



LE RÔLE DES REPRÉSENTANTS DES PATIENTS

Comment les patients
participent à l'évaluation des technologies de santé

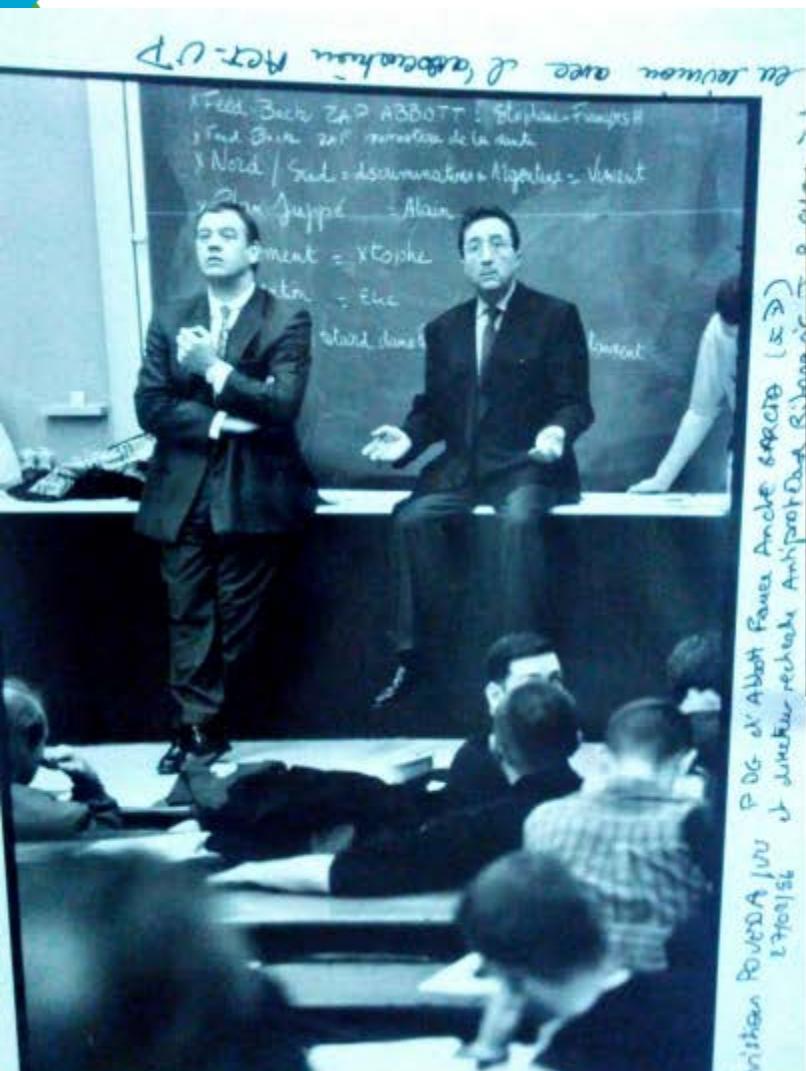
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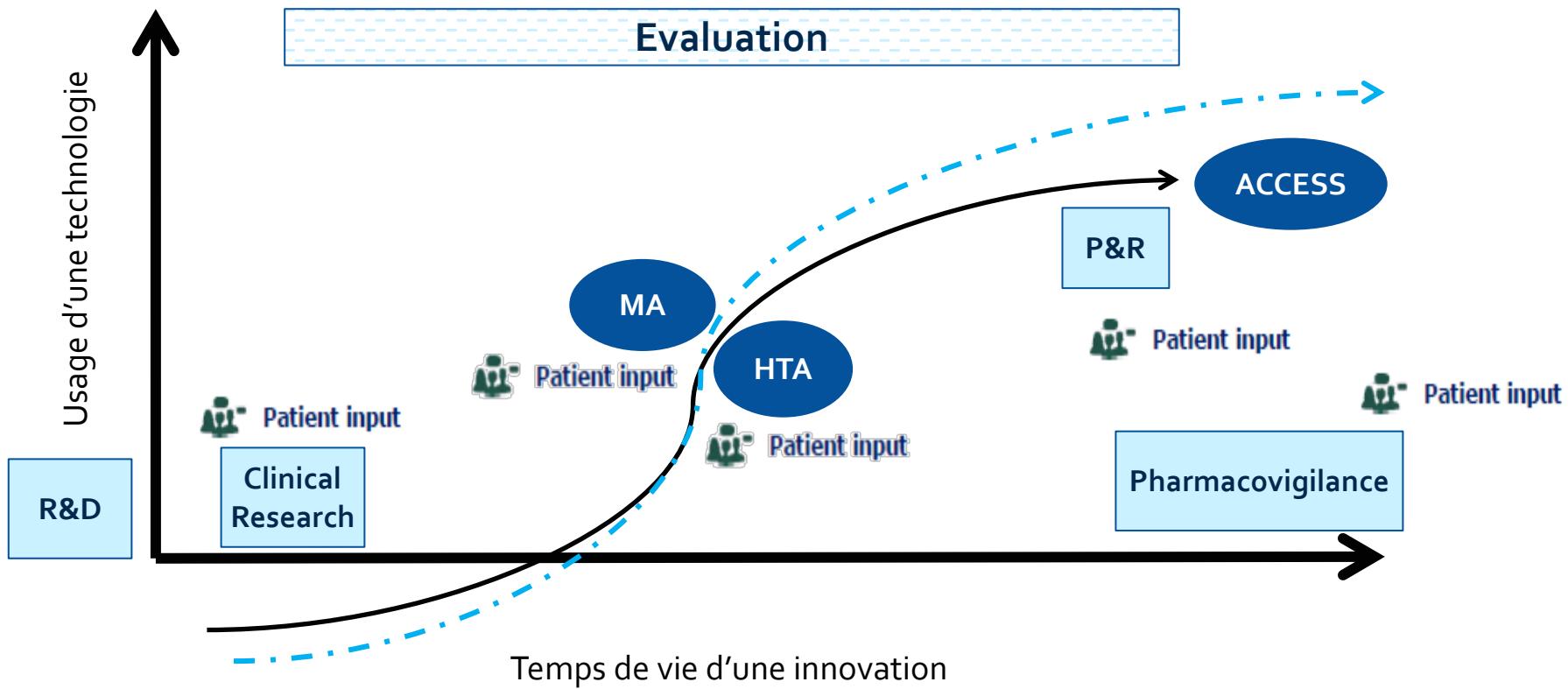
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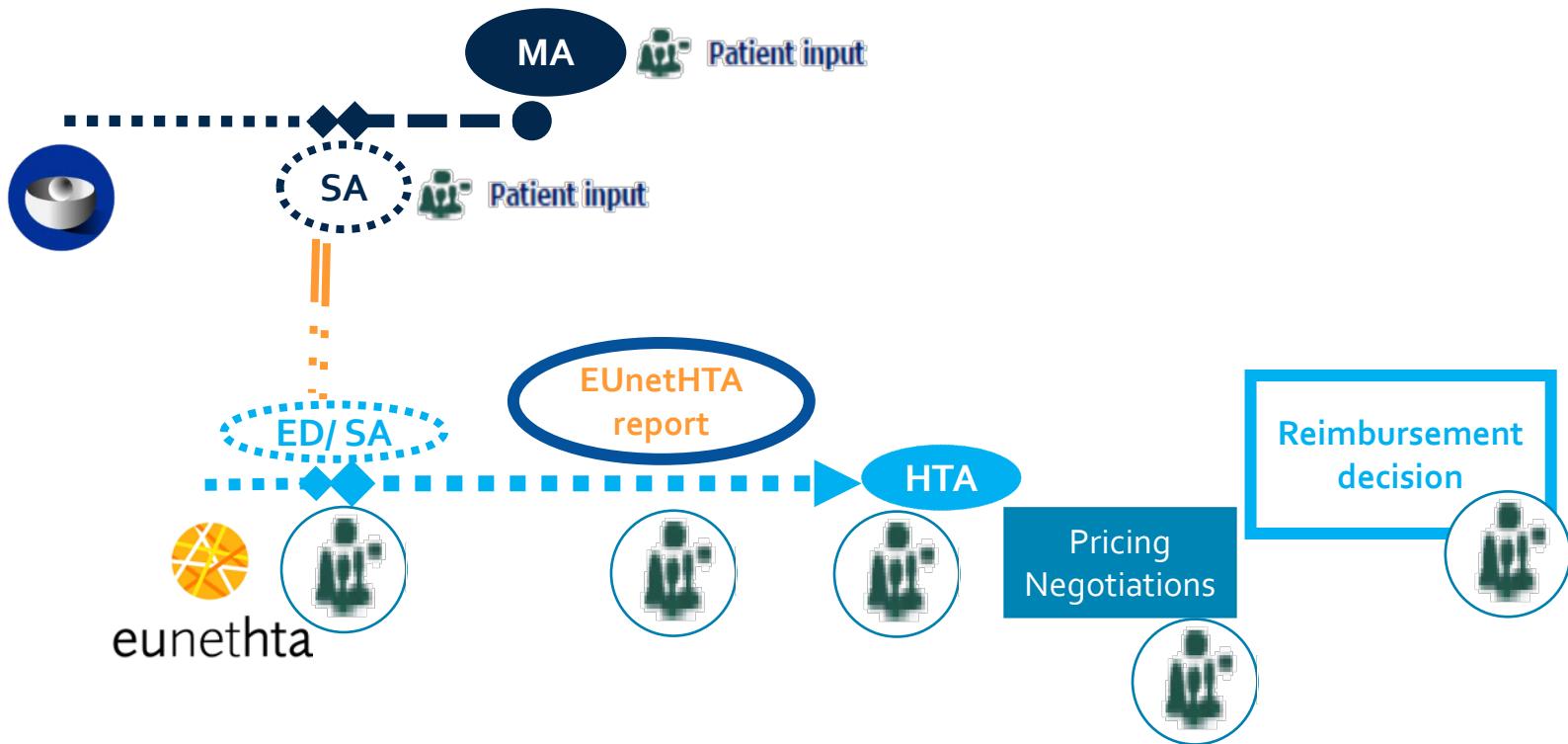
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Health Technology Life-cycle





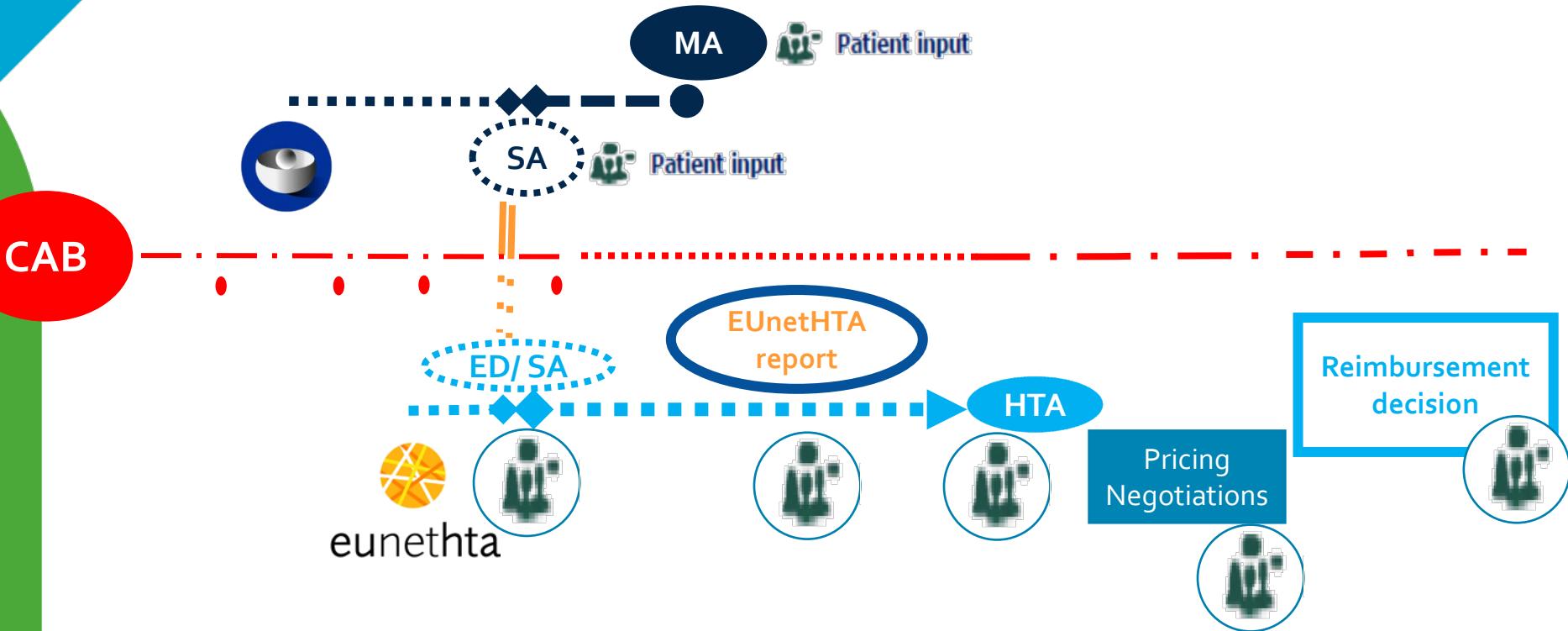
Idebenone (RAXONE) pour LHON Scottisch Medicines Consortium

- **Indication:** déficience visuelle en adulte et adolescents avec neuropathie optique de **Leber** (et qui ne sont pas encore aveugles)
 - 300mg trois fois par jour (comprimés 150mg)
 - Censé prévenir et faire régresser la perte de vue

Résultat de l'évaluation:

- Les patients ont souligné l'importance d'approuver le premier traitement disponible, dont les bénéfice était indiqué dans l'essai
- Les même patients ont souligné que pour le bénéfice effectivement apporté, le médicament ne valait pas le prix proposé par le laboratoire

L'avis des patients a permis à l'agence Ecossaise de négocier un prix à la baisse (avec restriction d'indication dans le temps faute d'évidence plus robuste à fournir)



COMMUNITY ADVISORY BOARD (GROUPE DES PATIENTS EXPERTS)

- *Un cadre guidé par les patients pour interagir avec les développeur*
- *Pour soulever (et répondre) à toute question importante du début et le long du développement*

impact

- Phase II results, study 510

1.5 g/day: effective
10% loose stools (grade 2)
2.25 q: more effective
3.00 g: even more effective
30% loose stools

- CAB meeting with Agouron, 1996 | Nelfinavir, new HIV protease inhibitor | CAB cost: \$50,000 | Rol: >10,000 x

- Agouron and clinicians chose 2.25 and 3.00 g or more for phase III

- Authorised in 1998 at 2.25 or 2.5/day

CAB disagreed
1.5 and 2.25 preferred
Finally 2.25 and 2.5 in phase III
#unique patient perspective

Children could be treated for 1st time, well tolerated. Demand > offer

Patients were staying longer on treatment as expected. Dose adjustment ++, several strengths

Surplus of 500 Mio\$ sales 1st year compared to Agouron's estimates

- Some CAB discussions about rare diseases

- Systemic sclerosis
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Large capsules difficult to swallow

Different formulation? Dose adjustment? To be taken with some gel?

#unique patient perspective

- Tuberculosis (TB)
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Tuberculin test at inclusion

- 1 day at trial site
- Again after 48h to read results
→ Low recruitment

To send someone at home to read result (GP, community care trial)

#good sense

- Cystic Fibrosis
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Pricing policy for new products

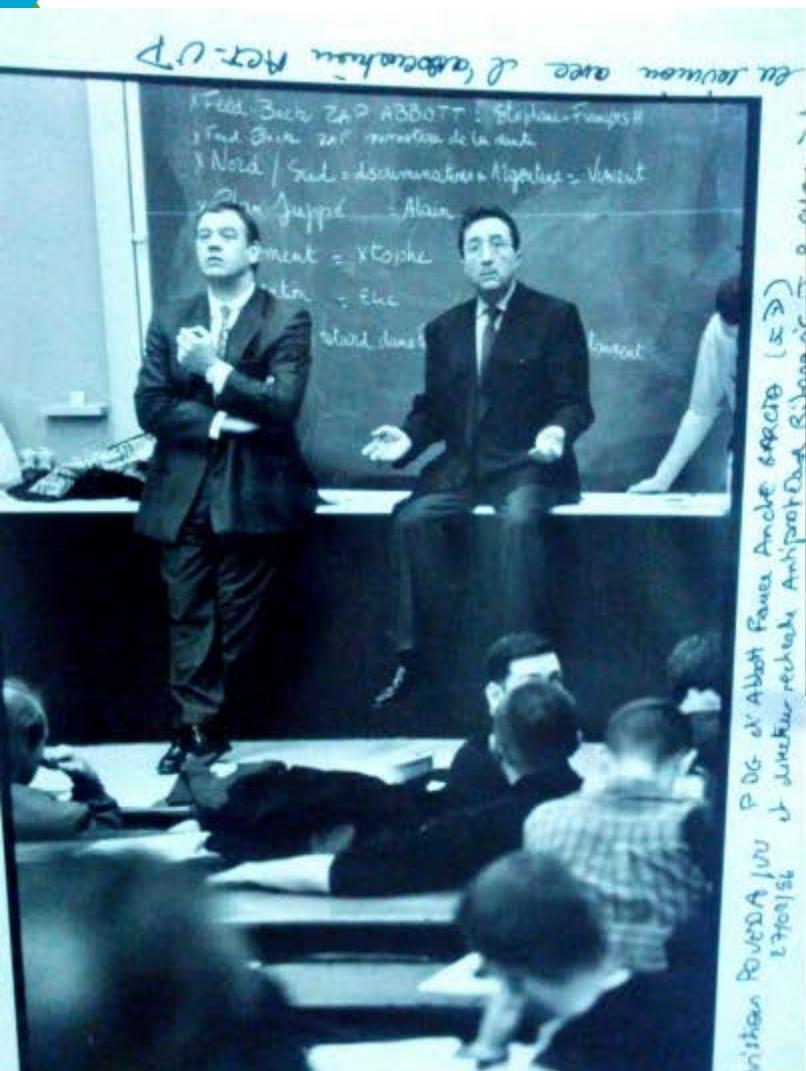
Training with a health economist on the concept of fair pricing / objective measure of price negotiation margin

#homework

QUELQUES ELEMENTS

- Comment les patients entre en contact avec les évaluateurs?
- Faire partie d'un réseau (organisation)
- Plus tôt les patients sont impliqués, plus haute les chances de succès
- Pertinence des contributions (et des questions).
- Aucune limites aux sujets à discuter avec les patients
- Feedback

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Questions?

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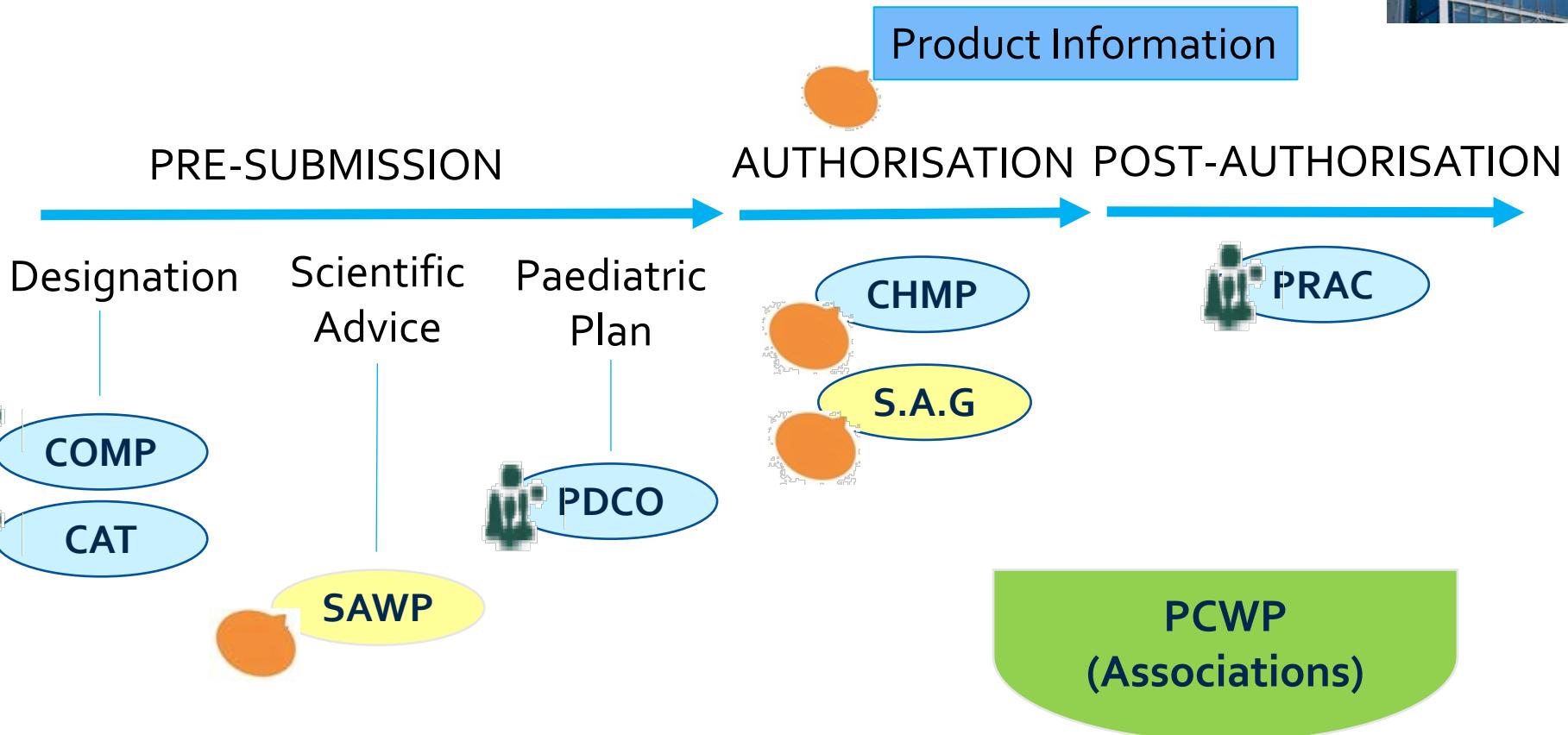
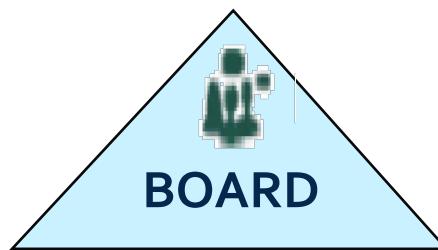


Back-up slides

EURORDIS funds system



European Medicines Agency



EURORDIS Open Academy



EMPOWERING



EURORDIS
WINTER SCHOOL

on Scientific Innovation &
Translational Research

F2F 11-15 March 2019, Paris
30 participants, patient advocates



EURORDIS
OPEN ACADEMY

Capacity-building programmes
Face-to-face & online training



ENGAGING



EURORDIS
LEADERSHIP SCHOOL

on Healthcare & Research - NEW
F2F 26-27 November 2019, Barcelona
60 participants, European Patient
Advocacy Groups (ePAGs)



EURORDIS
SUMMER SCHOOL

on Medicines Research & Development

F2F 10-14 June 2019, Barcelona
40 participants, patient advocates & researchers



EURORDIS
DIGITAL SCHOOL

on Social & Digital Media - NEW

F2F 8-9 October 2019, Gothenburg
25 participants, patient advocates

RareConnect



- Launched in 2010
- Free-access online rare disease patient communities
- 140+ communities in partnership with 889 patient groups
- Supported by 3 full-time community managers and 407 volunteer moderators
- Translators offer free translations between 6 languages (English, French, German, Italian, Spanish, Portuguese, Russian)
- www.rareconnect.org
- Questions on starting a community?
Contact: team@rareconnect.org

EUROPEAN REFERENCE NETWORKS

FOR RARE, LOW-PREVALENCE AND COMPLEX DISEASES



Connect clinical experts by groups of rare diseases to ensure knowledge sharing and care coordination across Europe.

- Digital consultations
- Patients representatives working with clinicians

24 European Reference Networks (ERNs)

ERNs	ePAGs	ERNs	ePAGs
ERN BOND	Rare Bone dis.	ERN GENTURIS	Genetic Tumour Risk Syndromes
ERN CRANIO	Cranofacial anomalies	ERN GUARD-HEART	Rare Cardiac
Endo-ERN	Endocrine dis.	ERN ITHACA	Congenital malformations/ intellect. disabilities
ERN EpiCARE	Rare Epilepsies	MetabERN	Metabolic disorders
ERKNet	Renal diseases	ERN PaedCan	Paediatric cancers
ERN RND	Neurological dis.	ERN RARE-LIVER	Hepatic disorders
ERNICA	GastroIntestinal dis.	ERN ReCONNET	Connective Tissue / Musculoskeletal dis
ERN LUNG	Pulmonary dis.	ERN RITA	Immunodeficiency, Autoinflammatory / Autoimmune dis.
ERN Skin	Skin diseases	VASCERN	Mutli-systemic vascular dis.
ERN EURACAN	Solid Tumours	UROGENITAL	Urogenital diseases
ERN EuroBloodNet	Haemato. Diseases & malignancies	TRANSPLANT-CHILD	Paediatric transplantation
ERN EURO-NMD	Neuromuscular		
ERN EYE	Eye diseases		

Mammaprint (*genomic test for early-stage breast cancer*)

EUnetHTA

- **Indication:** test génétique sur un échantillon de cellules cancérogènes mesurant le risque des nouvelles métastases

Révision du projet d'évaluation (contributions des patients):

- Est-il pertinent d'inclure parmi les endpoints la survie globale ou la DMFS plutôt que privilégier la DFS?
- Pour prévenir et éviter la chimiothérapie nous sommes prêtes à accepter une plus grande incertitude quant à l'efficace
- Un article significatif n'apparaît pas dans la littérature. Pourquoi?



A NEW COOPERATION FOR A TRANSPARENT HTA

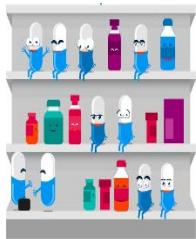
How patients see the EC Proposal for a Regulation on HTA
Cooperation in EU

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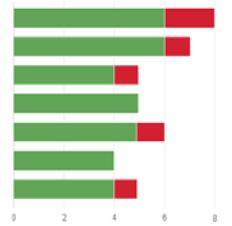
TODAY



Every year,
new medicinal
products and
medical devices
receive
marketing
authorisation or
CE mark



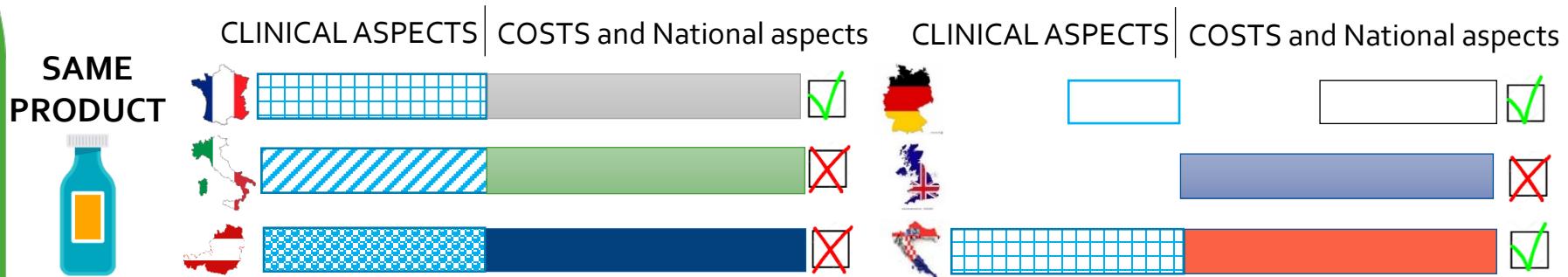
For every single technology,
each country should decide
about coverage and
reimbursement



Each country carry out HTA to
decide how much it is worth, on
the basis of:

- CLINICAL ASPECTS and EVIDENCE (Relative Effectiveness Assessment REA)
- COSTS and National-related aspects

TODAY



- CACOPHONY IN THE ASSESSMENT OF THE SAME CLINICAL ASPECTS

- THE RATIONALE BEHIND THE FINAL DECISION ISN'T CLEARLY UNDERSTANDABLE

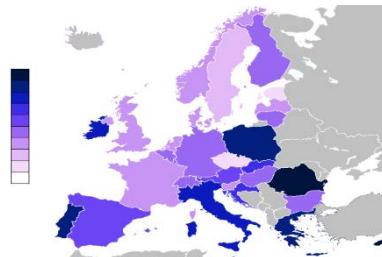
DUPLICATION OF WORK



RAISING COSTS



INEQUALITIES



Companies address mainly the biggest countries



TOMORROW: proposed Regulation for a permanent HTA cooperation

