OMEGAVEN (fish oil triglycerides) injectable emulsion, for intravenous use Initial U.S. Approval: 2018

5/2023 Warnings and Precautions (5.1) -----INDICATIONS AND USAGE-----

Omegaven is indicated as a source of calories and fatty acids in pediatric patients with parenteral nutrition-associated cholestasis (PNAC). (1) Limitations of Use: Omegaven is not indicated for the prevention of PNAC. It has not been

demonstrated that Omegaven prevents PNAC in parenteral nutrition (PN)dependent patients. (1) It has not been demonstrated that the clinical outcomes observed in patients

treated with Omegaven are a result of the omega-6:omega-3 fatty acid ratio of the product. (1)

For infusion into a central or peripheral vein. (2.1)

See full prescribing information for administration and admixing instructions.

(2.1, 2.2)

Protect the admixed PN solution from light. (2.2)

Recommended dosage depends on age, energy expenditure, clinical status, body weight, tolerance, ability to metabolize, and consideration of additional energy sources given to the patient. The recommended daily dose (and the maximum dose) in pediatric patients is 1 g/kg/day. (2.3)

For information on infusion rate when initiating dosing and in patients with elevated triglyceride levels, see the full prescribing information. (2.3, 5.1, 5.6)

The recommended duration for infusion is between 8 and 24 hours,

depending on the clinical situation. (2.3)

-----DOSAGE FORMS AND STRENGTHS------

Injectable Emulsion: 5 g/50 mL and 10 g/100 mL (0.1 g/mL) in a single-dose

bottle (3)

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Lipid emulsions, such as Omegaven, can support microbial growth and

are an independent risk factor for the development of bloodstream

infections. The risk of infection is increased in patients with

Sections or subsections omitted from the full prescribing information are not

----CONTRAINDICATIONS-----

Known hypersensitivity to fish or egg protein or to any of the active ingredients or excipients. (4)
 Severe hemorrhagic disorders. (4)

Severe disorders of lipid metabolism characterized by hypertriglyceridemia (with serum triglycerides greater than 1,000 mg/dL). (4, 5.6)

Clinical Decompensation with Rapid Infusion of Intravenous Lipid Emulsion in Neonates and Infants: Acute respiratory distress, metabolic acidosis, and death

after rapid infusion of intravenous lipid emulsions have been reported. (5.1) <u>Hypersensitivity Reactions:</u> Monitor for signs or symptoms. Discontinue infusion if reaction occurs. (5.2)

Risk of Infections, Fat Overload Syndrome, Refeeding Syndrome, and <u>Hypertriglyceridemia:</u> Monitor for signs and symptoms; monitor laboratory parameters. (5.3, 5.4, 5.5, 5.6)

<u>Aluminum Toxicity</u>: Increased risk in patients with renal impairment, including preterm infants. (5.7)

Monitoring and Laboratory Tests: Routine laboratory monitoring is recommended, including monitoring for essential fatty acid deficiency. (5.8)

----ADVERSE REACTIONS-----Most common adverse drug reactions (>15%) are: vomiting, agitation, bradycardia, apnea and viral infection. (6.1)

To report SUSPECTED ADVERSE REACTIONS, contact Fresenius Kabi USA, LLC at 1-800-551-7176 or FDA at 1-800-FDA-1088 or

-----DRUG INTERACTIONS-----Antiplatelet Agents and Anticoagulants: Prolonged bleeding time has been

reported in patients taking antiplatelet agents or anticoagulants and oral omega-3 fatty acids. Periodically monitor bleeding time in patients receiving Omegaven and concomitant antiplatelet agents or anticoagulants. (7.1)

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FULL PRESCRIBING INFORMATION INDICATIONS AND USAGE

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Limitations of Use:

2.1 Administration Instructions

been demonstrated that Omegaven prevents PNAC in parenteral nutrition (PN)-dependent patients [see Clinical Studies (14)]. It has not been demonstrated that the clinical outcomes observed in patients treated with Omegaven are a result of the omega-6:

Omegaven is not indicated for the prevention of PNAC. It has not

omega-3 fatty acid ratio of the product [see Clinical Studies (14)]. DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION

Omegaven can be administered alone or as part of a PN admixture.

Omegaven is for central or peripheral intravenous infusion. When administered with dextrose and amino acids, the choice of a central

or peripheral venous route should depend on the osmolarity of the

final infusate. Solutions with osmolarity of 900 mOsm/L or greater

Use a dedicated line for PN. Omegaven should be infused

must be infused through a central vein. Do not exceed the recommended maximum infusion rate in Table 1 [see Dosage and Administration (2.3) and Warnings and Precautions (5.1)].

concurrently into the same vein as dextrose-amino acid solutions (as part of PN) by a Y-connector located closest to the infusion

Use a 1.2 micron in-line filter during administration.

site: flow rates of each solution should be controlled separately by infusion pumps. Avoid multiple connections; do not connect multiple medications in series. Turn off the pump before the bottle Use a vented infusion set when Omegaven is infused from the bottle. Do not use infusion sets and lines that contain di-2-ethylhexyl phthalate (DEHP). Infusion sets that contain polyvinyl chloride

(PVC) components have DEHP as a plasticizer. Prior to infusion, visually inspect Omegaven for particulate matter and discoloration. Discard the bottle if any particulates or

Gently invert the bottle before use. Use Omegaven only if the emulsion is homogeneous and the container is undamaged. Strict aseptic techniques must be followed.

After connecting the infusion set, start infusion of Omegaven immediately. Complete the infusion within 12 hours when using a Y-connector and within 24 hours when used as part of an

Hang the bottle using the attached hanger and start infusion.

For single use only. Discard unused portion. 2.2 Admixing Instructions If Omegaven is administered as part of a PN admixture, follow the instructions below.

Prepare the admixture in PN containers using strict aseptic

techniques to avoid microbial contamination. Do not add Omegaven directly to the empty PN container; destabilization of the lipid emulsion may occur.

When Omegaven is administered with other infusion solutions

destabilization.

discoloration are observed.

(e.g., amino acids, dextrose), the compatibility of the solutions used must be ensured. Questions related to compatibility may be directed to Fresenius Kabi USA, LLC, at 1-800-551-7176.

The following proper mixing sequence must be followed to minimize pH-related problems by ensuring that typically acidic dextrose solutions are not mixed with lipid emulsions alone: 1. Transfer dextrose solution to the PN container.

2. Transfer amino acid solution to the PN container.

3. Transfer Omegaven to the PN container.

Simultaneous transfer of amino acid solution, dextrose solution, and Omegaven using an automated compounding device is also permitted; follow automated compounding device instructions as

Use gentle agitation during admixing to minimize localized

concentration effects; shake container gently after each addition.

The prime destabilizers of emulsions are excessive acidity (such as a pH less than 5) and inappropriate electrolyte content. Care should be taken if adding divalent cations (e.g., Ca++ and Mg++), which have been shown to cause emulsion instability. Amino acid solutions exert buffering effects that can protect the emulsion from

Inspect the admixture to ensure that precipitates have not formed

during preparation of the admixture and the emulsion has not

separated. Separation of the emulsion can be visibly identified by a yellowish streaking or the accumulation of yellowish droplets in the admixture. Discard the admixture if any of these are observed. Stability and Storage Protect the admixed PN solution from light. Start infusion of admixtures containing Omegaven immediately. If not used immediately, admixtures may be stored for up to

6 hours at room temperature or up to 24 hours under refrigeration.

Complete the infusion within 24 hours after removal from storage.

Any remaining contents of a partly used PN container must be

Prior to administration of Omegaven, correct severe fluid and

electrolyte disorders and measure serum triglycerides to establish

The dosing of Omegaven depends on each patient's energy

requirements, which may be influenced by age, body weight,

tolerance, clinical status, and ability to metabolize and eliminate

Follow the instructions of each product included in the admixture. 2.3 Dosing Information

a baseline level. Initiate Omegaven dosing as soon as direct or conjugated bilirubin (DBil) levels are 2 mg/dL or greater in pediatric patients who are expected to be PN-dependent for at least 2 weeks.

When determining dose, take into account the energy supplied by dextrose and amino acids from PN, as well as energy from oral

Recommended Pediatric Dosing

Nutritional Requirements

Recommended Initial Dosage

and Maximum Dosage

maximum daily dose

bottle.

1 g/kg/day; this is also the

or enteral nutrition. Energy provided from lipid-based medications must also be taken into account (e.g., propofol). Omegaven contains 0.15 to 0.30 mg/mL of dl-alpha-tocopherol. Take into account the amount of alpha-tocopherol in Omegaven when determining the need for additional supplementation of vitamin E.

recommended nutritional requirements of fat and

recommended dosage of Omegaven to meet those requirements

for pediatric patients are provided in Table 1, along with recommendations for the initial and maximum infusion rates.

If hypertriglyceridemia (triglycerides greater than 250 mg/dL in neonates and infants or greater than 400 mg/dL in older children)

develops once Omegaven has been initiated at the recommended

0.5 g to 0.75 g/kg/day with an incremental increase to 1 g/kg/day.

Monitor triglyceride levels during treatment [see Warnings and

dosage, consider stopping the administration of Omegaven for 4 hours and obtain a repeat serum triglyceride level. Resume Omegaven based on new result as indicated. In patients with elevated triglyceride levels, consider other reasons for hypertriglyceridemia (e.g., renal disease, other drugs). If triglycerides remain at elevated levels, consider a reduced dose of

Precautions (5.6, 5.8)]. The recommended duration for infusion of Omegaven is between 8 and 24 hours, depending on the clinical situation. Administer Omegaven until DBil levels are less than 2 mg/dL or until the patient no longer requires PN. Table 1: Recommended Pediatric Dosage and Infusion Rate

Direct Infusion Rate

0.2 mL/kg/hour for the

first 15 to 30 minutes;

Maximum

1.5 mL/kg/hour

gradually increase to the required rate after 30 minutes

Injectable Emulsion: 5 g/50 mL and 10 g/100 mL (0.1 g/mL) sterile,

white, homogenous emulsion in a 50-mL and 100-mL single-dose

DOSAGE FORMS AND STRENGTHS

Initial

4 CONTRAINDICATIONS Use of Omegaven is contraindicated in patients with: Known hypersensitivity to fish or egg protein or to any of the active ingredients or excipients [see Warnings and Precautions (5.2)].

Severe hemorrhagic disorders due to a potential effect on platelet Severe disorders of lipid metabolism characterized by hypertriglyceridemia (serum triglyceride concentrations greater than

1,000 mg/dL) [see Warnings and Precautions (5.6)].

5.1 Clinical Decompensation with Rapid Infusion of Intravenous Lipid Emulsion in Neonates and Infants In the postmarket setting, serious adverse reactions including acute

infusion rate should not exceed 1.5 mL/kg/hour [see Dosage and Administration (2.3)]. Preterm and small for gestational age infants have poor clearance of

Strictly adhere to the recommended total daily dosage; the hourly

intravenous lipid emulsion and increased free fatty acid plasma levels following lipid emulsion infusion. Carefully monitor the infant's ability to eliminate the infused lipids

from the circulation (e.g., measure serum triglycerides and/or plasma free fatty acid levels). If signs of poor clearance of lipids from the circulation occur, stop the infusion and initiate a medical evaluation [see Warnings and Precautions (5.4, 5.6) and Overdosage (10)].

respiratory distress, metabolic acidosis, and death have been reported in neonates and infants after rapid infusion of intravenous lipid emulsions. Hypertriglyceridemia was commonly reported.

5 WARNINGS AND PRECAUTIONS

5.2 Hypersensitivity Reactions Omegaven contains fish oil and egg phospholipids, which may cause hypersensitivity reactions. Signs or symptoms of a hypersensitivity reaction may include: tachypnea, dyspnea, hypoxia, bronchospasm, tachycardia, hypotension, cyanosis, vomiting, nausea, headache, sweating, dizziness, altered mentation, flushing, rash, urticaria,

erythema, fever, or chills. If a hypersensitivity reaction occurs, stop infusion of Omegaven immediately and initiate appropriate treatment

and supportive measures [see Contraindications (4)].

5.3 Infections

malnutrition-associated immunosuppression, long-term use and poor maintenance of intravenous catheters, or immunosuppressive effects of other conditions or concomitant drugs. To decrease the risk of infectious complications, ensure aseptic technique in catheter placement and maintenance, as well as in the preparation and administration of Omegaven. Monitor for signs and symptoms of early infections including fever and chills, laboratory test results that might indicate infection

(including leukocytosis and hyperglycemia), and frequently inspect the intravenous catheter insertion site for edema, redness, and discharge.

5.4 Fat Overload Syndrome Fat overload syndrome is a rare condition that has been reported with intravenous lipid emulsions. A reduced or limited ability to metabolize lipids accompanied by prolonged plasma clearance may result in this syndrome, which is characterized by a sudden

deterioration in the patient's condition including fever, anemia,

leukopenia, thrombocytopenia, coagulation disorders, hyperlipidemia,

hepatomegaly, deteriorating liver function, and central nervous system manifestations (e.g., coma). The cause of fat overload syndrome is unclear. Although it has been most frequently observed when the recommended lipid dose was exceeded, cases have also been described where the formulation was administered according to instructions. The syndrome is usually reversible when the infusion of the lipid emulsion is stopped. 5.5 Refeeding Syndrome o severely malnourished patients may result in refeeding syndrome, which is characterized by the intracellular shift of potassium, phosphorus, and magnesium as the patient becomes anabolic. Thiamine deficiency and fluid retention may also develop. To prevent these complications, closely monitor severely malnourished

5.6 Hypertriglyceridemia Impaired lipid metabolism with hypertriglyceridemia may occur in conditions such as inherited lipid disorders, obesity, diabetes mellitus,

5.7 Aluminum Toxicity

patients and slowly increase their nutrient intake.

and metabolic syndrome. Serum triglyceride levels greater than 1,000 mg/dL have been associated with an increased risk of pancreatitis [see Contraindications (4)]. To evaluate the patient's capacity to metabolize and eliminate the infused lipid emulsion, measure serum triglycerides before the start of infusion (baseline value), and regularly throughout treatment. If hypertriglyceridemia (triglycerides greater than 250 mg/dL in

develops, consider stopping the administration of Omegaven for 4 hours and obtain a repeat serum triglyceride level. Resume Omegaven based on new result as indicated [see Dosage and Administration (2.3)].

neonates and infants or greater than 400 mg/dL in older children)

Omegaven contains no more than 25 mcg/L of aluminum. Aluminum may reach toxic levels with prolonged parenteral administration if kidney function is impaired. Preterm infants are particularly at risk because their kidneys are immature, and they require large amounts of calcium and phosphate solutions, which contain aluminum. Patients with impaired kidney function, including preterm infants, who receive parenteral levels of aluminum at greater than 4 to 5 mcg/kg/day

accumulate aluminum at levels associated with central nervous system

and bone toxicity. Tissue loading may occur at even lower rates of

Monitor fluid status closely in patients with pulmonary edema or heart

Throughout treatment, monitor serum triglycerides [see Warnings and

Precautions (5.7)], fluid and electrolyte status, serum osmolarity, blood glucose, liver and kidney function, blood count (including platelets), and coagulation parameters.

activity [see Drug Interactions (7)].

ADVERSE REACTIONS

elsewhere in the labeling:

elements

Bradycardia

Viral Infection

Apnea

Erythema

nutrition [see Clinical Studies (14)].

5.8 Monitoring/Laboratory Tests

6 hours after stopping the infusion.

Essential Fatty Acids

Routine Monitoring

The lipids contained in Omegaven may interfere with the results of some laboratory tests (e.g., hemoglobin, lactate dehydrogenase, bilirubin, oxygen saturation) if the blood is sampled before the lipids have cleared from the bloodstream. Conduct these tests at least

Omegaven contains Vitamin K that may counteract anticoagulant

Monitoring patients for signs and symptoms of essential fatty acid deficiency (EFAD) is recommended. Laboratory tests are available to determine serum fatty acids levels. Reference values should be consulted to help determine adequacy of essential fatty acid status. Increasing essential fatty acid intake (enterally or parenterally) is effective in treating and preventing EFAD.

Clinical Decompensation with Rapid Infusion of Intravenous Lipid Emulsion in Neonates and Infants [see Warnings and Precautions (5.1)] Hypersensitivity reactions [see Warnings and Precautions (5.2)]

Infections [see Warnings and Precautions (5.3)]

The following clinically significant adverse reactions are described

Refeeding syndrome [see Warnings and Precautions (5.5)] Hypertriglyceridemia [see Warnings and Precautions (5.6)] Aluminum toxicity [see Warnings and Precautions (5.7)] 6.1 Clinical Trials Experience

Because clinical trials are conducted under widely varying conditions,

Fat overload syndrome [see Warnings and Precautions (5.4)]

adverse reaction rates observed in the clinical trials of a drug cannot be directly compared to rates in the clinical trials of another drug and may not reflect the rates observed in practice. The safety database for Omegaven reflects exposure in 189 pediatric patients (19 days to 15 years of age) treated for a median of 14 weeks

(3 days to 8 years) in two clinical trials. Omegaven was administered

at a maximum dose of 1 g/kg/day as the lipid component of a PN

regimen which also included dextrose, amino acids, vitamins, and trace

158 (84%) of these patients received concurrent lipids from enteral

Adverse reactions that occurred in more than 5% of patients who received Omegaven and with a higher incidence than the comparator group are shown in Table 2. Patients had a complicated medical and surgical history prior to receiving Omegaven treatment and the mortality was 13%. Underlying clinical conditions prior to the initiation of Omegaven therapy included prematurity, low birth

Treated Pediatric Patients with PNAC Omegaven (N=189)**n (%)** 87 (46) **Adverse Reaction** Vomiting Agitation 67 (35)

66 (35)

38 (20)

30 (16)

23 (12)

weight, necrotizing enterocolitis, short bowel syndrome, ventilator dependence, coagulopathy, intraventricular hemorrhage, and sepsis.

Table 2: Adverse Reactions in Greater Than 5% of Omegaven-

Rash 15 (8) 14 (7) Abscess 13 (7) Neutropenia Hypertonia 11 (6) Incision site erythema 11 (6) Twelve (6%) Omegaven-treated patients were listed for liver transplantation (1 patient was listed 18 days before treatment, and 11 patients after a median of 42 days [range: 2 days to 8 months] of treatment); 9 (5%) received a transplant after a median of 121 days (range: 25 days to 6 months) of treatment, and 3 (2%) were taken off the waiting list because cholestasis resolved. One hundred thirteen (60%) Omegaven-treated patients reached DBil

levels less than 2 mg/dL and AST or ALT levels less than 3 times the

upper limit of normal, with median AST and ALT levels for Omegaven-

treated patients at 89 and 65 U/L, respectively, by the end of the study. Median hemoglobin levels and platelet counts for Omegaven-treated patients at baseline were 10.2 g/dL and 173 \times 10 9 /L, and by the end of the study these levels were 10.5 g/dL and 217×10^9 /L, respectively. Adverse reactions associated with bleeding were experienced by 74 (39%) of Omegaven-treated patients. Median glucose levels at baseline and the end of the study were 86 and 87 mg/dL for Omegaven-treated patients, respectively. Hyperglycemia was experienced by 13 (7%) Omegaven-treated patients. Median triglyceride levels at baseline and the end of the study were 121 mg/dL and 72 mg/dL for Omegaven-treated patients respectively.

Hypertriglyceridemia was experienced by 5 (3%) Omegaven-treated

The triene:tetraene (Mead acid:arachidonic acid) ratio was used to

monitor essential fatty acid status in Omegaven-treated patients only in Study 1 (n = 123) [see Warnings and Precautions (5.8)]. The median

triene:tetraene ratio was 0.02 (interquartile range: 0.01 to 0.03) at

both baseline and the end of the study. Blood samples for analysis

may have been drawn while the lipid emulsion was being infused and patients received enteral or oral nutrition. 6.2 Postmarketing Experience The following adverse reaction has been identified with use of Omegaven in another country. Because this reaction was reported voluntarily from a population of uncertain size, it is not possible to

reliably estimate its frequency or establish a causal relationship to drug

exposure. Life-threatening hemorrhage following a central venous catheter change was reported in a 9-month-old infant with intestinal failure who received PN with Omegaven as the sole lipid source; he had no

prior history of bleeding, coagulopathy, or portal hypertension. **DRUG INTERACTIONS**

7.1 Antiplatelet Agents and Anticoagulants Some published studies have demonstrated prolongation of bleeding time in patients taking antiplatelet agents or anticoagulants and oral omega-3 fatty acids. The prolongation of bleeding times reported in those studies did not exceed normal limits and there were no clinically significant bleeding episodes. Nonetheless, it is recommended to periodically monitor bleeding time in patients receiving Omegaven and concomitant antiplatelet agents or anticoagulants.

8 **USE IN SPECIFIC POPULATIONS**

8.1 Pregnancy Risk Summary

There are no available data on Omegaven use in pregnant women to establish a drug- associated risk of major birth defects, miscarriage, or adverse maternal or fetal outcomes. Animal reproduction studies have not been conducted with fish oil triglycerides.

The estimated background risk of major birth defects and miscarriage in the indicated population is unknown. All pregnancies have a background risk of birth defect, loss, or other adverse outcomes. In the US general population, the estimated background risk of major birth defects and miscarriage in clinically recognized pregnancies is 2% to 4% and 15% to 20%, respectively.

8.2 Lactation

Risk Summary

No data are available regarding the presence of fish oil triglycerides from Omegaven in human milk, the effects on the breastfed infant, or the effects on milk production. Lactating women receiving oral omega-3 fatty acids have been shown to have higher levels of omega-3 fatty acids in their milk. The developmental and health benefits of breastfeeding should be considered along with the mother's clinical need for Omegaven, and any potential adverse effects of Omegaven on the breastfed infant.

8.4 Pediatric Use The effectiveness of Omegaven was established in two open-label clinical trials of 82 pediatric patients, 3 to 42 weeks of age, including preterm neonates with estimated gestational age of greater than 24 weeks at birth. Patients administered Omegaven attained

and maintained growth through at least 108 weeks of treatment [see Clinical Studies (14)]. The safety of Omegaven was established in 189 pediatric patients

(19 days to 15 years of age). The most common adverse reactions in Omegaven-treated patients were vomiting, agitation, and bradycardia [(see Adverse Reactions (6.1)]. In the postmarketing setting, clinical decompensation with rapid infusion of intravenous lipid emulsion in neonates and infants, sometimes fatal has been reported [see Warnings and Precautions

Preterm neonates and infants who receive treatment with Omegaven may be at risk of aluminum toxicity and other metabolic abnormalities [see Warnings and Precautions (5.7, 5.8)].

8.5 Geriatric Use Clinical trials of Omegaven did not include patients 65 years of age

and older

(5.1)].

10 OVERDOSAGE In the event of an overdose, serious adverse reactions may occur [see

Warnings and Precautions (5.1, 5.4)]. Stop the infusion of Omegaven

If medically appropriate, further intervention may be indicated. Lipids

until triglyceride levels have normalized and any symptoms have abated. The effects are usually reversible by stopping the lipid infusion.

0.015 mmol/mL.

are not dialyzable from serum. 11 DESCRIPTION Omegaven (fish oil triglycerides) is a sterile, nonpyrogenic, white, homogenous emulsion for intravenous infusion as a supply of calories in patients with PNAC. Each mL of Omegaven contains 0.1 g of fish oil, 0.012 g egg phospholipids, 0.025 g glycerin, 0.15 to 0.3 mg dl-alphatocopherol, 0.3 mg sodium oleate, water for injection, and sodium

hydroxide for pH adjustment (pH 6 to 9). The phosphate content is

The fish oil included in Omegaven is a triglyceride mixture consisting of

esters of long-chain saturated fatty acids and unsaturated fatty acids with the following structure:

each position, possible structures can have molecular weights ranging from 700 to 1000 g/mol. The main fatty acid components of the fish oil in Omegaven are EPA (13% to 26%) and DHA (14% to 27%). The fish oil also contains palmitic acid (4% to 12%), oleic acid (4% to 11%), palmitoleic acid (4% to 10%), myristic acid (2% to 7%), and arachidonic acid (0.2% to 2.0%). Additionally, the mean contents of linoleic acid and alpha-linolenic acid are 1.5% and 1.1%, respectively. The fish oil component has a total omega-3 fatty acid content of 40% to 54%. The empirical formula, molecular weight, and chemical structure of the main fatty acid components are:

are 1.0 g EPA (range: 0.6 to 1.5 g) and 0.96 g DHA (range: 0.7 to 1.7 g). Additionally, the mean content of linoleic acid, alphalinolenic acid, and arachidonic acid per 50 mL are 0.16 g, 0.07 g, and 0.13 g, respectively Omegaven 10 g/100 mL contains 10 grams of fish oil and 1.2 g $\,$ egg phospholipids, 2.5 g glycerin, 15 to 30 mg dl-alpha-tocopherol, 0.03 g sodium oleate, water for injection, and sodium hydroxide for pH adjustment (pH 6 to 9) packaged in a single-dose 100-mL glass

bottle enclosed with rubber stopper. The phosphate content of the

The mean content of the two major fatty acid components in 50 mL

drug product is 0.75 mmol.

drug product is 1.5 mmol. The mean content of the two major fatty acid components in 100 mL are 2.0 g EPA (range: 1.2 to 3.0 g) and 1.9 g DHA (range: 1.3 to 3.3 g). Additionally, the mean content of linoleic acid, alpha-linolenic acid, and arachidonic acid per 100 mL are 0.31 g, 0.13 g, and 0.25 g; respectively. The total energy content of Omegaven is 112 kcal/100 mL (1.12 kcal/mL), including lipids, phospholipids, and glycerol. Omegaven has an osmolality of approximately 342 mOsm/kg water (which represents an osmolarity of 273 mOsm/L).

Omegaven contains no more than 25 mcg/L of aluminum.

12.1 Mechanism of Action Omegaven provides a biologically utilizable source of calories and essential fatty acids. Fatty acids serve as an important substrate for energy production. The

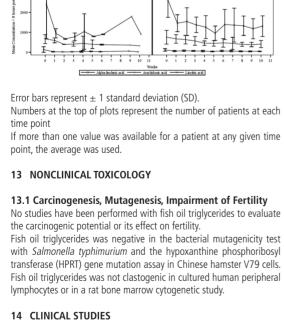
most common mechanism of action for energy production derived

from fatty acid metabolism is beta oxidation. Fatty acids are also important for membrane structure and function, as precursors for bioactive molecules (such as prostaglandins), and as regulators of gene expression.

12 CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY

12.3 Pharmacokinetics The plasma concentrations of EPA and DHA, the major fatty acids in Omegaven, as well as linoleic acid and alpha-linolenic acid (essential

fatty acids) were measured along with the markers of essential fatty acid status in 58 pediatric patients with PNAC after an intravenous infusion of 1 mg/kg/day of Omegaven over 10 weeks. Five patients received Omegaven as the exclusive lipid source, and all others received concurrent enteral or oral nutrition. Figure 1: Mean Plasma Concentrations of Fatty Acids Over 10 Weeks of Omegaven Infusion in Pediatric Patients with PNAC



single-center clinical trials (Study 1, NCT00910104, and Study 2, NCT00738101) in pediatric patients with PNAC (defined as direct or conjugated bilirubin [DBil] equal to or greater than 2 mg/dL) who

of Omegaven to the soybean oil-based lipid emulsion comparator, the data from these studies support Omegaven as a source of calories in pediatric patients with PNAC. Nutritional efficacy was assessed by biomarkers of lipid metabolism, growth indices (body weight, length/ height and head circumference), and/or mean changes in fatty acid parameters Both trials prospectively enrolled Omegaven-treated patients (maximum dose of 1 g/kg/day) and used historical control patients who received a soybean oil-based lipid emulsion (maximum dose

The efficacy of Omegaven was evaluated in two open-label

required PN for at least 14 days. Although Study 1 and Study 2 were not adequately designed to demonstrate noninferiority or superiority

of 3 g/kg/day) as a comparator. Patients were expected to require

PN, which also included dextrose, amino acids, vitamins and trace elements, for at least 30 days (Study 1) or 14 days (Study 2), had and Study 2 enrolled patients less than 5 years of age. Patients with another cause of chronic liver disease (in the absence of intestinal failure) were excluded. Patients with an international normalized ratio (INR) greater than 2 and patients with portal vein thrombosis or reversal of portal flow by abdominal ultrasound were also excluded.

For the efficacy analyses of Studies 1 and 2, Omegaven-treated patients were pair-matched in a 2:1 manner to historical control patients primarily based on DBil levels and postmenstrual age at baseline. There were 123 patients (82 Omegaven; 41 historical control) in this population, 78 (52; 26) were from Study 1, and 45 (30; 15) were from Study 2. A summary of concurrent enteral/oral nutrition intake for each study is provided in Table 3. Table 3: Summary of Median Enteral or Oral Intakes in Pediatric Patients with PNAC in Study 1 and Study 2

PNAC, and had received standard therapies to prevent progression of liver disease. Study 1 enrolled patients less than 2 years of age

Control (n=26) Control (n=15) Omegaver (n=50)^a Omegave (n=30) Parameter Number of patients who 44 (88%) 26 (100%) 24 (80%) 14 (93%) received concurrent enteral or oral nutrition Percentage of total calories provided enterally or orally, median (Min - Max) 24% (1% – 53%) 25% (0.4% – 68%) 21% (1% – 75%) 12% (3% – 40%)

a. Two Omegaven-treated patients in Study 1 did not have data regarding enteral or oral intakes.

Historical

Historical

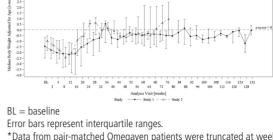
median chronological age was 9 weeks (range: 3 to 42 weeks) in the Omegaven group and 7 weeks (range: 0 to 41 weeks) in the historical control group. The majority of these patients were preterm infants at birth (90% Omegaven; 83% historical control), with gestational age categories as follows: extremely preterm (31%; 20%); very preterm (20%; 24%); moderate or late preterm (40%; 39%). A majority of patients were also considered to have low, very-low, or extremely-low birth weights (76%; 82%), with birth weight categories as follows: extremely-low birth weight (34%; 24%); very-low birth weight (17%; 21%); low birth weight (25%; 37%). The efficacy analysis population had more males (51%; 59%) than

In the combined efficacy analysis population from Study 1 and Study 2,

females, and the majority of patients were White (60%; 66%). At baseline, the median age-adjusted body weight (Z-score) was -1.3 for the Omegaven group and -1.1 for the historical control group; 27%

and 28% were low-for-age in body weight, 43% and 40% were lowfor-age in body height/length, and 25% and 15% were low-for-age in head circumference for the Omegaven and historical control groups, respectively (low-for-age corresponded to Z-scores less than or equal to -1.9 for each growth parameter). In the efficacy analysis population, baseline median DBil, AST, and ALT levels were 3.8 mg/dL, 101 U/L, and 67 U/L, respectively, for the Omegaven group; and 3.8 mg/dL, 115 U/L, and 52 U/L, respectively, for the historical control group. The median (range) of the duration of treatment was 2.7 months

groups, there was an initial decline in all growth parameters (weight, height/length, head circumference) over the initial weeks of treatment, followed by catch-up growth and more age-appropriate values through the remainder of the study. By comparing the Omegaven study data to age-standardized Fenton and World Health Organization (WHO) growth charts to assess age appropriate growth in patients with PNAC, patients treated with Omegaven as their exclusive lipid source also achieved age- appropriate growth. Figure 2: Median Age-Adjusted Body Weight (Z-scores) Over



In the combined analysis from Study 1 and Study 2, the number of Omegaven and historical control patients who achieved full enteral

approximately 15 weeks for both groups. At the end of the studies, the median DBil level for Omegaven-treated patients was 0.60 mg/dL (interquartile range: 0.1 to 2.8 mg/dL). The Kaplan-Meier estimate of the median time for DBil values to return to less than 2.0 mg/dL was approximately 5.7 weeks [see Dosage and

Administration (2.3), Adverse Reactions (6.1)]. 16 HOW SUPPLIED/STORAGE AND HANDLING Omegaven (fish oil triglycerides) injectable emulsion, 5 g/50 mL and 10 g/100 mL (0.1 g/mL) is a white, homogenous, sterile emulsion

supplied as follows: 50 mL single-dose glass bottle

NDC 63323-205-21 Carton of 10 x 50 mL NDC 63323-205-50 100 mL single-dose glass bottle NDC 63323-205-31

NDC 63323-205-00 The stopper used as the bottle closure is not made with natural rubber latex, PVC, or DEHP. Storage and Handling

immediately. Complete infusion within 12 hours when using a Y-connector [see Dosage and Administration (2.1)]. Infuse admixtures containing Omegaven immediately. If not used immediately, admixtures can be stored for up to 6 hours at room

temperature or up to 24 hours under refrigeration. Complete the

infusion within 24 hours after removal from storage [see Dosage and Administration (2.2)1. 17 PATIENT COUNSELING INFORMATION When initiating Omegaven administration, discuss the following

Inform caregivers that acute respiratory distress and death may occur in neonates and infants after rapid infusion of intravenous lipid emulsions. If Omegaven is infused at home, instruct caregivers not

to exceed the maximum infusion rate [see Warnings and Precautions

Hypersensitivity reactions Inform caregivers that Omegaven may cause hypersensitivity reactions. If Omegaven is infused at home, instruct caregivers to stop the infusion of Omegaven immediately and seek medical attention if a hypersensitivity reaction occurs [see Warnings and Precautions (5.2)].

of Omegaven and to monitor for signs and symptoms of infection [see Warnings and Precautions (5.3)]. Fat overload syndrome Inform caregivers that fat overload syndrome has been reported with the use of intravenous lipid emulsions. If Omegaven is infused at home, instruct caregivers to stop Omegaven if signs or symptoms

of fat overload syndrome occur [see Warnings and Precautions (5.4)].

Refeeding syndrome If the patient is severely malnourished, inform caregivers that

administering parenteral nutrition including Omegaven may result in refeeding syndrome [see Warnings and Precautions (5.5)]. **Hypertriglyceridemia** Inform caregivers about the risk of hypertriglyceridemia with Omegaven use [see Warnings and Precautions (5.6)].

Inform caregivers that prolonged PN administration in patients with

renal impairment, including preterm neonates, may result in aluminum

reaching toxic levels associated with central nervous system and bone toxicity [see Warnings and Precautions (5.7)].

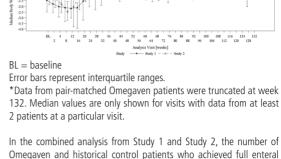
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feeding by the end of the study was 52 (63%) patients and 24 (59%) patients, respectively. The median time to full enteral feeding was

(5 days to 8 years) for the Omegaven group and 3.6 months (16 days to 2 years) for the historical control group. The changes in median age-adjusted body weight (Z-scores) over time for Omegaven- treated patients (Figure 2) appeared similar to those for historical control patients. In both the Omegaven and historical control

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Carton of 10 x 100 mL

Store below 25°C (77°F). Avoid excessive heat. Do not freeze. If accidentally frozen, discard product. Once the bottle is connected to the infusion set, use Omegaven

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<u>Infections</u> Inform caregivers that patients who receive Omegaven are at risk of infection. If Omegaven is infused at home, instruct caregivers to ensure aseptic techniques are used for the preparation and administration

Aluminum toxicity

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