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Abbreviations – hepatitis C virus, HCV; protease inhibitor, PI; peginterferon/ribavirin, PR; genotype 1, G1; response-guided therapy, RGT; treatment week, TW; boceprevir, BOC; sustained virologic response at 24 weeks after end of treatment, SVR24; nonstructural protein 3 and 4A of hepatitis C virus, NS3/4A; resistance-associated variants, RAV; human immunodeficiency virus type 1, HIV-1; international units, IU; HCV-RNA target not detected, TND; complete early virologic response, cEVR; alanine aminotransferase, ALT; aspartate aminotransferase, AST; upper limit of normal, ULN; human leukocyte antigen, HLA; absorption, distribution, metabolism and excretion, ADME; likelihood ratio test, LRT; multidrug resistance-associated protein 2, MRP2; rapid virologic response, RVR; serious adverse event, SAE; direct acting

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