# TX-001HR Improved the Medical Outcomes Study-Sleep (MOS-Sleep) questionnaire in Menopausal Women with Vasomotor Symptoms

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# Menopausal VMS Treatment

- Vasomotor symptoms (VMS) in menopausal women can
  - Be bothersome<sup>1-3</sup>
  - Negatively impact quality of life,<sup>1,4</sup> sleep,<sup>1,5</sup> and work productivity<sup>4,6</sup>

#### REPLENISH trial

- TX-001HR (TherapeuticsMD, Boca Raton, FL) is an investigational combination of 17β-estradiol and progesterone in a single oral softgel capsule
- One secondary objective was to evaluate the effects of four TX-001HR (E2/P4) doses versus placebo on sleep parameters when used for the treatment of moderate-to-severe VMS

E2: estradiol; P4: progesterone.

# Study Design: Randomization

### VMS substudy (12 wks)

- ≥7/day or ≥50/week moderate-to-severe hot flushes
- Randomized 1:1:1:1:1

### **Treatment Groups**

- 1.0 mg E2/100 mg P4
- 0.5 mg E2/100 mg P4
- 0.5 mg E2/50 mg P4
- 0.25 mg E2/50 mg P4
- Placebo

## **General study (12 mos)**

- Did not qualify for VMS substudy
- Randomized 1:1:1:1

 Both populations were assessed for sleep parameters using the Medical Outcomes Study (MOS)-Sleep Questionnaire

# Medical Outcomes Study (MOS)-Sleep Questionnaire

- MOS-Sleep is a 12-item questionnaire measuring 6 sleep dimensions over the past 4 weeks
  - The last 4 items\* were scored using a 6-item Likert scale ranging from "All of the time" to "None of the time"

Sleep Dimensions	Subscales (derived from sleep dimensions)
<ul> <li>Initiation (time to fall asleep)</li> <li>Quantity (hours of sleep each night)</li> <li>Maintenance*</li> <li>Respiratory problems*</li> <li>Perceived adequacy*</li> <li>Somnolence*</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Sleep Problems Index I (short form)</li> <li>Sleep Problems Index II (long form)</li> <li>Sleep disturbance</li> <li>Sleep somnolence</li> <li>Snoring</li> <li>Sleep shortness of breath or headache</li> </ul>

- MOS-Sleep questionnaire was administered at baseline, week 12 and months 6 and 12
- Change from baseline in total and subscale scores were analyzed for each treatment versus placebo at each time point in the MITT population

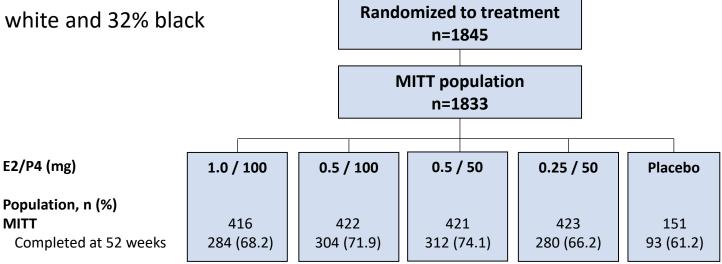
# Disposition and Demographics

• 69% of women completed at 52 weeks

Mean age: 55 years (40–66)

Mean BMI: 27 kg/m<sup>2</sup>

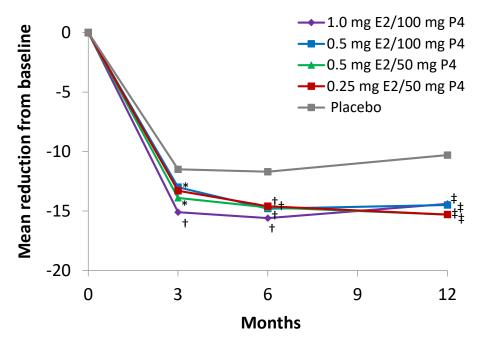
65% were white and 32% black



# Improvements in MOS-Sleep Total Score

- All doses of TX-001HR significantly improved the MOS-Sleep total score versus placebo at week 12 and months 6 and 12
  - Except for those treated with the lowest dose at week 12
- Total scores ranged from 43.2–48.1 at baseline and were 27.5–29.4 with TX-001HR and 37.4 with placebo at month 12

#### **Total Score**

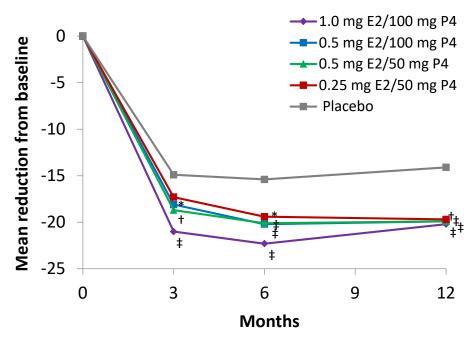


\**P*<0.05; †*P*<0.01; ‡*P*<0.001 vs placebo.

# Improvements in Sleep Disturbance Subscale

- Sleep disturbance subscale significantly decreased from baseline with TX-001HR versus placebo at all timepoints
  - Except for the lowest TX-001HR dose at week 12

### **Sleep Disturbance**



\*P<0.05; †P<0.01; ‡P<0.001 vs placebo.

## Improvements in Sleep Problems Index I Subscale

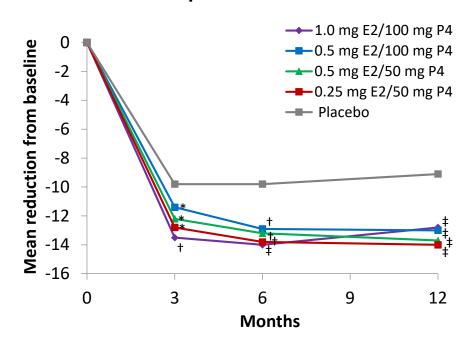
 All doses of TX-001HR significantly improved the Sleep Problems Index I subscale from baseline versus placebo to all timepoints

#### Sleep problems index I based on

How often during the past 4 weeks did you...

- Get enough sleep to feel rested upon waking?
- Awaken short of breath or with a headache?
- Have trouble falling asleep?
- Awaken and have trouble falling asleep again
- Have trouble staying awake during the day?
- Get the amount of sleep you needed?

### **Sleep Problems Index I**



## Improvements in Sleep Problems Index II Subscale

- All doses of TX-001HR significantly improved the Sleep Problems Index II subscale from baseline versus placebo to all timepoints
  - Except the lowest TX-001HR dose at week 12

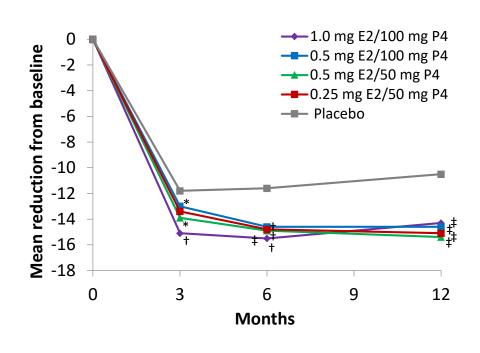
#### Sleep Problems Index II

Same questions as the Sleep problems index I but also include:

How often during the past 4 weeks did you...

- Feel that your sleep was not quiet?
- Feel drowsy or sleepy during the day
- How long did it usually take to fall asleep?

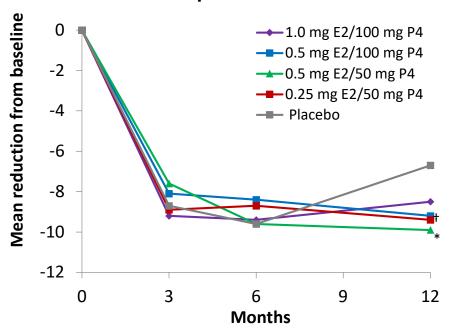
#### Sleep Problems Index II



# Improvements in Sleep Somnolence Subscale

- Sleep somnolence subscale significantly improved from baseline with TX-001HR doses 0.5 mg E2/100 mg P4 and 0.5 mg E2/50 mg P4 compared with placebo at month 12
  - TEAE incidence of somnolence was low (0.2% to 1.2%) with TX-001HR
- TX-001HR had no effects on the snoring subscale, or the sleep shortness of breath or headache subscale

#### **Sleep Somnolence**



\*P<0.05; †P<0.01 vs placebo.

## Conclusions

- All doses of TX-001HR significantly improved sleep parameters typically associated with menopause from baseline up to 12 months compared with placebo
  - Some improvements with the lowest dose was not significant at 12 weeks
  - The reported incidence of somnolence was also very low
- If approved, TX-001HR may provide the first oral combination of E2/P4 for treating moderate-to-severe VMS and could represent a new treatment option for menopausal women currently using unapproved and unregulated compounded bioidentical HT