

Supplementary Appendix

This appendix has been provided by the authors to give readers additional information about their work.

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Patients who signed informed consent, N=832

Screen failures, N=204

Patients randomized, N=628		
Placebo 213	PRU 2 mg 210	PRU 4 mg 205

Study population, N=620		
Placebo 209	PRU 2 mg 207	PRU 4 mg 204

Completed N=182	Withdrawn N=27
Reasons for withdrawal:	
Adverse event	n=4
Insufficient response	n=5
Lost to follow-up	n=3
Withdrew consent	n=7
Non-compliance	n=4
Other	n=4

Completed N=172	Withdrawn N=35
Reasons for withdrawal:	
Adverse event	n=18
Insufficient response	n=2
Lost to follow-up	n=3
Withdrew consent	n=3
Non-compliance	n=4
Ineligible to continue	n=3
Other	n=2

Completed N=173	Withdrawn N=31
Reasons for withdrawal:	
Adverse event	n=16
Insufficient response	n=1
Lost to follow-up	n=2
Withdrew consent	n=5
Non-compliance	n=4
Other	n=3