

Hepatitis B Medications

Tenofovir DF (*Viread*)

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Tenofovir DF (TDF)

Summary of Key Studies

- Phase 3 Trials
 - Study 102: TDF versus Adefovir in HBeAg-Negative
 - Study 103: TDF versus Adefovir in HBeAg-Positive
 - Study 108: TDF versus TAF in HBeAg-Negative
 - Study 110: TDF versus TAF in HBeAg-Positive

Tenofovir DF versus Adefovir in Chronic HBV

*Study 102: HBeAg-Negative

*Published in tandem with Study 103

Tenofovir DF versus Adefovir

HBeAg-NEGATIVE Participants: Study 102 Design

102: Study Design

- **Background:** Randomized, double-blind, controlled, phase 3 study to compare tenofovir DF versus adefovir for the treatment of HBeAg-negative adults with chronic HBV
- **Key Inclusion Criteria**
 - Age 18-69 years
 - HBeAg-negative
 - ALT 1-10 x ULN
 - HBV DNA >100,000 copies/mL
 - CrCl \geq 70 mL/min
 - Knodell necroinflammation score \geq 3
 - Compensated liver disease

2x

***Tenofovir DF: 300 mg/day**
(n = 250)

1x

Adefovir: 10 mg/day
(n = 125)

*Stratified by 1:1 by prior lamivudine or emtricitabine exposure (<12 weeks versus \geq 12 weeks)

Tenofovir DF versus Adefovir

Study 102: HBeAg-Negative Participants

Baseline Characteristic	Tenofovir DF (n = 250)	Adefovir (n = 125)
Age, mean (\pm SD), years	44 \pm 10.6	43 \pm 10.0
Male, no. (%)	193 (77)	97 (78)
Race, no. (%)		
White	161 (64)	81 (65)
Asian	63 (25)	30 (24)
Black	8 (3)	4 (3)
Other	18 (7)	10 (8)
Knodell inflammatory score, mean (\pm SD)	7.8 \pm 2.44	7.9 \pm 2.18
Knodell fibrosis score, mean (\pm SD)	2.3 \pm 1.21	2.4 \pm 1.23
Mean HBV DNA, log ₁₀ IU/mL (\pm SD)	6.86 \pm 1.31	6.98 \pm 1.27
Prior treatment with lamivudine or emtricitabine, no. (%)	43 (17)	23 (18)

Tenofovir DF versus Adefovir

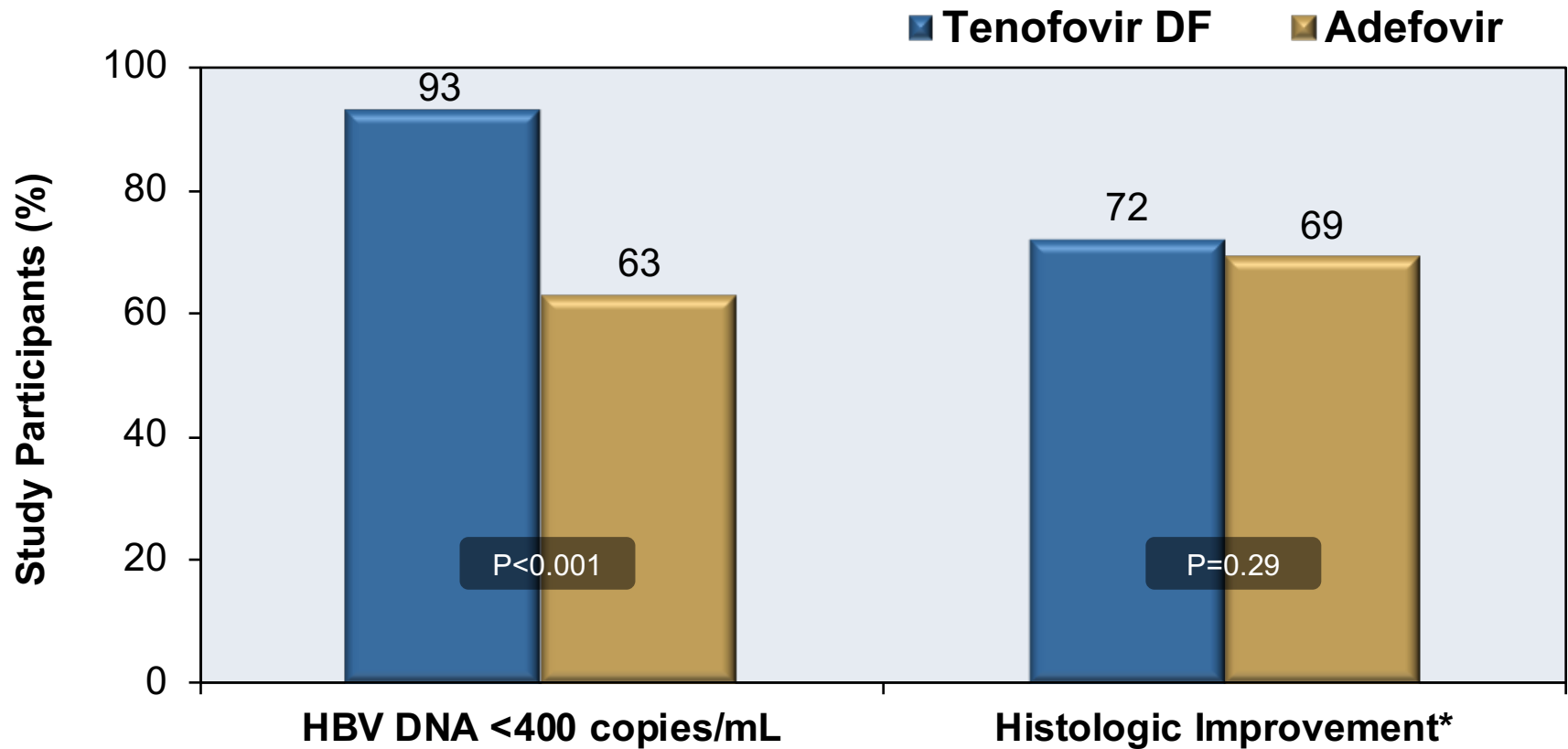
Study 102: HBeAg-Negative

Baseline Characteristic	Tenofovir DF (n = 250)	Adefovir (n = 125)
Alanine aminotransferase, no. (%)		
<2 x upper limit of normal	95 (38)	38 (30)
2 to <5 x upper limit of normal	117 (47)	54 (43)
≥5 x upper limit of normal	38 (15)	33 (26)
Previous treatment with interferon, no. (%)	42 (17)	23 (18)
HBV genotype, no. (%)		
A	28 (12)	14 (11)
B	22 (9)	17 (14)
C	29 (12)	12 (10)
D	156 (64)	79 (63)
E, F, G, H	8 (3)	3 (2)
Other or unknown	7 (3)	0

Tenofovir DF versus Adefovir

Study 102: HBeAg-Negative Participants

HBeAg-Negative Participants: Week 48 Treatment Response



*Reduction of ≥ 2 points in the Knodell necroinflammatory score without an increase in fibrosis

Safety and Adverse Events

Study 102 (HBeAg-Negative) & 103 (HBeAg-Positive)

Conclusions: “Among patients with chronic HBV infection, tenofovir DF at a daily dose of 300 mg had superior antiviral efficacy with a similar safety profile as compared with adefovir dipivoxil at a daily dose of 10 mg through week 48.”

Tenofovir DF versus Adefovir in Chronic HBV Study 103: HBeAg-Positive

*Published in tandem with Study 102

Tenofovir DF versus Adefovir

HBeAg-POSITIVE Participants: Study 103 Design

103: Study Design

- **Background:** Randomized, double-blind, controlled, phase 3 study to compare tenofovir DF versus adefovir for the treatment of HBeAg-positive adults with chronic HBV
- **Key Inclusion Criteria**
 - Age 18-69 years
 - HBeAg-positive (≥ 6 months)
 - ALT 2-10 x upper limit of normal
 - HBV DNA > 1 million copies/mL
 - CrCl ≥ 70 mL/min
 - Knodell necroinflammation score ≥ 3
 - Compensated liver disease

2x

***Tenofovir DF: 300 mg/day**
(n = 176)

1x

Adefovir: 10 mg/day
(n = 90)

*Stratified by 1:1 by ALT elevation
($< 4X$ ULN versus $\geq 4X$ ULN)

Tenofovir DF versus Adefovir

Study 103: HBeAg-Positive

Baseline Characteristic	Tenofovir DF (n = 176)	Adefovir (n = 90)
Age, mean (\pm SD), years	34 \pm 11	34 \pm 12
Male, no. (%)	119 (68)	64 (71)
Race, no. (%)		
White	92 (52)	46 (51)
Asian	64 (36)	32 (36)
Black	13 (7)	5 (6)
Other	7 (4)	7 (8)
Knodell inflammatory score, mean (\pm SD)	8.3 \pm 2.14	8.3 \pm 2.27
Knodell fibrosis score, mean (\pm SD)	2.3 \pm 1.23	2.4 \pm 1.19
Mean HBV DNA, log ₁₀ IU/mL (\pm SD)	8.64 \pm 1.076	8.88 \pm 0.930
Prior treatment with lamivudine or emtricitabine, no. (%)	8 (5)	1 (1)

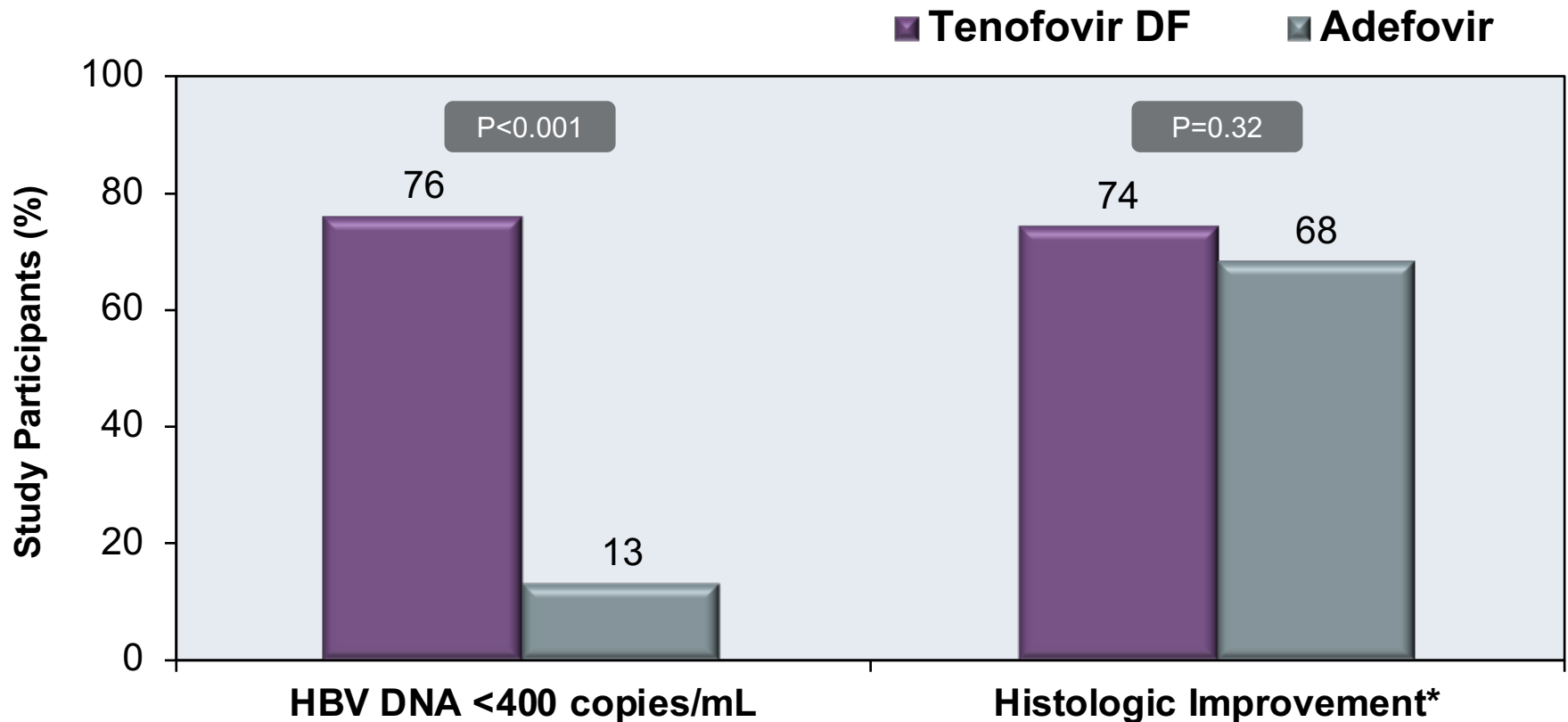
Tenofovir DF versus Adefovir

Study 103: HBeAg-Positive

Baseline Characteristic	Tenofovir (n = 176)	Adefovir (n = 90)
Alanine aminotransferase, no. (%)		
<2 x upper limit of normal	39 (22)	16 (18)
2 to <5 x upper limit of normal	105 (60)	55 (61)
≥5 x upper limit of normal	32 (18)	19 (21)
Previous treatment with interferon, no. (%)	30 (17)	13 (14)
HBV genotype, no. (%)		
A	41 (24)	18 (20)
B	25 (14)	10 (11)
C	43 (25)	26 (30)
D	55 (32)	31 (35)
E, F, G, H	9 (5)	3 (3)
Other or unknown	3 (2)	2 (2)

Tenofovir DF versus Adefovir Study 103: HBeAg-Positive Results

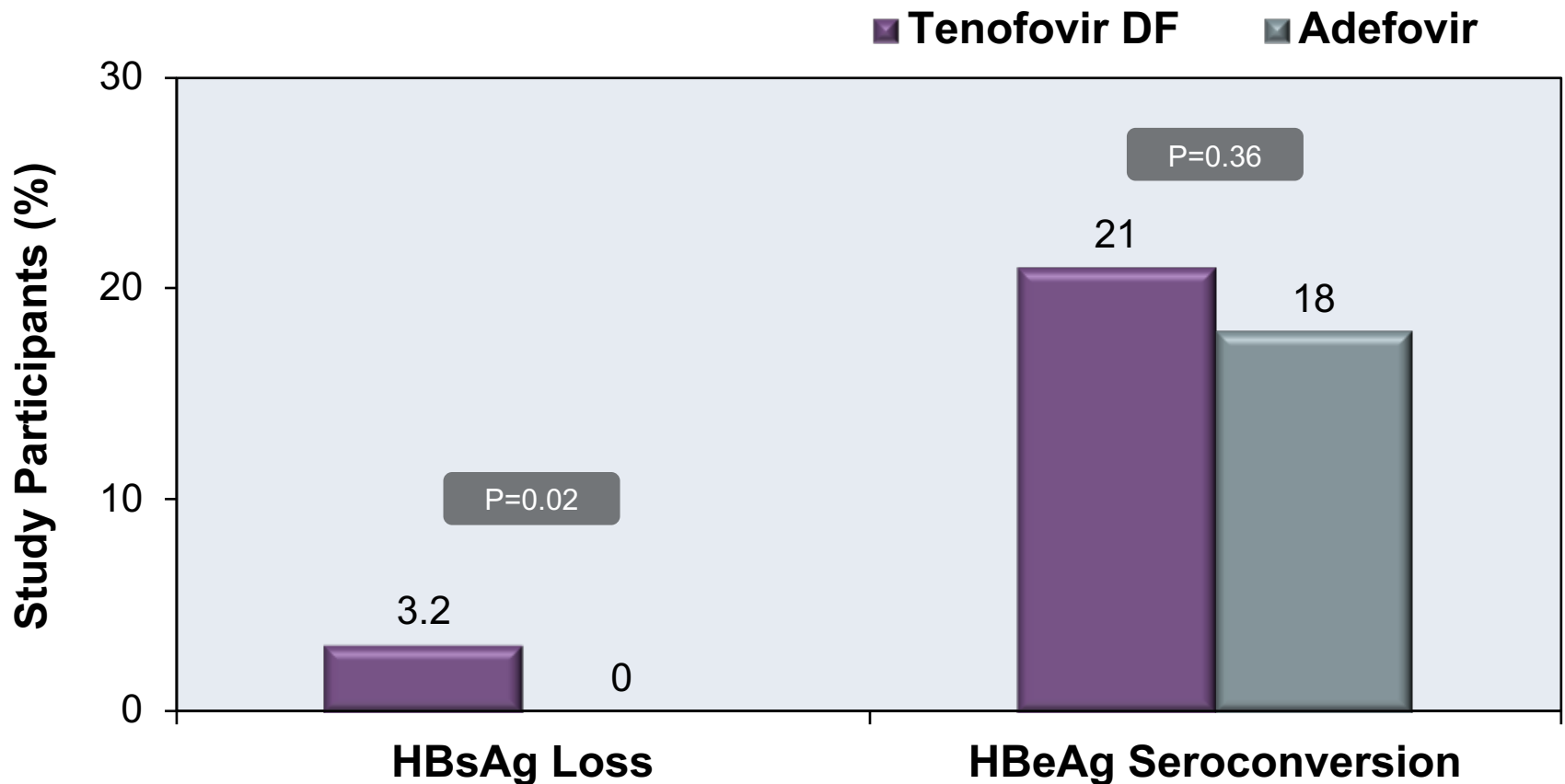
HBeAg-Positive Participants: Week 48 Treatment Response



*Reduction of ≥ 2 points in the Knodell necroinflammatory score without an increase in fibrosis

Tenofovir DF versus Adefovir Study 103 Serologic Responses

HBeAg-Positive Participants: Week 48 Treatment Response



Safety and Adverse Events

Study 102 (HBeAg-Negative) & 103 (HBeAg-Positive)

Conclusions: “Among patients with chronic HBV infection, tenofovir DF at a daily dose of 300 mg had superior antiviral efficacy with a similar safety profile as compared with adefovir dipivoxil at a daily dose of 10 mg through week 48.”

Tenofovir DF versus Adefovir in Chronic HBV Study 102 and 103: Combined Data Analysis

*Published in tandem with Study 102

Tenofovir DF versus Adefovir

Study Design: 102 and 103

- **Background**

- Two phase 3, randomized double-blind controlled trials
- 106 center sites: Europe (60), Asian-Pacific (15), N. America (31)

- **Subjects**

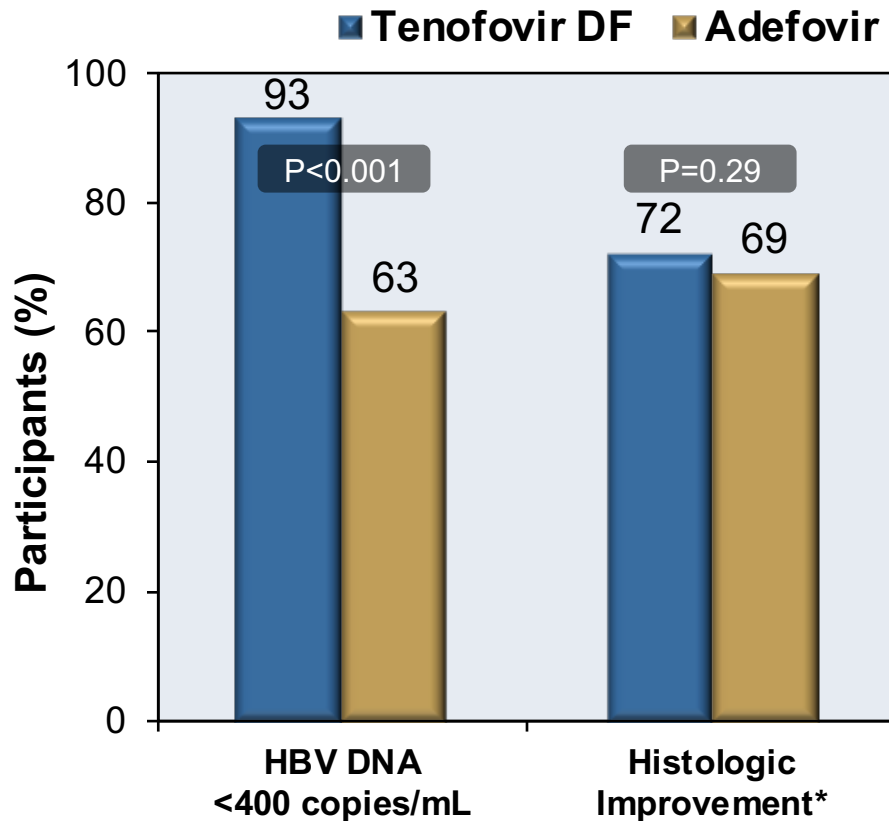
- Study 102: Chronic HBeAg-negative with ALT >1 and $<10x$ ULN
- Study 103: Chronic HBeAg-positive with ALT >2 and $<10x$ ULN
- Exclusions: decompensated liver disease; HIV, HCV, or delta infection; HCC; CrCl <70 mL/min, Hgb <8 mg/dL, or ANC $<1,000/mm^3$

- **End-Points**

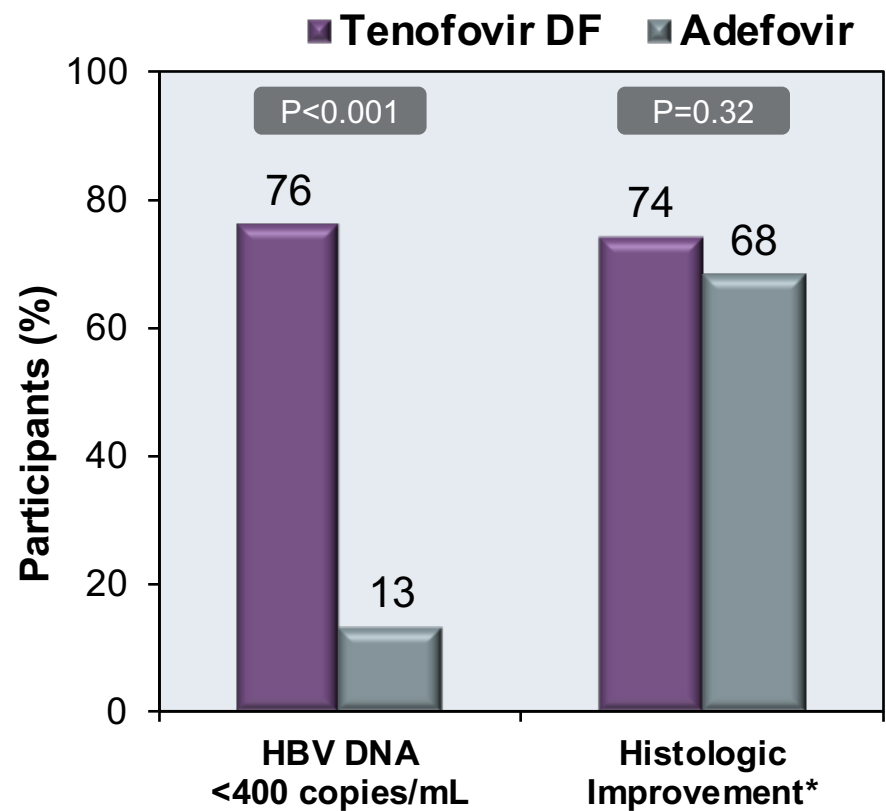
- Primary: HBV DNA to <400 copies/mL & histologic improvement (≥ 2 point drop in Knodell score without increased fibrosis)
- Secondary: HBV DNA and ALT levels over time, HBeAg and HBsAg loss and seroconversion

Tenofovir DF versus Adefovir Study 102 and 103: 48 Week Treatment Response

Study 102: HBeAg-Negative Patients



Study 103: HBeAg-Positive Patients

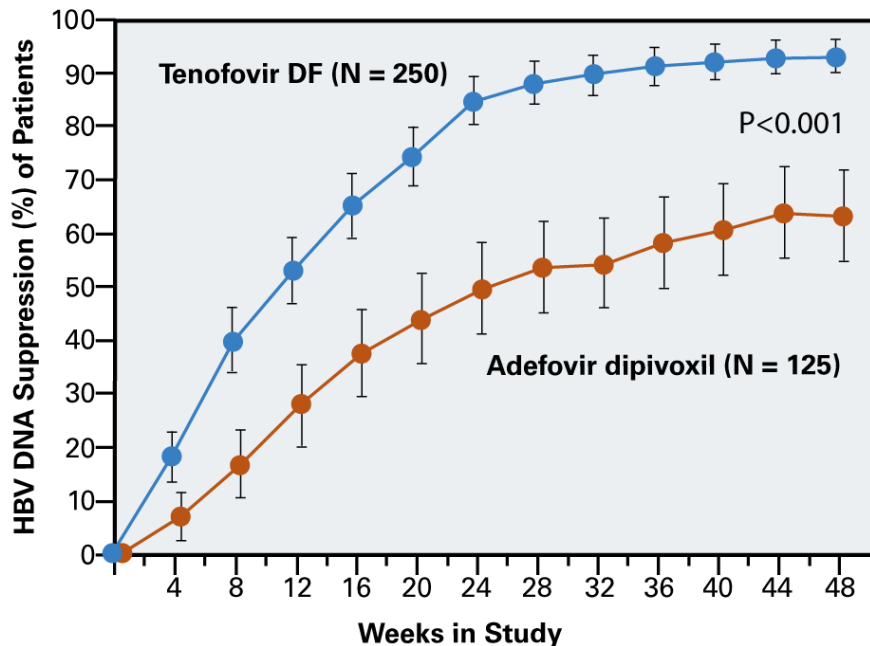


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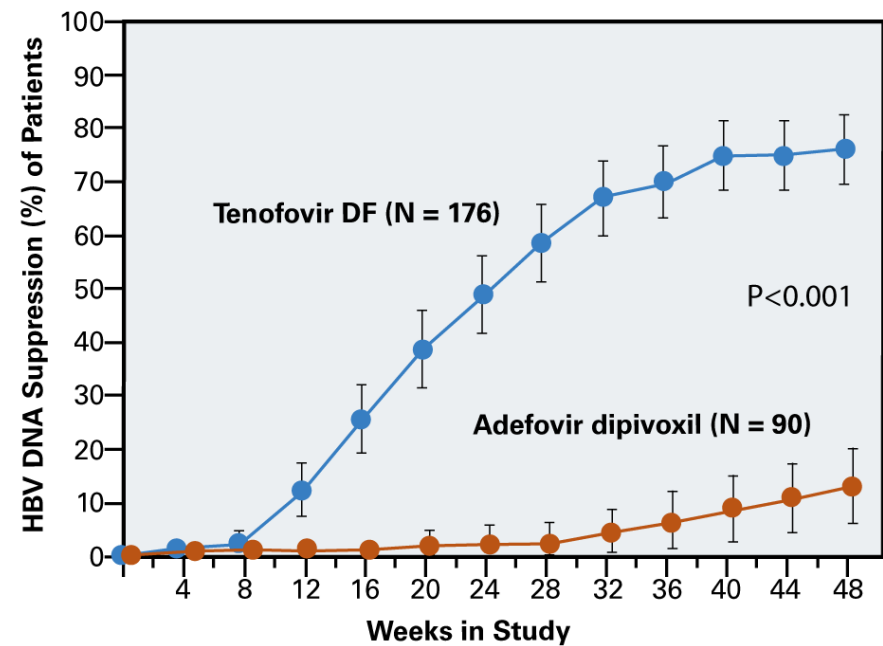
Tenofovir DF in Patients with Chronic HBV

Study 102 and 103: 48 Week Treatment Response

Study 102: HBeAg-Negative Patients

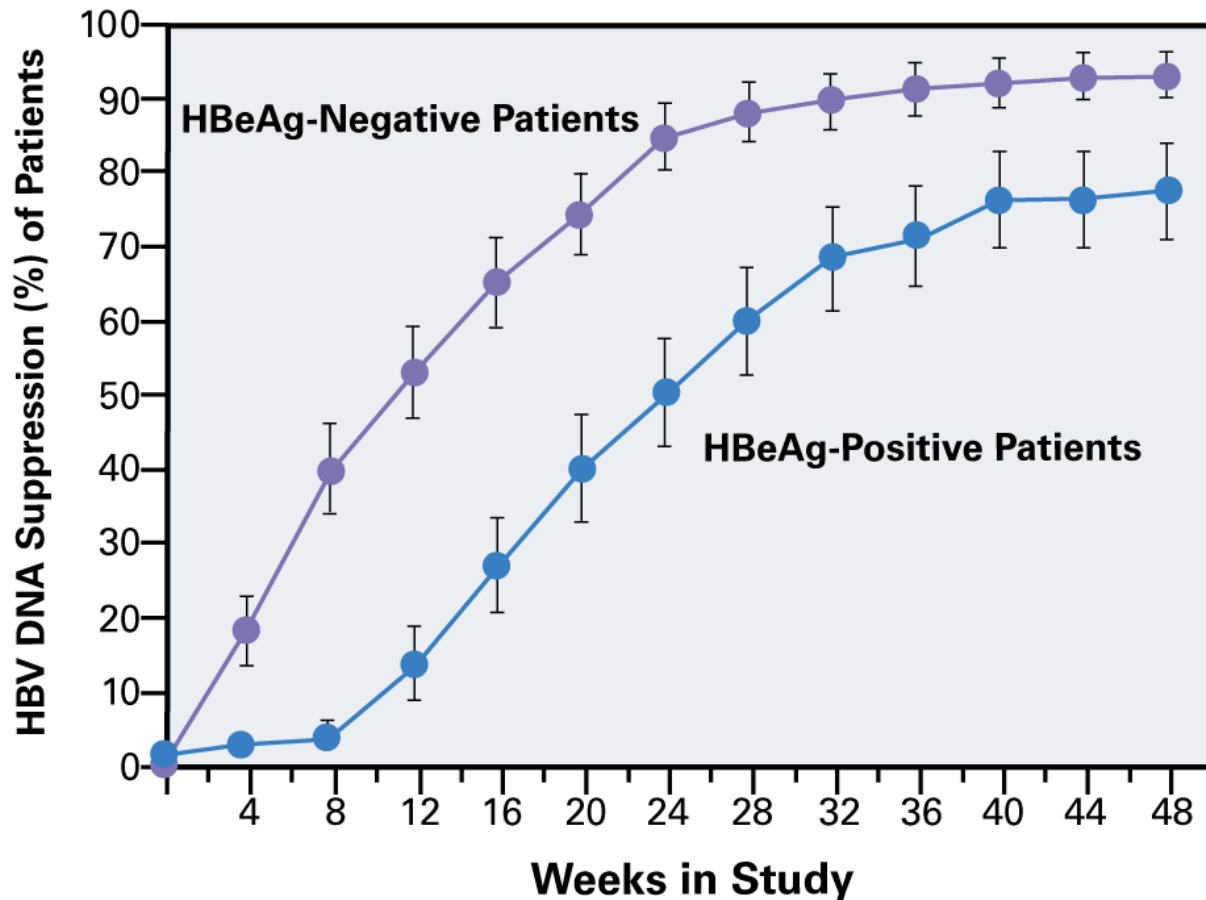


Study 103: HBeAg-Positive Patients



*HBV DNA suppression defined as <400 copies/mL

Tenofovir DF in Patients with Chronic HBV Combined Data from Studies 102 and 103



*HBV DNA suppression defined as <400 copies/mL

Safety and Adverse Events

Study 102 and 103: HBeAg-Negative and HBeAg-Positive

Baseline Characteristic	Tenofovir DF (n = 426)	Adefovir (n = 215)
Any adverse event $\geq 10\%$, no. (%)		
Headache	39 (22)	16 (18)
Nasopharyngitis	105 (60)	55 (61)
Nausea	32 (18)	19 (21)
Serious adverse event, no. (%)	27 (6)	14 (7)
Adverse event leading to discontinuation, no. (%)	5 (1)	3 (1)
Lab abnormalities, no. (%)		
Grade 3 ALT (>5 - $10\times$ ULN) and $2\times$ baseline	13 (3)	2 (1)
Grade 4 ALT ($>10\times$ ULN) and $2\times$ baseline	11 (3)	4 (2)
Confirmed serum Cr increase ≥ 0.5 mg/dL	0	1 (<1)
Confirmed creatinine clearance <50 mL/min	0	0
UNL = upper limit of normal		

Safety and Adverse Events

Study 102 (HBeAg-Negative) & 103 (HBeAg-Positive)

Conclusions: “Among patients with chronic HBV infection, tenofovir DF at a daily dose of 300 mg had superior antiviral efficacy with a similar safety profile as compared with adefovir dipivoxil at a daily dose of 10 mg through week 48.”

Impact of Tenofovir DF on Fibrosis and Cirrhosis Studies 102 and 103: 5-Year Follow-Up

Impact of Tenofovir DF on Fibrosis and Cirrhosis Study 102 and 103: 5-Year Follow-Up Design

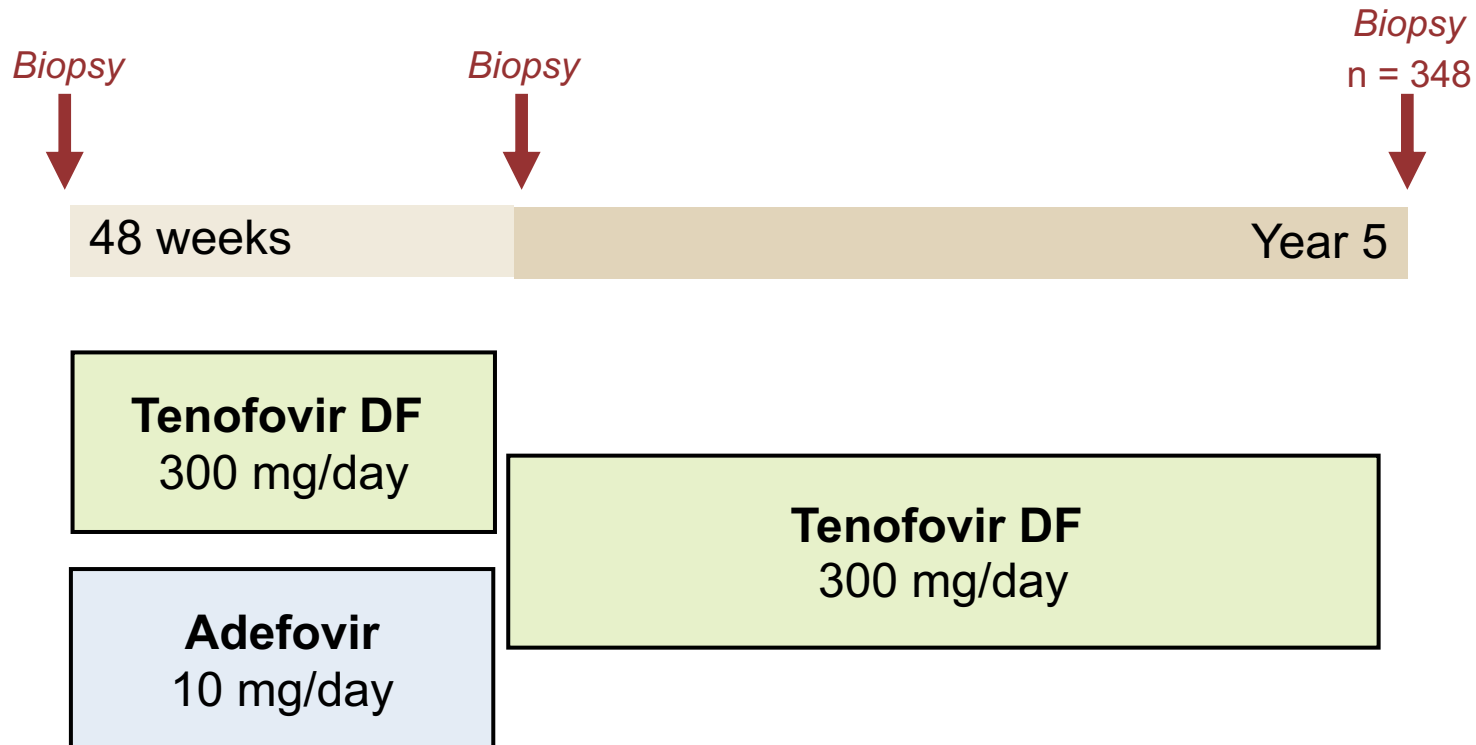
- **Background**
 - Open-label, single-arm continuation study of the 48-week phase 3 randomized controlled trials (Study 102, 103) of tenofovir DF vs adefovir
- **Subjects**
 - N = 348 with chronic HBeAg-negative or HBeAg-positive
 - All switched to open-label tenofovir DF after blinded phase complete
 - Had liver biopsies at baseline (year 1) and year 5 of follow-up.
- **Regimen**
 - Tenofovir DF 300 mg once daily
- **Study End-Points**
 - Histologic Response: ≥ 2 -point decrease in the Knodell necroinflammatory score and no worsening in Knodell fibrosis score.
 - Fibrosis regression: ≥ 1 -point decrease in Ishak fibrosis score

Impact of Tenofovir DF on Fibrosis and Cirrhosis Study Design

Randomized Trial
n = 641

Open-Label Phase
n = 585

Completed Trial
n = 489



Impact of Tenofovir DF on Fibrosis and Cirrhosis

Characteristics of Participants with Baseline Cirrhosis

Baseline Characteristics of Participants with Cirrhosis at Baseline	No Cirrhosis at Year 5 n = 71	Cirrhosis at Year 5 n = 25	P-value
Age >40 years, n (%)	49 (69)	20 (80)	0.44
Male sex, n (%)	58 (92)	22 (88)	0.55
Asian origin, n (%)	19 (27)	3 (12)	0.17
BMI, mean kg/m ² (SD)	25.7 (3.7)	29.0 (4.4)	0.007
Knodell necroinflammatory score, mean (SD)	8.8 (1.6)	9.0 (1.7)	0.69
HBV DNA level, mean log ₁₀ copies/ml (SD)	7.4 (1.5)	7.5 (1.2)	0.63
Ishak fibrosis stage, n (%)			
5	17 (24)	2 (8)	0.14
6	54 (76)	23 (92)	
Prior treatment, n (%)			
Interferon	16 (22)	3 (12)	0.38
Lamivudine use >12 weeks	16 (22)	2 (8)	0.14
Diabetes, n (%)	1 (1)	6 (24)	0.001

Source: Marcellin et. al. Lancet. 2013;381:468-75.

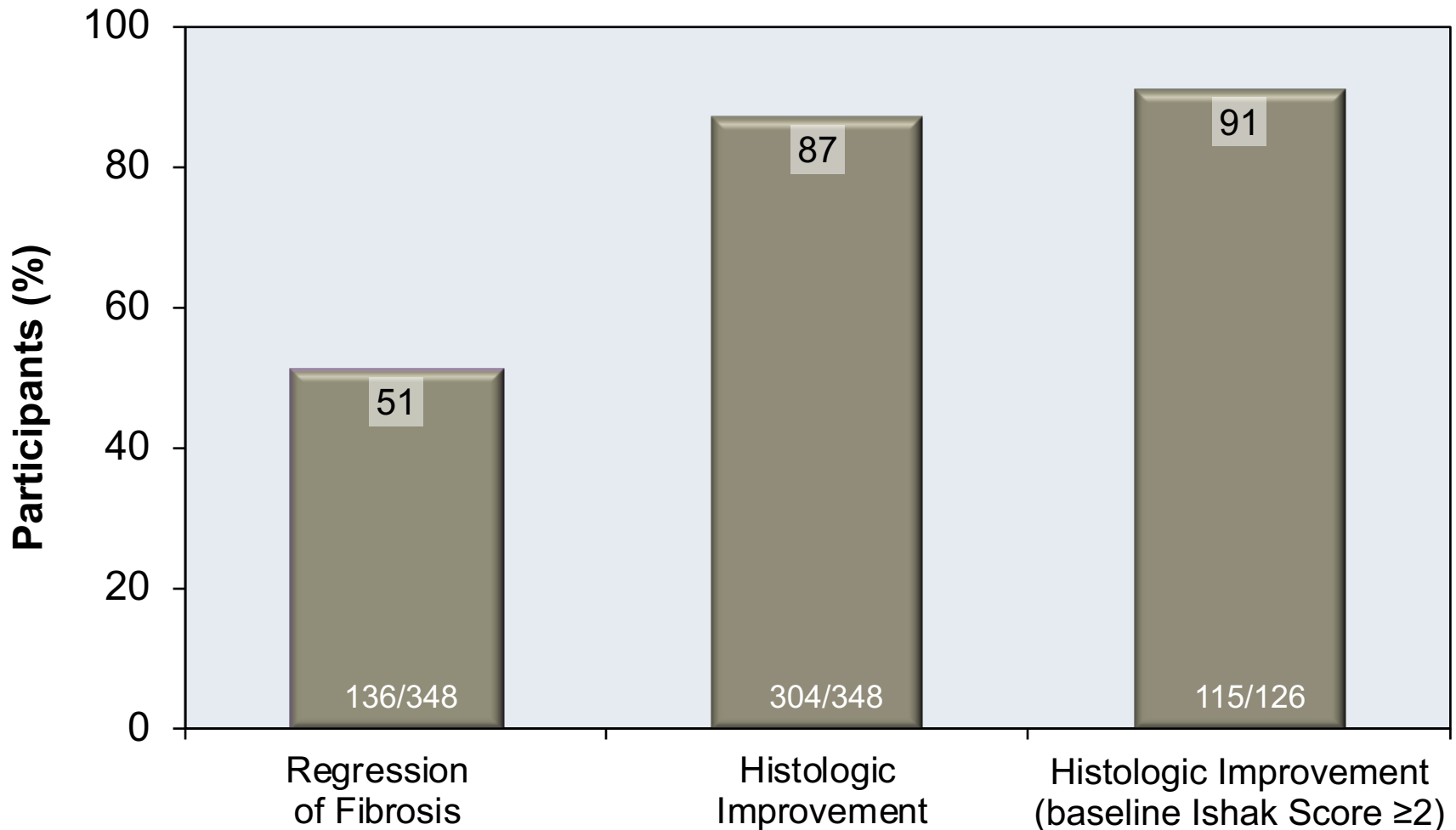
Impact of Tenofovir DF on Fibrosis and Cirrhosis

Characteristics of Participants with Baseline Cirrhosis

On-Treatment Characteristics of Participants with Baseline Cirrhosis	No Cirrhosis at Year 5 n = 71	Cirrhosis at Year 5 n = 25	P-value
HBV DNA <400 copies/mL, n/N (%)	69/69 (100)	24/24 (100)	
Normal ALT, n/N (%)	59/68 (87)	14/24 (58)	0.007
HBeAg loss, n/N (%)	12/23 (52)	6/7 (86)	0.193
Change from baseline to week 12 in HBsAg (10 ⁶ IU/L), mean (SD)	-4.8 (19.7)	-0.22 (7.7)	0.804
Change from baseline Knodell score, mean (SD)	-5.6 (2.2)	-4.6 (2.4)	0.053
Knodell score at year 5, n (%)			
0-3	59 (83)	13 (52)	0.007
4-6	7 (10)	7 (28)	
7-9	5 (7)	5 (20)	
HBsAg loss, n/N (%)	1/69 (1)	0/24 (0)	1.000

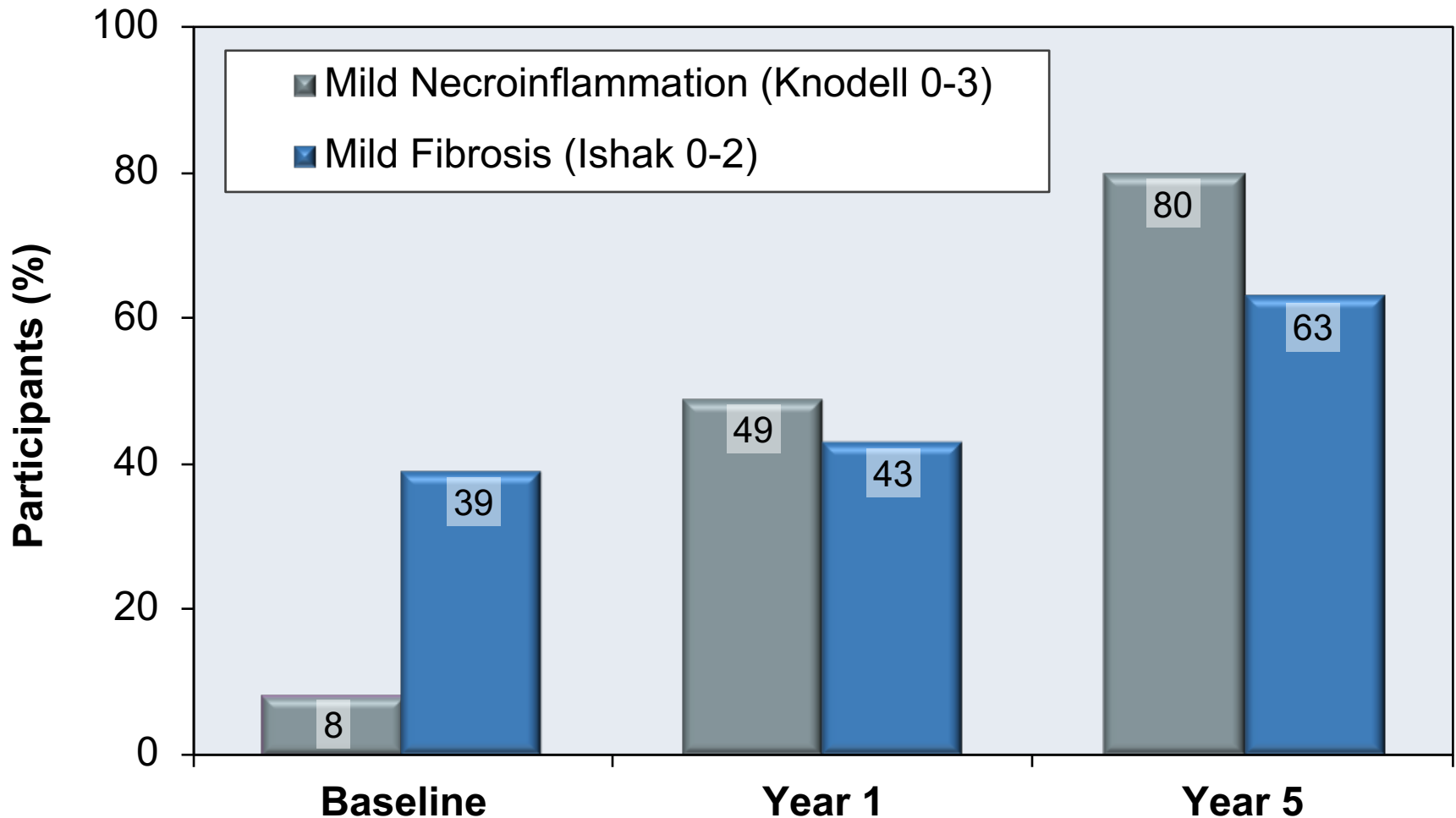
Impact of Tenofovir DF on Fibrosis and Cirrhosis

Histologic Improvement at Year 5 (All participants)



Impact of Tenofovir DF on Fibrosis and Cirrhosis

Changes in Knodell and Ishak Scores Among All Participants



Impact of Tenofovir DF on Fibrosis and Cirrhosis

Conclusions

Conclusions: “In patients with chronic HBV infection, up to 5 years of treatment with tenofovir DF was safe and effective. Long-term suppression of HBV can lead to regression of fibrosis and cirrhosis.”

Tenofovir AF vs Tenofovir DF in HBeAg-Negative Study 108

Tenofovir AF vs Tenofovir DF for HBeAg-Negative Study 108: Design

- **Background**

- Randomized double-blind placebo-controlled non-inferiority trial of tenofovir alafenamide (TAF) versus tenofovir disoproxil fumarate (TDF) in HBeAg-negative adults with chronic hepatitis B

- **Subjects (n = 426)**

- Age ≥ 18 years
- Chronic HBeAg-negative
- HBV DNA level $> 20,000$ IU/mL
- ALT > 60 IU/L in men, > 38 IU/L in women; ALT $< 10 \times$ ULN for both

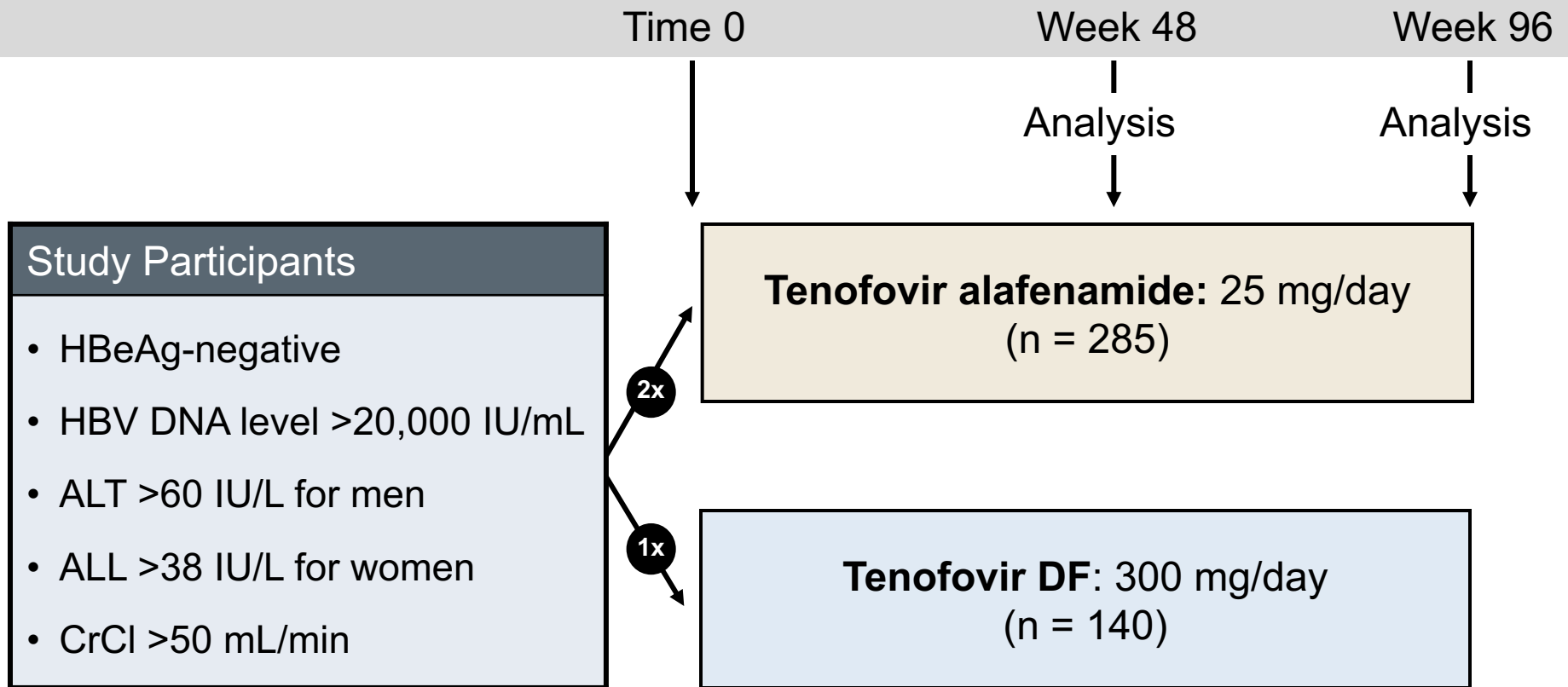
- **Regimen**

- Tenofovir AF: 25 mg once daily with matching placebo
- Tenofovir DF: 300 mg once daily with matching placebo

- **Study End-Point**

- HBV DNA level < 29 IU/mL at week 48

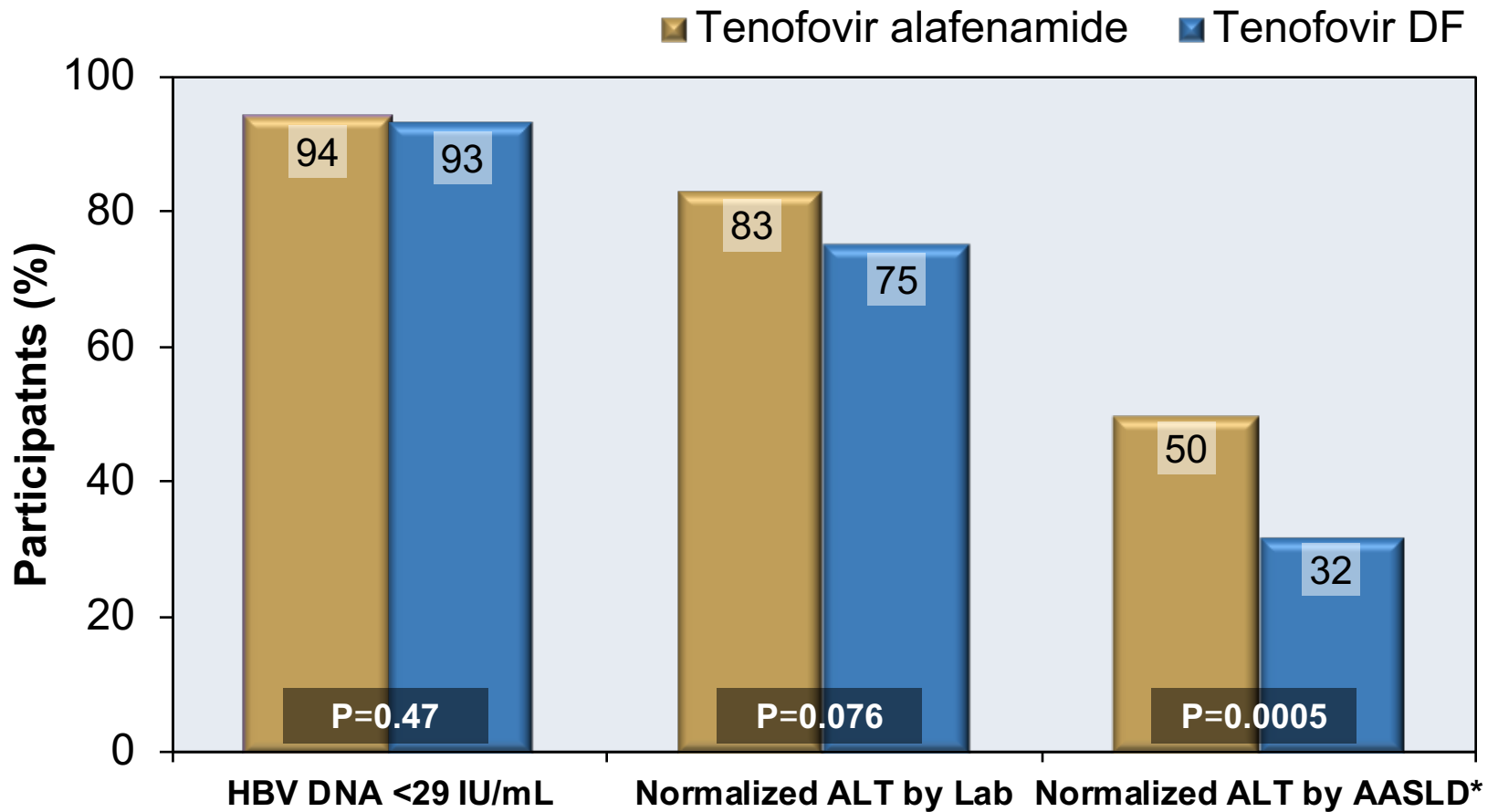
Tenofovir AF vs Tenofovir DF for HBeAg-Negative Study 108: Design



Tenofovir AF vs Tenofovir DF for HBeAg-Negative Study 108: Baseline Characteristics

Baseline Characteristic	Tenofovir AF (n = 285)	Tenofovir DF (n = 140)
Age, mean (\pm SD), years	45 (12)	48 (10)
Male, no. (%)	173 (61)	86 (61)
Race, no. (%)		
Asian	205 (72)	101 (72)
White	71 (25)	35 (25)
Black	5 (2)	3 (2)
Other	4 (2)	1 (1)
ALT > ULN by central lab, no. (%)	236 (83)	121 (86)
HBV DNA, log ₁₀ IU/mL (\pm SD)	5.7 (1.3)	5.8 (1.3)
FibroTest score \geq 0.75, no. (%)	31/280 (11)	20/139 (14)
Previous nucleos(t)ide therapy, no. (%)	60 (21)	31 (22)
Previous interferon therapy, no. (%)	29 (10)	19 (14)

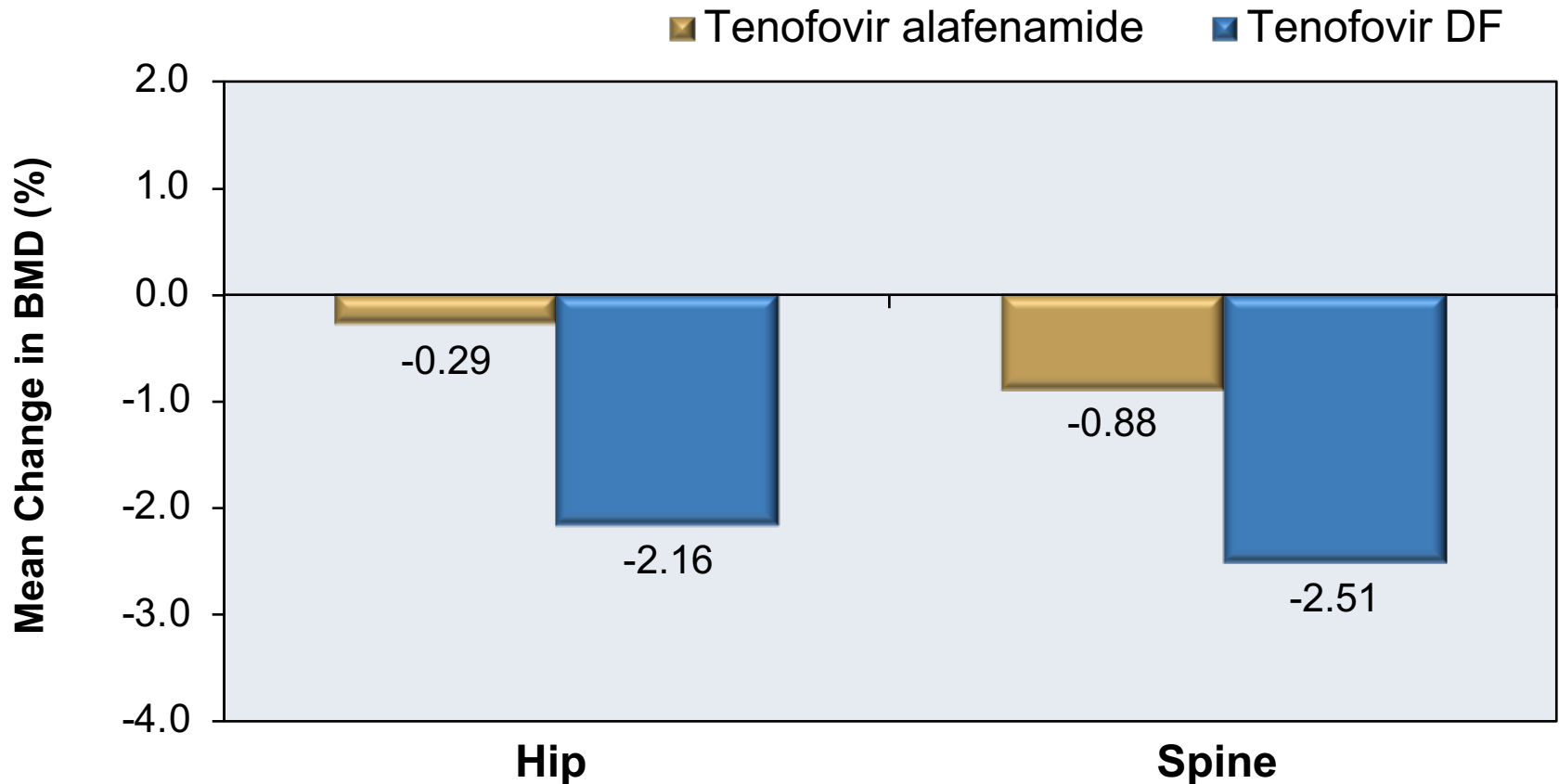
Tenofovir AF vs Tenofovir DF for HBeAg-Negative Study 108: Results at Week 48



*Using normal ranges of ≤ 30 U/L for men and ≤ 19 U/L for women

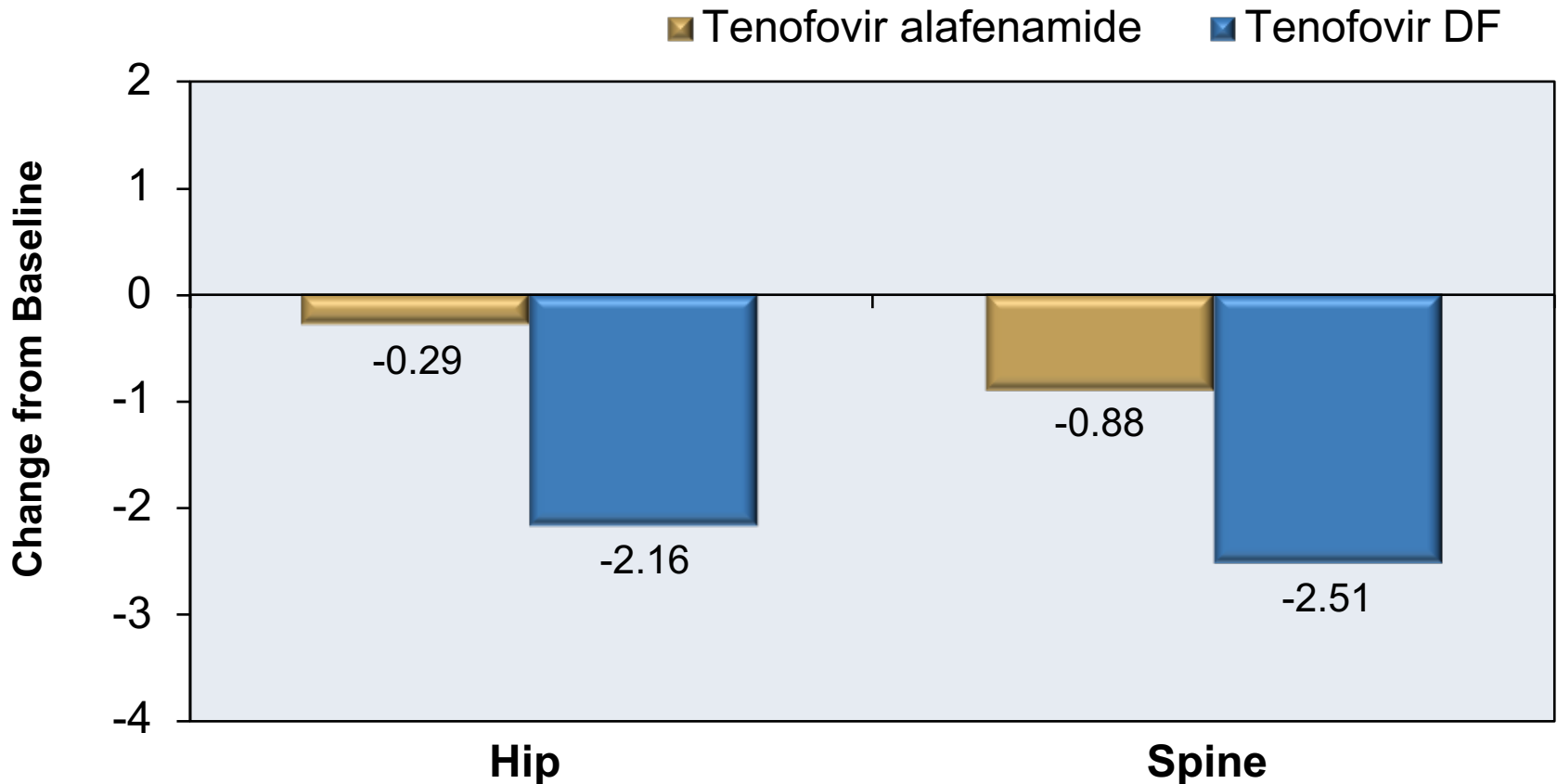
Tenofovir AF vs Tenofovir DF for HBeAg-Negative Study 108: Adverse Effects

Week 48 Changes in Bone Mineral Density (BMD)



Tenofovir AF vs Tenofovir DF for HBeAg-Negative Study 108: Adverse Effects

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Tenofovir AF vs Tenofovir DF for HBeAg-Negative Study 108: Results

Interpretation: “In patients with HBeAg-negative chronic HBV, the efficacy of tenofovir alafenamide was non-inferior to that of tenofovir disoproxil fumarate, and had improved bone and renal effects. Longer term follow-up is needed to better understand the clinical impact of these changes.”

Tenofovir AF vs Tenofovir DF in HBeAg-Positive Study 110

Tenofovir AF vs Tenofovir DF for HBeAg-Positive Study 110: Design

- **Background**

- Randomized double-blind placebo-controlled non-inferiority trial of tenofovir alafenamide (TAF) versus tenofovir disoproxil fumarate (TDF) in HBeAg-positive chronic hepatitis B patients

- **Subjects**

- N = 1473 with chronic hepatitis B eAg-positive infection
- HBV DNA level >20,000 IU/mL
- ALT >60 IU/L in men, >38 IU/L in women; <10 x ULN for both

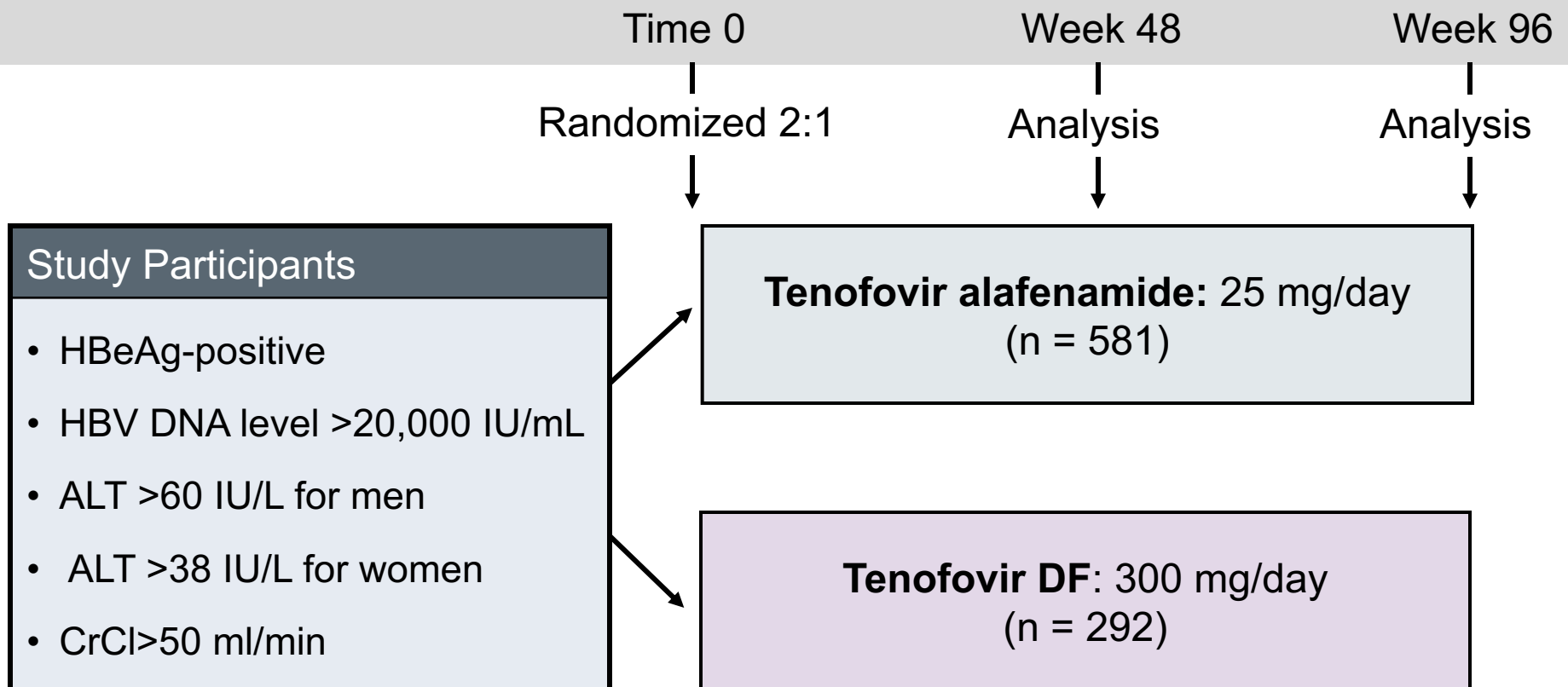
- **Regimens**

- Tenofovir AF 25 mg once daily with matching placebo
- Tenofovir DF 300 mg once daily with matching placebo

- **Study End-Point**

- HBV DNA level <29 IU/mL at week 48

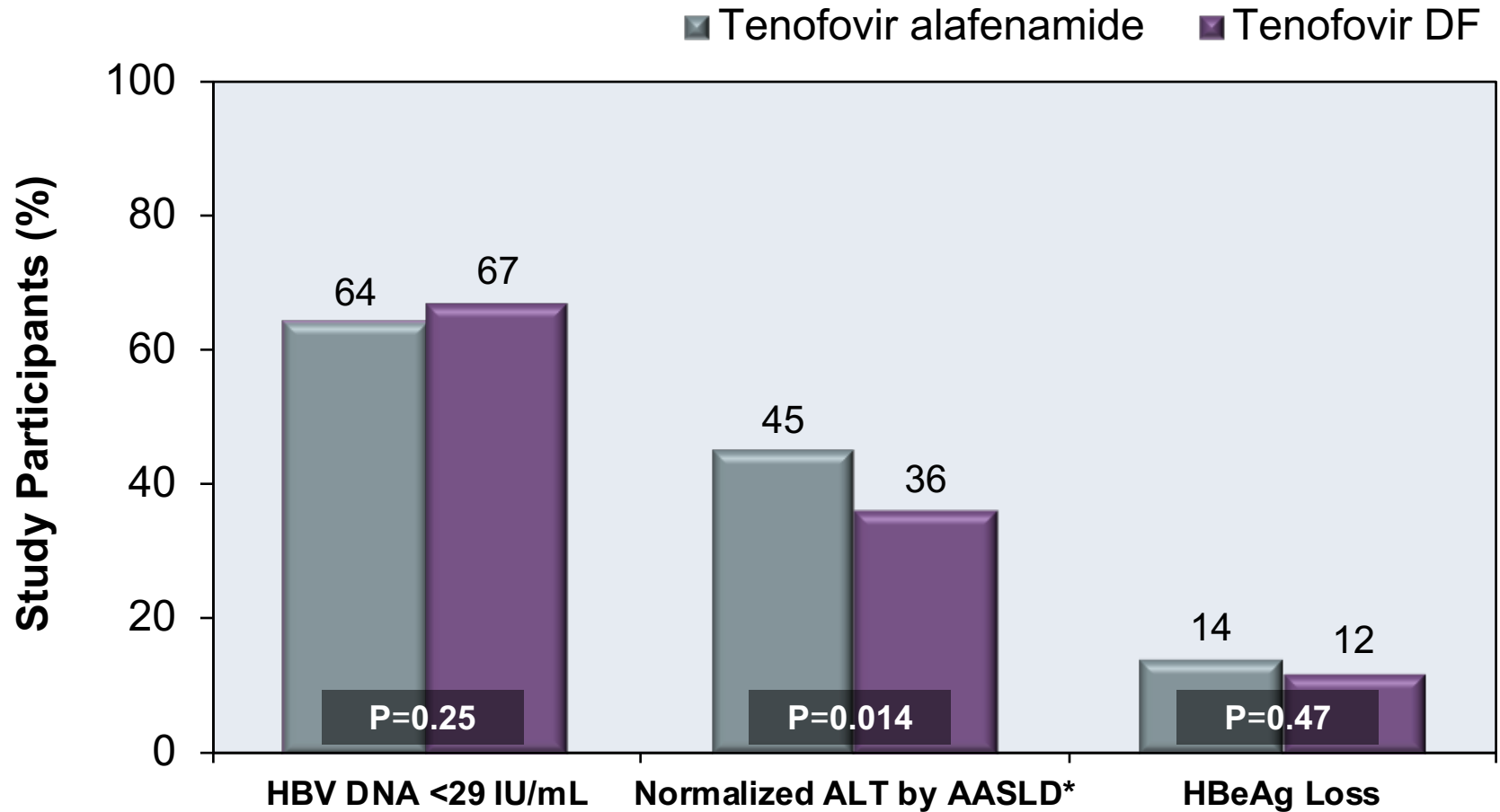
Tenofovir AF vs Tenofovir DF for HBeAg-Positive Study 110: Design



Tenofovir AF vs Tenofovir DF for HBeAg-Positive Study 110: Baseline Characteristics

Baseline Characteristic	Tenofovir AF (n = 581)	Tenofovir DF (n = 292)
Age, mean (\pm SD), years	38 (11)	38 (12)
Male, no. (%)	371 (64)	189 (65)
Race, no. (%)		
Asian	482 (83)	232 (79)
White	96 (17)	53 (18)
Other	3 (1)	7 (2)
ALT > ULN by central lab, no. (%)	537 (98)	288 (99)
HBV DNA, log ₁₀ IU/mL (\pm SD)	7.6 (1.3)	7.6 (1.4)
FibroTest score, mean (\pm SD)	0.34 (0.23)	0.32 (0.22)
Cirrhosis, no. (%)	41 (7)	24 (8)
Serum creatinine, mean (\pm SD)	0.81 (0.17)	0.82 (0.16)

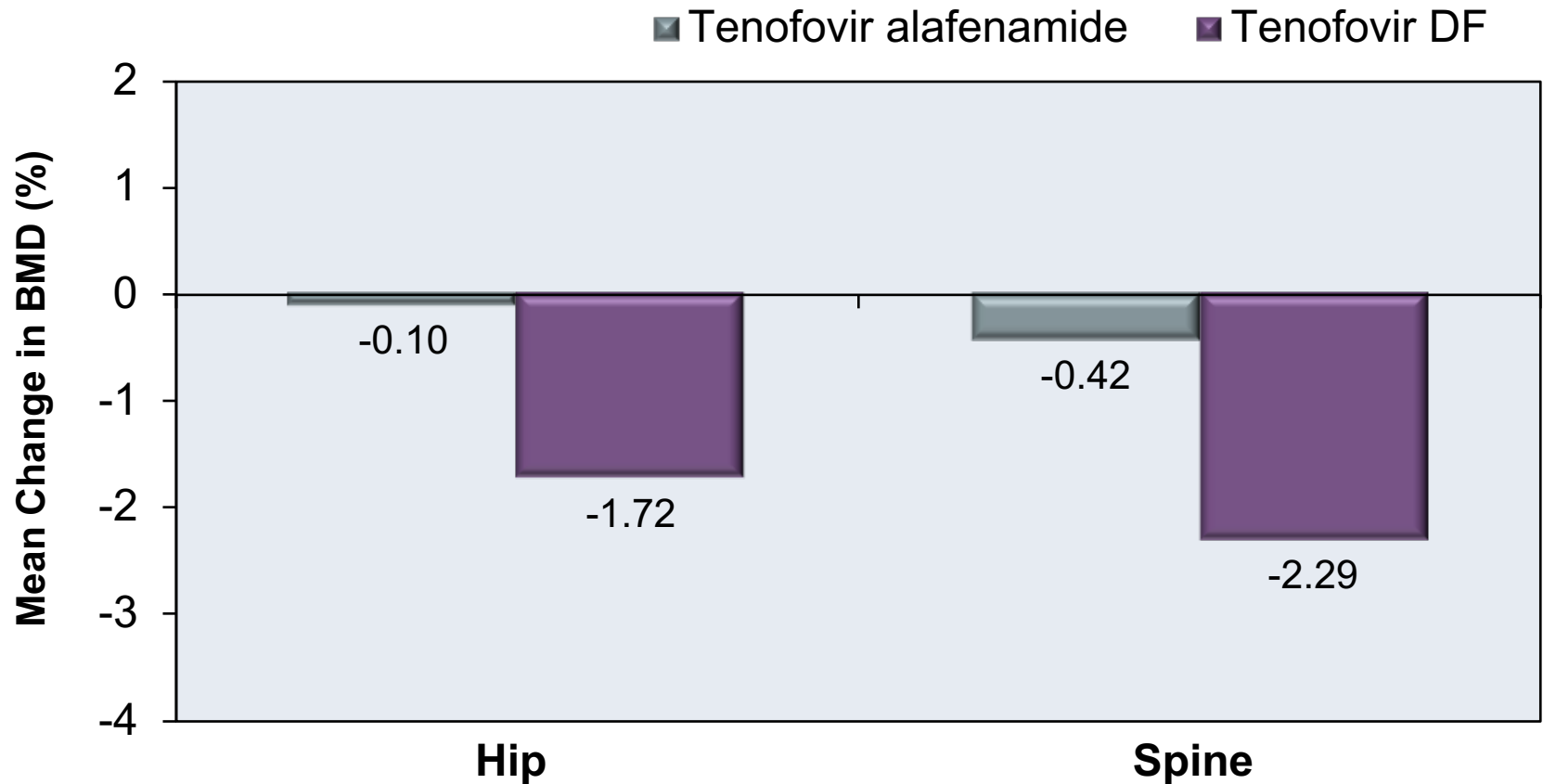
Tenofovir AF vs Tenofovir DF for HBeAg-Positive Study 110: Results at Week 48



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Tenofovir AF vs Tenofovir DF for HBeAg-Positive Study 110: Adverse Effects

Week 48 Changes in Bone Mineral Density (BMD)



Tenofovir AF vs Tenofovir DF for HBeAg-Positive Study 110: Conclusion

Interpretation: “In patients with HBeAg-positive HBV infection, tenofovir alafenamide was non-inferior to tenofovir disoproxil fumarate, and had improved bone and renal effects. Longer term follow-up is needed to better understand the clinical impact of these changes.”