

#### **Critical Path for Parkinson's Consortium**

#### October 29, 2019

**CPAD Annual Meeting** 

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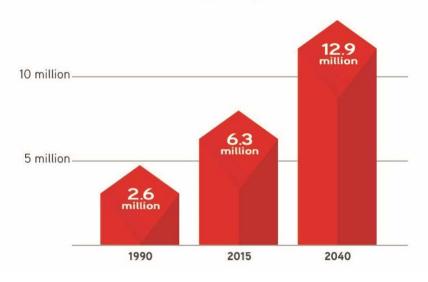
#### Growing Burden of Parkinson's Disease



Global, regional, and national burden of Parkinson's disease, 1990–2016: a systematic analysis for the Global Burden of Disease Study 2016

GBD 2016 Parkinson's Disease Collaborators\*

Estimated and projected number of individuals with **PARKINSON DISEASE, 1990 – 2040** 



*Dorsey R. et al. Lancet Neurol* 2018; 17: 939–53

Source: Dorsey ER, Bloem BR, The Parkinson Pandemic: a call to action. JAMA Neurology 2017

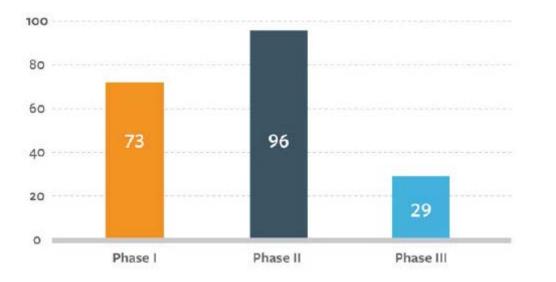
"Among neurological disorders examined in the Global Burden of Disease, Injuries, and Risk Factors Study (GBD) 2015, Parkinson's disease was the fastest growing in prevalence, disability, and deaths"

# The PD therapeutic pipeline is rich ... yet clinical trialists face many challenges



Active Trials by Phase

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Total estimated number of active interventional drug trials by Phase. Programs in "Phase IV" or other undefined stages of clinical assessment are not included. Note that the number of trials does not reflect number of unique therapies as some therapies may have multiple trials underway in parallel.

Source: Citeline's Trialtrove, data accessed February 2019

#### Michael J Fox Foundation, Parkinson's Priority Therapeutic Pipeline Report, Feb 2019

#### **Obstacles in PD Drug Development:**

- Disease pathogenesis is unknown
- PD is characterized by phenotypic and genotypic heterogeneity
- Biomarkers that reflect disease presence, progression and severity are lacking
- Unpredictable placebo responses
- Concurrent symptomatic therapy may mask efficacy
- Outcome measures lack precision

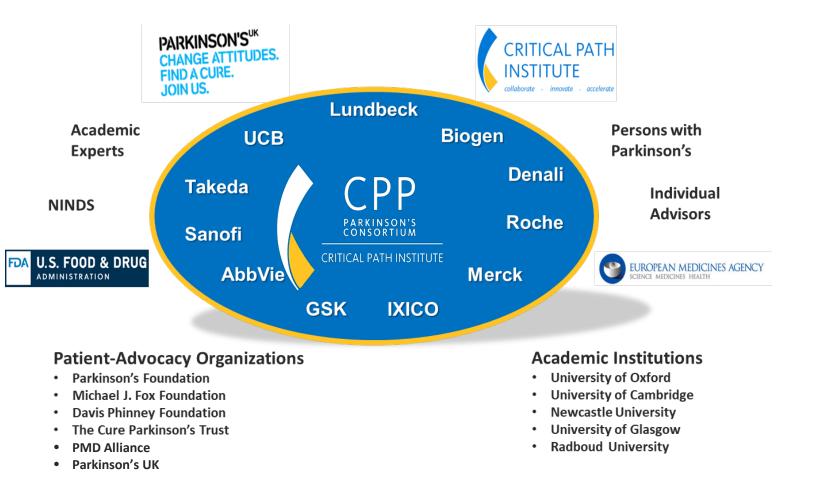
Lang A. et al. Mov Disord. 2018 May;33(5):660-677

#### Critical Path for Parkinson's Consortium



<u>Mission:</u> To serve as a leading International consortium to collectively advance data driven collaborative research under the advisement of worldwide regulatory agencies

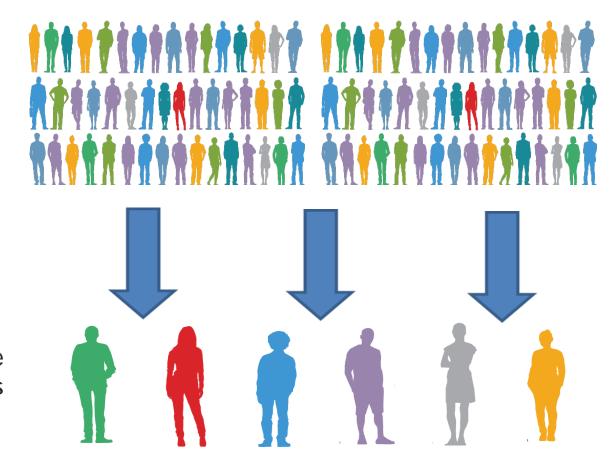
- CPP was launched in 2015 with a major goal to develop tools to quantify disease progression
- Successfully acquired and integrated patient level data from >9600 PD patients
- Qualification of imaging biomarker for enrichment of trials in early PD
- Current CPP focus is regulatory endorsement of PD drug disease trial model
- Digital Drug Development Tools (3DT) team was launched under CPP with the goal of advancing regulatory readiness of digital health technologies in early PD studies



#### Future Model of Parkinson's Therapies



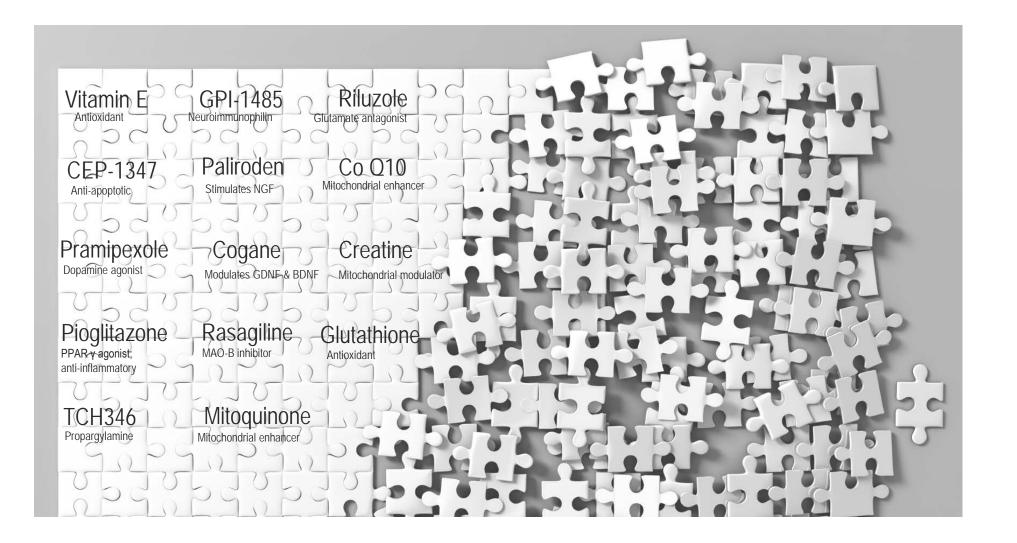
Parkinson's -Not all one flavor



As modified from Alberto Espay

Personalized Medicine targeted treatments

# Can We Learn from Past Clinical Trials?



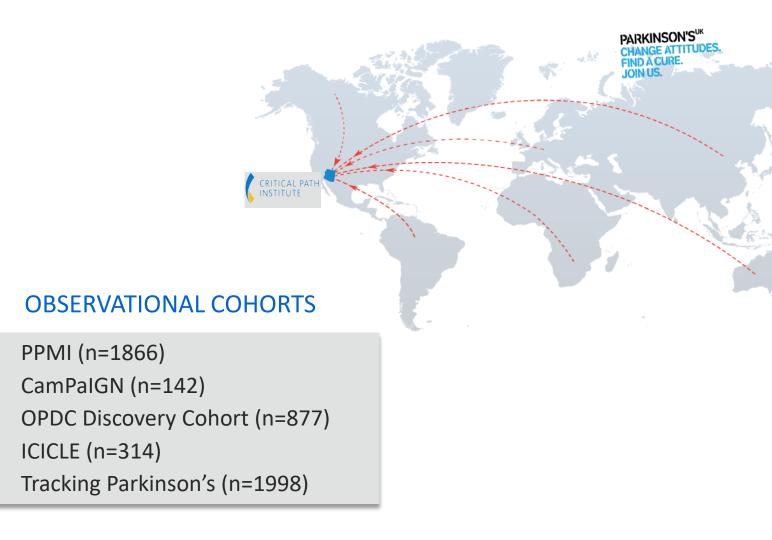
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#### CPP has Integrated Data from >10,000 People with Parkinson's From Around the World





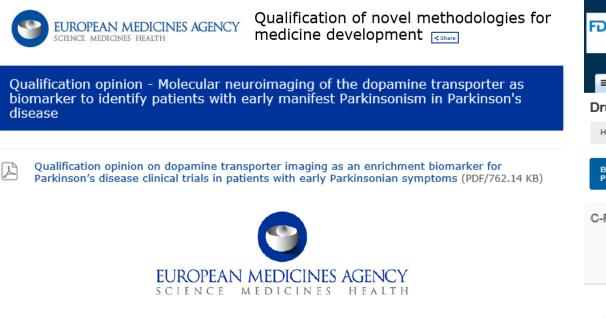


#### **CLINICAL TRIALS**

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# How is the CPP Database Enabling New Paths? Parkinson's Imaging Biomarker





29 May 2018 EMA/CHMP/SAWP/765041/2017 Committee for Medicinal Products for Human Use (CHMP)

Qualification opinion on dopamine transporter imaging as an enrichment biomarker for Parkinson's disease clinical trials in patients with early Parkinsonian symptoms

EMA/765041/2017

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C-Path, CAMD		Molecular Neuroimaging Biomarker: Dopamine		Exploratory Prognostic Biomarkers for Enrichment Early Stage Parkinson's Dis						

"We encourage the use of this biomarker in clinical trials to evaluate its utility for the identification of patients likely to show clinical progression of Parkinson's motor symptoms. We believe that sharing and Integrating data across trials can foster a more efficient path to biomarker qualification."

Sincerely,

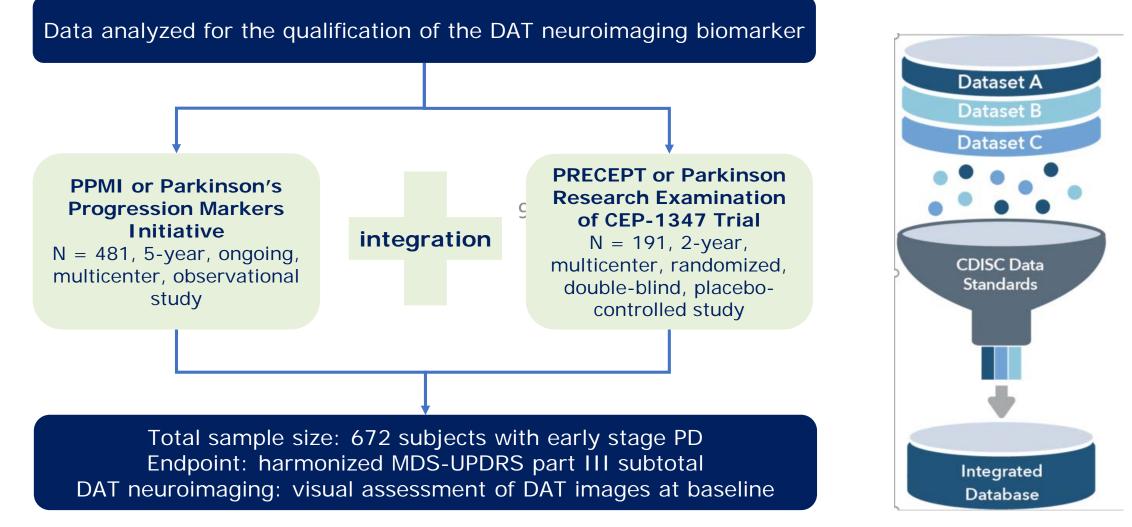
Janet Woodcock, M.D.

Director, CDER

U.S. Food and Drug Administration

# DAT Imaging as an Enrichment Biomarker in Early PD Trials: *Integrated Datasets*

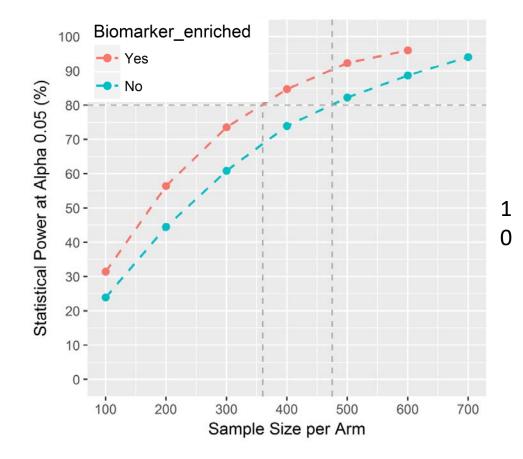




**DAT = dopamine transporter** 

#### DAT Imaging as an Enrichment Biomarker in Early PD Trials: Enrichment Allows Meaningful Reduction of Trial Size





DAT = dopamine transporter neuroimaging; SWEDD = scan without evidence of dopamine deficiency ~ 24% reduction in sample size by enrolling only subjects who are DAT deficient

Under these assumptions:

- 24-month placebo-controlled parallel group trial.
- Enriched trial had only subjects with DAT deficit, while non-enriched trial included 15% of SWEDD.
- Drug effect of 50% reduction in the progression rate.

Power was calculated as the proportion of trials for which the effect of treatment on progression rate was beneficial with a two-tailed *P*-value < 0.05.

#### PD Clinical Trial Simulator—DAT Imaging for Enrichment

Number of Subjects per Arm:

Assessment Interval (Months):

Duration of Subjects Follow-up (Months):

Proportion of Subjects with SWEDD (%):

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10 13

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Effect of Drug on Rate of Disease Progression (%

Effect of Digital Measure on Noise of MDS-UPDRS Part

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Reduction):

III (% Reduction):

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Simulate

Number of Simulations:



DAT Neuroimaging-Informed Early PD Clinical Trial Simulator - Version 1.0



Simulate clinical trials on patients with early-stage Parkinson disease Click here for more information on this application.

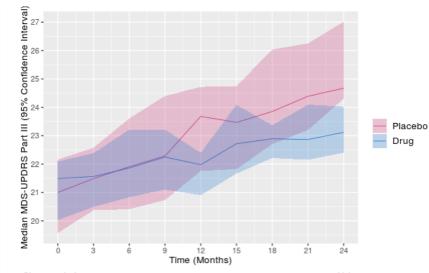
# of subjects

Follow up duration

#### Assessment interval

SWEDD rate

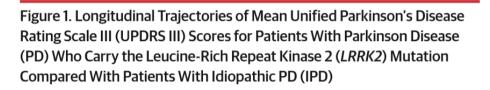
# simulations

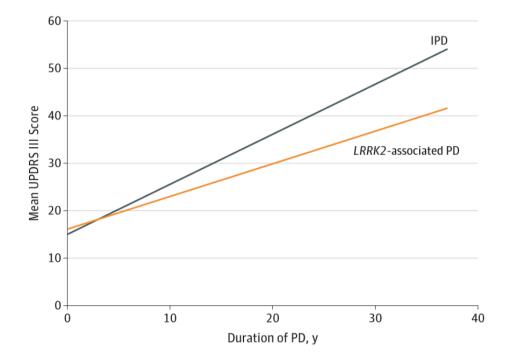


	Characteristics	Values
	Study Design	Placebo-Controlled Parallel Group
	Total Number of Subjects	400
	Study Duration (Months)	24
	Assessment Interval (Months)	3
	Effect of Drug on Rate of Disease Progression (% Reduction)	50
	Effect of Digital Measure on Noise of MDS-UPDRS Part III (% Reduction)	0
	Proportion of SWEDD (%)	14
	Proportion of Female (%)	34
	Median age (95% Confidence Interval) (Years)	62 (61, 63)
	Number of Simulations	10
	Monte-Carlo Standard Error for Calculation of Confidence Interval for Statistical Power (%)	12.6
	Statistical Power (%, 95% Confidence Interval)	80 (44.4, 97.5)

Open Source Clinical Trial Simulator

# Genetic Data Can be Used to Define PD Endophenotypes with Distinctive Progression Rates



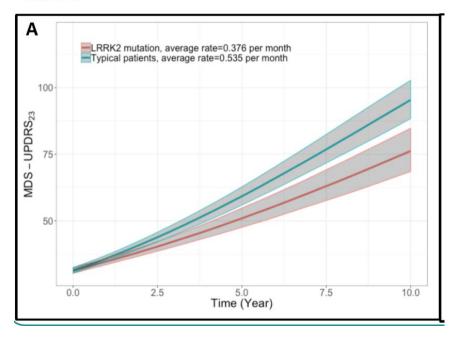


Saunders-Pullman, R., et al., (2018). Progression in the *LRRK2* -Associated Parkinson Disease Population. *JAMA Neurology*, *75*(3), 312.

Disease Progression model platform to inform efficient clinical trial design for Parkinson's Disease

Malidi Ahamadi, Merck Research Laboratories

Presentation at 9<sup>th</sup> American Conference on Pharmacometrics (ACoP9), San Diego, CA



Ahamadi Et al., Clin Pharmacol Ther. 2019 Sep 23. doi: 10.1002/ cpt.1634.

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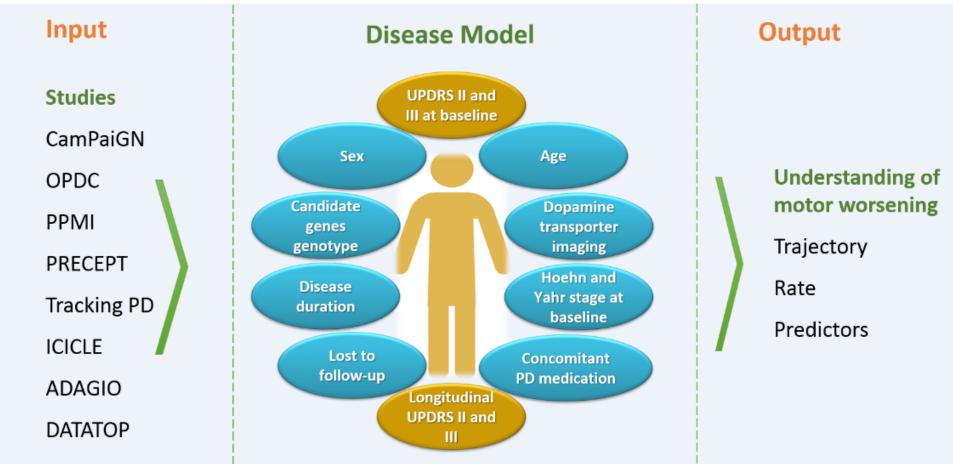
On behalf of Malidi Ahamadi, Merck And the CPP modeling and

simulation team

# Parkinson's Drug-Disease-Trial Model integrates Biomarkers, Genetics and Clinical Parameters



• Using computerized models to simulate different 'what if' scenarios aimed at identifying the *right drug, right patient at the right time* 



UPDRS = Unified Parkinson's Disease Rating Scale; PD = Parkinson disease

### **Current Landscape Highlights Impact of Mobile Technologies**

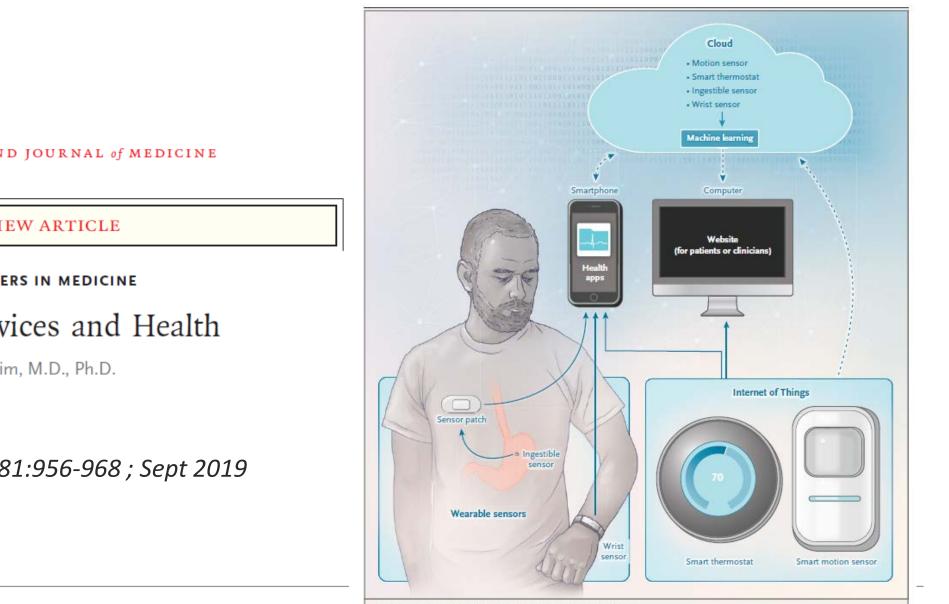


Figure 1. Data Flow of Wearable Sensors and the Internet of Things.

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The NEW ENGLAND JOURNAL of MEDICINE

#### **REVIEW ARTICLE**

#### FRONTIERS IN MEDICINE

#### Mobile Devices and Health

Ida Sim, M.D., Ph.D.

N Engl J Med 2019; 381:956-968 ; Sept 2019

# FDA leadership Recognizes the Potential Impact of Mobile Technologies

#### Decentralized trials and mobile devices: enhancing trial feasibility and data collection



- Enabled by mobile technologies: e.g., local collection of trial endpoints, safety monitoring
- Addresses distributed pt populations, allows greater diversity of patient populations and sites of care
- *Challenges*: applying GCP and regulatory frameworks: consent, investigator and local physician roles / responsibilities, safety monitoring, drug supply, endpoints validation, security and data integrity, data traceability

#### Mobile technologies: wide range of possible uses in trials, such as....

- Tracking adherence
- Novel trial endpoints: passively (e.g., ambulation, vital signs) or actively assessed (e.g., timed tasks or ePROs)
- Safety monitoring
- Recruitment and retention connecting and engaging patients
- Mobile technology: wide range of sources
- Smart phones: for videos, photographs of lesions, behaviors, other findings, or collection of ePROs
- Other: accelerometers, ECGs, temp sensors, EEGs, movement sensors, GPS, glucometers, spirometers

#### Mobile technologies: interpretation and regulatory implications - from data to endpoints

- Reliability of measurements: accuracy, reproducibility, data source
- Challenges of interpretation creating meaningful endpoints: how patients feel and function



*Peter Stein,* CDER Office of New Drugs

PRO Consortium April 2019

# CPP Digital Drug Development Tools (3DT) Team



- A subset of CPP member organizations<sup>\*</sup> have convened to collaborate precompetitively with the goal of optimizing the efficiency of paths for developing digital tools for PD drug development.
- 3DT is leveraging a prospective study called WATCH-PD (Wearable Assessments in The Clinic and Home in PD), a 12-month multi-center, longitudinal, digital assessment study of PD progression in subjects with early, untreated PD as an exemplar pilot study to collect digital data in an early PD target population for the purpose of facilitating discussion and alignment with regulatory agencies.
- Face to face meetings with FDA and EMA have taken place and advice is being adopted into multiple digital device clinical studies

Biogen, Takeda, UCB, Merck, Roche, Lundbeck, GSK Academic advisors: University of Rochester, Rush University, Parkinson's UK, Michael J Fox Foundation

Ray Dorsey, Principal Investigator

### CPP's Early Interactions with FDA and EMA are Having Impact





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The Future Vision for Treating Nervous System Disorders



# Presymptomatic (normal) Prodromal Disease Manifest Disease We need to be here to treat the earliest stages of disease detected by more sensitive biomarkers Current biomarkers, existing COAs & approved treatments

#### The Progression of Chronic CNS Diseases

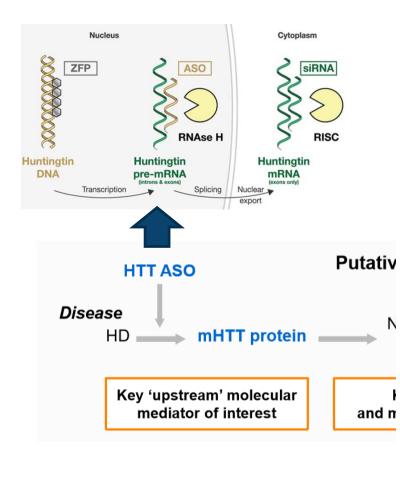
Stephenson and Arneric, Translational Medicine in CNS Drug Development

V29, Chapter 20 (Elsevier, Feltner and Nomikos Eds)

\*COA = clinical outcome assessments

#### Remarkable Advances in Huntington's Disease: A Flagship Disease for Early Intervention





#### Features

DRUG DEVELOPMENT

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C&EN April 2017

#### First agents to possibly slow or even reverse the disease enter clinical trials TABLE 1 | SELECT LIST OF POTENTIALLY DISEASE-MODIFYING HUNTINGTON DRUGS IN

Huntington's disease

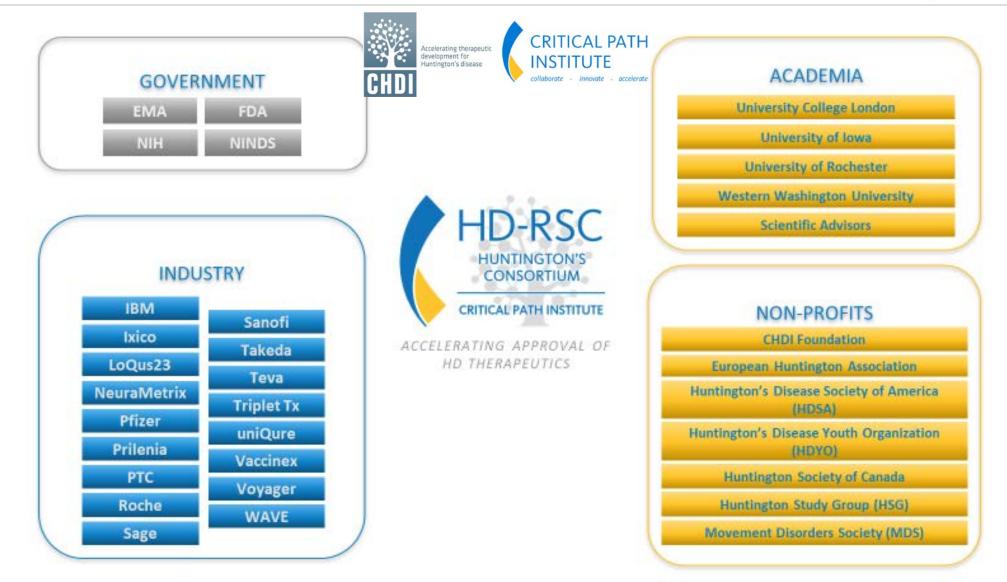
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	WVE- 120101	WAVE Life Sciences/Takeda	mHTT-lowering antisense	Phase I/II	
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# Huntington's Disease Regulatory Science Consortium







# REVIEWS

# Therapeutic approaches to Huntington disease: from the bench to the clinic

Nicholas S. Caron<sup>1</sup>, E. Ray Dorsey<sup>2</sup> and Michael R. Hayden<sup>1,3,4\*</sup>

Nat Rev Drug Discovery

"With clinical trials for many of these approaches imminent or currently ongoing, the coming years are promising not only for HD but also for more prevalent neurodegenerative disorders, such as Alzheimer and Parkinson disease, in which many of these pathways have been similarly implicated."



# Alzheimer's disease from researcher to caregiver: a personal journey and call to action

Expert Rev. Neurother. 14(5), 465-467 (2014)

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# Five-year view (2014): Still holds true today

- it is anticipated that the explosion in data sharing, big data and innovative technologies will positively impact AD drug development.
- Increased participation of **patients** and caregivers in drug development and growing investments in PPPs will improve the sense of global commitment and alignment of efforts.
- There is an urgent need for approval of new effective treatments to support continued investments by diverse stakeholders and a global need for aligning of efforts.
- With this call to action, it is my sincere hope that 25 years from now, my own children do not have to face the helplessness that this disease brings to all.

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