

# VIRTUS: Trial Design and Primary Endpoint Results

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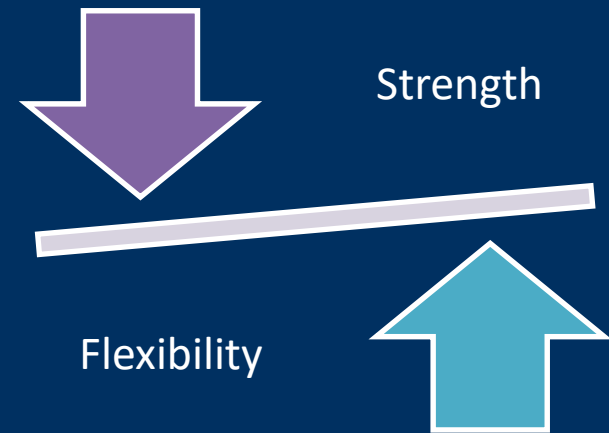
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# Desired Venous Stent Attributes

- Crush resistant & sufficient radial force across the length of stent
- Sufficient wall coverage
- Flexibility sufficient to resist kink at physiological angles
- Durability allowing repeated shortening, twisting, and bending at the groin
- Minimal foreshortening on deployment and balloon dilation
- Predictable, consistent deployment
- Ability to visualize under fluoroscopy

**Goal:**  
**balance strength, flexibility,**  
**and lumen quality**



# Venous Stent Trials

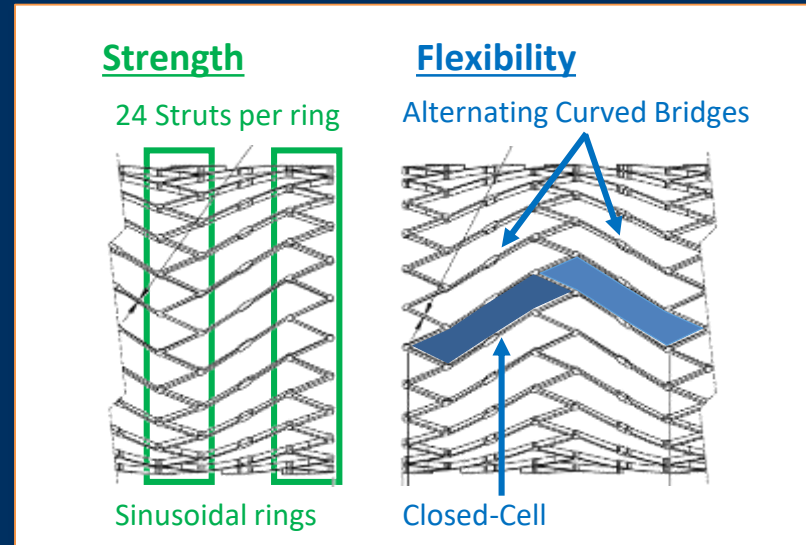
	VICI (Veniti/Boston Scientific)	Zilver™ Vena™ (Cook)	VENOVO (Bard)	ABRE (Medtronic)
CE Mark/ FDA Approval	✓/ -	✓/ -	✓/ -	✓/ -
Trial Name	VIRTUS	VIVO	VERNACULAR	ABRE
Design	Multi-center, single arm	Multi-center, single arm	Multi-center, single arm	Multi-center, single arm
N	170 (pivotal cohort)	243	170	200
Efficacy endpoint	<b>12M Primary patency</b> Freedom from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reintervention</li> <li>• Occlusion, thrombosis</li> <li>• In-stent restenosis &gt;50% by <u>venogram</u></li> </ul>	<b>12M Primary patency</b>	<b>12M Primary patency</b> Freedom from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reintervention</li> <li>• Occlusion, thrombosis</li> <li>• In-stent restenosis &gt;50% by <u>DUS</u></li> </ul>	<b>12M Primary patency</b> Freedom from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Clinically-driven TLR</li> <li>• Occlusion</li> <li>• In-stent restenosis &gt;50%</li> </ul>
Eligibility	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CEAP “C” ≥3 OR VCSS Pain Score ≥2</li> <li>• Iliofemoral occlusive disease</li> <li>• ≥50% reduction in target vessel lumen diameter (venogram)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CEAP “C” ≥3 OR VCSS Pain Score ≥2</li> <li>• Symptomatic venous outflow obstruction in one iliofemoral venous segment</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CEAP “C” ≥3 OR VCSS Pain Score ≥2</li> <li>• Iliofemoral occlusive disease (DVT, PTS, May-Thurner, or combination)</li> <li>• Venous outflow obstruction in the iliofemoral segment ≥50%</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Symptomatic iliofemoral venous outflow obstruction</li> </ul>
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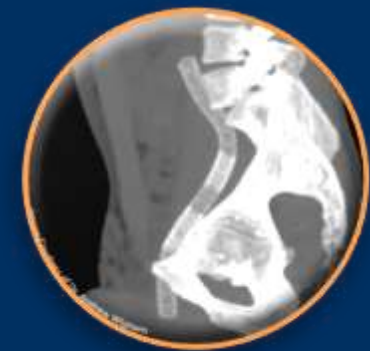
# VICI Venous Stent™ System

## Designed for:

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|---------------------------------|-----------------------|
| • Strength                      | High crush resistance |
| • Flexibility                   | Multi-directional     |
| • Crush Resistance (end-to-end) | Lumen shape           |
| • Coverage                      | No gaps, closed-cell  |
| • Deployment                    | Predictable placement |



- Self-expanding Nickel-Titanium (Nitinol)
  - 12, 14, and 16 mm diameter
  - 60, 90, and 120 mm length
- Two delivery systems for controlled stent placement centrally or peripherally



# VIRTUS Trial Design

## Objective

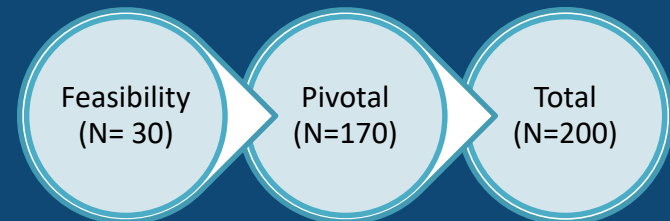
Assess safety & effectiveness in achieving patency of target venous lesion through 12 months post stent placement, in patients with obstruction of the iliofemoral venous outflow tract

## Study Design

Prospective, multicenter, single arm non-randomized

## Patients

Feasibility: N=30 (9 sites)  
Pivotal: N=170 (22 sites)  
USA and Europe



## Endpoints

Safety: MAEs @ 30 days  
Effectiveness: Primary Patency @ 12 Months

- Results for the pivotal cohort (N=170) are presented here



# VIRTUS Endpoints

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## Primary Effectiveness Endpoint

### Primary patency rate at 12 months post-intervention

- Freedom from occlusion by thrombosis and
- Freedom from surgical or endovascular intervention on target vessel which are found to have re-stenosis or stent occlusion to maintain patency and
- Freedom from in-stent stenosis more than **50% by venogram**

## Primary Safety Endpoint

Composite endpoint of **freedom from any Major Adverse Event** within 30 days of index procedure (adjudicated by a Clinical Events Committee)

- Device or procedure-related death
  - Device or procedure-related bleeding at the target vessel and/or the target lesion or at the access site
  - Device or procedure-related arterial or venous injury occurring in the target vessel segment and/or target lesion location or at the access site
  - Device or procedure related acute DVT outside of the target vein segment
  - Clinically significant pulmonary embolism
  - Embolization of stent
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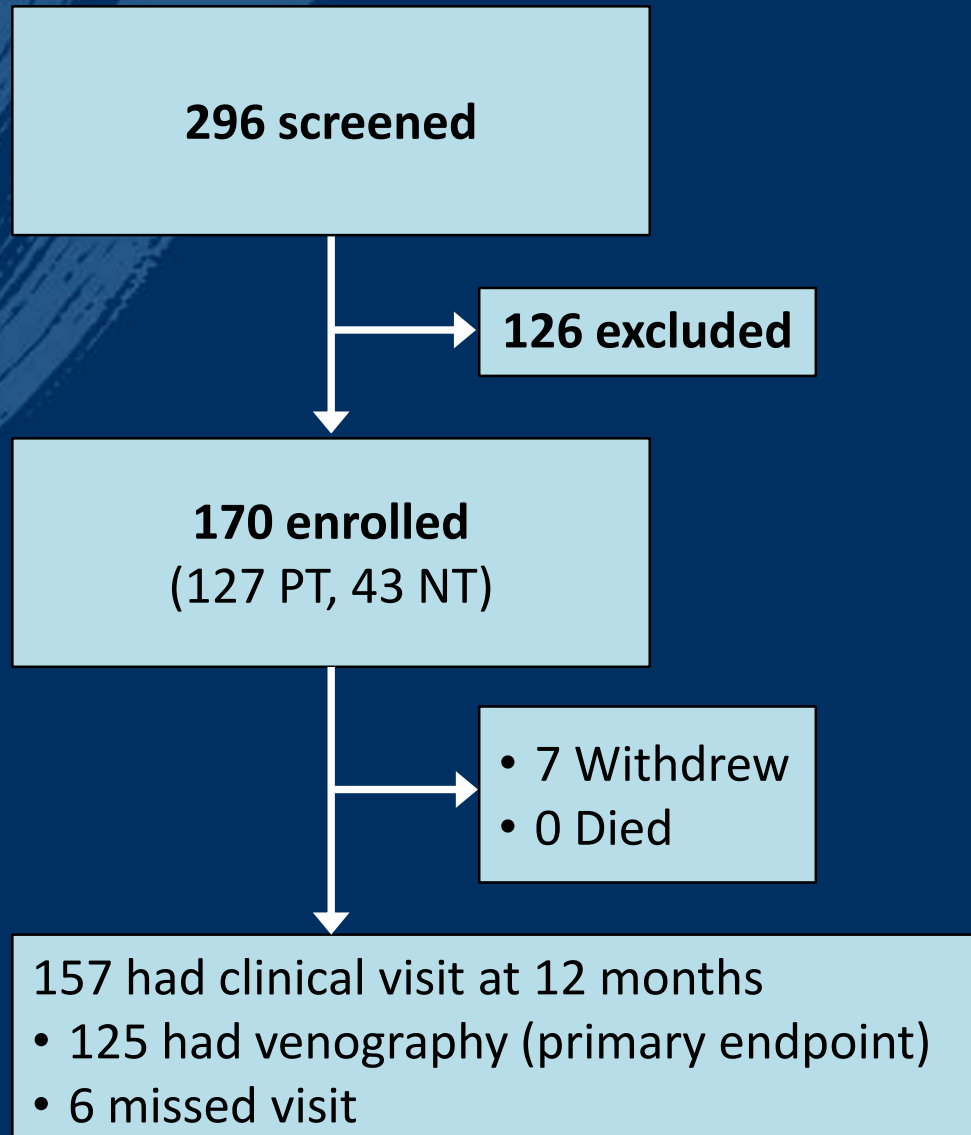
## Key Inclusion Criteria

- Unilateral, clinically significant, chronic non-malignant obstruction of the common femoral vein, external iliac vein, common iliac vein, or any combination thereof
  - $\geq 50\%$  reduction in target vessel lumen diameter (venogram)
- Clinically significant venous obstruction defined as:  
CEAP "C"  $\geq 3$  OR VCSS Pain  $\geq 2$

## Imaging Schedule

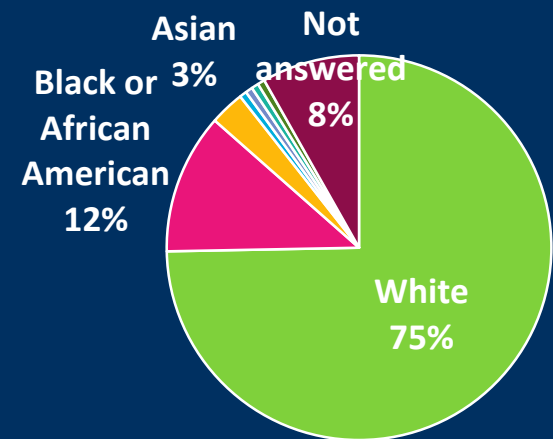
	Pre-stent	Post-stent	12 Months
Venography	✓	✓	✓ Patency endpoint
DUS		✓ Discharge or 3d post-procedure	✓
IVUS	✓	✓	✓

# Patient Flow



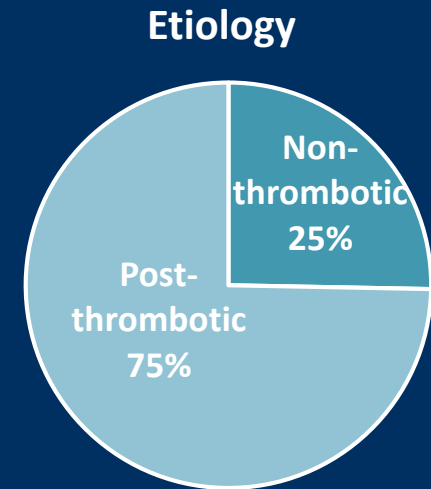
# Baseline Patient Characteristics

Demographics and Medical History	N=170
Age, y	54.4±16.2
Male/Female	43.5%/56.5%
Diabetes	17.1%
<b>Smoking History</b>	
Current	12.4%
Former	24.1%
<b>Thromboembolic disease</b>	
Pulmonary embolism	21.5%
Deep vein thrombosis	91.5%
<b>Coagulation disorder</b>	
Hypertension	40.0%
Peripheral vascular disease	17.1%
Cancer	10.6%
Coronary artery disease	8.2%
Cerebrovascular accident	5.9%
Renal disease	4.7%
Hepatic disease	2.9%
PTA/stent	2.4%
CABG	2.4%
CHF	2.4%



# Baseline Patient Characteristics

Clinical Assessment		N=170
<b>Obstruction present in:</b>		
Left leg		85.3%
Right leg		14.1%
Both legs		0.6%
<b>% Stenosis</b>		
Total Occlusion		31.2%
Lesion Length, mm		111.3 ±65.8
<b>CEAP "C" Assessment</b>		
0		1.2%
1		0%
2		1.2%
3		26.5%
4		45.9%
5		12.9%
6		12.4%
<b>Target Limb VCSS Severity</b>		
VCSS ≤3 (Mild)		8.2%
VCSS 4-7 (Moderate)		26.0%
VCSS ≥8 (Severe)		65.8%



**Lesion Location**

CIV only	21.2%	CIV and EIV	34.7%	CIV, EIV, and CFV	31.8%
EIV only	6.5%	EIV and CFV	4.1%		
CFV only	1.8%				

# Procedures

**N=170**

<b>Stented length, mm</b>	Median 120 (range 60-300) Mean 149.8 ± 55.7
<b>Procedural technical success</b>	98.8%
<b>Post-procedure stenosis</b>	
<b>Venogram</b>	4.6% ± 7.8%
<b>IVUS</b>	4.2% ± 7.6%

# 12 Month Patency

Endpoint	Rate
<b>Primary Patency (primary endpoint<sup>a</sup>)</b>	<b>84.0%</b>

- Primary endpoint was met: Primary patency rate exceeded the performance goal of 72.1% ( $p < 0.0001$ )<sup>a,b</sup>
- Primary patency based on venography only<sup>c</sup>
  - 79.8% Post-thrombotic
  - 96.2% Non-thrombotic

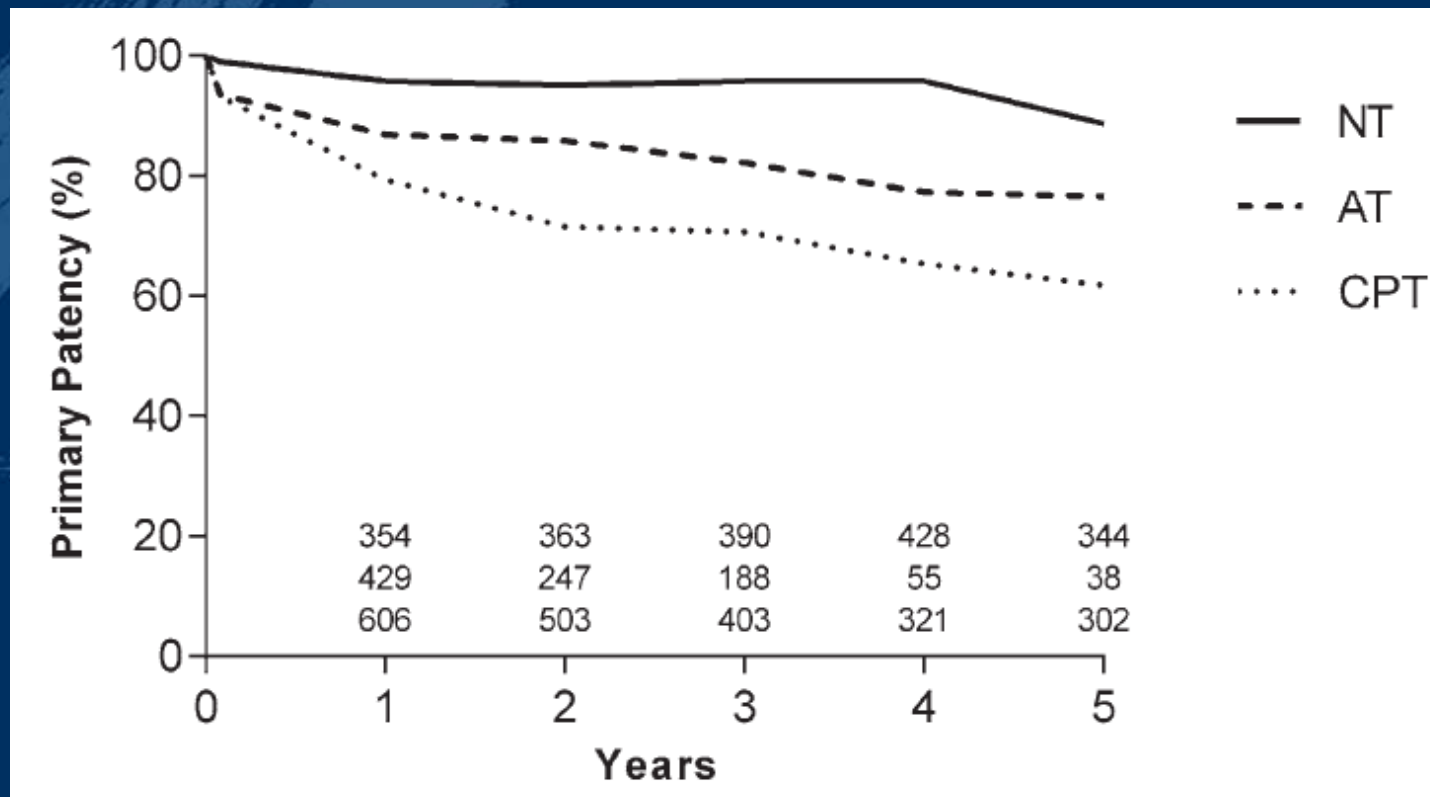
Primary patency defined as stenosis of target lesion  $\leq 50\%$  (based on venogram) without surgical or endovascular intervention on target vessel to restore patency.

<sup>a</sup>For the primary endpoint, patients who did not have venography performed at 12 months had their result imputed by random selection from subjects with a venogram result who had the same etiology and the same DUS outcome (if available).

<sup>b</sup>Primary effectiveness analysis based on the combined result from 15 imputations; t-statistic 4.0;  $p < 0.0001$ .

<sup>c</sup>12-month venograms were available for 125 patients.

# Venous Stenting: Results in Lower Extremities



**Non-thrombotic (NT)** 96% [90-99%]

**Acute thrombotic (AT)** 86% [80-90%]

**Chronic post thrombotic (CPT)** 79% [70-80%]



# Safety

- 98.8% freedom from MAEs through 30 days
  - Lower confidence limit of 95.8% exceeded the performance goal of 94%

## Major Adverse Events (through 30 days)

n/N

Arterial or venous injury at the target vessel segment and/or target lesion location or at the access site requiring surgical or endovascular intervention

2/169 (1.2%)

Device or procedure-related death

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Bleeding at the target vessel and/or target lesion or at the access site requiring surgical or endovascular intervention or blood transfusion

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Acute DVT outside the target vein segment

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Clinically significant pulmonary embolism

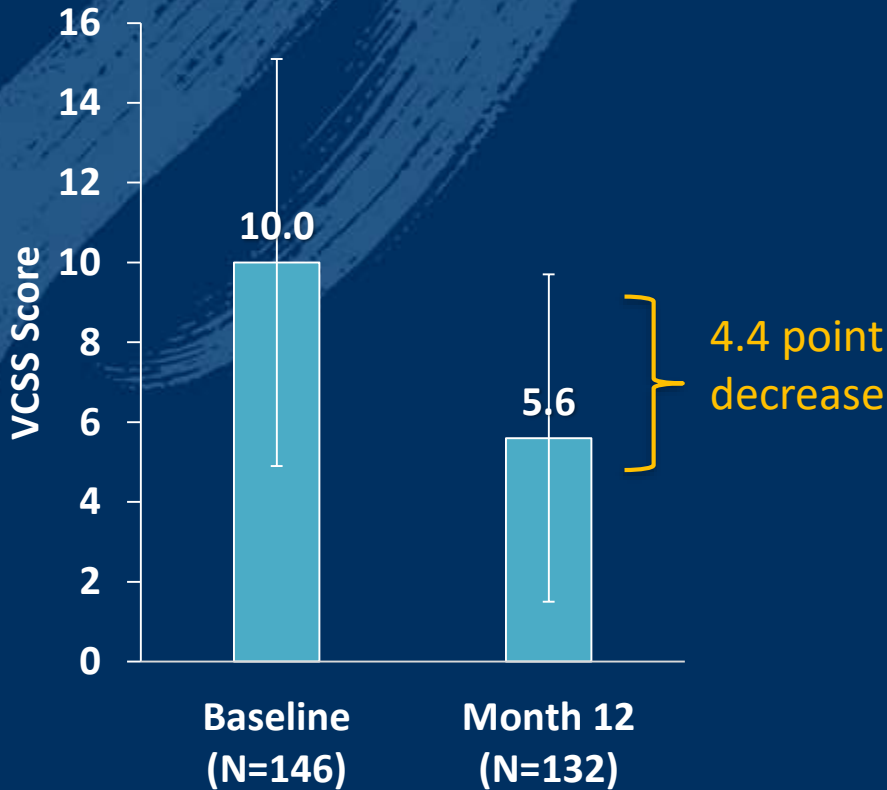
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Embolization of the stent

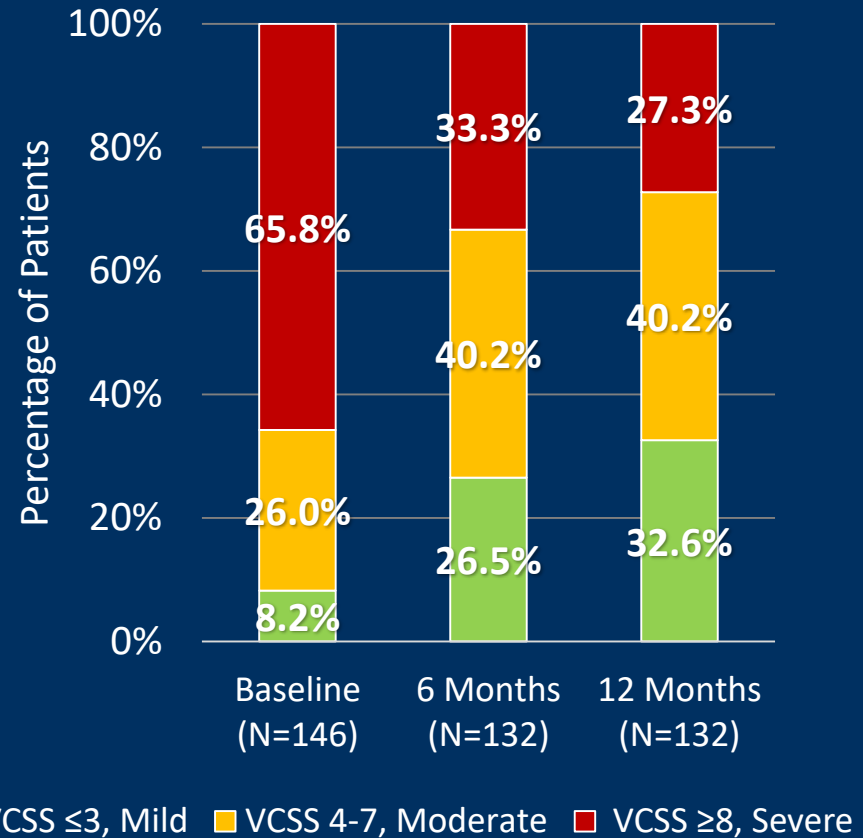
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# Clinical Severity

## VCSS Score



## VCSS Distribution



# Conclusions

- VIRTUS primary safety and effectiveness endpoints successfully met
- Patient sample with challenging characteristics:
  - 75% Post-thrombotic
  - ~25% “C” 5-6
  - 31% with occlusion
  - 32% had involvement of the entire iliofemoral segment
- 84% 12-month primary patency for patients treated with the VICI stent
- The VICI Venous stent demonstrated excellent safety outcomes with 98.8% freedom from MAE through 30 days

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