



Regulatory Science towards drug innovation & regulatory optimization

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WHAT THIS STUDY

- Using the European Conditional Approval procedure, drugs with unmet medical needs.



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CONCLUSION

The EC/CA procedure is not associated with a higher probability of DHPCs despite limited clinical development data. These data do not support the view that early drug approval increases the risk of serious safety issues emerging after market approval.

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received one or more
DHPC for standard
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Cox-regression
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We still struggle with the definition



Regulatory Science is the science of **developing** new tools, standards, and approaches to assess the safety, efficacy, quality and performance of FDA-regulated products



Regulatory Science is the **scientific** and technical **foundation** upon which regulations are based in various industries-particularly those involving health and safety

MEB definition



'Towards drug regulation that maintains its sustainability and is efficient in bringing drugs timely to patients'

'Regulatory science is the science of developing and validating new standards and tools to evaluate and assess the benefit/risk of medicinal products, facilitating sound and transparent regulatory decision making'

'Through analysis of regulatory frameworks itself and their effectiveness, however, regulatory science can also advance knowledge of these systems in general'

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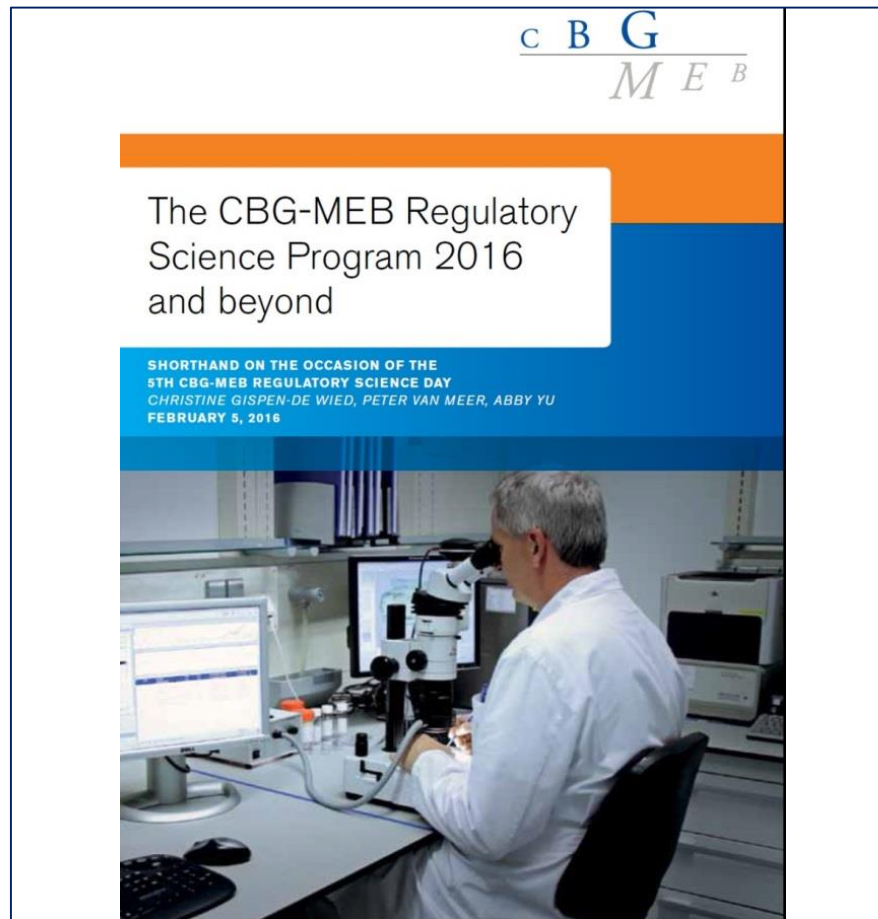


Lessons learned from Escher and CBG-MEB Regulatory Science Projects

Feasibility of developing a European Regulatory Science Database & Network of Experts

The aim of this project is to explore ways of consolidating the knowledge, data and experience gathered in previous Escher research. The combined effort of previous Escher research has resulted in a greater understanding of the regulatory process. In the context of Escher research, a wealth of data on the regulatory process has been collected, validated and interpreted through specific research questions by various researchers. Moreover, many of these data sources were not used in research before. Therefore, it is essential to ensure that this data, knowledge and experience is captured and maintained which this project has developed a proposal for doing so.

Topics at the heart of the MEB



1. Drug development & Innovation: D&I

Domain	Program(s)	Projects	University
1. D&I	1.1. 3R Support	1.1.1. Registry for efficacy models	UU
		1.1.2. Two species selection	UW / RIVM
		1.1.3. Predicting carcinogenicity	UL
		1.1.4. In vitro vaccine models	UU
		1.1.5. Ancillary 3R projects	

2. Regulation & Decision Making: R&DM

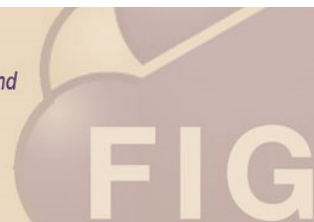
Domain	Program(s)	Projects	University
2. R&DM	2.1. Adaptive pathways	2.1.1. Best model registry orphan drugs	UU
		2.1.2. Legal basis stakeholder driven applications	RUG
		2.1.3. Personalized medicine and biomarkers	UU
		2.1.4. Levels of knowledge vs acceptable risks	UU
	2.2. Safe (Bio) Generics	2.2.1. Interchangeability	UM / RUN
		2.2.2. Personalized modelling	UM / RUN
	2.3 Optimized clinical trials	2.3.1. Enriched methods	RUG / UU / UVA
		2.3.2. Trial characteristics	UVA
		2.3.3. Efficacy vs Effectiveness	UVA
		2.3.4. Ethical bridging in the Health Chain	UU

3. Consumer Use & Safety

Domain	Program(s)	Projects	University
3. CU&S	3.1. Patient safety	3.1.1. Communicating risk	RUG
		3.1.2. Minimizing risk	EUR
		3.1.3. Prevent medication errors	EUR
		3.1.3. Tailored management of biologics	UU
		3.1.4. Signal detection	EUR
		3.1.5. Ancillary Patient Safety Projects	
	3.2. Fair Access	3.2.1. Medicines shortages	UU
		3.2.2. Human rights perspective	UU



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1. Inleiding

Regulatory science is een wetenschappelijke discipline, die zich bezig houdt met de meest recente wetenschap en technologie rondom geneesmiddelenontwikkeling en innovatie. Regulatory Science onderscheidt zich van de 'klassieke' academische wetenschappen in die zin dat vragen veelal gegenereerd worden vanuit overheid en industrie. Deze vragen richten zich op het verhogen van de efficiëntie van het regulator systeem en verbetering van de effectiviteit ervan op basis van wetenschappelijke onderzoeksresultaten. Regulatory Science geeft inzicht in (verbeterde) methodes om de baten-risico balans te kunnen bepalen, hoe een transparante manier van besluitvorming bevorderd kan worden en hoe dit vertaald kan worden naar beleid binnen de grenzen van het eigen systeem. Regulatory Science wordt daarom wel gekenmerkt als discipline waar niet alleen de hypothese, maar ook de toepassing centraal staat. Inherent aan deze omschrijving is dat het regulatorie systeem zelf ook onderdeel is van het onderzoeksgebied: levert het systeem wel op wat de samenleving ervan verwacht? Regulatory science richt zich op

100%

Topics listed

- Small population guidance
- Biomarkers
- Real World Data and its use in regulatory decision making
- Advanced therapy medicinal products and regulatory challenges as regards their manufacturing
- Disease interception

Regulatory Science at the broad regulatory level



Topics listed

- Safe, new medicines, fast
- The use of observational data
- Alignment of knowledge needed and available in the health chain: CCMO-MEB-ZIN; towards efficient use of data.

Summarized

- Biomarker identification at different levels
 - patients/gender, disease progression, interception
- Understanding real world data
- How to use data across the health chain?
 - from initiating trials to reimbursement
- Translational justification; 3R
- Optimized clinical trials
 - new methods
- Trustworthy medicines
 - generics + biosimilars
- ATMP manufacturing
- The broader perspective of global drug development
 - Fair access: rights, ethics and obligations

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IMI projects cover the whole medical research and drug development process ranging from understanding the causes of diseases, through drug discovery, all the way to patient access to innovative medicines. Scientific knowledge derived from many of our projects is of direct relevance to regulatory authorities, health technology assessment (HTA) bodies and payers. For example:

- [PROTECT](#) focused on the assessment of the benefits and risks of medicines and has had an [impact on regulatory practice](#) in a number of ways.
- [WEB-RADR](#) has developed apps to aid in the collection of reports of adverse reactions.
- [GetReal](#) has generated tools and guidance on the integration of real world evidence in drug development.
- [ADAPT-SMART](#) is creating a multi-stakeholder platform for discussions on 'medicines adaptive pathways to patients' (MAPPs).

Many more projects are developing tools and methods with a potential regulatory impact, such as tests and measures to evaluate medicines safety or efficacy, or alternative clinical trial designs. The

Concluding remarks

- Regulatory science is not recognized similarly by different stakeholders in the field
- Many data in the public domain can be used and 'flagged' as of regulatory impact
- To pave the way forward, all stakeholders should try to create Open Space for scientific crosstalk