

Sponsor-Initiated Investigational Drug Applications (INDs)

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A large portion of original INDs received are from non-commercial sources

CDER ORIGINAL INDS RECEIVED

CALENDAR YEARS 1986 - 2008

Calendar Year	Commercial	Non-Commercial	Total
1986	332	1286	1618
1987	311	994	1305
1988	371	929	1300
1989	310	1004	1314
1990	382	1123	1505
1991	369	1661	2030
1992	370	2111	2481
1993	384	1848	2232
1994	341	1660	2001
1995	340	1394	1734
1996	389	1194	1583
1997	396	1186	1582
1998	441	1626	2067
1999	425	983	1408
2000	410	974	1384
2001	409	995	1404
2002	417	1338	1755
2003	391	972	1363
2004*	621	1216	1837
2005*	637	1297	1934
2006*	713	1150	1863
2007*	779	1810	2589
2008*	883	1156	2039

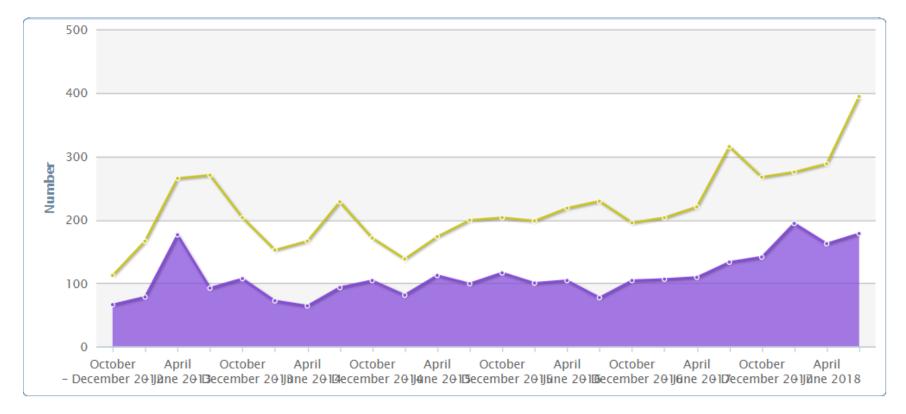
- ~80-90% of INDs are for noncommercial research
- Emergency use INDs
- Non-profits
- Academia
 - Sponsor-investigators

IND receipt figures exclude INDs meeting the requirements for exemption in accordance with 21 CFR 312.2(b)(4



^{*} Includes INDs for Therapeutic Biologic Products transferred from CBER to CDER

The number of original Investigational New Drug (IND) applications to the US FDA have been steadily rising from 2013-2018



 Knowing how to navigate through the submission process is key to prevent delaying your research!



Some definitions

- **Sponsor**: Responsible for and initiates a clinical investigation
 - Individual, pharmaceutical company, academic institutions, etc.
- Investigator: Individual who actually conducts the study
 - Under whose <u>immediate</u> direction the investigational drug is <u>administered</u> or <u>dispensed</u> to a subject
- <u>Sponsor-investigator</u>: Individual who both initiates and conducts an investigation and under who immediate direction the investigational drug is administered or dispensed
 - Does not include another entity other than an individual
 - Assumes responsibility as both sponsor and investigator; comply with FDA regulations as both
 - Submission and maintenance of an IND



The IND is intended to ensure that subjects will not face undue risk or harm

- Primary objective:
- 1) assure safety and rights of subjects in all phases of an investigation and
- 2) In phases 2 and 3, help ensure that the quality of the clinical trial is adequate to evaluate drug effectiveness and safety

Step 1: Do I need an IND?

- Research involves a <u>drug</u> (as defined by the FD&C Act)
- Research is a <u>clinical investigation</u> (as defined in the IND regulations)
- The clinical investigation is not otherwise <u>exempt</u> from the IND requirements
 - <u>Drug</u>: intended for use in the <u>diagnosis</u>, <u>cure</u>, <u>mitigation</u>, <u>treatment</u> or <u>prevention</u> of disease
 - <u>Clinical investigation</u>: an <u>experiment</u> where drug administered/dispensed or used in one or more human subjects
 - Randomized trial evaluating an unapproved marketed drug vs. use of a marketed drug for an unapproved use in practice
- If all 3 apply... then yes, you need an IND!



Broad examples of various types of clinical research which may require an IND as a sponsor-investigator

- Clinical investigation using marketed drugs
- Studies using radiolabeled or cold isotopes
- Studies that may not necessarily be therapeutic, but affect bodily structure & function
 - Studies using endogenous compounds
 - Pathogenesis studies using modified organisms
- Studies using dietary supplements or foods
 - If they fall under the category by definition as a "drug"
- Bioequivalence/bioavailability studies (BA/BE studies)
 - May be exempt if certain criteria are met

Step 2a: How do I prepare for my initial IND submission?

- Sponsor-investigator information
- Investigator's brochure
- Clinical trial protocol
- Chemistry, manufacturing, and control (CMC) information
- Pharmacology & toxicology
- Summary of previous human experience
- * In most cases (for marketed Rx or non-Rx drugs) information is provided in the product labeling
- ** In other instances (e.g. CMC) the commercial sponsor can provide sponsor-investigator with a letter to cross-reference an existing IND, NDA, or BLA



Step 2b: The FDA is huge... where do I submit (or call for help?)

- Find out who the appropriate center and review division are at the FDA
- Center for Drug Evaluation and Research (CDER)
 - Review for most drugs and biologics located in the Office of New Drugs (OND)
- Center for Biologics Evaluation and Research (CBER)
 - Review divisions for blood products, cellular, tissue, gene therapies, and vaccines

Step 2b: The FDA is huge... where do I submit (or call for help?)

CENTER FOR DRUG EVALUATION AND RESEARCH PRE-IND Consultation Contacts

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Division of Hematology, Oncology, Toxicology

(Please reference any of the point of contacts listed above.)



Step 3: I have all my documents and contacts how do I prepare for submission?

- Step 3a: Prepare required forms
 - Form FDA 1571 Investigational New Drug Application
 - Sponsor-investigator's agreement to refrain from starting the study until 30 days
 - Form FDA 1572 Statement of Investigator
 - Sponsor-investigator agrees to comply with protocol, informed consent, IRB review, recordkeeping & AE reporting
 - IRB approval does not need to be obtained before IND submission; signature on form 1572 is a commitment to IRB approval
 - Form FDA 3674 Certification of Compliance
 - Require sponsor-investigator to register trials and submit results to clinicaltrials.gov



Form 1571- Sponsor-investigator's agreement

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Sponsor Address Address 1 (Street address, P.O. box, company name c/o) Address 2 (Apartment, suite, unit, building, floor, etc.) City State/Province/Region Country ZiP or Postal Name of Drug (Include all available names: Trade, Generic, Chemical, or	3. Introductory statement (21 CFR 312.23(a)(3)) 4. General Investigational plan (21 CFR 312.23(a)(3)) 5. Investigator's brochure (21 CFR 312.23(a)(5)) 6. Protocol (21 CFR 312.23(a)(6)) a. Study protocol (21 CFR 312.23(a)(6)) b. Investigator data (21 CFR 312.23(a)(6)(iii)(b)) or completed Form FDA 1572	(b)) or completed Form FDA 1572 7. Chemistry, manufacturing, and control data (21 CFR 312.23(a)(7)) Environmental assessment or claim for exclusion (21 CFR 312.23(a)(7)(iv)(e)) 8. Pharmacology and toxicology data (21 CFR 312.23(a)(8)) 9. Previous human experience (21 CFR 312.23(a)(9)) 10. Additional information (21 CFR 312.23(a)(10)) 11. Biosimilar User Fee Cover Sheet (Form FDA 3792)
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Form 1572 & 3674- Sponsor-investigator's statement & NCT registration

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Under 42 U.S.C. § 282(j)(5)(B), with Requirements of ClinicalTrials.gov Data Bank

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Step 3: I have all my documents and contacts how do I prepare for submission?

- Regulatory checklist
 - Forms 1571, 1572, & 3674
 - Cover letter
 - Table of Contents
 - Introductory statement and general investigational plan
 - Investigator's Brochure
 - Protocol
 - CMC
 - Statement on drug packaging for "Caution New Drug Limited by Federal (or United States) law to investigational use"
 - Statement requesting categorical exclusion from an environmental assessment
 - Pharmacology & Toxicology
 - Previous human experience with the investigational drug
 - Other important information
 - Drug dependence & abuse potential



Cover letter and table of contents

[Month XX, 201X]

Food and Drug Administration Center for Drug Evaluation and Research Division of [Therapeutic Area] Central Document Room 5901-B Ammendale Rd. Beltsville, MD 20705-1266

RE: Initial Investigator New Drug Application Serial Number 0000

Dear Dr. [Division Director]:

We are submitting this initial application for a Sponsor-Investigator IND. We propose to evaluate [Drug generic name (Trade Name*)] under this IND for safety and efficacy for the treatment of [disease or condition].

This submission also contains the initial study protocol [Study Number] Protocol v. 1.0] entitled, "[XXX]." Approximately [XX] patients will be enrolled in this study.

[A brief description of the protocol]

[If applicable, Pharmaceutical Company] has agreed to provide study drug [XXX] for the duration of the above referenced research study at no charge to the study participants or to their insurance providers. In addition, they have provided a letter authorizing the FDA to refer to all relevant data included in their IND #[XXX].

If you have any questions regarding this submission, please contact myself or [Name of Sub-Investigator, MD] at [phone number] or [email address]. Dr. [Name of Sub-Investigator] can act on my behalf on any issue relating to this IND.

Per 21 CFR 312.20, please find three copies (1 original and 2 photocopies) of

- Investigational New Drug Application for [title of the study].
- Form FDA 1571

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REMEMBER!

- Send <u>3 paper copies</u> of your IND (1 original, 2 copies)
- Can send a compact disk/USB drive to supplement paper copies
- Divide submission with tabs and not colored paper
- Be available for discussions via the phone
- The FDA has <u>30 days</u> from the date of receipt to review the application
 - Within that time a project manager is assigned and review team assembled
 - Safe to proceed or clinical hold
- Snail-mail via USPS to the appropriate center or review division
 - Electronic communications require certification

Summary Roadmap to submitting a sponsor-investigator IND

