

# From Foundations to Frontiers: The Evolving Landscape of Biologics Regulation in Canada



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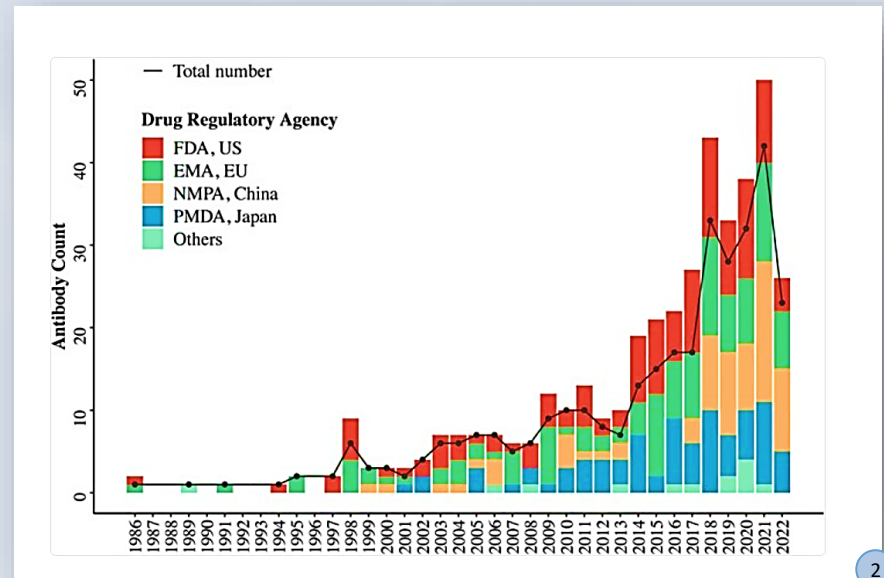
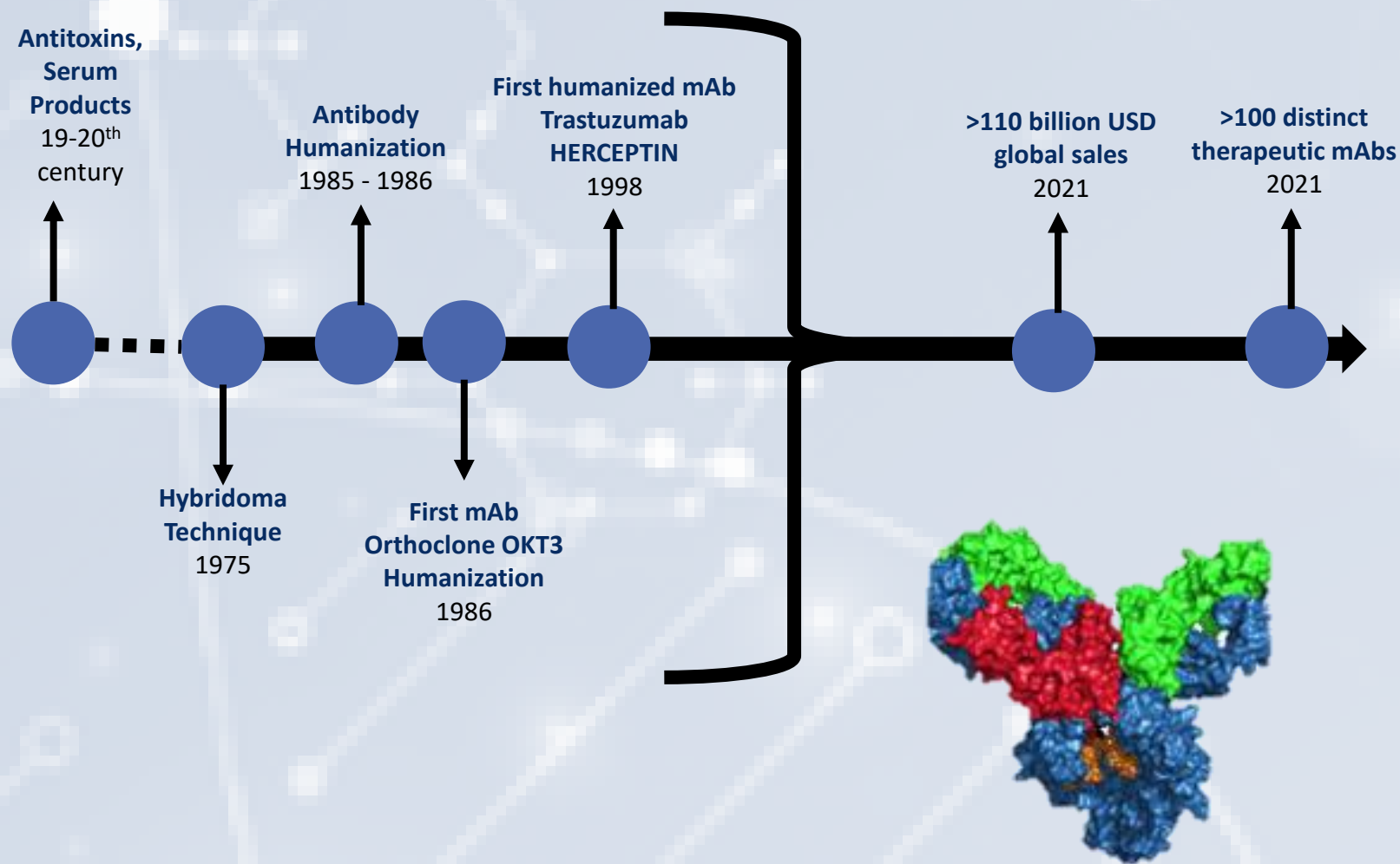
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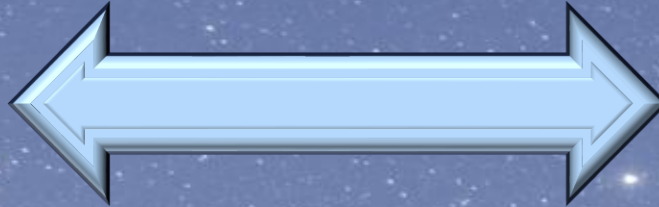
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Role of the RA Professional working with Biologics



**Monoclonal antibodies are “well-characterized biotherapeutics” and have become standard of care for the treatment of many serious or life-threatening diseases**

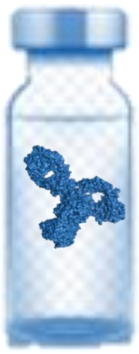


## Foundations

- “Well-characterized” biologics
- Medically significant products
- Available Pathways & Frameworks

## Frontiers

- Novel, complex, and distinct biologics
- Medically significant products
- Challenge conventional Pathways & Frameworks

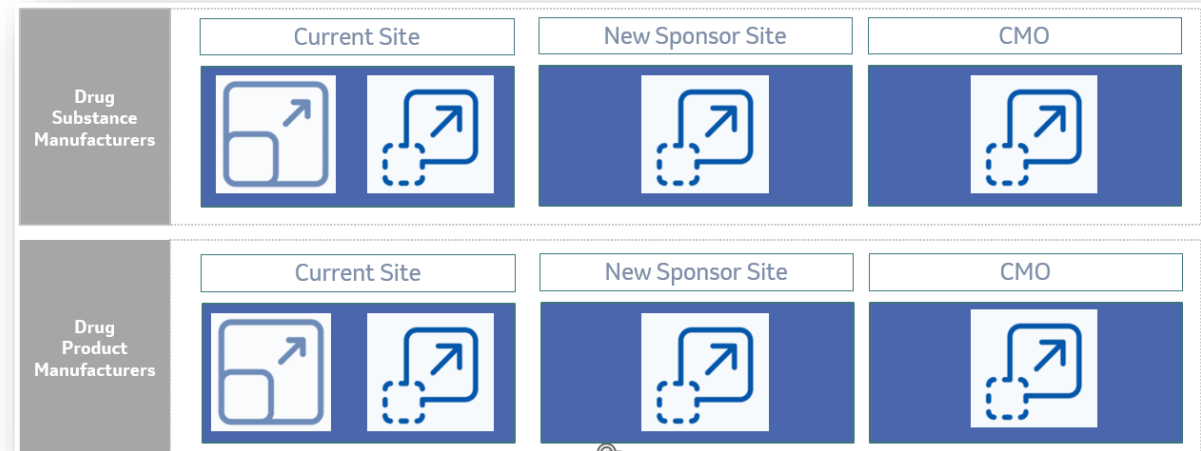


# Canadian RA Professional – High Level Industry Perspective

## 1) Agile & Flexible Regulatory Approval

- Medicine with Safety, Efficacy, Quality
- Scientific, data driven, & rationale-based decisions
- High standards for regulatory review
- Rapid access for Canadian patients for treatment of unmet medical needs

## 2) Maintain Supply, with Streamlined Post-Approval Requirements



Large Number of Post Approval Changes



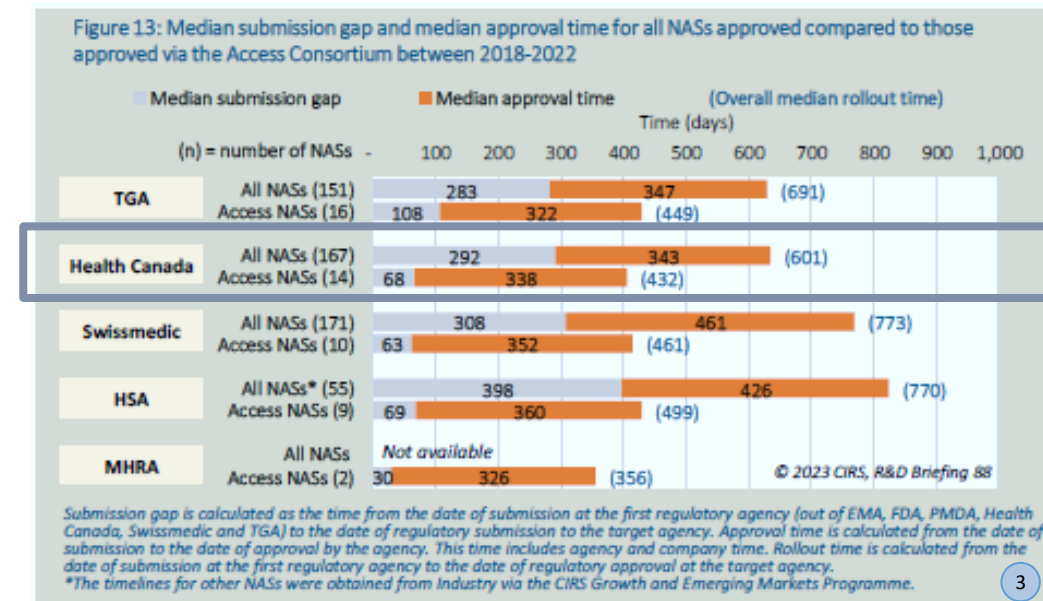
# Evolving Regulatory Landscape in Canada

## 1) Regulatory Innovation For Health Products

- Agile Licensing
- Precision Regulations
- Modernizing DEL Framework
- Drug Shortages Regulations
- NSNR (O)

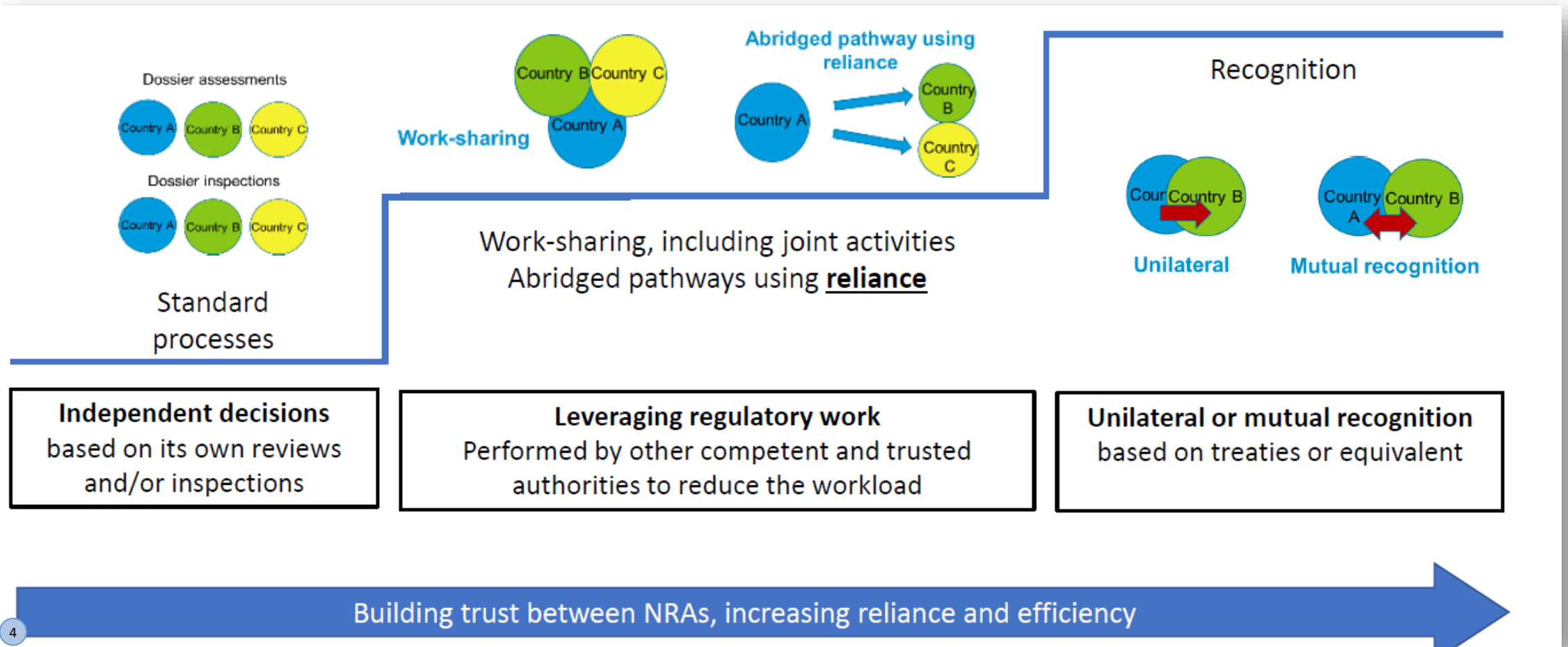
## 2) International Harmonization & Collaboration Initiatives

- ICH
- ORBIS
- ACCESS
- ICMRA
- PIC/S





# Moving the Needle & Advocacy





# Moving the Needle-Canadian RA Perspective



Maximize work sharing and mutual recognition

Maximize harmonization and convergence

Minimize divergence and duplication

Leverage technology moving towards electronic submission platform

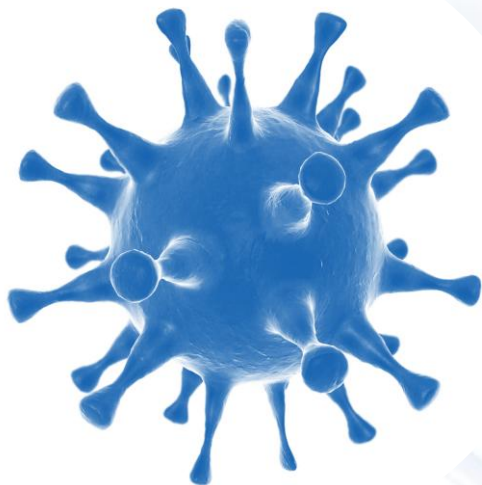




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## Advanced Therapeutic Products

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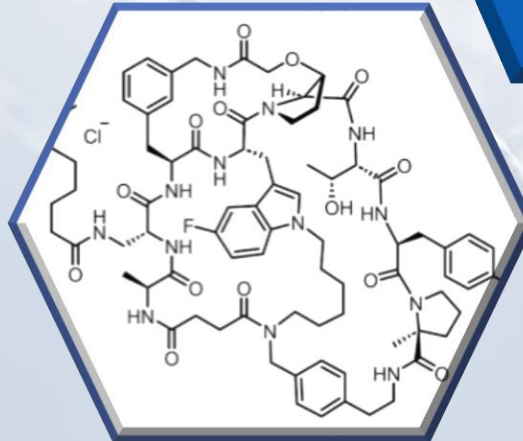
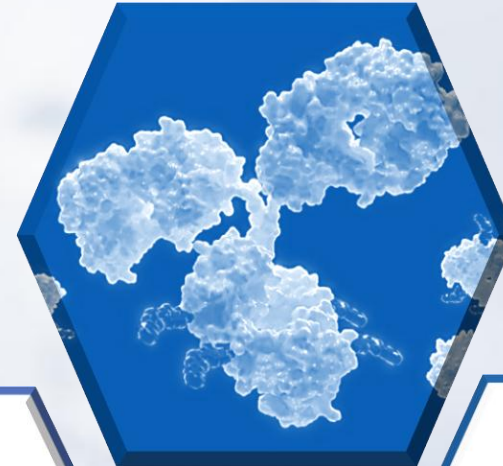
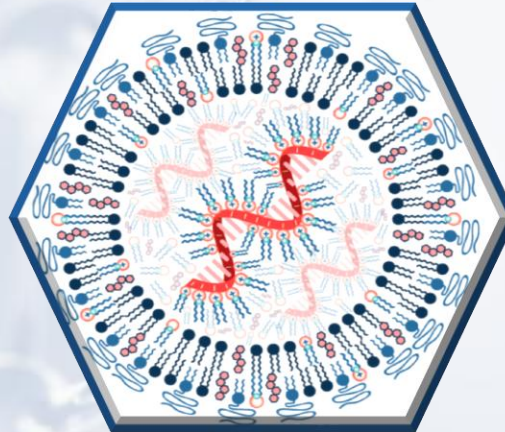
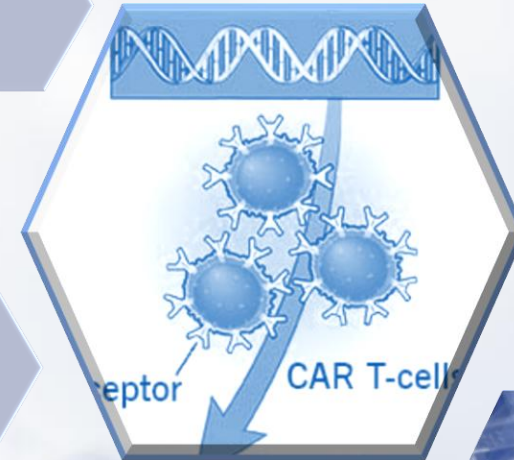
## Agile Licensing: Public Health Emergency Drug

### List of conditions that threaten public health

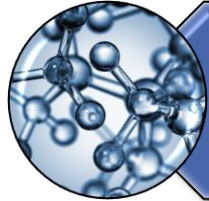
Name of condition	Clinical description
COVID-19	Coronavirus disease 2019

## Clinical Trials Modernization

# Future Directions: Where are we going?



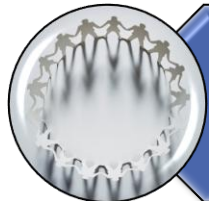
# RA Professional in the Biopharmaceutical Industry plays an Important Role



Knowledge of the technology, product, and mechanism of action



Understanding regulatory landscape, frameworks, and needs of regulators



Guide team of scientific and medical experts for proposals to regulators based on requirements, data, and rationale



Be forward thinking



Thank You!

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