

## EDG-5506: A Novel Approach Designed to Protect Muscle in Becker Muscular Dystrophy

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#### EDG-5506 is an investigational agent and is not approved in any territory





# Edgewise aims to improve lives of individuals living with rare muscle disorders

Founded in 2017, Edgewise is focused on developing novel therapies for muscular dystrophy, including Becker and Duchenne. We believe our investigational compound, a daily oral pill, could be used alone or in combination with other therapies, regardless of mutation.



#### The Becker Muscular Dystrophy Landscape

- Becker muscular dystrophy (BMD) is a serious dystrophinopathy with a variable clinical course. However, once declining, individuals irreversibly lose muscle and their disease progresses
- Living with Becker poses multiple challenges. To develop treatments it is critical to listen to the community to understand their lived experience
- In both BMD and DMD, contraction-induced injury in fast muscle fibers is a key aspect of the disease process, and we believe that modulation of fast myosin can protect muscle fibers from contraction-induced injury



#### **ARCH**

 A 24-month open-label study is ongoing, including adults with Becker who were in the Phase 1 trial (NCT05160415)

#### **OCANYON**

 A study in ambulatory adolescent and adult males with Becker is enrolling (ages 12+) (NCT05291091)

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• An initial study in ambulatory boys with Duchenne is enrolling (NCT05540860)





## The Edgewise Approach: Protect susceptible muscle fibers



Some muscle fibers are more susceptible to damage due to the lack of functional dystrophin



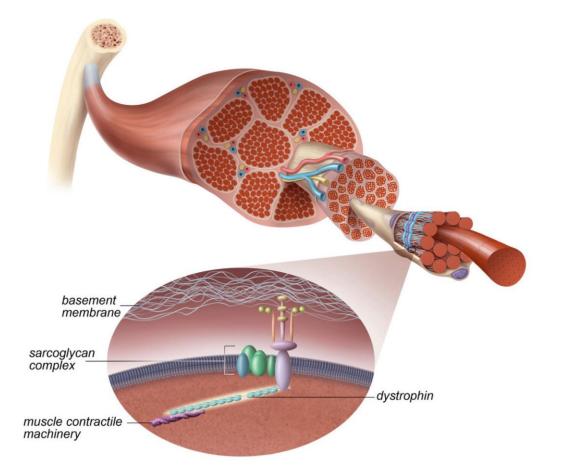
We've made an investigational therapy, **EDG-5506** that is designed to protect these susceptible muscle fibers from damage, regardless of mutation



In diseased animal models, **EDG-5506** protected susceptible muscle fibers and prevented long-term development of damage

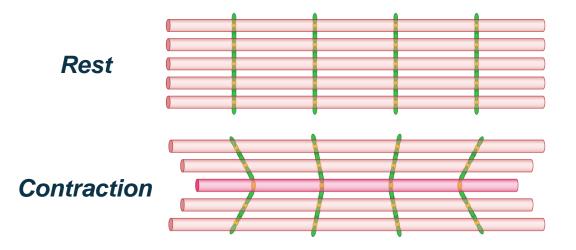


#### How Does Dystrophic Muscle Break Down?



Dystrophin connects contractile proteins to the membrane and surrounding matrix of fibers

#### With dystrophin – fibers support each other

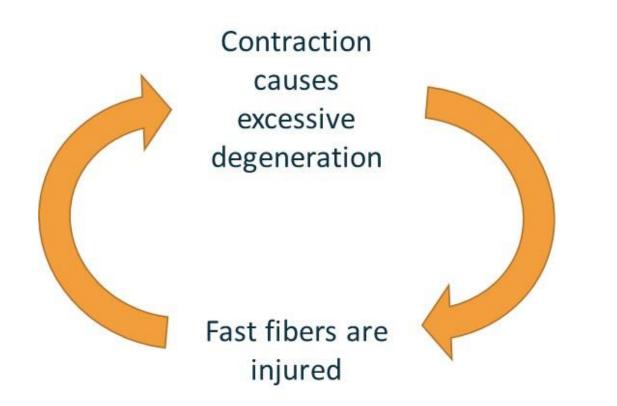


*Without dystrophin – contraction causes injury* 





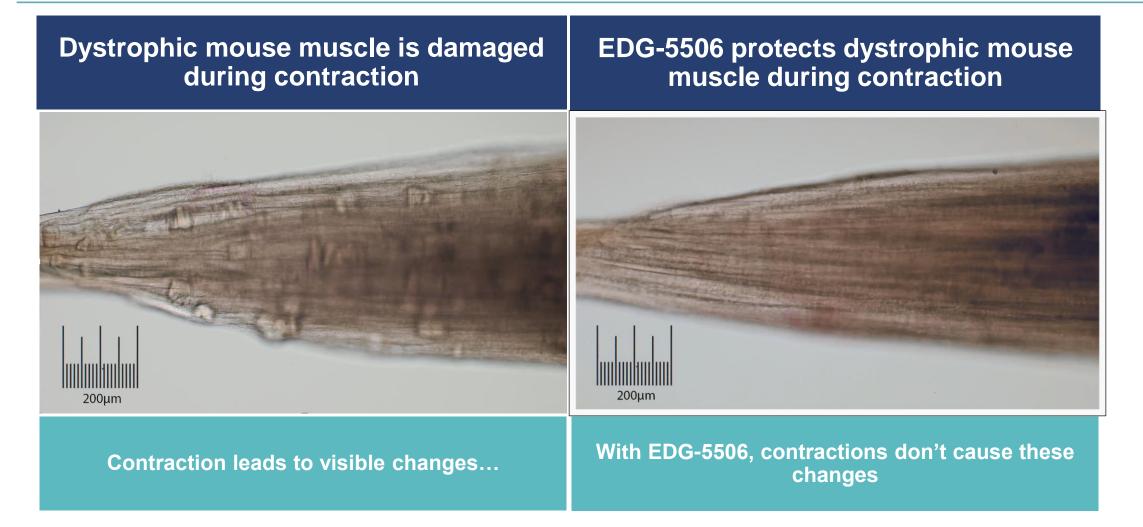
## A New Strategy to Rebalance Dystrophic Muscle



#### Protecting muscle is predicted to preserve function

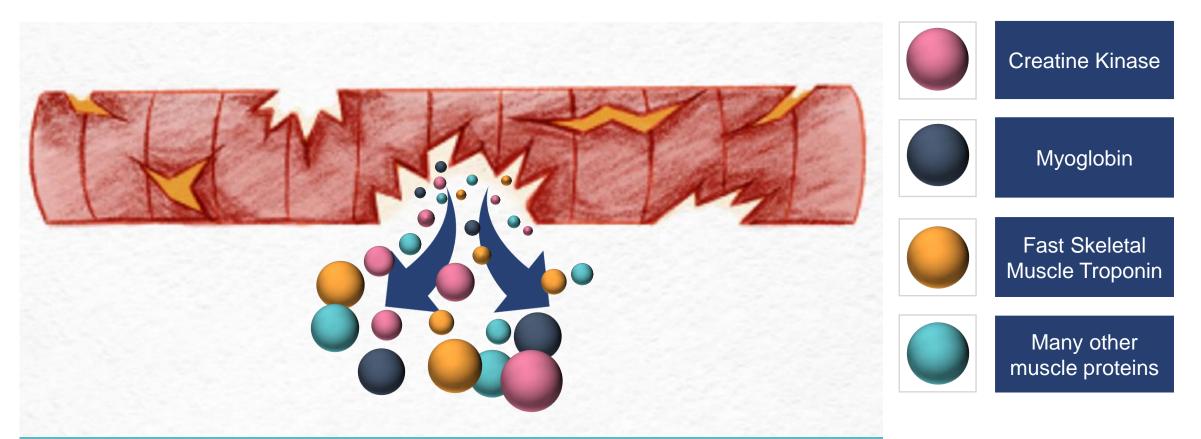


#### EDG-5506 Protects Dystrophic Mouse Muscle





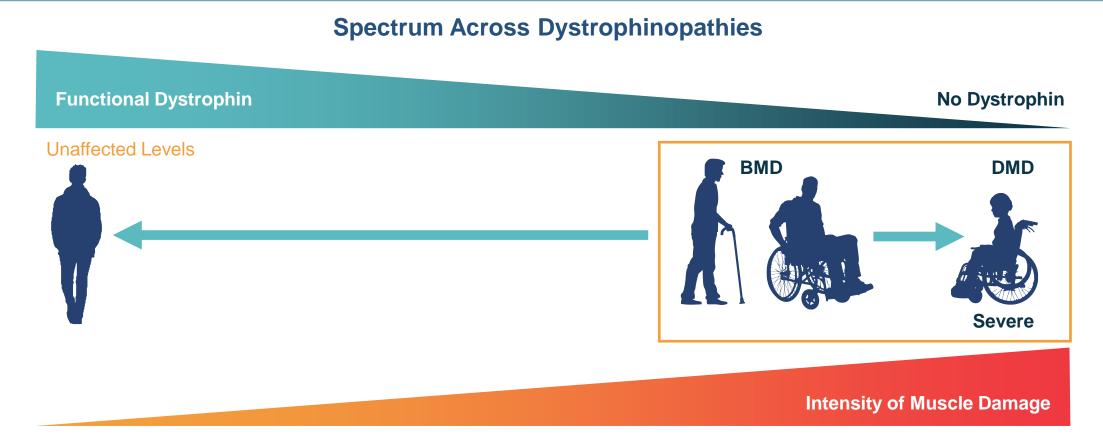
#### Injured Muscles Release Muscle Protein Biomarkers



Multiple muscle proteins enter the bloodstream and can be measured, which we term biomarkers of muscle damage



## BMD and Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy (DMD) are Related Dystrophinopathies



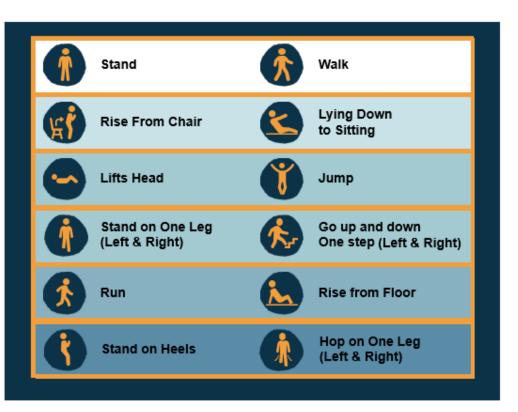
Edgewise's approach aims to prevent muscle breakdown due to lack of functional dystrophin, regardless of mutation



## North Star Ambulatory Assessment (NSAA)

- The NSAA includes 17 different activities that measure function in those who are able to walk
- Each activity is scored on whether the activity can be complete the usual way, with an adjustment because of weakness, or not at all. The maximum score is 34.
- It is used by practitioners and in clinical trials to measure motor function over time.

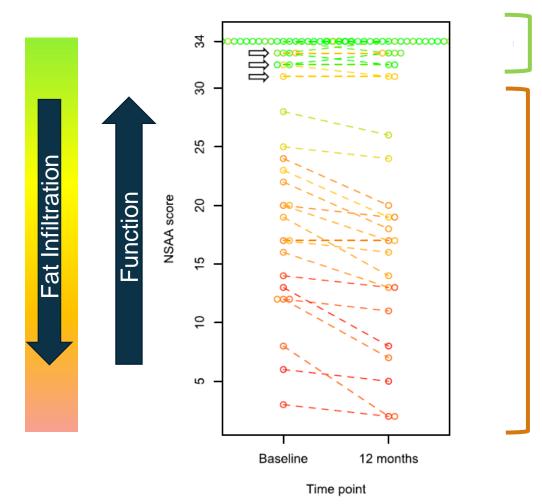
#### **Snapshot of NSAA skills assessed**





## BMD: Once Muscle Loss Occurs, Function Progressively Declines

Age doesn't predict function, but function predicts future deterioration



Individuals with NSAA near maximal have low degree of replacement of the muscle by fat and fibrosis, otherwise known as fat infiltration

Individuals with NSAA below 32 have more severe replacement of muscle by fat and fibrosis, and progressive disease over 1 year, with NSAA decreasing an average of 1.2 points annually over a 5-year period



## EDG-5506 Phase 1 Trial in Unaffected Adults and Those with Becker Muscular Dystrophy

- What do we know about side effects?
- When dosed for two weeks, EDG-5506 was well-tolerated

### How is EDG-5506 given?

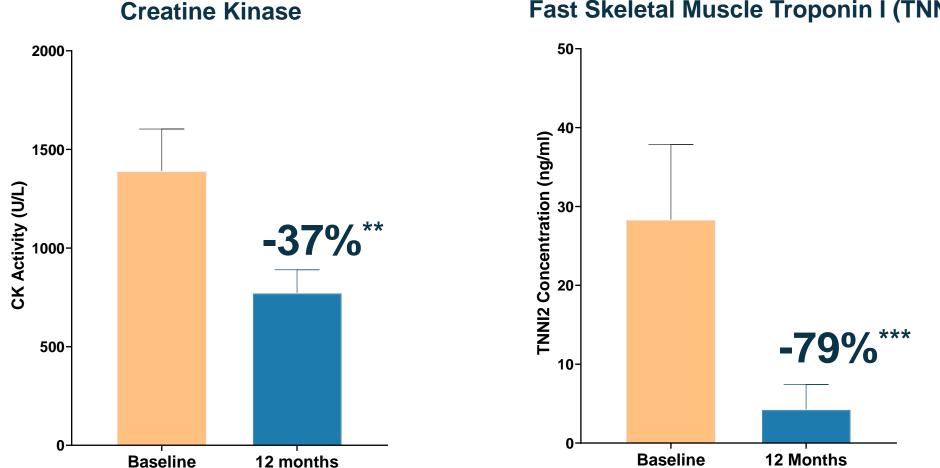
 EDG-5506 can be taken as an oral tablet once a day that is absorbed well with or without food

#### Does it get to the muscle?

EDG-5506 is highly concentrated in muscle compared to the bloodstream, which tells us that it is getting to where it needs to be to protect the muscle



#### Biomarkers of Muscle Damage in Becker Participants Decreased after 12 Months of Treatment with EDG-5506

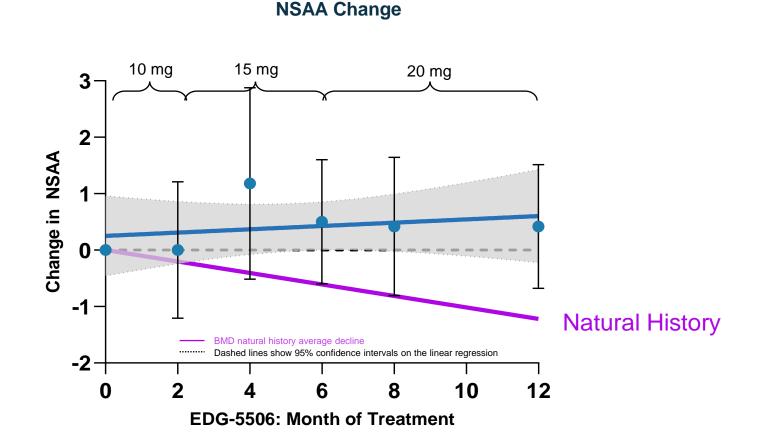


#### Fast Skeletal Muscle Troponin I (TNNI2)

NCT 05291091 % difference from baseline shown; Means ± SEM Source: Data on file; \*\* p=<0.001 ; \*\*\*p<0.0001



#### North Star Ambulatory Assessment (NSAA) Shows Trend toward Improvement Relative to Natural History



BMD individuals with a baseline NSAA score of 10-32 exhibit an estimated yearly NSAA decline of -1.22 points







A 14-month long trial to evaluate the effect of EDG-5506 on safety, tolerability, biomarkers of muscle damage and functional measures in individuals living with BMD



#### Population

- Male, ages 12-50
- Genetic diagnosis of Becker
- Ability to complete physical function activities (i.e., NSAA, 100-meter timed test)

Sites will enroll across the United States, United Kingdom, and the Netherlands



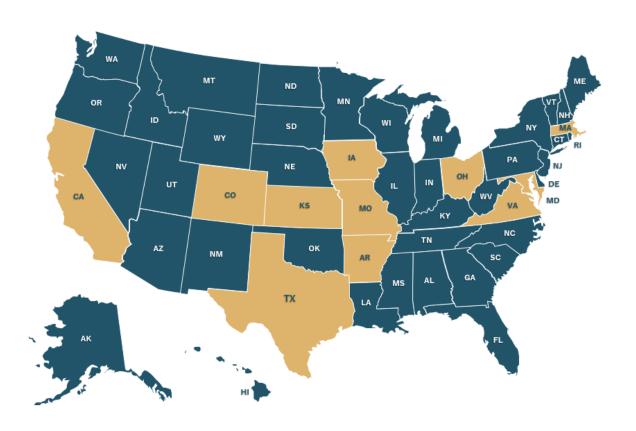
#### **Assessments and Visits**

- Approximately 10 site visits required throughout 14-month trial, including screening
- Select functional assessments and blood tests, *no muscle biopsy*
- At-home elements



#### Sites actively recruiting

- Little Rock, Arkansas
- Sacramento, California
- Aurora, Colorado
- Iowa City, Iowa
- Kansas City, Kansas
- Baltimore, Maryland
- Worcester, Massachusetts
- St. Louis, Missouri
- Cincinnati, Ohio
- Columbus, Ohio
- Dallas, Texas
- Richmond, Virginia





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Edgewise is Committed to Reducing Trial Burden for Participants



Engages with the community to understand trial burden and barriers to support the design of patient-centric trials



Provides support services for participants, i.e., travel liaison, pre-paid expenses, and resources to ease participation burden on families



Expanding geographical coverage for study sites to ease travel burden for participation





## EDG-5506 is Being Developed for Becker and Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy



- Taken orally, intended to preserve and improve function in Becker and Duchenne patients with any mutation
- Goal to prevent damage to muscle by protecting the most susceptible muscle fibers
- Potential to be used alone or in combination with other therapeutic approaches for dystrophinopathies
- Designed to stop the damage where it begins



### Key takeaways

- Becker muscular dystrophy (BMD) is a serious dystrophinopathy with a variable clinical course. However, once declining, individuals irreversibly lose muscle and their disease progresses
- Living with Becker poses multiple challenges. To develop treatments it is critical to listen to the community to understand their lived experience.
- In both BMD and DMD, contraction-induced injury is a key aspect of the disease process, and we believe that modulation of fast myosin can protect muscle fibers from contraction-induced injury
- EDG-5506 decreased biomarkers of muscle injury in individuals with BMD and clinical studies for BMD and DMD are underway



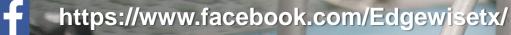


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