## GLECAPREVIR/PIBRENTASVIR ACHIEVES HIGH SVR RATES AMONGST PEOPLE WHO USE DRUGS: RESULTS FROM A REAL WORLD COHORT.

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**Background:** Data on treatment outcomes with Glecaprevir/Pibrentasvir (G/P) amongst people who use drugs are lacking, with few enrolled in registration trials. We sought to evaluate the impact of baseline drug use on SVR rates in a real world cohort.

**Methods:** Patients commencing G/P prior to 01/05/2018 were identified from the Scottish HCV database. For patients on ORT, review of drug service notes identified (where available) self reported intravenous drug use (IVDU), and non-IVDU in the 3/12 pre-treatment. Anonymous linkage with the needle exchange database (NEO) identified Injecting equipment provision (IEP) uptake in the same 3/12.

**Results:** 354 people commenced treatment (250 (70.6%) male, mean age 45.2 (±9.3), 33 (9.3%) with cirrhosis, 187 (52.8% GT3)). Self reported drug use, NEO registration and IEP uptake are summarised below. IEP uptake was highest amongst those in specialist care, though 1:4 in non specialist care (shared care with general practice) accessed IEP.

Premature discontinuation was infrequent irrespective of baseline drug use (4 (3.0%) with vs 2 (2.6%) without). Intention to treat (ITT) and modified ITT (mITT) rates were high for the cohort (91.5 and 97.5%) respectively. Non SVR was predominantly due to non attendance (15), relapse (6) and death (4). ITT and mITT rates were similar according to presence/absence of baseline drug use (90.4% vs 89.6% (p 0.86), 96.8% vs 97.2% (p 0.87)).

Addictions Care	Self reported	Self reported	Any evidence	NEO	Needle
	IVDU (%)	Non-IVDU (%)	DU (%)	registered (%)	transactions (%)
Specialist care	16/160 10.0)	79/160 (49.4)	107/160(66.9)	97 (67.4)	46 (31.9)
Shared care	1/37 (2.7)	18 /36 (50.0)	26/37 (70.3)	36 (50.0)	16 (25.8)
Not in care	n/a	n/a	n/a	35 (23.6)	9 (6.1)
Total	17 (8.6)	97 (49.5)	133 (67.5)	168 (47.5)	71 (20.0)

**Conclusion:** We demonstrate that SVR rates in a real world cohort treated with G/P are high, irrespective of drug use.

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