## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

#### FORM 8-K

#### CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): August 1, 2022

#### Entera Bio Ltd.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

#### 001-38556

Israel (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

00-0000000 (I.R.S. Employer Identification)

KIRYAT HADASSAH, MINRAV BUILDING - FIFTH FLOOR, JERUSALEM, Israel 9112002

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

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(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

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Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Ordinary Shares, par value of NIS 0.0000769	ENTX	Nasdaq Capital Market
Warrants, each Warrant exercisable for half of an Ordinary Share at an	ENTXW	Nasdaq Capital Market
exercise price of \$5.85 per Ordinary Share		

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#### Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

On August 1, 2022, Entera Bio Ltd., a company organized under the laws of the State of Israel (the "Company", "we", "us", or "our") made available an updated corporate presentation. A copy of the presentation is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated by reference in this Item 7.01. A copy of the presentation is also available on our website at https://investors.enterabio.com.

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#### Item 9.01 Exhibits

(d) Exhibits.

#### Exhibit

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 Entera Corporate Presentation August

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#### SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

ENTERA BIO LTD.

By: /s/ Miranda J. Toledano Name: Miranda J. Toledano Title: Chief Executive Officer







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## Entera Bio: Leader in Oral Delivery of Therapeutic Proteins

We Focus on High Unmet Clinical Needs where Oral Delivery of a Protein Therapy Can Significantly Improve the Standard of Care

- Founded in 2009 (Jerusalem, Israel); IPO in 2018 (Nasdaq: ENTX)
- Proprietary 1<sup>st</sup> in Class Oral PTH Candidates with Demonstrated Clinical Efficacy in Phase 2 Studies
- External Strategic Partnerships to Diversify Pipeline and Revenue Streams (e.g. Amgen)

EB613 (oral PTH (1-34), teriparatide) First Oral Bone Forming / Anabolic Drug for Osteoporosis

- Phase 2 study met biomarker and 6-month BMD endpoints (ASBMR late-breaker oral presentation, 2021)
- 6-month lumbar spine BMD data in line with SC Forteo<sup>®</sup> injection; total hip and femoral neck BMD changes were
  greater than previously reported data with SC Forteo<sup>®</sup> injection
- FDA Type C Meeting based on revised Phase 3 protocol submitted (response expected in H2'2022)

EB612 First Oral PTH for Hypoparathyroidism - Granted Orphan Designation (US, EU)

- Pilot 4-month Phase 2 results presented (ASBMR 2015) and published in peer-reviewed journal (JBMR 2021)
- Phase 2 PK-PD study versus Natpara® presented (ASBMR 2019)
- · Rapid decline in median serum phosphate levels and maintenance of target calcium levels throughout the study
- Novel formulation leverages Entera's 2<sup>nd</sup> generation peptide delivery platform (PK study expected in H1'2023)

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## **Execution Oriented Leadership Team**

Miranda Toledano, MBA, Chief Executive Officer	23 years of C-level leadership, principal investment and wall street/ transactional experience in the biotech sector	FBR FBR
Art Santora, MD, PhD, Chief Medical Officer	35 years of special care, academic research, FDA in endocrinology focusing on osteoporosis and other diseases of bone and calcium metabolism; lead clinical physician for Fosamax <sup>®</sup>	MERCK
Dana Yaacov, CPA, MBA, Chief Financial Officer	15 years of finance management and accounting experience	pwc
Hillel Galitzer, PhD, MBA, Chief Operating Officer	21 years of biotech experience in clinical trial and supply chain operations support and early- stage R&D	Hadasit Bio Holdings Ltd. Brevers noversyn or Rockers
<b>Anke Hoppe, BSc,</b> VP of Clinical Operations	30 years of experience overseeing clinical operations across big pharma, small biotech, and CROs	COVANCE FOUTROUS MADE RAC ClavoSmith/Une Syneos. Health
Gregory Burshtein, PhD, VP of R&D	18 years experience in oral drug delivery research, formulation and pre-clinical development	האוניברסיטה העברית בירושלים אוא אוינארטיא איז איז איז איז איז איז איז איז איז א

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### **Entera Proprietary Oral Delivery Platform**

### Synergistic Activity of Proteolysis Inhibition and Permeability Enhancement

Oral delivery of most therapeutic proteins is challenging due to poor absorption into the blood stream, enzymatic degradation within the gastrointestinal tract, and variable drug exposure





#### Entera's Proprietary Technology - Synergistically Protects & Transports Large Molecules

1. Prevents the degradation of the therapeutic protein in the GI tract; maintains the integrity of the protein (stability)

2. Enhances peptide absorption by increasing transcellular transport (bioavailability)

Note: SNAC (Salcaprozate sodium) increases gastric epithelial membrane fluidity without affecting tight junctions, thereby allowing transcellular passage into systemic circulation of the protein API. SNAC is a component of Novo Nordisk's Rybelsus<sup>®</sup> which has been approved by the FDA and EMA.

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## Internal Pipeline Focuses On Approved Injectable Proteins

Partnership Agreements Include Novel Undisclosed Targets

Program	Target	Preclinical	Phase 1	Phase 2	Phase 3	Partner	Next Milestone
EB613	Osteoporosis	PTH 1-34					Phase 3
EB612	Hypoparathyroidism (Orphan Disease)	PTH 1-34 (2 <sup>nd</sup> g	generation)				Human PK
EB613	Non-Union Fractures	PTH 1-34					Internal Review
GLP-2	Short Bowel Syndrome						Undisclosed
hGH	GH deficiency						Undisclosed
Undisclosed	Anti- inflammatory					AMGEN	Undisclosed
Undisclosed	Various					Multiple	Undisclosed

Evaluating additional high value therapeutic proteins which could be developed as oral formulations to offer significant benefit to patients

EB613 (oral PTH (1-34), teriparatide) Oral Bone Forming / Anabolic for the Treatment of Osteoporosis



## EB613: First Oral PTH Drug Candidate for Osteoporosis

#### Indication

Osteoporosis: Skeletal disease characterized by low bone mass, micro-architectural deterioration of bone tissue and increased bone fragility leading to an increased susceptibility to fractures. Currently the vast majority of patients have a preference and are treated with oral therapy (bisphosphonates)

#### Molecule/ Drug Product

Parathyroid hormone (PTH) is an 84-amino acid hormone and the primary regulator of calcium and phosphate metabolism in bone and kidney. EB613 is an oral formulation of synthetic hPTH (1-34), (teriparatide), a peptide consisting of the first 34 amino acids of PTH (the functional region), developed with Entera's proprietary drug delivery technology which stabilizes the teriparatide and promotes absorption in the gastrointestinal tract. Subcutaneous Forteo® (teriparatide injection) has been the leading anabolic treatment of osteoporosis since 2002 (with U.S. peak sales of \$960m)

#### Key Efficacy Profile

Phase 2 study met primary endpoint showing a statistically significant increase of P1NP\*, a marker of bone formation, at 3 months; at 6 months of treatment with EB613, the increase in spine bone mineral density (BMD) was similar in magnitude to that previously reported with SC Forteo <sup>®</sup> injections; Increases in total hip and femoral neck BMD with EB613 were greater than those previously reported with SC Forteo <sup>®</sup> injections

#### Key Safety Profile

Favorable phase 3 safety profile similar to Forteo<sup>®</sup> and differentiated from oral bisphosphonates The most common adverse events included mild nausea, moderate back pain, moderate headache, and moderate upper abdominal pain

## End of Phase 2 Minutes: FDA suggested Entera explore a placebo-controlled study with BMD ASBMR-FNIH STEs as primary endpoint. Type C meeting expected H2'2022

\*P1NP: amino pro-peptide of type 1 collagen

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## Osteoporosis Results From An Imbalance In The Bone Remodeling Cycle That Occurs When Bone Resorption Outpaces Bone Formation

#### Bone Density Healthy vs. Osteoporotic



Osteoporosis is a disease associated with low bone mass and enhanced skeletal fragility and is most commonly caused by:

- 1. Menopause in women
- 2. Aging in both women and men
- 3. Glucocorticoid steroid use (greater than 3 months)

Sources: International Osteoporosis foundation accessed March 2022; Salamanna, F. et al.

#### Osteoporosis and the Bone Remodeling Cycle

The Bone Remodeling Cycle can be separated into two distinct processes: Resorption (osteoclasts) and Formation (osteoblasts)



Bone renewal through the bone remodelling cycle

## Current Osteoporosis Pharmacologic Treatment Is Segmented Into: Anti-Resorptive & Anabolic Options



## Healthcare Providers Typically Use T-score BMD Classifications, Patient Fracture History and Preference To Drive Therapy Selection

#### T-Score Scale

T-score

+1.0

0

-1.0 -1.5

-2.0 -2.5

-3.0

Bone Mineral

**Density Results** 

Normal

**Bone Density** 

Low Bone Density (Osteopenia) —

Osteoporosis\*

Injections determany patients from using PTH, contributing to a treatment gap in high-risk patients. An oral formulation of PTH with adequate bioavailability, similar safety and effects on BMD may address this unmet clinical need

Percent of Patients with low BMD Category BMD		Initial Typical Treatment		
Lon Binb Gatogory	Internists	Endocrinologists	Recommendation	
Osteopenia	55%	27%	Vitamin D and Calcium Supplements	HCPs indicated most of their
High Risk Osteoporosis (T-scores between -2.5 and -3.0 without a history of fractures)	35%	43%	Bisphosphonates; limited Anabolic penetration	osteoporosis patients are: Post-menopausa women (~70%)
Very High Risk Osteoporosis ( $T$ -scores $\leq$ -3.0 or $\leq$ -2.5 with prior fragility fractures)	10%	23%	Bisphosphonates / Anabolic therapies	(~15%)

Source: Triangle Insights Primary Research Apr. 2022;, Low BMD Category based on AACE guidelines (Camacho 2020, Endo Practice)

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# Anabolic Treated Patients Comprise Less Than 10% of Currently Treated Osteoporosis Patients

#### Estimated Treated Population by Class of Osteoporosis Medication

2%

IQVIA-

Based

Bisphosphonates

Rank-Ligand Inhibitor (Prolia)

55%

36%

#### Population Treated by Class of Osteoporosis Medication (2021)

#### Share of Osteoporosis Treated Population by Medication Class

HCP-

Based

6%

SERMs (Evista)

Anabolics

54%

32%

	IQVIA-Based	HCP Primary- Based			
Total Osteoporosis Treated Population	~3.16M	~3.23M			
Bisphosphonate Patients	~1.74M (~55%)	~1.74M (~54%)			
SERMs Patients	~206K (~7%)	~206K (~6%)			
Rank-Ligand Inhibitor Patients	~1.14M (~36%)	~1.02M (~32%)			
Anabolic Patients	~65K (~2%)	~260K (~8%)			

Bisphosphonates include Fosamax®, Boniva®, Atelvia®, Reclast®, and generic versions of listed products;

SERMs include Evista® and generic raloxifene;

Rank-Ligand Inhibitors include Prolia®:

Anabolics include Evenity®, Forteo®, generic teriparatide, and Tymlos®

Source: IQVIA prescription data (note the capture rate of IQVIA may be low due to injectable administration of anabolic drugs on the market); TIG Primary Research Apr. 2022

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## EB613 Poised To Create A Paradigm Shift In The Treatment of Osteoporosis As The First Oral Anabolic Therapy

Key Product Needs	Forteo® (Lilly)	Tymlos® (Radius)	Evenity® (Amgen)	Prolia® (Amgen)	Bisphosphonates (generics)	Entera EB613
Treats Osteoporosis	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rebuilds Bone	0	0	0			<b>S</b>
Oral Dosing					0	<b>S</b>
No Refrigeration		0			0	<b>S</b>
Self-Administered	0	0			<b>⊘</b> *	Ø

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<u>Bisphosphonates</u> (oral daily pills) are the most common treatment of post-menopausal osteoporosis – orally administered and inexpensive, but many patients progress and have low tolerance

There have been no new oral drugs in <a>>10 years</a>

<u>Current Anabolic drugs</u>, including PTH (1-34) (teriparatide) injections - Forteo® or Generics, Tymlos® and Evenity® increase the rate of bone formation but require daily or monthly injections

EB613 is positioned as the first potential oral anabolic PTH treatment for osteoporosis

Source: Triangle Insights Primary Research Apr. 2022 \*Zoledronic acid is administered by intravenous administration

## EB613 Phase 2 Results

A Six-Month Study of Oral PTH in Postmenopausal Women with Low Bone Mass – 6 Month Bone Mineral Density (BMD) Results



## EB613 Phase 2 Clinical Trial Design

- 6-Month, Randomized Dose-Ranging Placebo-Controlled Study
- Conducted at 4 sites in Israel between June 2019 and May 2021; Final enrollment =161

	Screening			Treatment*		Endpoints			
	Key inclusion criteria		0 (target)	Arm 1: Placebotablets QD		Primary – at 3 months			
	<ul> <li>50+ years old and 3+ years post menopause</li> </ul>			o (tar	o (tar	o (tar	Arn (tar	Arm 2: 0.5 mg *	
	Low bone mass		N=1	Arm 3: 1.0 mg *		Secondary – at 6 months			
	Key exclusion criteria     Osteoporosis treatment	nt a		Arm 4: 1.5 mg QD		BMD change from baseline at 6 months			
	<ul> <li>within last 2 years</li> <li>Known medical</li> </ul>	,	Randomiza	Arm 5: 2.5 mg QD * **		<ul> <li>P1NP, Osteocalcin, Bone Alkaline Phosphatase</li> </ul>			
	predisposition			Arm 6: 2.5mg titrated QD **		Serum CTX, Urine NTX/Creatinine			
	<ul> <li>Severe osteoporosis that precludes placebo</li> </ul>		_			• Plasma hPTH (1-34) at T <sub>15 min</sub>			
	a	3 M Pa	artial	** & Final interim analysis of primary end	dpoi	int			
	Dat	6M Fi	inal a	analysis / Topline data – All endpoints					
* Following an interim analysis, a 2.5mg arm was added and recruitment to the 0.5mg & 1.0 mg arms was stopped ** Following AEs typical of orthostasis additional subjects in the 2.5mg group received 1.5mg for 1 month, 2.0mg for the next month and 2.5mg during months 3 to 6 (Titrated).									

## EB613 Predictive Profile Of Bone Biomarkers and Significant Dose-Dependent Increases in BMD

2.5mg selected as Phase 3 dose – sustained "anabolic window" from Month 3 to Month 6 in patients treated with EB613. A significant dose response of 0.5, 1.0, 1.5 and 2.5 mg doses on Month 1 P1NP and Osteocalcin (*P<0.0001*). Serum CTX decreased 21% from baseline at Month 6 (p<0.01) while P1NP was unchanged



Presented at Late Breaker LB-1116 and Poster FRI-237- ASBMR 2021

Oral PTH produced a statistically significant Dose Response in Lumbar Spine BMD (p<0.0001)



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## EB613 Positively Impacts Lumbar Spine, Femoral Neck and Total Hip BMD at 6 Months, With Excellent Statistical Significance



Notes: 1. Cosman, et al. Current Osteoporosis Reports (2021) 19:189-205; 2. Leder BZ et.al. JCEM (2015) (historical data from Abaloparatide vs. Forteo)

## EB613: 6 Month Placebo Adjusted BMD by Site at 2.5mg Dose



## At 6 months of treatment with 2.5mg EB613:

The increase in spine BMD was similar in magnitude to that previously reported with SC injection Forteo®

Increases in total hip and femoral neck BMD were greater than those previously reported with SC injection Forteo®

Historical data (Leder BZ et.al. JCEM 2015)

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## EB613 Phase 2 Adverse Event Profile

Adverse event profile similar to that observed with Forteo®, and typical of orthostatic hypotension

EB613 not associated with serum calcium increases or hypercalcemia adverse events

Greater than 90% of subjects tolerated the 2.5 mg dose well, after titration (1.5mg for 1 month, 2.0mg for the next month and 2.5mg during months 3 to 6)

AEs commonly attributed to vasodilatation with subcutaneous injectable PTH were observed - headache, nausea, presyncope and dizziness There were no serious drug-related AEs

Subject disposition	Pla (N:	cebo =43)	EBP05 0.5 (N:	mg orally QD =25)	EBP05 1 mg orally QD (N=29)		EBP05 1 mg orally QD EBP05 1.5 mg orally Q (N=29) (N=28)		EBP05 1.5 mg orally QD (N=28)		EBP05 2.5 mg orally QD (N=19)		EBP05 2.5 mg titrated orally QD (N=17)	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%		
Randomized	43	100	25	100	29	100	28	100	19	100	17	100		
Discontinued Before Month 3	3	7	3	12	2	6.9	4	14.3	7	36.8	1	5.9		
Discontinued from Study Before Month 6	5	11.6	3	12	3	10.3	6	21.4	9	47.4	1	5.9		

## EB613 Proposed Phase 3 Clinical Trial Design

- A Global Phase 3, 18-Month, Placebo-Controlled Study (2:1), with a 6-Month Alendronate Extension
- Designed to address FDA suggestion Placebo-Controlled study, BMD endpoint (ASBMR-FNIH Criteria)

Screening		18 M Treatment	6M Extension	Endpoints
<ul> <li>Key inclusion criteria</li> <li>50+ yrs old and 5+ yrs</li> </ul>	rget)	Titration to 2.5mg Dose	te	Primary – Fracture risk reduction based on total hip BMD STEs
<ul><li>post menopause</li><li>BMD: T-score -2.5 to -3.0</li></ul>	=600 (ta	Arm 1:	ndrona ))	<ul> <li>FNIH, fracture specific surrogate thresholds using Total Hip BMD at 18 months</li> </ul>
Key exclusion criteria     Osteoporosis treatment	ation N	EBP05 2.5mg (N=400)	oel Ale (N=600	Secondary –
<ul> <li>w/in last 2 yrs</li> <li>Known medical predisposition</li> <li>Severe osteoporosis that precludes placebo</li> </ul>	2:1 Randomize	Arm 2: Placebo tablets (N=200)	Open lat	<ul> <li>BMD changes from baseline</li> <li>Bone turnover Biomarkers</li> <li>Exploratory -</li> <li>24 month BMD changes</li> <li>Bone turnover Biomarkers</li> </ul>
18 M Final an	nalysis / Top	line data – Primary & Secondary endpoints	and a sinte	
	ауыз / төр	inie data – Exploratory Post Extension period	renupoints	

## ASBMR-FNIH BMD Regulatory Endpoint Backgrounder

- Message from the president of the ASBMR on June 23<sup>rd</sup> 2022: The FDA Biomarkers Qualification Program accepted the ASBMR-Foundation for the National Institutes of Health (FNIH) Strategy to Advance BMD as a Regulatory Endpoint (SABRE) project team's Qualification Plan to use the treatment-related change in bone mineral density (BMD) as a surrogate endpoint for fractures in future trials of new anti-osteoporosis drugs
- The FNIH collected data from over 50 randomized trials and individual data from over 170,000 patients
- The FNIH conducted a meta-regression of 38 placebo-controlled trials of 19 therapeutic agents<sup>1</sup> and a meta-regression analyses of 91,779 individual patient data from 23 randomized placebo-controlled trials<sup>2</sup>
- The FNIH concluded that total hip (TH) BMD, as opposed to lumbar spine and femoral neck BMD, was found to be the best predictor of fracture risk reduction, at all sites (vertebral, non-vertebral and hip)
- FNIH's submission of the Full Qualification Package, for final approval by the FDA, is expected by the end of the year<sup>3</sup>





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Bouxsein et, al. Journal of Bone and Mineral Research, Vol. 33, 2018, pp 1–11
 Black et, al. Lancet Diabetes Endocrinol 2020; 8: 672–82
 FNIH, June 1, 2022 press release <u>https://fnih.org/news/announcements/fda-approves-biomarkers-qualification-plan-first-surrogate-endpoint-anti</u>

## EB613 Phase 3 Clinical Trial Design Background – ASBMR-FNIH STEs

The primary endpoint proposed for EB613 Phase 3 is based on the ASBMR- FNIH's Surrogate Threshold Effect (STE) using Total Hip (TH) BMD as the predictor of significant fracture reduction for all different fracture types.

Placebo adjusted TH BMD STEs:

- 1.42% vertebral fractures
- 1.83% all fractures
- 2.13% nonvertebral fractures
- · 3.18% hip fractures

Entera's proposed Phase 3 study will evaluate the % change in BMD of EB613 measured at the hip vs. placebo

This change will be tested to see which STEs are surpassed. Beginning with vertebral followed by all fractures and nonvertebral fractures.

Eastell et. al. Journal of Bone and Mineral Research, 2021, pp 1-7



Fig 1. Relationship between difference in the change in total hip BMD between active and placebo groups at 24 months and the hazard or odds ratio of all, vertebral, hip and nonvertebral fractures. The red horizontal line is the ratio of 1 (no treatment effect) and the STE is the point where the upper 95% prediction limits intersects this line; eg, 1.83% for the all fracture outcome. The class of drugs is indicated in the legend. For each trial, the point estimates and 95% confidence intervals for relative risks are given and the numbers 1–16 relate to the studies listed in Table 1.

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## **EB613 Positioning**

- EB613, as a first in class oral PTH treatment, may potentially offer a viable anabolic (bone formation) therapeutic
  option to lower the risk of fracture for high risk (based on low BMD score or prior fracture history) osteoporotic
  patients
- PTH receptor activation is a mechanistically validated and key target in the treatment of osteoporosis (Forteo<sup>®</sup> and Tymlos<sup>®</sup>)
- Based on third party research, many high-risk patients (approximately 35-40% of the estimated 3.2 million treated patients in the US) are reluctant to take daily injections and only turn to currently injectable anabolic drugs when their disease becomes very severe (with multiple fractures)
- EB613 Phase 3 design is in accordance with End of Phase 2 suggestion by FDA to explore a placebo-controlled study using the ASBMR-FNIH BMD Biomarker Tool
  - 18 month double blind placebo-controlled treatment phase followed by 6-month transition to alendronate adheres to a real-world treatment paradigm and ensures all patients will receive active treatment
- Based on recent third-party market research, healthcare providers would support the use of anabolics earlier in the treatment paradigm yet hampered to date due to difficulty of administration (injectables) and price



## Hypoparathyroism: PTH Orphan Indication with Sub-Par Clinical Care

Hypoparathyroidism Overview	Unmet Need and Market Opportunity
Hypoparathyroidism (HypoPT) is a rare condition in which the parathyroid glands fail to produce sufficient levels of	<ul> <li>How many people are affected by HypoPT?</li> <li>Approximately 200K afflicted with hypoparathyroidism in the</li> </ul>
	US, EU and Japan
regulating the levels of calcium and phosphorus in the blood and	What is the market opportunity in HypoPT?
determining bone growth and bone cell activity	Current standard of care creates long term co-morbidities
HypoPT is characterized by hypocalcemia and hyperphosphatemia	<ul> <li>Natpara<sup>®</sup> (parathyroid hormone) injection was approved in 2015 and was withdrawn from US market in September</li> </ul>
linical management includes frequent high doses of calcium	2019; Natpara® had sales of \$230m in 2018, its 3rd full year
ctivated Vitamin D which are associated with severe long- morbidities:	of sales, before it was recalled. The recall was not connected to the safety or efficacy of parathyroid hormone

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 TransCon PTH, an investigational once-daily long-acting prodrug of parathyroid hormone (PTH(1-34)) U.S. FDA regulatory submission on track for Q3 and EU MAA for Q4 2022, according to Ascendis

Cardiovascular Heart failure,

Neurologic Cognitive impairment,

blood vessel calcification

basal ganglia calcification

References: https://varediseases.om/rare-diseases/hypoparathyroidism https://www.takeda.com/en-us/newsroom/news-releases/2019/takeda-issues-us-recall-of-natpara-parathyroid-hormone-for-injection-due-to-the-potential-for-rubber-particulate/ TransCon<sup>\*\*\*</sup> PTH Top-Line Phase 3 Data from PaTHwav (ascendispharma.com)

Renal Kidney stones,

Skeletal Reduced bone turnover

renal failure

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# EB612: First Oral PTH (1-34) Tablets for Hypoparathyroidism, Summary of PK and Pilot Phase 2 Data

Study Design	Results	
Phase 2a, open-label, multicenter pilot study to evaluate the safety, tolerability and PK (NCT02152228) Population: N=19 with hypoPT≥1 year, taking ≥1gr/day Ca and 25(OH)D 20ng/ml Treatment: first 3 doses of PTH (1-34) 0.75 mg/dose administered at research center; subjects then self administered 4 times/day	Efficacy: 42% reduction (p=0.001) from baseline in median calcium supplement use Maintenance of median Ca levels above the lower target level for Hypoparathyroidism patients (>7.5 mg/dL) throughout the study Rapid decline of 23% (p=0.0003) in median serum phosphate levels 2 hours following the first dose that was maintained for the duration of the study Safety: One subject experienced 4 AEs and left the study after the first day (withdrew consent), another subject experienced an SAE prior to the administration of the first dose and, hence, unrelated to the study	Oral Calcium Intake Per Protocol Analysis (N=15)
Phase 2, open-label, 2-period partial crossover study to evaluate the PK and PD (NC T03516773)	Efficacy: Oral hPTH (1-34) 2.25 mg QID for one day is associated with an increase in serum albumin-corrected calcium and 1,25(OH)2D and a decrease in serum phosphate	Improved/ Decreased Urinary Ca Excretion Over a 24-Hour Period
Population: N=16 with hypoPT ≥1 year, taking supplemental Ca and either alfacalcidol or calcitriol	The magnitude of these changes are comparable to Natpara <sup>®</sup> 100 $\mu$ g QD Two, thee and four doses/day regimens showed a dose-dependent increase in 1,25(OH)2D, indicating that the long-term treatment even with the less	259
<b>Treatment:</b> two doses (0.75 and 2.25) and three regimens of Oral hPTH (1-34) and Natpara <sup>®</sup> [hPTH(1-84)] 100 μg SC injection QD	frequent regimens may be an effective treatment option Safety: There were no treatment emergent adverse events of hypercalcemia reported and no treatment-emergent Serious Adverse Events	B 100 - 50 - 0

## **EB612** Positioning

- EB613 is potentially the first oral PTH (1-34) treatment of hypoparathyroidism
- Hypoparathyroidism (HypoPT) is a rare condition in which the parathyroid glands fail to produce sufficient levels of Parathyroid hormone (PTH)
- Pilot Phase 2 oral presentation (ASBMR 2015) and peer-reviewed publication in JBMR (March 2021)
  - 42% reduction (p=0.001) from baseline in median calcium supplement use
  - Maintenance of median Ca levels above the lower target level for Hypoparathyroidism patients (>7.5 mg/dL) throughout the study
  - Rapid decline of 23% (p=0.0003) in median serum phosphate levels 2 hours following the first dose that was maintained for the duration of the study
  - 80% of the subjects had a decrease in urinary calcium levels by the end of the study
- Phase 2 PK-PD study versus Natpara® presented (ASBMR 2019)
- Novel formulation leverages Entera's 2<sup>nd</sup> generation peptide delivery platform (PK study expected in H1'2023)

## **Key Short-Term Catalysts**







### EB613 Phase 3 Clinical Trial Design - FNIH

June 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2022 message from the president of the ASBMR (American Society for Bone and Mineral research) Dr. Ebeling reported on the FNIH progress and support from the ASBMR<sup>1</sup>.

"Dear Colleagues:

I am very happy to announce that the US Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Biomarkers Qualification Program recently accepted the ASBMR-Foundation for the National Institutes of Health (FNIH) Strategy to Advance BMD as a Regulatory Endpoint (SABRE) project team's Qualification Plan to use the treatment-related change in bone mineral density (BMD) as a surrogate endpoint for fractures in future trials of new anti-osteoporosis drugs.

Indeed, this is the first qualification plan accepted by the FDA for a surrogate endpoint under the 21st Century Cures Act, a remarkable achievement for the Project Team. This team, including ASBMR members Dennis Black, Mary Bouxsein and Richard Eastell, now plans to submit a Full Qualification Package based on this approved plan for final approval by the FDA before the end of this year.

The ASBMR is proud to financially support this critical initiative. Achieving FDA approval to utilize BMD as a surrogate endpoint in future osteoporosis drug development trials could provide patients with more options to fight a disease that leads to debilitating fractures that cause disability, loss of independence and even death. It is also likely to attract more researchers to the musculoskeletal field, enabling a new horizon of discoveries to help our patients."

1. https://www.asbmr.org/about/council/presidents-corner-detail/message-from-asbmr-president-peter-ebeling-ao-frac-7

### EB613 Phase 3 Clinical Trial Design Background - FNIH

- The Foundation for National Institutes of Health (FNIH) Bone Quality Project (BQP), supported by the FDA and other public, private and academic partners has been evaluating the potential use of existing biomarkers such as BMD to enable the development of anti osteoporosis drugs since 2013.<sup>1</sup>
- The FNIH-BQP has been working closely with the FDA to ensure alignment with the FDA's requirements and expectations as evident from extensive correspondence between the FNIH and FDA.<sup>2</sup>

FDA responded to the proposed use of percentage change in BMD in our original Letter of Intent in 2016, stating that "Percentage change in DXA BMD should be the most appropriate measure as this metric would not be affected by the DXA machine type or normative database used. However, there may be a threshold of percent change in BMD, above which we are comfortable with stating fracture risk reduction has been demonstrated."

Aug. 2018 FNIH Status update to the FDA<sup>3</sup>

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Dear Dr. Kamphaus:	
We are issuing this Trar Health on your proposed (CDER) Biomarker Qui summary submission of changes in dual-energy and non-vertebral fractu osteoporosis drug treatn	sition Summary Response Letter to the Foundation for the National Institutes of qualification project submitted to the Center for Drug Evaluation and Research lification Program (BQP). We have completed our review of your transition August 9, 2018. We support and encourage your ongoing study of the use of 'Aray absorptionentry (DXA) bone mineral density scans in subjects at risk of hip res as a quantitative response biomarker in investigational studies of anti- ents.

1. https://fnih.org/our-programs/biomarkers-consortium/programs/bone-quality-project 2. https://fda.force.com/ddt/s/ddt-project/2ddtproject/2ddtproject/de97 3. file:///C/Users/HLLEL-THINK/Downloads/265-FNH-Legacy-project-transition-to-507-process\_1.pdf

## Entera Proprietary Oral Delivery Platform: Key Advantages and Validation



Reduced Pharmacokinetic Variability

✓ Versality Across Molecular Weight and Target Profile

- Advantageous Stability versus Injectables
- Controlled Onset of Action, Minutes to Hours
- ✓ Simple Production Process Preserving API activity
- ✓ IP Protection across existing and next generation of our platform



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