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## BNT162b2 (COVID-19 Vaccine, mRNA) Vaccine – Request for Emergency Use Authorization in Individuals 5 to <12 Years of Age

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#### **Presentation Agenda**

Introduction **Unmet Medical Need** Phase 2/3 Immunogenicity and SafetyEfficacy Analysis **Clinical Data Benefit Risk** 

## Pfizer/BNT Seeking Emergency Use Authorization of 10ug Dose of BNT162 in Children 5 to <12 Years of Age

## 10ug dose level was selected as optimal to elicit robust immune responses with an acceptable safety profile

#### **Proposed Indication and Schedule**

Active immunization to prevent COVID-19 caused by SARS-CoV-2 in individuals 5 to <12 years of age

Administered intramuscularly as a primary series of 2 doses (0.2 mL each), 3 weeks apart

## BNT162b2 – Meets EUA Guidance for 5 to <12 Years of Age

#### **Clear and Compelling Data**

Meets all safety data expectations for follow up durations and subject number

Meets
Immunobridging
criteria
comparing 5 to
<12 yo to 16 to
25 yo subjects

90.7% efficacy was observed

Plans for active safety follow up under EUA

Vaccine's benefits outweigh its risks

#### Unmet Medical Need in Children 5 to <12 Years of Age

Based on CDC data, among children 5 to <12 years, the cumulative burden of COVID-19 to date is:

- 1.8M cases<sup>1</sup>
- 8622 hospitalizations<sup>2</sup>
- 143 deaths<sup>1</sup>

- COVID-19 causes additional long-term sequelae in children
  - >5200 cases of multisystem inflammatory syndrome in children (MIS-C), 50% in 5-13 year-olds<sup>3</sup>
  - 67% of children experience symptoms ≥60 days after COVID-19 diagnosis<sup>4</sup>
- Severe outcomes are unpredictable and can occur in healthy children, prompting need for broad age-based vaccination
  - 1 in 3 hospitalizations occur among children without comorbidities<sup>5</sup>
  - MIS-C can affect healthy children<sup>6</sup>
- Vaccinating children has other societal benefits
  - Children likely play role in transmission<sup>7</sup>; vaccinating children can help reach herd immunity
  - Vaccination will help ensure in-person learning critical for childhood development, by limiting community spread and school outbreaks<sup>8</sup>

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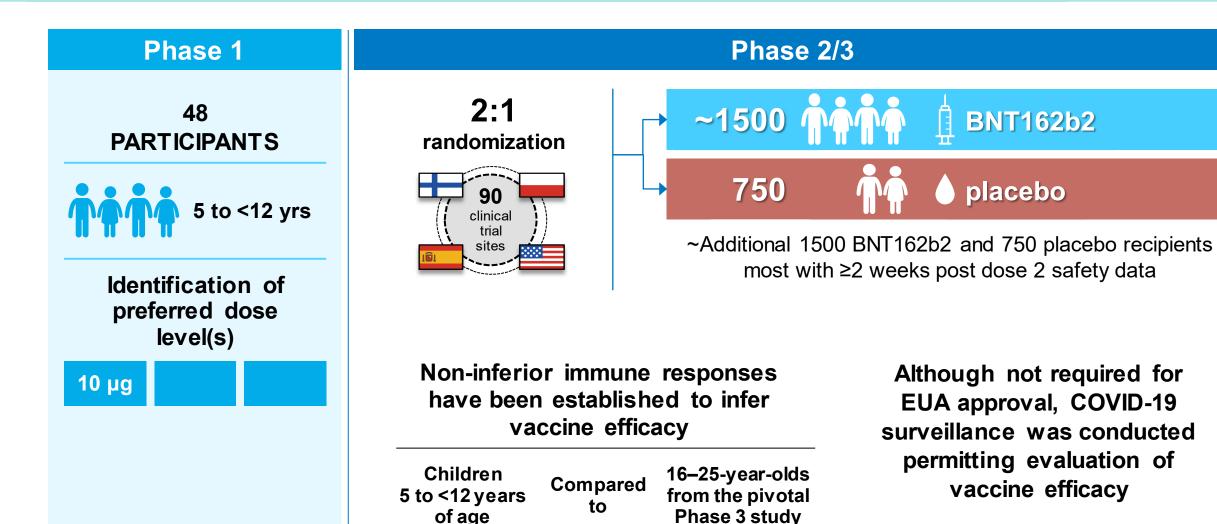
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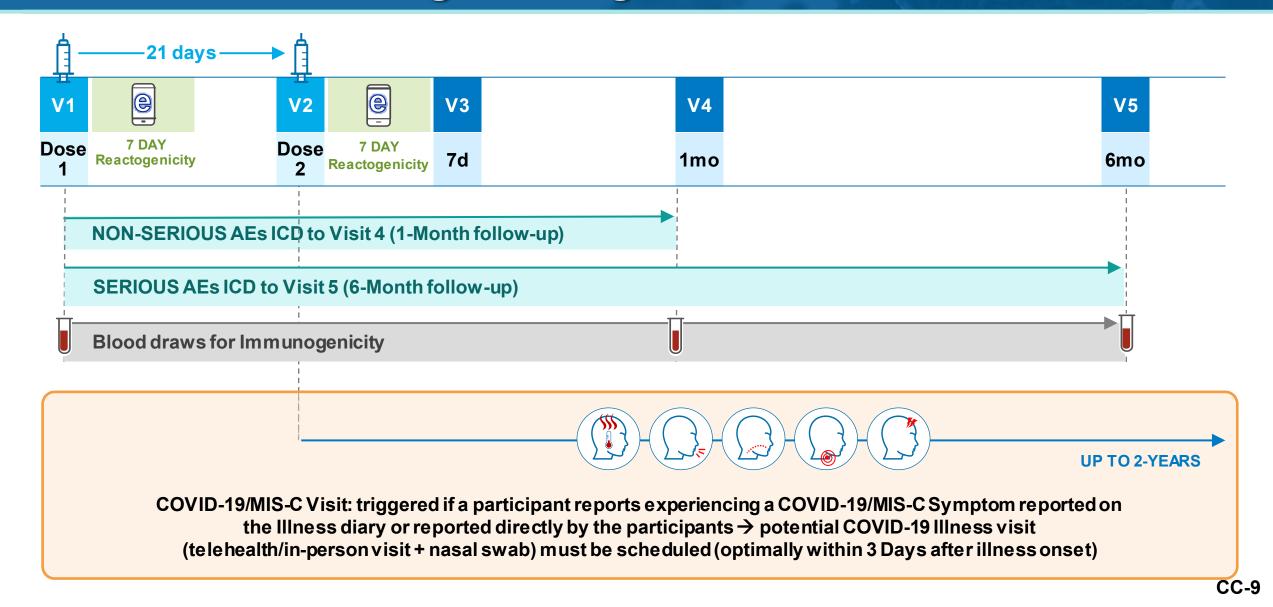


# **Clinical Data** CC-7

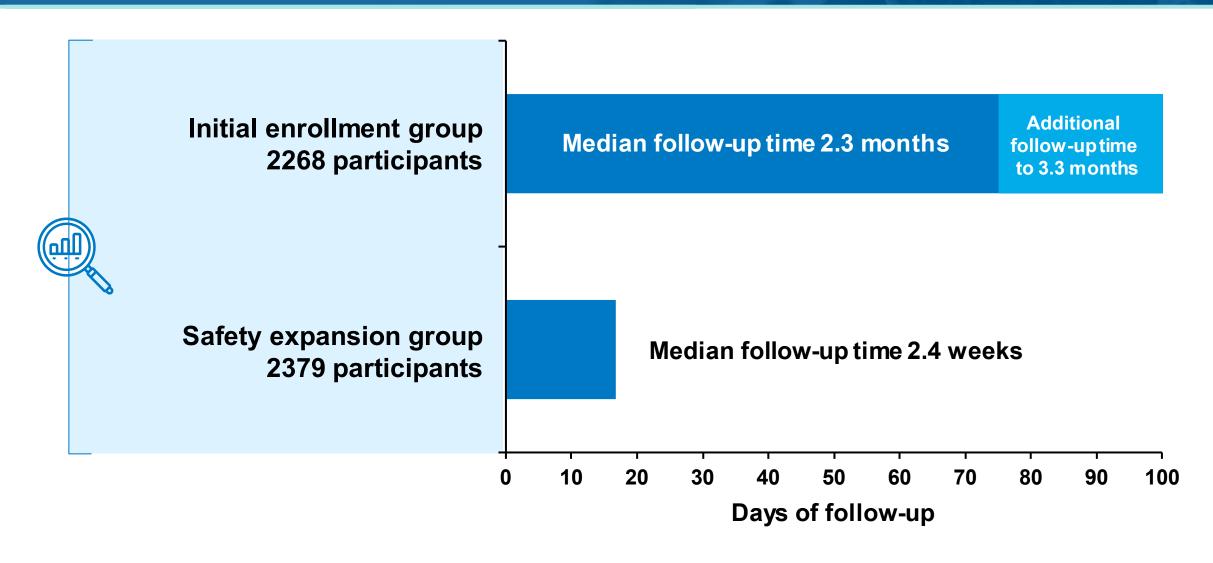
## Pfizer-BioNTech Pediatric COVID-19 Vaccine BNT162b2: Study Overview: 5 to <12 Years



## Phase 2/3 Timelines of Participants 5 to <12 Years of Age Through 6 Months Post-dose 2



## Safety Data for 5 to <12 Year Olds to Support EUA Application



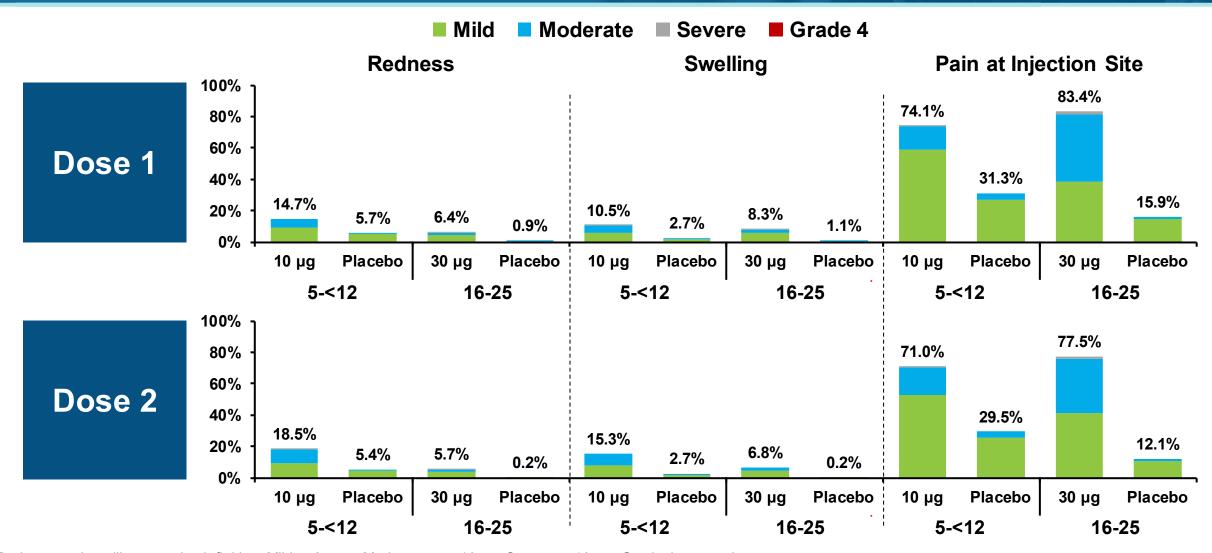
#### Demographics for 5 to <12 Year Olds Phase 2/3 Safety Population Initial Enrollment Group (N=2268)

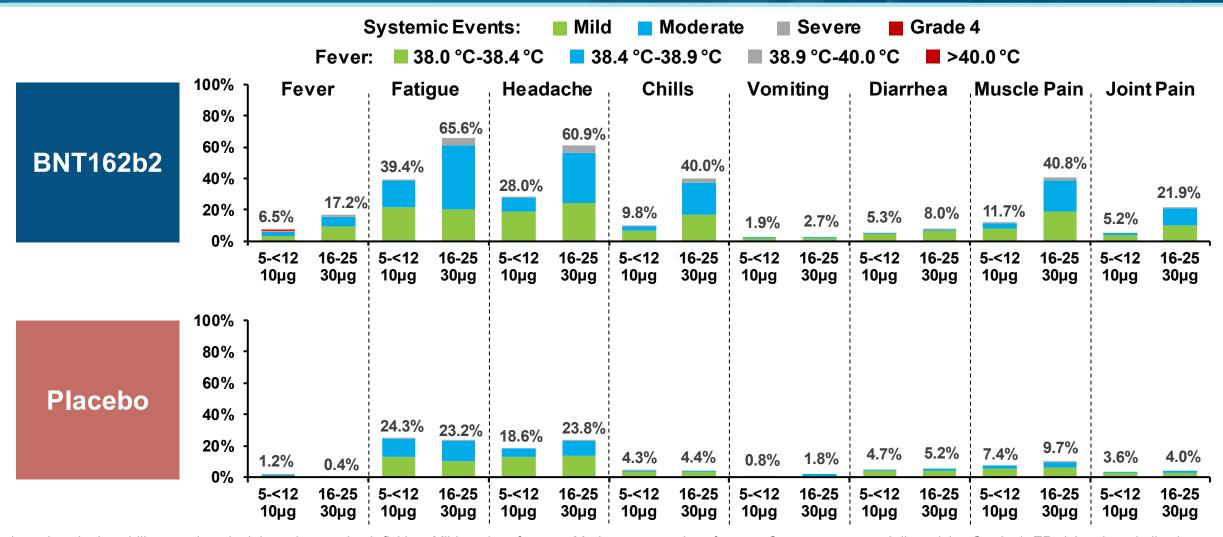
		BNT162b2 (10μg) N=1518	Placebo N=750
Cav. m (0/ )	Male	799 (52.6)	383 (51.1)
Sex, n (%)	Female	719 (47.4)	367 (48.9)
	White	1204 (79.3)	586 (78.1)
	Black or African American	89 (5.9)	58 (7.7)
	American Indian or Alaska native	12 (0.8)	3 (0.4)
Race, n (%)	Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander	<1%	<1%
	Asian	90 (5.9)	47 (6.3)
	Multiracial	109 (7.2)	49 (6.5)
	Not reported	<1%	<1%
	Hispanic/Latino	319 (21.0)	159 (21.2)
Ethnicity, n (%)	Non-Hispanic/non-Latino	1196 (78.8)	591 (78.8)
	Not reported	<1%	<1%
A at a sin ation	Mean (SD)	8.2 (1.93)	8.1 (1.97)
Age at vaccination	Min, Max	(5, 11)	(5, 11)
Obese <sup>a</sup> , n (%)	Yes	174 (11.5)	92 (12.3)
Comorbidities <sup>b</sup> , n (%)	Yes	312 (20.6)	152 (20.3)

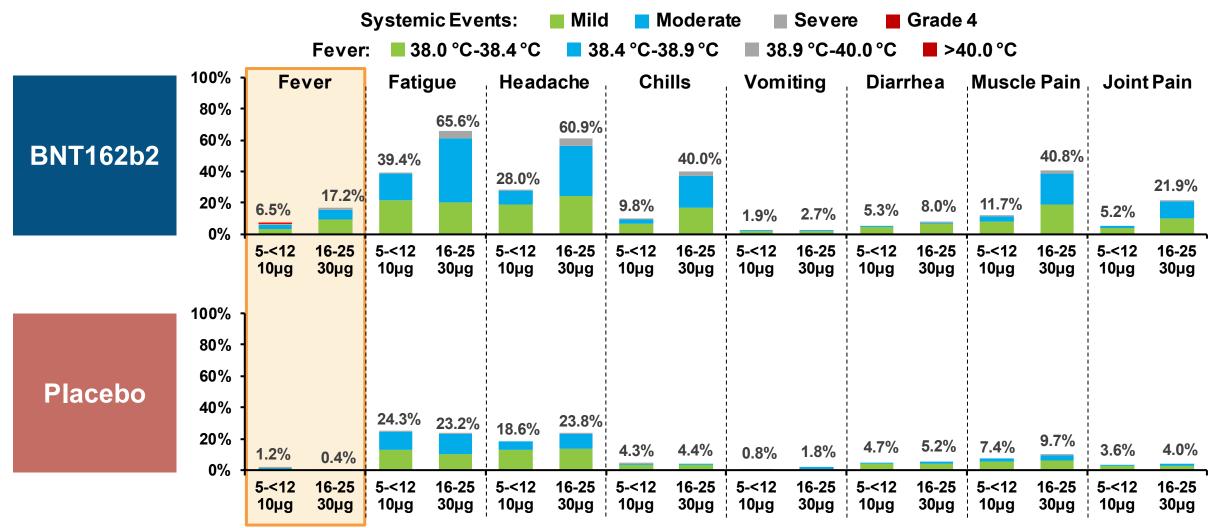
a. Obese is defined as a body mass index (BMI) at or above the 95th percentile according to the growth chart. Refer to the CDC growth charts at https://www.cdc.gov/growthcharts/html\_charts/bmiagerev.htm.

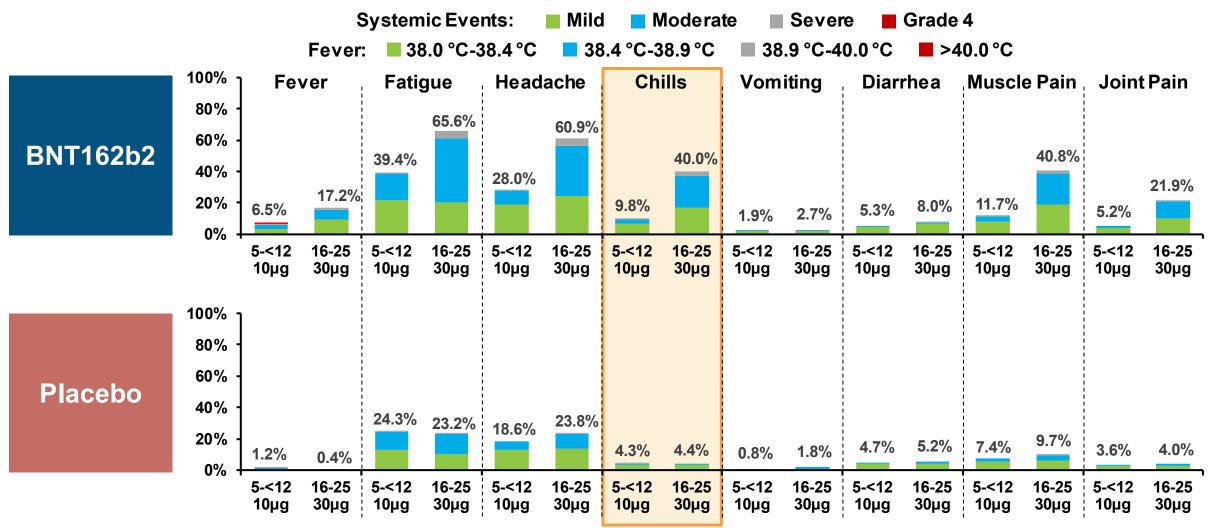
b. Participants who had at least one of the prespecified comorbidities based on MMWR 69(32);1081-1088 and/or obesity (BMI ≥ 95th percentile

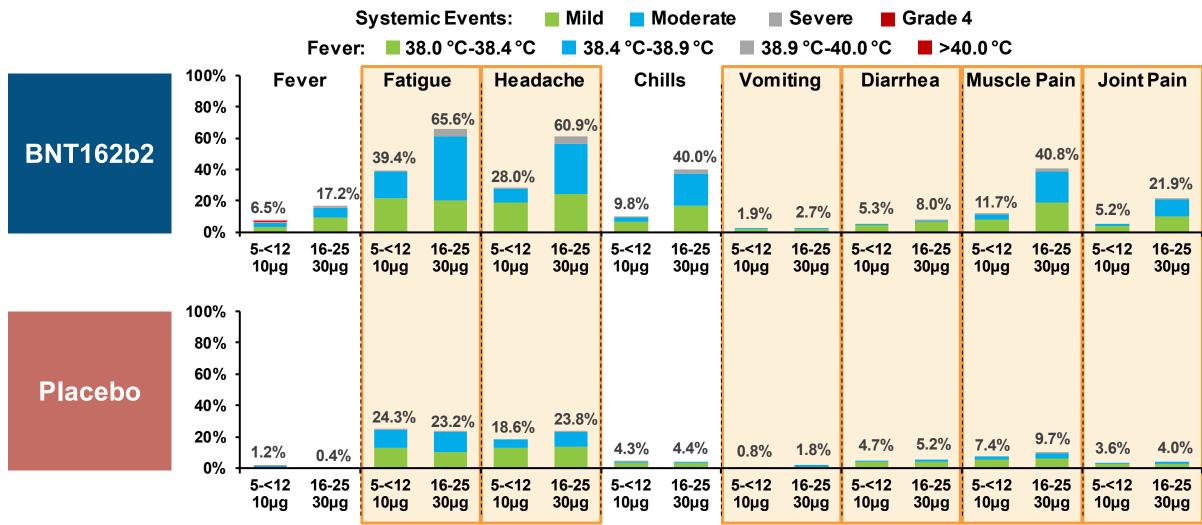
#### Local Reactions, by Maximum Severity, Within 7 Days After Each Dose in 5 to <12 and 16-25 Year Olds













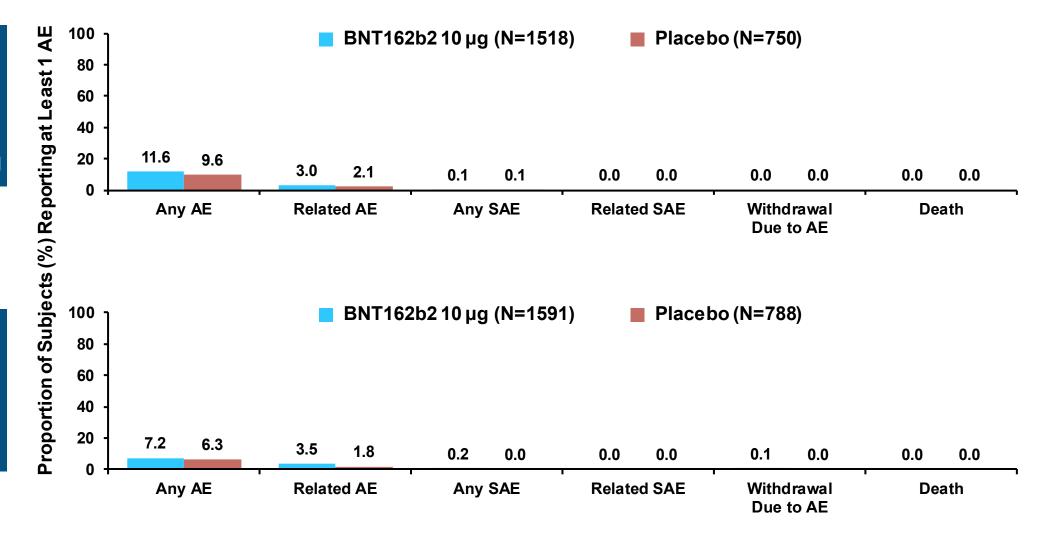
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# Adverse Events

#### Overall Adverse Events from Dose 1 to Data Cutoff Date: 5 to <12 Year Olds

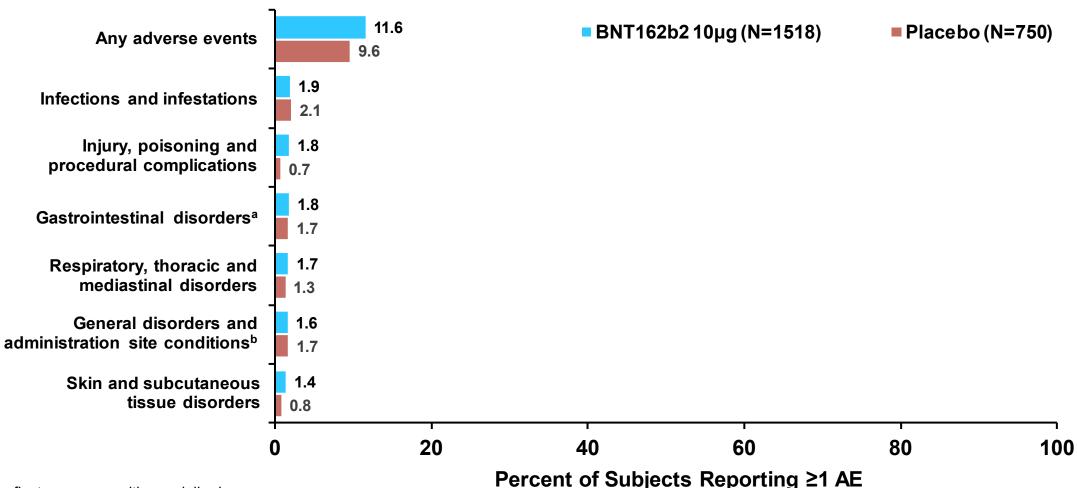
Initial enrollment group: Median follow-up time 2.3 months Cutoff date September 6, 2021

Safety expansion group: Median follow-up time 2.4 weeks Cutoff date October 8, 2021



#### Adverse Events ≥1.0% by System Organ Class for 5 to <12 Year Olds from Dose 1 to Cutoff Date Initial Enrollment Group (N=2268)

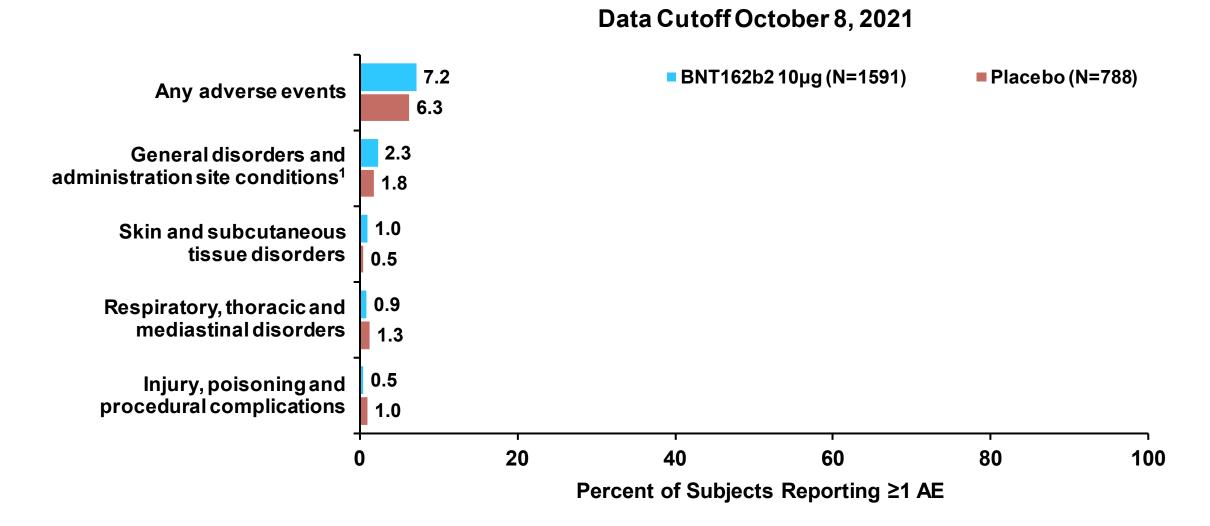




a. Predominantly reflect nausea, vomiting and diarrhea

b. Predominantly reflect local reactions at the injection site and systemic reactions of fever and fatigue Lymphadenopathy 0.9% in BNT162b2 group

#### Adverse Events ≥1.0% by System Organ Class for 5 to <12 Year Olds from Dose 1 to Cutoff Date Safety Expansion Group (N= 2379)



<sup>1.</sup> Predominantly reflect local reactions at the injection site and systemic reactions of fatigue Lymphadenopathy 0.4% in the BNT162b2 group

### Serious Adverse Events from Dose 1 to Cutoff Date in 5 to <12 Year Olds

#### Initial enrollment group (all unrelated):

- One participant in the BNT162b2 group reported a SAE of an upper limb fracture
- One participant in the Placebo group reported a SAE of abdominal pain and a SAE of pancreatitis related to trauma

#### Expansion Safety group (all unrelated; all in the BNT162b2 group)

- One participant reported a SAE of infective arthritis
- One participant reported a SAE of epiphyseal fracture
- One participant reported a SAE of ingestion of a foreign body

#### Adverse Events of Special Interest Initial Enrollment Group and Safety Expanded Group

#### FDA AESIs:

- No anaphylaxis
- No myocarditis/pericarditis
- No Bell's palsy (or facial paralysis/paresis)
- No appendicitis

#### CDC Defined AESIs:

- Potential hypersensitivity (angioedema, and predominantly rash and urticaria)
- Arthritis (infective)
- Vasculitis

#### Safety Conclusions for 5 to <12 Year Olds

- Reactogenicity was mostly mild to moderate, and short lived
- Observed mild to moderate local reactions (redness, swelling) captured by ediary were more common and systemic reactions (including fever) less common than those in 16-25 year-olds
- The observed AE profile in this study did not suggest any safety concerns for BNT162b2 vaccination in children
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#### Immunogenicity and Efficacy

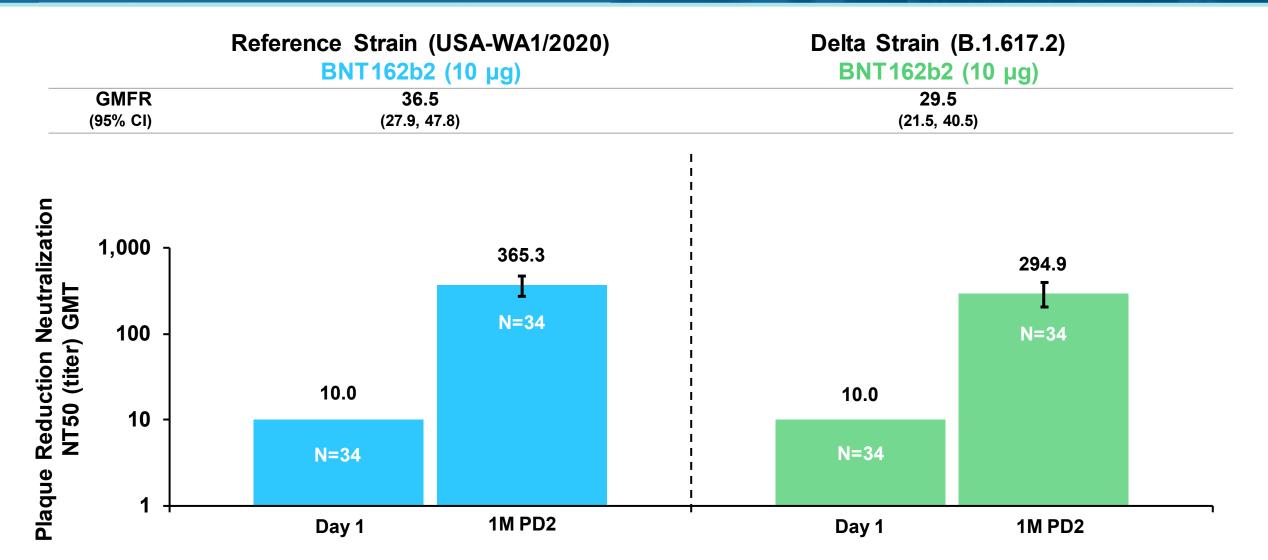
#### Immunobridging Criteria Between 5 to <12 and 16-25 Years of Age Were Met Both for GMR and for Seroresponse

		BNT162b2 (10μg) 5 to <12 Years			62b2 (30µg) -25 years	5 to <12 /	16-25 years
Assay	Dosing/Sampling Time Point	n	GMT (95% CI)	n	GMT (95% CI)	GMR (95% CI)	Met Immuno- bridging (Y/N)
SARS-CoV-2 neutralization assay - NT50 (titer)	2 / 1 Month	264	1197.6 (1106.1, 1296.6)	253	1146.5 (1045.5, 1257.2)	1.04 (0.93, 1.18)	Υ

Immunobridging is declared if the lower bound of the 95% confidence interval of the GMR is > 0.67 and the GMR is ≥0.8

		BNT162b2 (10μg) 5 to <12 Years			162b2 (30µg) 6-25 years		ence in % ′ 16-25 years
Assay	Dosing/Sampling Time Point	N	n (%) (95% CI)	N	n (%) (95% CI)	% (95% CI)	Met Immuno- bridging (Y/N)
SARS-CoV-2 neutralization assay - NT50 (titer)	2 / 1 Month	264	262 (99.2) (97.3, 99.9)	253	251 (99.2) (97.2, 99.9)	0.0 (-2.0, 2.2)	Υ

## Neutralization of Both Reference Strain and Delta Variant of Concern are Comparable – Randomly Selected Subset Phase 2/3 - Subjects 5 to <12 Years of Age



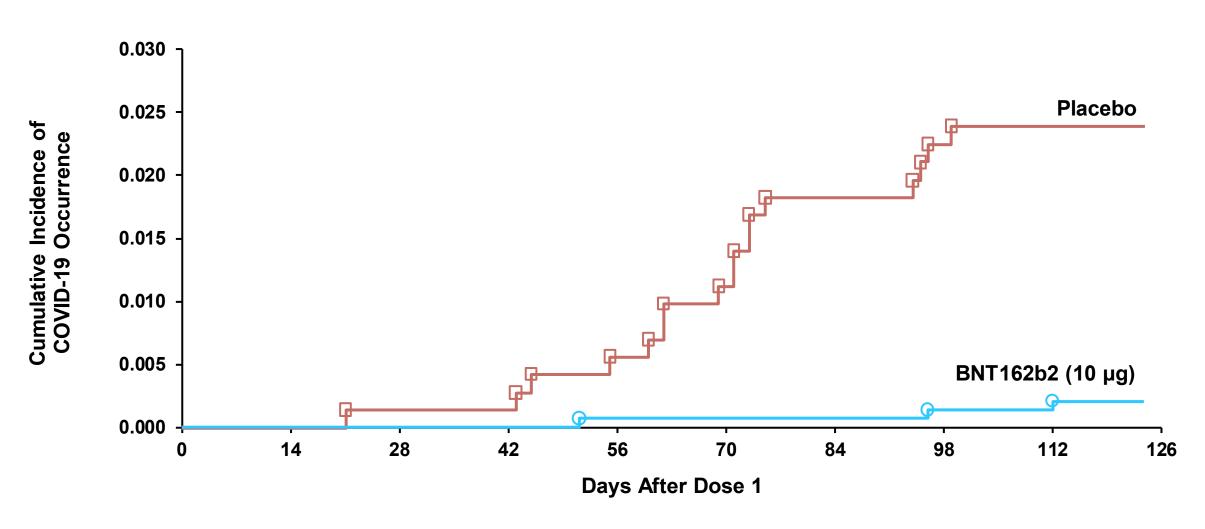
#### High Efficacy was Observed in 5 to <12 Year Olds Descriptive Analysis of First COVID-19 Occurrence From 7 Days After Dose 2

#### **Subjects WITHOUT Evidence of Infection Prior to 7 Days After Dose 2**

	BNT162b2 (10 μg) N=1305			Placebo N=663		
Efficacy Endpoint	n	Surveillance Time (n)	n	Surveillance Time (n)	VE (%)	(95% CI)
First COVID-19 occurrence ≥7 days after Dose 2	3	0.322 (1273)	16	0.159 (637)	90.7	(67.7, 98.3)

#### No severe cases of COVID-19 were reported No cases of MIS-C were reported

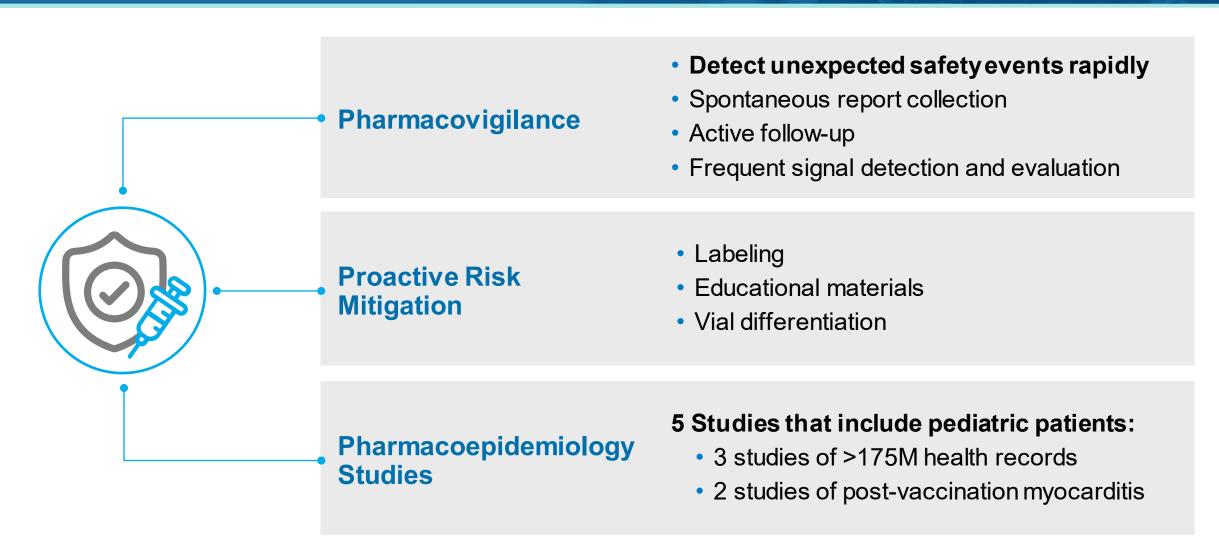
## Cumulative Incidence of COVID-19 After Dose 1: 5 to <12 Years of Age



#### Immunogenicity and Efficacy Conclusions

- Immunobridging success criteria were met for 5 to <12 yearolds at 10 µg dose level
- BNT162b2-immune sera effectively neutralized both USA-WA1/2020 (reference strain) and the highly transmissible B.1.617.2 (Delta) variant of concern
- BNT162b2 as a two-dose series is highly protective against COVID-19 in 5 to <12 year-olds when Delta variant was prominent

## Ongoing and Active Pharmacovigilance and Pharmacoepidemiology (Pediatric)



#### Background on Myocarditis Risk

- Typically caused by viral infections
  - CDC publication based on hospital records recently showed that COVID-19 patients had nearly 16 times the rate of myocarditis compared patients without COVID-19<sup>1</sup>
- In rare cases, myocarditis observed after COVID vaccination in children and adolescents – more frequently after the second dose and in males
  - Acute clinical course is generally mild with majority experiencing resolution of symptoms with conservative treatment
  - Rates of post-vaccination myocarditis in 12-15 year-olds appear lower relative to older adolescents in both the United States and Israel<sup>2,3</sup>

Model-Predicted Benefit-Risk Outcomes Based on FDA Scenario 4 and CDC Risk Scenarios per One Million Fully Vaccinated Children Ages 5 to <12 Years Over 6 Months

(Assumes a rate of myocarditis in 5 to <12 year-olds equal to that of 12-15 yo which may be an overestimate)

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Males and Females – FDA Scenario 4 VE=90% against cases VE=100% against hosp.	58,851	241	77	1	22	57	106

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- Vaccination likely to confer additional benefits:
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