

## Supplementary Online Content

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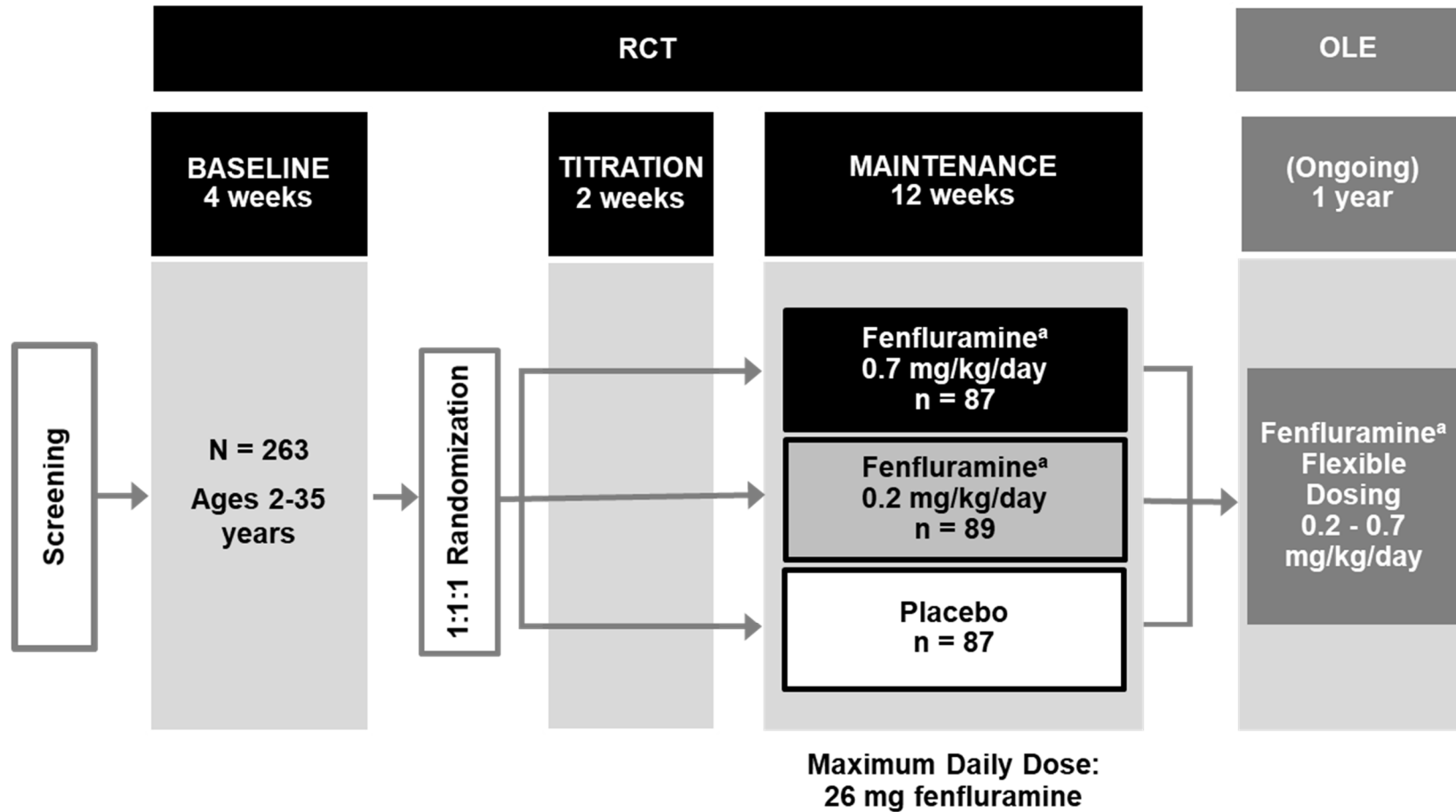
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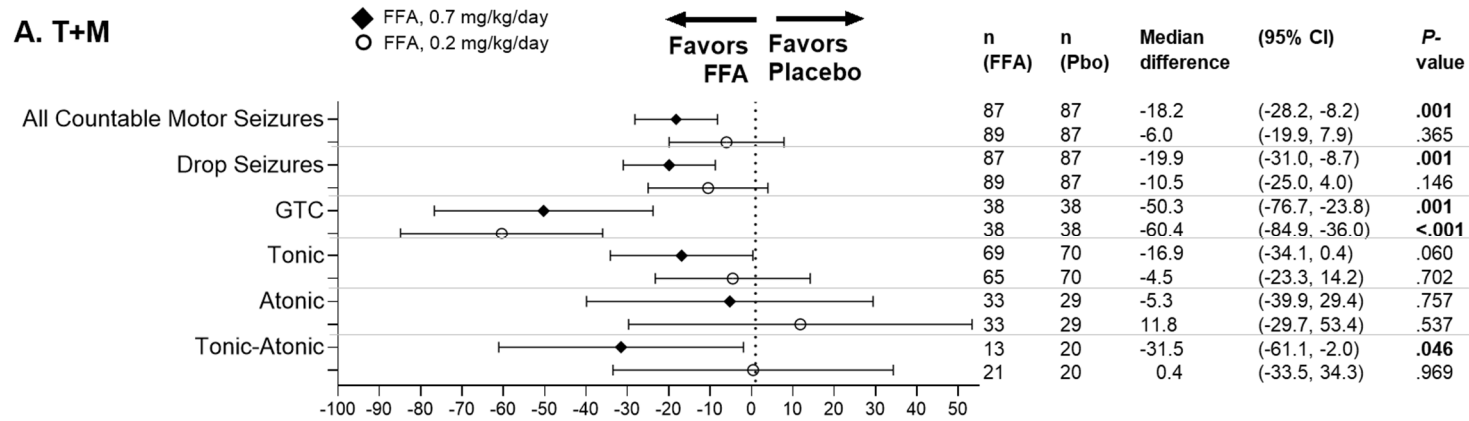
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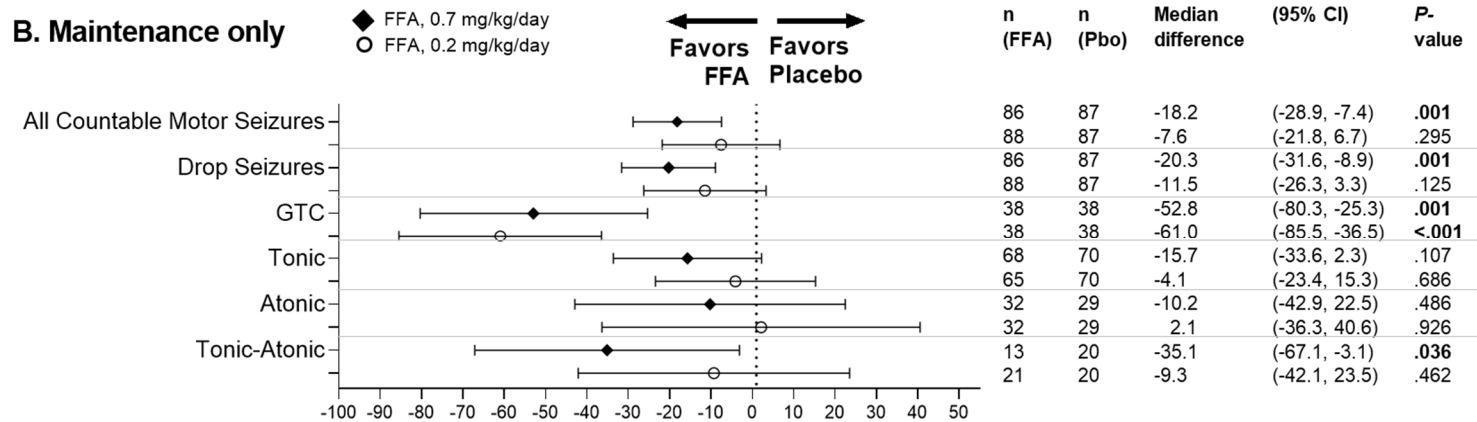
<sup>a</sup>Fenfluramine was administered orally twice daily as an oral solution of fenfluramine hydrochloride containing 2.2 mg/mL fenfluramine. OLE, open-label extension; RCT, randomized clinical trial.

**eFigure 2.** Forest Plots: Distribution of Median Percentage Difference From Placebo in Seizure Frequency

**(A) T+M period. (B) Maintenance only.**



**Median Percentage Difference in Seizure Frequency from Placebo (95% CI)**



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Estimated median difference from placebo (Hodges-Lehmann Estimate) in percentage reduction in seizure frequency. The *P*-values are statistically significant for the primary efficacy outcome (drop seizure frequency, 0.7 mg/kg/day FFA); all other *P*-values are considered nominal. CI, confidence interval; FFA, fenfluramine; GTC, generalized tonic-clonic; Pbo, placebo; T+M, combined titration and maintenance periods.

**eTable 1.** Titration and Tapering Algorithms

All patients were titrated to their randomized dose over a 2-week titration period. A tapering protocol was administered to patients who discontinued early or who completed the study but did not continue to the OLE. Patients who transitioned from the double-blind study to the OLE were titrated to a dose of fenfluramine 0.2 mg/kg/day and were then titrated to effect, including those patients who entered the OLE early without completing the double-blind study.

	<b>STEP 1</b>	<b>STEP 2</b>	<b>STEP 3</b>
<b>Titration<sup>a,b</sup></b>	<b>Study Days 1-4</b>	<b>Study Days 5-8</b>	<b>Study Days 9-14</b>
Placebo	Placebo	Placebo	Placebo
Fenfluramine 0.2 mg/kg/day	Fenfluramine 0.2 mg/kg/day	Fenfluramine 0.2 mg/kg/day	Fenfluramine 0.2 mg/kg/day
Fenfluramine 0.7 mg/kg/day	Fenfluramine 0.2 mg/kg/day	Fenfluramine 0.4 mg/kg/day	Fenfluramine 0.7 mg/kg/day
<b>Tapering<sup>a</sup></b>	<b>Days 1-4 after study completion or early termination</b>	<b>Days 5-8 after study completion or early termination</b>	
Placebo	Placebo	Placebo	
Fenfluramine 0.2 mg/kg/day	Placebo	Placebo	
Fenfluramine 0.7 mg/kg/day	Fenfluramine 0.4 mg/kg/day	Fenfluramine 0.2 mg/kg/day	
<b>Transition to OLE from dose group in double-blind study<sup>a</sup></b>	<b>Days 1-4 after Visit 12<sup>c</sup></b>	<b>Days 5-14 after Visit 12<sup>c</sup></b>	

Placebo	Fenfluramine 0.2 mg/kg/day	Fenfluramine 0.2 mg/kg/day
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Fenfluramine 0.7 mg/kg/day	Fenfluramine 0.4 mg/kg/day	Fenfluramine 0.2 mg/kg/day

BID, twice daily; OLE, open-label extension.

<sup>a</sup>Maximum daily dose of fenfluramine, 26 mg.

<sup>b</sup>The dosing regimen, BID for all doses.

<sup>c</sup>Visit 12 is Maintenance Period Study Day 99 (Week 12), or early termination/end of study visit.

**eTable 2.** Sequential Gatekeeping Procedure to Maintain Type 1 Error Rate at  $\alpha = 0.05$  for Pairwise Comparisons Between Active Treatment and Placebo<sup>1</sup>

Step	Outcome	Definition	Dosage Comparison vs. Placebo
1	Primary	Change in the frequency of drop seizures between baseline and T+M	FFA 0.7 mg/kg/day
2	Second key secondary	Proportion of subjects who achieve a $\geq 50\%$ reduction from baseline in the frequency of seizures that result in drops	FFA 0.7 mg/kg/day
3	Third key secondary	Clinical Global Impression of Improvement (CGI-I) rating, as assessed by the principal investigator – Any Improvement	FFA 0.7 mg/kg/day
4	Fourth key secondary	Change in frequency of drop seizures between baseline and T+M	FFA 0.2 mg/kg/day
5	Fifth key secondary	Proportion of subjects who achieve a $\geq 50\%$ reduction from baseline in the frequency of drop seizures	FFA 0.2 mg/kg/day
6	Sixth key secondary	Clinical Global Impression of Improvement (CGI-I) rating, as assessed by the principal investigator – Any Improvement	FFA 0.2 mg/kg/day

<sup>1</sup>Primary outcome-defined Epilepsy-Study-Consortium-confirmed seizure subtypes that resulted in a drop were: GTC, secondary GTC, tonic, atonic, and tonic-atonic. If the comparison was statistically significant at the  $\alpha=0.05$  (2-sided) level, hypothesis testing proceeded to the next step; if not, p-values were considered nominal.

CGI-I: Clinical Global Impression—Improvement; GTC, generalized tonic-clonic; T+M, combined titration and maintenance periods.