

SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIAL: Pharmacodynamics of rituximab on B lymphocytes in paediatric patients with autoimmune diseases

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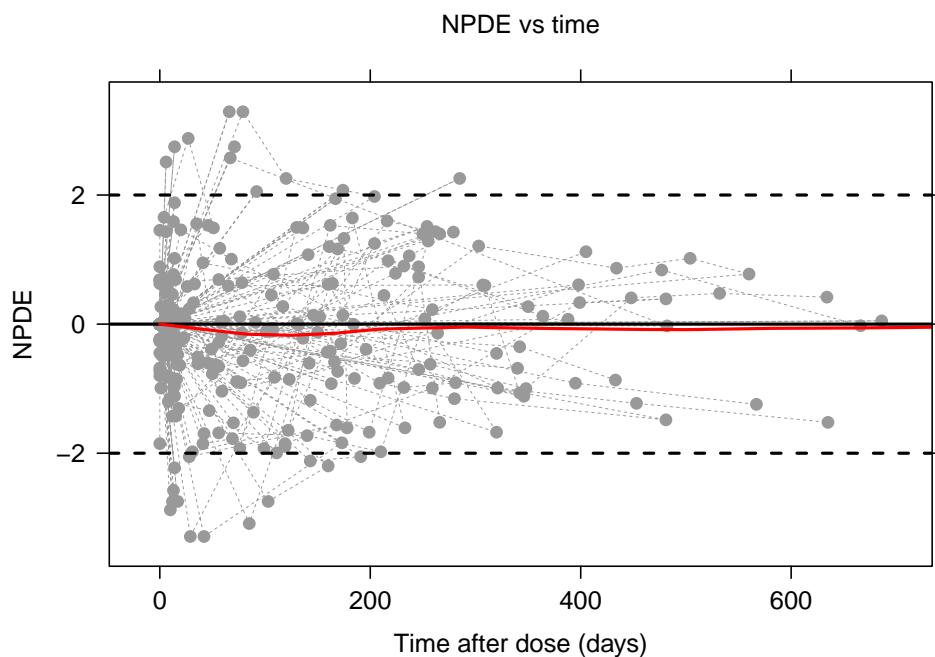


Figure S1: Normalised Prediction Distribution Errors (NPDE) versus time

2 NONMEM model file with values set to final estimates

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;; 1. Based on:  
;; 2. Description: Rituximab KPD modelling for the time course of B cell count  
;; AUTHOR: SP  
;; DATE: 14-MAR-2018  
;; UNITS: AMT:MG, TIME:DAY, DV:10^6/L  
;; MODEL STRUCTURE: KPD (KE ON DOSE)  
;; ERROR MODEL: PROP  
;; COVARIATE: MTX AND CTX ON EMAX  
$PROBLEM Rituximab KPD modelling for the time course of B cell count  
  
$INPUT ID TIME CMT AMT DV EVID MDVO SEX AGE AGEY AZA CSA CTX CTX_OLD DXM  
      FCT HCT MTX MEP MMF PRE TAC DGNS TAD BLQ  
  
$DATA rituximab_181205.csv IGNORE=@  
  
$SUBROUTINE ADVAN6 TOL=6  
$MODEL      COMP=(DOSE) COMP=(BCELL)  
$PK  
;-----Model parameters-----  
KE    = THETA(1) * EXP(ETA(1))  
BSL   = THETA(2) * EXP(ETA(2))  
KOUT  = THETA(3) * EXP(ETA(3))  
;-----Covariates-----  
CCOV  = 0  
IF (CTX.EQ.1) CCOV = THETA(7)  
CCOV1 = 0  
IF (MTX.EQ.1) CCOV1 = THETA(8)  
;-----Drug effect-----  
EMAX = THETA(4) * (1 + CCOV) * (1 + CCOV1)  
ED50  = THETA(5)  
;-----Rate constants and initialise-----  
KIN  = BSL * KOUT  
A_0(2) = BSL  
;-----Proportional error-----  
CV = THETA(6)  
  
$DES  
DADT(1) = -KE * A(1)  
DG      = (EMAX * A(1)) / (ED50 + A(1))  
DADT(2) = KIN - KOUT*(1 + DG) * A(2)  
  
$ERROR  
IPRED = A(2)  
SD    = SQRT(0.0001 + CV*IPRED**2)  
Y     = IPRED + SD*EPS(1)  
IRES = DV-IPRED  
IWRES = IRES / SD  
  
$THETA  
(0,0.0359064) ; KE  
(0,266.449)    ; BSL
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(0,0.0160064) ; KOUT (per day)
(0,35.1538)   ; EMAX
(0,0.811751)  ; ED50 (mg)
(0,0.351255)  ; CV
(-1,0.381171) ; CCOV
(-1,0.657277) ; CCOV1
$OMEGA
 0.54598    ; BSV_KE
 0.96308    ; BSV_BSL
 0.803053   ; BSV_KOUT
$SIGMA 1 FIX
$ESTIMATION METHOD=1 INTER MAXEVALS=9999 POSTHOC NOABORT PRINT=1
$COVARIANCE UNCONDITIONAL PRINT=E MATRIX=S
$TABLE      ID TIME AMT EVID IPRED CWRES IWRES TAD NPDE ESAMPLE=1000
             ONEHEADER NOPRINT FILE=sdtab20
$TABLE      ID KE BSL KOUT EMAX ED50 ETA1 ETA2 ETA3 NOPRINT NOAPPEND
             ONEHEADER FILE=patab20
$TABLE      ID AGE AGEY NOPRINT NOAPPEND ONEHEADER FILE=cotab20
$TABLE      ID GENDE AZA CSA CTX DXM FCT HCT MTX MEP MMF PRE TAC BLQ
             NOPRINT NOAPPEND ONEHEADER FILE=catab20

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