
Using a Digitized Study Design and Planning to Drive Process Automation

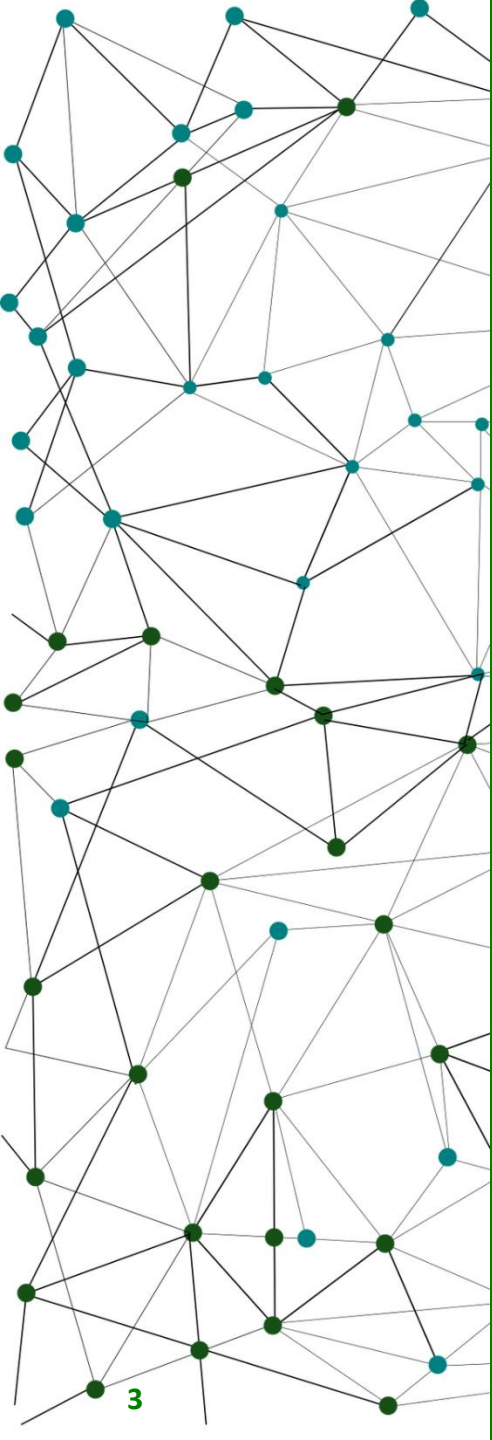
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Introduction

One Dimensional Standardization

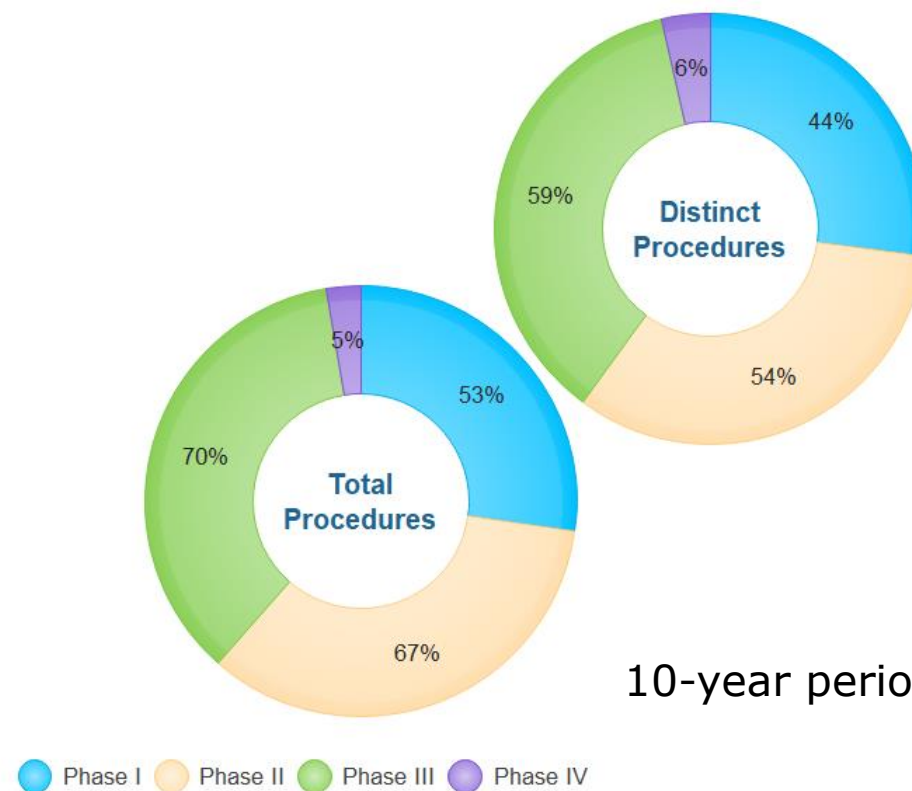
Has the Benefit of Data Standards been fully Realized?

- The bulk of standardization in clinical trials today revolves around the CDISC standards, not least because of regulatory mandates
- End-to-end standardization has focused largely on Data Collection (CDASH) to Tabulation (SDTM)
- Standardization is at the study level with some consideration given to managing consistency across studies in a program
- Standardization is pretty much one-dimensional
- Increasing complexity in study design and data sources continually challenge this one-dimensional approach
- The benefits of data standards cannot be realized with this limited approach

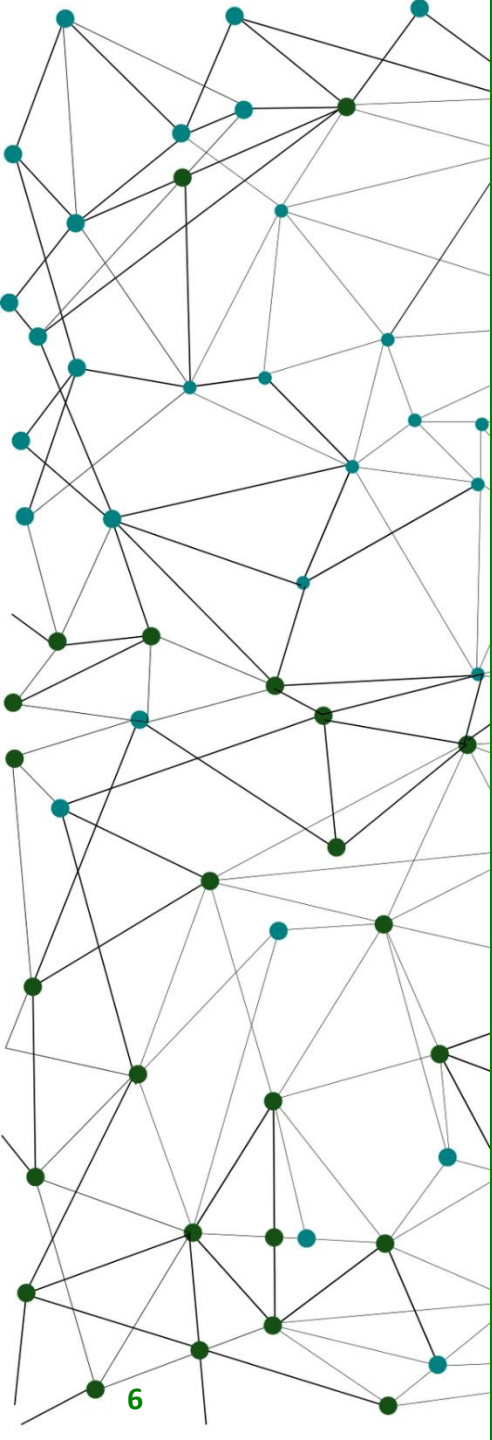
Study Protocol Design Trends

A Typical Phase III Protocol	2001 - 2005	2011-2015
Total Number of Endpoints	7	13
Total Number of Eligibility Criteria	31	50
Total Number of Procedures	110	187
Total Number of Procedures per visit	10	13
Proportion of Procedures that are 'Non Core'	18%	31%
Total number of data points collected*	494,236	929,203

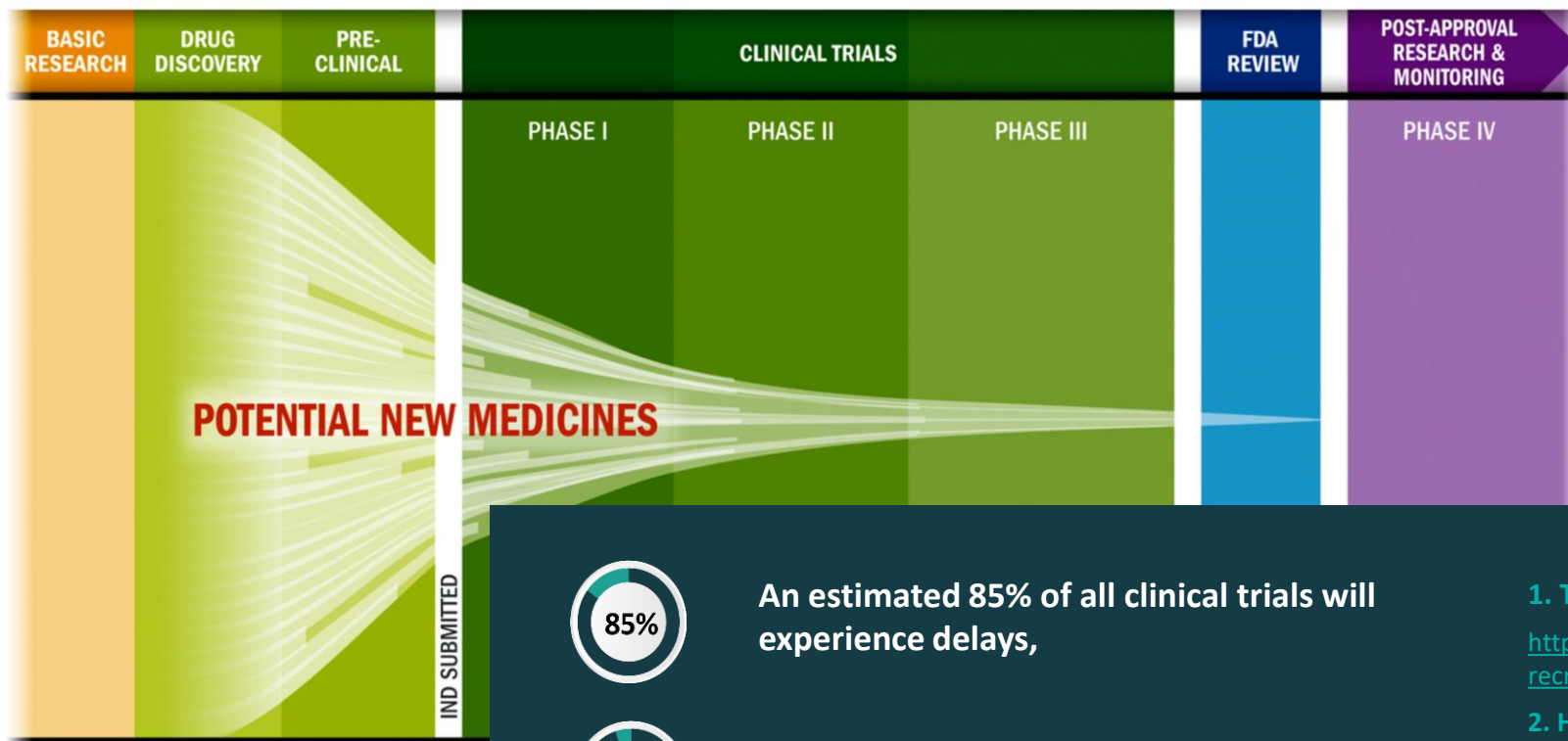
Source: K. Getz, Tufts CSDD; *Medidata Solutions



10-year period (2005-2015)



Drivers for change



Delays



An estimated 85% of all clinical trials will experience delays,



With 94% being delayed over a month [1]



The financial impact can be massive, costing between \$600,000 - \$8 million every day. [2]

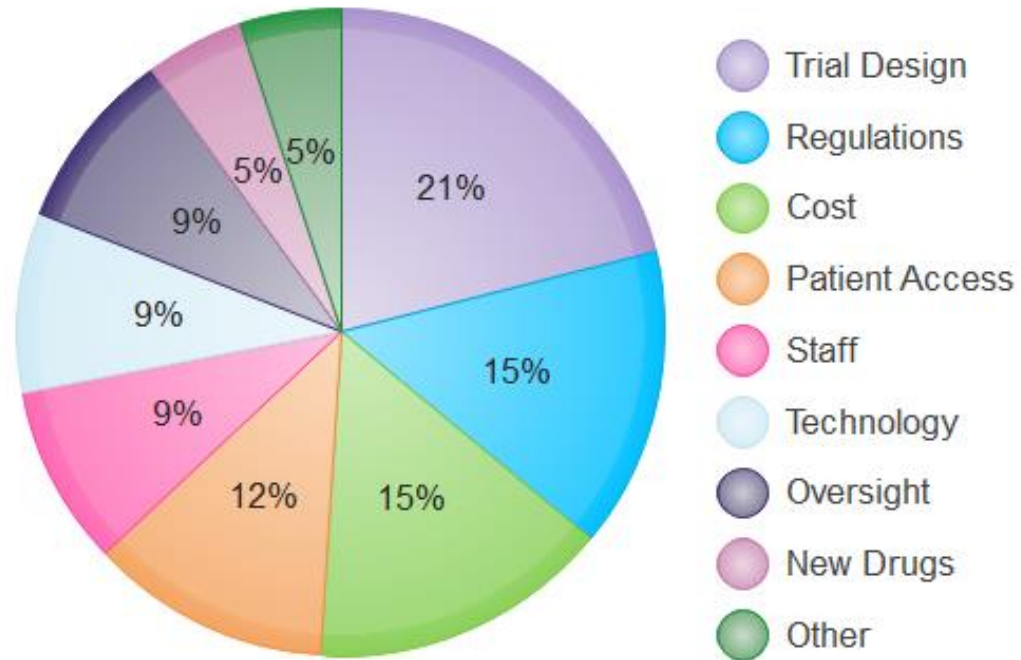
1. The 3R's of Clinical Trials: Recruitment-Retention-Reward

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Clinical Operations Challenges



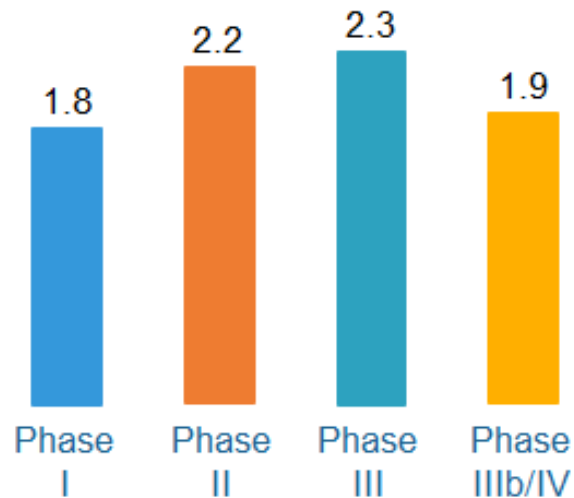
knect365.com, Clinical Trials Innovation, Report: Biggest Challenges Clinical Trials

Clinical trials have been growing increasingly complex for years – under pressure to design trials that:

- Give the right answers
- Simple and unobtrusive for patients
- Acceptable to regulators and payers

Study Protocol Amendments Trends

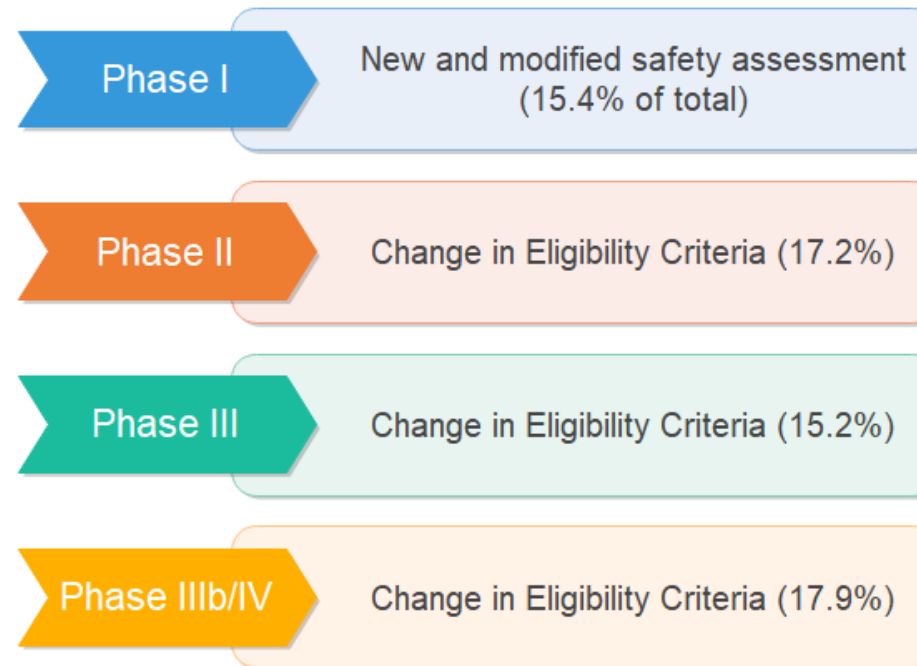
Mean number of amendments per protocol

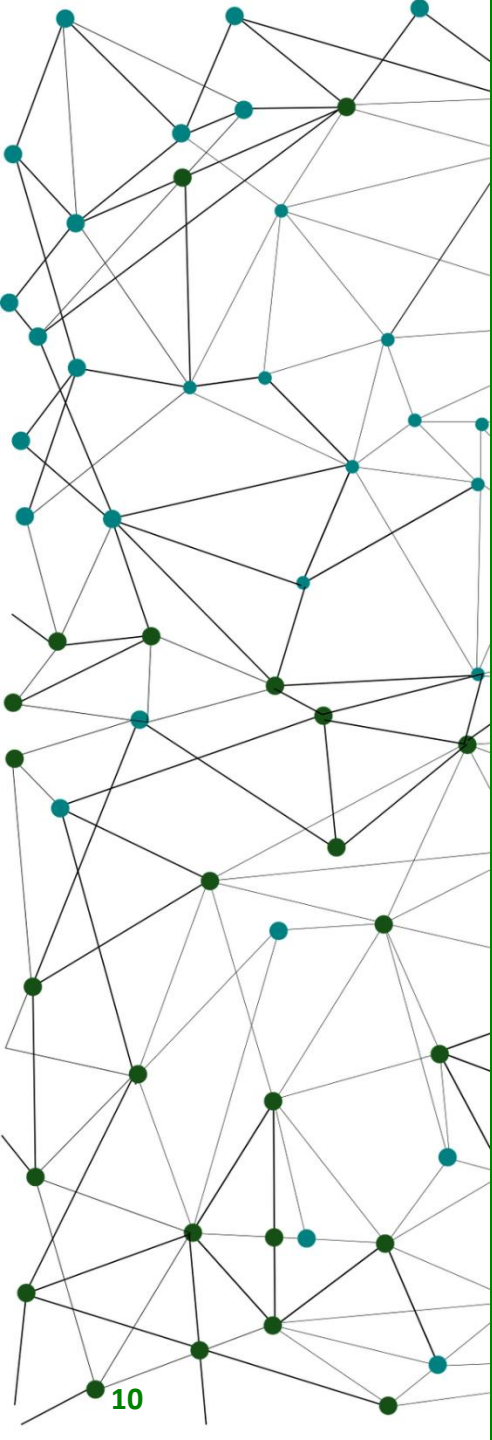


Implementation cost per amendment:

- On average 3 month of unplanned time
- 141 K\$ in direct cost of Phase II protocols
- 535 K\$ in direct cost of Phase III protocols

Top reason for amendment

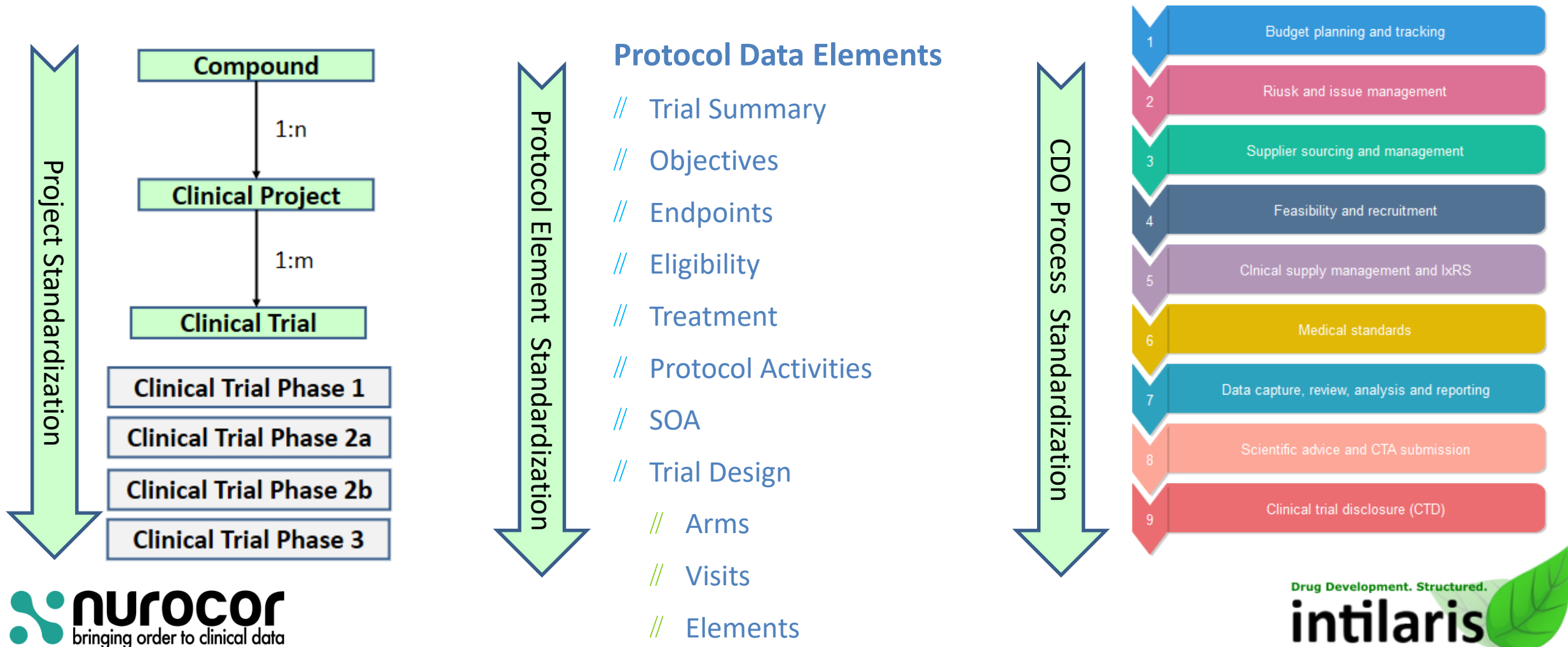




Three Dimensions of Standardization

A Digitized Clinical Development Process

Three Dimensions of Standardization



The Role of TransCelerate's Common Protocol Template

- ❑ The protocol must be considered in end-to-end standardization as it is the first point where deviation from standards can occur
- ❑ The CPT provides an excellent starting point for protocol standardization, but we require more than a template. It provides the opportunity for development of a common protocol model
- ❑ A digitized authoring solution, supported up by an MDR, provides the bridge between study planning, study design and study execution
- ❑ A digitized schedule of activities (SOA) connected to downstream standards drives automation and consistency
- ❑ A digitized protocol connected to downstream standards reduces cycle times on study start up

The Second Dimension of Standardization

- ❑ Standardization of the Clinical Development Plan (CDP)
- ❑ Once a digitized end-to-end study standardization (protocol to submission) is in place we can standardize at the program level
- ❑ With a metadata model that supports CDP a digitized solution can drive standardization across a program
- ❑ A digitized solution with workflow capabilities can capture decisions for changes made to the CDP over time. Stored centrally this provides:
 - A central knowledgebase
 - A system of record for CDP changes
 - A feedback mechanism to refine subsequent studies in a plan

The Third Dimension of Standardization

- ❑ Clinical Development Process Standardization
- ❑ Digitized end-to-end study standardization with a digitized CDP provides opportunities for standardization and automation of Clinical Development Processes.
- ❑ With a digitized protocol solution the protocol authoring task is no longer a linear, or, serial process
- ❑ No longer dependent on a final signed protocol “document” multiple processes can run in parallel with a digitized protocol solution
 - Feasibility & Recruitment
 - Clinical Supply Chain
 - EDC build
- ❑ The standards driven approach improves overall quality

Benefits of Digitized 3D Standardization

01

Reduce number of protocols amendments prior First-Patient-First-Visit (FPFV)

02

Reduce number of CRO contract changes due to late change in design or inconsistent usage of medical standards

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Reduce number of data points being captured

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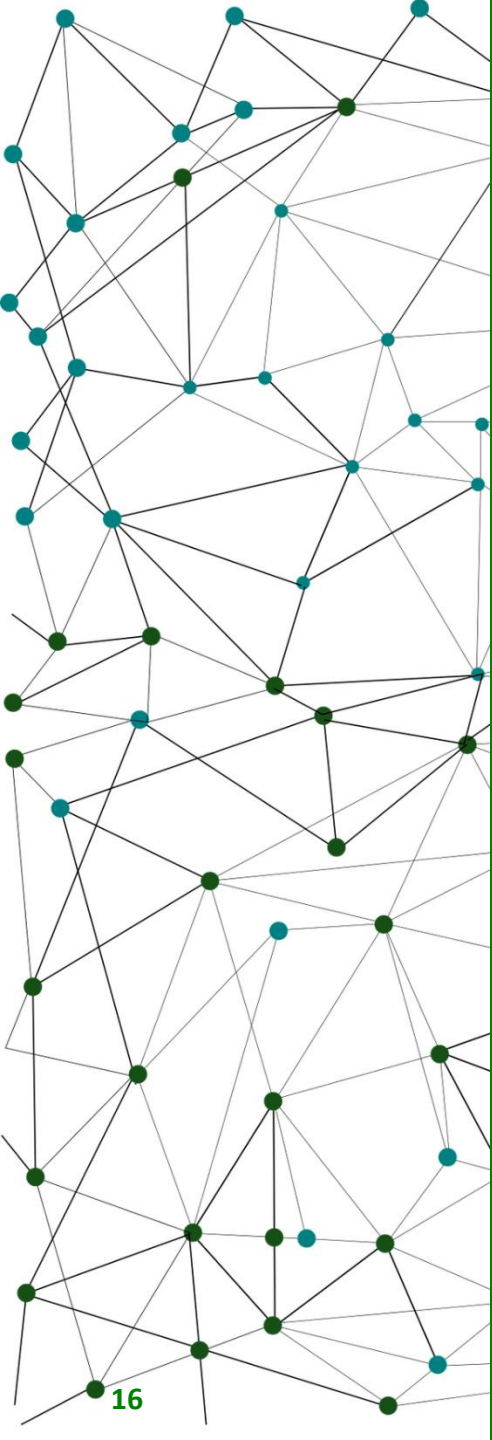
Direct access and use of medical standards in Metadata Repository (MDR)

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Use structured protocol data to fully realize End to End (E2E) efficiency goals

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Transforming TPP, CDP and Study Definition into an integrated digital platform to leverage the benefits of having this information available in a machine-readable format



Conclusion

It's Time to Think of Clinical Development Standardization in 3D

Outlook

- ❑ Digitized Protocol Solution
 - CPT based
- ❑ MDR Integration
 - With downstream system integrations
- ❑ CDP/TPP view and alignment
- ❑ This is Disruptive Innovation with the capability to significantly improve clinical development process automation
 - Holistic application of clinical development standards
 - Reduce unnecessary protocol amendments
 - Adapt the CDP with a digitized feedback loop
 - Make critical program decisions early
 - Reduce time to market
 - Bring medicines to patients sooner



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