
Pipeline Preview 2019

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Introduction

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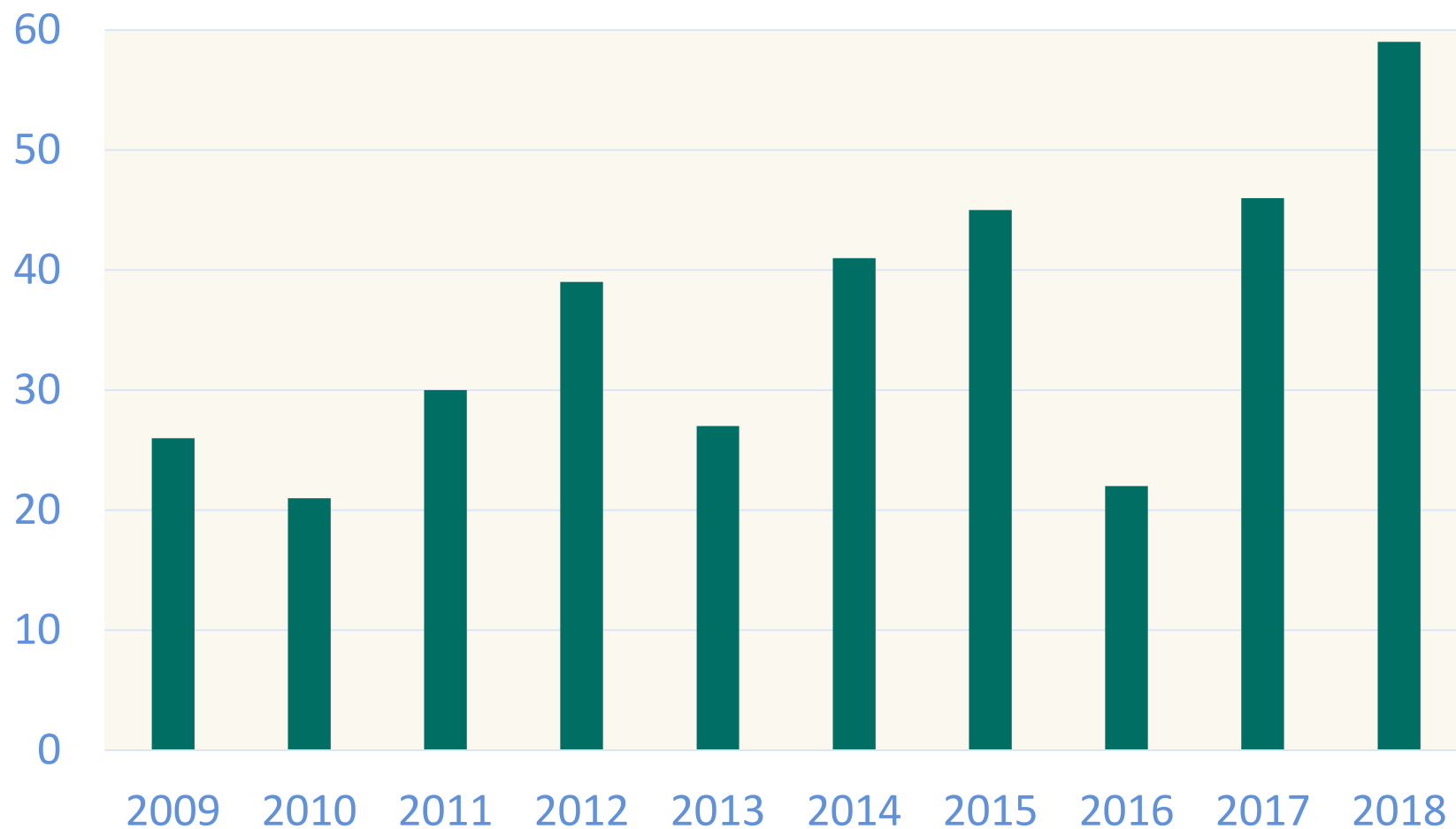
Objectives

By the end of this presentation, you should be able to...

1. Describe recent trends in the FDA approval process
2. Summarize late-stage pipeline agents across key therapeutic categories
3. Identify generic equivalents for commonly used brand-name products that will be introduced to the market over the next two years

Pipeline Trends

FDA-Approved Novel Drugs



Pipeline Trends

Themes of 2019

- **Number of novel drug approvals* remain high:** following a record-setting year in 2017, the FDA approved 59 novel drugs in 2018
 - Don't rely too much on those Advisory Committee decisions though...
- **Gene therapy is coming:** first two products already approved
 - FDA created regenerative medicine advanced therapy (RMAT) designation
 - Hemophilia expected to be next big market
 - And we thought paying for “normal” drugs was getting difficult...

Immunology

Pipeline Trends

- **Robust pipeline:** >10 NMEs approved in 2018
 - Efforts appear consistent across psoriasis, rheumatoid arthritis, inflammatory bowel disease, lupus, and many other indications
- **Biosimilar market is expanding despite uncertainty:** 17 agents currently approved
 - FDA issues final guidance on interchangeability
- **Immunotherapy to counter select allergens:** potential for first FDA-approved treatment for peanut allergies

Immunology

Biosimilar Pipeline*

Product Name	Anticipated Biosimilar Launch
Mvasi [®] (bevacizumab-awwb)	7/2019
Ogivri [®] (trastuzumab-dkst)	Late 2019
Truxima [®] (rituximab-abbs)	Late 2019
Ontruzant [®] (trastuzumab-dttb)	12/2019-2020
Amjevita [®] (adalimumab-atto)	1/31/2023
Cyltezo [®] (adalimumab-adbm)	7/1/2023
Hymrioz [®] (adalimumab-adaz)	9/20/2023
Erelzi [®] (etanercept-szsz)	No launch estimate available

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* All agents listed have FDA approval and are awaiting launch

Immunology

Agents in Development: Allergies

- **AR101**

- Oral, peanut protein capsule
- Seeking approval for the treatment of peanut allergies in children 4-17 years of age
- Phase III **PALISADE trial** (N=551):
 - **67.2%** were able to ingest 600 mg or more of peanut protein (vs. **4.0%** in placebo group)
- FDA decision expected by **1/2020**

- **Also in development:**

- Viaskin Milk – patch; phase II
- Viaskin Peanut – patch; **BLA resubmission expected in 2019**

Immunology

Agents in Development: Rheumatoid Arthritis

- **Upadacitinib**

- Oral, inhibitor of Janus kinase 1 (JAK-1)
- Seeking approval for moderate to severe RA
- Phase III **SELECT trial** program:
 - ACR20 achieved by **56-66%** of patients (vs **28-36%** with placebo)
- FDA decision expected **3Q2019**
 - Also in development for: ankylosing spondylitis, atopic dermatitis, Crohn's disease, psoriatic arthritis, ulcerative colitis

- **Also in development:**

- Filgotinib – oral, JAK-1 inhibitor: **NDA expected in 2019**
- Piclidenoson – oral, A3 adenosine receptor agonist (A3AR): Phase III

Immunology

Agents in Development: Atopic Dermatitis and Psoriasis

Agent Name	Details	Also in Development For	Status	
Atopic Dermatitis	Abrocitinib	Oral; targets JAK-1	N/A	Phase III
	Tradipitant	Oral, neurokinin 1 receptor antagonist	pruritis, emesis	Phase III
	Tralokinumab	SC; targets IL-13	asthma	Phase III
Psoriasis	Bimekizumab	IV, targets IL-17	psoriatic arthritis, axSpa, hidradenitis suppurativa	Phase III
	BMS-986165	Oral; tyrosine kinase 2 inhibitor	Crohn's disease, psoriatic arthritis, SLE, UC	Phase III
	Mirikizumab	IV and SC; targets IL-23	Crohn's disease, UC	Phase III

Cardiovascular Pipeline Trends

- **Development is picking up pace:** this could be an interesting area of the pipeline to watch
 - Developments continue in **lipid-lowering**, heart failure, and more
 - Vascepa (icosapent ethyl) expecting FDA decision on sNDA based on findings of REDUCE-IT trial
- **PCSK9 inhibitors:** cost, outcomes, access, and patents
 - What targets come after PCSK9?

Cardiovascular Generic Pipeline

Product Name	Anticipated Generic Entry
Brilinta [®] (ticagrelor)	7/2021*
Bystolic [®] (nebivolol)	9/2021*
Pradaxa [®] (dabigatran)	12/2021*
Livalo [®] (pitavastatin)	5/2023*
Xarelto [®] (rivaroxaban)	8/2024*
Multaq [®] (dronedarone)	4/2029*
Eliquis [®] (apixaban)	2/2031*

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Cardiovascular

Agents in Development: Lipid-lowering

- **Bempedoic Acid**

- Oral, once-daily – alone and in FDC with ezetimibe
- Inhibits ATP-citrate lyase
- Seeking approval for the treatment of hyperlipidemia
- Phase III **CLEAR** clinical trial program is ongoing
 - ↓ LDL **18-31%** (alone or added to background statin)
 - ↓ LDL as much as **64%** when used in combination with ezetimibe and background statin therapy
- FDA decision expected **2/2020**

- **Also in development**

- Inclisiran – SC, once every 3 months; Phase III

Cardiovascular

Agents in Development: Lipid-lowering

	Agent Name	Details	In Development For
Phase III	Dalcetrapib	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Oral• CETP inhibitor	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cardiovascular event risk reduction in patients with recent ACS
	Evinacumab	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• SC and IV• Inhibitor of angiopoietin-like protein 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• HoFH, HeFH, severe hypertriglyceridemia
Phase II	Gemcabene	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Oral• Facilitates clearance of VLDL and inhibits production of cholesterol and triglycerides in the liver	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Severe hypertriglyceridemia, NASH, FH, and atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease
	Resmetirom [MGL-3196]	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Oral• Thyroid hormone receptor β-selective agonist	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dyslipidemias and NASH

Endocrine

Pipeline Trends

- **Insulin pricing:** average cost of insulin estimated to have tripled between 2002 and 2013
 - Where are the generics? (*authorized generics don't count*)
- **Building on the foundation of existing treatment options:** efforts focus on refining existing mechanisms of action
 - Dual SGLT1 and 2 inhibition, oxyntomodulins, and “twincretins”
- **NASH treatments are on the way:** several agents in development – but can they improve outcomes?

Endocrine

Generic Pipeline

Product Name	Anticipated Generic Entry
Avandia [®] (rosiglitazone)	10/2020
Januvia [®] (sitagliptin)	7/2022*
Janumet [®] (sitagliptin/metformin)	7/2022*
Janumet XR [®] (sitagliptin/metformin ER)	7/2022*
Onglyza [®] (saxagliptin)	7/2023*
Qysmia [®] (phentermine/topiramate ER)	12/2024*
Tradjenta [®] (linagliptin)	5/2027*
Nesina [®] (alogliptin)	6/2028

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Endocrine

Agents in Development: Diabetes

- **Tirzepatide [LY3298176]**

- SC, once-weekly
- Dual glucose-dependent insulinotropic polypeptide and GLP-1 receptor agonist (“twincretin”)
- Phase III studies began in late 2018
- Phase II: ↓ A1C from baseline **1.1%-2.4%**; weight loss of ~**11-25** lbs

- **Also in development:**

- Oxyntomodulins
 - SAR425899 – SC, once-daily; *suspended due to GI toxicity*
 - MEDI0382 – SC, once-daily; phase II
 - Pegapamodutide – SC, once-weekly; phase II

Endocrine

Agents in Development: Diabetes

- **Sotagliflozin (Zynquista™)**
 - Oral, once-daily
 - Inhibits SGLT1 and SGLT2
 - **SGLT1:** regulates glucose absorption and incretin hormone release in the GI tract
 - **SGLT2:** helps regulate glucose reabsorption in the kidneys
 - Phase III **InTandem trials:** type 1 diabetes
 - ↓ A1C from baseline **0.25-0.31%** (placebo-adjusted, $p < 0.001$)
 - ↓ daily bolus insulin use by **~5.5-15.3%**
 - FDA issued a Complete Response Letter **3/22/2019**
 - Phase III studies in type 2 diabetes

Endocrine

Agents in Development: Diabetes

Class	Agent Name	Details	Status
GLP-1 Analogs	Semaglutide	Oral, once-daily	FDA decision expected 9/20/2019
	ITCA-650	SC, implantable pump	NDA resubmission expected mid-2019
	Efpeglenatide	SC, once-weekly	Phase III
SGLT2	Bexagliflozin	Oral, once-daily	NDA possible 1H2020

Endocrine

Agents in Development: Diabetes

Class	Agent Name	Details	Status
Insulin	Follow-on insulin glargine <i>(by Mylan and Biocon)</i>	Long-acting	CRL issued 6/2018
	Ultra rapid lispro (URLi)	Ultra-rapid	NDA expected in 2019
	Follow-on insulin glargine <i>(by Gan and Lee)</i>	Long-acting	Phase III
	Follow-on insulin aspart <i>(by Mylan and Biocon)</i>	Rapid-acting	Phase III
	Insulin tregopil	Oral; rapid-acting	Phase II/III
	ORMD-0801	Oral; regular insulin	Phase II

Endocrine

Agents in Development: NASH

- **Nonalcoholic fatty liver disease (NAFLD)**
 - Classified as either:
 - **Nonalcoholic fatty liver (NAFL)** – no inflammation present
 - **Nonalcoholic steatohepatitis (NASH)** – inflammation present, may cause damage to liver cells
 - NAFLD estimated to affect **30-40%** of US population
 - **3-12%** have NASH
 - Likely asymptomatic
 - NAFLD may not result in complications; NASH may result in **cirrhosis** and **liver failure**
 - Treatment options are currently limited

Endocrine

Agents in Development: NASH

Agent Name	Details	Status
Belapectin [GR-MD-02]	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• IV, every other week• Targets galectin-3	Phase III
Cenicriviroc	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Oral, once-daily• Inhibits CCR2 and CCR5	Phase III
Elafibranor	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Oral, once-daily• Dual agonist of the PPARα and PPARδ	Phase III
Obeticholic acid	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Oral, once-daily• selective farnesoid X receptor (FXR) agonist	Phase III
Resmetirom [MGL-3196]	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Oral, once-daily• Thyroid hormone receptor β-selective agonist	Phase III
Selonsertib	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Oral, once-daily• ASK-1 inhibitor	Phase III

Infectious Diseases

Pipeline Trends

- **HIV treatment options continue to expand:** new options and new mechanisms result in shift in treatment guidelines
- **Concerns mount regarding scope of antimicrobial resistance:** how to incentivize drugs in light of development paradox
 - FDA announces 2019 strategic approach for combating antimicrobial resistance

Infectious Diseases

Generic Pipeline

Product Name	Anticipated Generic Entry
Factive [®] (gemifloxacin)	9/2019
Moxeza [®] (moxifloxacin ophthalmic solution)	3/2020*
Kaletra [®] (lopinavir/ritonavir)	11/2020
Mycamine [®] (micafungin)	1/2021*
Selzentry [®] (maraviroc)	8/2021*
Atripla [®] (efavirenz/emtricitabine/tenofovir disoproxil fumarate)	9/2021*
Emtriva [®] (emtricitabine)	9/2021
Truvada [®] (emtricitabine/tenofovir disoproxil)	9/2021

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Infectious Diseases

Agents in Development: HIV Treatment and Prevention

Agent Name	Details	Status
Tenofovir alafenamide + emtricitabine (Descovy®)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Oral, once-daily• Seeking approval for pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP)• Reverse transcriptase inhibitor + NRTI	FDA decision expected 10/5/2019
Cabotegravir + rilpivirine	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• IM, every 4-8 weeks• Oral tablet for lead-in treatment also under review• Integrase inhibitor + NNRTI	FDA decision expected 12/29/2019
Fostemsavir	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Oral, twice-daily• Attachment inhibitor	NDA submission expected before end of 2019
Leronlimab [PRO 140]	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• SC, once-weekly• Viral entry inhibitor (targets CCR5)• In development as an add-on to ART to treat resistance as well as a monotherapy agent for maintenance of remission	Rolling BLA submission expected to be complete by 3Q2019

Central Nervous System

Pipeline Trends

- **Depression treatment:** spotlight on ketamine-like drugs and the NMDA receptor
 - Does psilocybin also have a role to play?
 - First agent approved to treat postpartum depression
- **CGRPs and migraine treatment:** from migraine prevention to acute migraine treatment
- **Opioid crisis and pain management:** growing need to move beyond opioids
 - FDA hoping to facilitate OTC transition for naloxone
 - Alzheimer's Disease: development continues to be unsuccessful

Central Nervous System Generic Pipeline

Product Name	Anticipated Generic Entry
Edluar [®] (zolpidem SL)	9/2019
Silenor [®] (doxepin)	1/2020*
Chantix [®] (varenicline)	5/2020
Ofirmev [®] (acetaminophen injection)	12/2020
Saphris [®] (asenapine)	12/2020
Zomig [®] (zolmitriptan nasal spray)	5/2021
Fycompa [®] (perampanel)	6/2021
Vimpat [®] (lacosamide)	3/2022

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Central Nervous System

Agents in Development: Depression

	Agent Name	Details	Status
Other	Buprenorphine + samidorphan [ALKS-5461]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Oral, once-daily Partial mu-receptor agonist and kappa-receptor antagonist + mu-receptor antagonist 	2/4/2019 FDA issues Complete Response Letter
N-methyl-D-aspartate (NMDA)	Bupropion + dextromethorphan [AXS-05]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Oral, once-daily Antagonist 	NDA expected in 2020
	Rapastinel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> IV, every 1-2 weeks Partial agonist 	Phase III; results expected in 2019
	Apimostinel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Oral, once-daily Partial agonist 	Phase II
	AV-101	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Oral, once-daily Inhibits glycine B receptor 	Phase II

Central Nervous System

Agents in Development: Bipolar Disorder + Schizophrenia

Agent Name	Details	Status
Ketamine [NRX-100] & D-cycloserine + lurasidone [NRX-101]	<ul style="list-style-type: none">NRX-100: IV, single infusionNRX-101: oral, once-dailyNMDA antagonists (plus antagonist at D2-5HT2A)	Phase III
Samidorphan + olanzapine [ALKS 3831]	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Oral, once-dailymu-receptor antagonist + atypical antipsychoticAlso in development for schizophrenia	NDA expected in 4Q2019
Lumateperone	<ul style="list-style-type: none">IV, OralAtypical antipsychotic that modulates serotonin, dopamine, and glutamateAlso in development for bipolar disorder	FDA decision on NDA (schizophrenia) expected 12/27/2019
HP-3070	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Transdermal patch containing asenapineAtypical antipsychotic	FDA decision expected 10/2019

Central Nervous System

Agents in Development: Migraine

	Agent Name	Use	Dosing	Status
CGRP Inhibitors	Eptinezumab	Prevention	IV, every 3 months	FDA decision expected 2/2020
	Ubrogepant	Acute treatment	Oral	FDA decision expected in 12/2019
	Rimegepant	Acute treatment	Oral	FDA decision expected 2/2020
	Atogepant	Prevention	Oral, once-daily	Phase III
Triptans	Rizatriptan oral film (Rizaport)	Acute treatment	Oral film	Response to CRL expected in 3Q2019
	Lasmiditan	Acute treatment	Oral	FDA decision expected 11/2019
	Meloxicam + rizatriptan	Acute treatment	Oral	NDA expected in 1H2020
	Zolmitriptan (Qtrypta)	Acute treatment	Microneedle system	NDA expected in 4Q2019

Central Nervous System

Agents in Development: Opioid Use Disorder

- **Buprenorphine depot [CAM2038] (Brixadi)**
 - SC, once-monthly and once-weekly
 - Also in development for the treatment of chronic low back pain
 - Phase III trials
 - Demonstrated **superiority vs sublingual buprenorphine** on % of illicit opioid-negative urine tests and self-reports over 24 weeks
 - FDA granted tentative approval **12/23/2018**
- **Also in development:**
 - Pre-filled naloxone syringe – FDA decision expected **10/2019**
 - Intranasal naloxone – FDA decision expected **3/2020**

Central Nervous System

Agents in Development: Pain

- **Tanezumab**

- SC, nerve growth factor inhibitor
- In development for the treatment of osteoarthritis pain, chronic low back pain, cancer pain
- **Potential safety concern within class:** joint damage
- Phase III trials are ongoing
 - BLA possible in **4Q2019-early 2020**

- **Also in development:**

- Fasinumab – SC; phase III

Central Nervous System

Agents in Development: Pain (Opioids)

Agent Name	Details	Status
Oliceridine (Olinvo™)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> IV, mu-receptor G protein pathway selective modulator Seeking approval for: moderate-to-acute pain 	Response to CRL possible in early 2020
NKTR-181	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Oral, full mu-opioid receptor agonist In development for: the treatment of moderate-to-severe chronic low back pain 	FDA Decision Expected by 8/29/2019
Difelikefalin [CR-845] (Korsuva™)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Oral and IV, peripheral kappa opioid receptor agonist In development for: acute and chronic pain 	Phase III; <i>oral formulation in Phase II</i>
Tramadol	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> IV, selective mu-opioid receptor agonist In development for: moderate-to-moderately-severe postoperative pain 	NDA expected in 12/2019

Central Nervous System

Agents in Development: Pain (Non-Opioids)

Agent Name	Details	Status
Meloxicam	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> IV and IM, COX-2 inhibitor In development for: moderate to severe pain 	3/22/2019 FDA issued CRL
HTX-011 (bupivacaine and meloxicam)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Local application to surgical site, local anesthetic and anti-inflammatory In development for: reduce postoperative pain and the need for opioid analgesics for 72 hours 	4/30/2019 FDA issued CRL
CNTX -4975	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Intra-articular injection, targets capsaicin receptor In development for: osteoarthritis pain 	Phase III
Disodium zoledronate tetrahydrate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Oral, osteoclast inhibitor In development for: treatment of CRPS, knee osteoarthritis, and chronic lower back pain 	Phase III
SP-102	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Epidural injection, non-opioid steroid injection In development for: management of sciatica 	Phase III

Pipeline Trends

But what about...

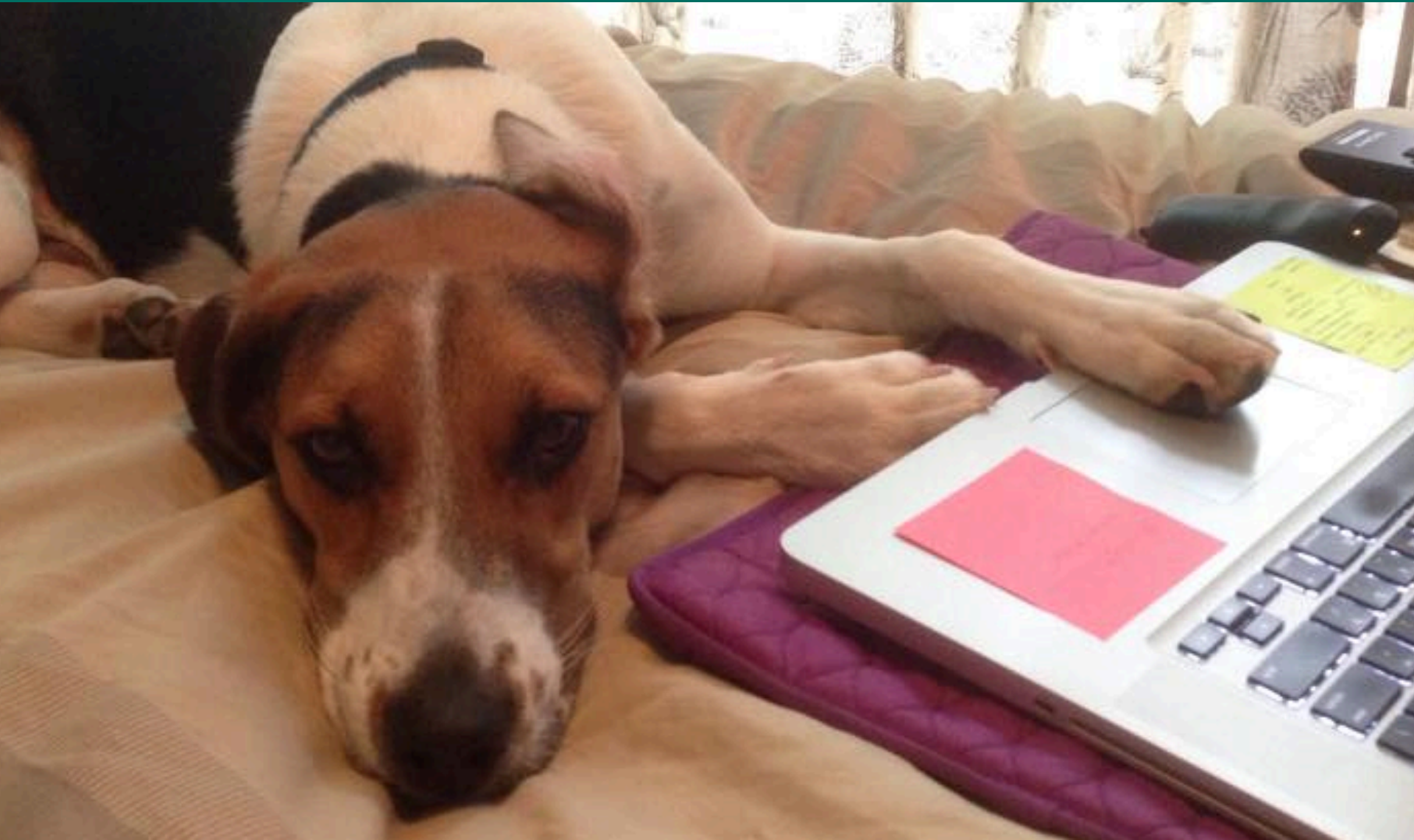
- Brolucizumab
- Crizanlizumab
- DS-8201
- Elexacaftor + tezacaftor + ivacaftor
- Enfortumab Vedotin
- Golodirsen
- Idecabtagene vicleucel (“Ide-cel”)
- Lentiviral beta-globin gene transfer (Zynteglo)
- Lisocabtagene maraleucel (“Liso-cel”)
- Luspatercept
- Ozanimod
- Ponesimod
- Relugolix
- Voxelotor

Pipeline Trends

Conclusions

- **The pipeline is getting harder to summarize and generalize:** orphan and specialty drugs are likely to be new normal
 - Don't forget about gene and cell therapies
- **Treatments are coming in all shapes and sizes:** keep an open mind
 - Cannabinoids for seizures, ketamine for depression, or long-acting injectables for HIV, potential cures
- **Drug pricing continues to be a concern:** cost is a crucial element in risk-benefit evaluations

Questions?



Pipeline Trends

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