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European Medicines Agency decision P/0189/2023

of 15 May 2023

on the acceptance of a modification of an agreed paediatric investigation plan for cholera vaccine, live attenuated, oral (strain CVD 103-HgR) (Vaxchora), (EMEA-001490-PIP01-13-M04) in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council

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The European Medicines Agency,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union,

Having regard to Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 12 December 2006 on medicinal products for paediatric use and amending Regulation (EEC) No. 1768/92, Directive 2001/20/EC, Directive 2001/83/EC and Regulation (EC) No 726/2004¹,

Having regard to Regulation (EC) No 726/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 31 March 2004 laying down Union procedures for the authorisation and supervision of medicinal products for human use and establishing a European Medicines Agency²,

Having regard to the European Medicines Agency's decision P/0286/2014 issued on 28 October 2014, the decision P/0381/2018 issued on 7 December 2018 and the decision P/0509/2020 issued on 22 December 2020,

Having regard to the application submitted by Emergent Netherlands B.V. on 15 December 2022 under Article 22 of Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006 proposing changes to the agreed paediatric investigation plan with a deferral and a waiver,

Having regard to the opinion of the Paediatric Committee of the European Medicines Agency, issued on 31 March 2023, in accordance with Article 22 of Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006,

Having regard to Article 25 of Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006,

Whereas:

- (1) The Paediatric Committee of the European Medicines Agency has given an opinion on the acceptance of changes to the agreed paediatric investigation plan and to the deferral.
- (2) It is therefore appropriate to adopt a decision on the acceptance of changes to the agreed paediatric investigation plan, including changes to the deferral.

 $^{^1}$ OJ L 378, 27.12.2006, p.1, as amended. 2 OJ L 136, 30.4.2004, p. 1, as amended.

Has adopted this decision:

Article 1

Changes to the agreed paediatric investigation plan for cholera vaccine, live attenuated, oral (strain CVD 103-HgR) (Vaxchora), powder for oral suspension, age-appropriate oral liquid dosage form, oral use, including changes to the deferral, are hereby accepted in the scope set out in the opinion of the Paediatric Committee of the European Medicines Agency annexed hereto, together with its appendices.

Article 2

This decision is addressed to Emergent Netherlands B.V., Strawinskylaan 411, 1077XX – Amsterdam, The Netherlands.



EMA/PDCO/6539/2023 Corr¹ Amsterdam, 31 March 2023

Opinion of the Paediatric Committee on the acceptance of a modification of an agreed Paediatric Investigation Plan EMEA-001490-PIP01-13-M04

Scope of the application

Active substance(s):

Cholera vaccine, live attenuated, oral (strain CVD 103-HgR)

Invented name and authorisation status:

See Annex II

Condition(s):

Prevention of cholera

Pharmaceutical form(s):

Powder for oral suspension

Age-appropriate oral liquid dosage form

Route(s) of administration:

Oral use

Name/corporate name of the PIP applicant:

Emergent Netherlands B.V.

Basis for opinion

Pursuant to Article 22 of Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006 as amended, Emergent Netherlands B.V. submitted to the European Medicines Agency on 15 December 2022 an application for modification of the agreed paediatric investigation plan with a deferral and a waiver as set out in the European Medicines Agency's decision P/0286/2014 issued on 28 October 2014, the decision P/0381/2018 issued on 7 December 2018 and the decision P/0509/2020 issued on 22 December 2020.

The application for modification proposed changes to the agreed paediatric investigation plan and to the deferral.



¹ 17 April 2023

The procedure started on 30 January 2023.

Scope of the modification

Some measures and timelines of the Paediatric Investigation Plan have been modified.

Opinion

- The Paediatric Committee, having assessed the application in accordance with Article 22 of Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006 as amended, recommends as set out in the appended summary report:
 - to agree to changes to the paediatric investigation plan and to the deferral in the scope set out in the Annex I of this opinion.

The Paediatric Committee member of Norway agrees with the above-mentioned recommendation of the Paediatric Committee.

2. The measures and timelines of the paediatric investigation plan and the subset(s) of the paediatric population and condition(s) covered by the waiver are set out in the Annex I.

This opinion is forwarded to the applicant and the Executive Director of the European Medicines Agency, together with its annexes and appendix.

Annex I

The subset(s) of the paediatric population and condition(s) covered by the waiver and the measures and timelines of the agreed paediatric investigation plan (PIP)

1. Waiver

1.1. Condition:

Prevention of cholera

The waiver applies to:

- the paediatric population from birth to less than 6 months of age;
- powder for oral suspension, oral use;
- on the grounds that the specific medicinal product is likely to be ineffective.

2. Paediatric investigation plan

2.1. Condition:

Prevention of cholera

2.1.1. Indication(s) targeted by the PIP

Prophylaxis of disease caused by V. cholerae serogroup O1

2.1.2. Subset(s) of the paediatric population concerned by the paediatric development

From 6 months to less than 18 years of age.

2.1.3. Pharmaceutical form(s)

Powder for oral suspension

Age-appropriate oral liquid dosage form

2.1.4. Measures

Area	Description
Quality-related studies	Study 1
	Development of an age-appropriate oral liquid dosage form for the paediatric subset from 6 months to less than 2 years of age
Non-clinical studies	Not applicable
Clinical studies	Study 2
	Double-blind, randomised, single dose, placebo-controlled trial to demonstrate that vibriocidal antibody seroconversion in children from 2 to less than 18 years of age is non-inferior as compared to adults following vaccination with cholera vaccine (PXVX-VC-200-006)

	Study 3
	Open-label, single arm study to assess the safety and immunogenicity of one dose of the cholera vaccine in children from 6 months to less than 2 years of age (EBSI-VC-200-008)
Extrapolation, modelling and simulation studies	Not applicable
Other studies	Not applicable
Other measures	Not applicable

3. Follow-up, completion and deferral of PIP

Concerns on potential long term safety/efficacy issues in relation to paediatric use:	No
Date of completion of the paediatric investigation plan:	By November 2024
Deferral for one or more measures contained in the paediatric investigation plan:	Yes

Annex II

Information about the authorised medicinal product

Information provided by the applicant:

Condition(s) and authorised indication(s)

1. Prevention of cholera

Authorised indication(s):

- Vaxchora is indicated for active immunisation against disease caused by Vibrio cholerae serogroup O1 in adults and children aged 2 years and older.
 - Invented name(s): Vaxchora
 - Authorised pharmaceutical form(s): Effervescent powder and powder for oral suspension
 - Authorised route(s) of administration: Oral use
 - Authorised via centralised procedure