

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549
FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT
Pursuant to Section 13 OR 15(d) of The Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (date of earliest event reported): August 11, 2026

Neurogene Inc.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

001-36327
(Commission File Number)

98-0542593
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

535 W 24th Street, 5th Floor
New York, NY 10011
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)
Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (877) 237-5020

N/A
(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- ☐ Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- ☐ Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- ☐ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- ☐ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common Stock, \$0.000001 par value	NGNE	The Nasdaq Global Market

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company ☐

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. ☐

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On August 11, 2026, Neurogene Inc. (the “Company”) issued a press release announcing financial results for the quarter ended June 30, 2026. A copy of the press release announcing such results is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K. Also on August 11, 2026, the Company posted an updated corporate presentation on its website. A copy of the corporate presentation is furnished as Exhibit 99.2 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

The information in this Item 2.02 and Exhibits 99.1 and 99.2 attached hereto are being furnished and shall not be deemed “filed” for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall such information or Exhibits 99.1 and 99.2 be deemed incorporated by reference into any filing under the Exchange Act or the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as expressly set forth by specific reference to such filing.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit Number	Description
99.1	<u>Press Release dated August 11, 2026</u>
99.2	<u>Corporate Presentation (August 2026)</u>
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File (embedded within the Inline XBRL document)

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

Date: August 11, 2026

NEUROGENE INC.

By: /s/ Christine Mikail
Name: Christine Mikail
Title: President, Chief Financial Officer



Neurogene Reports Second Quarter 2026 Financial Results and Highlights Recent Updates

Data from Phase 1/2 trial of NGN-401 for Rett syndrome showed 100% of participants improved in CGI-I score and gained ≥ 1 developmental milestone, with an average of 4.7 milestones per participant; no plateau and no milestone loss observed as of data cutoff date of June 16, 2026

Milestones gained in a progressive, stepwise sequence, suggesting a restart of development post-treatment

Topline data from Embolden™ registrational trial anticipated in 2H 2027

NGN-401 at the 1E15 vg dose remains generally well-tolerated (N=35) as of data cutoff date of August 10, 2026

Initiated PPQ campaign to support BLA submission for NGN-401; completion of PPQ runs expected by end of 2026

Extended cash runway into 1Q 2029 with oversubscribed financing of approximately \$144 million gross proceeds

NEW YORK – August 11, 2026 – Neurogene Inc. (Nasdaq: NGNE), a clinical-stage company founded to bring life-changing genetic medicines to patients and families affected by rare neurological diseases, today announced second quarter 2026 financial results and highlighted recent corporate updates.

“The second quarter and recent months marked important progress across our NGN-401 program, highlighted by positive long-term Phase 1/2 data showing durable, multidomain developmental gains that have not been observed in the natural history of Rett syndrome,” stated Rachel McMinn, Ph.D., Founder and Chief Executive Officer of Neurogene. “The clinically meaningful benefit observed across all participants, including 100% of treated participants improving on CGI-I and gaining an average of 4.7 developmental milestones, strengthens our confidence in the program as we advance toward topline Embolden™ registrational data, which are expected in the second half of 2027. With initiation of our PPQ campaign, ongoing preparations for a potential BLA submission and a strengthened balance sheet supporting commercial-readiness activities, we believe we are well positioned to bring NGN-401 to patients and families as quickly as possible, if approved.”

Second Quarter 2026 and Recent Highlights

NGN-401 Gene Therapy for the Treatment of Rett Syndrome

- [Reported](#) positive long-term Phase 1/2 data as of the data cutoff date of June 16, 2026, which demonstrated developmental milestones were gained in a progressive, stepwise sequence, suggesting a restart of development post-treatment
 - 100% of participants (N=10) improved on the Clinical Global Impression-Improvement (CGI-I) scale and gained ≥ 1 developmental milestone, consistent with the composite endpoint used to evaluate efficacy in Embolden
 - 47 total developmental milestones were gained for an average of 4.7 per participant; improvement continued across follow-up through 30 months with no plateau or loss of milestone observed
 - 7 of 10 participants gained ≥ 2 developmental milestones and demonstrated improvements across ≥ 2 core Rett syndrome domains; both of these improvements were observed in pediatric and adolescent/adult participants
 - Participants experienced clinically meaningful improvements across additional validated Rett syndrome scales, including the Rett Syndrome Gross Motor Scale (RSGMS) and Rett Syndrome Hand Function Scale (RSHFS) ($p < 0.001$)
- Presented on the Rett Syndrome Natural History Study analysis conducted to assess treatment effect in Embolden, which demonstrated that the likelihood of milestone gains ≥ 3 years of age is rare
- [Completed](#) successful dosing of 25 participants in Embolden; topline data anticipated in the second half of 2027
- Announced today the Process Performance Qualification (PPQ) campaign was initiated in July 2026 to support planned Biologics License Application (BLA) submission; completion of PPQ runs expected by the end of 2026
- NGN-401 at the 1E15 vg dose has been generally well-tolerated in the Phase 1/2 trial and Embolden (N=35) as of August 10, 2026

Additional Corporate Updates

- Executed an oversubscribed public follow-on offering of approximately \$144 million in gross proceeds, including full exercise of the underwriters' option to purchase additional shares, extending cash runway into the first quarter of 2029

Key Anticipated NGN-401 Milestones

- Report topline data from Embolden registrational trial in the second half of 2027
- Complete BLA-enabling PPQ runs by year-end 2026
- Continue commercial-readiness activities

Second Quarter 2026 Financial Results

- **Cash, Cash Equivalents and Short-Term Investments:** Cash, cash equivalents and short-term investments as of June 30, 2026 were \$225.4 million. Together with approximately \$134.8 million of net proceeds received from our July 2, 2026 public offering, Neurogene had pro forma cash, cash equivalents and short-term investments of approximately \$360.2 million and expect its current cash resources to fund planned operations into the first quarter of 2029.
- **Research & Development (R&D) Expenses:** R&D expenses were \$25.5 million for the three months ended June 30, 2026, compared to \$19.4 million for the three months ended June 30, 2025. The increase in R&D expenses for the three months ended June 30, 2026 was primarily driven by higher costs associated with the development of NGN-401, including Rett syndrome clinical trial activities and chemistry, manufacturing and controls (CMC) activities supporting the NGN-401 program. The increase also reflected higher employee-related expenses, primarily due to increased non-cash stock-based compensation expenses. The increase was partially offset by lower spending on the CLN5 Batten disease program and early discovery activities.
- **General & Administrative (G&A) Expenses:** G&A expenses were \$11.2 million for the three months ended June 30, 2026, compared to \$6.7 million for the three months ended June 30, 2025. The increase in G&A expenses was primarily driven by higher non-cash stock-based compensation expense, including a one-time catch-up charge associated with performance-based stock unit awards following achievement of specified corporate milestones. Additional increases were driven by corporate and pre-commercial activities, higher employee-related expenses and professional fees.
- **Net Loss:** Net loss was \$34.5 million for the three months ended June 30, 2026, compared to \$22.0 million for the three months ended June 30, 2025.

About Neurogene

Neurogene (NASDAQ: NGNE) is a clinical-stage biotechnology company focused on developing life-changing genetic medicines for people and their families impacted by devastating neurological diseases. The Company is using a biology-first approach paired with optimized delivery to develop purpose-built genetic medicines, including programs powered by its novel and proprietary EXACT™ transgene regulation technology. Neurogene is advancing its lead gene therapy program, NGN-401, as a potential best-in-class, one-time treatment for Rett syndrome. For more information, visit neurogene.com or follow on [LinkedIn](#).

About NGN-401

NGN-401 is an investigational AAV9 gene therapy in late-stage clinical development as a potential best-in-class, one-time treatment for Rett syndrome. It is the only clinical candidate to deliver the full-length human *MECP2* gene and includes Neurogene's EXACT™ transgene regulation technology, which is designed to deliver consistent, tightly controlled MeCP2 protein expression on a cell-by-cell basis. NGN-401 is delivered through intracerebroventricular administration to achieve the broadest targeting directly to the brain and nervous system based on nonclinical biodistribution data. NGN-401 is being evaluated in the Embolden™

registrational clinical trial. Data from the Phase 1/2 trial (as of June 16, 2026) have shown that participants experienced multidomain, durable gains with continued developmental milestone acquisition observed over time, and NGN-401 at the 1E15 vg dose has been generally well-tolerated. NGN-401 has received Breakthrough Therapy, Regenerative Medicine Advanced Therapy, Fast Track, Orphan Drug and Rare Pediatric Disease designations and selection for the START Pilot Program from the U.S. Food and Drug Administration, Advanced Therapy Medicinal Product, Orphan and Priority Medicines designations from the European Medicines Agency and Innovative Licensing and Application Pathway designation from the United Kingdom Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency.

Cautionary Note Regarding Forward-Looking Statements

Statements in this press release are made as of the date of this press release. Neurogene does not undertake any obligation to make any updates to these statements to reflect events that occur or circumstances that arise after the date of this press release, except as may be required under applicable U.S. securities law.

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- Financial Tables Follow -

Neurogene Inc.
Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet Data
(In thousands of U.S. dollars)

	June 30, 2026	December 31, 2025
Assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 112,485	\$ 103,845
Short-term investments	112,907	165,168
Other current assets	3,521	2,757
Non-current assets	15,451	16,834
Total assets	\$ 244,364	\$ 288,604
Liabilities		
Current liabilities	\$ 21,505	\$ 16,411
Non-current liabilities	5,726	7,306
Total liabilities	27,231	23,717
Stockholders' equity	217,133	264,887
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$ 244,364	\$ 288,604

Neurogene Inc.
Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations
(In thousands of U.S. dollars, except per share information)

	Three Months Ended June 30,		Six Months Ended June 30,	
	2026	2025	2026	2025
Operating expenses:				
Research and development expenses	\$ 25,468	\$ 19,366	\$ 50,618	\$ 37,131
General and administrative expenses	11,202	6,715	19,401	14,869
Total operating expenses	36,670	26,081	70,019	52,000
Loss from operations	(36,670)	(26,081)	(70,019)	(52,000)
Other income, net	2,182	4,065	4,597	7,337
Net loss	\$ (34,488)	\$ (22,016)	\$ (65,422)	\$ (44,663)
Per share information:				
Net loss per share, basic and diluted	\$ (1.53)	\$ (1.05)	\$ (2.92)	\$ (2.12)
Weighted-average shares of common stock outstanding, basic and diluted	22,552,032	21,055,378	22,429,563	21,025,996

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Corporate Presentation
August 2026



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Industry and Market Data

Certain information contained in this Presentation relates to or is based on studies, publications, surveys and Neurogene's own internal estimates and research. In this Presentation, Neurogene relies on, and refers to, publicly available information and statistics regarding market participants in the sector in which Neurogene competes and other industry data. Any comparison of Neurogene to any other entity assumes the reliability of the information available to Neurogene. Neurogene obtained this information and statistics from third-party sources, including reports by market research firms and company filings. In addition, all of the market data included in this Presentation involve a number of assumptions and limitations, and there can be no guarantee as to the accuracy or reliability of such assumptions. Finally, while Neurogene believes its internal research is reliable, such research has not been verified by any independent source and Neurogene has not independently verified the information.

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OUR MISSION

To develop life-changing genetic medicines for people and their families impacted by devastating neurological diseases

OUR APPROACH



Biology-first
design



Precision delivery for
maximum drug
distribution

EXACT

EXACT™ platform for
precise transgene
expression



Driven by patients and
families in need

NGN-401 is Rapidly Advancing Towards Commercialization as a Potential Transformative One-Time Treatment for Rett Syndrome

Potential Best-in-Class Treatment for Rett Syndrome

- Compelling clinical evidence showing durable multidomain improvements demonstrated across full spectrum of disease severity
- Received FDA Breakthrough Therapy designation, in addition to START Pilot Program, RMAT and other regulatory designations

Clear Path to Registration with Single Registrational Trial for Broadest Age Range

- Key elements of Embolden™ registrational trial aligned with FDA, including a single trial for ages ≥ 3 years
- Completed dosing (N=25) in Embolden, exceeding target dosing due to high demand from Rett syndrome community

High-Value Rare Disease with Significant Opportunity to Improve Patient Lives

Early commercial-readiness activities underway to transform multi-billion-dollar market burdened by lifelong, high-intensity medical care

Upcoming Milestones

- Topline data from Embolden **anticipated in 2H 2027**
- Completion of BLA-enabling Process Performance Qualification (PPQ) runs **expected by year-end 2026**

Neurogene is Positioned for Significant Value Inflection with Multiple Upcoming Catalysts

NGN-401 FOR RETT SYNDROME



No Approved Disease-Modifying Therapies for Rett Syndrome

NGN-401 Gene Therapy Targets Root Cause

The Unmet Need

- Developmental regression begins at **6–18 months**
- Previously acquired **milestones are lost**
- Development plateaus at **age ~3**
- Milestone acquisition is **rare post-regression**
- Patients require lifelong, **24/7 care**
- No approved therapies to address underlying cause, current options limited to symptom management

The Market

15,000–20,000

patients — US, EU & UK

1 in 10,000

female births | ~175–180 new cases/yr (U.S.)

U.S. Real-World Data – ~6,000 Diagnosed

52% Pediatric

48% Adult

All living with profound unmet need

The Opportunity

- The Rett syndrome community is increasingly seeking therapies that can deliver meaningful and durable functional improvements
- Patient population across all age groups creates the potential for broad adoption of transformative therapies

Rett syndrome is a lifelong disease. The opportunity spans every age group and remains entirely unaddressed at the genetic level

NGN-401 is designed to deliver functional *MECP2* — targeting the root cause with the potential to restart typical developmental progression



Major market prevalence based on internal estimates; U.S. prevalence estimate based on published incidence rates; Laurvik CL, et al. J Pediatr 2006;148(3):347–352.
WW incidence estimate based on published incidence rates; Pini G, et al. Orphanet Journal of Rare Diseases (2016) 11:132.
Cheng et al., BMC Neurology, 2023 (IQVIA Claims, N=5,940)

NGN-401: Purposefully Designed to Be the Best-in-Class Gene Therapy for Rett Syndrome



Only Gene Therapy Designed to Safely Deliver Full-length Protein to Key Areas of the Brain and Nervous System to Maximize Benefit

NGN-401 CLINICAL PROGRAM



NGN-401 Phase 1/2 Trial Update: Clinically Meaningful, Durable Improvement Across Key Rett Syndrome Domains, Deepens Over Time



Long-term Phase 1/2 Data Demonstrate Broad, Consistent Multidomain Developmental Gains that Support Registration Regardless of Age, Disease Severity or Genotype

- ◆ 100% of Phase 1/2 participants (N=10) gained ≥ 1 developmental milestone and improved on CGI-I at ≥ 12 months
- ◆ Rapid onset of clinical response, with median first improvement observed at 2 months post-treatment, followed by early emergence of developmental milestones
- ◆ Durable, deepening treatment effect — developmental milestones continued to accumulate over time
 - Developmental milestone gains increased by **95% from 6 to 12 months** and **147% from 6 to ≥ 12 months**
 - Durable treatment effect, with **no plateau** and **no loss of milestones in any participant** through 30 months of follow-up
- ◆ Broad, multidomain functional impact demonstrated consistently across core disease domains, regardless of age, disease severity or genotype
 - **7 of 10 participants gained ≥ 2 developmental milestones**
 - **7 of 10 participants gained milestones in ≥ 2 core Rett syndrome domains**
 - Durable, multidomain gains drive increased independence in activities of daily living, reduced caregiver burden and enhanced social engagement
- ◆ Robust, clinically meaningful responses at 6 months, 12 months and beyond support clear path to potential BLA
 - Average milestones per participant showed **robust response: 1.9 at 6 months, 3.7 at 12 months, deepening to 4.7 at ≥ 12 months**
 - **Embolden overenrolled by 25%** (N=25), across broad age range, strengthening statistical power and potential for broader label
 - Phase 1/2 data **exceeds** Embolden's minimum success **threshold by 2.4x**
- ◆ No new treatment-related SAEs and no DLTs observed in any participants, with all participants ≥ 12 months of follow-up

NGN-401 Clinical Study Design for Treatment of Rett Syndrome

Phase 1/2 converted into a single registrational study

Study Design

- Baseline-controlled, open-label, multicenter, single-arm pivotal trial (13 US sites)
- Evaluates efficacy, safety & tolerability of one-time ICV-delivered NGN-401

Population Eligibility Criteria

- Females with genetically confirmed classic Rett syndrome
- Post-regression (≥ 6 months since last skill loss); CGI-S 4–6 at screening

Key Clinical Assessments

- CGI-I and CGI-S with Rett-specific anchors
- Developmental milestones
- RSGMS and RSHFS

Phase 1/2 Trial

1E15 vg

Dosing complete (N=10)
Ages 4–10, ≥ 11 years old

Embolden Registrational Trial

1E15 vg

Dosing complete (N=25)
Primary efficacy population (N=24)
Ages ≥ 3 years old

EMBOLDEN PRIMARY ENDPOINT · RESPONDER REQUIRES BOTH AT 12 MONTHS

CGI-I ≤ 3

+

Gain from baseline of ≥ 1 developmental milestone

35

participants dosed at the 1E15 vg dose
Total NGN-401 safety database — Phase 1/2 + Embolden



CGI-S = Clinical Global Impression–Severity; ICV = intracerebroventricular; RSGMS = Rett Syndrome Gross Motor Scale; RSHFS = Rett Syndrome Hand Function Scale; vg = vector genomes

28 Clearly Defined Developmental Milestones: Derived from Natural History Study & Key Component of Primary Endpoint



Fine Motor/ Hand Function

- ◆ Reached for toy
- ◆ Taken a drink from a cup held without assistance
- ◆ Used raking grasp to retrieve an object
- ◆ Used a pincer grasp (either refined or modified)
- ◆ Finger fed
- ◆ Transferred an object from one hand to the other
- ◆ Used a spoon/fork to eat without assistance



Gross Motor/Ambulation

- ◆ Sat with support when placed
- ◆ Sat without support when placed
- ◆ Come to sitting
- ◆ Pulled to standing
- ◆ Stood while holding on
- ◆ Stood independently
- ◆ Cruised around furniture or holding on to someone (i.e., walk with support)
- ◆ Walked independently
- ◆ Climbed up stairs with help
- ◆ Climbed up stairs without help
- ◆ Climbed down stairs with help
- ◆ Climbed down stairs without help
- ◆ Ran 10 feet without falling



Communication

- ◆ Responded to familiar names/words
- ◆ Followed a command with a gesture
- ◆ Followed a command without a gesture
- ◆ Pointed for something they want
- ◆ Waved bye -bye
- ◆ Babbled
- ◆ Used words with meaning
- ◆ Spoken in phrases (2 words or more with meaning)

Rigorous Embolden Milestone Criteria Evaluation Applied to Phase 1/2 Data

Utilizing the same standardized assessment criteria enables the Phase 1/2 developmental milestone data to be comparable to the Embolden definition

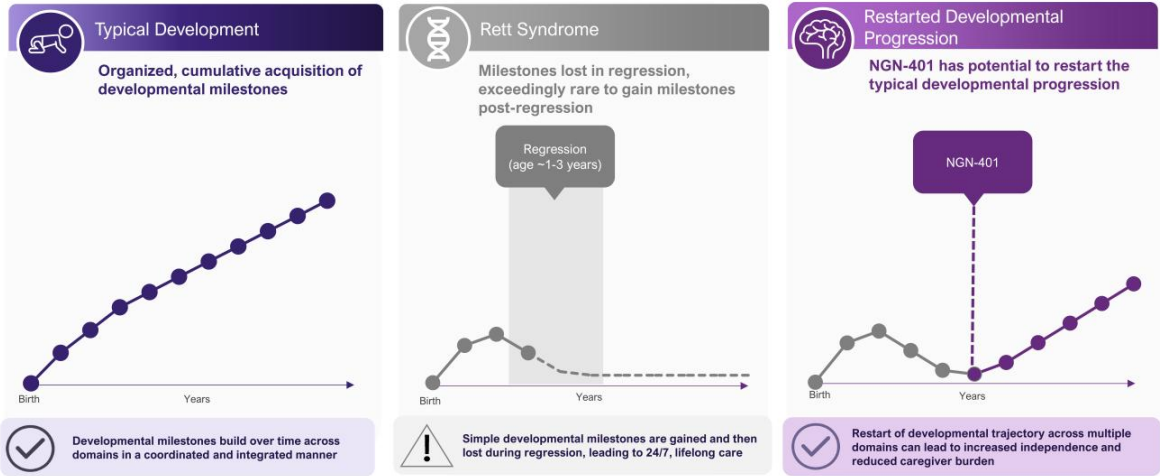


Evaluating the Impact of NGN-401 Across Full Spectrum of Disease Severity and Ages

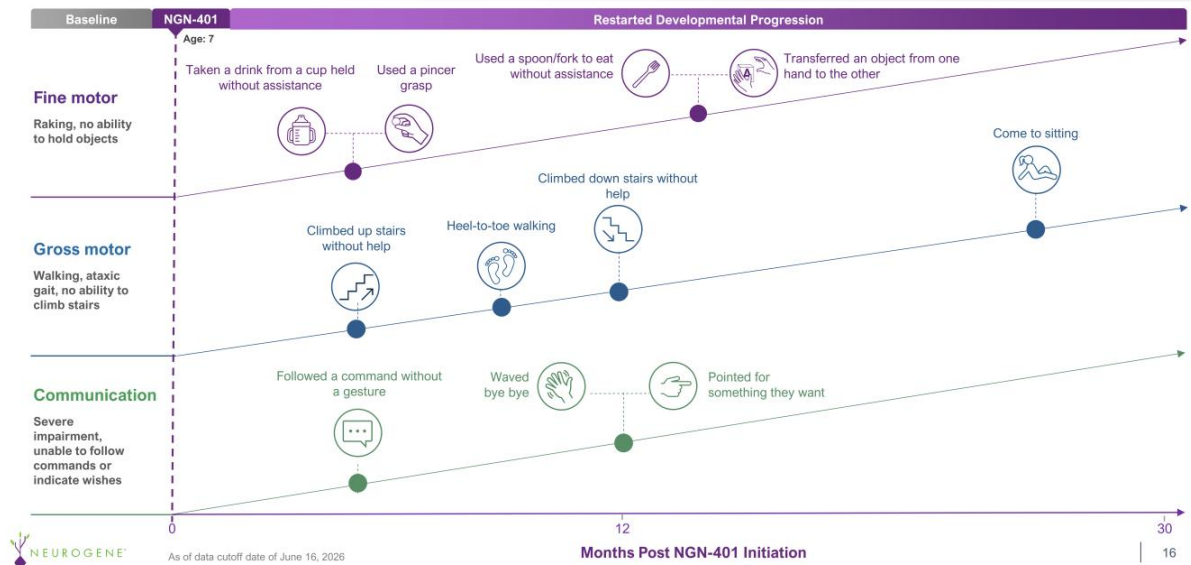
Baseline Characteristics of the Phase 1/2 Participants

	Pediatric Cohort (N=8)								Adult / Adolescent Cohort (N=2)	
	Pt:1	Pt:2	Pt:3	Pt:4	Pt:5	Pt:6	Pt:7	Pt:8	Pt:9	Pt:10
Age at Dosing (Years)	7	4	6	7	6	4	6	8	18	14
Baseline CGI-S Score	4 Moderately III	5 Markedly III	5 Markedly III	5 Markedly III	6 Severely III	5 Markedly III	4 Moderately III	4 Moderately III	4 Moderately III	5 Markedly III
Genetic Variant Severity	Mild	Severe	Severe	Severe	Severe	Moderate	Mild-Moderate	Mild-Moderate	Severe	Severe
Follow-up Period (Months)	30	24	24	24	18	12	12	12	15	12

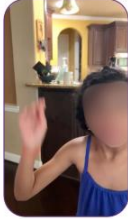
Restarting Developmental Progression is the Goal for a One-time Gene Therapy



Pt:1 Developmental Milestones Gained in Ordered, Developmental Progression



Pt:1 Multidomain Improvements Led to New Abilities Beyond Developmental Milestones

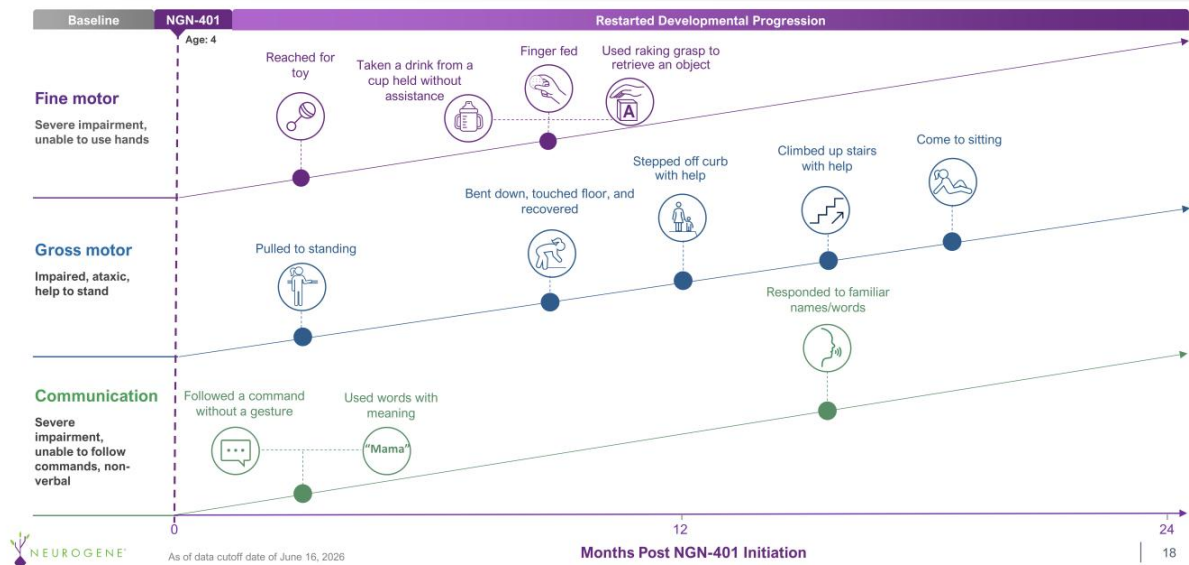
At baseline (Age 7):		Impaired hand use, raking, no ability to hold objects		Gross motor impairment, ataxic, unable to climb stairs		Severe communication impairment, unable to follow commands	
Moves more independently at home		Joins family outings		Navigates the world independently		Follows multi- step directions	
							
Gets in/out of bathtub, on/off furniture & up/down stairs, without help		Shops with Mom, carrying the basket with both hands		Climbs in & out of the car & shuts the door herself		Uses hands to select correct colors when asked	
				Carries her backpack, takes the stairs, & closes the door – following directions in 2 languages		Follows instructions to pick the right colors	
						Greets family in context	
							
						Waves hello to greet people on video calls	

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Pt:2 Developmental Milestones Gained in Ordered, Developmental Progression



Pt:2 Multidomain Improvements Led to New Abilities Beyond Developmental Milestones

At baseline (Age 4):	Severe impairment, unable to use hands	Gross motor impairment, ataxic, needs help to stand	Severe communication impairment, unable to follow commands
Less caregiver assistance at mealtime	Moves more independently with less supervision	Connects with family	
			
Self-feeds and holds own drinks	Bends down to pick up toys & blankets without help	Turns when called, says words with meaning & follows instructions	

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Pt:3 Multidomain Improvements Led to New Abilities Beyond Developmental Milestones

At baseline (Age 6):	Impaired hand use, raking grasp	Severe gross motor impairment, cannot sit/stand/walk independently	Severe communication impairment, unable to follow commands
	Uses both hands to follow instructions	Stands and moves with less help	Feeds herself
			
	Follows directions in two languages and chooses the correct puzzle piece	Requires less physical support to stand and move	Self-feeds using a pincer grasp

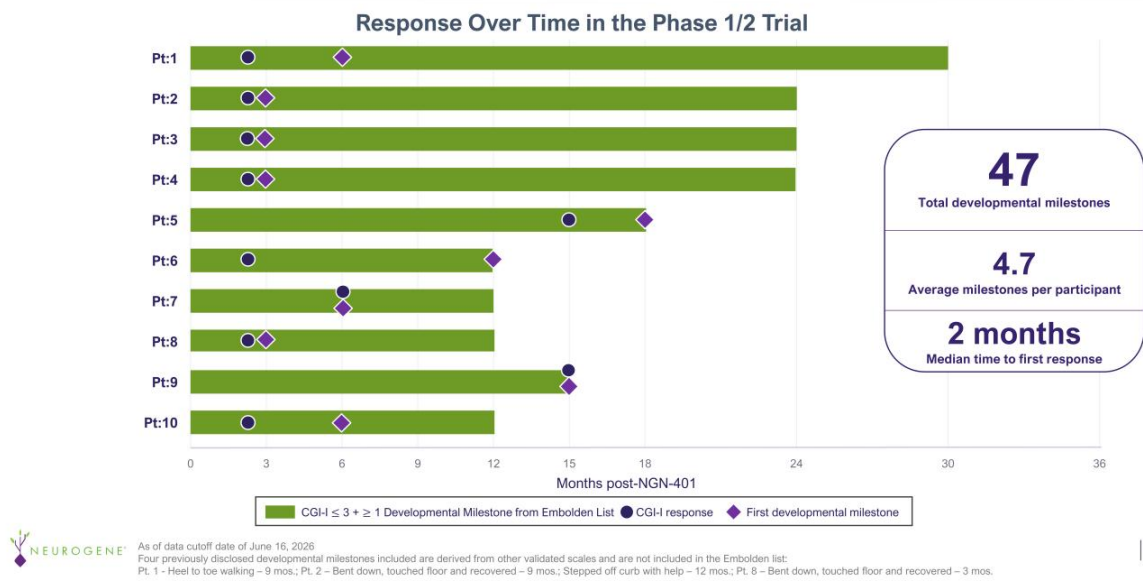
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Pt:4 Multidomain Improvements Led to New Abilities Beyond Developmental Milestones

At baseline (Age 7):		Impaired hand use, raking grasp		Severe gross motor impairment, cannot sit/stand/walk independently		Severe communication impairment, unable to follow commands	
Eats on her own		Sits up by herself		Controls her space		Plays with Mom with both hands	
							
Feeds herself with a regular spoon — easier, more independent mealtimes		Pushes herself up from lying down, moving through her day with more freedom		Turns the lights on and off herself, taking charge of her surroundings		Catches a ball with both hands and plays back-and-forth with others	
							
						Plays with balloons at a family celebration, demonstrating her new hand use	
							
						Tells her caregiver what she wants more reliably using her communication device	
							
						Shares more moments with family, including giving "high fives"	

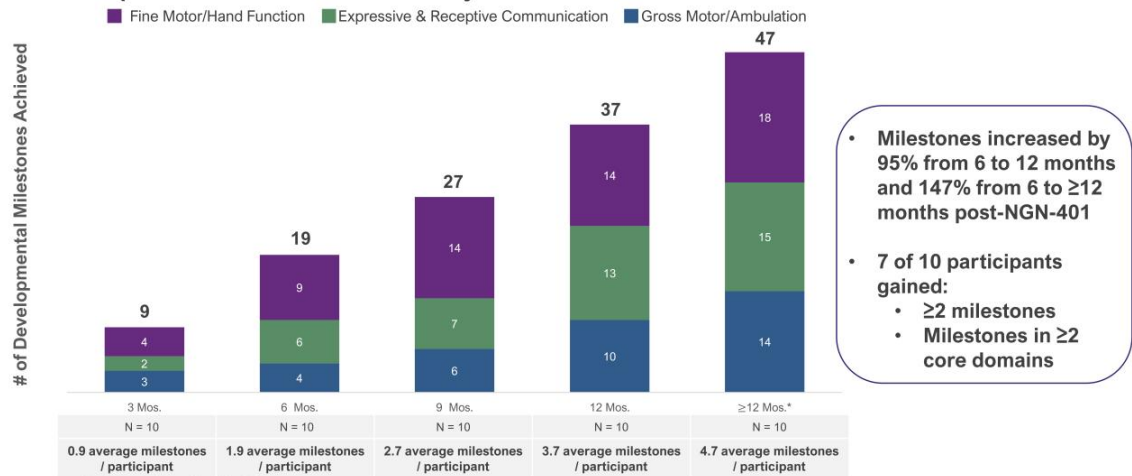
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Rapid Response Observed Post NGN-401 that Deepened Over Time



NGN-401 Drove Durable Accumulation of Multidomain Milestones Across Core Domains That Matter Most to Caregivers

Developmental Milestones Increased by Domain Over Time Post-NGN-401 Treatment



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Four previously disclosed developmental milestones included are derived from other validated scales and are not included in the Embolden list:
Pt. 1 – Heel to toe walking – 9 mos.; Pt. 2 – Bent down, touched floor and recovered – 9 mos.; Stepped off curb with help – 12 mos.; Pt. 8 – Bent down, touched floor and recovered – 3 mos.
*N=6 participants with data > 12 mos. post-NGN-401 and N=4 participants with 12-month data

Milestones Gained from Embolden List Across 10 Phase 1/2 Participants Treated with NGN-401

21 of 28 Total Milestones Gained from Embolden Milestone List



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Fine Motor / Hand Function

- ✓ Reached for toy
- ✓ Taken a drink from a cup held without assistance
- ✓ Used a pincer grasp (either refined or modified)
- ✓ Used raking grasp to retrieve an object
- ✓ Finger fed
- ✓ Transferred an object from one hand to the other
- ✓ Used a spoon/fork without assistance

Participating in self care and increasing independence — playing games with family, feeding themselves, drinking from a cup



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Gross Motor / Ambulation

- ✓ Sat without support when placed
- ✓ Come to sitting
- ✓ Pulled to standing
- ✓ Cruised / walk with support
- ✓ Climbed up stairs with help
- ✓ Climbed up stairs without help
- ✓ Climbed down stairs without help

Moving more independently — sitting up, standing, and walking — easing everyday care for families



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Communication

- ✓ Responded to familiar names/words
- ✓ Followed a command with a gesture
- ✓ Followed a command without a gesture
- ✓ Pointed for something they want
- ✓ Waved bye-bye
- ✓ Used words with meaning
- ✓ Spoken in phrases

Connecting with the people around them — understanding others, and making their wants and feelings known

NGN-401 Remains Generally Well-Tolerated at the 1E15 vg Dose Level in the Phase 1/2 Trial

Phase 1/2 Trial	1E15 vg Dose Total N = 10	
	N	Events
TEAEs related to NGN-401	9	68
Serious TEAEs Unrelated to NGN-401	3	6
Serious TEAEs Related to NGN-401	1	2

- All TEAEs related to NGN-401 have been Grade 1 (mild) or Grade 2 (moderate) in severity; the majority are known potential risks of AAV and have resolved or are resolving
 - Most common related TEAEs: mild ALT/AST elevation
- No new treatment-related SAEs reported since last data cutoff date (October 2025)
 - Two previously disclosed Grade 2 SAEs in Pt:5 resolved
- No cases of hemophagocytic lymphohistiocytosis (HLH)
- No intracerebroventricular (ICV) procedure-related AEs
- No signs or symptoms of MeCP2 overexpression
- Seizures have remained well controlled following NGN-401

Robust, Clinically Meaningful Responses Across Participants Support Potential Market Leading Therapy for Rett Syndrome

NGN-401 Phase 1/2 Data (N=10)		
Developmental Milestones	% of participants gained ≥ 1 developmental milestone at ≥ 12 months	100%
	Average milestones gained per participant	4.7
	Total participants achieving: - ≥ 2 milestones - Response on ≥ 2 domains	7 out of 10
	Average # milestones at: - 6 months	1.9
	- 12 months	3.7
	- ≥ 12 months	4.7
	% increase from: - 6 to 12 months - 6 to ≥ 12 months	95% 147%
	# of milestones lost in any participant	0
Embolden Composite	% meeting rigorous composite responder definition (CGI-I ≤ 3 + ≥ 1 milestone)	80%
Rapid Response	Median time to first response observed post treatment	2 months
RSGMS RSHFS	Independent, quantitative validated scales of function in Rett syndrome compared to natural history data	5.2-point increase vs. 0.8-point decrease ($p < 0.001$) 100% vs. 15% improved in hand function ($p < 0.001$)
No new treatment-related SAEs and no DLTs observed in any participants, with all participants ≥ 12 months of follow-up		

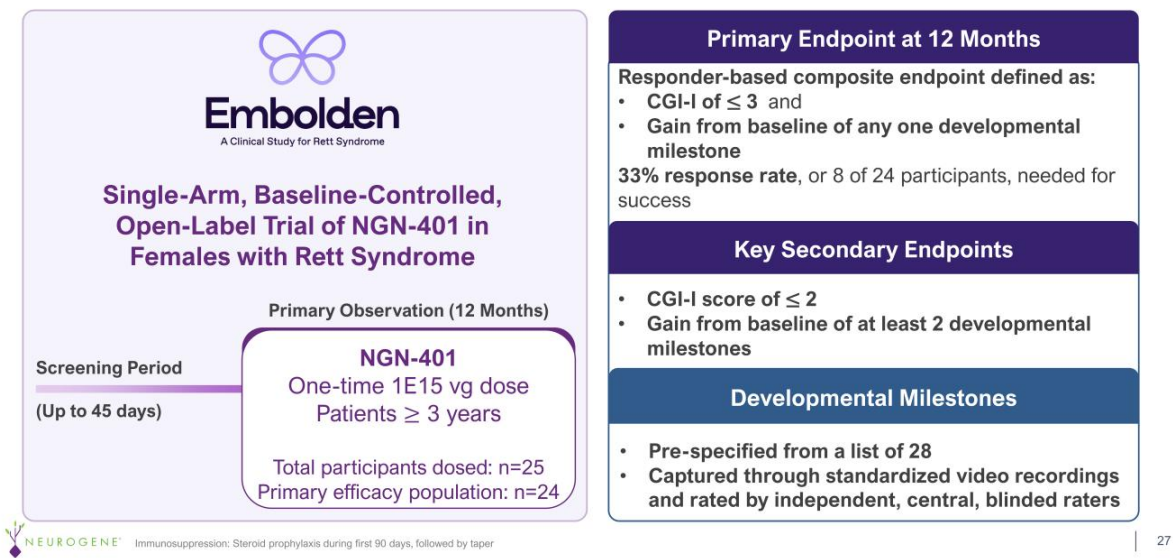
Phase 1/2 shows robust response across key Embolden endpoints having the potential to drive a differentiated label

Embolden fully dosed, topline data expected 2H 2027

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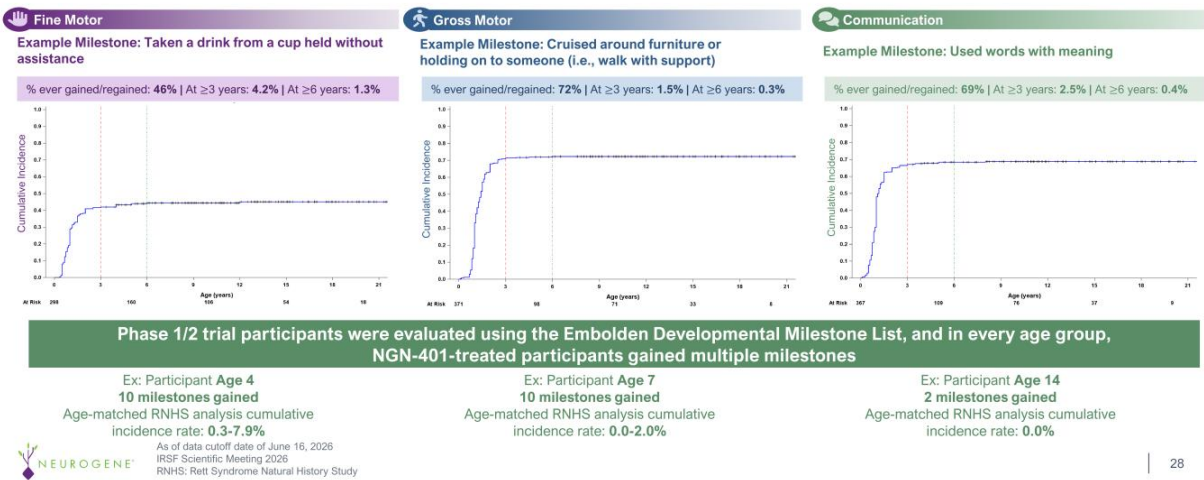
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Dosing Completed in Embolden Registrational Trial to Support Planned BLA Submission

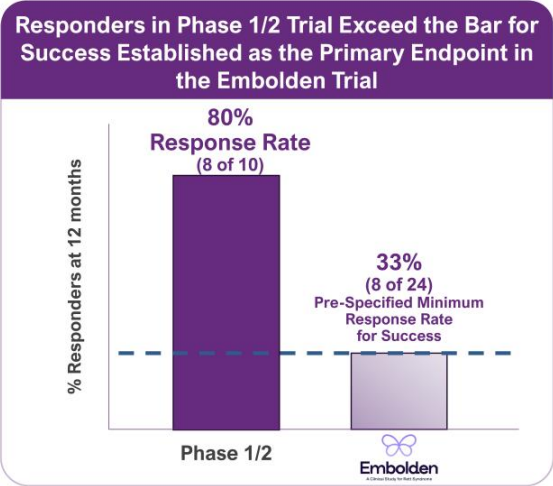


Natural History Study Cumulative Incidence Model Shows Beyond Age 3, Milestone Gains Are Rare with Minimal Difference at Age 6

Likelihood of gaining a milestone at ≥ 3 years of age is extremely low, based on RNHS analysis



Interim Phase 1/2 Data and Key Trial Design Elements Carried Into the Registrational Trial De-risk Embolden Outcomes



Key Design Elements Carried Into Embolden	
Phase 1/2	Embolden
1E15 vg dose	
Steroid-only immunosuppression regimen	
Trial sites at Rett Centers of Excellence	
Standardized CGI-I training at all sites	
Independent, central review of video-based milestone assessments based on pre-specified definitions	Independent, central, blinded review of video-based milestone assessments based on pre-specified definitions

COMMERCIAL READINESS & KEY ANTICIPATED MILESTONES



Building a Strong Foundation for Commercialization



Positioning Embolden clinical trial sites for rapid conversion to commercial sites at launch



● Embolden Clinical Trial Sites at Rett Centers of Excellence



Internal CMC capabilities and manufacturing facility to produce commercial product



Payor research confirms strong reimbursement potential for NGN-401



Separate payment to be issued for NGN-401, enabling hospitals to secure reimbursement without inpatient bundling constraints



Outpatient pathway optionality intended to further simplify reimbursement

Wholly Owned and Fully Integrated In-House AAV Manufacturing



- ◆ Flexibility to manufacture AAV product at low cost
- ◆ Own product quality and development timelines
- ◆ Process development expertise supports both HEK293 and Sf9/rBV manufacturing platforms
- ◆ Flexibility to rapidly adapt CMC execution to program needs



**Process and scale are consistent between clinical and commercial;
avoids potential future comparability challenges**

NGN-401 is Poised to Transform Treatment for Rett Syndrome



APPENDIX: ADDITIONAL NGN-401 DATA



RSGMS Phase 1/2 Data Showed Meaningful Gains in Gross Motor Function



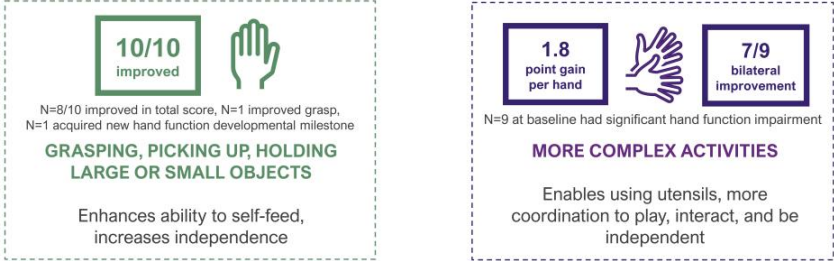
Real World Impact of RSGMS Gains: Examples of Reduced Caregiver Burden



RSHFS Phase 1/2 Data Showed Meaningful Gains in Hand Function



Real World Impact: More ability to play, less reliance on caregiver at mealtime, participation in family routines



*Downs J et al. J Pediatr 2021; 237: 244–249; PMID: 34214590
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ICV Delivery Achieves Greater Expression in the Brain Compared to IT-L

ICV route of delivery has been shown in preclinical models to have greater targeting of brain and nervous system regions underlying Rett syndrome pathophysiology compared to IT-L

An estimated 30,000 ICV procedures are performed by neurosurgeons annually in the U.S. and require minimal downtime/recovery

