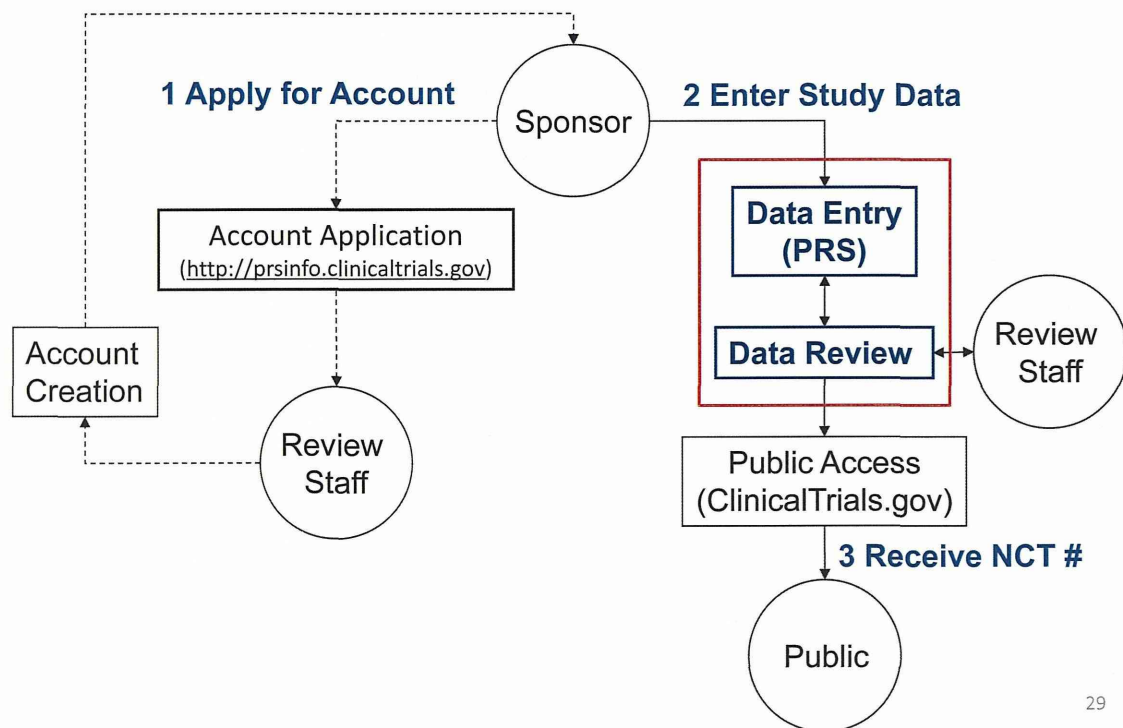


ClinicalTrials.gov Data Flow



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Data Submission Basics

- Web-based data entry system for summary protocol and results information
 - Requires organizational account, user name, password
- Structured data elements
 - Some required* and others optional
 - Pull-down menus and text
- Business rules/validation
 - **ERROR**- Study cannot be released; must be addressed
 - **WARNING**- Should be addressed
 - **NOTE**- Helpful hints; may or may not apply

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ClinicalTrials.gov Protocol Data		ClinicalTrials.gov "Basic Results" Data Element Definitions (DRAFT)	
		November 2013	
		The "basic results" data element definitions and requirements currently included in ClinicalTrials.gov represent the National Institutes of Health's (NIH's) current thinking on this topic, and were developed in response to the provision contained within FDAAA that required the Agency to develop a "basic results" database within one year of enactment. They do not create or confer any rights for or on any person and do not operate to bind NIH, the Department of Health and Human Services or the public. NIH will interpret these "basic results" reporting requirements in regulations or guidance to be issued at a later date. Prior to the issuance of draft regulations or guidance for comment, comments on the existing ClinicalTrials.gov "basic results" data element definitions and requirements are welcome and will be considered by the Agency in drafting a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking. Comments should be addressed to reginfo@clinicaltrials.gov . Please include "Comments on ClinicalTrials.gov Results Requirements" in the subject line.	
<p>* Required by ClinicalTrials.gov FDAAA Required to comply with US (FDAAA) May be required to comply</p>		<p>* Required by ClinicalTrials.gov [*] Conditionally required by ClinicalTrials.gov (FDAAA) May be required to comply with US Public Law 110-85, Section 801</p>	
<p>Titles and Background Information</p> <p>Organization's Unique Protocol ID * FDAAA Definition: Unique identification assigned to the protocol by the sponsor number. Multiple studies conducted under the same grant must each have a unique ID. (Limit: 30 characters) Examples: ABT-1233-RV Merck-023 ACTG 021</p> <p>Secondary IDs FDAAA Definition: Other identification numbers assigned to the protocol, including applicable. (Limit: 30 characters)</p> <p>ID Type Select one. Provide additional information, depending on the type of grant: • US NIH Grant/Contract Award Number - in the Secondary components of the full award number (type code, support number) Examples: R01DA013131, U01HL066582, SRO1HL110001 • Other Grant/Funding Number - also provide name of grant • Registry Identifier - also provide name of clinical trials register • EudraCT Number - from European Union Drug Regulatory Agency • Other Identifier - also provide brief description (i.e., what the study is about)</p> <p>Brief Title * FDAAA Definition: Protocol title intended for the lay public. (Limit: 300 characters) Example: Safety Study of Recombinant Vaccinia Virus Vaccine to Treat Smallpox</p> <p>Acronym Definition: Acronym or initials used to identify this study, if applicable in parentheses following the brief title. (Limit: 14 characters) Example: Brief Title: Women's Health Initiative Acronym: WHI Displayed on ClinicalTrials.gov as: Women's Health Initiative (WHI)</p> <p>Official Title Definition: Official name of the protocol provided by the study principal investigator. (Limit: 600 characters) Example: Phase 1 Study of Recombinant Vaccinia Virus That Expresses a Foreign Gene</p> <p>Study Type * FDAAA Definition: Nature of the investigation. Select one.</p>		<p>1. Results Point of Contact * : Point of contact for scientific information about the posted clinical trial results.</p> <p>Name or Official Title * : For the designated individual. Note that this may be a specific person's name (e.g., Dr. Jane Smith) or a position title (e.g., Director of Clinical Trials)</p> <p>Organization Name * : Full name of the designated individual's organizational affiliation.</p> <p>Phone * : (or "Email" required) Office phone of the designated individual. Use the format 123-456-7890 within the United States and Canada. Otherwise, provide the country code and phone number.</p> <p>Ext. : Phone extension, if needed</p> <p>Email * : (or "Phone" required) Electronic mail address of the designated individual.</p> <p>2. Certain Agreements * : Information certifying whether there exists an agreement between the sponsor or its agent and the principal investigators (PIs) (unless the sponsor is an employer of the principal investigators) that restricts in any manner the ability of the principal investigators (PIs), after the completion of the trial, to discuss the results of the trial at a scientific meeting or any other public or private forum, or to publish in a scientific or academic journal information concerning the results of the trial. This does not include an agreement solely to comply with applicable provisions of law protecting the privacy of participants.</p> <p>Are all PIs Employees of Sponsor? (Y/N) * : If all principal investigators are employees of the sponsor, select "Yes" and skip the remaining questions. If any principal investigator (PI) is not an employee of the sponsor, select "No" and answer the remaining questions.</p> <p>Results Disclosure Restriction on PIs? (Y/N) [*] If there is an agreement between the sponsor (or its agent) and any non-employee PI(s) that restricts the PIs' rights to discuss or publish trial results after the trial is completed, select "Yes" and select a "Restriction Type." Trial completion is defined as the final date on which data were collected. (ie, the Study Completion Date from the Protocol Data Elements)</p> <p>If there are agreements with multiple non-employee PIs and there is a disclosure restriction on at least one PI, select "Yes" and answer the remaining question. If there are varying agreements with PIs, choose the type below that represents the most restrictive of the agreements (e.g., the agreement with the greatest embargo time period).</p> <p>PI Disclosure Restriction Type : Select one</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The only disclosure restriction on the PI is that the sponsor can review results communications prior to public release and can embargo communications regarding trial results for a period that is less than or equal to 60 days from the time submitted to the sponsor for review. The sponsor cannot require changes to the communication and cannot extend the embargo. The only disclosure restriction on the PI is that the sponsor can review results communications prior to public release and can 	

PRS Validation Messages

Module Status:



Study Identification: ✓
 Study Status: 3 Errors 1 Warning 2 Notes
 Sponsor/Collaborators: 1 Error 1 Note
 Oversight: ✓ 1 Note
 Study Description: Information is required
 Conditions: Information is required
 Study Design: 1 Error 3 Warnings

Arms

Edit Study Status

[Help](#) [Definitions](#)

* 1 Record Verification Date: Year:
✖ ERROR Verification Date is a required field

* 1 Overall Recruitment Status:
 Tip: Before selecting Suspended, Terminated or Withdrawn see the [Overall Recruitment Status definition](#).
⬇ NOTE: One or more locations is recruiting, but the Overall Status of the study is Not yet recruiting.
✖ ERROR Results may not be specified for a study which is not yet recruiting.

1 Study Start Date: Year:
⚠ WARNING Study Start Date has not been entered.

* 1 Primary Completion Date: Year: Type:
 Final data collection date for primary outcome measure.
✖ ERROR Anticipated Primary Completion Date cannot be in the past

Study Completion Date: Year: Type:
 Final data collection date for study
⬇ NOTE: Study Completion Date has not been entered.

* Required by ClinicalTrials.gov
 1 = FDAAA Required to comply with US FDA Amendments Act
 (†) = (FDAAA) May be required to comply with US FDA Amendments Act

General Review Criteria

- Protocol and results must be clear and informative
- Review focuses on:
 - Logic and internal consistency
 - Apparent validity
 - Meaningful entries
 - Formatting, including appropriate use of database structure
- Not equivalent to peer review; not verified against external sources (e.g., full protocol)

Review Criteria: <http://clinicaltrials.gov/ct2/manage-recs/resources>

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Protocol Registration and Results System (PRS)

- Requires daily maintenance
- Improvements are made over time to adapt to user needs and keep current with technology
 - Data requirements are generally same over time
 - Experience, survey data, expert evaluation, and formal usability studies are used to support PRS modifications
- Recent updates (Sept 2014 – Dec 2015)
 - Easier and more efficient navigation within a record
 - Updated look for data entry and overview screens
 - New help resources
 - Improved overall workflow and portfolio management

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NEW Record Summary page

Record Summary

[Record List](#) [Help](#)

Record Status

In Progress → Entry Completed → Approved → Released → PRS Review → Public

Next Step: Finish Results section **Entry Complete** ?

Record Owner: RWilliams	Access List: [AR, MW, ND, SY]
Last Updated: 09/18/2014 13:20 by RWilliams	Upload: Allowed
Initial Release: [Not yet released]	PRS Review: [Not yet released]
Results Expected: August 2016	Public Site: [Not yet registered]

[Preview](#) [Spelling](#) [Download XML](#) [Delete...](#)

[Edit](#) **Protocol Section**

Identifiers: [NCT ID not yet assigned] Unique Protocol ID: TTTParallelR

Brief Title: Parallel Study Design Example (With Results)

Module Status:

- Study Identification: ✓
- Study Status: 2 Errors
- Sponsor/Collaborators: ✓
- Oversight: ✓
- Study Description: ✓
- Conditions: ✓
- Study Design: ✓
- Arms and Interventions: ✓ 2 Notes
- Eligibility: ✓
- Contacts/Locations: ✓ 5 Notes
- References:

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NEW Protocol Section

Protocol Section

ERROR(S) in Protocol Section. See ERROR or information required messages below.

[Record Summary](#) [Preview](#) [Edit All](#) [Help](#)

[Edit](#) **Study Identification**

Unique Protocol ID: TTTParallelR

Brief Title: Parallel Study Design Example (With Results)

Official Title: A 24-Week Double-Blind Trial of Remuverol in Adults With Condition A

Secondary IDs:

[Edit](#) **Study Status**

Record Verification: December 2011

Overall Status: Completed

Study Start: March 2010

Primary Completion: August 2015 [Actual]

✘ ERROR: Actual Primary Completion Date cannot be in the future.

Study Completion: August 2011 [Actual]

✘ ERROR: Study Completion Date August 2011 should not be before Primary Completion Date August 2015

[Edit](#) **Sponsor/Collaborators**

Sponsor: PRS Training

Responsible Party: Sponsor

Collaborators:

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Results Baseline – Old

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Protocol Registration System Logout

Results

Results Point of Contact Certain Agreements Participant Flow **Baseline Baseline Overview** Outcome Measure Limitations and Caveats Adverse Events

Title: copy of NCT00327717 Org: NLM ID: 000-warning-bug

[Results Overview](#) [Preview Baseline](#)

[Add Baseline Measure](#) [Add Arm/Group](#) [Recalculate Totals](#)

	Placebo <small>Placebo : Patients in placebo ... Modify/Delete</small>	Zonisamide 100 mg Tablet <small>Zonisamide : Patients entered ... Modify/Delete</small>	Total
Edit Overall Number of Baseline Participants	123	145	268 (Calculated)
Baseline Analysis Population Description			

Age Categorical [Units: participants]
[Modify/Delete](#)

	Placebo	Zonisamide 100 mg Tablet	Total
Edit			
<=18 years			(Calculated)
Between 18 and 65 years			(Calculated)
>=65 years			(Calculated)

ERROR : [9 occurrences] A Baseline Measure Number or Central Tendency Value has not been entered.

[Add Baseline Measure](#)

Age Continuous [Units: years]
[Modify/Delete](#)

	Placebo	Zonisamide 100 mg Tablet	Total
Edit			
	±	±	±
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Results Baseline - New

ClinicalTrials.gov PRS
Protocol Registration and Results System Org: PRS User: RJW

Home > Record List > [Record Summary](#) > [Results Section](#) > Baseline

Gtech ID: U2971g A Study to Evaluate the Efficacy and Safety of Rituximab in Patients With Severe Systemic Lupus Erythematosus NCT00137969

Baseline Measures Overview

[Results Section](#) [Add Baseline Measure](#) [Help](#) [Definitions](#) [Show All](#)

Edit	Arm/Group Title	Rituximab + Prednisone	Placebo + Prednisone	Total
	▶ Arm/Group Description Rituximab intravenously at a dose o... Placebo intravenously at a dose of ...			
Edit	Overall Number of Baseline Participants	169	88	257
	▶ Baseline Analysis Population Description			
Edit	Age, Customized units: participants			
Delete	Measure Type: Number			
	< 20 years	2	2	4
	Between 20 and 64 years	166	83	249
	> 64 years	1	3	4
Edit	Age, Continuous units: years			
Delete	Mean (Standard Deviation)	40.2 (11.4)	40.5 (12.8)	40.3 (11.9)
Edit	Gender, Male/Female units: participants			
Delete	Measure Type: Number			
	Female	152	82	234
	Male	17	6	23

Help: Results Modules

ClinicalTrials.gov PRS
Protocol Registration and Results System

[Help: Results Modules](#) > Participant Flow

Help: Participant Flow

▶ Overview

Data Elements

- ▶ Recruitment & Pre-assignment
- ▶ Arm/Group
- ▶ Period
- ▶ Milestones
- ▶ Reason Not Completed

Study Design Examples

- ▶ Parallel
- ▶ Cross-over
- ▶ Dose Escalation
- ▶ Factorial
- ▶ Multiple Period

[Close](#)

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Help: Participant Flow - Overview

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Protocol Registration and Results System

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Help: Participant Flow

▼ Overview

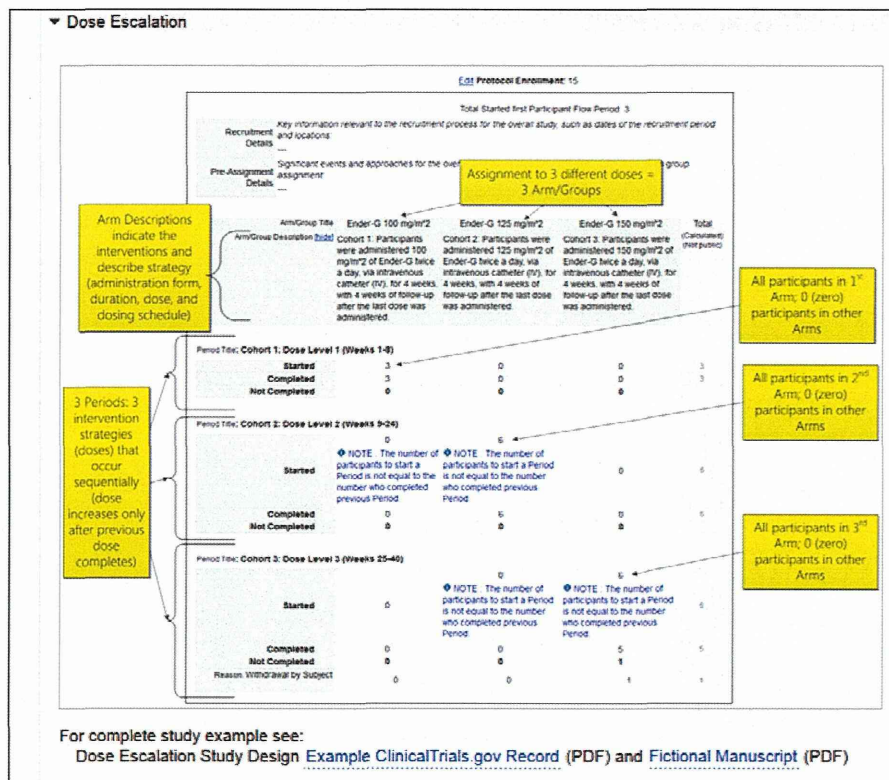
- Participant Flow shows how participants were assigned to intervention(s) and how they progressed through the study. It is a tabular version of a [CONSORT flow diagram](#)
- The table columns (Arm/Groups) describe participants' experiences as they progressed through the study.
- The table rows (Milestones) describe the number of participants starting and completing the study in addition to any other significant events.
- Additional tables (Periods) can be used to describe separate stages of the study.
- Example Participant Flow table.
 - ▶ [show](#) 

Resources:

Data you will need: [Participant Flow Data Preparation Checklist \(PDF\)](#)
1-page data organization tools: [Participant Flow Template \(PDF\)](#)
Video tutorial: [Results: Participant Flow Module \(17:32\)](#)
Review criteria: [Results Review Criteria \(PDF\)](#)

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Help: Participant Flow – Study Design Examples



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Additional Help Resources

- General
 - Data element definitions
 - Review criteria
- Results Submission
 - Simple results templates
 - Results data preparation checklists
 - Example records using common study designs (e.g., parallel, cross-over, factorial, dose escalation)
- Help [PRS Main Menu and on data entry screens]
- ClinicalTrials.gov staff: register@clinicaltrials.gov

Simple Results Templates: Basic Information Needed

* Outcome Measure Type	(Circle One) Primary Secondary Other Pre-specified Post-Hoc	Safety Issue?	(Circle One) Yes No
* Outcome Measure Title			
Outcome Measure Description			
* Outcome Measure Time Frame			
* Arm/Group Title			
Arm/Group Description			
* Number of Participants Analyzed			
Analysis Population Description			
* Measure Type	* Measure of Dispersion/Precision		
(Circle One) Number Mean Median Least Squares Mean Geometric Mean Log Mean	(Circle One) Not Applicable Standard Deviation Inter-Quartile Range Full Range Standard Error 95% Confidence Interval 90% Confidence Interval Geometric Coefficient of Variation		
[*] Category Title			
[*] Category Title			
* Unit of Measure			43

Results Data Preparation Checklists

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Outcome Measure Data Preparation Checklist

Overview: A tabular summary of outcome measure results by comparison group. You must report tables for each pre-specified primary and secondary outcome and any appropriate statistical analyses. The outcomes that were pre-specified in the Protocol Section of the record will be available to use and edit during results data entry. You may also include other pre-specified and post hoc outcomes. Use this checklist with the [Outcome Measure Simple Results Template](#) and [Results Data Element Definitions](#).

Information to have available for each Outcome Measure	Term
<input type="checkbox"/> Label the measure as Primary, Secondary, Other Pre-specified, or Post hoc.	**Outcome Measure Type
<input type="checkbox"/> Title—Describe specifically what was measured and will be reported as data o For example, "Change from baseline in systolic blood pressure at 6 months" specifically describes what was measured and how the outcome data will be reported; "Principle Vital Signs" does not. o Description—Any elaboration needed to understand the measure and the reported data. Information should be written for a public audience (i.e., not specialists in your field, but general readers of the medical literature). o For example, a description of how the measure was taken, relevant definitions (e.g., explain "response"), any methods of assessment, and/or calculations that were performed to summarize the data. o If the measure was based on a scale, explain any numerical categories or provide the range and direction of possible scores (0=no pain; 10= worst possible pain) to allow a reader to properly interpret any reported values.	**Outcome Measure Title **Outcome Measure Description
<input type="checkbox"/> The time point(s) or duration over which a participant was assessed for the measure, and for which data are being reported o For a time-to-event measure—A definition of the stopping rule and the longest duration over which a participant was observed (e.g., from randomization until death, up to 3 years)	**Outcome Measure Time Frame
<input type="checkbox"/> The number of separate groups for which summary data will be provided o Tip: Generally equal to the number of intervention strategies or groups compared	Arm/Groups
<input type="checkbox"/> For each group: o Title—A descriptive label for the group (header for table column). Use informative labels (e.g., "Placebo"), not generic labels (e.g., "Group 1"). o Description—A detailed explanation of the participants included in the group and the interventions received. This may include a description of how groups of participants were recombined for analysis purposes.	**Arm/Group Title **Arm/Group Description
<input type="checkbox"/> Number of participants, in each group, from whom data were collected and summarized. o If the unit of analysis is not participants, also provide the name of the unit (e.g., eyes, lesions) and the number of units [Type/Number Units Analyzed].	**Number of Participants Analyzed

Recorded Presentations

- Available at: <http://clinicaltrials.gov/ct2/manage-recs/present>
- Six presentations with audio and slides
 1. Overview of ClinicalTrials.gov
 2. Key FDAAA Issues
 3. Results: Participant Flow Module
 4. Results: Baseline Characteristics Module
 5. Results: Outcome Measures and Statistical Analysis Module
 6. Results: Adverse Events Module

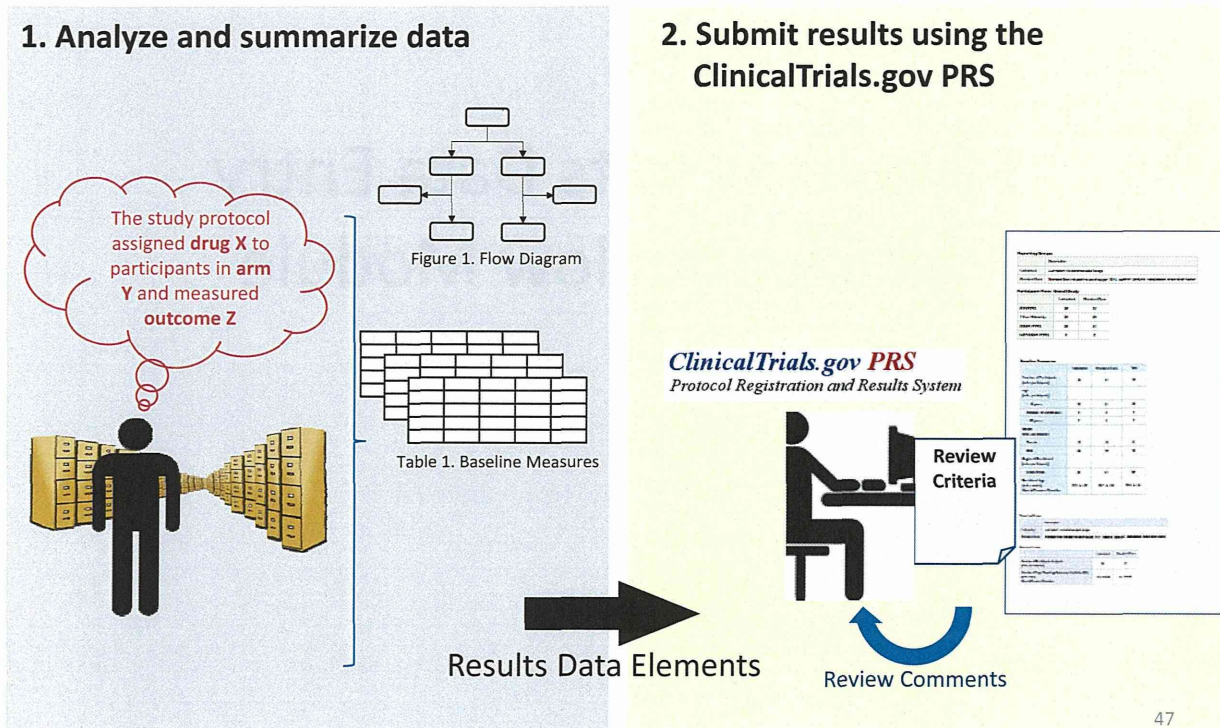
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ClinicalTrials.gov Results Statistics (as of 1/27/2016)

- 19,800 studies with results posted
 - Approximately 33% of records are posted on initial submission (others require revisions)
- 1,017 Industry sponsors have submitted 58% of the studies with results
- 1,639 Non-Industry sponsors have submitted 42% of the studies with results
- PRS Review time about 30 days

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Two Basic Steps for Submitting Results



Experience with Results Database

- Entering results is similar to the process of preparing a journal article
- Data provider must be familiar with the study design and data analysis
 - Typically, the investigator and/or a statistician will need to be involved