

Understanding and Applying Digital Biomarkers

A "Beyond-the-Lab" Approach to Diagnostics Development

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Digital Health enters a new era of "Digital Medicine"















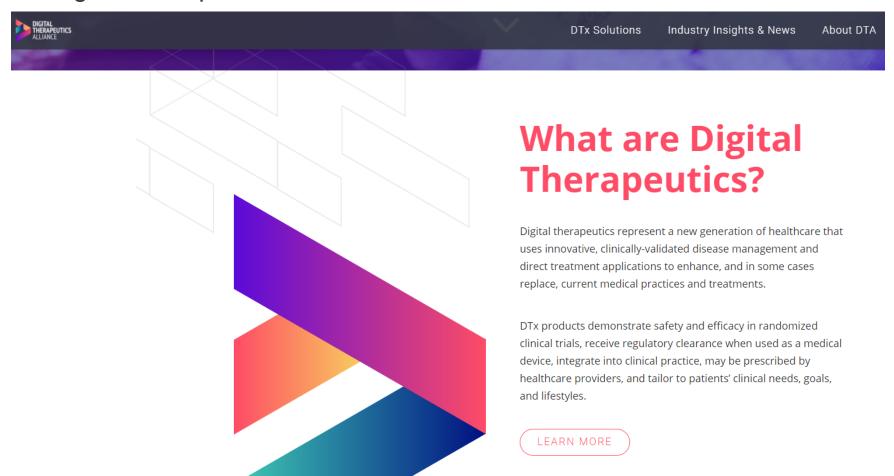








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An objective, quantifiable physiological, cognitive or behavioral characteristic that is collected and measured by means of digital devices such as portables, wearables, interactives, implantables or ingestibles. The data collected are typically used to explain, influence and/or predict health-related outcomes. A digital biomarker is not a qualitative or patient-reported assessment.

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- ▼ Tumor Volume Measured by Computed Tomography
- ✓ Plasma Fibrinogen in COPD
- ✓ Total Hip Bone Mineral Density (BMD)
- ✓ Cerebral Spinal Fluid (CSF) Markers in Alzheimer's Disease
- Exacerbations of Chronic Pulmonary Disease Tool (EXACT)
- Asthma Daily Symptom Diary (ADSD)

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- ☑ Physical mobility over time in Parkinson's
- ✓ Attention task performance in Alzheimer's
- ✓ Sleep quality tracker in COPD
- ☑ Analysis of vocal features in CHF
- ✓ Measures of social engagement in MDD.
- Compliance/adherence data
- PROs or other outcome assessments
- Broad cognitive assessments
- Telemedicine interviews, text messaging

Integrating Digital Health into Biomarker Programs

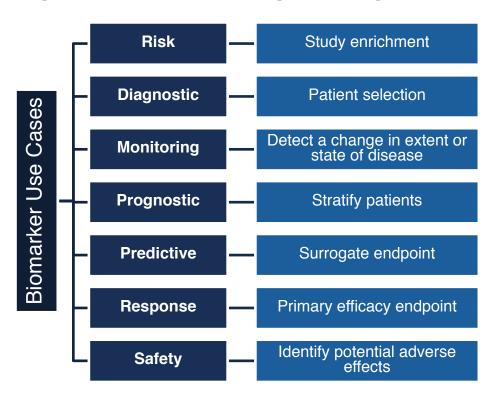
Goal: Enrich the ability of diagnostics to provide a more complete picture of the patient to pharma developers and to clinicians

- Initial, easy pre-screen for more complex, burdensome Dx
- ► Ongoing, at-home analyses to identify need for additional Dx workup
- ► Generate contextual patient metadata to inform Dx results
- Hybrid biological-digital signal for improved detection

Result: total picture of health, allowing for better interpretation of study results, improved detection of outcomes and trends

How can we use Digital Biomarkers?

Digital Biomarkers leverage existing Biomarker Use Cases...

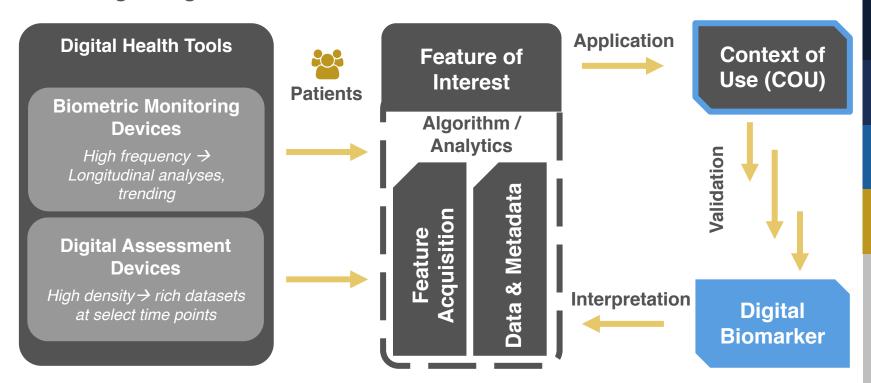


...and offer unique advantages

- Can objectively capture broader context of disease, including measurement of activities of daily living and QoL indicators
- Can be measured directly in actual patient use settings
- ► High frequency of measurements enables longitudinal analyses
- Complex datasets good candidates for Big Data and AI analytics
- Highly compatible with virtual studies, real world evidence collection

How do we get from Digital Health to Digital Biomarker?

Generating a "Digital Biomarker"



Understanding Digital Biomarkers: 3 Case Studies



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How do we validate Digital Biomarkers?

CDER Digital Health Tools FDA Regulation in Clinical Trials Digital Health No FDA Regulatory Scrutiny required Tools that are No QMS required **NOT Medical** Consider including summary info in IND, FDA Context of Use **Devices** meetings **Digital Health** No FDA Regulatory Scrutiny required Tools that are No QMS required; limited QMS may be advisable **Medical Devices** Consider including detail in IND, FDA meetings Enforcement Discretion Determine if NSR (likely), IDE Exempt **Digital Health** Design Controls & Abbreviated IDE Requirements Tools that are Include detail in IND, FDA meetings **Medical Devices** Combination product?



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Why: How will its output be used?

- Enrichment for reinforcing study entry criteria, enhancing subgroup enrollment;
- Diagnostic for determining diagnosis, or screening for further diagnosis;
- Monitoring for detecting changes in extent or state of disease;
- Prognostic for determining course of illness or treatment; or
- Predictive for treatment outcomes and safety assessment.

Evidence to Support Context of Use

Scientific Validity

- Scientific validity: a clinical or scientific linkage between the Digital
 Biomarker and the condition being studied that supports use of the biomarker
- Typically substantiated by literature, mechanism of action, or a wellarticulated scientific or clinical rationale

Fit-for-Purpose

- Targeted, evolving set of data that, as a whole, supports the use of the Digital Biomarker for its specific COU
- Recognizes dynamic nature of developing Digital Biomarkers and investigating drugs

Validation

- Validation of the performance (and/or other characteristics) of the Digital Biomarker that allows its output to be interpretable
- Based on COU: Clinical validity, Analytical validity, Construct validity, etc. (e.g., test-retest reliability; NPV/PPV; comparison to reference standard)

Qualification

- Qualification is a conclusion that within the stated COU, the Digital Biomarker can be relied on to have a specific interpretation in drug development
 - Digital Biomarkers can be qualified case-by-case; formal FDA Biomarker Qualification Program can apply for traditional biomarkers

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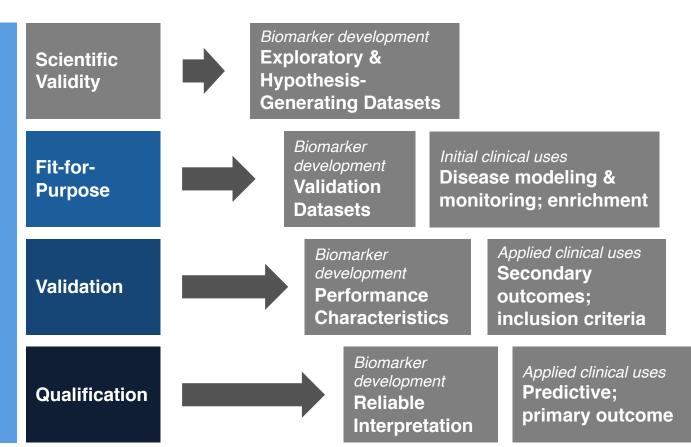
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Evidence to Support Context of Use – Benefit/Risk



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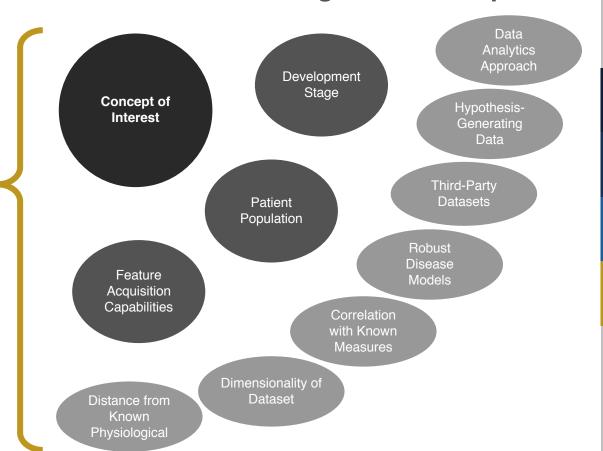
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Evidence to Support Context of Use – Finding the Sweet Spot

Scientific **Validity** Context of Use Fit-for-**Purpose Validation**

Qualification



Validation Strategies to Support Digital Biomarkers

Traditional Approach



- Large, prospective validation studies
- Stand-alone or fully integrated into pharma study
- Dependent on clinical sites, CRO infrastructure

Virtual Studies



- Decentralized, infrastructure-light
- Patient in home use setting
- Fast enrollment

Pooled Datasets



- Validation study with multiple different studies as inputs
- Relies on poolability analysis across different studies
- Leverage multiple studies in parallel to validate quickly

Real World Evidence



- Utilize on-market product to generate data and expand claims, COU
- Can leverage virtual study and phase 4 study infrastructure
- Allows for fit-for-purpose in pharma studies, to be validated later

Iterative / Bridging



- Rely on multiple smaller studies, designed to allow for bridging
- Allows adaptation and refinement of product over time
- Can rely on all validation strategy features above

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Medibio & Otsuka



Medibio Enters Into an Agreement with Otsuka Pharmaceutical Development & Commercialization, Inc.

- Medibio will leverage its proprietary Digital Mental Health platform to process
 Otsuka clinical data with the goal of further clarifying the role of biomarker-based,
 objective measures in management of serious mental illness.
- Paid commercial arrangement for Medibio

Sydney, Australia and Minneapolis, MN – 9 October 2017: Medibio Limited (MEB or the Company) (ASX: MEB) (OTCQB: MDBIF), is a mental health technology company that has pioneered the use of objective biometrics to assist in the screening, diagnosing, monitoring and management of depression and other mental health conditions, is pleased to announce it has entered into an agreement with Otsuka Pharmaceutical Development & Commercialization, Inc. (Otsuka).

Akili & Pfizer



Akili and Pfizer Present Positive Data from Digital Biomarker Study to Detect Subtle Cognitive Changes in Healthy Subjects at Risk of Developing Alzheimer's Disease

Digital platform may represent new, non-invasive method to screen for amyloid deposits in asymptomatic and early disease populations for Alzheimer's drug research and treatment

Data presented at the International Conference on Clinical Trials for Alzheimer's Disease

December 09, 2016 11:30 AM Eastern Standard Time

BOSTON--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Akili Interactive Labs, Inc. and Pfizer Inc. (NYSE: PFE) today presented positive topline data showing that Akili's proprietary technology platform detected a statistically significant difference between subjects with and without brain amyloidosis, the primary biomarker for Alzheimer's risk. The study was part of a collaborative trial designed by Pfizer and Akili, and topline results were presented at the International Conference on Clinical Trials for Alzheimer's Disease in San Diego, CA.

Science 37 & AOBiome



Science 37 and AOBiome Complete Industry-First Virtual Clinical Trial Through Metasite™ (Decentralized) Operating Model

Science 37 conducts entire interventional Phase 2b "site-less" clinical trial, enrolling 372 patients across 10 states using its proprietary mobile telemedicine-based platform, NORA®

October 24, 2017 08:01 AM Eastern Daylight Time

PLAYA VISTA, Calif.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Science 37, a trailblazing company focused on "site-less" clinical trials, announced today the completion of a Phase 2b study for AOBiome, a clinical-stage life sciences company, in which it screened over 8,000 people with mild-to-moderate acne and enrolled 372 participants to take part in this research study all from the comfort of their own homes. This is the first time that a Phase 2b interventional randomized placebo controlled trial of this kind has been successfully run one hundred percent virtually. In a separate announcement, AOBiome reported positive efficacy and safety findings from the study, available at this link.

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Digital Biomarkers: Additional Resources

- ► FDA Drug Development Tool (DDT) Program: Biomarkers
- ► FDA Guidance (CDER & CDRH)
- Critical Path Institute (C-PATH)
- ► CDISC (Data Standards)

- Clinical Trials Transformation Initiative (CTTI)
- Medical Device Innovation Consortium (MDIC)
- Digital Biomarkers Journal