

# **FluLaval Quadrivalent: GSK's Inactivated Quadrivalent Influenza Vaccine Manufactured in Quebec**

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# Development Plan for FluLaval® (Q-TIV, Q-QIV)

- FluLaval (Q-TIV) is licensed in US for adults
- In 2012, two supplemental BLAs were filed:
  - Q-TIV : to expand age indication to 3 -17 years of age
  - Q-QIV: initial indication for 3 years of age and older
- Target Indication for FluLaval Quadrivalent (Q-QIV):
  - *Active immunization for the prevention of disease caused by the 2 influenza A virus subtypes and the 2 influenza B virus types contained in the vaccine in adults and children from 3 years of age*

**Note on Nomenclature.** GSK will use QIV and TIV in most of this presentation, although ACIP & CDC have introduced new nomenclature using IIV: IIV4 being formerly known as QIV and IIV3 formerly known as TIV.

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# Q-QIV & Q-TIV Pivotal Studies (for sBLAs)

| Study                               | Key results   | Groups   | N                               |
|-------------------------------------|---|--|---------------------------------|
| Q-TIV-008                           | Demonstration of Immunogenic NI to US licensed comparator (3-17 yrs)  | - Q-TIV<br>- Fluzone (TIV)   | 1055<br>1062                    |
| Q-QIV-003                           | Demonstration of Immunogenic NI & superiority of added B strain vs US licensed comparator (3-17 yrs)                  | - Q-QIV<br>- Fluarix-VB<br>- Fluarix-YB  | 932<br>929<br>932               |
| Q-QIV-007                           | Demonstration of lot consistency, immunogenic NI & superiority of added B strain vs. US licensed comparator (18+ yrs) | - Q-QIV TF (lot 1)<br>- Q-QIV TF (lot 2)<br>- Q-QIV-TF (lot 3)<br>- FluLaval-VB<br>- FluLaval-YB | 423<br>424<br>425<br>213<br>218 |
| Q-QIV-006                           | Demonstration of Efficacy vs US licensed non-influenza vaccine (3-8 yrs)  | - Q-QIV<br>- Havrix  | 2584<br>2584                    |
| Safety was assessed in all subjects |   | Total QIV exposed  | 4788                            |
|                                     |   | Children   | 3516                            |
|                                     |   | Adults   | 1272                            |

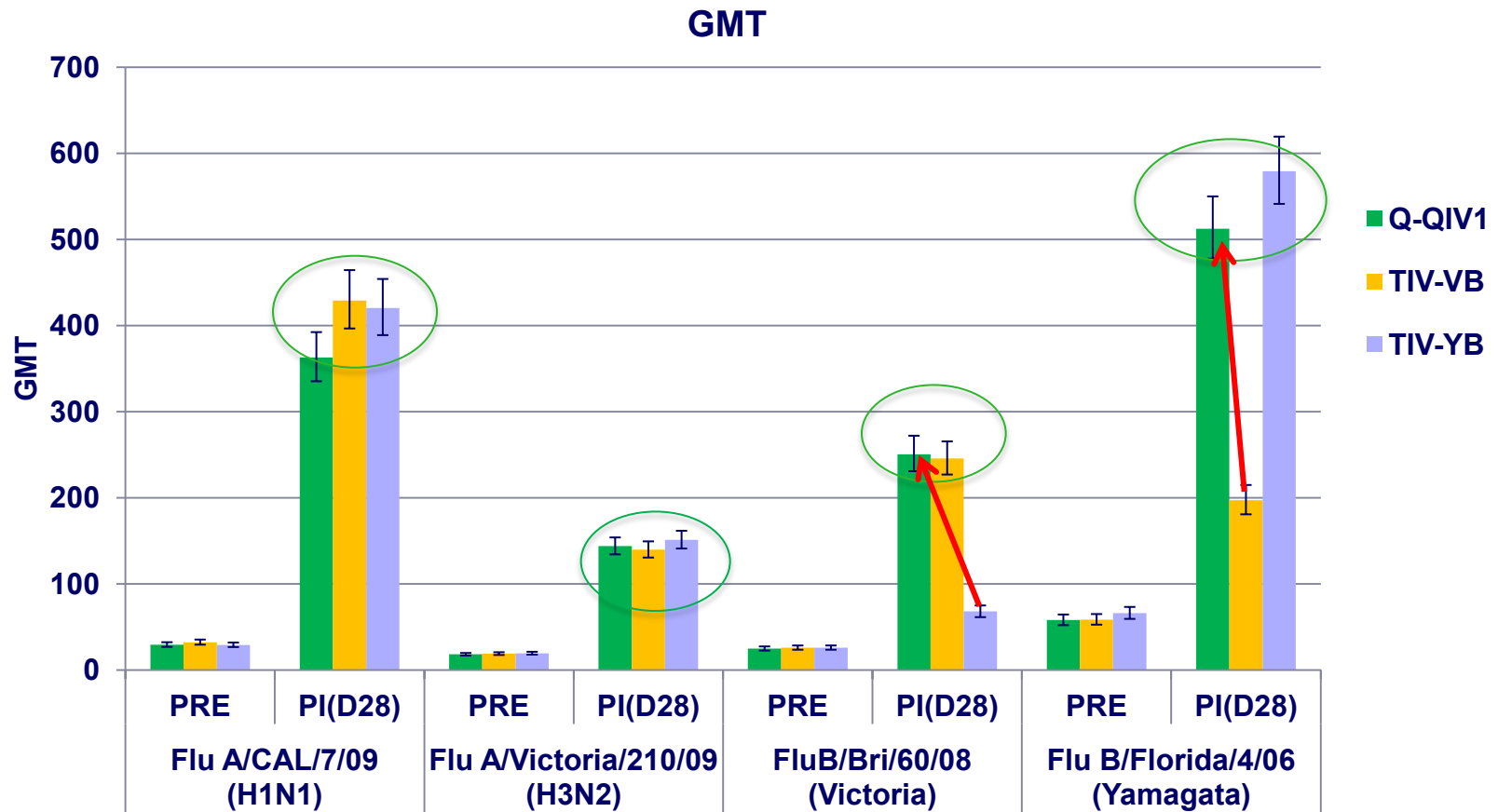


**Study Results:**  
**Q-QIV-003 Pediatric Immunogenicity**  
**Q-QIV-007 Adult Immunogenicity**

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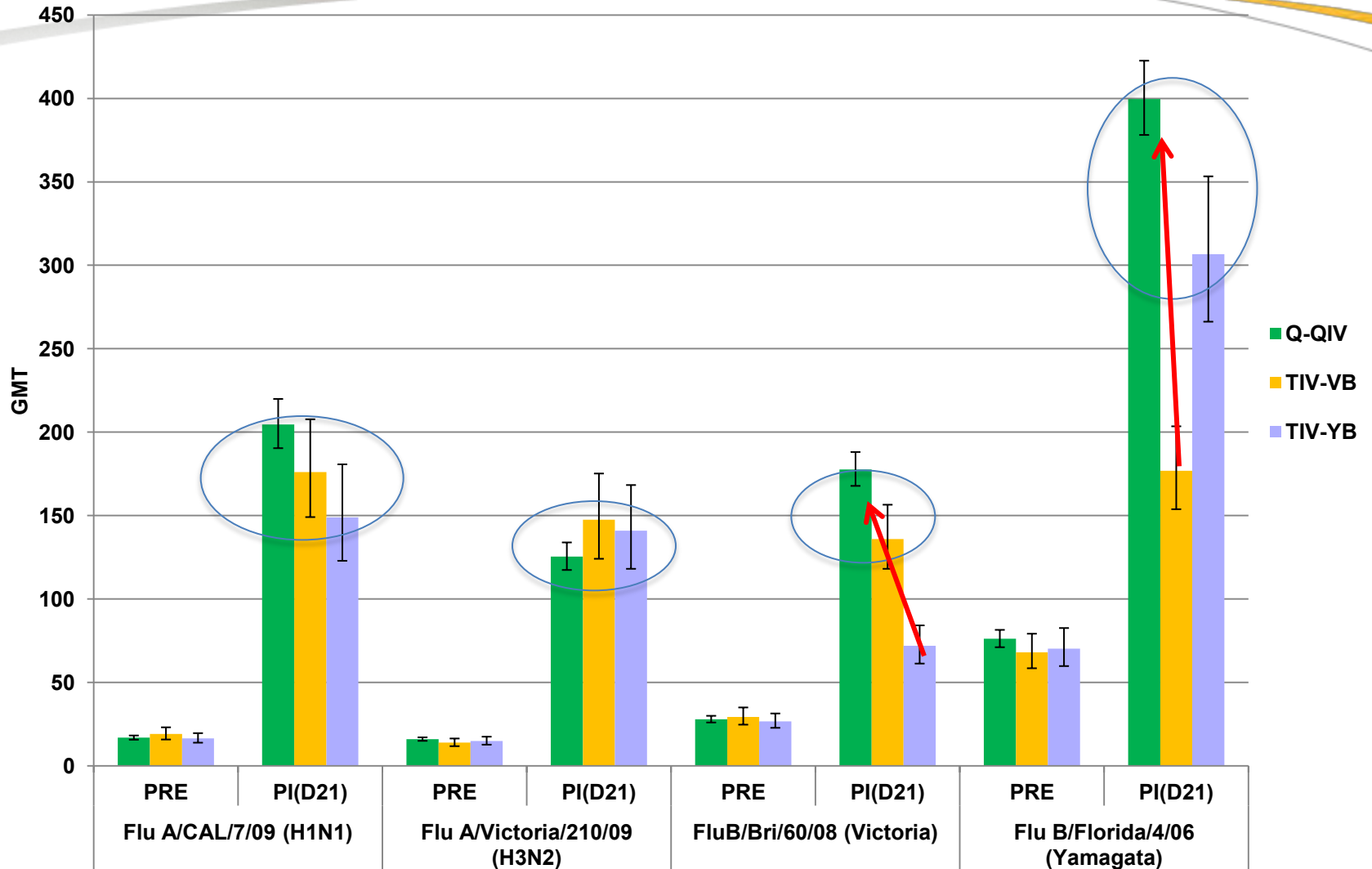
# Q-QIV-003 Pediatric: HI Antibody Response (GMT)

Per Protocol Immunogenicity Cohort: Q-QIV=878, TIV-VB=871, TIV-YB=878



# Q-QIV-007 Adult: HI Antibody Response (GMT)

Per Protocol Immunogenicity Cohort: Q-QIV=1246, TIV-VB=204, TIV-YB=211



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# Increased Immune Response of Q-QIV over TIV for the Added B Strain

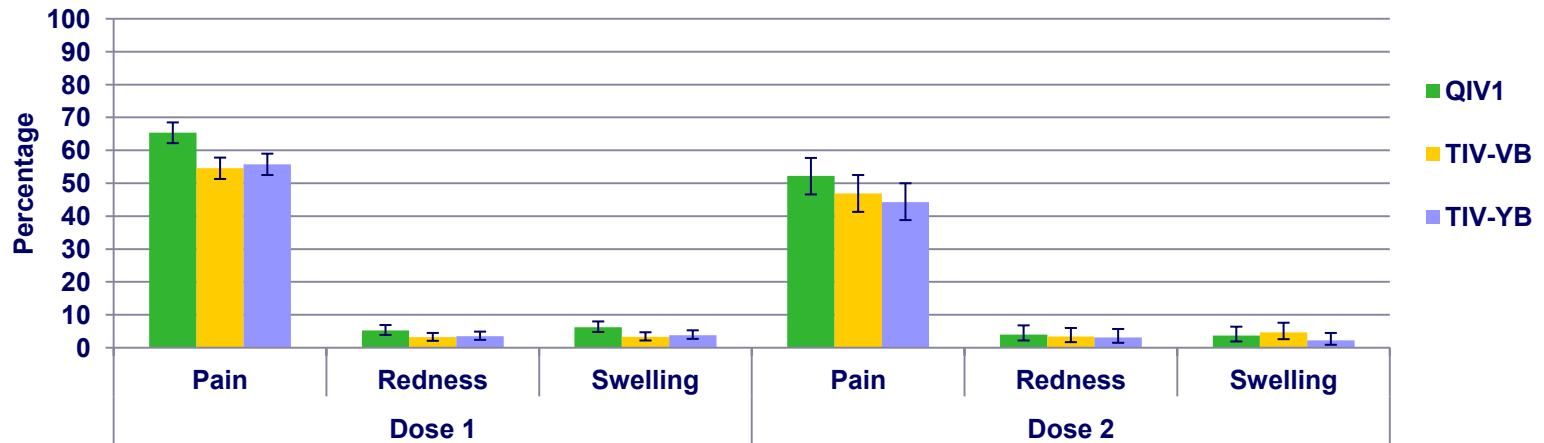
|                             |  | Pediatric | Adult   |
|-----------------------------|--|-----------|---------|
| GMT Ratio (95% CI)          | Q-QIV / TIV-Vic<br>(increase for B-Yamagata)     | 2.6       | 2.4     |
|                             | Q-QIV / TIV-Yam<br>(increase for B-Victoria)     | 3.8       | 2.2     |
| SCR* Difference<br>(95% CI) | Q-QIV minus TIV-Vic<br>(increase for B-Yamagata) | 33.9%     | 21.5%** |
|                             | Q-QIV minus TIV-Yam<br>(increase for B-Victoria) | 44.6%     | 25.7%** |

•\*SCR is defined as the percentage with either a pre-vaccination titer <1:10 and a post-vaccination titer ≥1:40 or a pre-vaccination titer ≥1:10 and at least a four-fold increase in post-vaccination titer

•\*\*.Post hoc analyses

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# Q-QIV-003 Pediatric: Reactogenicity and Safety (Total vaccinated cohort)

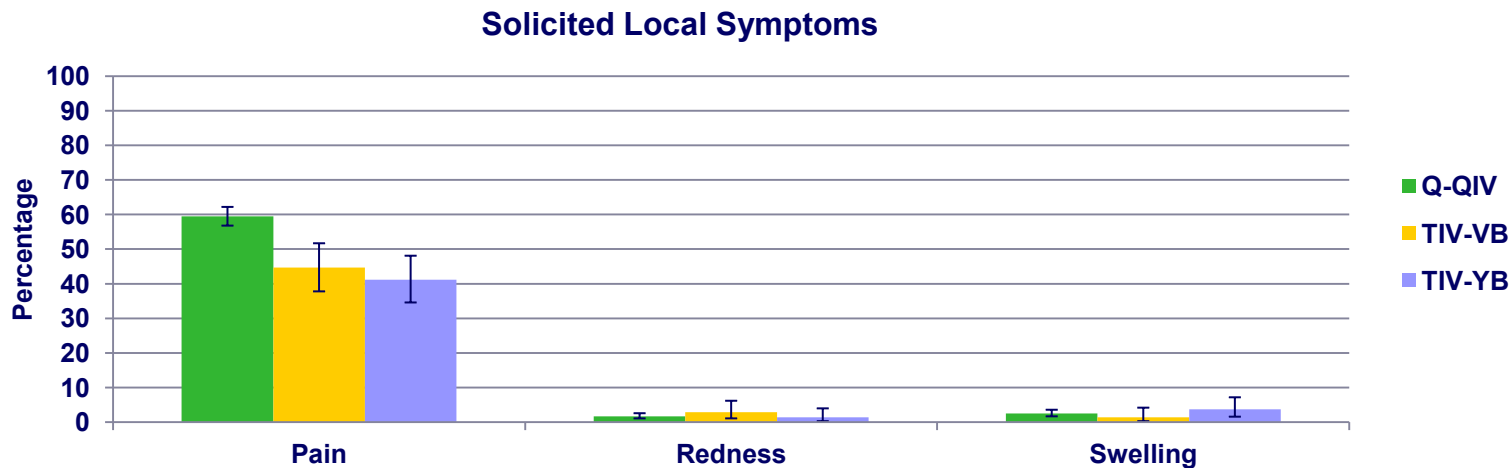


| Safety endpoint   | Q-QIV<br>N = 932 | TIV-VB<br>N = 929 | TIV-YB<br>N = 932 |
|---|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Any AE(s) throughout study period, n (%)                | 430<br>(46.1)    | 432<br>(46.5)     | 441<br>(47.3)     |
| Medically attended AE(s) throughout study period, n (%) | 346<br>(37.1)    | 335<br>(36.1)     | 350<br>(37.6)     |
| Any SAE(s), n (%)<br>[n SAEs related to the vaccine]    | 3 (0.3)<br>[0]   | 6 (0.6)<br>[0]    | 5 (0.5)<br>[1]    |



# Q-QIV-007 Adult: Reactogenicity and Safety

(Total vaccinated cohort)



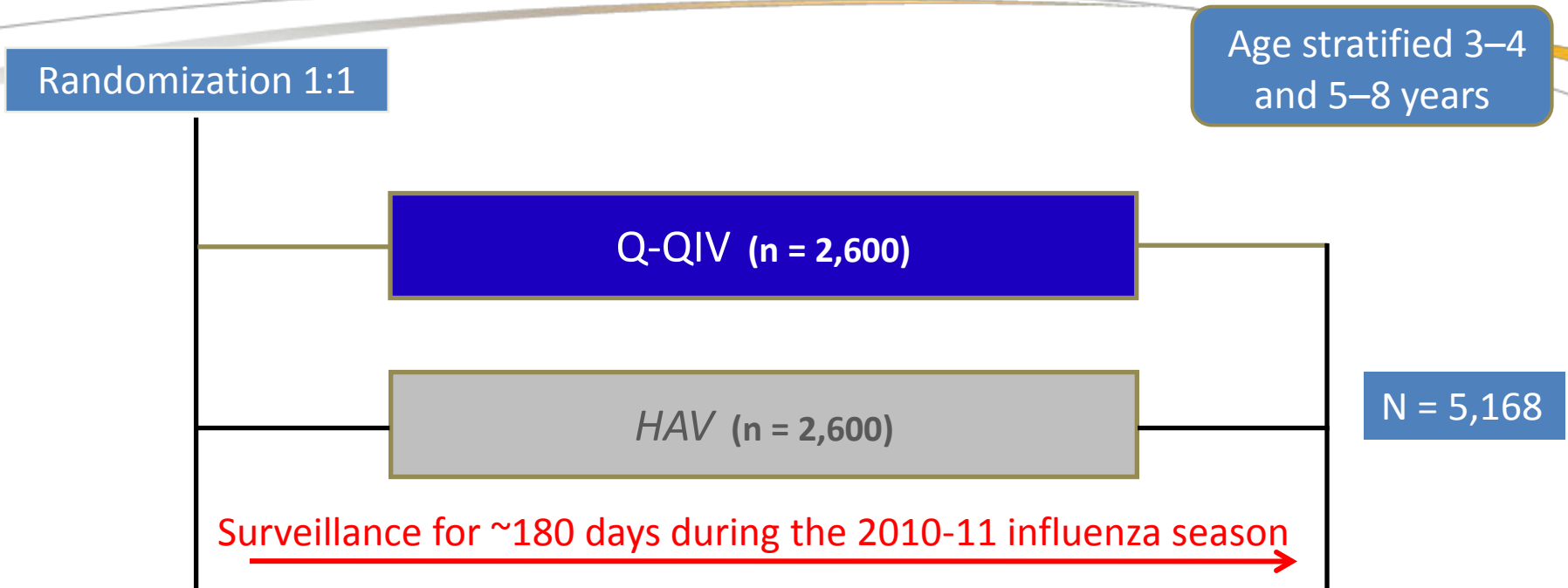
| Safety endpoint   | Q-QIV<br>N = 1272 | TIV-VB<br>N = 213 | TIV-YB<br>N = 218 |
|---|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Any AE(s) throughout study period, n (%)                | 457<br>(35.9)     | 80<br>(37.6)      | 89<br>(40.8)      |
| Medically attended AE(s) throughout study period, n (%) | 330<br>(25.9)     | 51<br>(23.9)      | 64<br>(29.4)      |
| Any SAE(s), n (%)<br>[n SAEs related to the vaccine]    | 35 (2.8)<br>[0]   | 3 (1.4)<br>[0]    | 7 (3.2)<br>[0]    |



# **Q-QIV-006: Vaccine Efficacy Study in Children**

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# Study Design (NCT01218308)



| Day 0                       | Day 28                                    | Day 56                    | Day 180      | Visit |
|-----------------------------|---|---------------------------|--------------|-------|
| Vaccination<br>Blood sample | Vaccination <sup>§</sup><br>Blood sample* | Blood sample <sup>§</sup> | Blood sample | ↑     |

\*Only for primed subjects

§Only for unprimed

HAV= GSK's Hep A vaccine, Havrix

HAV dose  
2\* or 3<sup>§</sup> for  
control group

# Key Confirmatory Objectives

- Evaluate QIV efficacy for the prevention of:
  - Any RT-PCR confirmed influenza A/B  
(success criterion: LL 95% CI >30%)
  - Moderate to severe RT-PCR confirmed influenza A/B  
(success criterion: LL 97.5% CI >0%)

# Case Definitions for Influenza

## Confirmed by RT-PCR in a nasal/throat swab

### ➤ Any influenza is:

- Temperature  $\geq 37.8^{\circ}\text{C}$ , and
- One or more symptoms on the same day (cough, sore throat, runny nose or nasal congestion)

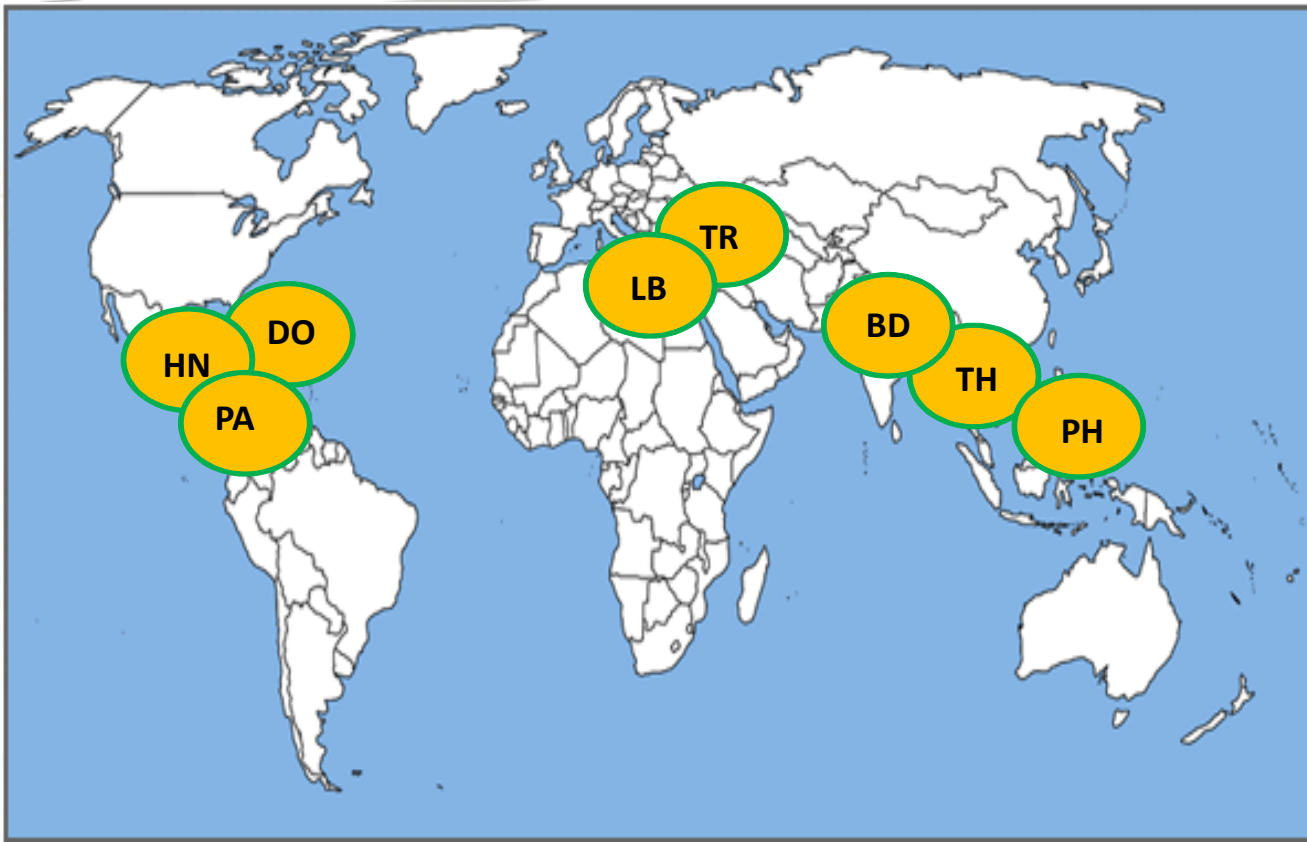
### ➤ Moderate to severe influenza is any influenza plus:

- Fever  $> 39^{\circ}\text{C}$ , or
- Physician-verified acute otitis media, or
- Physician-verified lower respiratory tract manifestations (shortness of breath, croup, wheezing, pulmonary congestion, bronchiolitis, bronchitis, pneumonia), or
- Physician-diagnosed serious extra-pulmonary complication of influenza (including myositis, myocarditis, seizure or encephalitis)

*(detects the more clinically consequential outcomes of influenza)*

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# Countries and Enrollment



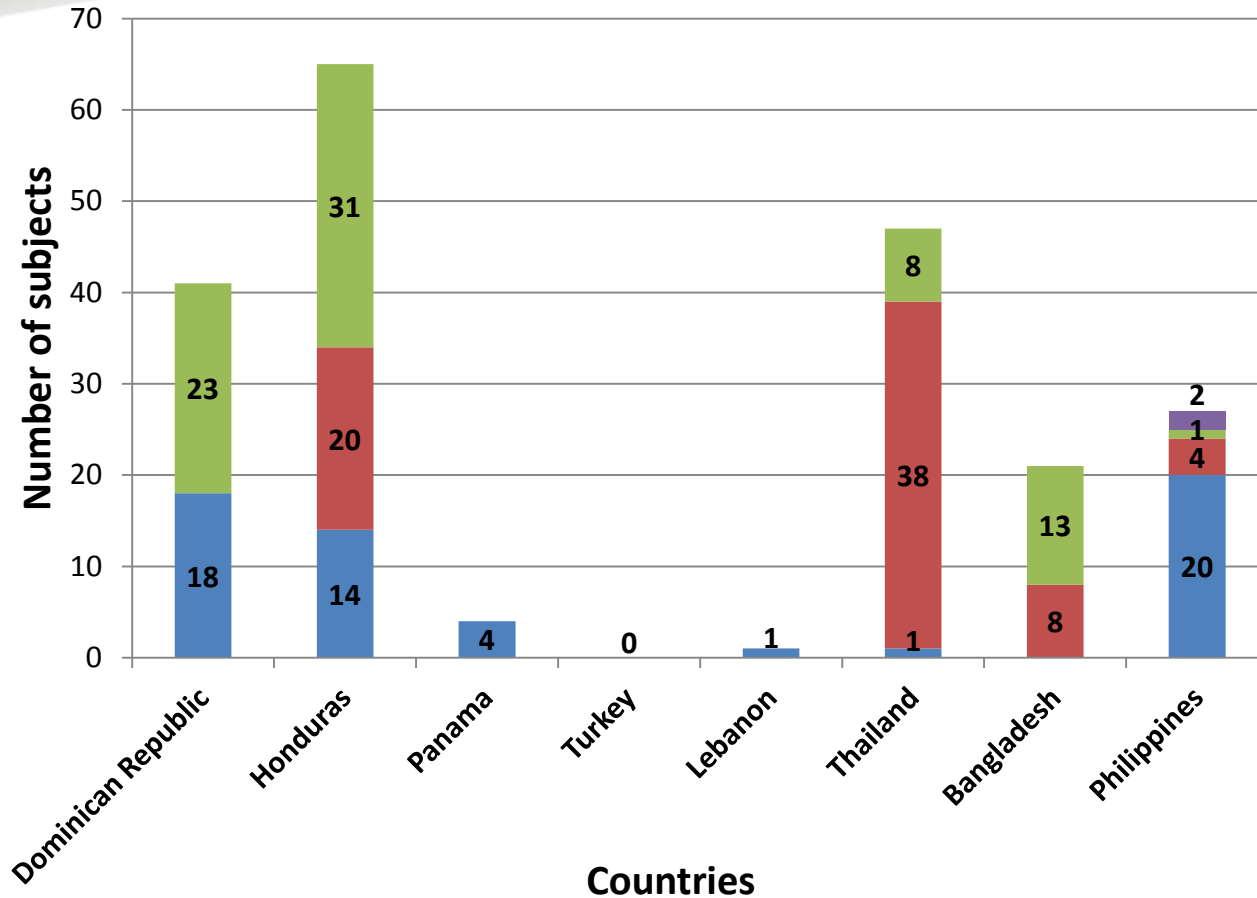
| Country     | N    |
|-------------|------|
| Dom Rep     | 1200 |
| Philippines | 1100 |
| Thailand    | 1008 |
| Bangladesh  | 1000 |
| Honduras    | 400  |
| Panama      | 204  |
| Lebanon     | 150  |
| Turkey      | 106  |

- Demography similar between groups: mean age  $5.4 \pm 1.7$  years; ~48% female
- Majority of children were vaccine unprimed → received 2 doses

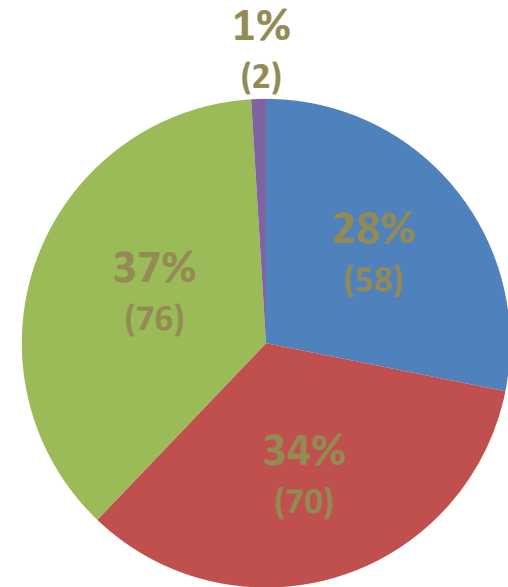
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# Subtype/Lineage Distribution by Country

(Total vaccinated cohort - from 14 days after vaccination)



Overall distribution:



(All RT-PCR positive cases: 206)



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# Vaccine Efficacy - Cases Confirmed by RT-PCR

(Per-protocol cohort for efficacy - from 14 days after vaccination)

|                              |       | Attack rate (95% CI)   |     |      |      |      |     | Vaccine efficacy (95% CI)   |       |       |
|------------------------------|-------|------------------------|-----|------|------|------|-----|-----------------------------|-------|-------|
| Endpoint                     | Group | N                      | n   | %    | LL   | UL   | T/N | %                           | LL    | UL    |
| Any influenza                | Q-QIV | 2,379                  | 58  | 2.44 | 1.86 | 3.14 | 5.1 | <b>55.38</b>                | 39.15 | 67.29 |
|                              | HAV   | 2,398                  | 128 | 5.34 | 4.47 | 6.31 | 5.0 | –                           | –     | –     |
|                              |       | Attack rate (97.5% CI) |     |      |      |      |     | Vaccine efficacy (97.5% CI) |       |       |
| Endpoint                     | Group | N                      | n   | %    | LL   | UL   | T/N | %                           | LL    | UL    |
| Moderate to severe influenza | Q-QIV | 2,379                  | 14  | 0.59 | 0.29 | 1.05 | 5.2 | <b>73.08</b>                | 47.11 | 86.30 |
|                              | HAV   | 2,398                  | 52  | 2.17 | 1.56 | 2.93 | 5.1 | –                           | –     | –     |

N = number of subjects included in each group

n = number of subjects reporting at least 1 event in each group

T = sum of follow-up periods (months) in each group

T/N = mean follow-up period (months) in each group

Vaccine efficacy assessed using Cox Regression model adjusted for age category, region and priming status



# Moderate to Severe Influenza

(Total vaccinated cohort – from 14 days after vaccination)

| Manifestation justifying classification<br>as moderate to severe disease | Q-QIV  | HAV    | RR   | 95% CI      |
|--|--------|--------|------|-------------|
|  | N=2584 | N=2584 |      |             |
|  | n      | n      |      |             |
| All moderate to severe cases   | 16     | 57     |      |             |
| Only fever >39°C   | 14     | 46     | 0.29 | 0.16 – 0.56 |
| Only acute otitis media  | 0      | 1      |      |             |
| Lower respiratory infection  | 2      | 10     | 0.20 | 0.04 – 0.92 |
| Wheezing (and fever >39°C)   | 1      | 1      |      |             |
| Bronchitis   | 1      | 0      |      |             |
| Bronchitis (and fever >39°C)   | 0      | 1      |      |             |
| Shortness of breath  | 0      | 3      |      |             |
| Shortness of breath (and fever >39°C)                                    | 0      | 2      |      |             |
| Pneumonia  | 0      | 2      |      |             |
| Pneumonia with congestion  | 0      | 1      |      |             |
| Extra-pulmonary complication   | 0      | 0      |      |             |

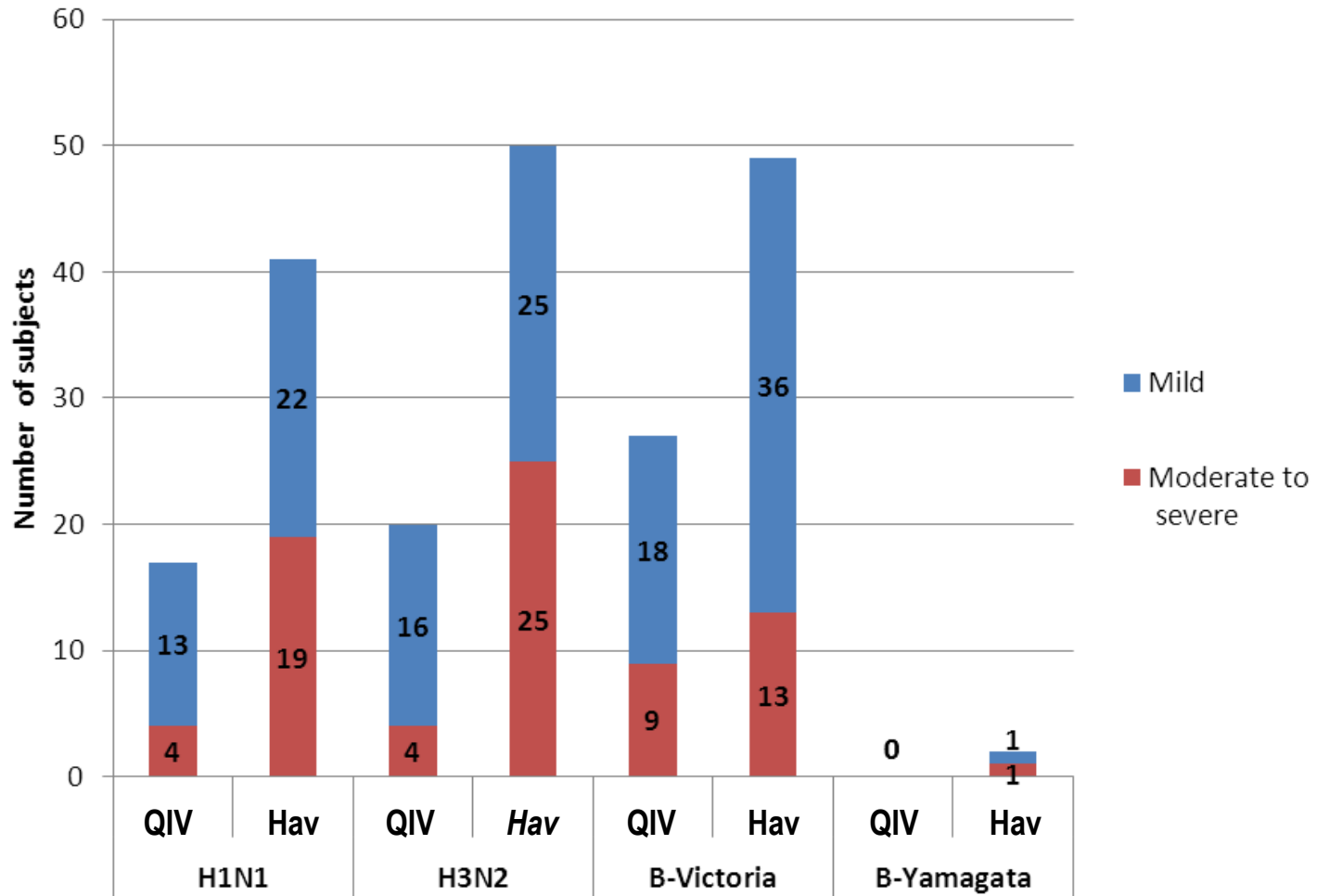
*n* = number of subjects as unique cases

RR = Relative risk

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# Influenza Severity by Subtype/Lineage

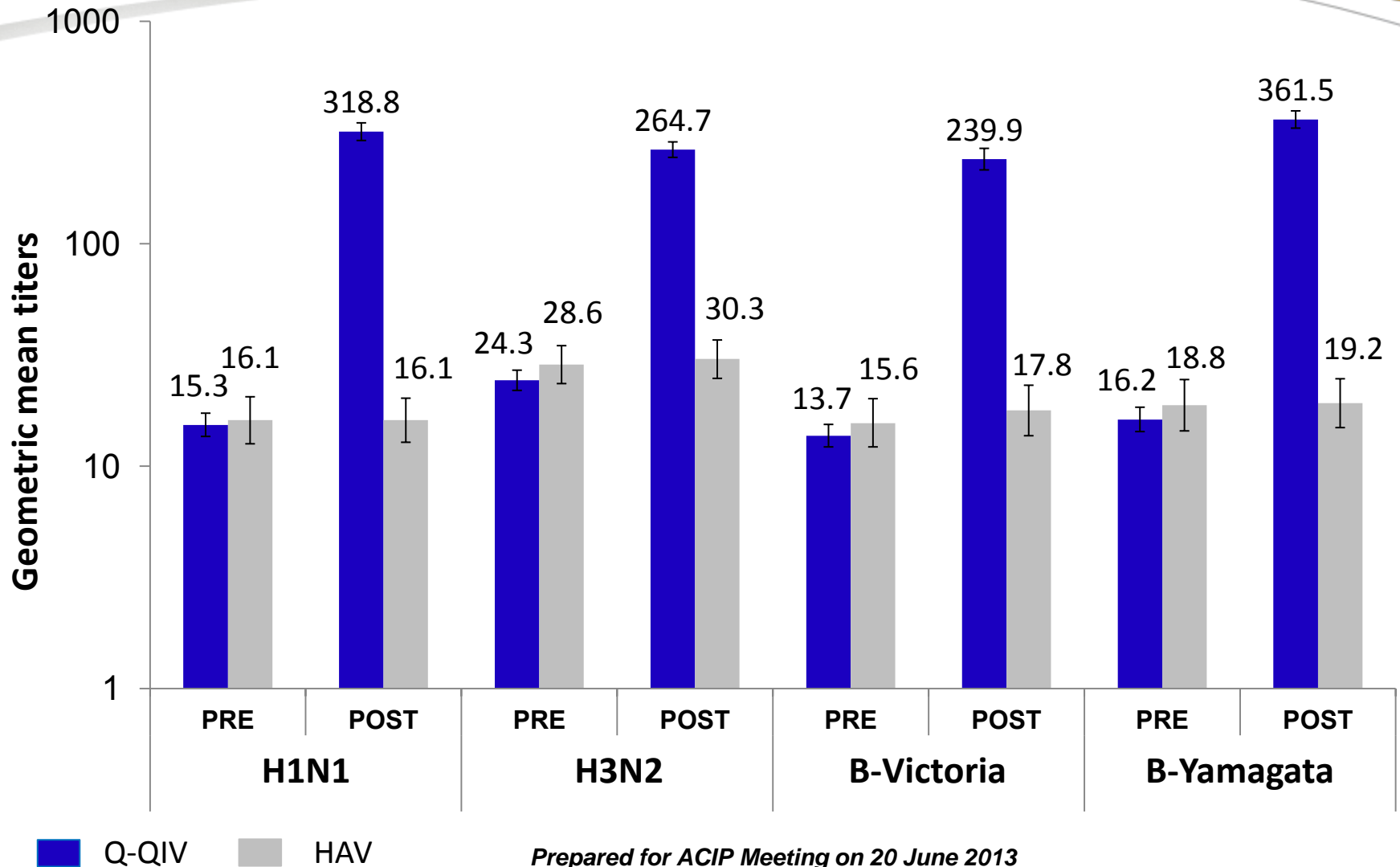
(Total vaccinated cohort – from 14 days after vaccination)



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# Immunogenicity - Geometric Mean Titer

28 days after vaccination (Per-protocol immunogenicity subset)



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# Incidence of Adverse Events

(Total vaccinated cohort)

|   | Q-QIV (N=2,584) |      |        |      | HAV (N=2,584) |      |        |      |
|---|-----------------|------|--------|------|---------------|------|--------|------|
|   | n               | %    | 95% CI |      | n             | %    | 95% CI |      |
|   |                 |      | LL     | UL   |               |      | LL     | UL   |
| <b>Within 7 days of vaccination:</b>                              |                 |      |        |      |               |      |        |      |
| Any AE (solicited and unsolicited)                                | 1467            | 56.8 | 54.8   | 58.7 | 1253          | 48.5 | 46.5   | 50.4 |
| Any general AE (solicited and unsolicited)                        | 880             | 34.1 | 32.2   | 35.9 | 836           | 32.4 | 30.6   | 34.2 |
| Any local AE (solicited and unsolicited)                          | 1219            | 47.2 | 45.2   | 49.1 | 890           | 34.4 | 32.6   | 36.3 |
| <b>During entire study:</b>                                       |                 |      |        |      |               |      |        |      |
| Serious adverse events  | 36              | 1.4  | 1      | 1.9  | 24            | 0.9  | 0.6    | 1.4  |
| Medically attended events   | 792             | 30.7 | 28.9   | 32.5 | 749           | 29.0 | 27.2   | 30.8 |
| Grade 3 medically attended events                                 | 26              | 1.0  | 0.7    | 1.5  | 17            | 0.7  | 0.4    | 1.1  |
| Medically attended events with causal relationship to vaccination | 6               | 0.2  | 0.1    | 0.5  | 13            | 0.5  | 0.3    | 0.9  |

n/% = number/percentage of subjects reporting at least 1 event in each group

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# Summary

- FluLaval (Q-TIV) has non-inferior immunogenicity vs a US licensed comparator in 3-17yo (PIDJ, 2012;31:605)
- FluLaval Quadrivalent (Q-QIV) met all objectives in pediatric/adult studies:
  - Efficacy was shown for any influenza (55%) and moderate to severe influenza (73%) in children 3-8 years of age
  - A superior immune response to the additional B lineage was demonstrated
  - Additional B strain did not interfere with the response to TIV strains
  - Acceptable safety profile relative to licensed TIV/HAV from >4500 individuals receiving Q-QIV

# Anticipated Availability of FluLaval (TIV and QIV)

- Q-QIV and Q-TIV license anticipated for 3 years of age and older in mid Aug 2013
- Q-QIV and Q-TIV will have same presentations:
  - Multi-dose vials (10-doses) with preservative (thimerosal)
  - Prefilled single-dose syringes, preservative free
- FluLaval TIV will be available for the 2013-14 influenza season and GSK will make limited supply of FluLaval Quadrivalent available as well, pending FDA approval



# Questions

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