

Type 1 Diabetes: Advances and Opportunities

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JDRF: History in the Making!

By the people, For the people:

Founded 50 years ago by parents and is today the single most powerful charitable force and funder in the world driving T1D research

Vision & Mission:

World without T1D

Improving lives today and tomorrow by accelerating life-changing breakthroughs to cure, prevent and treat type 1 diabetes and its complications



Working Across the Pipeline, Around the Globe



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T1D is a Growing Disease:



87%

of people with T1D are adults¹

64,000

people estimated to be diagnosed with T1D each year in the U.S.^{1,2}

\$16**B**

T1D-associated U.S. healthcare expenditures and lost income annually⁴

Less than one-third of people with T1D in the U.S. are achieving target blood glucose control levels⁶

¹ CDC National Diabetes Statistic Report, 2020 ² Imperatore, et al. 2012. Diab Care 35: 2515-2520 ³ Dabelea, et al. 2014. JAMA 311: 1778-1786 ⁴ ADA 2018. Diab Care 41: 917-928 ⁵ JDRF Estimations ⁶ T1D Exchange data

Worldwide increase in incidence of T1D in children and adolescents

T1D can affect anyone:

- First degree relative increases risk (15x)
- No family history (90%)
- Environmental triggers
- Adult onset (~50%)



Map of age-sex standardized incidence rates (per 100,000) from publications of type 1 diabetes in children aged under 15 years

[Patterson C et al, Diab Res Clin Prac 2019; 157:107842]

JDRF Research Priorities



Advances



T1D Stages: A Paradigm Shift



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The Reality and Vision of Screening

- Reduces Diabetic Ketoacidosis (DKA) in new diagnoses significantly
- Low awareness about T1D stages and the benefits of knowing your risk
 Familial screening captures bigbost risk group but misses. 2004 at 11
 - Familial screening captures highest risk group but misses ~90% at risk
 - Disease-modifying therapies are progressing slower due to these barriers

- Part of clinical preventative services, adopted by healthcare systems
- **FUTURE** Covered by insurance, affordable and accessible to everyone
 - More cures therapies in development to improve the lives of those at risk

What have we learned from T1D screening programs

1- SCREENING REDUCES DKA AT DIAGNOSIS

- From 40-60% to <5%
- Improve long-term outcomes
- By providing screening, education, and monitoring we can almost eliminate DKA at diagnosis

2- FAMILY SCREENING IS NOT ENOUGH

- Represents 10-15% of diagnoses, missing ~90% at risk
- DKA will remain high and decelerate drug development pipeline
- General population screening is the solution

3- AT-RISK POPULATION NEEDS SUPPORT

- Learning about risk status can cause significant anxiety
- Psychological burden can be reduced by education and counselling
- High risk individuals need to be followed closely by doctors to prevent DKA
- Provision of standard counselling and PCP monitoring programs will improve lives of those at risk

4- SCREENING SENSITIVITY CAN BE IMPROVED

- Autoantibody status can predict risk of but not when someone will become insulin dependent (T1D diagnosis)
- Genetic and metabolic tests can more accurately predict who is at risk and also when they will need insulin

The Reality and Vision of Disease Modifying Therapies

TODAY

- Several promising disease-modifying therapies have shown the ability to slow or halt the progression of T1D by resetting the immune system and preserving beta cell function
- Several therapies that induce beta-cell regeneration have been discovered

FUTURE

 Commercially available disease modifying therapies that slow, halt or reverse the progression of T1D

Multiple DMT in Clinical Trials Right Now Unprecedented Exciting Time!

• Directed towards either the immune system, beta cells, or both

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• Will likely require combinatorial approaches to reinstate insulin independence and immune rebalance

	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Stage 4
Tolerizing Antigens	Hydroxychloroquine Abatacept Oral Insulin	Teplizumab	Teplizumab Verapamil Iscalimab ATG Baricitinib Ustekinumab Abatacept L. Lactis Tolerizing Antigens TOPPLE T1D	Replacement Therapies Future DMT

Global burden, global solution: Driving progress in the ecosystem



Anti-CD3 (Teplizumab) (reduces harmful immunity)

Anti-CD3 is a first in class therapy being developed for T1D that targets activated Teff and disables their activity

T1D Application: JDRF has played a <u>critical</u> role in bringing this therapy from stages of early discovery (15+ yrs) to where it is today – being developed by Provention Bio for both stage 2 and stage 3 T1D

Key Progress:

2005-2015: Efficacy shown in 6 trials in stage 3 T1D 2019-2020: Teplizumab delays stage3 disease by 3yrs 2019 - : Provention launches phase3 trial in stage3 pediatrics 2019: FDA/EMA grant coveted **Breakthough** and **PRIME** designation 2021: FDA grants **priority review** to Provention's Biologics License Application (for mid-2021) for stage2 T1D

Partners



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Opportunities



What have we learned from T1D screening programs

1- ENHANCE KNOWLEDGE SHARING

- Data analytics, sample banks, searchable tools, diagnostics
- Study results (unpublished?), multi-disciplinary portals
- Best practices along the pipeline
- Globalization efficiency, acceleration, awareness

3- INCENTIVIZE TRANSLATION

- Pipeline is 'leaky' at each point of inflection there are many valleys of death!
- Strong basic research needs support for validation and creation of FIH-ready candidates
- SBIR, STTR, opportunities for academia-industry collaborations
- Regulatory pathways and guidelines

2- CREATE PARTNERSHIP PLATFORMS

- Clinical trial protocol advancements (design, centralization, guidelines, surrogate endpoints, combinatorial approaches)
- Cross-disease fertilization common pathways, shared genetics, mechanistic analyses, assay standardization
- Animal models and cores

4- EXPAND PEOPLE PIPELINE

- Basic and translational researchers, clinicians, other disciplines (data scientists, biomedical engineers, pharmacologists, others)
- Diversity and Inclusion key for disease type, care, community building and ultimately overall improved outcomes!

T1D: Take Homes

Basics:

- Autoimmune mediated loss beta cells 5-10% of total diabetes
- Family history increases risk 15x, yet ~90% newly diagnosed do not have known family member
- Adult onset ~50% \rightarrow no longer a 'juvenile' disease
- Insulin is the main and essentially only line of treatment; no disease modifying therapy available (yet!)
- Can affect anyone, anywhere, anytime

Advances:

- Understanding of pathogenesis, disease staging
- Tool for risk screening available
- Significant number of therapies in development

Opportunities:

- Collaborations to augment knowledge sharing, partnerships, translation and cross-disease research
- Training to prevent brain drain!





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