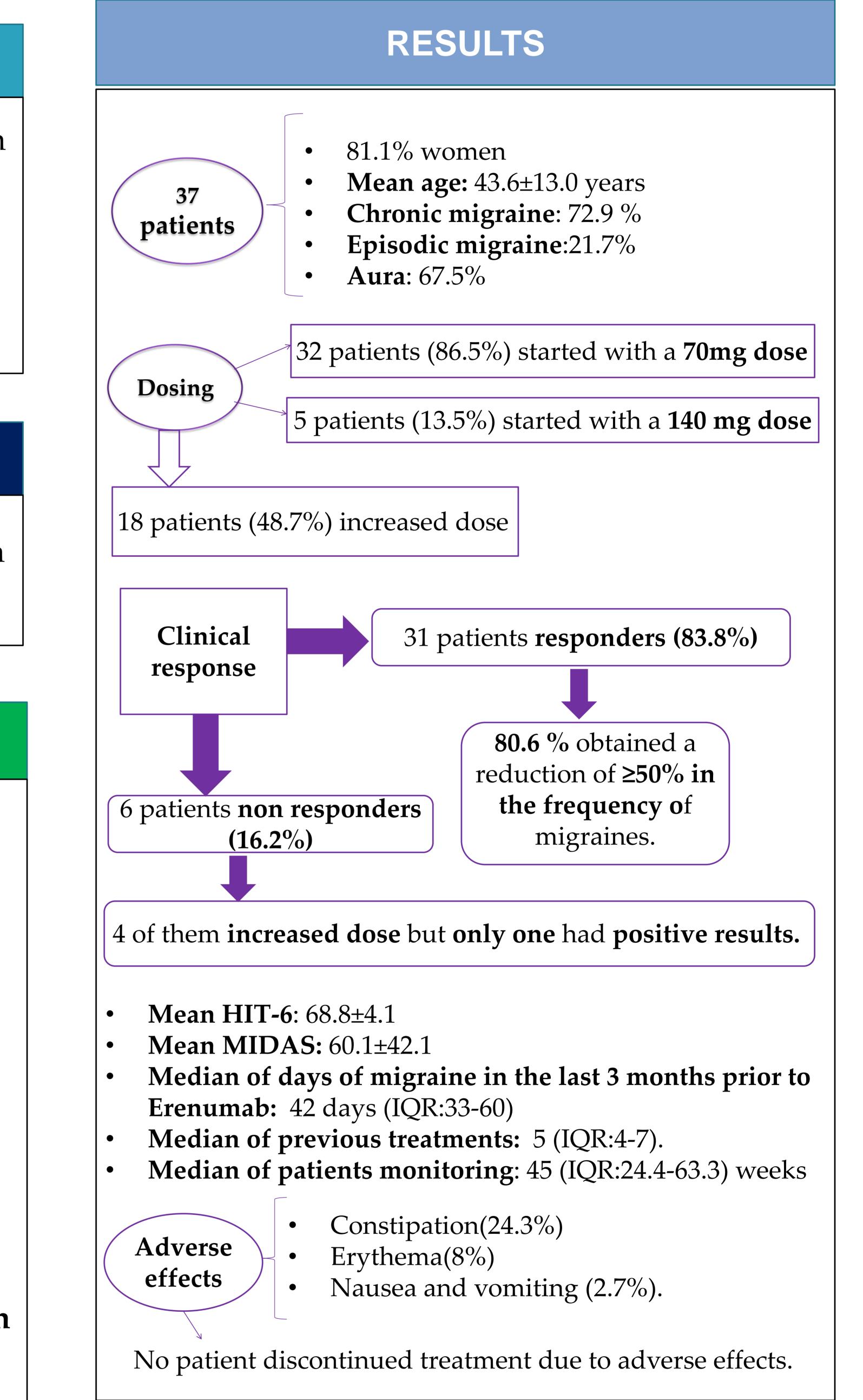


# **EFFECTIVENESS AND SAFETY OF ERENUMAB IN** MIGRAINE PROPHYLAXIS

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### **BACKGROUND AND IMPORTANCE**



- Migraine is **the second most prevalent** disease in terms of disability-adjusted life years (DALYs).
- **Erenumab**, a novel calcitonin gene-related peptide receptor antagonist, has been developed for **migraine prevention**.

## **AIM AND OBJETIVES**

To evaluate **effectiveness and safety** of erenumab in migraine prophylaxis.

## MATERIAL AND METHODS

- **Retrospective, observational** study.
- **Period:** September-2019 to September-2021.

#### Variables collected

Demographic (sex, age)	Presence of aura
Type of migraine	Dose
Headache Impact Test-6	Baselina Migraine
(HIT-6)	Dissability Assessment
	Scale (MIDAS)
Number of previous	Migraine days measured
treatments	in the last three months
Duration of treatment	

- **Effectiveness:** Evaluated by a **monthly reduction** of ≥50% in migraine days measured at week 12 from start date.
- Safety: Evaluated measuring adverse reactions.
- **Information sources:** electronic prescription programme ATHOS-Prisma® and computerized medical record Diraya®



#### **CONCLUSION AND RELEVANCE**

- Erenumab is an **effective and safe** alternative in the prophylaxis of migraine refractory to other therapies.
- More and longer studies are needed to establish the utility of this drug in clinical practice and their long-term safety.