

DDI Webinar: An Overview of FDA's Expanded Access Program

A FOCUS ON INDIVIDUAL PATIENT EXPANDED ACCESS



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Learning Objectives

- Summarize the objectives of the FDA's expanded access program
- Identify the types of expanded access requests
- Describe the requirements for authorizing expanded access
- Review web resources available for patients and healthcare professionals
- Explain how a physician may submit individual patient IND expanded access requests to the FDA using FDA Form 3926

Expanded Access



Part 1: What is Expanded Access?
Deborah Miller

What is Expanded Access?

A process (or pathway) regulated by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) that allows manufacturers to provide investigational new drugs to patients with serious diseases or conditions who have exhausted approved therapy, and cannot participate in a clinical trial

What is Expanded Access?

- Use of an investigational drug or biologic **to treat, diagnose, or monitor a patient** with a serious disease or condition who does not have comparable or satisfactory alternative therapies.
 - Intent is clearly **to treat, diagnose, or monitor** the patient
- Contrast with investigational drug in a **clinical trial** where the primary intent is **research**
 - systematic collection of data with the intent to analyze it to learn about the drug

TREATMENT ACCESS

Named Patient Program

Special Access Programme

Compassionate Use

Individual Patient IND

Pre-approval access

Pre-launch Access

Expanded Access

Expanded Access Programs Are Considered Option of Last Resort

- Hierarchy of Access -

Approved Drugs

Studied and characterized
Labeled
Broadest availability
Reimbursement by 3rd party

Clinical Trials

Provide necessary data to determine safety & effectiveness
Most efficient path to market and broad availability

Expanded Access

Represent opportunity when other options exhausted
Goal is access for treatment

Three Categories of Access

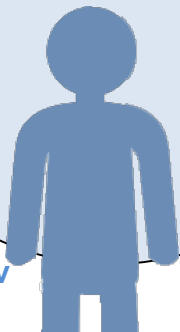
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21 CFR 312 / IND Regulations

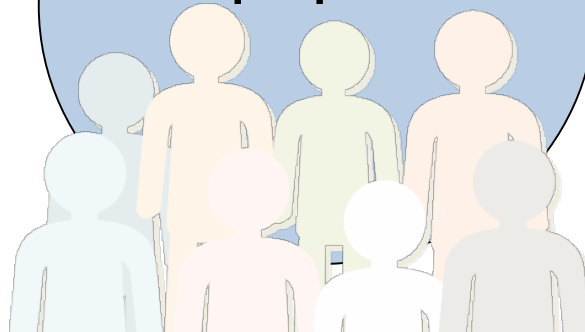
- Subpart I **consolidated treatment use** into a separate subpart of the investigational new drug (IND) regulations containing all necessary information in one place
- Describes **three distinct categories** of access

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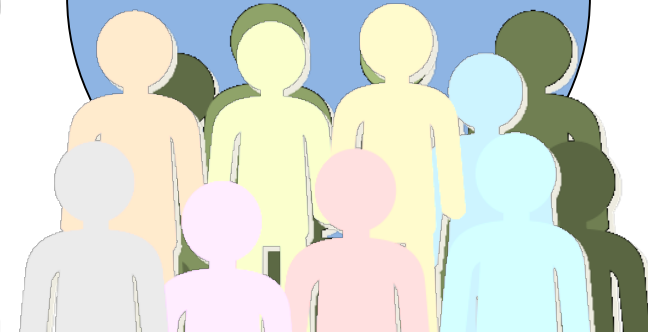
Individual



Intermediate
size population



Treatment



Expanded Access Regulations

- Describes the **general criteria** applicable to all categories of access, and additional criteria that must be met for each access category
- Describes **requirements for submission**
- Describes the **safeguards** applicable to Expanded Access Programs (EAP), such as informed consent, ethics review, and reporting requirements



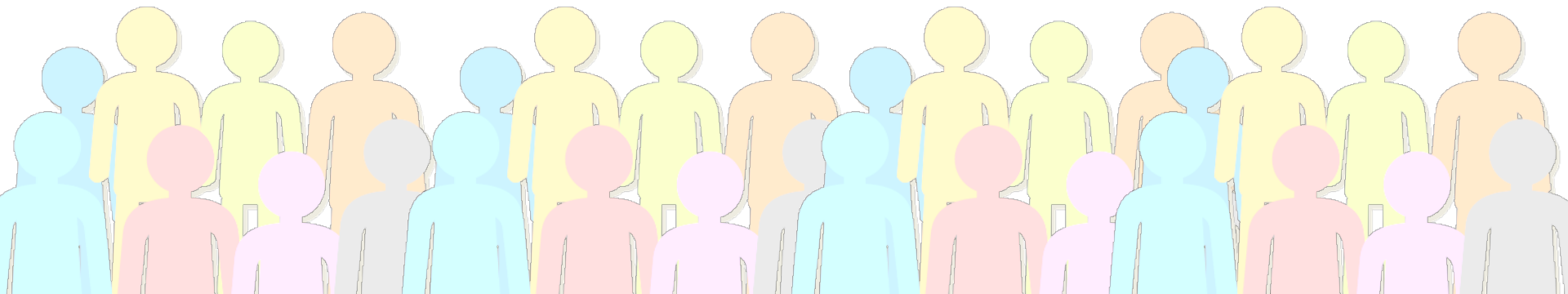
Requirements shared by all EAPs

- Serious or immediately life threatening illness or condition
- No comparable or satisfactory alternative therapy
- Potential benefit justifies the potential risks of the treatment, and those risks are not unreasonable in the context of the disease or condition being treated
- Providing drug will not interfere with or compromise development for the expanded access use



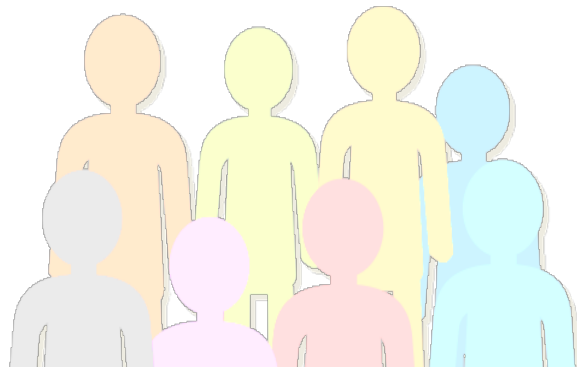
Treatment

- Drug is being investigated in clinical trial designed to support marketing, or trials are complete
- Company is actively pursuing marketing approval
- Often bridges the period between completion or near completion of drug development and approval



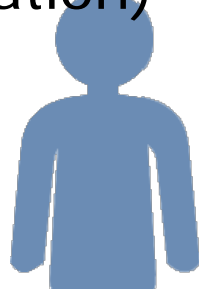
Intermediate Size Population

- No fixed numerical requirement
- More than one ... generally, less than a lot
- Can be used when a drug is
 - Being developed (e.g., patients not eligible for trial)
 - Not being developed (e.g., rare disease, cannot recruit for a trial)
 - Approved (e.g., drug withdrawn, drug shortage situation)
- Sponsor can be physician, manufacturer, or 3rd party



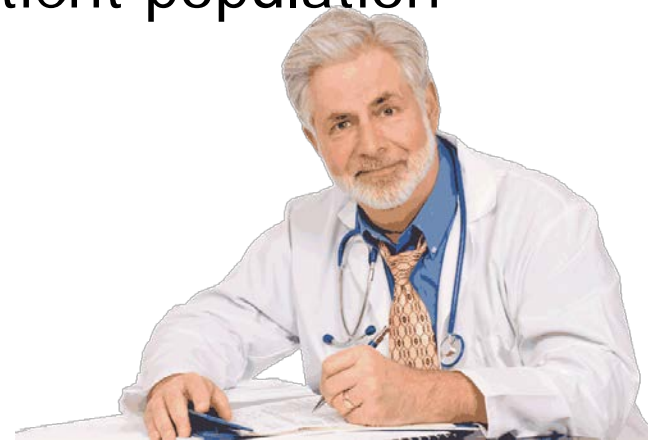
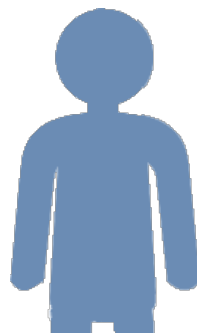
Individual Patient EAPs

- Physician must determine probable risk from drug does not exceed that from disease
- FDA must determine that the patient cannot obtain access under another type of IND
- Procedures for emergency use (where there is not time to make a written IND submission) – FDA may authorize starting access without submission, with very quick turn-around (Follow-up written submission required within 15 working days of authorization)



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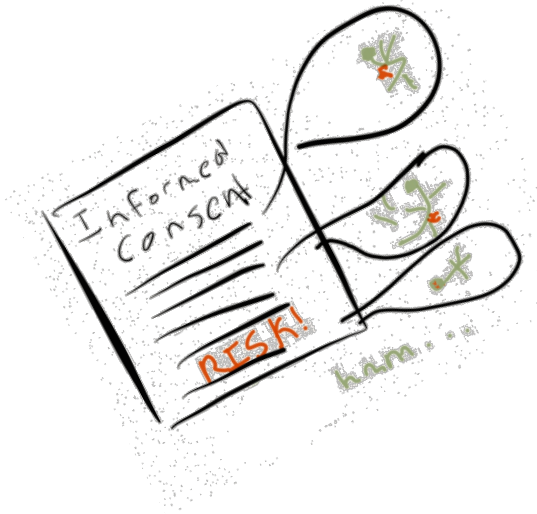
- Physician often takes role of sponsor/investigator (responsible for sponsor activities: tracking, reporting, etc.)
- FDA requires written summary report, and may require special monitoring
- FDA may request consolidation of multiple cases into a single, intermediate size patient population IND



Human Subject Protections Apply to All EAPs

Drugs in EAPs are *investigational drugs*, and they are subject to the following requirements:

- Protection of Human Subjects (informed consent)
- Institutional Review Boards (IRB)
- Clinical Holds based on safety
- Reporting requirements (adverse event reports, annual reports)



Overarching Considerations

- Unknown risks associated with access to investigational products for which there is limited information about safety and effectiveness
 - Some patients may benefit
 - Some patients may experience no effect
 - Some patients may be harmed
- FDA considers:
 - Potential harm to patients
 - Need to exhaust all existing approved treatments
 - Scientific likelihood of an efficacious response

Potential EAP Benefits

- Can provide access to patients, including children, with serious or life-threatening diseases who have no other alternatives, and are willing to accept greater risk
- Can provide patients a measure of autonomy over their own health care decision
- The treatment protocol can help bridge the gap between the latter stages of product development and approval by making a drug widely available during that period



How do patients view risk?

Potential overestimation of benefit and/or underestimation of risk

New drugs can have toxicities that cause increased suffering and pain, or the acceleration - or prolonging - of death, with no increase in quality of life

Not always considered by patients or families -
Often see risks as abstract



Concerns about Trial Enrollment

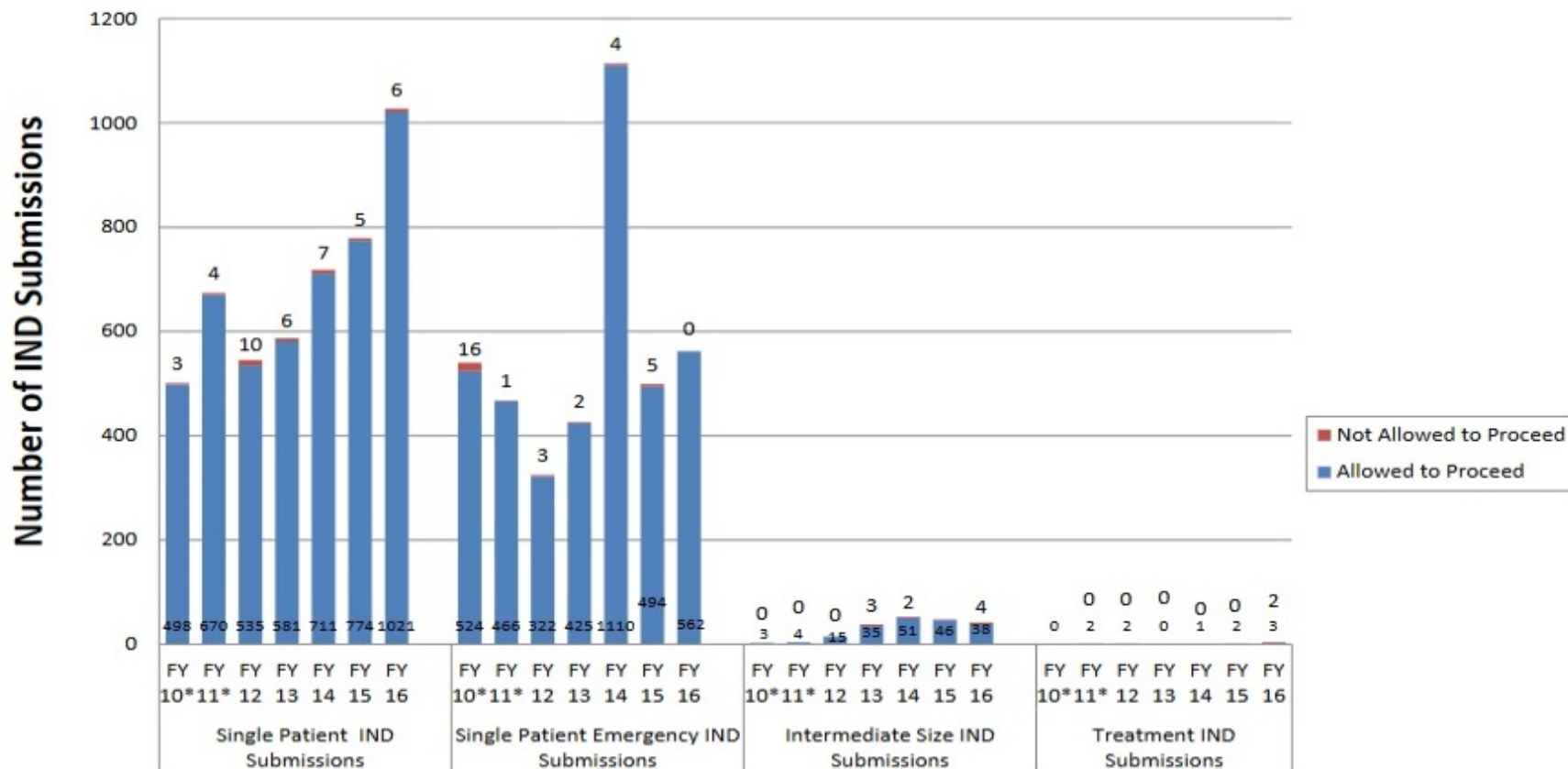
- Early access to investigational therapies could make phase 2 and 3 clinical trials more difficult to perform
- Clinical trial enrollment and conduct is a factor in consideration of treatment access to experimental drugs by manufacturers and FDA

Reasons Company May Deny Expanded Access Requests

Companies may deny a request for a number of reasons:

- Available clinical trials
- Manufacturing capacity is often limited in early phases – diverting drug for expanded access could limit supply for trials

CDER and CBER Expanded Access IND Submissions, FY 2010 - 2016



Fiscal Year

*For FY 10 and FY 11, the reporting period was October 13 through October 12 of the following year.

Need for Balance

- Treatment access must be balanced against the systematic collection of clinical data to characterize safety and effectiveness
- Patient autonomy must be balanced against exposure to unreasonable risks and the potential for health fraud, and potential exploitation of desperate patients
- Individual needs must be balanced against societal needs
 - Clinical trials are the best mechanism to provide evidence of safety and effectiveness for potential new treatments
 - FDA approval for marketing is the most efficient means to make safe and effective treatments available to the greatest number of patients

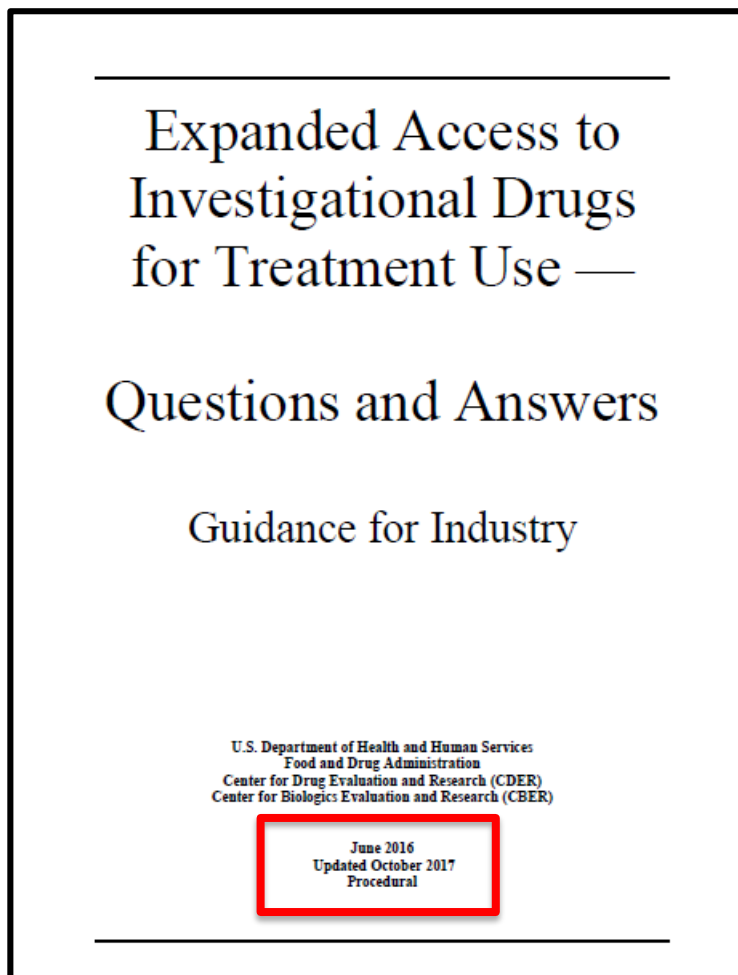


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Guidance Documents

- What's new?



Expanded Access Q&A Guidance

- Waiver option for convening full Institutional Review Board (IRB) for review for single patient requests
- Clarification around how adverse events are viewed that occur during Expanded Access treatment
- 21st Century Cures Act requirements for industry

Expanded Access to Investigational Drugs for Treatment Use — Questions and Answers

Guidance for Industry

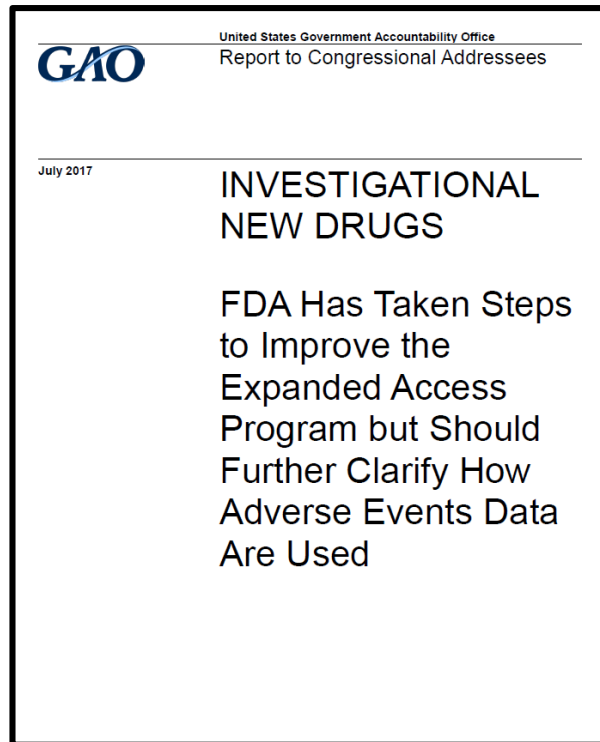
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- Question 25 has been revised and a new Question 26 has been added to address how the Agency reviews adverse event data in the expanded access context.
- Question 31 (previous Question 30) now also references the 21st Century Cures Act requirement that expanded access policies be publicly posted.

Waiver for full IRB review

- Emergency expanded access requests: report to IRB within 5 working days
 - FDA authorization still required
- Non-emergency expanded access requests: physician submitting the request can select the box on Form 3926 (or submit a waiver request with Form 1571) to obtain concurrence from the IRB chairperson, or another designated member of the IRB, before treatment use begins, in lieu of convening the full IRB

GAO Report and Adverse Events



- Clarification provided October 2017
- “FDA is not aware of instances in which adverse event information from expanded access has prevented FDA from approving a drug.”

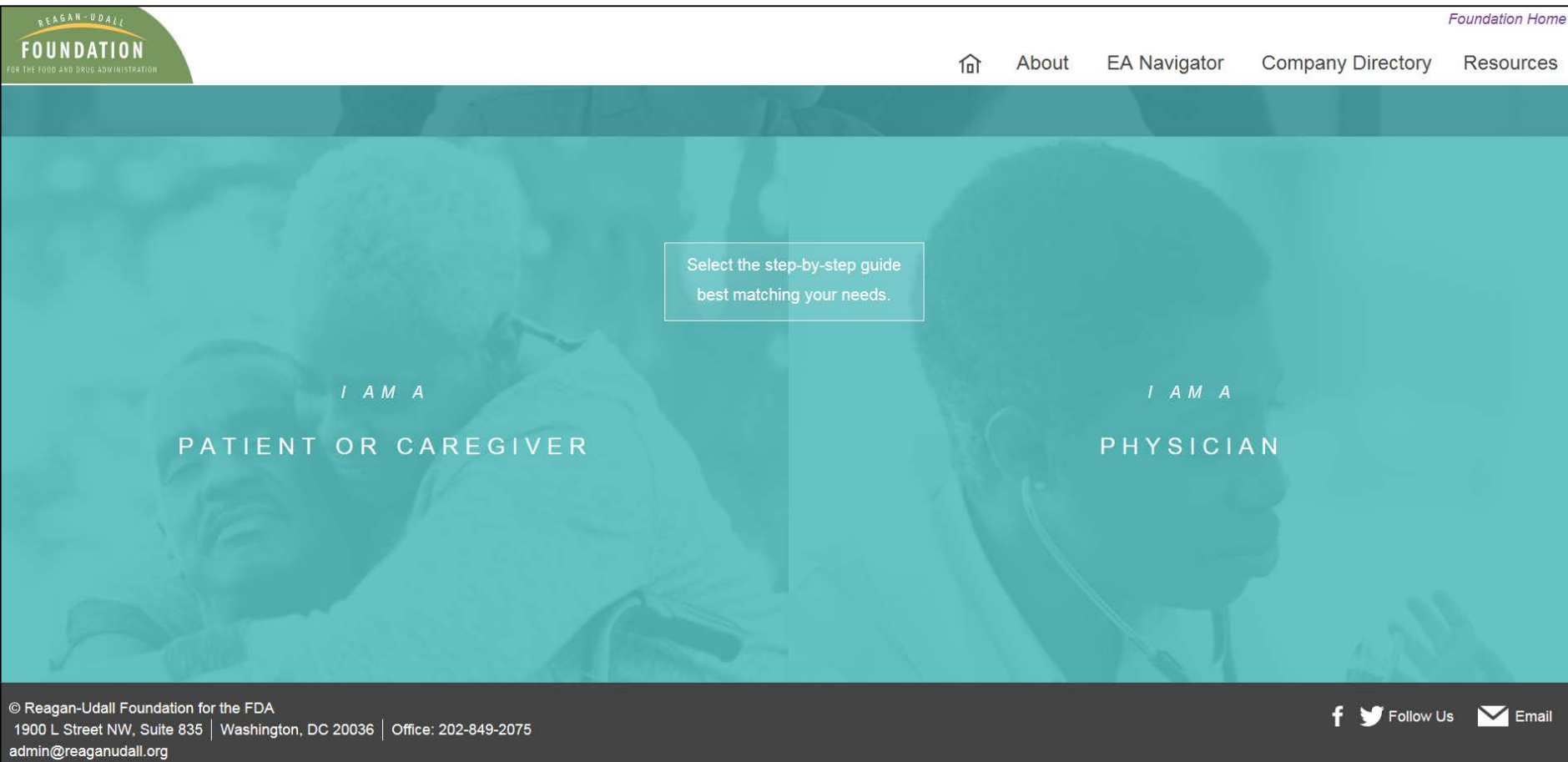
GAO Report and Adverse Events

- Very beneficial to learn of rare adverse events as early as possible – reporting is still of paramount importance
- 0.02% (2 cases in 10,000 expanded access authorized requests) where adverse events have led to a clinical hold, and those were later resolved
- Four key reasons added to Q&A Guidance #26 that describe why it is extremely difficult to draw a causal link between a reported AE and the expanded access treatment

21st Century Cures Act

- Requires sponsors to make their policy for evaluating and responding to expanded access requests publicly available
- The policy must include the following:
 - contact information for the manufacturer or distributor,
 - procedures for making requests,
 - the general criteria the manufacturer or distributor will use to evaluate and respond to EA requests,
 - the length of time the manufacturer or distributor anticipates will be necessary to acknowledge receipt of such requests, and
 - a hyperlink or other reference to the clinical trial record containing information that is required to be submitted to ClinicalTrials.gov about expanded access availability for the drug

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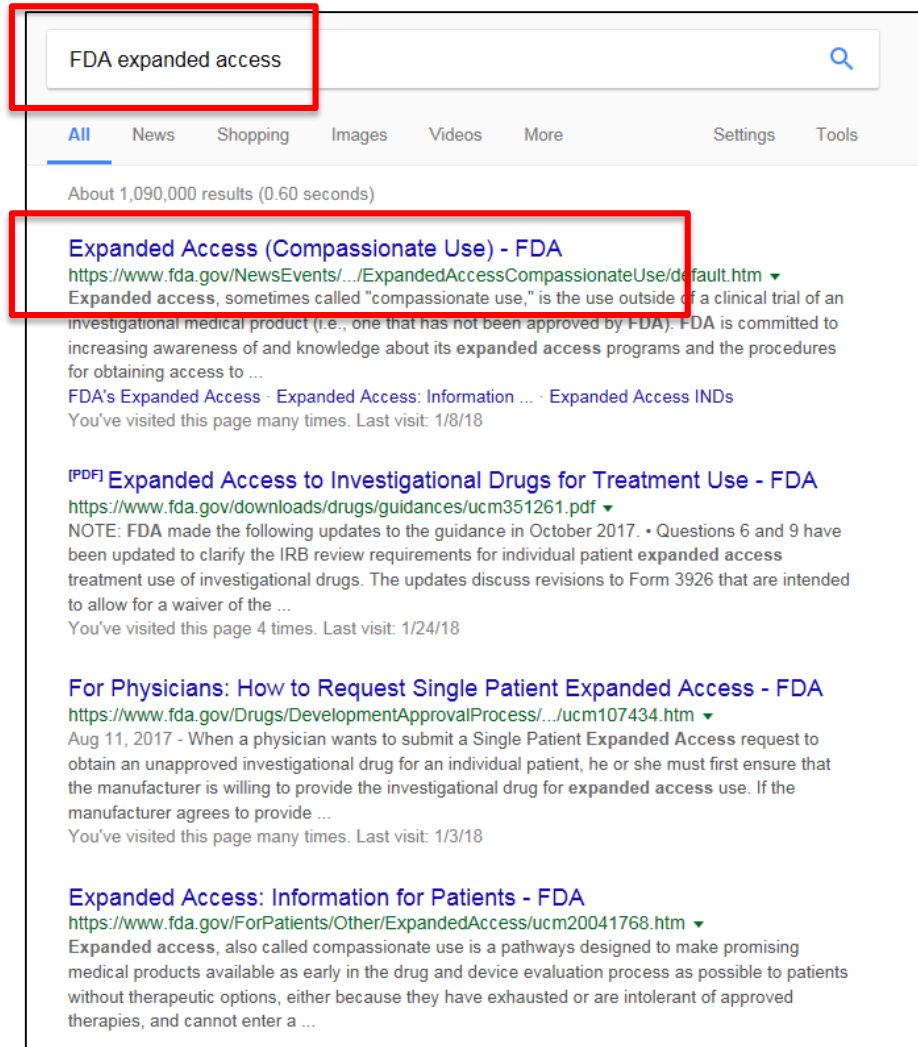
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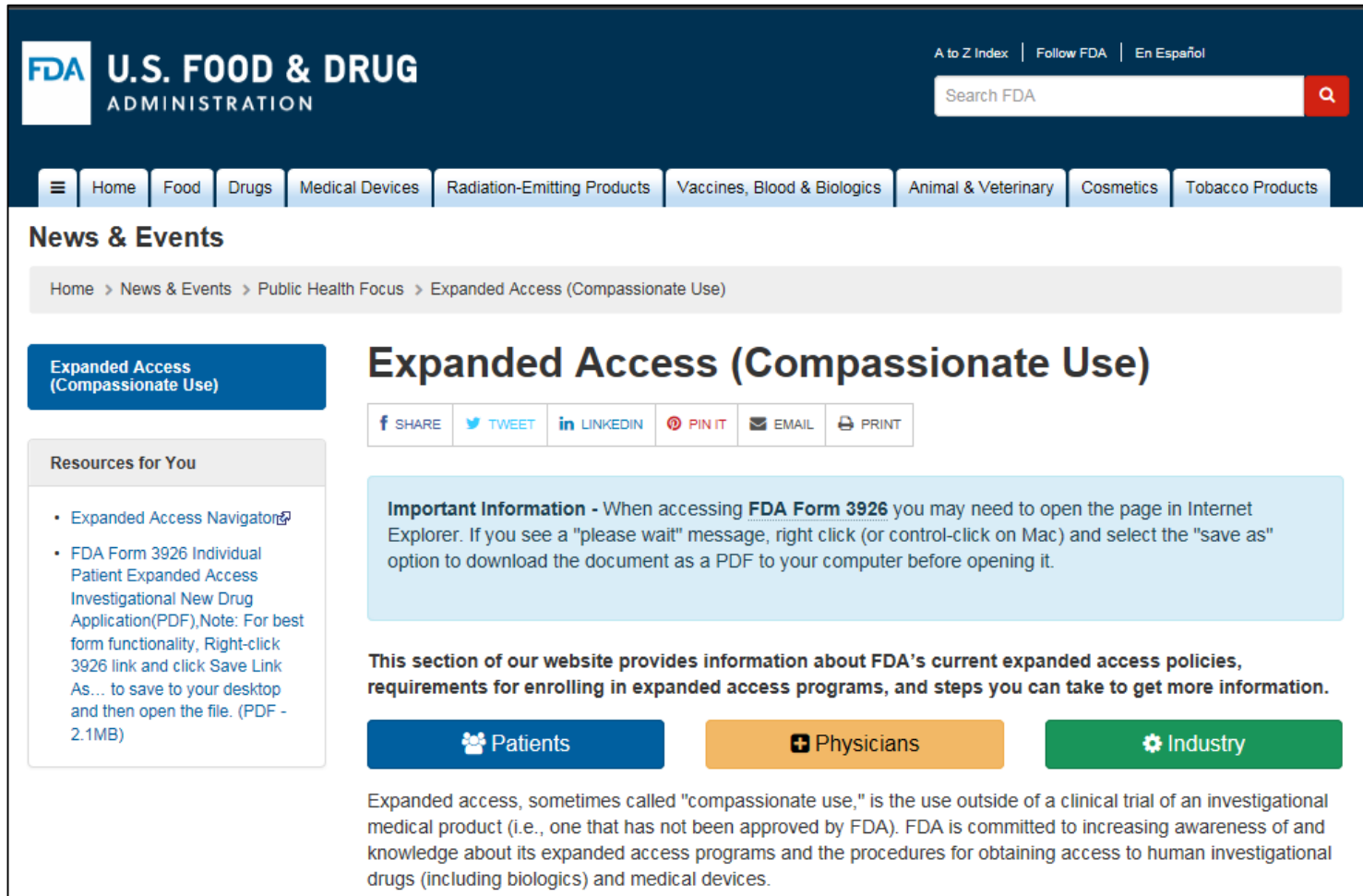
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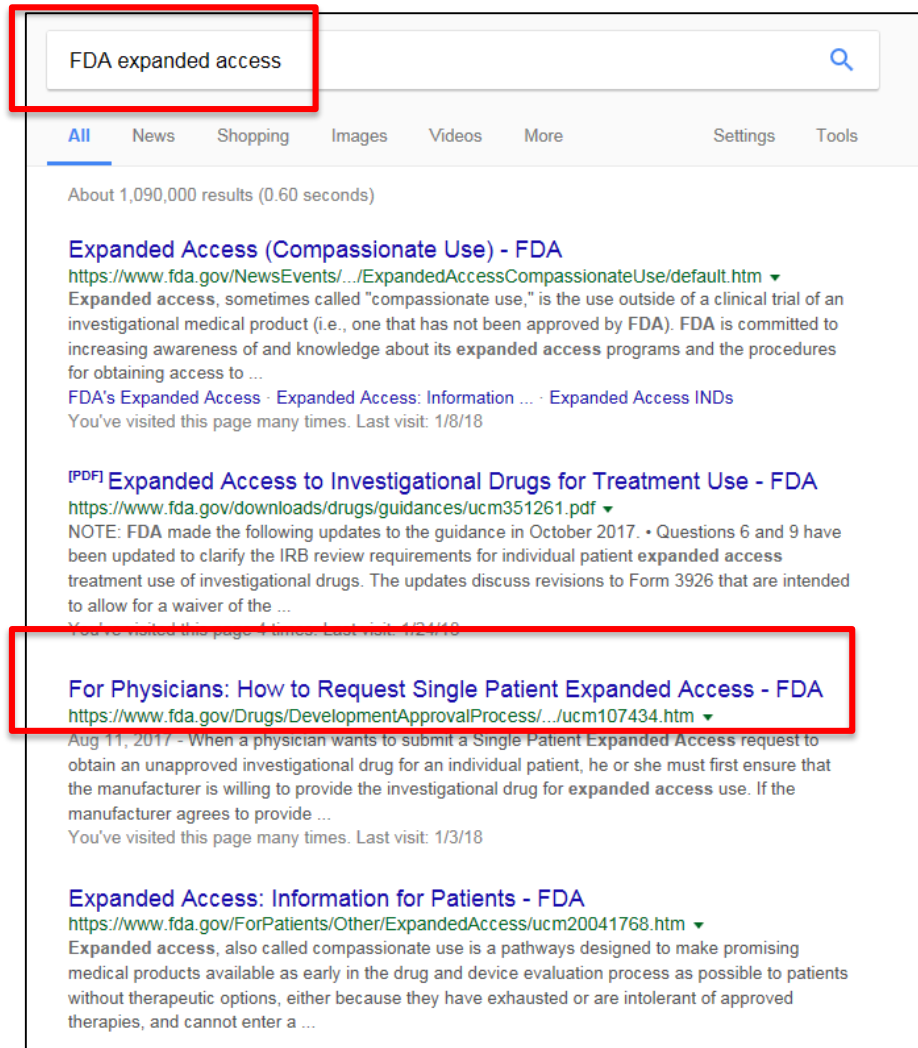
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Resources for You

- Expanded Access Navigator
- FDA Form 3926 Individual Patient Expanded Access Investigational New Drug Application(PDF),Note: For best form functionality, Right-click 3926 link and click Save Link As... to save to your desktop and then open the file. (PDF - 2.1MB)

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Emergency Requests:

In an emergency situation, the request to use an unapproved investigational drug may be made via telephone or other rapid means of communication, and authorization to ship and use the drug may be given by the FDA official over the telephone. In these situations, known as emergency IND (eIND) requests, shipment of and treatment with the drug may begin prior to FDA’s receipt of the written IND submission that is to follow the initial request. An [emergency IND timeline](#) is available online to guide you through the process.

Non-emergency Requests:

In a non-emergency situation, a written request (IND) for individual patient use of an investigational drug must be submitted to the FDA. The investigational drug may be shipped and treatment of the patient may begin 30 days after the application is received by FDA or earlier if notified by the FDA that treatment may proceed. These non-emergency requests are known as individual patient INDs, or single patient expanded access requests. A [guide to initiate and maintain non-emergency requests](#) is available for physicians online.

Reference:

<https://www.fda.gov/Drugs/DevelopmentApprovalProcess/HowDrugsareDevelopedandApproved/ApprovalApplications/InvestigationalNewDrugINDApplication/ucm107434.htm>

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General Timeline for Submission of Individual Patient Expanded Access Application for Emergency Use

The following information is intended to provide an overview of timelines applicable to physicians who plan to submit or have submitted individual patient expanded access applications for emergency use. For additional information and a comprehensive explanation of submission requirements, physicians should review regulations at 21 CFR part 312, and the [Guidance for Industry: Expanded Access to Investigational Drugs for Treatment Use – Questions and Answers](#); June 2016 (Updated October 2017).

Individual Patient Expanded Access IND Application for Emergency Use: Initial Submission

Time	Action	Supporting Documentation
Day 0-1	Contact sponsor/manufacture to obtain their agreement to provide expanded access to the investigational drug	Letter of authorization from sponsor/manufacture granting a right of reference to the information contained in their existing IND • Letter of Authorization (see online template) to be sent to FDA at the time of application submission by Day 15
Day 1	Call FDA to obtain FDA authorization for the expanded access use	Information will be requested by the FDA representative and can be provided via phone, fax, or e-mail
Day 1	Obtain informed consent from patient or their legally authorized representative prior to administering treatment	
Post-treatment by Day 5	Notify Institutional Review Board (IRB) of the emergency expanded access use	Supporting documentation as required by the respective applicable IRB
By Day 15	Submit the expanded access IND application to the appropriate Review Division in the Center for Drug Evaluation and Research (CDER) at FDA Insert your IND number, provided to you by FDA staff, in the appropriate section of the application form (e.g., section titled, <i>Physician's IND Number</i> in section 3 of Form FDA 3926)	Form FDA 3926 ¹ Letter of Authorization ² from sponsor/manufacture

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Individual Patient Expanded Access IND Application for Emergency Use: Subsequent Submissions

Submission/Time	Action	Supporting Documentation
Mandatory Safety Reports – Unexpected Fatal or Life-Threatening Adverse Reactions: As soon as possible but no later than 7 calendar days	Report unexpected fatal or life-threatening suspected adverse reactions ³	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Form FDA 3926⁴ (Field 9: check initial or follow-up Written IND Safety Report) Form FDA 3500A
Mandatory Safety Reports – Other: As soon as possible but no later than 15 calendar days after determining the suspected adverse reaction qualifies for reporting	Report serious and unexpected suspected adverse reactions ³	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Form FDA 3926⁴ (Field 9: check initial or follow-up Written IND Safety Report) Form FDA 3500A
Follow-up to a Written Safety Report: As soon as the information is available but no later than 15 calendar days after the sponsor receives the information	A follow-up report to an IND safety report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Form FDA 3926⁴ (Field 9: Follow-up to a Written Safety Report)
IND Application Amendments: Throughout the IND application life cycle	For example, any change in the patient's treatment plan (generally required to be submitted prior to implementation)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Form FDA 3926⁴ with the appropriate box checked in Field 9 Explanation of the changes
Results Summary: Following completion of the treatment for emergency use	Submit a written summary of the results of the emergency use of the investigational treatment to FDA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Form FDA 3926⁴ (Field 9: Summary of Expanded Access Use [treatment completed]) Written report that includes the results of treatment, patient response, and all adverse effects. At this time, a request to close the application should be sent to FDA.
IND Application Annual Reports: Within 60 days of the anniversary of FDA's original authorization date (so long as the application remains active)	Submit Annual Report to FDA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Form FDA 3926⁴ (Field 9: Annual Report) A brief report of the treatment progress to include: Summary of treatment results, safety information, and any other information, as relevant.

³Guidance for Industry and Investigators: Safety Reporting Requirements for INDs and BA/BE Studies; December 2012.

⁴Instructions for filling out Form FDA 3926

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1. Request Letter of Authorization	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Request a Letter of Authorization (LOA) from the pharmaceutical company that makes the investigational drug you wish to obtain. A LOA grants the right of reference to the information contained in the supplier's existing Investigational New Drug (IND) application. If a LOA is not available, submit sufficient information for FDA to assure the product's quality. A Letter of Authorization template is available from FDA.
2. Submit Form FDA 3926	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Instructions for filling out Form FDA 3926 are available online. Submit Form FDA 3926 (along with the LOA) to FDA. You may submit via mail, fax, or e-mail. Further instructions and help about how to submit available online.
3. Obtain IRB approval	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Obtain IRB approval per 21 CFR Part 56. A physician submitting an individual patient expanded access IND using Form FDA 3926 may choose to request authorization to obtain concurrence by the IRB chairperson or by a designated IRB member before the treatment use begins, in lieu of obtaining IRB review and approval at a convened IRB meeting at which a majority of the members are present. A physician submitting an individual patient expanded access IND using Form FDA 1571 may include a separate waiver request with the application.
4. Obtain Informed Consent	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Obtain Informed Consent from patient or their legally authorized representative per 21 CFR Part 50. Use a written consent form approved by the IRB.

Follow-up Submissions (use [Form FDA 3926](#))

Action	Timeframe	Descriptions and Further Information
Safety Reports	As soon as possible	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Report unexpected fatal or life-threatening suspected adverse reactions to FDA as soon as possible but <i>in no case later than 7 calendar days</i> after the sponsor's initial receipt of the information. Report serious and unexpected suspected adverse reactions to FDA as soon as possible but <i>in no case later than 15 calendar days</i> after determining that the information qualifies for reporting.

Reference:

<https://www.fda.gov/Drugs/DevelopmentApprovalProcess/HowDrugsareDevelopedandApproved/ApprovalApplications/InvestigationalNewDrugINDApplication/ucm570937.htm>

Requesting Expanded Access



Questions?

Type of Request	Weekday M-F 8:00 – 4:30 pm ET	After hours, weekends, and holidays
Emergency Requests	<p>Contact the appropriate review division below, if known.</p> <p>If unknown, contact the Division of Drug Information:</p> <p>855-543-3784, or 301-796-3400 301-431-6353 (fax) druginfo@fda.hhs.gov</p>	<p>Emergency Coordination Staff:</p> <p>301-796-9900, or 301-796-2210 fax: 301-431-6356 cdererops@fda.hhs.gov</p>
Non-emergency Requests	<p>Division of Drug Information:</p> <p>855-543-3784, or 301-796-3400 fax: 301-431-6353 druginfo@fda.hhs.gov</p>	<p>Division of Drug Information:</p> <p>855-543-3784, or 301-796-3400 fax: 301-431-6353 druginfo@fda.hhs.gov</p>

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CDER Review Divisions, organized by Office of Drug Evaluation

CDER Review Division	Telephone Number	FAX Number
Not sure which review division is appropriate? Call the Division of Drug Information	855-543-3784 301-796-3400	301-431-6353
Office of Drug Evaluation I		
Division of Cardiovascular and Renal Products	301-796-2240	301-796-9841
Division of Neurology Products	301-796-2250	301-796-9842

Reference:

<https://www.fda.gov/Drugs/DevelopmentApprovalProcess/HowDrugsareDevelopedandApproved/ApprovalApplications/InvestigationalNewDrugINDApplication/ucm107434.htm>

Expanded Access



Part 3:

A Walk Through Form FDA 3926,
Individual Patient Expanded Access IND
Application



Form FDA 3926

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES Food and Drug Administration		Form Approved: OMB No. 0910-0814 Expiration Date: April 30, 2019 See FRA Statement on last page.
Individual Patient Expanded Access Investigational New Drug Application (IND) <i>(Title 21, Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 312)</i>		
1. Patient's Initials		2. Date of Submission (mm/dd/yyyy)
3.a. Initial Submission <input type="checkbox"/> Select this box if this form is an initial submission for an individual patient expanded access IND, and complete only fields 4 through 8, and fields 10 and 11.	3.b. Follow-Up Submission <input type="checkbox"/> Select this box if this form accompanies a follow-up submission to an existing individual patient expanded access IND, and complete the items to the right in this section, and fields 8 through 11.	Investigational Drug Name Physician's IND Number
4. Clinical Information Indication Brief Clinical History (Patient's age, gender, weight, allergies, diagnosis, prior therapy, response to prior therapy, reason for request, including an explanation of why the patient lacks other therapeutic options)		
5. Treatment Information Investigational Drug Name Name of the entity that will supply the drug (generally the manufacturer) FDA Review Division (if known) Treatment Plan (including the dose, route and schedule of administration, planned duration, and monitoring procedures. Also include modifications to the treatment plan in the event of toxicity.)		
6. Letter of Authorization (LOA), if applicable (generally obtained from the manufacturer of the drug) <input type="checkbox"/> I have attached the LOA. (Attach the LOA; if electronic, use normal PDF functions for file attachments.) Note: If there is no LOA, consult the Form Instructions.		
7. Physician's Qualification Statement (including medical school attended, year of graduation, medical specialty, state medical license number, current employment, and job title. Alternatively, attach the first few pages of physician's curriculum vitae (CV), provided they contain this information. If attaching the CV electronically, use normal PDF functions for file attachments.)		
8. Physician Name, Address, and Contact Information		
Physician Name (Sponsor)		Email Address of Physician
Address 1 (Street address, No P.O. boxes)		Telephone Number of Physician
Address 2 (Apartment, suite, unit, building, floor, etc.)		
City	State	Facsimile (FAX) Number of Physician
ZIP Code		Physician's IND number, if known
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Form FDA 3926

9. Contents of Submission
This submission contains the following materials, which are attached to this form (select all that apply). If none of the following apply to the follow-up communications, use Form FDA 1571 for your submission.

<input type="checkbox"/> Initial Written IND Safety Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Change in Treatment Plan
<input type="checkbox"/> Follow-up to a Written IND Safety Report	<input type="checkbox"/> General Correspondence
<input type="checkbox"/> Annual Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Response to FDA Request for Information
<input type="checkbox"/> Summary of Expanded Access Use (treatment completed)	<input type="checkbox"/> Response to Clinical Hold

10.a. Request for Authorization to Use Form FDA 3926
 I request authorization to submit this Form FDA 3926 to comply with FDA's requirements for an individual patient expanded access IND.

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11. Certification Statement: I will not begin treatment until 30 days after FDA's receipt of a completed application and all required materials unless I receive earlier notification from FDA that treatment may begin. I also agree not to begin or continue clinical investigations covered by the IND if those studies are placed on clinical hold. I also certify that I will obtain informed consent, and that an Institutional Review Board (IRB) will be responsible for initial and continuing review and approval of this treatment use, consistent with applicable FDA requirements. I understand that in the case of an emergency request, treatment may begin without prior IRB approval, provided the IRB is notified of the emergency treatment within 5 working days of treatment. I agree to conduct the investigation in accordance with all other applicable regulatory requirements.

WARNING: A willfully false statement is a criminal offense (U.S.C. Title 18, Sec. 1001).

Signature of Physician _____ **Date** _____
To enable the signature field, please fill out all prior required fields. For a list of required fields which have not yet been filled out, please click here.

For FDA Use Only		
Date of FDA Receipt	Is this an emergency individual patient IND? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Is this indication for a rare disease (prevalence < 200,000 in the U.S.)? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
IND Number		

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DO NOT SEND YOUR COMPLETED FORM TO THE PRA STAFF EMAIL ADDRESS BELOW.

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Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) Staff
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Form FDA 3926

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FDA Review Division *(if known)*


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I have attached the LOA. *(Attach the LOA; if electronic, use normal PDF functions for file attachments.)*

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8. Physician Name, Address, and Contact Information

Physician Name (<i>Sponsor</i>)		Email Address of Physician
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<input type="text"/>		
Address 2 (<i>Apartment, suite, unit, building, floor, etc.</i>)		Facsimile (FAX) Number of Physician
<input type="text"/>		
City	State	Physician's IND number, if known
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	
ZIP Code		
<input type="text"/>		<input type="text"/>

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Submission Package

An individual patient IND submitted using Form FDA 3926 may consist of only:

- Completed form
- Letter of Authorization (LOA) to reference existing IND, if applicable
- First few pages of sponsor-investigator's CV (if he/she elects to provide his/her qualifications in this way, rather than completing section 5 of the form)

Form FDA 1572 is NOT required to be submitted with Form FDA 3926

Overall Points to Remember

- To be used by sponsor-investigators (individual physicians – not drug developers)
- To be used for submission of individual patient INDs, including those for emergency use, only (i.e., no other types of expanded access)
- Sponsor-investigator may choose to use Form FDA 1571 instead

Challenge Questions

- We have a few challenge questions to ask you about what you just heard about expanded access
- We will switch to voting mode from presentation mode

Challenge Question #1

What criteria must be met in order for FDA to authorize expanded access?

- a) Patient must have a serious or immediately life-threatening disease or condition
- b) Patient must have no comparable or satisfactory alternative therapy available
- c) Providing the drug will not interfere with or compromise commercial development for the expanded access use
- d) All of the above

Challenge Question #2

Which of the following websites provides phone numbers to FDA's Review Divisions?

- A. www.fda.gov
- B. www.clinicaltrials.gov
- C. <http://navigator.reaganudall.org>
- D. A and C
- E. All of the above

Challenge Question #3

Which of the following statements about Form FDA 3926 is false?

- a) It is to be used by sponsor-investigators (individual physicians) to submit an individual patient IND
- b) Form FDA 1572 is required to be submitted along with Form FDA 3926
- c) It is to be used for submitting individual patient expanded access INDs only

More Information

Visit: www.fda.gov/expandedaccess

Contact

- FDA's Office of Health & Constituent Affairs at 301-796-8460 or PatientNetwork@fda.hhs.gov
- CDER's Division of Drug Information at 855-543-3784 or druginfo@fda.hhs.gov
- CBER at 800-835-4709 or industry.biologics@fda.gov

QUESTIONS?

