

# Post-Election Coverage and Access to Executives and FDA/CMS Regulators to Examine Shifting Regulatory and Reimbursement Policy



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## REVIEW SHIFTS IN COMPLEX REGULATORY AND REIMBURSEMENT POLICIES BY CONNECTING DIRECTLY WITH FDA AND CMS THOUGHT-LEADERS

The FDA/CMS Summit is the only event that brings both groups together to meet with senior and executive leadership and regulatory leaders within the industry and continues to deliver best available information on FDA and CMS priorities, policy changes, evidence-based practice, federal review processes on various areas of bio/pharma such as CDER, CBER, CDRH and the most cutting-edge advances in healthcare and technology.



## JOIN ROBUST DISCUSSIONS WITH REGULATORY DECISION MAKERS AND LEADING THOUGHT LEADERS AS THEY DISCUSS:

- How process shifts and efficiencies enacted during the pandemic may impact the drug development process, reimbursement and patient access moving forward
- Key steps necessary to achieve diversity in clinical trials
- The current and future state of value-based payment models in the wake of the pandemic
- Trends in decentralization and digital enablement of clinical trials
- Implications of the results of 2020 elections on drug pricing reform
- Innovative approaches to clinical trial design for rare disease
- The evolving role of RWE in supporting the uptake of cell and gene therapies

## WHO SHOULD ATTEND:

You will benefit from this conference if you are a manager, director or executive at a bio/pharmaceutical or medical device company with responsibility for:

- Regulatory Affairs
- Health Policy
- Health Economics
- Government Relations
- Quality and Regulatory
- Public Policy and Strategy
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- Patient Advocacy

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<p><b>LIVE</b></p> <p><b>Organizer and Co-Chair's Welcoming Remarks</b></p> <p><i>Nielsen Hobbs, Editor, Pink Sheet</i></p>	<p><b>LIVE</b></p> <p><b>Co-Chair's Opening Remarks</b></p> <p><i>Charlotte Jones-Burton, M.D., M.S., Vice President Global Clinical Development, Nephrology, Otsuka Pharmaceuticals</i></p>	<p><b>LIVE</b></p> <p><b>Co-Chair's Opening Remarks</b></p> <p><i>Nielsen Hobbs, Editor, Pink Sheet</i></p>
11:00am–11:30am	11:00am–11:45am	11:00am–11:45am
<p><b>LIVE</b></p> <p><b>FIRESIDE CHAT: A Review of Current Priorities for CBER and How the Pandemic is Impacting FDA Resources, Efficiencies and Shifts in Processes</b></p> <div data-bbox="90 889 195 1003">  </div> <p><i>Peter Marks, M.D., Ph.D., Director, Center for Biologics Evaluation and Research, U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA)</i></p> <p><b>Interviewer:</b> <i>Sarah Karlin-Smith, Senior Writer, The Pink Sheet and Scrip</i></p>	<p><b>LIVE</b></p> <p><b>Drug Development and the Supply Chain in the Aftermath of the Pandemic</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Examine how business practices are changing, as well as how these new practices impact resources, costs and drug development timelines</li> <li>• Discuss what impact the pandemic has had on what manufacturers choose to invest in R&amp;D moving forward</li> <li>• Explore how the drug supply chain has been impacted and what it would mean to move different components out of China</li> <li>• Assess the potential capabilities and pros/cons for domestic manufacturing</li> </ul> <p><i>Jonathan Kimball, Vice President, Trade and International Affairs, Association for Accessible Medicines</i></p> <p><i>Omar Hafez, Managing Partner, Avalere Health</i></p>	<p><b>LIVE</b></p> <p><b>Assess the Impact of the 2020 Elections on Drug Pricing Reform</b></p> <p>With tightened budgets, a global recession and the soaring costs associated with the pandemic, how will the 2020 election results shape the future of healthcare? This session examines potential courses of action the Administration may take regarding drug pricing reform initiatives and how to manage added pressures to control drug costs and ensure affordability and patient access.</p> <p><b>Moderator:</b> <i>Rujul Desai, Of Counsel, Covington &amp; Burling, LLP</i></p> <p><b>Panelists:</b> <i>Juliette Cubanski, Ph.D., Deputy Director, Program on Medicare Policy, Kaiser Family Foundation (KFF)</i> <i>Robert Dubois, M.D., Ph.D., Interim President and CEO, Chief Science Officer, National Pharmaceutical Council</i> <i>Walid Gellad, M.D., MPH, Director, Center for Pharmaceutical Policy and Prescribing, University of Pittsburgh</i> <i>John A. Murphy, III, Vice President, Deputy General Counsel, Biotechnology Innovation Organization</i></p>

**LIVE** **FIRESIDE CHAT:**  
**A Review of Current and Future Priorities for CDER**



*Patrizia Cavazzoni, M.D.,  
 Acting Director, Center for  
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**Interviewer:**

*Derrick Gingery, Senior Writer, The Pink Sheet and Scrip*

**LIVE** **Part 1: Achieving Diversity in Clinical Trials — An Internal Approach**

- Discuss key steps that the life sciences industry can take to address diversity in clinical trials
- Consider how industry might partner with the FDA to move forward as it relates to advancing equity in clinical trials and access to treatments
- Examine the potential role of CMS in potentially shifting reimbursement requirements to drive behavior change

**Moderator:** *Charlotte Jones-Burton, M.D., M.S., Vice President, Global Clinical Development, Nephrology, Otsuka Pharmaceuticals*

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**LIVE** **Innovating Clinical Trial Design for Rare Disease Drug Development**

- Review approaches to clinical trial design
- Discuss possible methods to sign a study with exceptionally small populations
- Consider the implications for leveraging natural history as control group
- Examine innovative approaches to trial design for rare disease

**Moderator:**

*Frank J. Sasinowski, Director, Hyman, Phelps & McNamara*

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*Janet Wittes, Ph.D., President, Statistics Collaborative, Inc.*

**LIVE** **Navigating the Regulatory and Reimbursement Landscape Post COVID-19**

This session examines how process shifts and efficiencies enacted during the pandemic may impact the drug development process, reimbursement and patient access moving forward.

- Discuss key learnings from how reliance on telehealth, digital enablement of virtual trials and faster protocols impacted patient outcomes
- Explore how COVID-19 impacts the FDA from a resource perspective and the organization's ability to stay consistent with guidance prior to the pandemic
- Consider the pros/cons of extending some of the process efficiencies across therapeutic areas
- Examine how the healthcare landscape might shift – Assess the possibility of centralization of providers due to pressure on the system and how that might impact how care is given and how research is conducted

**Moderator:** *Rebecca Wood, Partner and Leader of the FDA Practice, Sidley Austin LLP; Former Chief Counsel, U. S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA)*

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**LIVE** **Addressing Challenges and Opportunities in Cell and Gene Therapy Development**

The FDA has issued and finalized much guidance and there are over 900 active INDs and several approved gene therapy products.

- Industry leaders and senior FDA officials discuss lessons learned and case examples of recent FDA approvals
- Examine pre- and post-market issues

**Moderator:** *Michael J. Werner, Co-founder and Senior Policy Counsel, Alliance for Regenerative Medicine*

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**LIVE** **Realizing the Full Promise of RWE in Drug Development**

- Discuss the current use and integration of patient-level data/ RWE in the accelerated drug approval process
- Examine the ICER/Aetion partnership and pilot program to generate new RWE to garner a greater understanding of the impact of therapies approved under FDA's expedited approval pathways
- Understand RWE role in supporting the uptake of cell and gene therapy development
- Consider the opportunities and implications of the adoption of RWE for various pre- and post-market uses

**Moderator:** *Richard Gliklich, M.D., Chief Executive Officer, OM1*

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*Solomon Iyasu, M.D., MPH, Vice President and Global Head of Pharmacoeconomics, Merck*



**Assess the Potential for Collaborative Approaches between FDA Regulatory Programs and CMS Reimbursement**

This session examines how process shifts and efficiencies enacted during the pandemic may impact the drug development process, reimbursement and patient access moving forward.

- Discuss bridging the evidentiary requirements for regulatory approval and payer acceptability
- Explore how drug effectiveness (and value) data collected for FDA approval could be shared with CMS to expedite reimbursement approvals
- Examine regulatory HTA and EMA interfaces: Joint discussion, joint advice and evidentiary requirements – Consider how to design a drug development program that can meet both needs
- Assess at what point during the FDA approval process/drug development phase should sponsors engage CMS

**Moderator:**

*Sarah Karlin-Smith, Senior Writer, The Pink Sheet and Scrip*

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**Defining and Demonstrating Value in Rare Disease**

Value is a gating factor for access, since payers want to ensure reimbursement for treatments that address key outcomes. However, defining and demonstrating rare disease therapies' value, which demands more information about the disease, is challenging given limited natural history data and small patient populations.

- Discuss how developers can work with FDA, payers and patients to not only determine upon which value – and ultimately access – should be evaluated
- Assess what factors go into identifying key outcome measures
- Examine what other unique considerations arise in meeting the needs of this patient population (e.g., generate awareness, additional patient support services, call centers, early intervention campaigns)

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**The New Clinical Trial – Trends in Decentralization and Digital Enablement**

This session examines the impact of the FDA's guidance updates on clinical trials over the past year, as well as the expanded use of telehealth and digital enablement of virtual trials.

- Examine how the FDA's guidance updates over the past year affected the continuity and efficacy of clinical trials
- Review digital protocols that can help expedite drug research – digitally enabled conduct
- Explore the impact of direct to patient provision of clinical supplies
- Assess the value of digitally enabled remote monitoring and auditing as well as digitally enabled regulatory GCP inspections
- Discuss critical variables to support decentralized trials
- Consider what the future of clinical trials will look like

**Moderator:** *Isaac Rodriguez-Chavez, Ph.D., MHSc, CDER Officer, Clinical Research Methodology, Regulatory Compliance and Medical Policy Development, U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA)*

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*Judy Sowards, Head, Clinical Trial Experience, Global Product Development, Pfizer*

*Kent Thoele, Chief Scientific Officer and Executive Vice-President, PRA Health Sciences [invited]*

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MONDAY, DECEMBER 7

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**Patient Engagement and Regulatory Decision-Making**

This panel examines opportunities for cross-center (CBER/CDER) approaches to incorporate patient engagement in regulatory decision-making.

- Review case examples of how patient engagement was used to inform regulatory decisions
- Garner CBER and CDER perspectives on benefits of internal information sharing and patient engagement support in regulatory decision-making
- Next steps and lessons learned

**Moderator:** Adora Ndu, Pharm.D., J.D., Vice President, Regulatory Affairs, Global Head of Policy, Research, Engagement (PRE) & Reg International, BioMarin Pharmaceutical Inc.

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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 8

4:00pm-4:45pm

**LIVE**

**Evolving Diagnostic Testing to Support Treatment Decision-Making**

Value is a gating factor for access, since payers want to ensure reimbursement for treatments that address key outcomes. However, defining and demonstrating rare disease therapies' value, which demands more information about the disease, is challenging given limited natural history data and small patient populations.

- Discuss the value of diagnostics in directing treatment decision-making
- Examine potential hurdles that stand in the way of patients receiving clinically appropriate testing
- Explore ways to advance the field and increase access to this important testing and what stakeholders need to be present and who needs to come to the table
- Examine standards for quality and consistent sensitivity and who ultimately is responsible for ensuring quality standards
- Consider how payer viewpoints on diagnostics and what matters most to them and how will they determine if they will cover diagnostics

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 9

3:30pm

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**Closing Remarks**

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## FDA Regulatory Modernization Code COVID-19 — Global Collaboration Workshare Inclusive of Mutual Recognition



- Review the Pros and Cons of global workshare (e.g. Project Orbis)
  - \* What are roadblocks and barriers?
  - \* What can a sponsor company do to enable more success?
- Identify and explore opportunities to better leverage global collaboration for GMP inspections, e.g. broader use of mutual agreements for inspections – consideration of mutual recognition for gene therapy products
- Discuss FDA perspectives on how to do virtual inspections moving forward
- Leverage mutual recognition and global collaboration to address COVID 19 issues and support development and regulate products

### Moderator:

*Howard Sklamberg, Partner, Life Sciences and Healthcare Regulatory, **Arnold & Porter LLP***

### Panelists:

*Mary Denigan-Macauley, Ph.D., Director, Health Care, Public Health & Private Markets, **U.S. Government Accountability Office (GAO)***

*Linda Bowen, M.Sc., RAC, FRAPS, Head, Regulatory Policy & Intelligence, **Seattle Genetics***

*R. Angelo De Claro, M.D., Associate Director (Acting), Global Clinical Sciences, FDA Oncology Center of Excellence; Division Director (Acting), Division of Hematologic Malignancies,, **U.S. Food and Drug Administration***

## Examine Value-Based Payment Models in the Wake of the Pandemic



- Understand the current state of value-based reimbursement models and value-based outcomes
- Assess where we are on the value-based healthcare curve and the impact of the pandemic

### Moderator:

*Mark Trusheim, Strategic Director, **NEWDIGS**; Visiting Scientist, Sloan School of Management, **Massachusetts Institute of Technology***

### Panelists:

*Edmund Pezalla, CEO and Founder, **Enlightenment Bioconsult***

*Jim Curotto, Vice President, Integrated Account Management, **Merck***

*Jeet Guram, M.D., Senior Advisor, Office of the Commissioner, **U.S. Food and Drug Administration, (FDA)***

## Part II. Achieving Diversity in Clinical Trials — An External Approach



- Discuss how the life sciences industry could engage in public/private partnerships with academia, vendors and community organizations with expertise in inclusivity/diversity initiatives to drive change
- Engage patient advocacy groups to garner patient insights from a diverse perspective throughout the development lifecycle
- Discuss patient and community leader involvement/engagement in research and development

### Moderator:

*Charlotte Jones-Burton, M.D., M.S., Vice President, Global Clinical Development, Nephrology, **Otsuka Pharmaceuticals***

### Panelists:

*Michael Curry, Esq., Deputy CEO, General Counsel, **Massachusetts League of Community Health Centers***

*Roslyn Daniels, President & Founder, **Black Health Matters***

*Elizabeth Ofili, M.D., MPH, Founder and CSO, **AccuHealth Technologies Inc.**; Professor of Medicine (Cardiology), **Morehouse School of Medicine**; Chief Medical Officer, **Morehouse Choice Accountable Care Organization***



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## The Path from Clinical to Commercialization



- Review how the landscape changed over the long and short-term? Examine how COVID-19 has affected this path and discuss what companies on the cusp of commercialization should be addressing
- Consider strategies for how companies responding to COVID-19 focus can focus both on COVID-19 related products and their existing pipeline

*Edmund Pezalla, CEO and Founder, Enlightenment Bioconsult*

## Addressing Reimbursement Barriers for Cell and Gene Therapies



- Discuss new models and frameworks for assessing cell and gene therapy value
- Explore how payors and health technology assessment bodies could adapt their processes to capture the benefit of transformative therapies

*Yi (Louie) Lu, Ph.D., Sr Manager, Health Economist, Clinical Value and Rx Initiatives, Office of Clinical Affairs, Blue Cross Blue Shield Association*

*Mark Trusheim, Strategic Director, NEWDIGS; Visiting Scientist, Sloan School of Management, Massachusetts Institute of Technology*

*Sarah Pitluck, Head, Global Pricing & Reimbursement, Spark Therapeutics*

## Update on Achieving Biosimilars Uptake and Cost Savings Impact in the U.S.



- Assess the impact of an influx of multiple biosimilars for a single indication on pressure on pricing
- Examine the status of financial incentives for physicians to start new patients on biosimilars
- Discuss payers' perception of safety and efficacy
- Explore the impact of increased education on Biosimilars for providers and patients through speaker programs, educational materials, patient support programs and hub services
- Review current status of patent defense limitations
- Compare the impact of fundamental differences in regulatory processes and market dynamics of EU versus U.S. uptake rates for Biosimilars

### Interviewer:

*Cathy Kelly, Senior Writer, Pink Sheet and Scrip, Informa Pharma Intelligence*

### Panelists:

*Karina Abdallah, Pharm.D., Strategy and Outcomes, Medicare Advantage Pharmacy Services, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan*

*Bhavesh Shah, Senior Director, Specialty Pharmacy Strategy and Market Access and Hematology Oncology Pharmacy, Boston Medical Center Health System*

*Chad Pettit, Executive Director, Marketing, Global Biosimilars Commercial Lead, Amgen*

## Regulatory Oversight of Diagnostics Beyond the Pandemic



- Examine the current state of affairs regarding regulation of lab developed testing
- Discuss how the COVID-19 pandemic has illustrated some of the current dilemmas facing industry and what next steps could be taken as well as lessons learned
- Explore critical items most important for policymakers to keep in mind as the conversation continues to evolve regarding oversight of these tests

*Eric Konnick, M.D., M.S., Assistant Professor; Associate Director, Genetics and Solid Tumors Laboratory, University of Washington*

*Jordan Laser, M.D., Medical Director, Pathology and Laboratory Medicine, Long Island Jewish Medical Center, Northwell Health; Associate Professor, Donald and Barbara Zucker School of Medicine, Northwell/Hofstra*

*Anthony Sireci, M.D., M.Sc., Vice President, Diagnostics Development and Medical Affairs, Loxo Oncology, Loxo Oncology at Lilly*

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