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# Regulación de terapias avanzadas En la UE



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# Regulation (EC) No 1394/2007

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REGULATION (EC) No 1394/2007 OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL

of 13 November 2007

on advanced therapy medicinal products and amending Directive 2001/83/EC  
and Regulation (EC) No 726/2004

(Text with EEA relevance)

Specific rules regarding the authorisation, supervision and pharmacovigilance  
of ATMPs

# Regulation (EC) No 1394/2007

- (a) 'Advanced therapy medicinal product' means any of the following medicinal products for human use:
- a gene therapy medicinal product as defined in Part IV of Annex I to Directive 2001/83/EC,
  - a somatic cell therapy medicinal product as defined in Part IV of Annex I to Directive 2001/83/EC,
  - a tissue engineered product as defined in point (b).

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## DIRECTIVES

**COMMISSION DIRECTIVE 2009/120/EC**

**of 14 September 2009**

**amending Directive 2001/83/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on the Community code relating to medicinal products for human use as regards advanced therapy medicinal products**

(Text with EEA relevance)

# scope

Advanced therapy medicinal products which are intended to be placed **on the market in Member States** and either **prepared industrially** or manufactured by a method involving an industrial process (Title II of Directive 2001/83).

# scope

**EXCLUDED** from the scope of this Regulation:

advanced therapy medicinal products which are prepared on

- a non-routine basis according to specific quality standards,
- used within the same Member State in a hospital,
- under the exclusive professional responsibility of a medical practitioner in order to comply with an individual medical prescription for a custom made product for an individual patient

# Key principles of the proposal

For products within the scope:

- Marketing authorisation required
- Demonstration of Quality, Safety & Efficacy
- Post-authorisation vigilance of S & E
- Centralised procedure mandatory

# EL PROCEDIMIENTO CENTRALIZADO





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### **Centralised procedure**

The European Medicines Agency is responsible for the centralised procedure (also known as the 'Community authorisation procedure'). This procedure results in a single marketing authorisation (called a 'Community marketing authorisation') that is valid across the European Union. The centralised procedure is compulsory for human medicines that are:

- derived from biotechnology processes, such as genetic engineering;
- advanced-therapy medicines, such as gene-therapy, somatic cell-therapy or tissue-engineered medicines;
- intended for the treatment of HIV/Aids, cancer, diabetes, neurodegenerative disorders, autoimmune diseases and other immune dysfunctions, or viral diseases;
- officially designated 'orphan medicines' (medicines used for rare diseases).

For medicines that do not fall within these categories, companies may submit an application for a centralised marketing authorisation to the EMEA, as long as the medicine concerned is a significant therapeutic, scientific or technical innovation, or if its authorisation would be in the interest of public health.

Applications through the centralised procedure are submitted directly to the EMEA. Evaluation by the Agency's relevant scientific committee takes up to 210 days at the end of which the committee adopts an opinion on whether the medicine should be marketed or not. This opinion is then transmitted to the European Commission, which issues a formal decision on the authorisation of the product.

Once a Community marketing authorisation has been granted, the marketing-authorisation holder can begin to make the medicine available to patients and healthcare professionals in all EU countries.



### **Decentralised procedure**

Using the decentralised procedure, companies may apply for simultaneous authorisation in more than one EU country of medicinal products that have not yet been authorised in any EU country and that do not fall within the mandatory scope of the centralised procedure.

### **Mutual-recognition procedure**

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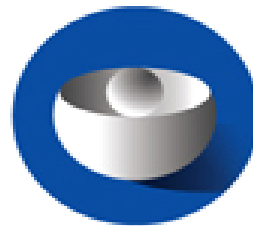
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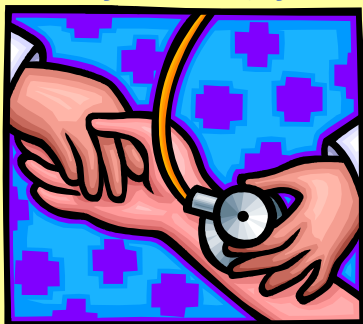
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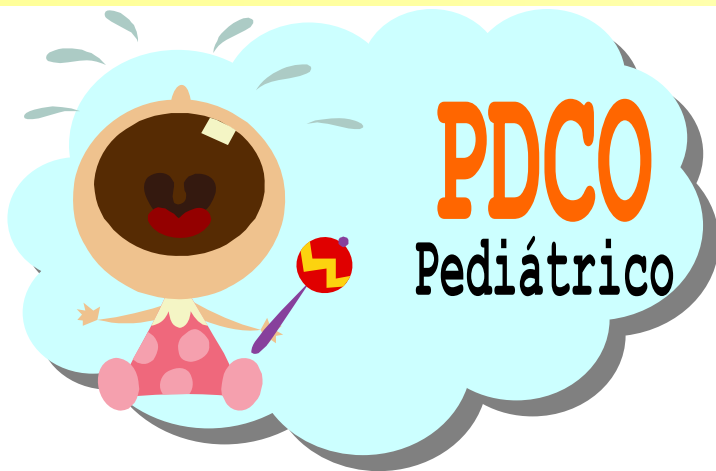


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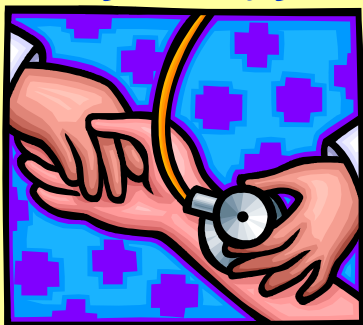


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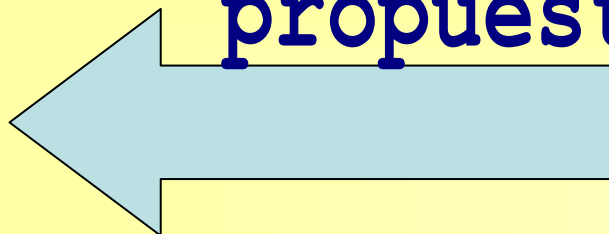
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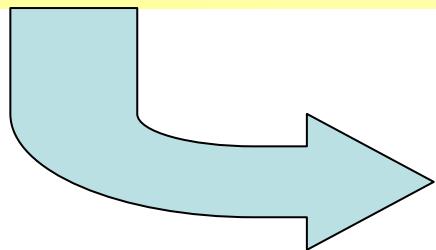


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## The European Medicines Agency marks its 15th anniversary with a short film

Published 26/01/2010

Inaugurated on 26 January 1995, the European Medicines Agency has now been working with its partners in the EU Member States to promote and protect human and animal health across the European Union for 15 years.

As part of its 15th anniversary celebrations, the Agency has commissioned a short film that provides a flavour of the ever-evolving environment in which it operates.

[Watch the 5-minute film](#) (30MB )

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# Meeting highlights from the Committee for Medicinal Products for Human Use (CHMP)

15-18 February 2010

## 5th pandemic vaccine recommended for approval

The Agency's Committee for Medicinal Products for Human Use (CHMP) recommended the granting of a conditional marketing authorisation for a fifth pandemic vaccine, **Humenza** (split virion, inactivated, AF03 adjuvanted influenza H1N1 pandemic vaccine), from Sanofi Pasteur SA, intended for the prophylaxis of influenza in an officially declared pandemic situation. This recommendation was made using an emergency procedure which fast-tracks evaluation of new vaccines developed during a pandemic.

More information on pandemic medicines is available in a separate [press release](#).

## Other positive opinions for new medicines adopted

The Committee adopted a positive opinion, recommending the granting of a conditional marketing authorisation, for **Votrient** (pazopanib), from Glaxo Group Ltd, intended for the treatment of patients with advanced renal cell carcinoma. The review for Votrient began on 25 March 2009 with an active review time of 210 days. Votrient is the **63rd orphan medicinal product** to receive a positive opinion by the CHMP.

A marketing authorisation under conditional approval means that further evidence on the medicinal product is awaited. In the case of Votrient this relates to clinical data of pazopanib in comparison with sunitinib in the treatment of patients with advanced renal cell carcinoma. The European Medicines Agency will review new information within one year and update the product information as necessary.

*The summaries of opinion for this medicine, including the full indication, can be found [here](#).*



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## EPARs for authorised medicinal products for human use

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### A

Name	INN	Revision	Published	Additional Information
<a href="#">Abilify</a>	INN: aripiprazole	Rev. 19	21/12/09	
<a href="#">Abraxane</a>	INN: paclitaxel (as paclitaxel albumin)	Rev. 3	20/08/09	
<a href="#">Abseamed</a>	INN: recombinant human erythropoietin alfa	Rev. 8	04/02/10	
<a href="#">Aclasta</a>	INN: zoledronic acid	Rev. 9	08/07/09	
<a href="#">Acomplia</a>	INN: rimonabant	Rev. 8	30/01/09	<a href="#">Marketing authorisation withdrawn (30/01/09)</a> <a href="#">Press Release (23/10/08)</a> and <a href="#">Questions and Answers Press Release (19/07/07)</a>

## Product Overview

### Name of the Medicinal Product

ChondroCelect

### Marketing

#### Authorisation Holder

TiGenix NV  
Romeinse straat 12 bus  
2  
BE-3001 Leuven  
Belgium

### Active Substance

characterised viable  
autologous cartilage cells  
expanded ex vivo  
expressing specific  
marker proteins

### International Nonproprietary Name or Common Name

characterised viable  
autologous cartilage cells  
expanded ex vivo  
expressing specific  
marker proteins

### Pharmaco- therapeutic Group

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### ATC Code

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### Therapeutic Indication

Repair of single  
symptomatic cartilage  
defects of the femoral  
condyle of the knee  
(International Cartilage  
Repair Society [ICRS]  
grade III or IV) in  
adults. Concomitant  
asymptomatic cartilage  
lesions (ICRS grade I or  
II) might be present.  
Demonstration of

## ChondroCelect European Public Assessment Report

Published 16/11/09

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### Product Information\*

05/10/2009 ChondroCelect-H-C-878-00-00

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### Conditions imposed on member states for safe and effective use

05/10/2009

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(\*)This document includes:

Annex I - Summary of product Characteristics

Annex IIA - Manufacturing Authorisation Holder responsible for Batch Release

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MT = Malti  
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SK = slovenčina  
SL = slovenščina  
FI = suomi  
SV = svenska



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## ASSESSMENT REPORT

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**ChondroCelect**

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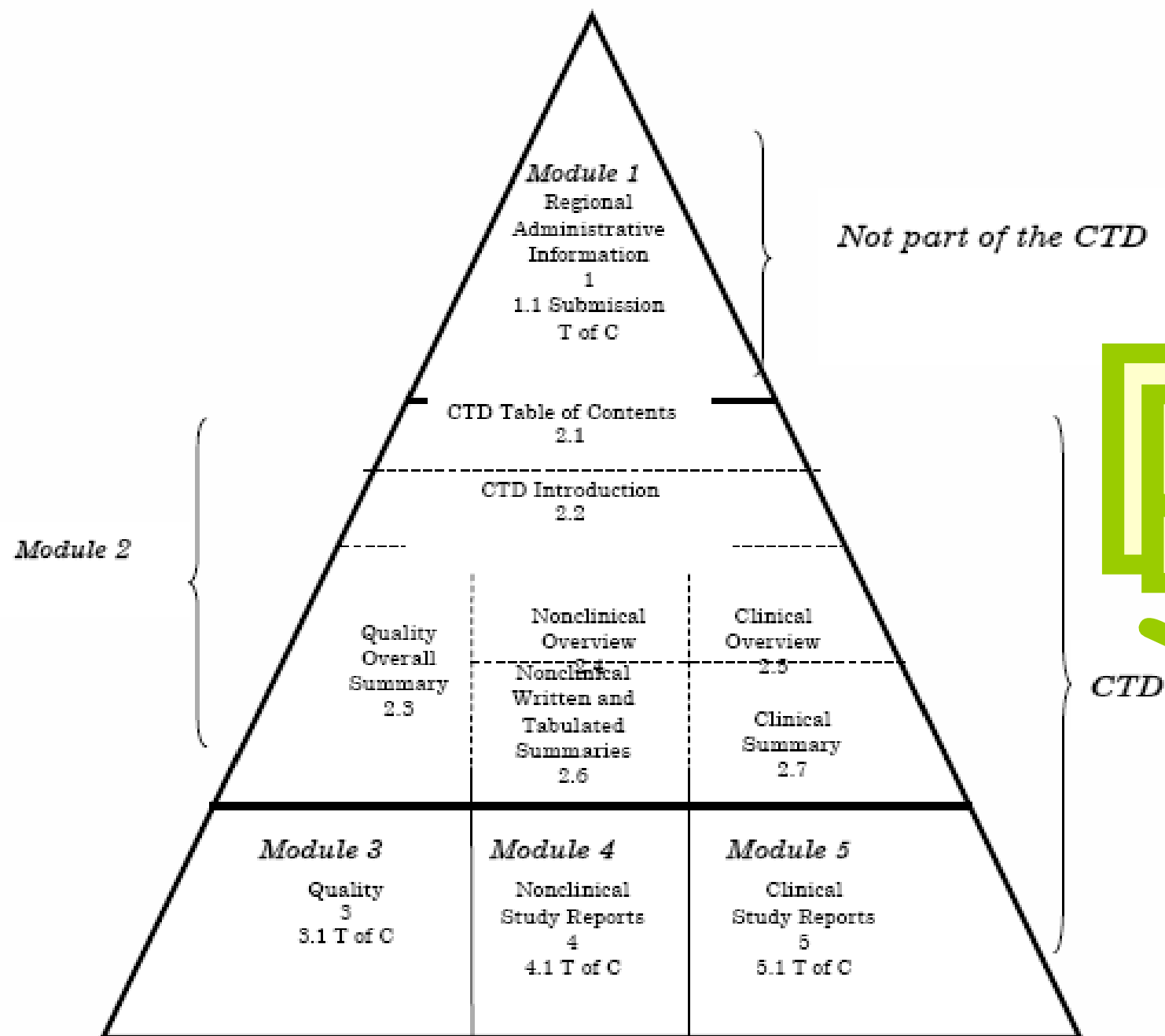
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*Diagrammatic Representation of the Organization of the ICH CTD  
Common Technical Document*





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**Common Technical Document for the Registration of Pharmaceuticals for Human Use –**  
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	Reference Number	Publication Date	Effective Date
<a href="#">M 2</a> Electronic Common Technical Document (e-CTD) - <a href="#">Questions and answers</a>	CPMP/ICH/1840/01	November 2003	May 2004
<a href="#">M 2</a> Business Requirements	CHMP/792476/09	Dec 2009	Dec 2009
<a href="#">M 3 (R2)</a> Non-Clinical Safety Studies for the Conduct of Human Clinical Trials for Pharmaceuticals	CPMP/ICH/286/95	June 2009	December 2009
<a href="#">M 4</a> Common Technical Document for the Registration of Pharmaceuticals for Human Use - Organisation of CTD	CPMP/ICH/2887/99	November 2003	February 2004
<a href="#">M 4</a> Common Technical Document for the Registration of Pharmaceuticals for Human Use Questions and Answers	CPMP/ICH/5552/02	June 2004	June 2004
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**Survey on the design of the EudraCT clinical-trials website**

Published 9/6/2009

Following changes to European legislation, the European Medicines Agency is now able to make public some of the information in EudraCT — a database that contains information on clinical trials in Europe.

The set of data that will be made available has been set out in guidelines published by the European Commission. We are interested in knowing which aspects of this information are of most interest to you, how you might use this information and how you would want to access it.

Responses to this survey will help us to design a website that is appropriate for the needs of the public and other interested parties. The deadline for completing the survey is 23/6/2009.

[Please take our very short web survey here](#)

**EMA appoints new Head of Internal Audit**

Published 2/6/2009

The European Medicines Agency (EMA) has appointed Dr Edit Weidlich as Head of its Internal Audit Sector.

Edit, who started her new role on 1 May 2009, is responsible for:

- implementing the Agency's annual internal audit programme;
- advising the Agency's senior management on internal/external audit findings;
- related activities to improve the functioning of the Agency and its internal audit operations.

Edit brings to the post extensive experience and knowledge acquired throughout her career, particularly from her previous position as Vice President of the Government Audit Office of Hungary.

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## Advanced Therapies

### Introduction

Advanced therapy medicinal products (ATMPs) are medicinal products for human use, and are based on gene therapy, somatic cell therapy or tissue engineering. They offer groundbreaking new treatment opportunities for diseases and injuries of the human body. The regulatory framework for ATMPs is established by [Regulation \(EC\) No 1394/2007 on advanced therapy medicinal products](#) which is designed to ensure the free movement of these medicines within the European Union (EU), to facilitate their access to the EU market, and to foster the competitiveness of European pharmaceutical companies in the field, while guaranteeing the highest level of health protection for patients. Regulation (EC) no 1394/2007 also establishes the new expert [Committee on Advanced Therapies](#) (CAT).

- [Questions and answers on the regulation of advanced therapy medicinal products](#)

Further information relating to EU legislation on advanced therapies is available on the European Commission's [Pharmaceuticals website](#).

### Related documents:

- [Dossier requirements of centralised applications for CAT members](#) **NEW** Updated on 12/08/2009

### Contact Point

Questions relating specifically to the authorisation of advanced therapy medicinal products may be submitted to:

[AdvancedTherapies@emea.europa.eu](mailto:AdvancedTherapies@emea.europa.eu)





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## CAT Monthly Report

## Advanced Therapies - Scientific Guidelines

### Scientific Guidelines

Scientific guidelines are drawn up with a view to helping applicants in preparing marketing-authorisation applications for medicinal products for human use.

Below are links to specific scientific guidelines that have been developed for ATMPs in area of gene therapy and cell therapy and tissue engineering.

Specific guidance documents concerning pharmacovigilance for ATMPs are also published here below.

Further scientific guidelines relevant to the development of human medicinal products are located in the central repository '[Scientific guidelines for human medicinal products](#)', where they are categorised under quality, non-clinical and clinical sections.

Other information on ongoing activities for ATMPs can be found in the sections of the [Gene Therapy Working Party](#) (GTWP) and the [Cell-based Products Working Party](#) (CPWP)

### Scientific Guidelines

- [Gene therapy](#)
- [Cell therapy and tissue engineering](#)
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  - [EMA/149995/08](#) Guideline on Safety and Efficacy Follow-up - Risk Management of advanced therapy medicinal products
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Development of a guideline on the risk-based approach according to annex I, part IV of directive 2001/83/EC applied to advanced therapy medicinal products	◆				CHMP/CPWP/708420/09	Release for consultation Dec 2009	Deadline for comments 31 Mar 2010
Questions and answers on gene therapy			◆		CHMP/GTWP/212377/08	Dec 2009	Dec 2009
Revision of the note for guidance on the quality, pre-clinical and clinical aspects of gene transfer medicinal products	◆				CHMP/GTWP/234523/09	Release for consultation Dec 2009	Deadline for comments 31 Mar 2010
ICH Considerations General Principles to Address Virus and Vector Shedding	◆				CHMP/ICH/449035/09	July 2009	July 2009
Quality, non-clinical and clinical issues relating specifically to recombinat adeno-associated viral vectors	◆				CHMP/GTWP/587488/07	Release for consultation Mar 2009	Deadline for comments Sep 2009
ICH Considerations - Oncolytic Viruses		◆	◆		CHMP/GTWP/607698/08	Oct 2009	
Development of a guideline on the quality, pre-clinical and clinical aspects of medicinal products containing genetically modified cells	◆				CHMP/GTWP/405681/06	Release for consultation May 2007	Deadline for comments Aug 2007
Non-clinical studies required before first clinical use of gene therapy medicinal products	◆	◆	◆	◆	CHMP/GTWP/125459/06	May 2008	Nov 2008
Follow-up of patients administered with gene therapy medicinal products	◆	◆	◆	◆	CHMP/GTWP/60436/07	Nov 2009	May 2010
Scientific Requirements for the Environmental Risk Assessment of Gene Therapy Medicinal Products	◆	◆	◆	◆	CHMP/GTWP/125491/06	May 2008	Nov 2008
Non-Clinical testing for		◆	◆	◆	EMA/273974/05	Dec 2006	May 2007

Cell therapy and tissue engineering						
Development of a guideline on the risk-based approach according to annex I, part IV of directive 2001/83/EC applied to advanced therapy medicinal products	◆			CHMP/CPWP/708420/09	Release for consultation Dec 2009	Deadline for comments 31 Mar 2010
Reflection paper on <i>In-Vitro</i> cultured chondrocyte containing products for cartilage repair of the knee	◆			CAT/CPWP/288934/09	Release for consultation Sep 2009	Deadline for comments 31 Dec 2009
Potency testing of cell based immunotherapy medicinal products for the treatment of cancer		◆	◆	◆	CHMP/BWP/271475/06	Dec 2007      May 2008
Guideline on xenogeneic cell-based medicinal products	◆	◆	◆		CHMP/CPWP/83508/09	Dec 2009      1 Jan 2010
Human cell-based medicinal products		◆	◆	◆	CHMP/410869/06	Jun 2008      Sep 2008



European Medicines Agency

London, 21 May 2008

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**COMMITTEE FOR MEDICINAL PRODUCT FOR HUMAN USE  
(CHMP)**

**GUIDELINE ON HUMAN CELL-BASED MEDICINAL PRODUCTS**

**DRAFT AGREED BY CPWP AND BWP**

November-December  
2006

**ADOPTION BY CHMP FOR RELEASE FOR CONSULTATION**

25 January 2007

**END OF CONSULTATION (DEADLINE FOR COMMENTS)**

31 July 2007

CHAPTER 7

COMMITTEE FOR ADVANCED THERAPIES

*Article 20*

**Committee for Advanced Therapies**

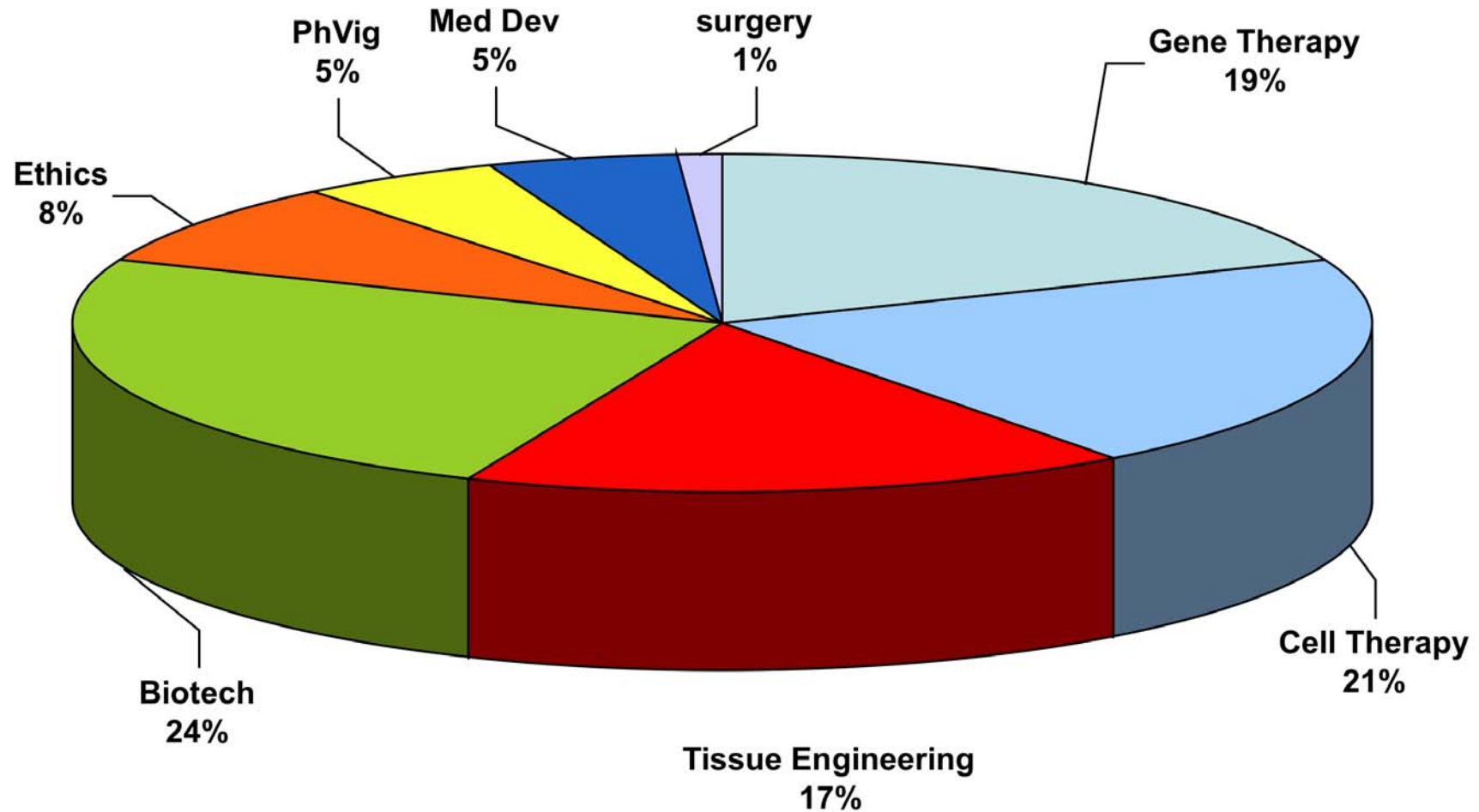
1. A Committee for Advanced Therapies shall be established within the Agency.





- **5** CHMP members (co-opted or not) with their alternates (from the MS or identified by the CHMP)
- **1** M (1A) per MS from MS not represented through CHMP
- **2** M (2A) representing clinicians
- **2** M (2A) representing patients' associations
- Should include at least 2 M (2A) with expertise in MD
- List of expertise: medical devices, tissue engineering, gene therapy, cell therapy, biotechnology, surgery, pharmacovigilance, risk management and ethics

# Expertise within CAT members



Declared expertise as of 15-12-08

*Artículo 23*

**Tareas del Comité de terapias avanzadas**

El Comité de terapias avanzadas realizará las siguientes tareas:

- a) elaborar un proyecto de dictamen sobre la calidad, la seguridad y la eficacia de un medicamento de terapia avanzada para



su aprobación final por parte del Comité de medicamentos de uso humano y asesorar al mismo sobre cualquier dato obtenido al desarrollar un medicamento de este tipo;

- b) asesorar, en virtud del artículo 17, sobre si un producto entra dentro de la definición de medicamento de terapia avanzada;
- c) a petición del Comité de medicamentos de uso humano, asesorar sobre cualquier medicamento para el que puedan precisarse, a efectos de la evaluación de su calidad, seguridad o eficacia, conocimientos y experiencia en alguno de los ámbitos científicos mencionados en el artículo 21, apartado 2;
- d) brindar asesoramiento en todo lo relativo a medicamentos de terapia avanzada, a petición del director ejecutivo de la Agencia o de la Comisión;

- e) prestar asistencia científica para la elaboración de todo documento relacionado con el cumplimiento de los objetivos del presente Reglamento;
- f) a petición de la Comisión, brindar conocimientos, experiencia y asesoramiento científicos sobre cualquier iniciativa comunitaria relativa al desarrollo de terapias y medicamentos innovadores que lo requieran en alguno de los ámbitos científicos mencionados en el artículo 21, apartado 2;
- g) contribuir a los procedimientos de asesoramiento científico contemplados en el artículo 16 del presente Reglamento y en el artículo 57, apartado 1, letra n), del Reglamento (CE) nº 726/2004.

# when the rubber hits the road



- ❑ **Chondroelect** (autologous chondrocytes): marketing authorization granted (July 2009)
- ❑ **Cerepro** (AdV-HSVtk): negative opinion on the second marketing authorization application
- ❑ **Advexin** (AdV-p53): withdrawn by the applicant before the final opinion

## Press release

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# Ark Therapeutics Ltd withdraws its marketing authorisation application for Cerepro (sitimagene ceradenovec)

The European Medicines Agency has been formally notified by Ark Therapeutics Ltd of its decision to withdraw its application for a centralised marketing authorisation for the advanced therapy medicinal product Cerepro (sitimagene ceradenovec).

Cerepro received an orphan designation on 6 February 2002 and was intended for the treatment of patients with high-grade operable glioma.

Following the adoption of a negative opinion for Cerepro by the Committee for Medicinal Products for Human Use (CHMP) in December 2009, the company had requested a re-examination of the opinion. This procedure started on 18 February 2010.

# Orphan Drug Designation

- Based on Regulation (EC) No 141/2000
- May be obtained at any stage of development
- No fees

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## European Medicines Agency and Swissmedic agree sharing of information on H1N1 pandemic medicines

Published 15/02/2010

The European Medicines Agency and Swissmedic will from now on be able to exchange confidential information about the authorisation and safety of medicines used in the context of the H1N1 pandemic influenza.

The confidentiality arrangement was agreed between the European Medicines Agency and the Swiss Agency for Therapeutic Products, Swissmedic, on 12 February 2010.

[Press Release](#)

## New presentation of monthly figures on centralised procedures for human medicines

Published 08/02/2010

The European Medicines Agency has started publishing monthly figures related to the centralised procedure activities for human medicines in a new way.

These monthly figures will provide current information related to the volume and evaluation of marketing authorisation and post-authorisation applications for medicinal products for human use received by the European Medicines Agency. They are complementary to the CHMP monthly report and will be published on the Agency's website within two weeks following the end of the

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Please use the mail box  to comment on summaries of opinion on orphan designation. Please note, however, that the EMEA will not answer individual e-mails received.

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Search by name	Search by orphan condition	Positive/Negative Date	
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<a href="#">adeno-associated viral vector containing modified U7 snRNA gene</a>	Duchenne muscular dystrophy	Positive	11/10/2005
<a href="#">adeno-associated viral vector containing porphobilinogen deaminase gene</a>	acute intermittent porphyria	Positive	12/05/2009
<a href="#">adeno-associated viral vector containing the human alpha sarcoglycan gene</a>	alpha sarcoglycanopathy	Positive	02/04/2009
<a href="#">adeno-associated viral vector containing the human calpain 3 gene</a>	calpainopathy	Positive - Draft	24/02/2009
<a href="#">adeno-associated viral vector containing the human gamma sarcoglycan gene</a>	gamma sarcoglycanopathy	Positive	11/10/2005
<a href="#">adeno-associated viral vector serotype 5 containing the human ABCA4 gene</a> <b>NEW</b>	Stargardt's disease	Positive - Rev 1	22/02/2010
<i>Updated on lunes, 22 de febrero de 2010</i>			
<a href="#">adenoviral vector containing human p53 gene</a>	Li-Fraumeni syndrome	Positive	02/04/2009
<a href="#">adenovirus associated viral vector serotype 4 containing the human RPE65 gene</a>	Leber's congenital amaurosis	Positive	22/01/2008

# GT products with orphan drug status

- AAV vector expressing lipoprotein lipase - lipoprotein lipase deficiency
- AdV – HSV-tk gene - high-grade glioma (+ ganciclovir sodium)
- HSV-tk and truncated low affinity NGFR transfected donor lymphocytes - haematopoietic cell transplantation
- Autologous CD34<sup>+</sup> cells transfected with a RV vector - ADA gene - SCID due to ADA deficiency



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<a href="#">allogeneic ex vivo expanded umbilical cord blood cells</a>	Hodgkin's lymphoma	Positive	11/09/2009
<a href="#">allogeneic ex vivo expanded umbilical cord blood cells</a>	myelodysplastic syndromes	Positive	20/10/2009
<a href="#">allogeneic human umbilical cord tissue-derived cells</a>	retinitis pigmentosa	Positive	10/07/2008
<a href="#">anti-epithelial cell adhesion molecule / anti-CD3 monoclonal antibody</a>	ovarian cancer	Positive - Rev 1	27/10/2005
<a href="#">autologous CD34+ cells transfected with lentiviral vector containing the human arylsulfatase A cDNA</a> <b>NEW</b>	metachromatic leukodystrophy	Positive - Rev 1	22/02/2010
<i>Updated on lunes, 22 de febrero de 2010</i>			
<a href="#">autologous CD34+ cells transfected with retroviral vector containing adenosine deaminase gene</a> <b>NEW</b>	severe combined immunodeficiency (SCID) due to adenosine deaminase (ADA) deficiency	Positive - Rev 1	22/02/2010
<i>Updated on lunes, 22 de febrero de 2010</i>			

<a href="#">donor lymphocyte preparation depleted of functional alloreactive T-cells</a>	Graft-versus-Host disease	Positive	24/04/2009
<a href="#">ex vivo cultured adult human mesenchymal stem cells</a>	graft-versus-host-disease	Positive - Rev 1	19/11/2009
<a href="#">ex vivo expanded autologous human corneal epithelium containing stem cells</a>	corneal lesions, with associated corneal (limbal) stem cell deficiency, due to ocular burns	Positive	24/04/2009
<a href="#">expanded human allogeneic mesenchymal adult stem cells extracted from adipose tissue</a>	anal fistula	Positive	20/10/2009
<a href="#">genetically modified allogenic ( human) tumour cells for the expression of IL-7, GM-CSF, CD80 and CD154, in fixed combination with a DNA-based double stem loop immunomodulator (dSLIM)</a>	renal cell carcinoma	Positive	24/04/2009
<a href="#">herpes simplex virus lacking infected cell protein 34. 5</a>	glioma	Positive	23/10/2003
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<a href="#">heterologous human adult liver derived stem cells</a>	ornithine-transcarbamylase deficiency	Positive	10/07/2008
<a href="#">HLA-A2 restricted CD8 T-cell line expressing MART-1 T-cell receptor</a>	MART-1 positive malignant melanoma in HLA-A2 positive patients	Positive	15/06/2009
<a href="#">human anti-intercellular adhesion molecule-1 monoclonal antibody</a>	multiple myeloma	Positive	15/06/2009
<a href="#">human autologous bone-forming cells derived from bone marrow stem cells</a>	non-traumatic osteonecrosis	Positive	17/01/2008
<a href="#">human autologous mesenchymal adult stem cells extracted from adipose tissue</a>	anal fistula	Positive - Rev 2	22/10/2009



EUROPEAN MEDICINES AGENCY  
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16 February 2010  
EMA/COMP/247430/2005 Rev.1  
Committee for Orphan Medicinal Products

## Public summary of opinion on orphan designation

autologous CD34+ cells transfected with retroviral vector containing adenosine deaminase gene for the treatment of severe combined immunodeficiency (SCID) due to adenosine deaminase (ADA) deficiency

On 26 August 2005, orphan designation (EU/3/05/313) was granted by the European Commission to Fondazione Telethon, Italy, for autologous CD34+ cells transfected with retroviral vector containing adenosine deaminase gene for the treatment of severe combined immunodeficiency (SCID) due to adenosine deaminase (ADA) deficiency.

**What is severe combined immunodeficiency (SCID) due to adenosine deaminase (ADA) deficiency?**



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## Medicines and Emerging Science

### How to get support from the EMA?

There are a number of opportunities available for interaction with the EMA, depending on the key features and development status of your product/technology. For further information, select from the links below:

- [Innovation Task Force \(ITF\)](#)
- [SME Office](#) (dedicated assistance for micro, small and medium-sized enterprises)
- [Orphan medicinal product designation](#)
- [EMA scientific advice and protocol assistance](#)
- [Pre-submission guidance for users of the centralised marketing procedure](#)

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<http://www.emea.europa.eu/htms/human/mes/itf.htm>

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### Innovation Task Force

The Innovation Task Force (ITF) is a multidisciplinary group that includes scientific, regulatory and legal competences, set up to ensure EMEA-wide coordination in the areas of interest and to provide a forum for early dialogue with applicants ([click here for ITF mandate](#)).

The ITF, within eight weeks of receipt of a request from an applicant, arranges free-of-charge briefing meetings to facilitate the informal exchange of information and the provision of guidance early in the development process. Where appropriate, this is done in liaison with EMEA scientific committees, working parties and expert groups, and takes into account ongoing international activities.

Briefing meetings are also meant to complement and reinforce existing formal regulatory procedures (e.g. designation of orphan medicinal products, CHMP scientific advice etc).

The ITF — in liaison with the CHMP and, where appropriate, the European Commission — provides regulatory advice on whether new medicinal products for emerging therapies and borderline products are eligible for EMEA procedures. This advice is provided free of charge within 60 days of receipt of a valid request from an applicant.

The scope of the briefing meetings covers regulatory, scientific and other issues arising from the development of new therapies and technologies and borderline products. The applicant's information is kept confidential. EU scientific experts may participate as appropriate.

Briefing meetings may also be the first step for regulatory advice concerning those medicinal products for which confirmation is needed, with regard to their status and the applicability of pharmaceutical legal provisions.

To request a briefing meeting, please complete the request form below and return it to: [ITFsecretariat@emea.europa.eu](mailto:ITFsecretariat@emea.europa.eu)

- [Briefing meeting request form](#)
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# briefing meetings

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## 1. Purpose

This SOP describes the procedure for managing EMEA briefing meetings.

Applicants developing innovative emerging therapies and technologies are encouraged to request informal briefing meetings with the EMEA at different stages of product(s) development and when planning for any of the EMEA available procedures.



A fluorescence microscopy image showing a field of cells. The nuclei are stained blue, and the cytoplasm or specific organelles are stained red. The cells are elongated and spindle-shaped, with some showing prominent red staining along their length. The background is black.

**thank you!**

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