#### 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): May 29, 2015

### Heat Biologics, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

001-35994

(Commission File Number)

26-2844103

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

801 Capitola Drive

Durham, NC 27713 (Address of principal executive offices and zip code)

(919) 240-7133

(Registrant's telephone number including area code)

N/A

(Former Name and Former Address)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of registrant under any of the following provisions:

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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))

### Item 7.01 – Regulation FD Disclosure

Heat Biologics, Inc. (the "Company") will be making several investor presentations over the next few weeks. In connection with the presentations, the Company intends to discuss the slide presentation furnished as Exhibit 99.1 hereto, which is incorporated herein by reference.

The slide presentation attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Report includes "safe harbor" language pursuant to the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995, as amended, indicating that certain statements contained in the slide presentation or in the press release are "forward-looking" rather than historical.

The information included in this Item 7.01 and in Exhibit 99.1 shall not be deemed filed for 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 or incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing. The Company undertakes no duty or obligation to update or revise information included in this Report or any of the Exhibits.

#### Item 9.01 - Financial Statements and Exhibits.

#### (d) Exhibits.

The following exhibit is being filed as part of this Report.

### Exhibit Number Description

99.1 Presentation materials to be provided at Heat Biologics, Inc.'s presentations

### SIGNATURES

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

Dated: May 29, 2015

HEAT BIOLOGICS, INC.

By:

/s/ Jeff Wolf Jeff Wolf Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer Name: Title:



## NASDAQ:HTBX

**Corporate Presentation** 

May 29, 2015



## **Forward Looking Statements**

This presentation includes statements that are, or may be deemed, "forward-looking statements." In some cases, these forward-looking statements can be identified by the use of forward-looking terminology, including the terms "believes," "estimates," "anticipates," "expects," "plans," "intends," "may," "could," "might," "will," "should," "approximately" or, in each case, their negative or other variations thereon or comparable terminology, although not all forward-looking statements contain these words. They appear in a number of places throughout this presentation and include statements regarding our intentions, beliefs, projections, outlook, analyses or current expectations concerning, among other things, our ongoing and planned discovery and development of drugs targeting cancer stem cells, the strength and breadth of our intellectual property, our ongoing and planned preclinical studies and clinical trials, the timing of and our ability to make regulatory filings and obtain and maintain regulatory approvals for our product candidates, our ability to partner our product development, the degree of clinical utility of our products, particularly in specific patient populations, expectations regarding clinical trial data, our results of operations, financial condition, liquidity, prospects, growth and strategies, the length of time that we will be able to continue to fund our operating expenses and capital expenditures, our expected financing needs and sources of financing, the industry in which we operate and the trends that may affect the industry or us.

By their nature, forward-looking statements involve risks and uncertainties because they relate to events, competitive dynamics, and healthcare, regulatory and scientific developments and depend on the economic circumstances that may or may not occur in the future or may occur on longer or shorter timelines than anticipated. Although we believe that we have a reasonable basis for each forward-looking statement contained in this presentation, we caution you that forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance and that our actual results of operations, financial condition and liquidity, and the development of the industry in which we operate may differ materially from the forward-looking statements contained in this presentation of our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2014 and our quarterly report on Form 10-Q for the subsequent quarters (collectively, our "SEC Filings"). In addition, even if our results of operations, financial condition and liquidity, and the forward-looking statements contained in this presentation, we operate are consistent with the forward-looking statements are not guarantees of perations, financial condition and liquidity, and the development of the subsequent quarters (collectively, our "SEC Filings"). In addition, even if our results of operations, financial condition and liquidity, and the development of the industry in which we operate are consistent with the forward-looking statements contained in this presentation, they may not be predictive of results or developments in future periods. Any forward-looking statements that we make in this presentation speak only as of the date of such statement, and we undertake no obligation to update such statements to reflect events or circumstances after the date of this presentation, except as required by law.

You should read carefully the factors described in the "Risk Factors" sections of our SEC Filings to better understand the risks and uncertainties inherent in our business.

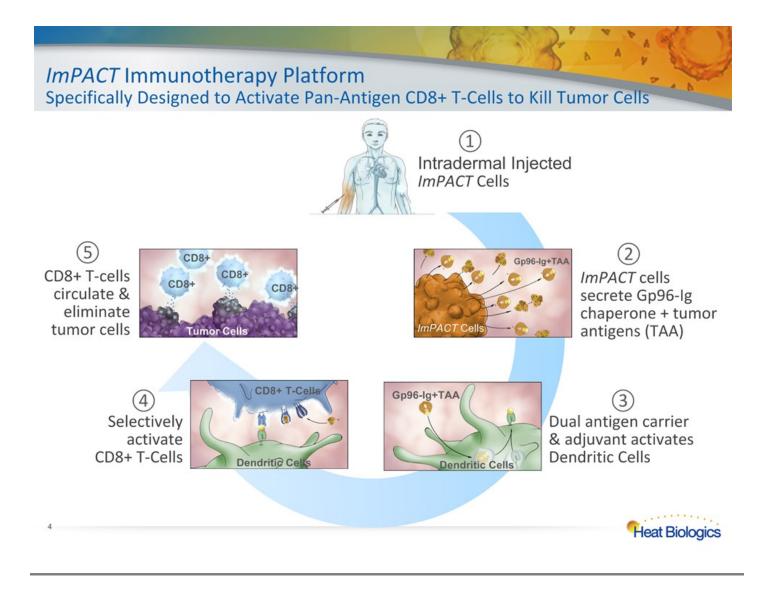


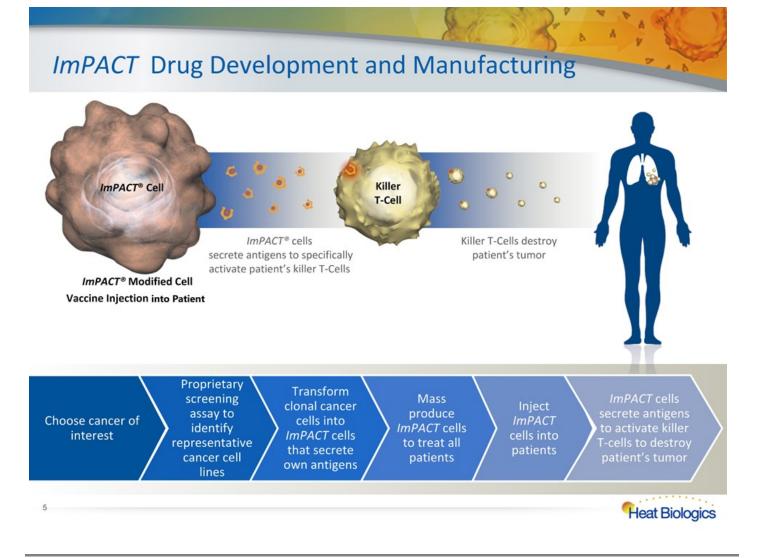
## Overview



- Heat's *ImPACT* allogeneic immunotherapy platform specifically designed to activate patient's CD8+ cytotoxic T cells against multiple tumor antigens
- Two lead programs are actively enrolling patients in randomized, controlled Phase II trials in lung and bladder cancer
  - Positive safety profile with >80 patients dosed in 5 clinical studies with no treatment-related SAE's, AE's primarily Gr.1 injection site reactions
  - Clinical evidence validating mechanism of action in two ongoing randomized controlled Phase 2 programs in NSCLC and bladder cancer
- Multiple near-term value-driving milestones with clinical and preclinical milestones expected to be reported at least quarterly for the next two years







# HS-110 NSCLC (Lung Cancer) Program

	Product Candidate	Cancer	Preclinical	Mfg	Phase 1	Phase 2	Phase 3
1	HS-110 Viagenpumatucel-L	Lung (NSCLC)	123 patient	randomize	d control 3 <sup>rd</sup> line	NSCLC	
	HS-410 Vesigenurtacel-L	Bladder (NMIBC)	100 pati	ent random	nized control NM	ІВС	
	HS-110 Viagenpumatucel-L	Lung (NSCLC)	Multi-arn	n combinat	ion		
	Multiple Programs	Undisclosed					

## **Opportunity in NSCLC**

- T-cell activation for non-immunogenic tumors
- Combination with low-dose cyclophosphamide, known modulator of tumorinduced immunosuppression
- Success of checkpoint inhibitors demonstrates NSCLC responsive to immunotherapy



#### HS-110 Phase 1 Late-Stage Advanced NSCLC Comparable Efficacy of HS-110 and Checkpoint Blockade 1.00 Nivolumab (BMS PD-1 MAb) HS-110 0.9 $\geq 2^{nd}$ line Phase 1 2<sup>nd</sup> Line Phase 1 0.8 0.75 0.7 Proportion surviving >8x improved 1 year survival vs historical control 0.6 0.50 0.5 1 year OS Rate 42% 1 year OS Rate 44% 20L 0.4 0.3 2 year OS Rate 24% 0.25 2 year OS rate 19% 0.2 Treated Patients 0.1 Historical control\* 0.0 15 18 21 24 27 30 33 36 Months Since Initiation of Trade 61 64 57 12 30 36 6 18 Scott Gettinger, Yale Cancer Center, 2014 ASCO annual Meeting HS-110 well-tolerated with no overt toxicity . Single agent clinical activity in heavily pre-treated patients with advanced NSCLC . - 7 of 15 patients stable disease after single course of therapy Median 1 year overall survival rate of patients in the study was 44% (95% CI: 21.6-65.1) comparing favorably to 42% rate in patients treated with Nivolumab in 2<sup>nd</sup> line



## Immune Response Predictive of Survival

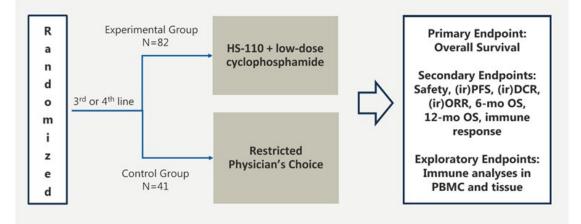
1.00 Peripheral blood immune • >3x Extension of Median OS response observed in 73% (11 for Responders out of 15) of patients who 0.75 completed their first course of **Proportion Surviving** Non-Responders (N=4) therapy Immune response predictive Responders (N=11) of survival 0.50 - Immune responders median overall survival = 16.9 months Hazard Ratio: 0.021 Immune non-responders median 95% CI: 0.002 - 0.204 overall survival = 4.5 months 0.25 Long-term survival . - Three patients survived >3 yrs. One patient survived > 4 yrs. 0 6 12 18 24 30 36

Months From Treatment Start

Responders saw a threefold increase in median overall survival compared to nonresponders in the trial, from 4.5 months to 16.9 months



# Phase 2 HS-110/CY Combo NSCLC Design



## Regimen

- Low-dose cyclophosphamide (CY) 50 mg daily for 7 days every 2 weeks for 12 weeks or until progression
- HS-110 10<sup>7</sup> cells weekly for 12 weeks then every 9 weeks until irPD or 12 months, whichever comes first
- Multi-center trial of ~25 sites in US and Australia
- Lead centers: University of Pennsylvania in USA; Peter MacCallum Cancer Center in AUS

### Sample Size

- 123 patients randomized 2:1
- 80% power with alpha = 0.1 to detect a 50% reduction in the risk of death
- Interim analysis for immune response after 14 and 40 patients randomized to experimental group

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# HS-410 Bladder Cancer Program

	Product Candidate	Cancer	Preclinical	Mfg	Phase 1	Phase 2	Phase 3
	HS-110 Viagenpumatucel-L	Lung (NSCLC)	123 patient	randomize	d control 3 <sup>rd</sup> line	NSCLC	
✓ HS-410 Vesigenurtacel-L		Bladder (NMIBC)	100 pati	ent random	ized control NM	ІВС	
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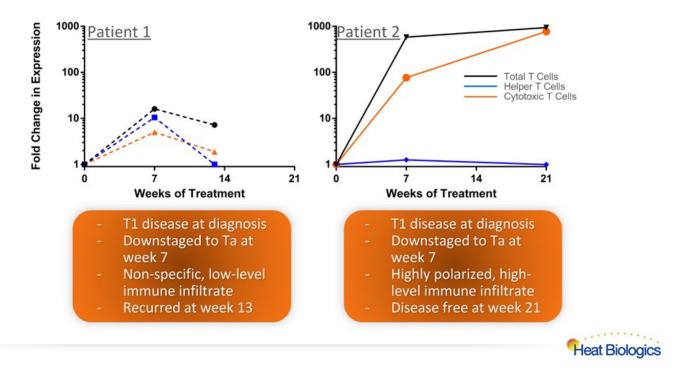
## **Opportunity in Bladder Cancer**

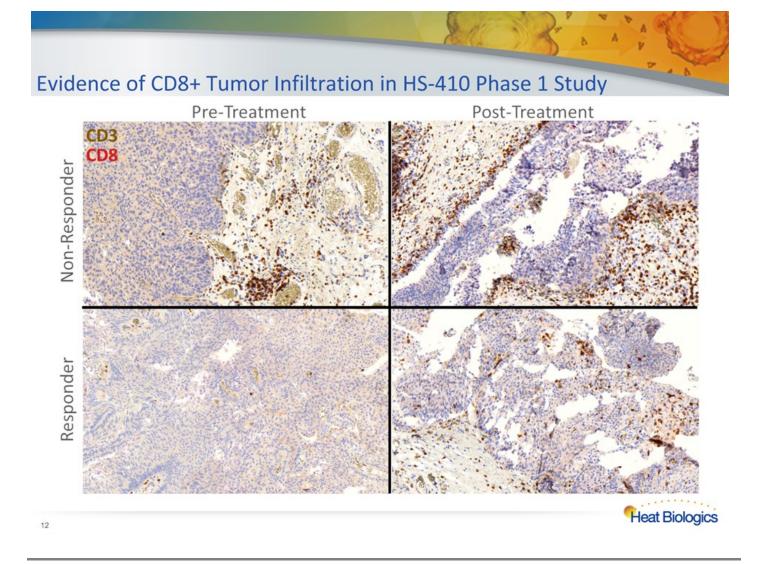
- Treat patients with minimal residual disease at a high-risk of recurrence within 2 years
- Leverage potential mechanistic synergy with BCG
- There has not been a new approved drug in non-muscle invasive bladder cancer in over 25 years

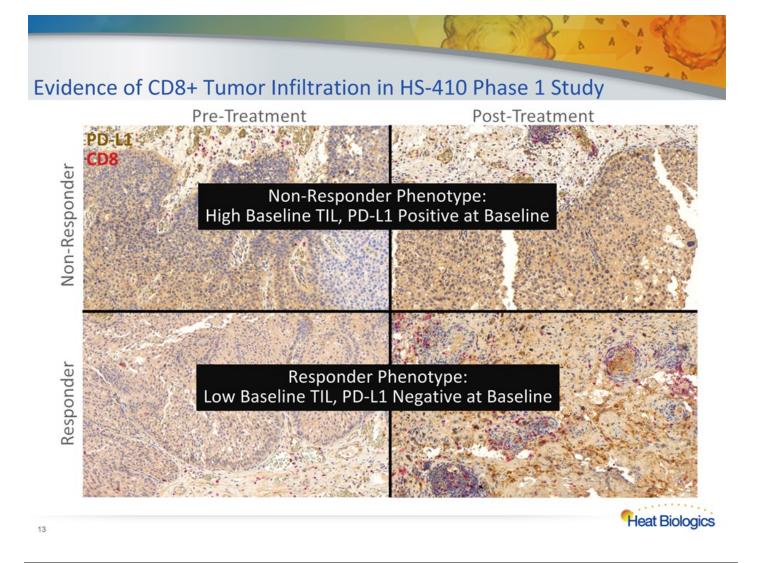




- Human data consistent with mechanism of action from preclinical models
- Tumor-infiltrating lymphocytes associated with clinical outcome



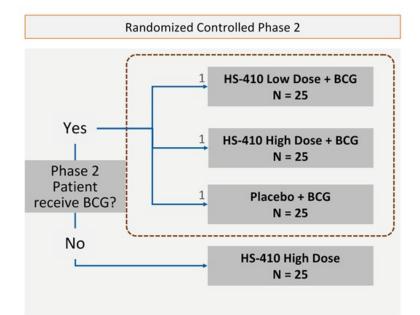




# Injection Site Reactions – Delayed-Type Hypersensitivity

	Week 1 Injection (L Thigh)	Week 2 Injection (R Thigh)	Week 3 Injection (R Buttocks)
ISR Start Date	4 Days Post Injection	1 Day Post Injection	Immediately Post Injection
Post Injection	No Reaction	No Reaction	0.0
One Week Post Injection		****	The kinetics of the appearance of the injection site reactions are consistent with a
Two Weeks Post Injection			delayed-type hypersensitivity reaction and cell- mediated immune responses.
		Confidential	

## Phase 2 HS-410 Bladder Trial Design



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### Design

- Fast Track designation received
- Endpoints
  - o 1-yr and 2-yr recurrence-free survival
  - Immune response in PBMC and tissue
- Dosing regimen 12 week induction followed by maintenance according to BCG schedule

### Operations

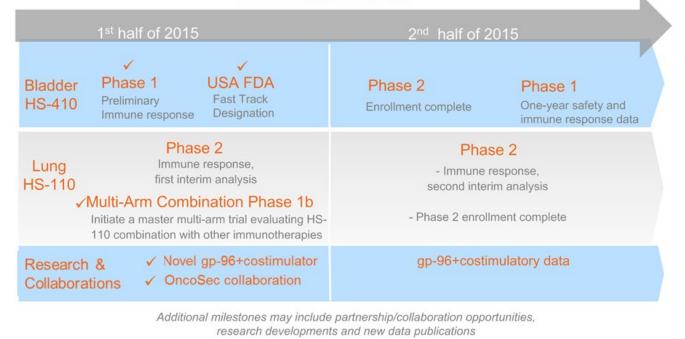
- Multi-center trial of ~16 sites in US
- Lead center: University of Chicago School of Medicine
- Positive safety profile with no SAEs todate



# Heat Biologics (Nasdaq: HTBX)

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## 2015 Milestones





# ImPACT Clinical Findings

- Heat's ImPACT platform is mechanistically differentiated from all other vaccine platforms, providing specific CD8+ T cells activation to multiple tumor antigens
- Patient **tumor biopsies demonstrate specific CD8+ T cell infiltration** following treatment, and survival benefit in NSCLC consistent with reported data for PD-1 antibodies
- Frequent quarterly reporting of clinical milestones through 2016



# Heat Biologics (NASDAQ: HTBX): Company Snapshot

- Heat's *ImPACT* allogeneic "off-the-shelf" platform generates robust panantigen T cell activation for highly-differentiated mechanism of action
- Positive safety profile with >80 patients dosed in 5 clinical studies
- Clinical evidence validating mechanism of action in two ongoing randomized controlled Phase 2 programs in NSCLC and bladder cancer
- Multiple near-term value-driving inflection points
- Founded in 2008, completed IPO 2013

Shares Outstanding	8.39M
Share Price*	~\$6.63
Market Capitalization*	~\$51M
Cash as of 3/31/15**	~\$21M
Enterprise Value*	~\$30M

\*As of May 21, 2015 \*\*Does not include \$7.5 million milestone-based debt facility





# **Management and Advisors**

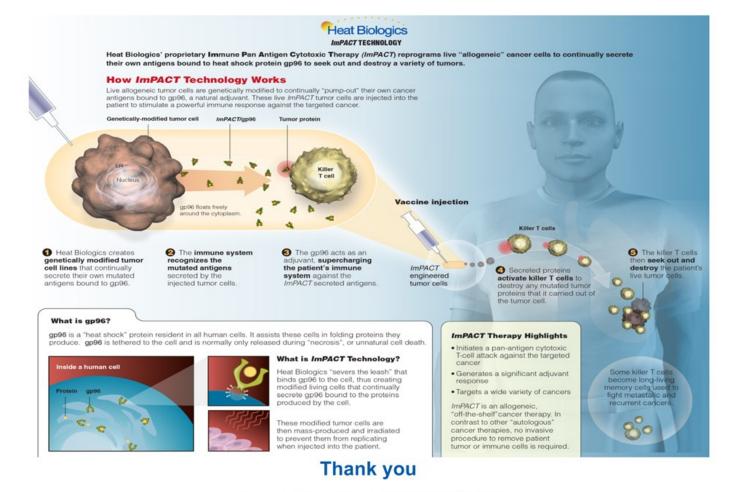
Jeff Wolf Founder & CEO	Founded several biomedical companies including Avigen, TyRx Pharma (sold to Medtronic), EluSys Therapeutics, GenerationOne		
Anil Goyal, Ph.D. VP Business Development	20+ years biotech business development experience: Serenex (acquired by Pfizer), Millennium Pharmaceuticals, Genome Therapeutics, Qualiber, Ascletis Pharmaceuticals, Merck		
Taylor Schreiber, M.D., Ph.D. VP Research & Development	Co-developer <i>ImPACT</i> and TNFRSF25 technologies; 10+ years laboratory experience; Author numerous immunology and immunotherapy abstracts and publications		
Melissa Price, Ph.D. VP Clinical & Regulatory Affairs	14+ years in oncology clinical development in biotech and CRO space: INC Research, Novaquest, Attenuon		

## Scientific And Clinical Advisors

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  Imperial College, London
- Gary Acton, M.D. Cancer Research UK, former CMO of Antisoma
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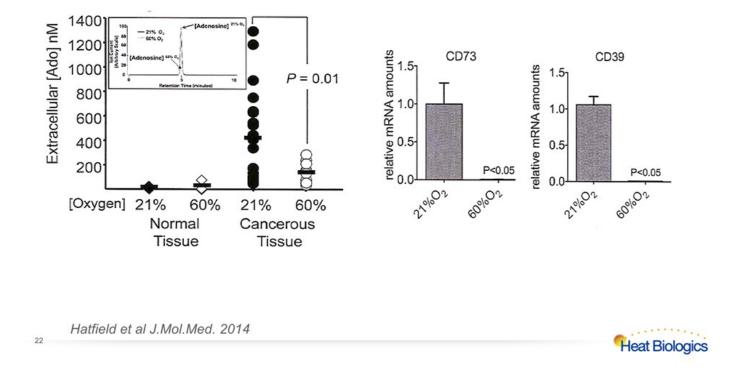


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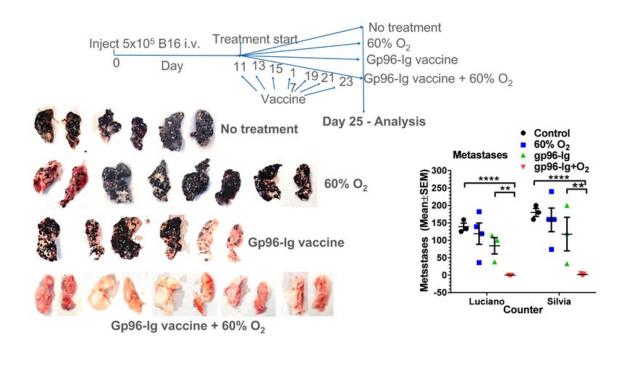




# 60% O<sub>2</sub> down-regulates Adenosine, CD73 and CD39 in the TME in mice models

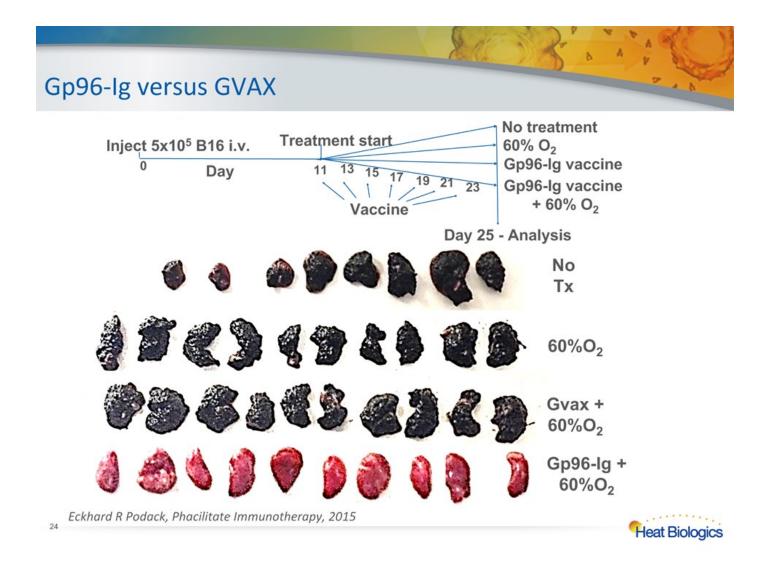


Tumor remission by combination treatment with gp96-lg vaccine + 60% O<sub>2</sub> in mice models

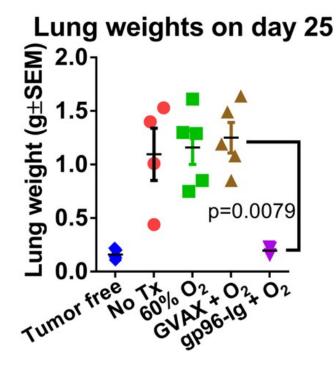


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