exercised when comparing data against unrelated studies or trials. 1. Bennouna J. Lancet Oncol (14):29-37, 2013. 2. Iwamoto S. Ann Oncol. Jul; 26(7): 1427-33, 2015. 3. Rao S, et al. Phase II study of retifanlimab in patients (pts) with squamous carcinoma of the anal canal (SCAC) who progressed following platinum-based chemotherapy. Annals of Oncology. 2020 September. 4. Marabelle A, et al. Pembrolizumab for previously treated advanced anal squamous cell carcinoma: results from the non-randomised, multicohort, multicentre, phase 2 KEYNOTE-158 study. Lancet Gastroenterol Hepatol. 2022 May;7(5):446-454. 5. Lonardi S, et al. Randomized phase II trial of avelumab alone or in combination with cetuximab for patients with previously treated, locally advanced, or metastatic squamous cell anal carcinoma: the CARACAS study. J Immunother Cancer. 2021 November;9(11):e002996. 6. Morris V, et al. Nivolumab for previously treated unresectable metastatic anal cancer (NCI9673): a multicentre, single-arm, phase 2 study. The Lancet Oncology, Volume 18 Issue 4, 2017. 7. [https://oncolyticsbiotech.com/press\\_releases/oncolytics-biotech-highlights-transformative-pelareorep-survival-data-in-multiple-tumors-and-commitment-to-registration-enabling-studies/](https://oncolyticsbiotech.com/press_releases/oncolytics-biotech-highlights-transformative-pelareorep-survival-data-in-multiple-tumors-and-commitment-to-registration-enabling-studies/). 8. Mahalingam G, et al. A Phase II Study of Pelareorep (REOLYSIN®) in Combination with Gemcitabine for Patients with Advanced Pancreatic Adenocarcinoma. Cancers (Basel). 2018 May 25;10(6):160. 9. Goel, et al. Mol Cancer Ther (19): 1148-56, 2020

# CLINICAL DEVELOPMENT PIPELINE

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Near-term rare disease opportunity in SCAC and long-term platform expansion in CRC and PDAC

Program	Collaborator	Combination	Phase 1	Phase 2	Registration-Enabling Phase 3	Anticipated Milestone
<b>2L CRC</b>						
<b>KRAS-mutant</b> Biomarker-focused study	TBD	chemo + bev +/- pela	<div style="width: 50%; background-color: #0070C0;"></div>	<div style="width: 50%; background-color: #B0C4DE;"></div>		Launch 1H 2026
<b>2L SCAC</b>						
<b>GOBLET cohort 4</b> ≥2L Unresectable SCAC		pela + atezo	<div style="width: 75%; background-color: #0070C0;"></div>	<div style="width: 25%; background-color: #B0C4DE;"></div>		Success criteria expected 1H 2026
<b>Pivotal Study</b>	TBD	pela + CPI	<div style="width: 75%; background-color: #0070C0;"></div>	<div style="width: 25%; background-color: #B0C4DE;"></div>		Potential single-arm study launch Q3 2026
<b>1L PDAC</b>						
<b>Pivotal Study</b>	Partner Expected	pela + GnP +/- CPI	<div style="width: 75%; background-color: #0070C0;"></div>	<div style="width: 25%; background-color: #B0C4DE;"></div>		Expect to seek partnership for study
<b>GOBLET cohort 5</b> Newly Diagnosed PDAC	 	pela + mFOL +/- atezo	<div style="width: 50%; background-color: #0070C0;"></div>	<div style="width: 50%; background-color: #B0C4DE;"></div>		US sites open 1H 2026; fully-enrolled 2H 2026

PDAC: pancreatic ductal adenocarcinoma; CRC: colorectal cancer; SCAC: squamous cell carcinoma of the anal canal; pela: pelareorep; GnP: gemcitabine + nab-paclitaxel; CPI: checkpoint inhibitor; mFOL: modified FOLFIRINOX; atezo: atezolizumab; IST: investigator-sponsored trial; bev: bevacizumab; 1L: First-Line; 2L: Second-Line

# COLORECTAL CANCER PROGRAM

# EFFICACY RESULTS FOR PELAREOREP IN COLORECTAL CANCER DEMONSTRATED ACROSS MULTIPLE STUDIES

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## REO 022 study in 2L KRAS mutant mCRC results more than double historical third-party benchmarks<sup>1, 2, 3</sup>:

- PFS: 16.6 months vs 5.7 months (pelareorep + FOLFIRI + bevacizumab vs. FOLFIRI + bevacizumab)
- OS: 27.0 months vs 11.2 months (pelareorep + FOLFIRI + bevacizumab vs. FOLFIRI + bevacizumab)
- ORR: 33% vs 6-11% (pelareorep + FOLFIRI + bevacizumab vs. FOLFIRI + bevacizumab)



## Data from GOBLET in 3L mCRC met predefined efficacy criteria and exceed historical third-party benchmarks<sup>4, 5, 6, 7</sup>:

- 40% DCR and 33% 12-month survival rate
- PFS: 2.8 month and median OS: 8.0 months



## Translational data from REO 022 and REO 013 studies support observed benefit<sup>1, 7, 8, 9</sup>:

- Viral replication and immune activation shown in mCRC tumors
- Dendritic cell maturation and CD8+ T cell activation alter TME and enabled tumors to respond to treatment

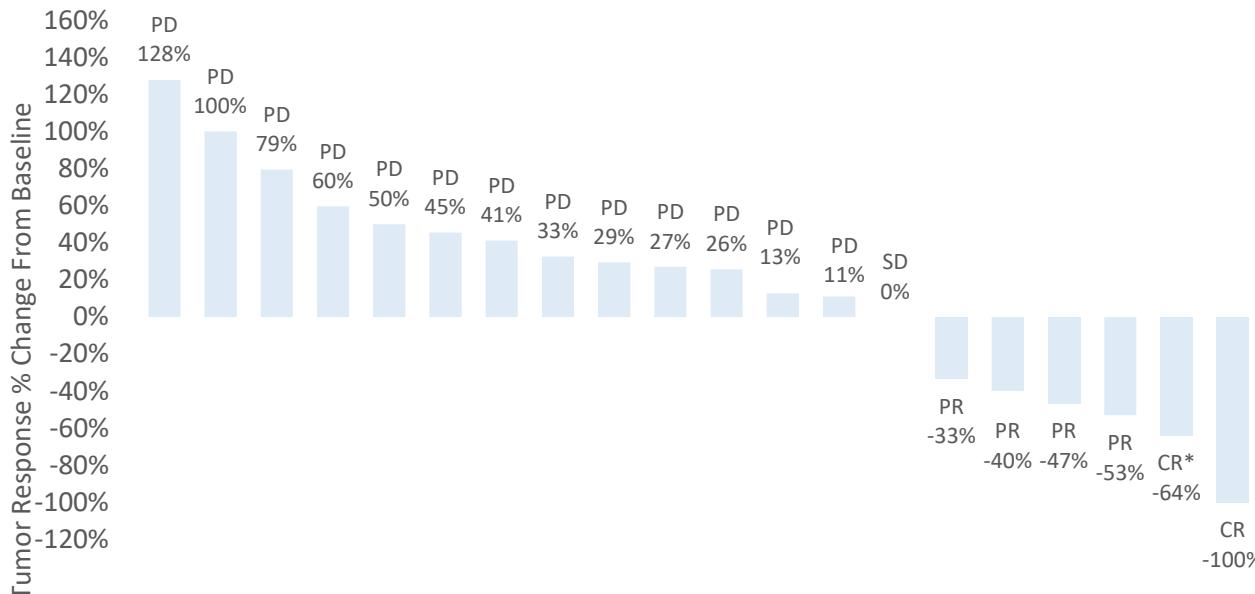


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# ANAL CANCER PROGRAM



## Strong efficacy signal with immunotherapy combination without chemo in difficult cancer



- 30% ORR in 20 evaluable patients
- Awaiting feedback on 4 additional scans
- Steady enrollment with US sites expected to open by Jan. 2026
- Durable responses:
  - 2 CR (one response lasting 15 and the other ~28 months and ongoing)
  - 4 PR (one at week 8, two at week 16, one lasting 64 weeks)

## PANCREATIC CANCER PROGRAM

**\*Received FDA Fast Track & Orphan Drug Designations**

# CONSISTENT SURVIVAL BENEFIT OBSERVED IN MULTIPLE 1L MPDAC STUDIES

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## Clinical results of pelareorep in first-line mPDAC studies

Company (Study)	Description (Patients)	1-Year Survival	2-Year Survival	Notes
Oncolytics (REO 017)	Pelareorep + Gemcitabine (34 patients)	45% vs. 22%	24% vs. 4%	DCR: 83% vs. 33% Single arm vs. gemcitabine benchmark
Oncolytics/NCI (NCI 8601)	Paclitaxel/Carboplatin + Pelareorep (36 patients) vs. Paclitaxel/Carboplatin (37 patients)	34% vs. 28%	20% vs. 6%	Randomized study vs. control arm (excluding crossover)
Oncolytics (REO 029 – Cohort 1)	Pelareorep + Gemcitabine/ Nab-Paclitaxel + atezolizumab (13 patients)	45% vs. 35%	N/A	ORR: 62% vs. 23% Single arm vs. gemcitabine/ nab-paclitaxel benchmark
Oncolytics (REO 029 – Cohort 5)	Pelareorep + modified FOLFIRINOX +/- atezolizumab (enrolling; 60 patients expected)	TBD	TBD	

# 2-YEAR SURVIVAL RATES IN 1L METASTATIC PDAC: COMPARISON TO LANDMARK STUDIES

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	2-year survival
Pela-based therapy	21.9%
Comparator treatment arms (n=9)	9.2%

## Legend

**G / Gem** = gemcitabine  
**CP** = carboplatin  
**GnP** = gemcitabine + nab-paclitaxel  
**S1** = oral fluoropyrimidine  
**FOLFOX** = folinic acid, fluorouracil and oxaliplatin  
**FOLFIRINOX** = FOLFOX + irinotecan  
**Dotted lines** = weighted means

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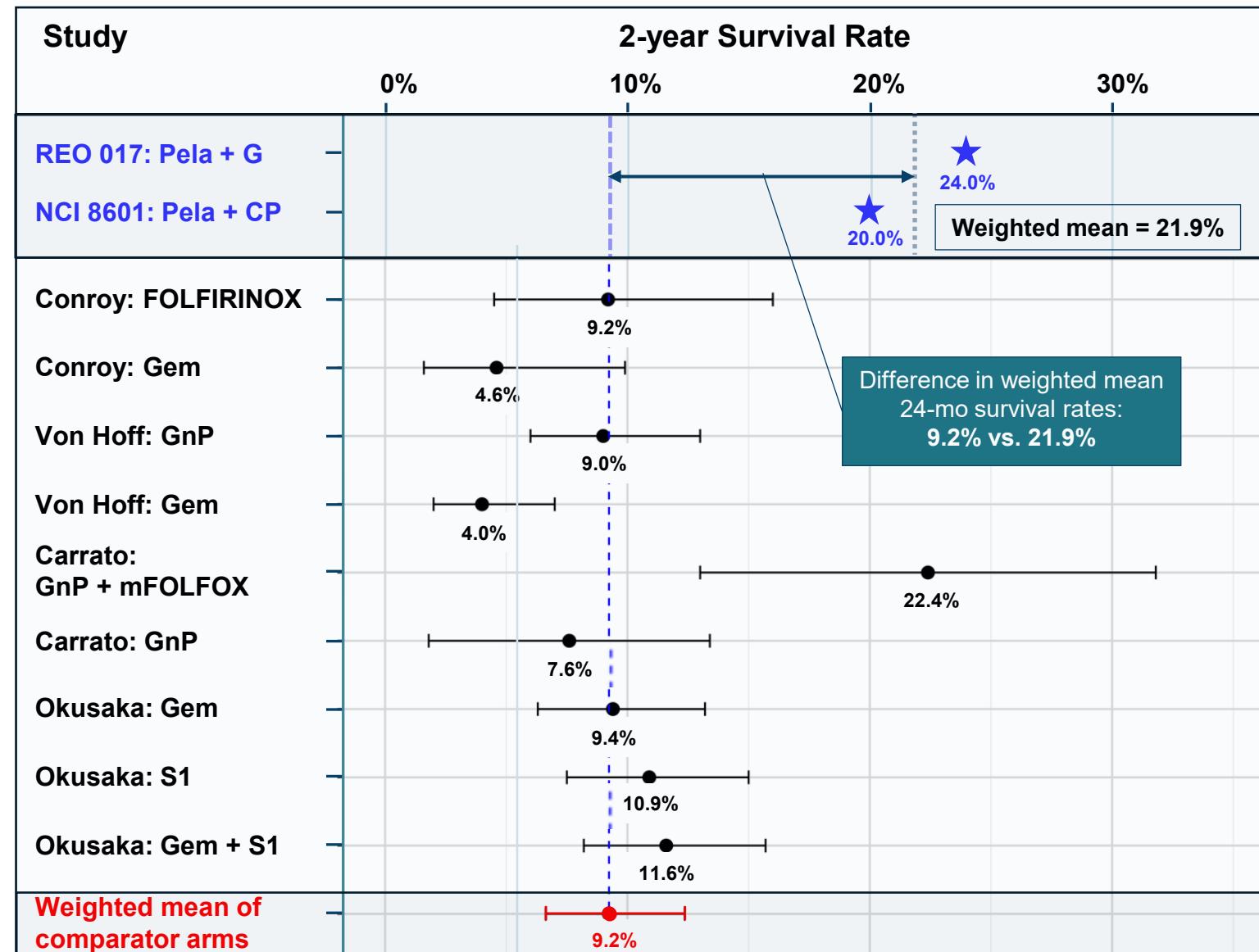
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Pela-based therapy

Select comparator treatment arms



**REGULATORY, INTELLECTUAL  
PROPERTY AND MANUFACTURING**

**Regulatory Strategy**

- Proof of concept solidly established in three GI tumors
- Focus on most efficient regulatory path in high unmet medical need indications with large commercial potential
- Utilize regulatory designations and biomarker driven studies
- 2L CRC study expected to be biomarker driven study in KRAS mutant patient population
- 2L SCAC study expected to be a single arm study with an approval based on ORR
- 1L PDAC study with chemo and CPI expected to focus on overall survival with two experimental arms
- Continue partnership discussions to advance development quickly and efficiently

Indication	Design	Trial Activities (estimated)
2L CRC	Randomized; Sponsored	1H 2026
2L SCAC	Single-Arm; Sponsored	1H 2026
1L PDAC	Randomized; Partnered	Ongoing

**Commercial Strategy**

- Position pelareorep as a platform in a product in three GI indications
- Partners interested in launching a platform immunotherapy in GI indications can enter at any point during the clinical development pathway

## Intellectual Property

- 149 patents issued worldwide
- New patents expected to extend manufacturing and method of use protection into 2044
- Composition of matter protection through 2028
- Existing method of use and manufacturing protection through 2031
- Pending filings for proprietary manufacturing methods regarding virus harvest and extraction

## Manufacturing

- Non-genetically modified Reovirus
- No special handling requirements
- High yield and low COGs
- Made in Carlsbad, California from products generally sourced in the USA
- Transferrable technology and procedures with clean IP ownership profile
- Easy to scale for large studies or commercial launch in multiple indications

# INNOVATIVE LEADERSHIP TEAM WITH STRONG IMMUNO-ONCOLOGY, BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT, CLINICAL TRIAL AND FINANCE EXPERTISE

## Oncolytics Biotech



Transactional expert having led more than 50 deals, including \$2 billion Ambrx sale to JNJ in 2024

**Jared Kelly**  
Chief Executive Officer  
Board Member



Over 20 years of finance and accounting expertise focused on biotech and public company matters

**Kirk Look, CA, MSJ**  
Chief Financial Officer



**Thomas Heineman, M.D., Ph.D.**  
Chief Medical Officer

Expertise in supply chain management, process performance qualification and manufacturing



**Allison Hagerman, PEng, PMP, MBT**  
VP, Product Development

Over 30 years of expertise in oncology portfolio optimization and business development transactions



**Andrew Aromando**  
Chief Business Officer

Over two decades of clinical experience, including at oncology focused biotechs



**Amy Levin, RN, BSN**  
VP, Clinical Operations

