

Appendix 1 Table D. Off-Label Comparative Studies Patient Characteristics

Investigator (yr, country, ref #) Surgical Site	Study design	Comparison(s) No. pts (BMP dose)	Patient diagnosis	Surgical intervention	Defect severity and characteristics (%)	Age mean \pm SD yrs (rng)	\geq 65 yrs (%)	Males (%)	Weight mean \pm SD lbs (rng)	Comorbidities (%)	Comment					
Boden et al., 2002 USA (84) Lumbar Spine	Multicenter nonblinded RCT	rhBMP2/CRM plus Texas Scottish Rite Hospital (TSRH) Spinal System (TSRHSS) n=11	single-level lumbar DDD	single-level primary instrumented posteriorlateral lumbar fusion plus rhBMP2 ICBG	grade I spondylo- listhesis	rhBMP2/CRM /TSRHSS 58 \pm 4	NR	rhBMP2/CRM /TSRHSS 27	NR	Tobacco use rhBMP2/CRM /TSRHSS 0	Other than diabetes, no significant differences between groups					
										Alcohol use rhBMP2/CRM /TSRHSS 54						
										Diabetes rhBMP2/CRM /TSRHSS 0						
										Previous back surgery rhBMP2/TSRHSS 27%						
										Tobacco use rhBMP2/CRM alone 12						
		(40 mg/pt) rhBMP2/CRM alone n=11				rhBMP2/CRM alone 52 \pm 6		rhBMP2/CRM alone 56		Alcohol use rhBMP2/CRM alone 25						
										Diabetes rhBMP2/CRM alone 0						
										Previous back surgery rhBMP2 alone 12%						

		(40 mg/pt) ICBG plus TSRHSS n=5				ICBG/TSRHSS 53±10		ICBG/TSRHSS 40		Tobacco use ICBG/TSRHSS 20	
										Alcohol use ICBG/TSRHSS 40	
										Diabetes ICBG/TSRHSS 40 (p=0.036 for diabetes)	
										Previous Surgery?	
Burkus et al., 2005 USA (85) Lumbar Spine Note: includes all pts from Burkus et al., 2002, rec# 11510; same pts as Burkus et al., 2006, rec# 6640	Multicenter, nonblinded RCT	rhBMP2 n=79 (8-12 mg/pt)	single-level lumbar DDD	primary single- level anterior lumbar fusion with a pair of threaded allograft cortical bone dowels (CBD) plus rhBMP2 or ICBG	grade I spondylo- listhesis	rhBMP2 40	NR	rhBMP2 40	rhBMP2 172	Tobacco use rhBMP2 33	No significant differences between groups
		ICBG N=52				ICBG 44		ICBG 36		Previous back surgery rhBMP2 37	
Dimar et al., 2009 USA (86) Lumbar Spine Note: contains pts in Glassman et al., 2007, rec# 4040; Dimar et al., 2006 rec#	Multicenter nonblinded RCT	rhBMP2/CRM n=239 (40 mg/pt)	single-level lumbar DDD	single-level primary instrumented posteriorlateral lumbar fusion plus rhBMP2 or ICBG	grade I spondylo- listhesis	rhBMP2/CRM 53 (20-82)	NR	rhBMP2/CRM 45	rhBMP2/CRM 187 (103-361)	Tobacco use rhBMP2/CRM 26	No significant differences between groups
		ICBG				ICBG		ICBG	ICBG	Alcohol use rhBMP2/CRM 38	
										Previous back surgery rhBMP2 30	
										Tobacco use	

5480; Glassman et al., 2005, rec# 8040		n=224				52 (18-86)		42	189 (99-312)	ICBG 26	
										Alcohol use ICBG 35	
										Previous back surgery ICBG 28	
Glassman et al., 2007 USA (99) Lumbar Spine	Retrospective with historical control group	rhBMP2 n=91 (12 mg/pt)	single- and multi-level lumbar DDD, degenerative scoliosis, postdiscectomy instability, spinal stenosis, adjacent level degeneration	single- or multi-level primary or revision instrumented posterolateral lumbar fusion	Not reported	rhBMP2 60 (27-84)	NR	rhBMP2 40	NR	Tobacco use rhBMP2 15	No statistically significant differences between primary single-level pts in rhBMP2 or ICBG group
		ICBG n=35				ICBG 53 (33-80)		ICBG 43		ICBG 23	
Glassman et al., 2008 USA (87) Lumbar Spine	Multicenter nonblinded RCT	rhBMP2 n=50 (dose not reported)	single- or multi-level lumbar DDD	single- or multi-level primary instrumented posterolateral lumbar fusion plus rhBMP2 or ICBG	Not reported	rhBMP2 69±6	NR all > 60	rhBMP2 30	NR BMI rhBMP2 29±6	Tobacco use rhBMP2 22	No significant differences between groups, including mean number of surgical levels (rhBMP2=1.96, ICBG=1.98)
		ICBG n=52				ICBG 70±6		ICBG 33	ICBG 28±6	ICBG 17	
Haid et al., 2004 USA (88) Lumbar Spine	Multicenter, nonblinded RCT	rhBMP2 n=34 (4.2-8.4 mg/pt)	single-level lumbar DDD	single-level primary posterior lumbar interbody fusion (PLIF) with interbody fusion cages plus rhBMP2 or ICBG	grade I spondylo-listhesis	rhBMP2 46 (26-66)	NR	rhBMP2 50	rhBMP2 180±38	Tobacco use rhBMP2 53	
										Alcohol use rhBMP2 44	
										Previous back surgery rhBMP2 35	

		ICBG N=33				ICBG 46 (28-71)		ICBG 46	ICBG 173±36	Tobacco use ICBG 46	
Johnsson et al., 2002 Sweden (92) Lumbar Spine	Multicenter nonblinded RCT	rhBMP7 n=10 (7 mg/pt)	single-level lumbar DDD	single-level primary uninstrumented posteriorlateral lumbar fusion with rhBMP7 or ICBG	NR	rhBMP7 43±11	0	rhBMP7 30	NR	rhBMP7 40	Poorly described patients samples
		ICBG n=10				ICBG 40±10		ICBG 70		ICBG 30	
	Kanayama et al., 2006 Japan, Cleveland (93) Lumbar Spine	rhBMP7 n=9 (7 mg/pt)	single-level lumbar DDD	single-level primary instrumented posteriorlateral lumbar fusion with rhBMP7 or AGB/CRM	grade I spondylo- listhesis	rhBMP7 70±8	NR	rhBMP7 56	NR	NR	Poorly described patient samples, significantly older pts in rhBMP7 group
	AGB/CRM n=10	AGB/CRM 59±9 (p < 0.05)				AGB/CRM 60		NR			
Mummaneni et al., 2004 USA (100) Lumbar Spine	Retrospective single-center cohort study	rhBMP2/AGB n=25 (8.4 mg/pt)	single- or multi- level lumbar DDD	single- or multi- level primary transforaminal lumbar interbody fusion (TLIF) with interbody fusion cages with rhBMP2 plus AGB or ICBG alone	grade I spondylo- listhesis	rhBMP2/AGB 56±12 (33-76)	rhBMP2/AGB 24	rhBMP2/AGB 68	NR	Tobacco use rhBMP2/AGB 12	More older pts and males in the rhBMP2/AGB group than ICBG group, but small numbers limit comparison
		ICBG N=19				ICBG 49±10 (33-64)	ICBG 0 (p < 0.01)	ICBG 47		Prior surgery rhBMP/AGB 40	
Pradhan et al., 2006	Prospective consecutive	rhBMP2 n=9	single-level lumbar DDD	single-level primary	grade I spondylo-	rhBMP2 51	3 (1 of 36)	rhBMP2 33	NR	NR	Patient sample demographics

USA (101) Lumbar Spine	patient single-center cohort study	(dose NR)		aAAnterior lumbar interbody fusion (ALIF) with femoral ring allograft (FRA) plus rhBMP2 or ICBG	listhesis		ICBG 53		ICBG 18			not well described
		ICBG n=27										
Singh et al., 2006 USA (102) Lumbar Spine	Prospective single-center case-matched cohort study	rhBMP2/ICBG n=39 (12-36 mg/pt)	single- or multi-level lumbar DDD	single- or multi-level primary instrumented posterolateral lumbar fusion with rhBMP2 plus ICBG or ICBG alone	grade I-II spondylo-listhesis	rhBMP2/ICBG 65	NR	rhBMP2/ICBG 44	NR	NR	Patients in rhBMP2/ICBG group appear to be older, but no statistical analysis was done to confirm	
		ICBG N=11				ICBG 54		ICBG 46				
Slosar et al., 2007 USA (103) Lumbar Spine	Prospective consecutive patient single-center cohort study	rhBMP2 n=45 (3-9 mg/pt)	single- or multi-level lumbar DDD	single- or multi-level primary instrumented anterior lumbar interbody fusion (ALIF) with femoral ring allograft (FRA) plus rhBMP2 or allograft bone chips (ALG)	grade I-II spondylo-listhesis	rhBMP2 45	NR	rhBMP2 60	NR	Tobacco use rhBMP2 18	Both groups were similar in demographics and number of levels fused	
		ALG N=30				ALG 44		ALG 51		Previous back surgery rhBMP2 46		
										Tobacco use ALG 8		
										Previous back surgery ALG 37		
Vaccaro et al., 2008 USA (94) Lumbar Spine	Multicenter nonblinded RCT	rhBMP7 n=207 (7 mg/pt)	single-level lumbar DDD	single-level primary uninstrumented posterolateral lumbar fusion with rhBMP7 or ICBG	grade I-II spondylo-listhesis	rhBMP7 68±10	at least 50% in both groups rhBMP7 med=68	rhBMP7 34	NR NSD reported	NR	No significant differences between groups	
		ICBG				ICBG		ICBG				

		n=86				69±8	med=71	30			
Vaccaro et al., 2008 USA (95) Lumbar Spine Note: Long-term F/U study that includes all pts from Vaccaro et al., 2004, (184), and Vaccaro et al., 2005, (185)	Multicenter, nonblinded RCT	rhBMP7 n=24 (7 mg/pt)	single-level lumbar DDD	single-level primary uninstrumented posterolateral lumbar fusion with rhBMP7 or ICBG	grade I-II spondylo-listhesis	rhBMP7 63 (43-80)	NR	rhBMP7 46	rhBMP7 198 (125-299)	NR	Patients in rhBMP7 group appear to be younger and heavier than in ICBG group, but no statistical analysis was done
		ICBG n=12				ICBG 67 (51-79)		ICBG 42	ICBG 176 (130-220)		
Baskin et al., 2003 USA (89) Cervical Spine	Multicenter, nonblinded RCT	rhBMP2/ALG n=18 (0.6-1.2 mg/pt)	single- or two-level cervical DDD	single- or two-level primary instrumented ACDF with rhBMP2/ALG or ICBG/ALG	NR	rhBMP2/ALG 51	NR	rhBMP2/ALG 44	rhBMP2/ALG 170	Tobacco use rhBMP2/ALG 28	No significant differences between groups
		ICBG/ALG n=15				ICBG/ALG 47		ICBG/ALG 47	ICBG/ALG 174	ICBG/ALG 47	
Butterman et al., 2008 (104) Cervical Spine	Prospective nonrandomized cohorts of consecutive patients	rhBMP2/CRA n=30 (0.9-3.7 mg/pt)	single- or multiple-level cervical DDD	single- or multi-level primary instrumented or uninstrumented ACDF with rhBMP2/CRA or ICBG	NR	rhBMP2/CRA 49±10	NR	rhBMP2/CRA 50	NR	Tobacco use rhBMP2/CRA 37	No significant differences between pt groups except a greater number of levels were treated in the rhBMP2/CRA group compared to the ICBG group (mn 1.6 vs. 2.2, p=0.003)
		ICBG n=36				ICBG 48±9		ICBG 33		Adjacent level DDD rhBMP2 63	
										Tobacco use rhBMP2/CRA ICBG 53	
										Adjacent level DDD ICBG 64	
Crawford et al.,	Retrospective	rhBMP2/BGE	single- or multi-	single- or multi-	NR	rhBMP2/BGE	NR	rhBMP2/BGE	NR	Tobacco use	No significant

2009 USA (105) Cervical Spine	cohort of consecutive patients	n=41 (4.2-12 mg/pt)	level posterior cervical stenosis, ACDF nonunion, or unstable spondylosis	level instrumented posterior cervical spinal fusion with rhBMP2/BGE or ICBG		56±11		32		rhBMP2/BGE 24	differences between groups
		ICBG n=36				ICBG 54±12		ICBG 42		ICBG 36	
Smucker et al., 2006 (106) Cervical Spine	Retrospective case-control	rhBMP2/CRA n=69 (dose NR)	NR	single- or multi-level instrumented ACDF with rhBMP2/CRA or CRA alone	NR	rhBMP2/CRA 52	NR	rhBMP2/CRA 49	NR	Tobacco use rhBMP2/CRA 29	Patients in rhBMP2/CRA (cortical ring allograft) group had significantly higher rates of comorbidities that can adversely affect fusion
		CRA n=165				CRA 50		CRA 49		Prior ACDF rhBMP2/CRA 28	
										≥ 3 levels fused rhBMP2/CRA 13	
										Tobacco use CRA 14 (p=0.02)	
										Prior ACDF CRA 10 (p=0.001)	
										≥ 3 levels fused CRA 2 (p=0.003)	
Vaidya et al., 2007 (107) Cervical Spine	Retrospective cohort of consecutive patients	rhBMP2 n=22 (1-3 mg/pt)	single- or multiple-level cervical DDD	single- or multi-level primary instrumented ACDF with interbody fusion cages rhBMP2 on ACS or ALG/DBM	NR	rhBMP2 50 (29-70)	NR	rhBMP2 32	NR	NR	No significant differences between groups
		ALG/DBM n=24				ALG/DBM 48 (30-69)		ALG/DBM 45			
Boraiah et al.,	Retrospective	rhBMP2	Complex tibial	Surgery for	NR	53 years	NR	22 (55%)	NR	NR	

2009 USA (108) Acute Tibial Fractures	case series	(1) n=17 (12 mg/pt)	plateau fractures	Acute traumatic tibial plateau fractures	(17-83)						
		(2) n=23 no BMP									
Jones et al., 2006 USA (90) Acute Tibial Fractures	Multi-center prospective RCT	rhBMP2 (1) n=15 (12 mg/pt with allograft bone chips	Diaphyseal tibial fracture with cortical defects	Reconstruction of diaphyseal tibial fractures with cortical defect	Open BMP 14 (93%) Closed BMP 1 (7%) Defect location Proximal third BMP 3 (20%) Middle third BMP 8 (53%) Distal third BMP 4 (27%) Gustilo-Anderson I or II BMP 1 (7%) IIIA BMP 9 (64%) IIIB BMP 4(29%) OTA classification Simple fracture BMP 1(7%)	BMP 36 (18-51)	NR	BMP 14 (93%)	NR	Tobacco use BMP 6(40%)	

					7(47%)				disease No BMP 3 (20%)	
Ristiniemi et al., 2007 Finland (110) Acute Tibial Fractures (same pts as rec#4560)	Retrospective cohort of matched patients	Rh-BMP7 N=20	Distal tibial fracture (OTA zone 43) treated with external fixation by BMP7 and graft	Inclusion: Zone 43 tibial fracture, fixation with two-ring hybrid external fixation, treatment with rhBMP7 (controls matched from other patients undergoing Zone 43 external fixation)	BMP: High energy injury 10(50%) Bone defects: BMP: 6(30%)	BMP: 41.3 (23 to 79)	NR	BMP: 11 (55%)	nr	Smokers (1) 10 (50%)
		Matched Zone 43 fracture (OREF) N=20			Matched: high energy injury 11 (55%) Boney defects: Matched: 2(10%)	Matched: 47.2 (28 to 78)		Matched: 10 (50%)		(2) 8 (40%)
Bilic et al., 2006 Croatia, Netherlands (96) Miscellaneous Off-Label Uses	Single-center, unblinded RCT	rhBMP7/AGB n=6 (3.5 mg/pt)	symptomatic proximal pole scaphoid nonunion	revision of nonunion	≥ 9 mos. duration, no evidence of healing over past 3 mos	rhBMP7/AGB 23±5	0	100	BMI (kg/m2) rhBMP7/AGB 20.1±1.5	Tobacco use rhBMP7/AGB 50
		rhBMP7/ALG n=6 (3.5 mg/pt)				rhBMP7/ALG 19±4			Nonunion duration (mos) rhBMP7/AGB 15±5	
		ICBG n=6				ICBG 22±5			rhBMP7/ALG 21.3±2.1	Tobacco use rhBMP7/ALG 50
									Nonunion duration (mos) rhBMP7/ALG 14±5	
									ICBG 19.8±1.3	Tobacco use ICBG 33
										Nonunion

									duration (mos) ICBG 13±4	
Dickinson et al., 2008 USA (91) Miscellaneous Off-Label Uses	Single-center RCT	rhBMP2/ACS n=9 (dose not given)	unilateral cleft lip-palate with an alveolar cleft defect	repair of unilateral cleft lip-palate with an alveolar cleft defect	NR	rhBMP2/ACS 16±1	0	43	NR	NR
		ICBG n=12				ICBG 16±2				
Ekrol et al., 2008 UK (97) Miscellaneous Off-Label Uses	Prospective randomized cohort	RhBMP2 Non bridging external fixation N=4	Osteotomy of the distal radius for symptomatic malunion (with and without external fixation) with RhBMP-7 and autologous bone graft	Inclusion: malunion of distal radius (more than 10 degrees of dorsal angulation, more than 2 mm of radial shortening, carpal malalignment or a combination of these)		Internal fixation w/ pi plate bone graft: 57(49-68)	NR	Internal fixation w/ pi plate bone graft: 3(30%)	NR	NR
		Bone graft Non bridging external fixation N=6				Internal fixation w/ pi plate rhBMP-7: 62(35-78)		Internal fixation w/ pi plate rhBMP-7: 0(0%)		
		RhBMP-7 internal fixation w/ pi-plate N=10				External fixation rhBMP7: 58(41-81)		External fixation rhBMP7: 1(25%)		
		Bone graft internal fixation w/ pi-plate N=10				External fixation bone graft: 61(25-79)		External fixation bone graft: 1(16.6%)		
Geesink et al., 1999 Netherlands (98) Miscellaneous Off-Label Uses	Prospective double-blind randomized study	Untreated N=6	High tibial osteotomy with three osteoinductive materials	Pts with high tibial osteotomy who complied with study criteria	15.6mm in untreated, 13.4 mm in DMB 14.2 mm in collagen only 16.4mm in	50 years (25 to 73)	NR	11 (45%)	NR	NR
		DMB N=6								
		Collagen type I N=6								
		OP-1 (2.5mg)								

		with Collagen type I N=6			OP-1						
Karrholm et al., 2006 UK (111) Miscellaneous Off-Label Uses	Single-center case-control	Cups rhBMP7/ALG (1 g/pt) n=10	required revision of total hip arthroplasty	impaction grafting for revision of hip arthroplasty	NR	Cups rhBMP7/ALG 68 (51-78)	NR	Cups rhBMP7/ALG 50	Cups rhBMP7/AKG 152 (128-187)	Osteoarthritis 100% both groups	No significant differences between groups
		Cupss ALG n=10				Cups ALG 65 (48-75)		Cups ALG 50	Cups ALG 158 (106-216)		
		Stems rhBMP7/ALG (1 g/pt) n=11				Stems rhBMP7/ALG 68 (51-77)		Stems rhBMP7/ALG 54	Stems rhBMP7/ALG 154 (119-187)		
		Stems ALG n=30				Stems ALG 67 (37-79)		Stems ALG 60	Stems ALG 165 (128-220)		
Maeda et al., 2009 USA, Japan (109) Miscellaneous Off-Label Uses	Cohort study with nonconcurrent control group	rhBMP2/BGE n=23 (64-320 mg/pt)	spinal deformity	primary instrumented posterior spinal fusion from thoracic spine to the sacrum or ilium, or anterior fusion between same locations using interbody fusion cage	preoperative major curve Cobb angle (mm ± SD degrees) rhBMP2/BGE 54±20	rhBMP2/BGE 56±10	NR	NR	BMI rhBMP2/BGE 26±10	Tobacco use rhBMP2/BGE 13	No significant differences between groups
		ICBG n=32				ICBG 58±13	ICBG 53±10		ICBG 25±4	ICBG 12	