# A SCALABLE GENE THERAPY PLATFORM TARGETING RARE MONOGENIC DISEASES



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Apriligen is commercializing its proprietary ex vivo HSC (Hematopoietic Stem Cell) lentiviral gene therapy backbone across a range of ultra-rare indications beginning with Diamond Blackfan Anemia ("DBA")

 Proven organizational leadership, science and governance Team Clinically adjacent, patent protected lead asset validates platform technology Science Novel trial design, potential for accelerated approval in '26 • First DBA patient dosed in 2H 2025 Regulatory • Thousands of patients in US and EU DBA registries; curative potential with no near-term competitive therapy Market

## ORGANIZATIONAL LEADERSHIP: EXPERIENCE AND EXPERTISE

- > Leaders Dedicated to Apriligen's Mission with Proven Business, Scientific and Gene Therapy Development Expertise
- > Founder families are impacted by rare disease and have invested over \$17.5M of personal capital into developing Apriligen aligning interests with investors

#### **Founders**









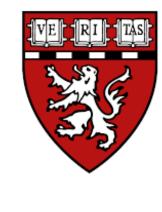




#### Operational Excellence











#### Independent Governance







Process Development / CMC Optimization

#### Scientific Advisory Board





Dana-Farber/Boston Children's Cancer and Blood Disorders Center











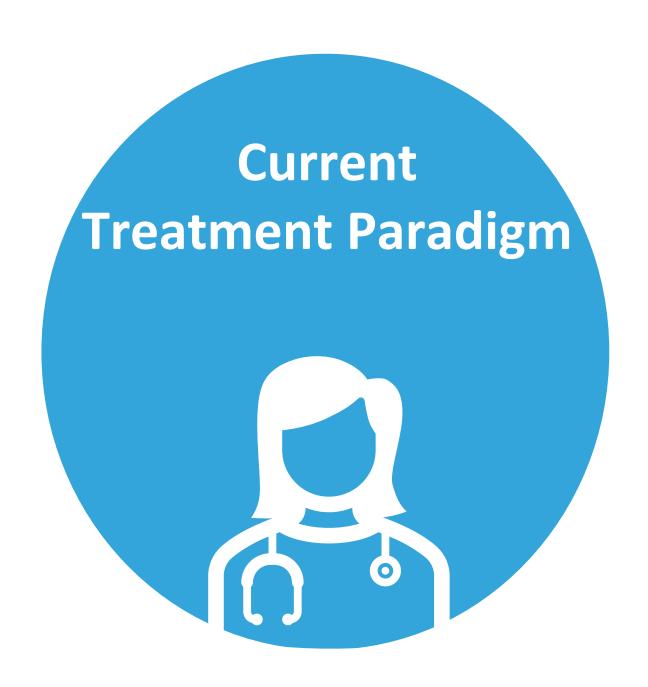




# DBA: STANDARD OF CARE IS PART OF THE PROBLEM

- Chronic blood transfusions and concurrent iron chelation therapy
- Corticosteroids
- Hematopoietic stem cell transplantation (HSCT)

The current standard of care can result in infection, organ failure, GVHD, treatment related fatality





# OPPORTUNITY: UNMET MEDICAL NEED IN DBA

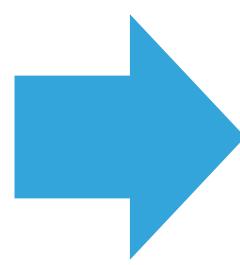


- Illness presents during first 45 days of life
- < 5,000 patients are living with DBA worldwide</p> increasing every year
- Over 18 distinct, ribosomal variants with similar clinical profile

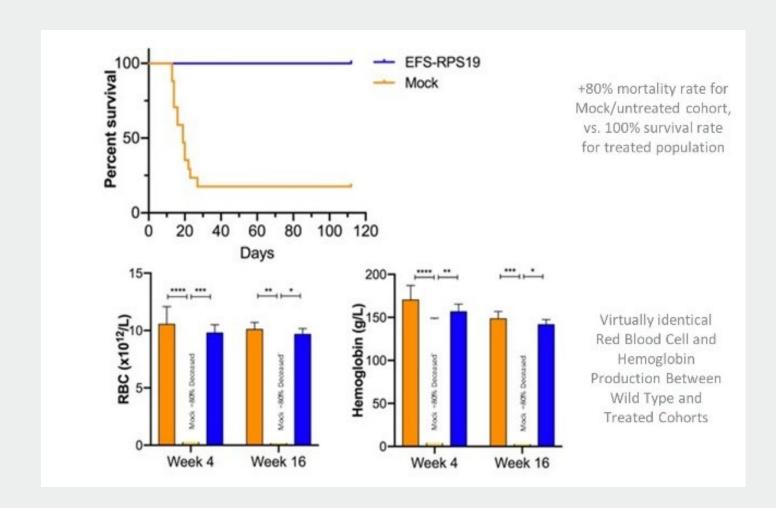
DBA patients die young, require intensive, ongoing medical care and have materially increased risk for solid tumor and blood cancers

### APRILIGEN'S SOLUTION: ROOTED IN DATA – SAFE AND EFFICACIOUS

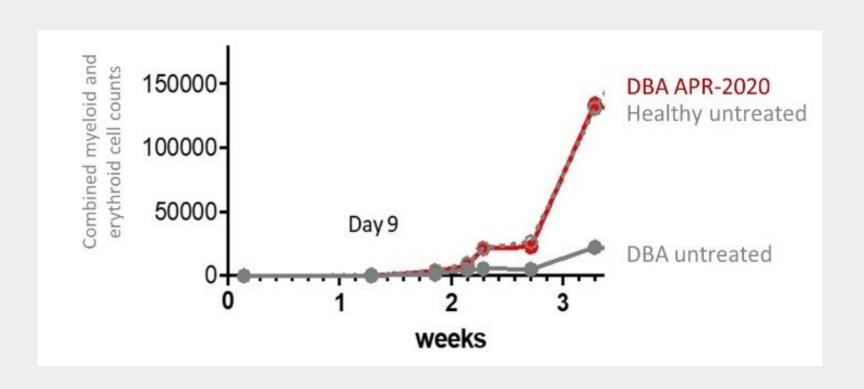
Our next generation, clinically-validated self-inactivating lentiviral vector overcomes hurdles from earlier LVV constructs



# Consistent, long-term in vivo correction of anemia and bone marrow failure



#### Expectations Exceeded in ex vivo patient cells





#### REGULATORS WANT PLATFORM SOLUTIONS TO CURE RARE GENETIC DISEASES

#### Improved/Accelerated Approval Pathways for Ultra-Rare:

"...we're going to be rolling out a new pathway for drugs, which is a pathway based on a plausible mechanism. If there's a rare condition or a condition that's incurable that affects a small number of people, we may be approving drugs based on a plausible mechanism on sort of a conditional basis."

FDA Commissioner Martin Makary, MD

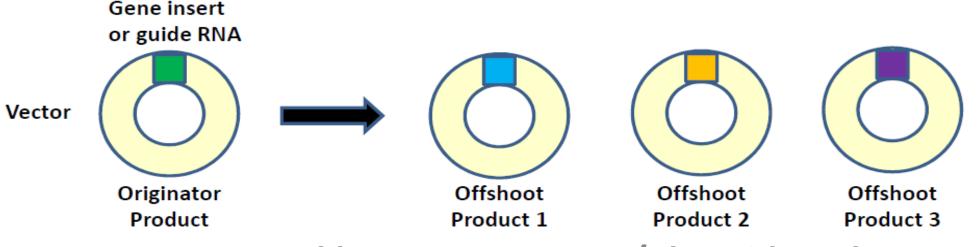
#### FDA's Case For Platform Technologies:

"In appropriate situations, non-clinical data and manufacturing information from one product may be able to be leveraged to another."

Dr. Peter Marks, Former Director CBER, FDA

### Platform Technologies

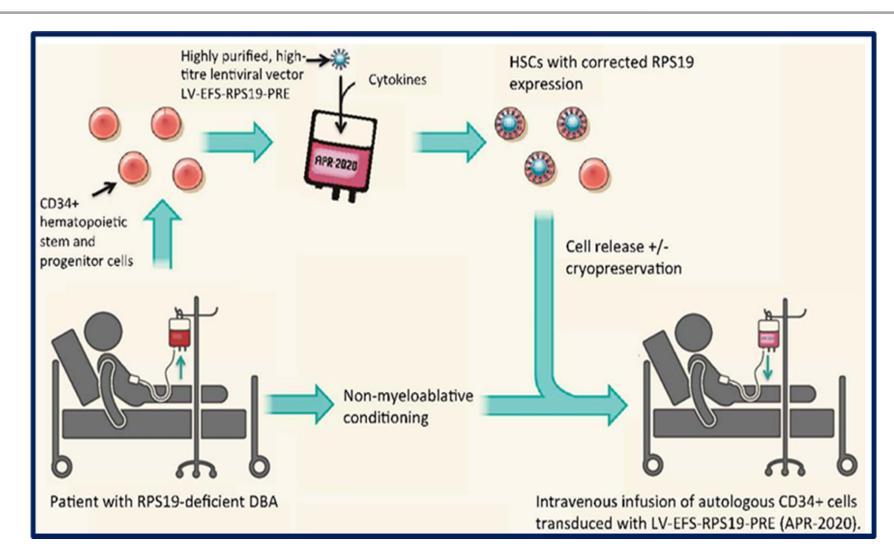




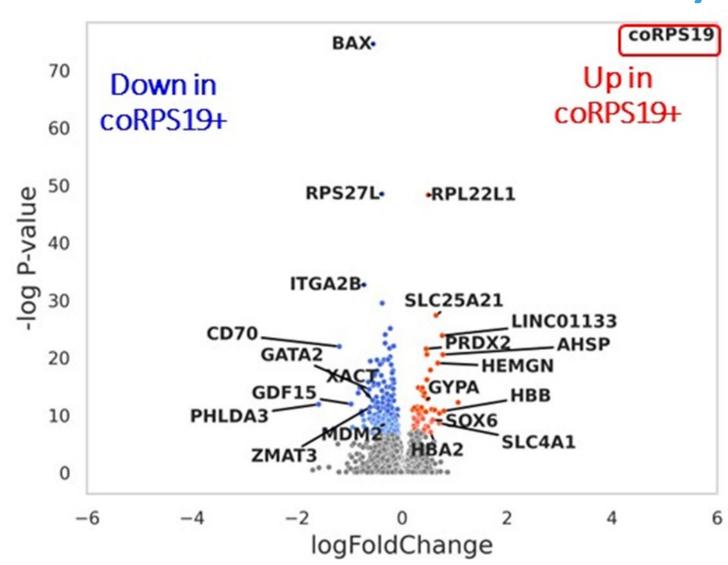
Same Vector Backbone – Transgene/Plasmid Replacement



# OUR SOLUTION – CLINICAL DATA IN 2025



# Clinical and Mechanistic Correction: APR-2020 Normalized Gene Activity



### Establishing a new, curative front-line therapy

- No ablative chemotherapy, safer conditioning than myeloablative standard
  - Reducing conditioning related side effects
- Autologous No marrow match/donor necessary (No Graft vs. Host reactions)
- No immunosuppressants & risk of immunocompromised infections
- Substantial reduction in cancer-related chemo risk/functional stresses
- Attractive reimbursement and health economic impact
- One and done correction



## KEY VALUE INFLECTION POINTS & MILESTONES

2025 2026

Achieve

Demonstrate

safety and efficacy

Pursuit of grant

applications for

(NIH, others)

Pursue Accelerated / Conditional Approval Human PoC

Regulatory Approval

- FDA and/or EMA
- Est. ~\$3-4M price per patient (US)
- Average of 100-200 pts p.a. steady state (in year four)

Receipt of PRV (1) commercial scaleup

- +\$100M value
- **APR-2020** average annual revenue of ~\$350-\$450M p.a. over the first five years (US and EU)

- Initiate FIH Study
- **PRIME** application
- Fast Track/RMAT application
- **START** application

- Assumes APR -2020 is approved prior to PRV program sunset in September 2026 or program reauthorization.
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#### MONOGENIC RARE DISEASE PLATFORM - SIGNIFICANT UNMET MEDICAL NEED

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Rare Disease Statistics

- Effects ~5% 10% of global population, ~25-30M Americans
- 7,000 Rare Diseases, 80% are monogenic
- Disproportionately impacts pediatric population

Rare Disease Characteristics

- Defined at less than 200,000 worldwide in US, fewer than 65 out of 100,000
   ultra rare affects fewer than 1 in 50,000 people
- Resource intensive to manage; significant burden on healthcare system

Rare Disease Solutions

- Genetic problems are best solved by genetic solutions CGT is the answer
- Innovative regulatory, scientific and manufacturing solutions now exist to facilitate Apriligen's platform solution



### JOIN US ON THIS MISSION – SHINE A LIGHT ON THIS OPPORTUNITY

#### Series A Preferred Use of Proceeds:

- Initiate and Complete pivotal P-I/II trial
- Data Permitting Submit for Accelerated/Conditional Approval and/or full approval in US and EU

#### Milestones achieved with funding:

- Demonstrate clinical safety and efficacy needed for APR-2020 regulatory approval and commercialization (commercial launch and Priority Review Voucher monetization)
- > Validate platform, select next development candidates for IND-enabling studies
- Application for Conditional/Accelerated Approval (Data Dependent)

#### **Status:**

> \$15M Institutional raise under way that includes CT Innovations

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