

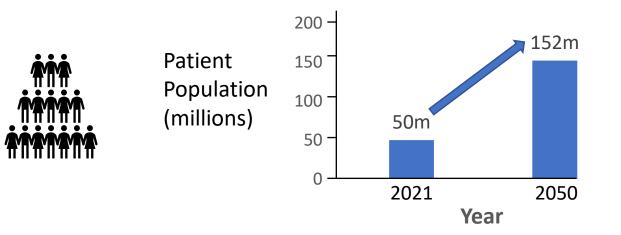
# Novel, first-in-class small molecule inhibitors targeting tau for neurodegeneration



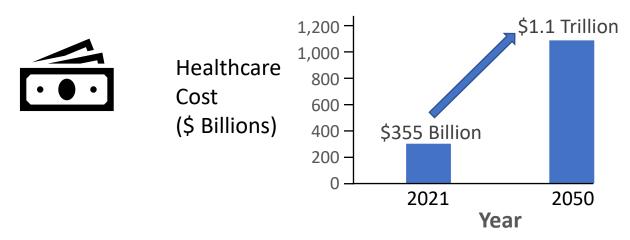
James Moe, Ph.D., MBA President and CEO jmoe@oligomerix.com The Need



#### **Global Dementia Prevalence Increase**



#### **Growing Cost of US Healthcare for Dementia**



# Tau Dysfunction Key to Neurodegeneration

#### Frontotemporal dementia **FTD** Progressive **60K PSP** supranuclear Other **20K** palsy Tauopathies Parkinson's Tau LRRK2 15K Amyotrophic ALS lateral 16K sclerosis Alzheimer's Early Onset AD Disease 62K 6.2M

- Tau aggregation plays a pivotal role in many neurodegenerative diseases called Tauopathies
- No approved treatments for Tauopathies
- Most Tauopathies are rare diseases
  - Accelerated regulatory pathways



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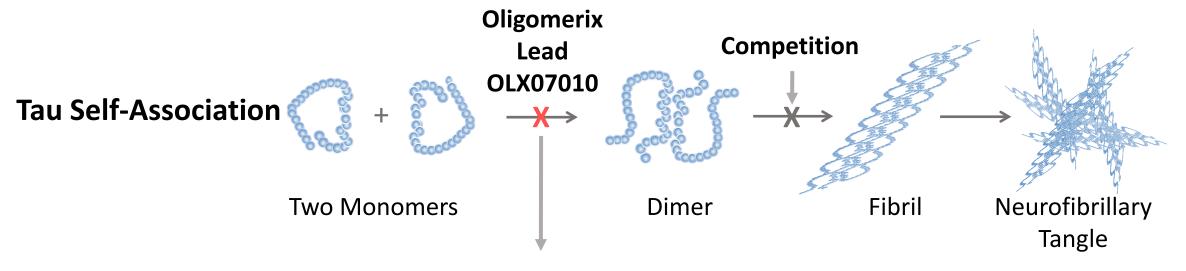
#### **Lead Compound Profile -** OLX07010



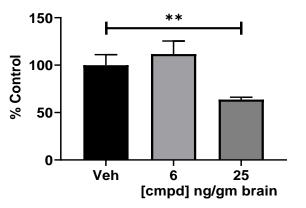
- First-in-class small molecule inhibitor of tau self-association
- Demonstrated in vivo proof-of-concept (POC)
- Preparing to enter **first-in-human clinical development**
- Initial focus on rare diseases in the clinic, then AD
- Patent Protection:
  - Small molecule patents pending
  - Four **issued patents** around target and biomarkers

## Differentiation through Early Action

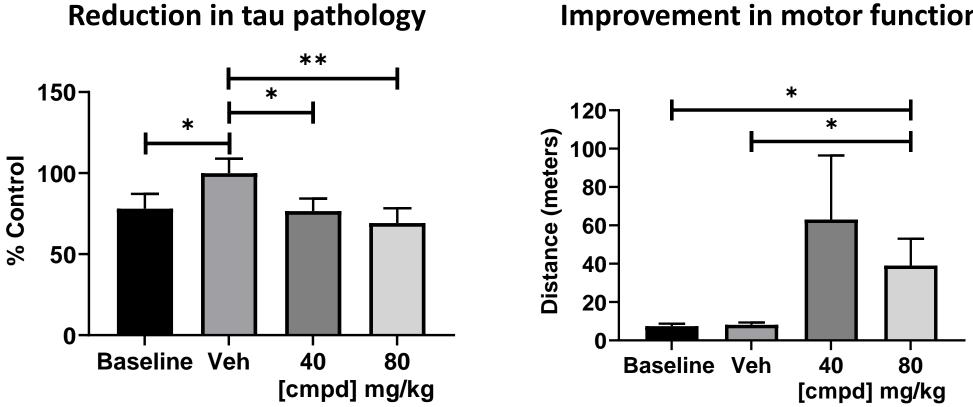
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Reduction of tau self-association in vivo



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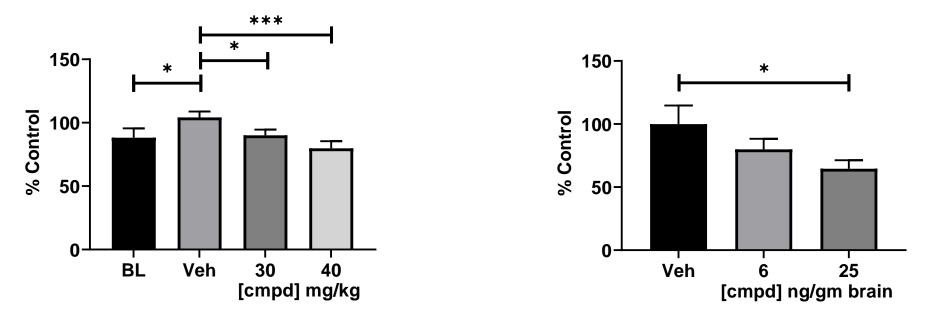
Improvement in motor function

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#### Reduction in tau pathology in models of tau aggregation

FTD & PSP

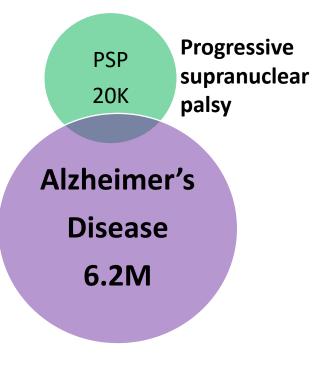




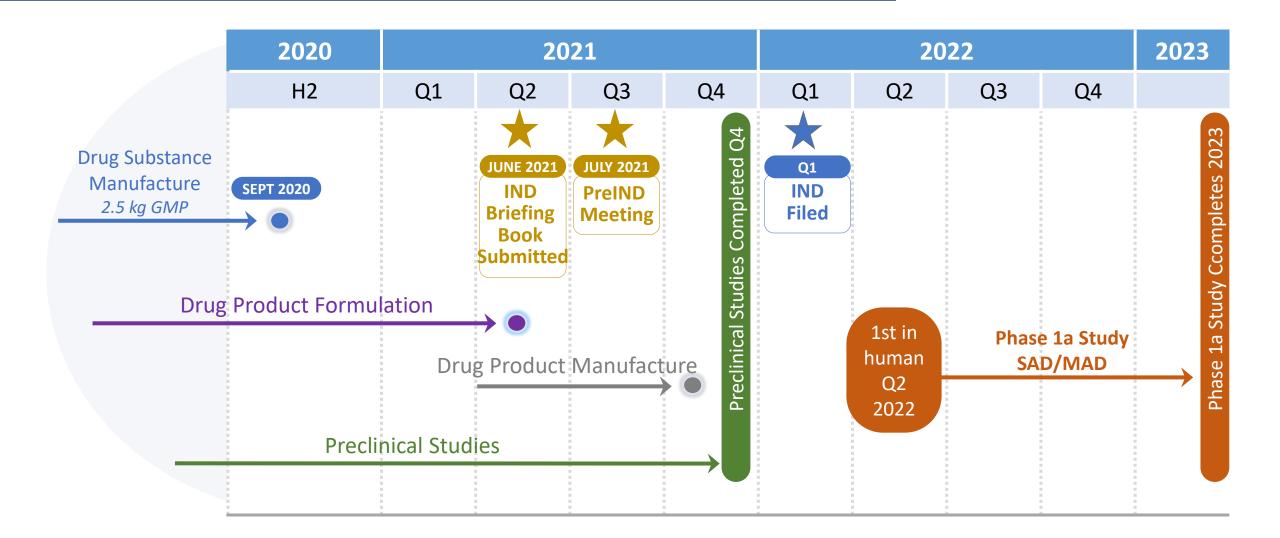
In vivo POC for preventive therapy

## Clinical Program Planning to Proof-of-Concept

- Ph 1a: Conduct SAD MAD, healthy adults and elderly cohort
- Ph 1b: Current plan = AD + PSP
- Potential for:
  - Early clinical efficacy
  - Expedited regulatory & commercial path



## Timeline Through Phase 1a



## **Clinical Advisory Board Faculty**

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#### Adam L. Boxer, MD, PhD

Endowed Professor in Memory and Aging Director, Neurosciences Clinical Research Unit Director, Alzheimer's Disease and Frontotemporal Dementia Clinical Trials Program University of California San Francisco San Francisco, CA

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#### Reisa A. Sperling, MD Professor of Neurology Harvard Medical School Director, Center for Alzheimer Research and Treatment Brigham and Women's Hospital Massachusetts General Hospital Boston, MA

## **Clinical Advisory Board Reactions**

- **Cummings:** "But a small molecule that inhibits tau formation is an exciting proposition. I do see excitement behind these preliminary observations; they provide the foundation to explore further."
- **Geldmacher:** "It's obviously very encouraging to see the lead compound fits well in the CNS drug space and looks more favorable than some other anti-tau compounds It's always good to have a compound that reduces accumulation. It's encouraging for clinical outcomes. I see this as all very favorable for the AD space and the drug's therapeutic potential."
- **Boxer:** "I would agree with other panel members: the data is quite encouraging."
- **Farlow:** "I'm also very excited, especially because this is potentially oral, as opposed to all the anti-tau antibodies that have not set the world on fire yet."

# NEXT STEPS

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	MILESTONES	TIME TO COMPLETION	SOURCE OF FUNDING
	Pre-IND Meeting w/FDA	July 2021	
	File IND 1Q 2022	1Q 2022	
	Phase 1a Study – SAD/MAD, 1 <sup>st</sup> in human	2Q 2023	Non-dilutive/Equity
	File IND Revision End 2022	1Q 2023	Equity funding
	Phase 1b Study - show target engagement, 1 <sup>st</sup> in patient	4Q 2023	Equity funding
	Lead Molecule: Funding Nee	eds	
	<ul> <li>Pre-clinical pharm/tox/CMC - \$3.0MM</li> <li>Safety in healthy volunteers (Ph1a) - \$2.5MM</li> <li>Early signals of efficacy &amp; safety in patients - \$12MM</li> </ul>		
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Generation Series:		
1 1	<ul> <li>Early pre-clinical / toxicology studies - \$2.0MM</li> </ul>		

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## Highly Experienced Pharma Management Team

- Victor P. Micati, MBA, Chairman, former EVP Pharma. Group, former President of EU Operations Pfizer
- James G. Moe, Ph.D., MBA, President and CEO, Founder, <u>Director</u>, former bioMerieux
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- Eliot J. Davidowitz, Ph.D., CSO, Co-Founder, Director
- Edward Cheesman, Ph.D., Senior Dir. Chemistry, former Bristol-Myers Squibb
- Jack Pasini, MBA, CCO, Director, former VP Worldwide Marketing, Pfizer
- Robert Foerster, MBA, CFO, former Sr. Dir. BD Pfizer
- Paul Ginsburg, Ph.D., J.D., In-house IP Counsel, former head Patent Dept. Pfizer, former Schering-Plough









- Strong management team
- Highly differentiated small molecule platform
- Therapeutic and preventive in vivo efficacy
- Awarded over \$16m in NIH non-dilutive funding to date
- Seeking funding to show clinical proof-of-concept
  - Conduct Ph 1a to demonstrate safety in human
  - Conduct Ph 1b to demonstrate target engagement in patients (AD & PSP)







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