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SAAWP Chair

France

Major achievements

Top level publication and initiation of the RACE-2 trial:

1. RACE trial comparing standard immunosuppressive therapy (ATG+CsA) plus Eltrombopag vs Standard IST alone in patients with severe aplastic anemia

(SAA) was published in January 2022 ([Full text link](#)). This EBMT study, supported financially by Novartis, Pfizer and Alexion, demonstrated that Eltrombopag at the top of standard hATG+CSA was associated with a better and quicker response at 3 and 6 months. At 2 years, event free survival was significantly higher for patients receiving first line the experimental treatment. Horse ATG+CSA+Eltrombopag is now the standard of care for adult patients with SAA. We acknowledge the Clinical Trial Office (CTO) of the EBMT, together with all RACE investigators and nurses for their outstanding work, as well as patients who have accepted to participate in this trial.

2. The RACE-2 trial has been ongoing since 2021. This retrospective study will assess the long-term follow-up of patients included in RACE which is of outstanding importance to evaluate the long-term safety of the use of Eltrombopag first line in patients with SAA. The trial began early 2022.

Principal research studies

[Clonal evolution in acquired aplastic anemia](#)

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[Type of Stem Cell Treatment](#)

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[Principal investigator](#)

[Pedro de Lima Prata](#)

Key publications

[2021](#)

[Eltrombopag Added to Immunosuppression in Severe Aplastic Anemia](#)

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[1st listed author](#)

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[Journal](#)

N Engl J Med.

2022

STEM CELL TRANSPLANTATION IN PATIENTS AFFECTED BY SHWACHMAN- DIAMOND SYNDROME: EXPERT CONSENSUS AND RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE EBMT SEVERE APLASTIC ANAEMIA WORKING PARTY

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Simone Cesaro

Journal

Transplant Cell Ther.

2022

How we('ll) treat paroxysmal nocturnal haemoglobinuria: diving into the future

Group

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Antonio Maria Risitano

Journal

Br J Haematol.

2022

Hemolytic paroxysmal nocturnal hemoglobinuria: 20 years of medical progress

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Regis Peffault de Latour

Journal

Semin Hematol.

2022

Upfront Alternative Donor Transplant versus Immunosuppressive Therapy in Patients with Severe Aplastic Anemia Who Lack a Fully HLA-Matched Related Donor: Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis of Retrospective Studies, on Behalf of the Severe Aplastic Anemia Working Party of the European Group for Blood and Marrow Transplantation

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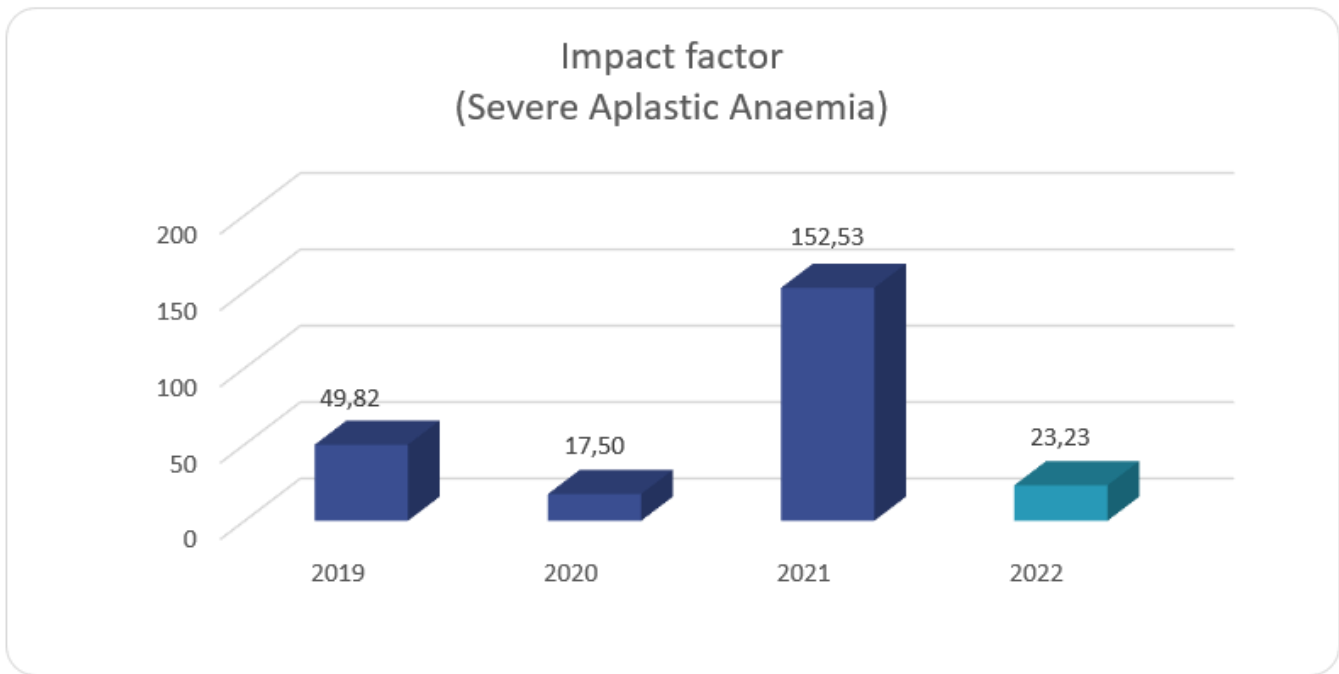
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Journal

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Oral presentations	8	4	8	22
Poster presentations	1	6	0	2
Educational events	2	4	3	4

Major educational events



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[Virtual 48th Annual Meeting of the EBMT](#)



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Severe Aplastic Anaemia Working Party Educational Meeting 2022

[Jan 28, 2022 - Jan 28, 2022 / Virtual Meeting](#)

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- SAAWP Business Meeting (Virtual) - May 27, 2022
- SAAWP Business Meeting (Face to face) - Nov. 17, 2022
- 2nd ESH-EBMT Translational Research Conference: Bone Marrow Failure Syndromes: From the cell to the cure of the disease - Nov. 18-20, 2022

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