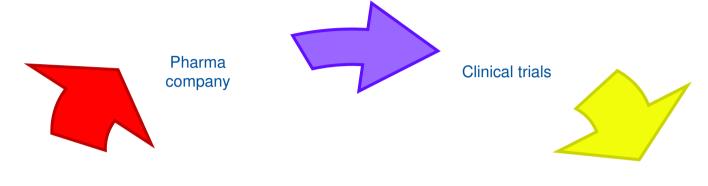


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Orphan Drug Development Cycle







Compassionate





Topics

- Clinical trials
- Compassionate use
- Expanded access
- Corporate social responsibility





Orphan Drugs

•Strong collaborative relationship between:

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patients
physicians
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- •Frequent direct contact at advisory boards, physician meetings and patient support groups
- •Relationships can be stressed if clinical trials are not successful



Patient Groups and the Innovation Process Proof of Clinical Trials and Regulatory Drug Consumption Principle **Development Approval** Participating in and designing clinical trials 3 and ıting Drug uptake cal and market ch **Regulatory approval Patient Groups**



Compassionate Use

- Important for patients with life threatening illnesses
- Single patient use is costly and difficult to obtain
- Provides little value to the drug development process
- May raise unfounded safety concerns
- Compassionate use may last for years



Expanded Access

- Phase III studies completed
- Commercial drug available
- Accountability can be difficult
- Costly to companies



Corporate Social Responsibility

- Broad availability of medication
- Medication access programs
- Unbiased product education for HCP's and patients
- Unrestricted financial support for patient groups
- Investigator sponsored trial support



