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Evidence Generation with Real World Data in Belgium: Lessons Learned

Bart Verheyden & Katoo Muylle



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'DATA IS THE NEW OIL'

67 votes

'DATA IS THE NEW OIL'			
Agree			
	78%		
Disagree			
	22%		



Data is the new oil?



Highly valuable resource



Driver for (economic) growth



Processing needed to bring value



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Ownership



Infinite resource



Unlimited re-use (FAIR)

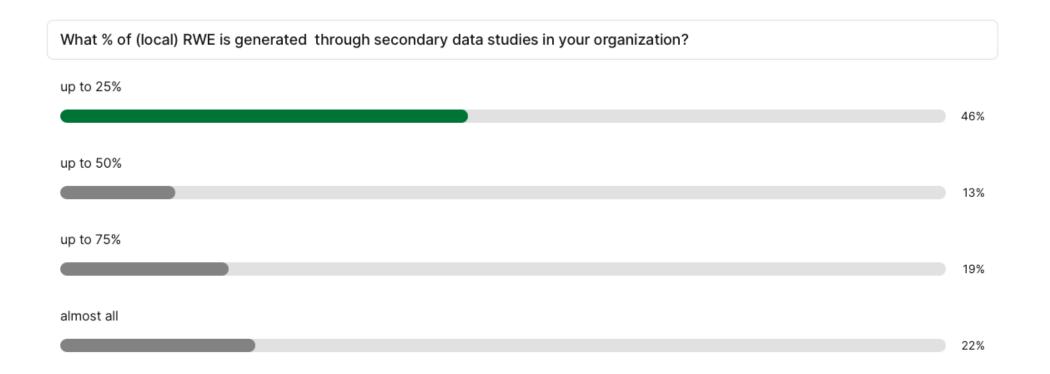


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What % of (local) RWE is generated through secondary data studies in your organization?

54 votes





Shift from primary data collection towards secondary data studies for local RWE generation

2020

>75% primary

CRO

Observational, prospective
Dozens of patients
Mostly single-center
CRF-based, centralized

Timelines ↓

Impact ↑

Cost-efficiency ↑



2025

>75% secondary

Data-partnerships Retrospective, 2nd data

Thousands of patients

Mostly multi-center

OMOP-based, federated



BE is frontrunner in health-data digitalization, but the full potential for real-world research is not yet reached

Figure 8.11. Access to electronic health records, 2022 and 2023

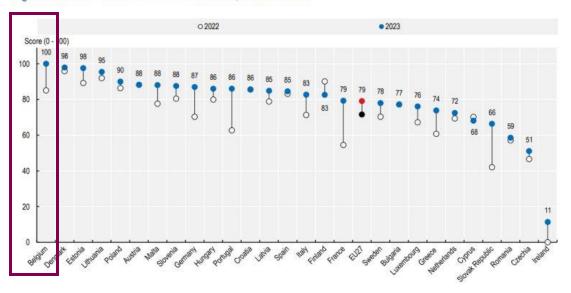
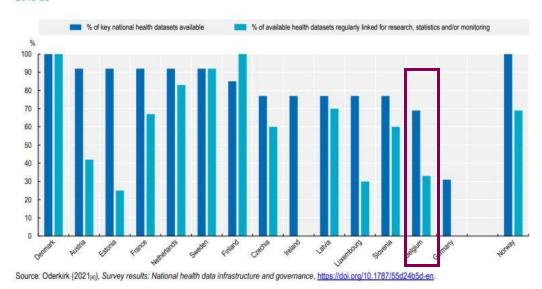


Figure 8.12. Percentage of key national health datasets available and regularly linked for monitoring and research, 2019-20

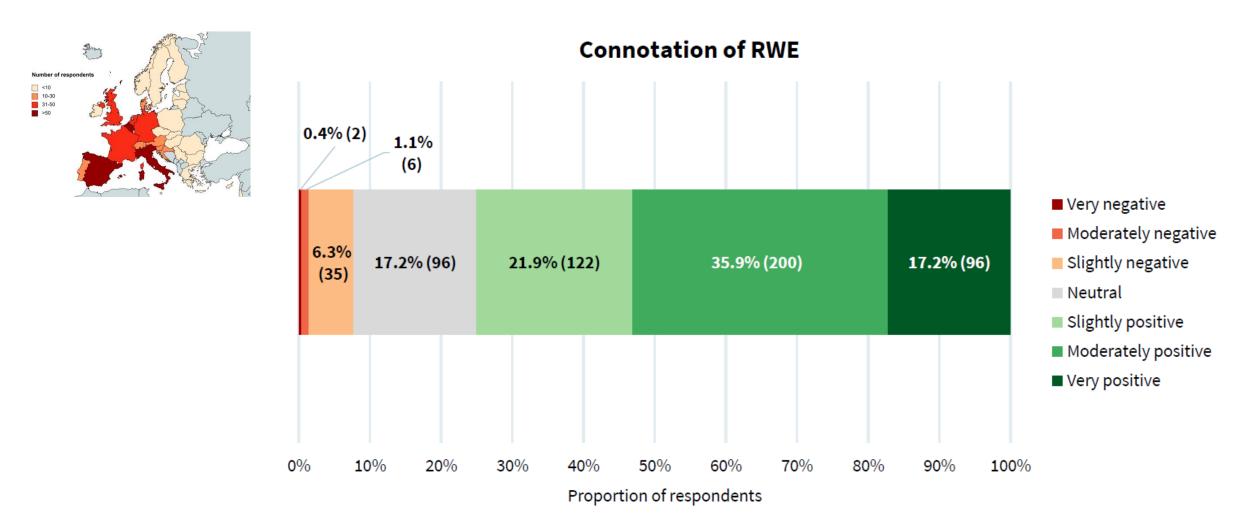


Source: European Commission (2024[1]), Digital Economy and Society Index (DESI)

Source: Health at a Glance, Europe 2025 (OECD - (Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development)



Over 70% of cancer clinicians have positive opinions about RWE





What are the 3 most impactful use-purposes of RWE generation in your organization?

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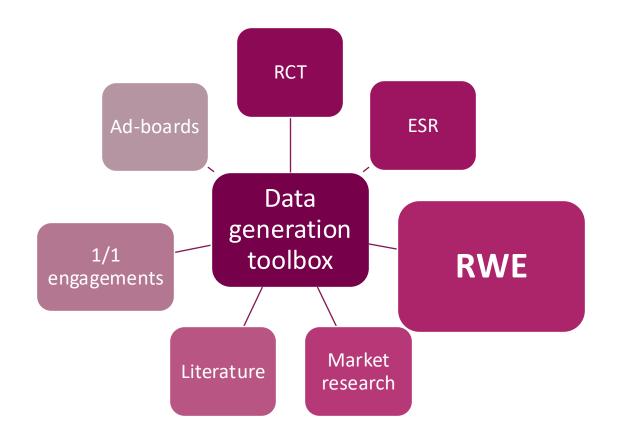
61 votes



RWE impact does not depend on the use-purpose but rather on how (fit-for-purpose) it is integrated in strategic planning

Factors determining impact:

- Evidence gap
- Product life cycle phase
- Treatment landscape
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Our mission



Plan, generate and communicate fitfor-purpose local real-world evidence, complementary to the existing body of evidence and insights, aimed to maximize the impact of our therapies for all eligible patients



Key-challenges & lessons learned from secondary data studies



Slido: What are your key challenges for RWE generation with secondary data studies?

61 votes What are key challenges with the secondary use of health data for RWE generation? Review answers 90 > Turning data in meningfull evidence Privacy scare Vendor lock-in Validation original Trust fear misperception Governance **Availability** Data cleaning Transparency Regulities **Standardization** Quality **Data quality** data **Takeaction** Regulation accuracy Trust Access **Quality of data** Privacy **Standards Unstructured data** Interoperability **GDPR Bias Timeliness** Ownership collectors **Data linking** Silos Cost Refsets Scattered depend old data lack of granularity Time **Targeted information Uniform Catalogue** Resources



Key challenges for evidence generation with RWD







Collaboration model

Data quality

Scalability



Collaboration model

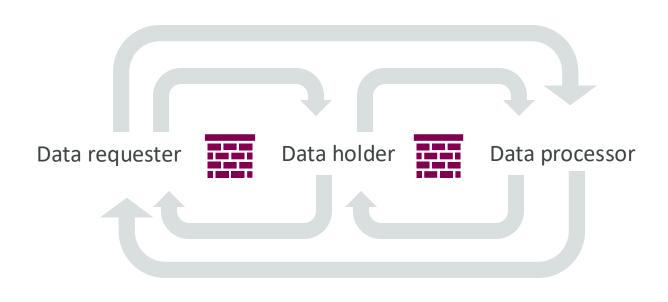


Moving towards an efficient collaboration model

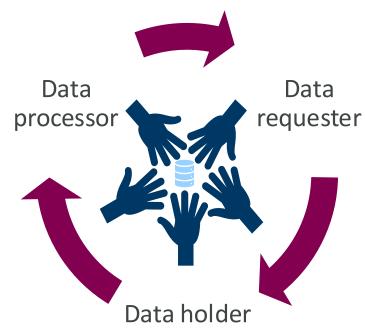
From transactional relationship

towards





Working in silos
Unclear roles and responsibilities
Long approval timelines
Misinterpretation



Exchange of expertise
Clear governance structure for RWD studies
Shorter timelines
Better data quality

EHDS as enabler



Data quality



Slido: What are your main concerns regarding data quality with secondary data studies?

What are your main concerns regarding data quality with secondary data studies? Review answers 42 In eyes of beholder Loss of FU Scalability Representation Harmonisation Representativity Reproducibility Interpretation Unstructured clinical data Source data verification Collection Missing data Granularity Representativeness Missingness Quality verification No standardisation Bias Standards Not correct Data gaps Workload primary caregivers Completeness **Timeliness** Time **Selection bias** Fiabity Text **Definitions** Registration at source Uncontrolled growth of data Operationalisation Data verification Plausibility Missings



44 votes

Data quality depends on the purpose





Fit-for-purpose data quality

Availability

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Access

≠

Quality

Progression is documented...

...in the clinical notes...

...mostly







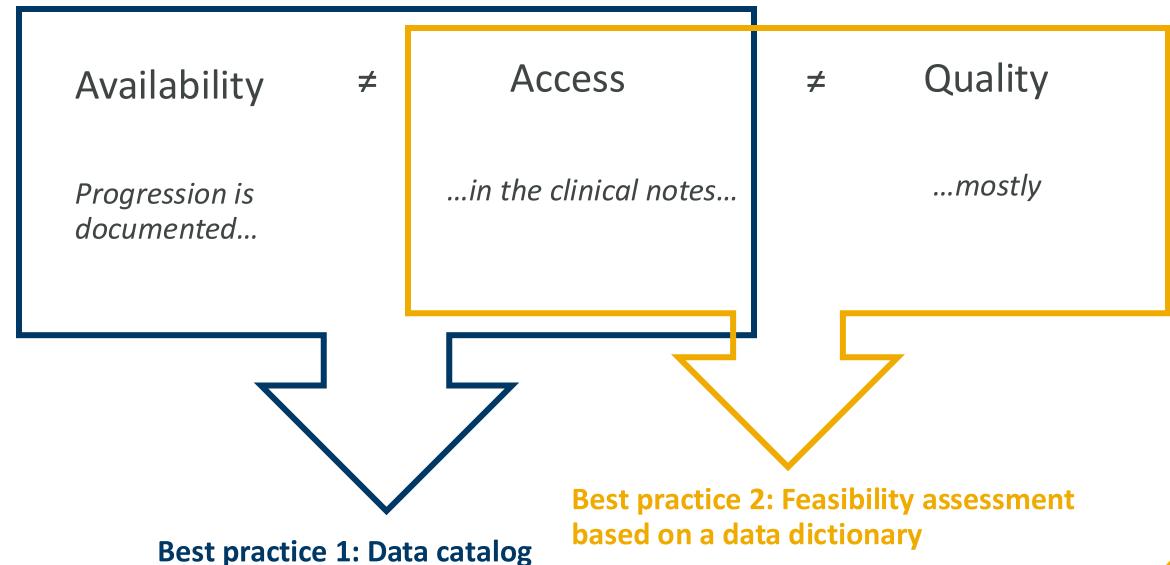
Access to clinical notes?

NLP needed to unlock unstructured data?

Completeness?
Consistency?
Accuracy?

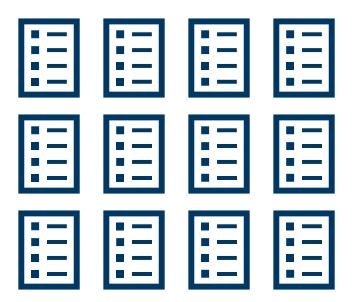


Fit-for-purpose data quality





Step 1.Data catalog



A data catalog is a library of datasets describing key metadata elements helping you to make a first assessment whether a certain dataset is suitable for your purpose

Step 2. Feasibility based on data dictionary

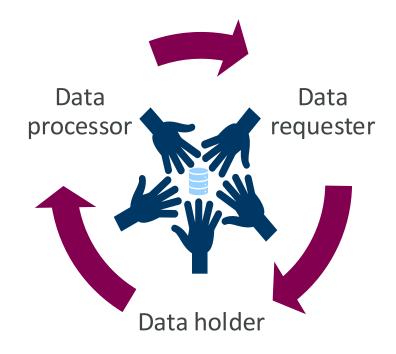


A data dictionary is already a study-specific document that contains operationalized data definitions, i.e., the technical translation of the research question(s) that gives you an answer to fit-for-purpose data quality



Expert validation to close the fit-for-purpose quality loop requires specific expertise

Technical validation and quality control



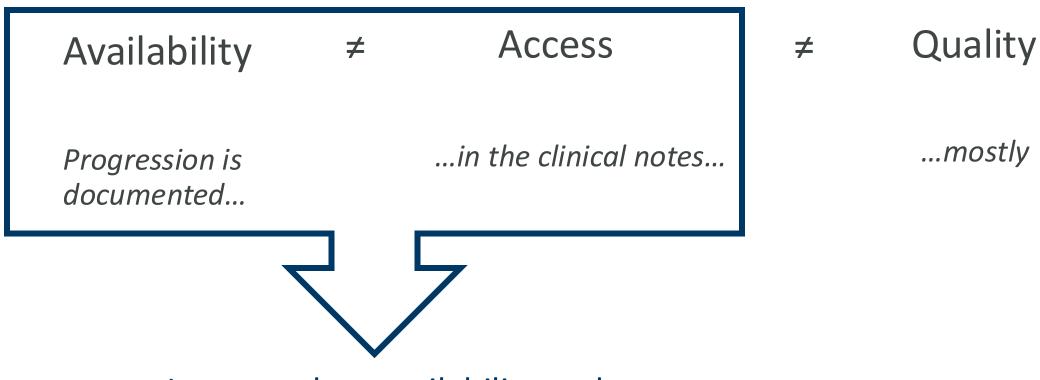
Validation of research objectives

Technical **and** medical validation Link to data origins and clinical practice

Scalability



How to improve scalability

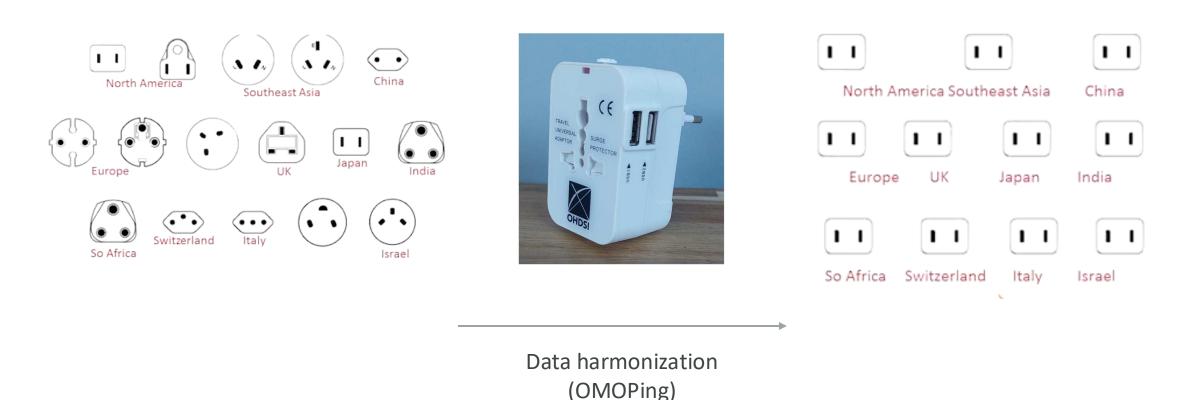


- Increase data availability and data access in more centers
- 1. OMOP common data model
- 2. Unlocking unstructured data



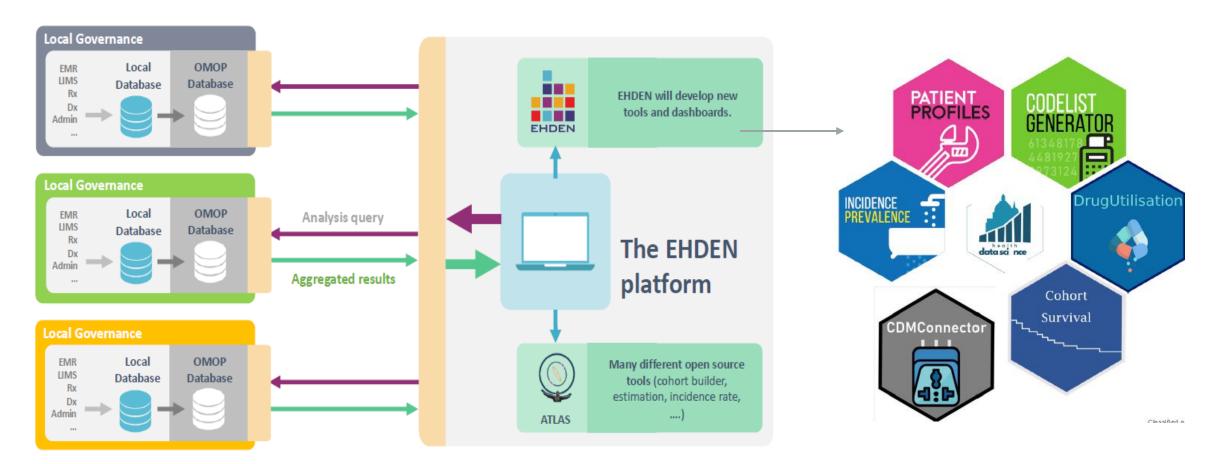
OMOP Common Data Model

A CDM is a tool to help organize data from diverse data sources and settings into a common structure, format and terminology independent from a particular study to allow efficient data re-use





OMOP Common Data Model

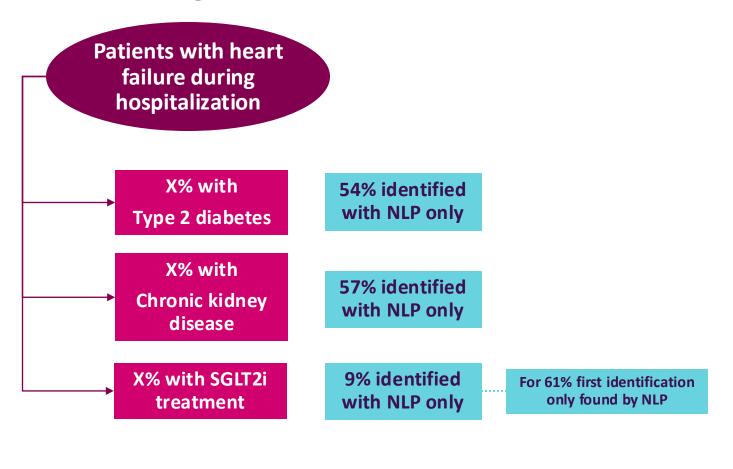


Remote (federated) analytics: collaboration while privacy preserving

Same standardized and validated opensource analytical tools can be reused leading to reliable RWE



Unlocking unstructured data via natural language processing (NLP)



Without NLP technology, at least 50% of the patients in the subgroups would not have been identified

This raises questions about known versus unknown unknowns regarding data availability and access, reinforcing the importance of a thorough feasibility



Conclusions



- 1. Growing role for secondary use of data for RWE generation
- 2. Impact of RWE depends on level of integration in broader data strategy
- 3. With EHDS as enabler we can expect
 - More data partnerships & collaborations
 - Better fit-for-purpose data quality
 - Accelerated adoption of technology to scale









MOOD project:

Major Opportunity On Depression

FORUM HEALTH DATA & DIGITALISATION
September 26th, 2025
Dr. Elke Peeters, Medical Advisor Neuroscience JNJ
David Smeets, Digital Health & Data Policy Manager

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2. Partners and Setup

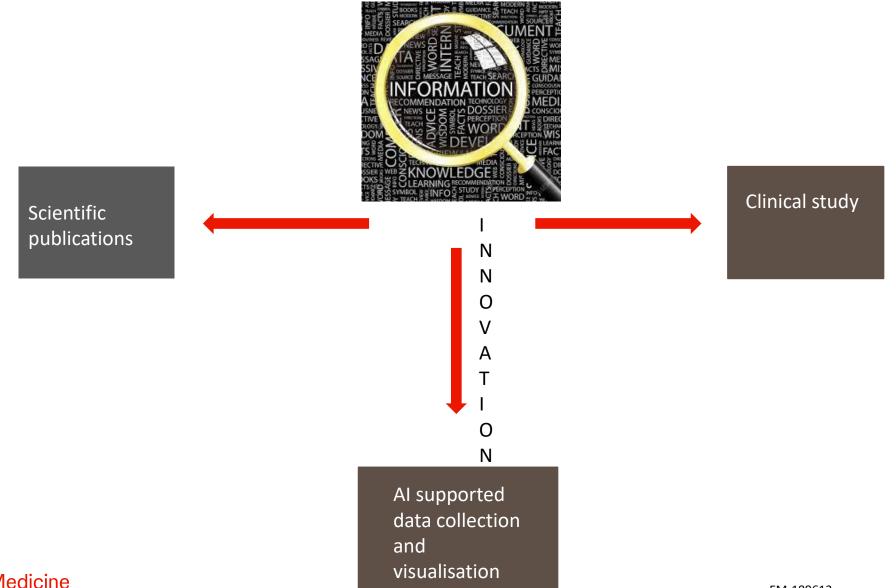
3. MOOD Cohort

4. Next Step and Q&A

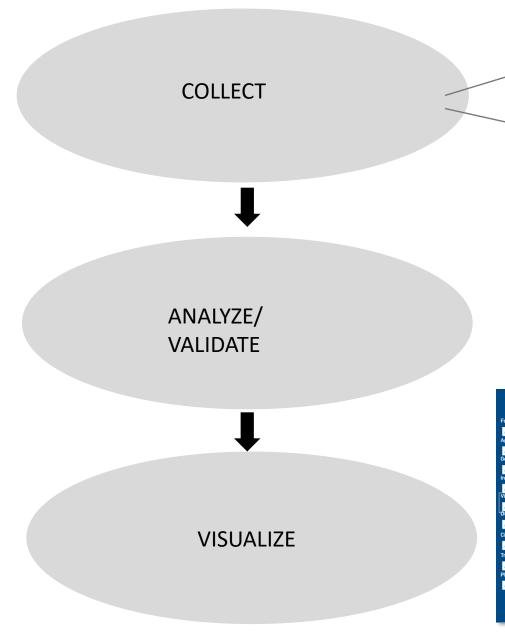
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Introduction

MOOD Project: Al supported data collection



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Structured Data

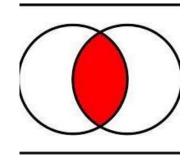
Unstructured Data: AI - NLP



MOOD Project: Al supported data collection

Psychiatry service/Hospital:

- Systematisation of experience -> care optimisation
- Compare to benchmarks over other participating centers
- Use in research/publication
- Taking a head start in data collection and AI



Win - Win

Patient:

Benefits from care optimization via
 experience based guidelines
 patient profiles to support treatment decisions
 quick advance in knowledge on new therapies

Pharmaceutical Company:

- Learnings on implementation new therapy -> optimisation
- Useful data for market access negotiations
- Define unmet needs for future research

Structural real-world evidence data network in psychiatry = collaboration on improving health care and learning from each other

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MOOD project : research objective

Research objective

- a) To better understand and visualize **the characteristics of patients** with treatment resistant depression **(TRD)** and their **treatment pathways**, in hospitals.
- b) To gain more insights in the **real-world use of novel therapies (in casu: Esketamine (esk) nasal spray** in the **TRD population),** using the following data points:
- Dosing
- Frequency
- Treatment duration
- Efficacy
- Side effects
- Changes in other antidepressant therapy or neuromodulation
- Psychiatric Emergency Room referral after index event
- Hospitalization on psychiatric ward and length of stay

Partners and Setup







Dr. Bernagie

Dr. Lievens

Dr. De Bruecker



Dr. Zeeuws Prof. Vanderbruggen



Dr. Claeys



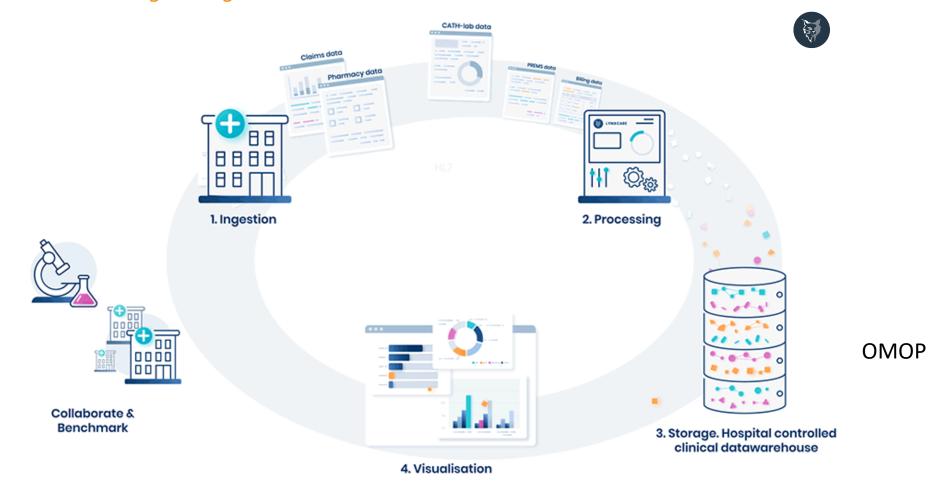
Support and facilitation

Serves many psychiatric centers in Flanders and is also active in Wallonia



Approach

From data to meaningful insights



PowerBI

Key for the project



SPEED

Fast access to clinical data together with Obasi

Near-real-time data



BREADTH & DEPTH

Granularity

High number of variables and endpoints with high level of completeness because of disease-specific NLP.



QUALITY

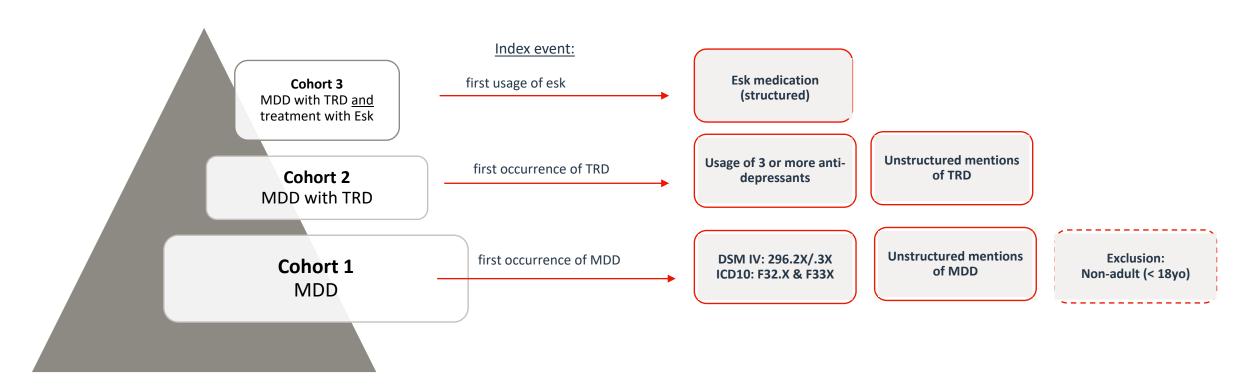
90% accuracy

Regulatory-grade clinical data with exceptional granularity and externally validated.

MOOD cohort

MOOD project: the cohort

Selection criteria



Please note: The summary reports of patients were used to extract the unstructured data. Not the detailed reports.

MDD = major depressive disorder, TRD = treatment-resistant depression, CGI = clinical global impression scale and Esk = esketamine

a) To better understand and visualize the characteristics of patients with treatment resistant depression (TRD) and their treatment pathways

Study variables and interest	Analytics
 Demographics, medication and medical history Age, sex Medical history Psychiatric history MDD diagnosis Age at diagnosis (Date index event – DoB) Treatment overview 	Any mention of these datapoints before index event and at index event. Index event = MDD. Before = broad (all data available) Any mention of e.g., HF
MDD severity (MDD severity classifications were mild, moderate, severe, and unclassified (MDD without a severity classification).	 Value of [Datapoint] MADRS Closest mention to the index event will be used to define "severity". Include DSM/ICD10 coding or descriptive mention of severity
Use of psychotherapy	Any mention before index event and at index event
Use of neuromodulation	Any mention before index event and at index event

Example	MDD with TRD	MDD with TRD and Esk
MDD diagnosis	N (%)	N (%)
Psychotherapy	N (%)	N (%)

b) More insights in the real-world use of esketamine nasal spray in the TRD population on the other hand with following data points

Study variable	Analytics and data source
Dosing	Structured data (based on medication prescription + administration (sept 2021))
Frequency	Structured data (based on medication prescription + administration (sept 2021))
Duration of treatment	Structured data, based on first and last administration => mention of "esketamine". Registration system of hospital (EPD) indicates administration
Efficacy	No response Response Remission Recovery Relapse
Long term safety profile (>6): Side effects	Number of datapoints after index event i.e., start of Esk
Psychiatric Emergency Room referral after index event	Structured data (ADT) after index event i.e., start of Esk
Hospitalization on psychiatric ward and length of stay	Structured data (ADT) after index event i.e., start of Esk
Changes in other antidepressant therapy or neuromodulation	Number of datapoints retrieved before and after index event i.e., start Esk

Clinical Dashboard and Report

Clinical Dashboard



Janssen Report

- To better understand and visualize the characteristics of patients with treatment resistant depression (TRD) in hospitals and their treatment pathways.
- More insights in the real-world use of esk nasal spray in the TRD population on the other hand with following data points:
 - Dosing
 - Frequency
 - Treatment duration
 - Efficacy
 - Side effects
 - Changes in other antidepressant therapy or neuromodulation during Esketamine nasal spray therapy
- Secondary aim: Accuracy, value and time investment

Example outputs

Dashboard +

Report

Total N patients W LYNXCARE 1269 Follow-Up Period Age group Recovery % Relapse Responded to two types of medication Combined with MAOIs NDRIS SNRI TCAs 80.0% 85.0% 20.0% **NDRIS** 1.0% 0.0% 67.4% 46.1% Index Event Year \$4.8% 43.9% 0.0% 68.3% SNRI 7.0% 96.6% 81.7% 0.0% TCAs Vital Status Depression Status Visits 100% Civil Status Treatment Intent Physician Cognitive Crisis Brain Transcranial Therapy intervention f... stimulation magnetic sti... Transcranial Mindfullness Psychotherapy Psy Hospital Emergency Department Reset filters Ħ

Table 8. Medical histories for Major Depressive Disorder (MDD), Treatment Resistant Depression (TRD), and esketamine (Esk) cohorts.

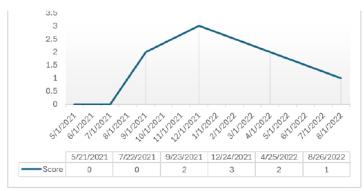
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	hyroid disease
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Dashboard = dynamic Clinical added value: example

- 1. Anhedonie
- 2. Somberheid
- 3. Gewichtsverandering
- 4. Slaapproblemen
- 5. Agitatie of vertraging
- 6. Angst
- 7. Schuld/schaamte
- 8. Verminderde concentratie/vermoeidheid
- 9. Suïcidaliteit/zwarte gedachten

Evolution over time, at what level?

- Binary: present or not
- Scoring: 0-5 (structured reporting required)





Next Steps



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Q&A



30 min.

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Dr. EPD

The Power of Medical Text

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What do the fans of West-Ham United F.C. have in common with AI?









Achtergrond Al

Is de AI-revolutie een bubbel die elk moment kan barsten? 'Sommige beleggers zullen hier serieus hun vingers aan branden'





TECHNOCRAAT DOMINIQUE DECKMYN

⊞ Sam Altman praat beter niet te veel over AI-bubbels

Sam Altman die zélf zegt dat we in een AI-bubbel zitten, dat was niet zo verstandig. Al is het natuurlijk ook gewoon de waarheid.



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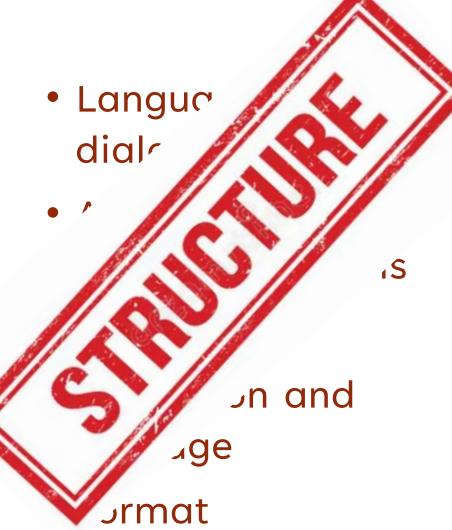
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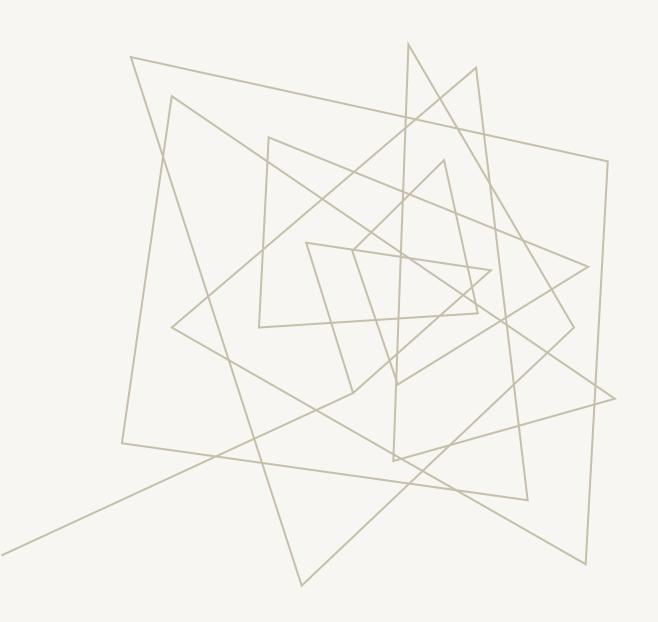
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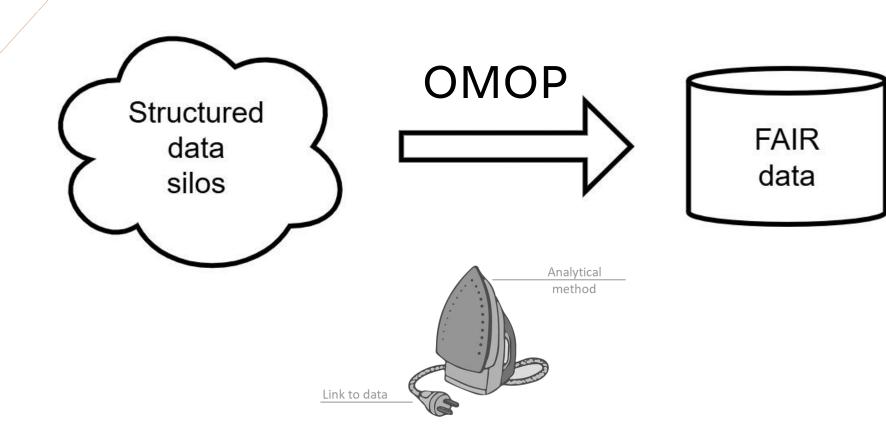
- Patient journey:
 Granular information
 on diagnosis,
 treatment and
 environment
- Common clinical practice
- Historically available







NLP > OMOP



The data...



















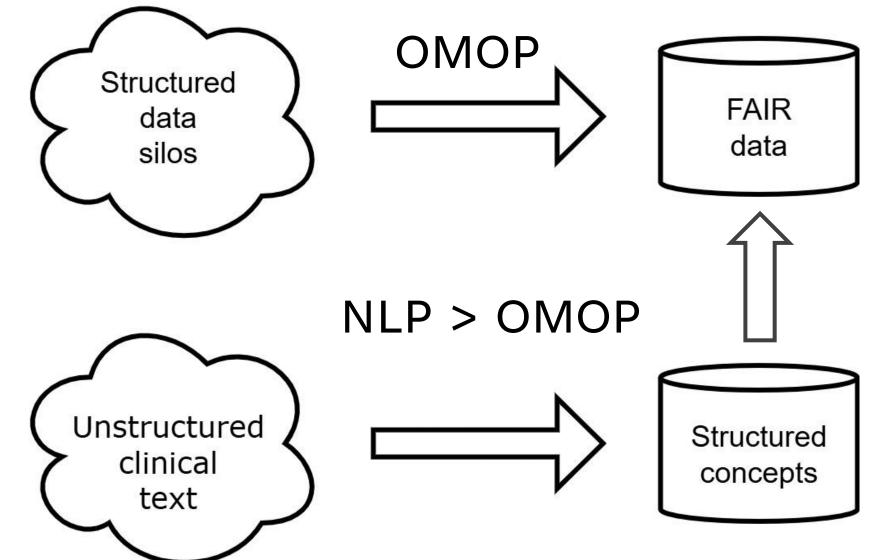






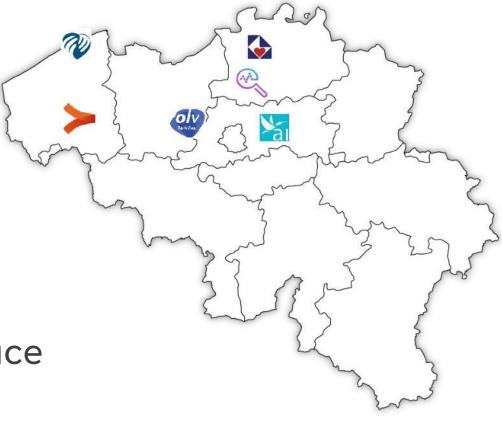






- Unstructured data
 - > Snomed CT
 - > OMOP
- Data capabilities April 2023
- 4 hospitals2 private partners
 - Generic solution
 - EPD-independent
 - Easy to use Simple interface
- Open source publication





PROBLEMS TO SOLVE

- Privacy
- Absence of historical coding > training data
- Limiting the search
- Interaction with the model
- Lack of Snomed knowledge
- Integration into OMOP CDM

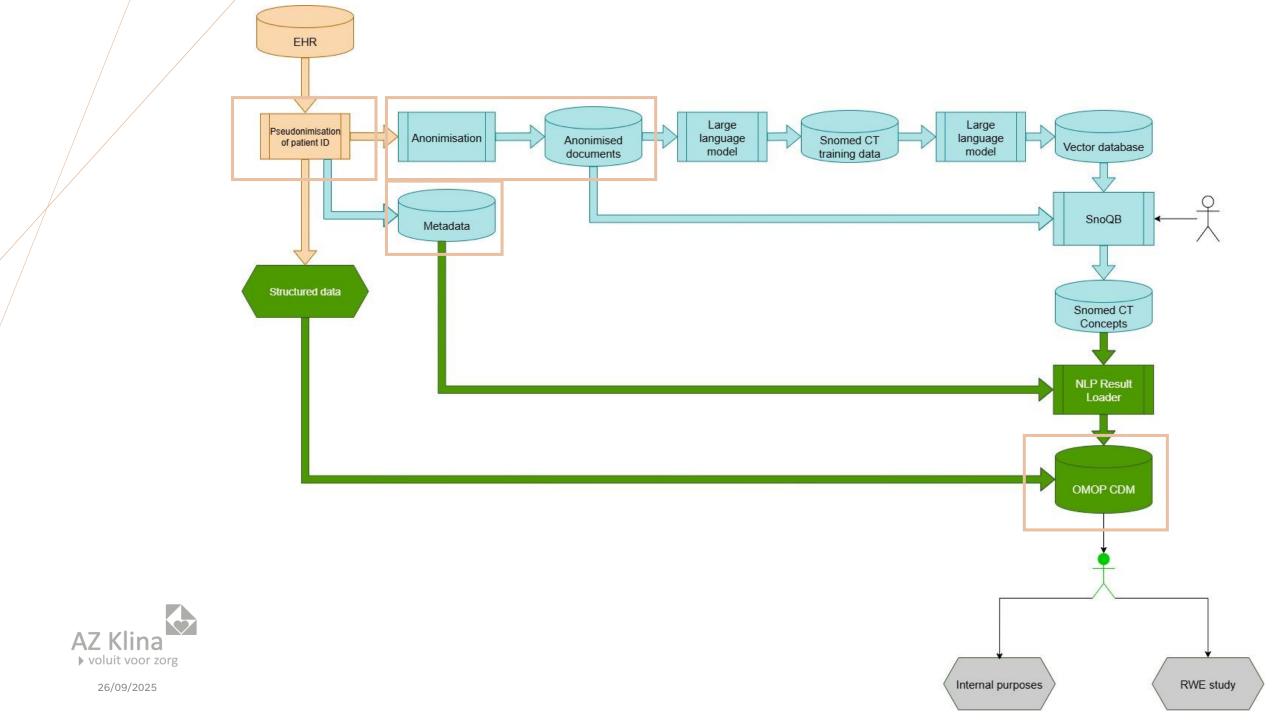


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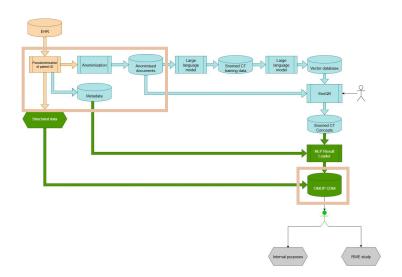
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PSEUDONIMISATION OF PATIENT ID

SPLIT TEXT AND METADATA

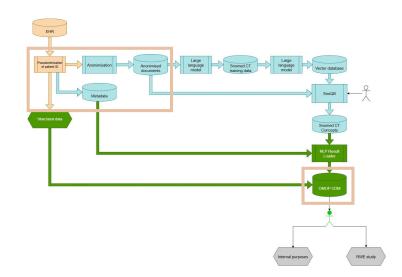
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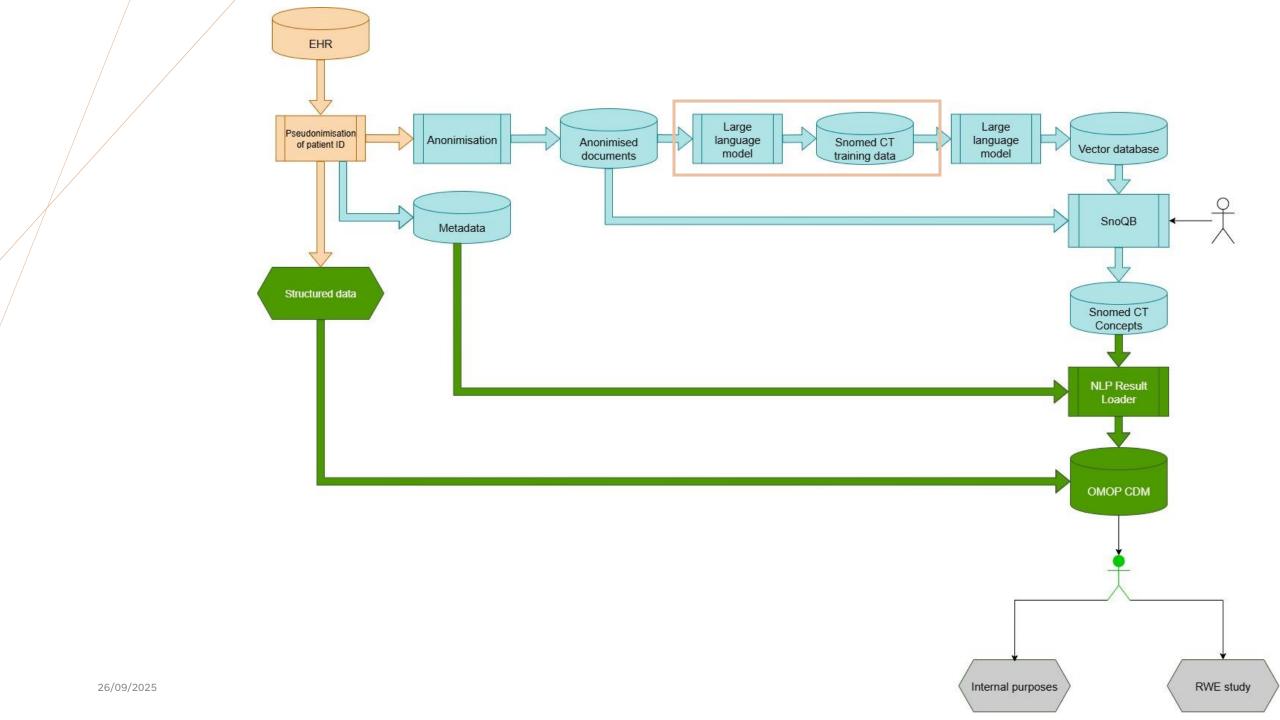
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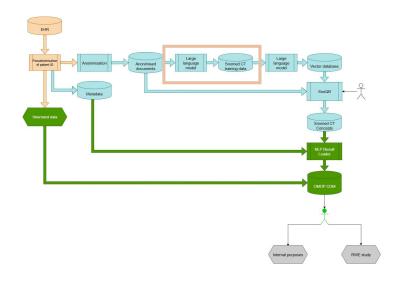
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TRAINING DATA



21.441 DOCUMENTS

2.289.835 TRAINING BLOCKS

> LLM MATCH SNOMED CT

> > SECOND INTERATION LLM



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gment: 1 x 0.5 x 0.5 cm. Een kapsel is aanwezig. Het weefsel is homogeen geel op snede. Volledig ingebed in B1.\n \n Microscopisch onderzoek :\n Dwarse doorsnede doorheen een fragme
nt bestaande uit meerdere lobuli mature vetcellen van elkaar gescheiden door dunne bindweefselsepta.\n Er is geen abnormaal aantal vaatjes. \n\n\nBesluit:\nResectie subcutaan vetgez
wel rechter knie: goedaardig: lipoom.\n \n \n <PERSOON-1>\n ELEKTRONISCH GEVALIDEERD DOOR <PERSOON-1> op 15/07/2022 12:01.Kopie aan: <PÉRSOON-2>, <PERSOON-3>\n ",
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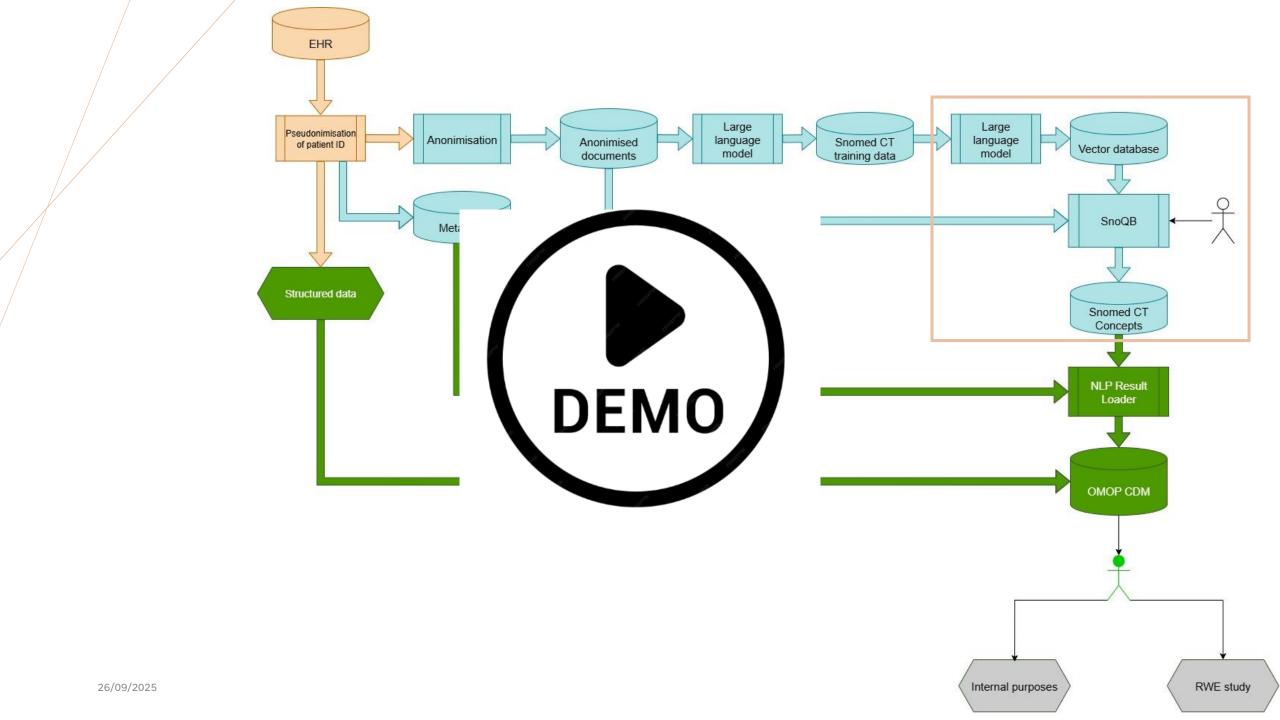
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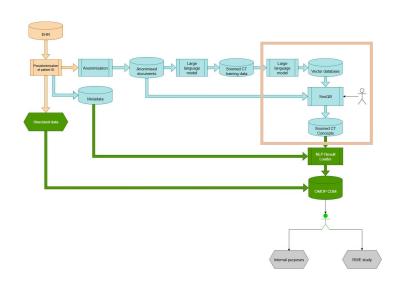
PROBLEMS TO SOLVE

- Privacy
- Absence of historical coding > training data
- Limiting the search
- Interaction with the model
- Lack of Snomed knowledge
- Integration into OMOP CDM





SNOQB



- Interaction with the model
- Limiting the search volume
- Knowledge of Snomed CT
- Post-processing negation
 - Search for negative terms
 - Match in sentence
 - Delete from snippet and re-run
- Post-processing family history

The patient shows no signs of diabetes
The patient shows

PROBLEMS TO SOLVE

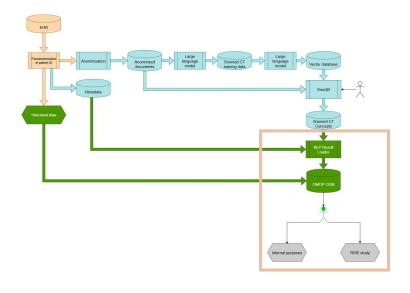
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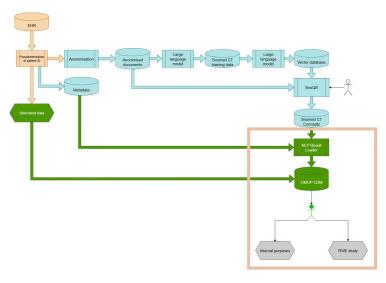
OMOP CDM

- Output
 - Snomed CT term
 - Patient ID (de-pseudonimised)
 - Document ID (de-pseudonimised)
 - Date
 - Flag for NLP
 - Negation
 - Family history





OMOP CDM



- Structured data flow + NLP > OMOP flow
 - Federated analysis
 - Federated learning
- Post-operative infection after knee prosthesis placement

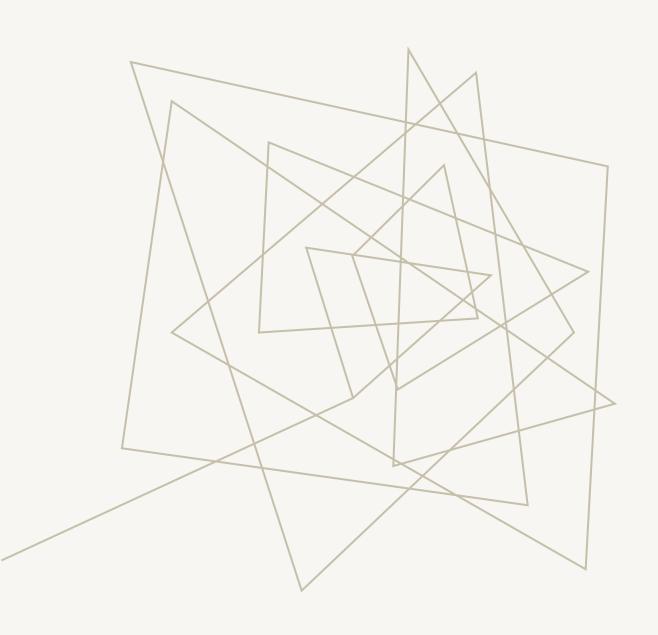


(SIDE)BENEFITS

- Community
- Reusable technology
- Trust and experience
- In-house interest



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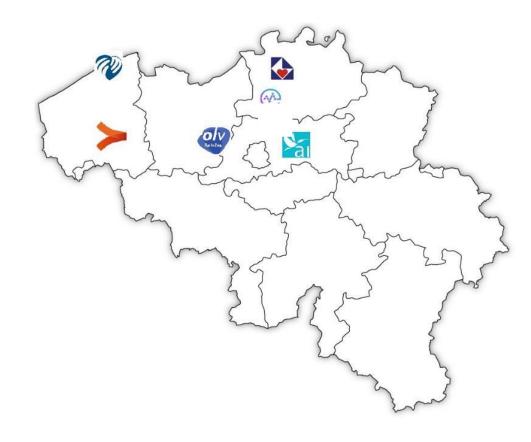


SUBSEQUENT PROJECTS

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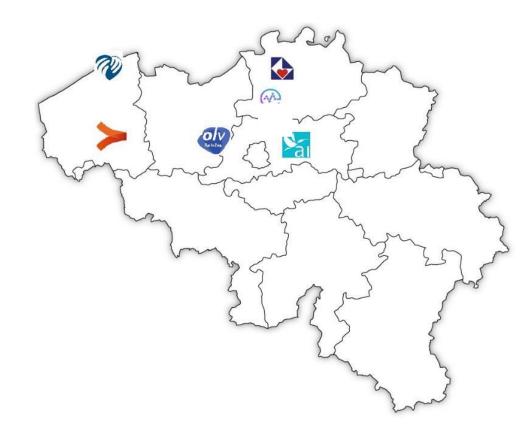
- Innovation call July 2024
- AZ Oostende + partners
- Project Risicofactoren
 Osteoporose Zoekapplicatie
 via AI
- Osteoporosis
 - Large population at risk
 - Non-invase dexa scan
 - Dietary supplements
 - Preventing fractures



PROZA



- Automated file screening
- NLP > OMOP AI models
- 27 risk factors
- launch and report in EPD
- MDR
 - Simple search?
 - In-house exemption
 - Retrospective validation
- Other diseases



NLP > OMOP CONNECT



- Crossover call October 2025
- Tech transfer
- Partners
 - ZAS
 - UZ Gent
 - Jan Yperman
 - Noorderhart
 - No private partners





- 2029
- Snomed CT
- Pro-active coding
- Medical history



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voluit voor zorg Triage Diagnosing Grouper on Snomed CT Structuring of COZO Registries Patient selection for studies







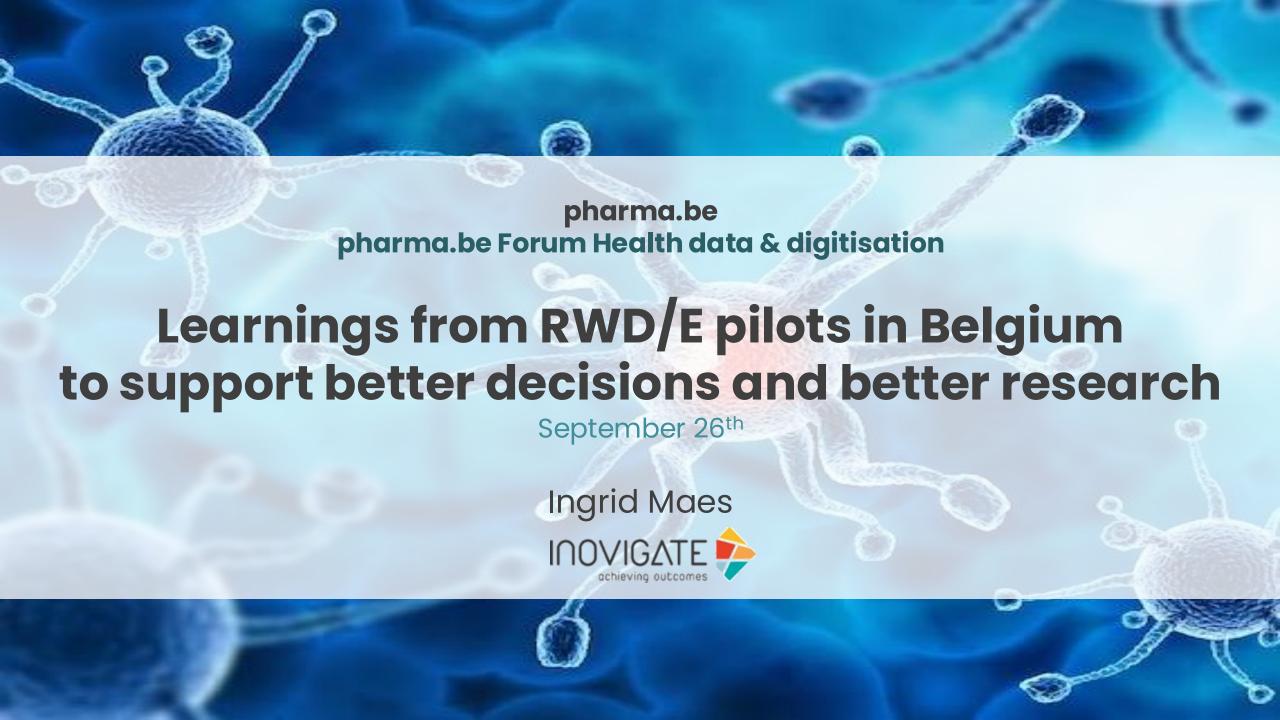


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There is a huge influx of promising innovations for cancer and other diseases in the coming years to benefit patients, but they pose specific challenges

How can we balance innovation and future preparedness of our healthcare (eco)system?



Outline

- 1 The challenges
- 2 RWD pilots & key learnings
- 3 Vision for the future



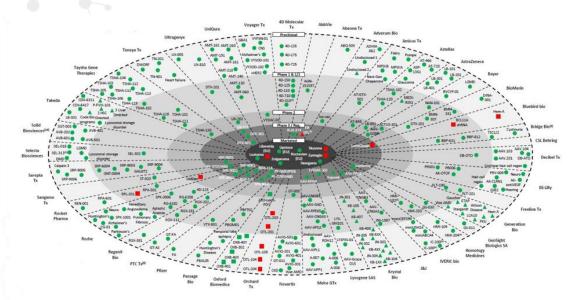


INOVIGATE achieving outcomes

There is an unprecedented wave of innovations that promise to revolutionise healthcare but have many uncertainties

Many transformative innovations are coming our way...

ATMPs in various clinical trial phases



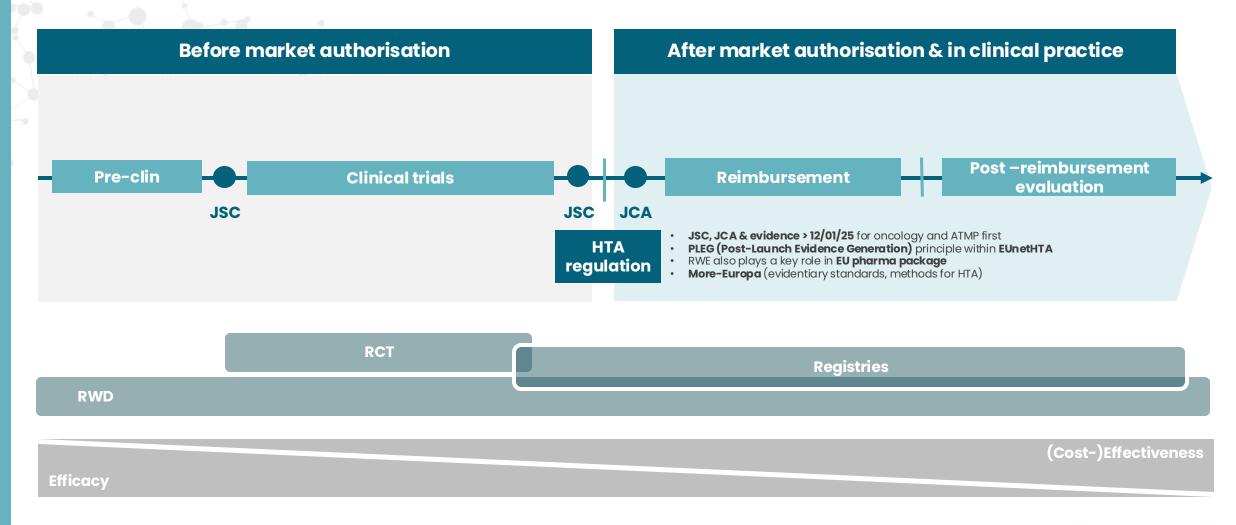
... but require careful consideration of funding and societal issues to ensure they benefit society







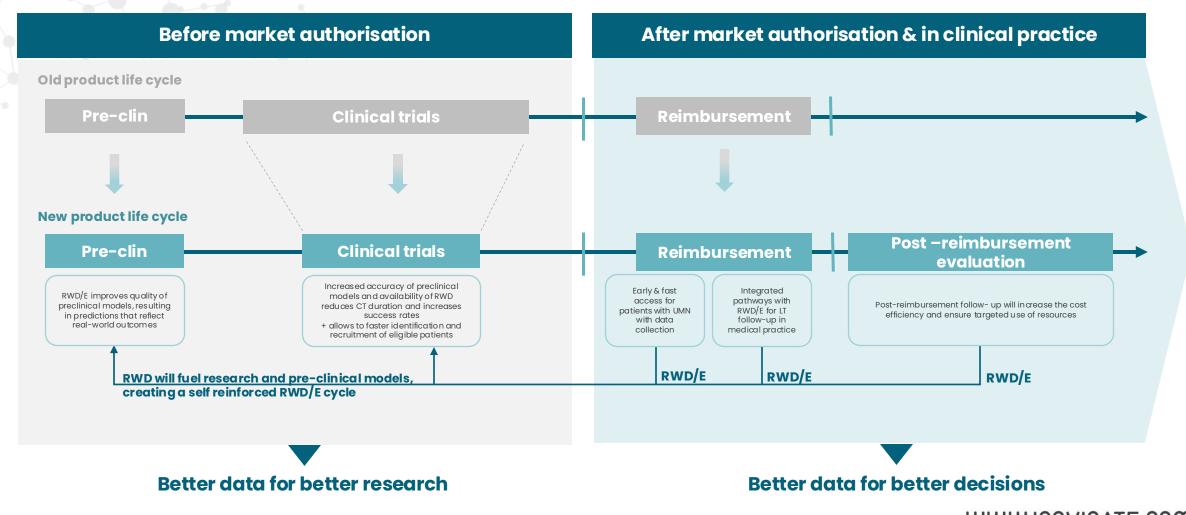
New initiatives focus on evidence generation across the lifecycle to address uncertainties







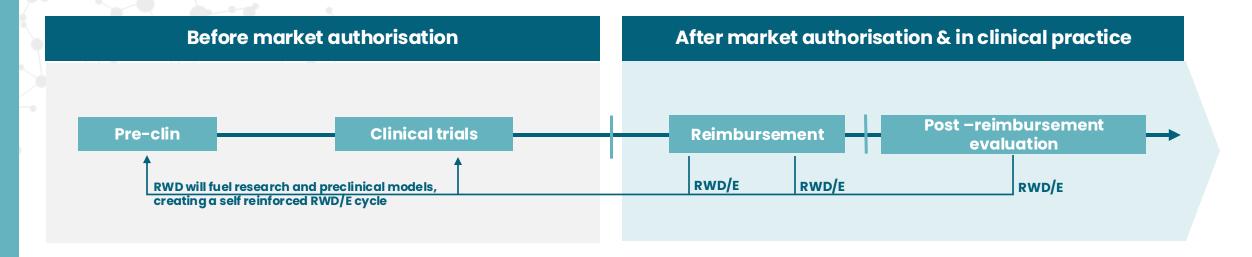
RWD and RWE is reshaping the life cycle, leading to both better research and better decisions







However, there are multiple challenges to be addressed to collect RWD to address the uncertainties



Challenges:

- Lack of infrastructure for RWD
- Starting data collection on time
- Long-term follow-up
- Alignment between EU and BE

- · Defining necessary RWD for reimbursement
- RWD access
- · Setting up necessary infrastructure and contractual agreements in time
- Evaluation of the generated evidence

- Collecting RWD/E is costly and requires a lot of effort
- Missing formal structure for early payer advise on RWD/E requirements and consensual advise on evidence generation method



2 RWD/E pilots - Key learnings



Solving these challenges is a shared responsibility of all stakeholders

Multi-stakeholder dialogue is required to develop solutions for supportive RWD/E collection to address the uncertainties of innovative therapies for reimbursement



- In full transparency
- ... Mutually understand challenges and interests
- .. Collaboratively seek win-win solutions





Over the past years we have developed solutions for RWD/E in multi-stakeholder dialog

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The pathway to a modern, sustainable and future prepared (eco-)system for innovative therapies



Initiated top down, with bottom-up involvement of all stakeholders

Each has built on conclusions and solutions of previous dialogs, continuously building towards a structural solution, beyond ad hoc and point solutions

We have worked on the solutions to overcome the RWD/E challenges to support better research and better decisions

Better data for better research **Better data for better decisions** Reimbursement roadmap with integrated RWD collection New product life cycle **Automated RWD** collection & **Clinical trials** Reimbursement registration RWD/E RWD will fuel research and preclinical models, creating a self reinforced RWD/E cycle **Evidence Platform**

Solution building blocks:

RWD4BE initiative

RWD collection

collaboration

agreement

2 Pilots:

oncology and rare diseases

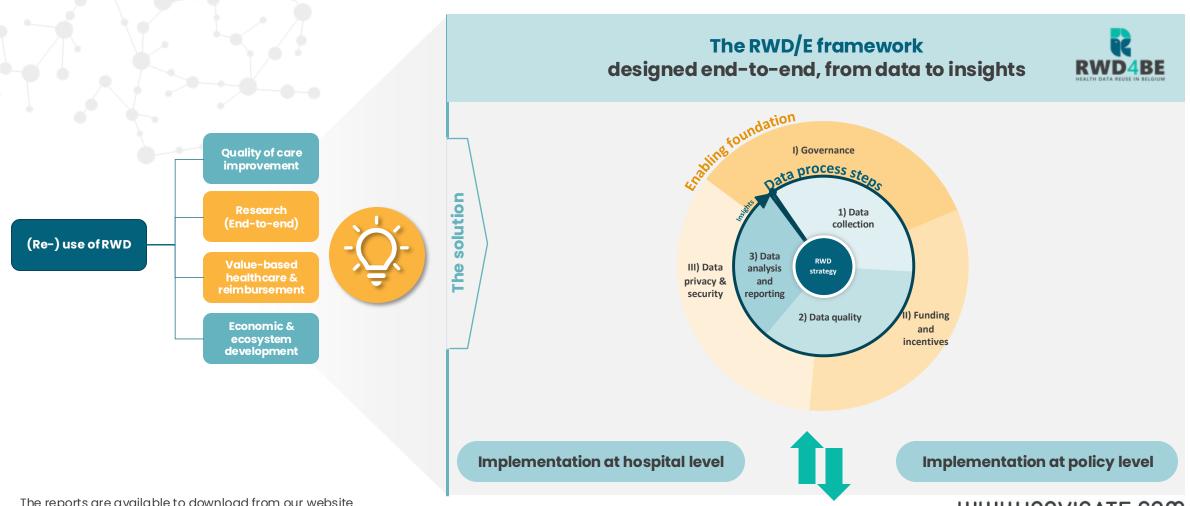
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Integration of RWE generation in the reimbursement roadmap to address uncertainties of breakthrough therapies

	What?	How?	Who?
1 Horizon scanning	ldentify high impact products and unmet medical need disease areas	Horizon scanning with yearly updated UMN list	RIZIV + clinicians and patients' input
Request for early dialogue to Evidence Platform	Assessment of clinical development plan and uncertainties & potential need for additional evidence (CT and RWE)	Set-up BE Evidence platform to hold early dialog with with ref centres/ KOLs, patient rep, HTA, industry & data experts	RIZIV, companies initiatie Evidence Platform
3 Evidence Platform meeting	Agree on RWE generation plan + potential early access scheme for high medical need	Organize meeting with industry, clinicians, patient org, data experts (data & RWD infrastructure)	RIZIV + companies + clinicians + patient organisations
Management of the enabling foundation (governance, conventions)	Management of the execution of the RWD collection and RWE generation plan (access model)	Apply RWD governance framework + agree on multidisciplinary disease conventions	BHDA - Multistakeholder board
Set-up of data collection and analysis	Data collection and analysis based on FAIR principles, incl. stakeholder responsibilities	Set-up RWD Collection Collaboration agreement Reference centres take the lead in data collection & analysis, pool the knowledge	Reference centra + BHDA+ BCR/ScienSano
6 Critical assessment of RWE and implementation in MEA/OBA	Evidence generation & assessment over time	Critical assessment of RWE and implementation in OBAs by RIZIV	ств



RWD4BE framework to support data to insights for research and reimbursement decisions





Resulting in the RWD preparedness playbook, a guide for hospitals and research entities to be RWD re-use ready



Playbook

A foundational guide to be ready for RWD re-use by ensuring RWD collection practices are standardised and aligned



Hospital exchange visits

Several hospital visits took place to exchange experience and share knowledge



5 May '23 OLV Aalst



15 June '23 **Az Maria Middelares Gent**



16 November '23 **AZ Groeninge Kortrijk**



17 April '24 CHU Liège

INOVIGATE achieving outcomes

To operationalise the RWD4BE framework, 2 pioneering pilots in oncology and in rare diseases serve as blueprints for general roll-out

Rare diseases

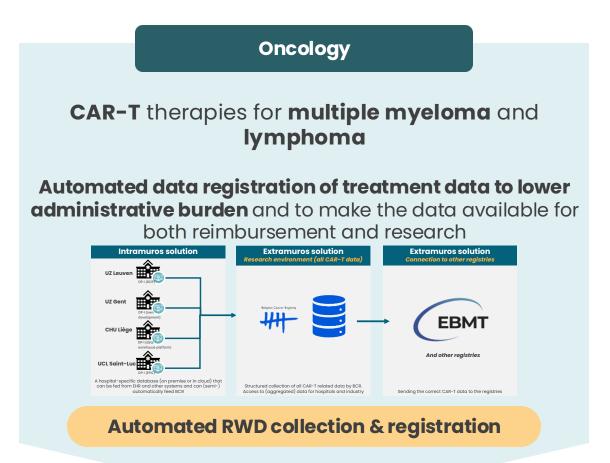
Gene therapies (GTx) for Duchenne Muscular

Dystrophy and Haemophilia

Holding early dialogs to:

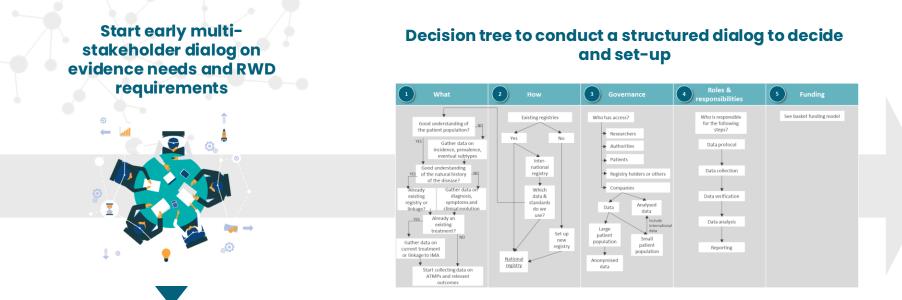
- agree on evidence needs,
- · RWD collection requirements,
- setting-up an RWD Collection Collaboration
 Agreement between all parties,

to support early access and reimbursement models





Resulting in a decision tree to facilitate structured dialog and set-up fast multi-partite contracting for



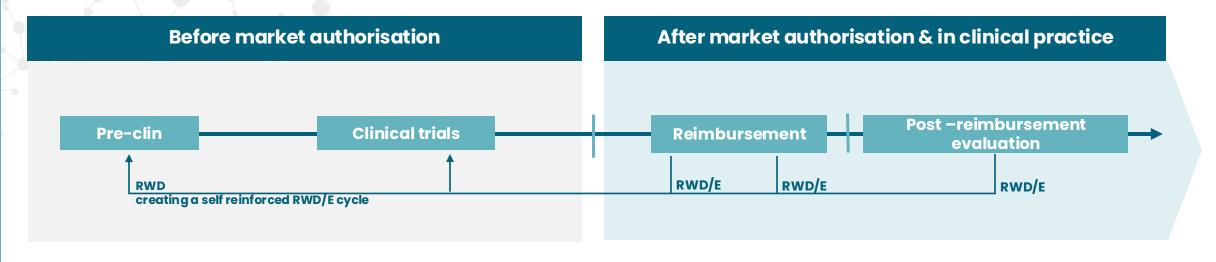
To discuss and agree on the RWD needs, how to collect RWD, governance, funding and roles & responsibilities to address uncertainties



Per disease: multi-partite agreement on RWD/E generation

OVIGATE achieving outcomes

For structural dialogs, the Evidence Platform will provide advise on evidence generation plans, in support of HTA, MEAs





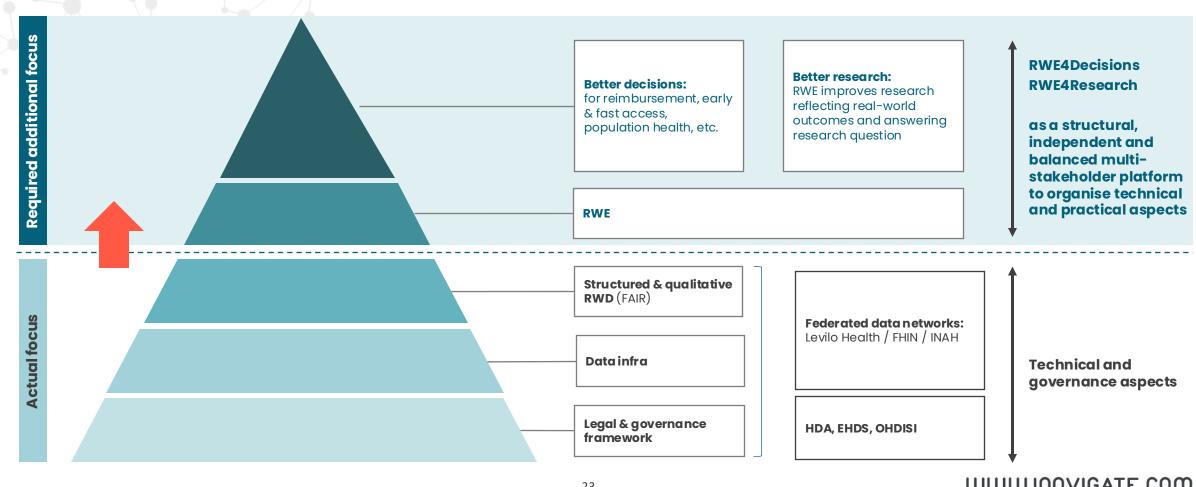
- Provides guidance on the evidence generation plan
- Evaluates evidence generation method



3 Vision for the future



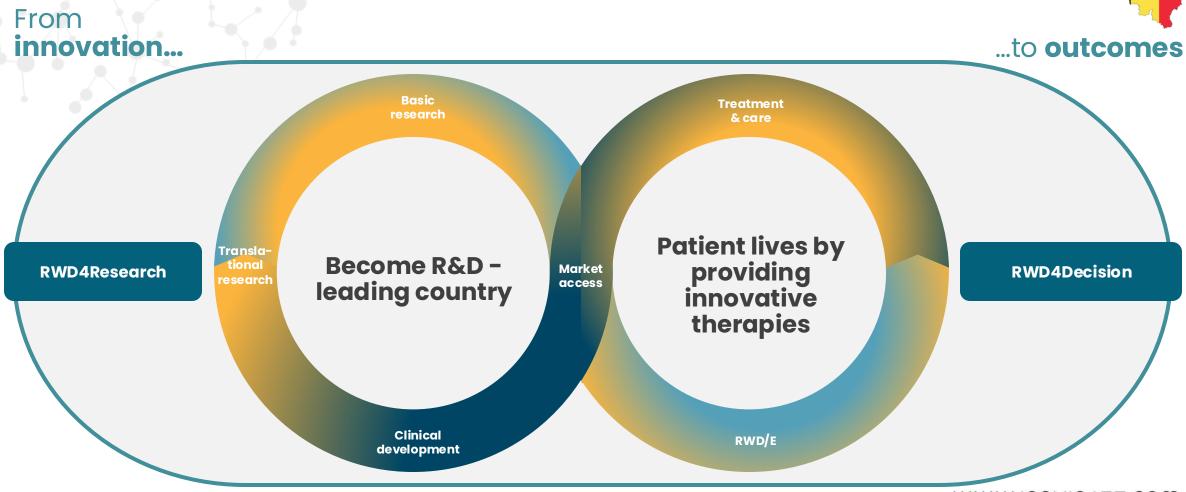
We need now to shift focus from governance and technical aspects to RWD for better decisions and research







Why is this important? RWD/E will support the integration of the innovation and healthcare value chains to benefits for all







Collaborative solution-seeking initiatives via a multi-stakeholder dialog is key for solving challenges and develop reusable building blocks

The pilots and resulting solution serve as a **blueprint for other**applications











Until 13:45

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AGENDA

10h	welcome Caroline Ven	
10:15-10:45	Evidence generation with real world data in Belgium: lessons learned (Katoo Muylle & Bart Verheyden, Astrazeneca)	
10:45-11:15	MOOD: Major Opportunity On Depression (David Smeets & Elke Peeters, Johnson & Johnson)	
11:15-11:45	coffee break	
11:45-12:15	Dr. EPD: the power of medical text (Bram De Caluwé, AZ Klina)	
12:15-12:45	Learnings from RWD/E pilots in Belgium to support decision-making (Ingrid Maes, innovigate)	
12:45-13:45	lunch	
13:45-14:15	The societal cost of breast cancer: Using real-world data to assess the short- and long-term impact of diagnosis in Belgium (Eva kimpe & prof Koen Putman, VUB)	
14:15-14:45	INVENTS - pharma-academia collaboration and data sharing via the French Health Data Hub - the Roche perspective (David Pau and Claire Castagne, Roche)	
14:45-15:15	Integration through the telemedicine platform in practice (Tim Bogaert, Byteflies)	
15:30-16:30	closing & drinks	





Breast cancer



Heart attack

2010

2025

Clinical trials

Limited follow-up and exclusion criteria

Real-world data

Longer follow-up and entire patient population





The societal cost of breast cancer

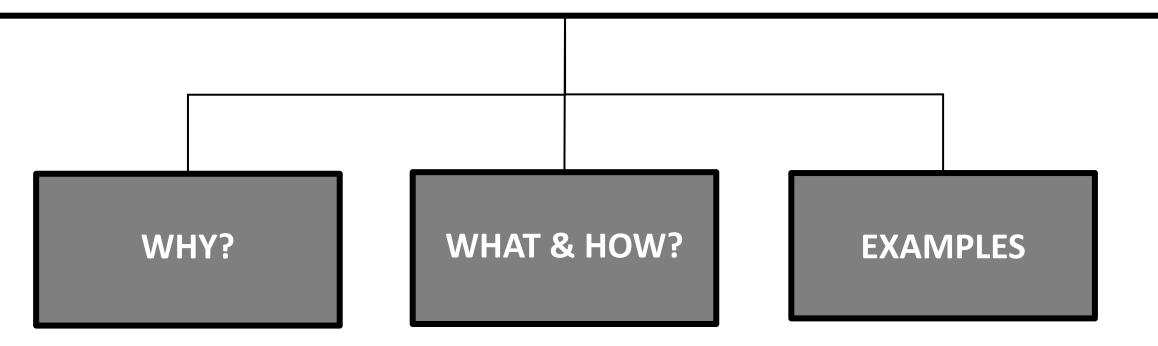
USING REAL-WORLD DATA TO ASSESS THE SHORT- AND LONG-TERM IMPACT OF DIAGNOSIS IN BELGIUM

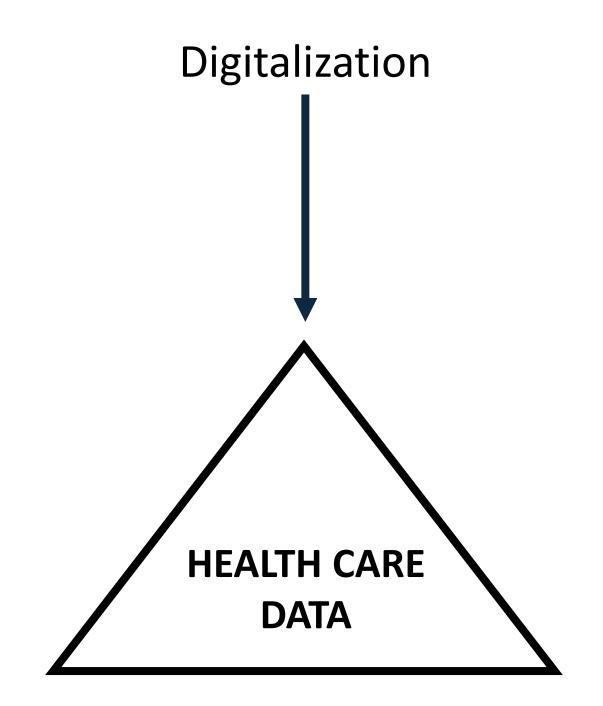
Eva Kimpe

Supervisors: Prof. Dr. Koen Putman

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The use of real-world data in health economics outcomes research



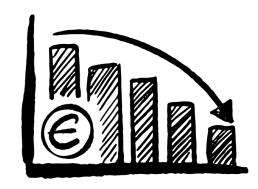


Real-world data is informative alongside RCTs

Clinical



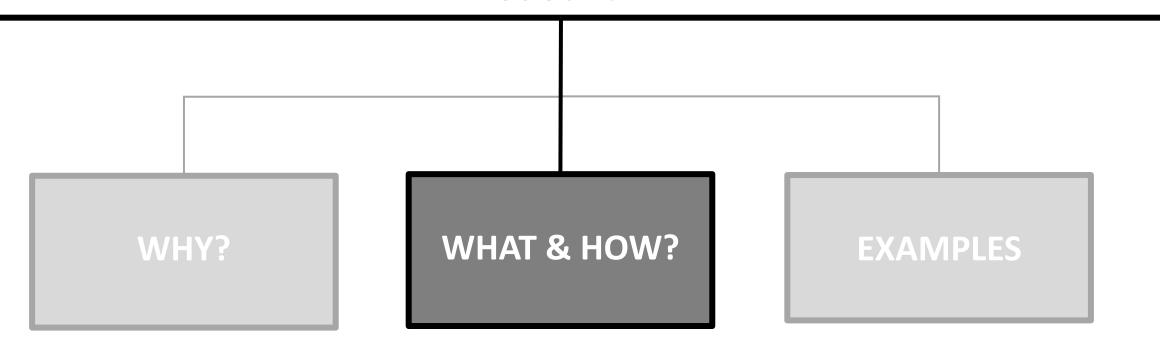
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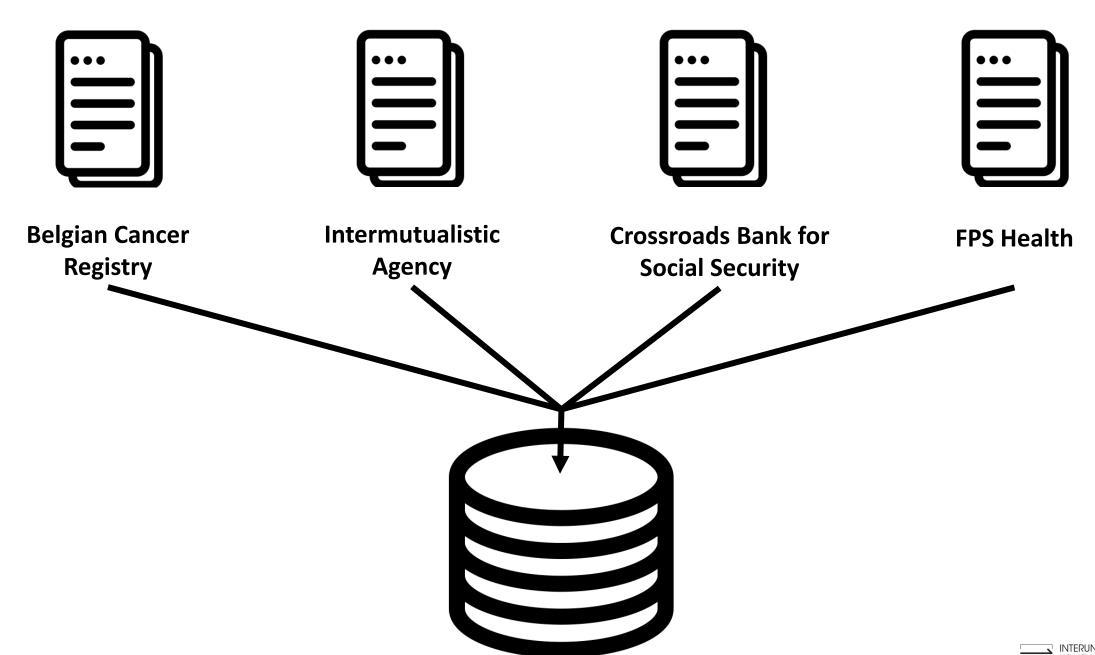


Patient-reported outcomes



The use of real-world data in health economics outcomes research





Healthcare cost of breast cancer treatment

Cardiovascular diseases and lung cancer in breast cancer survivors

Strategies to reduce burden of disease in breast cancer





- Women
- Breast cancer diagnosis
- 2010
- N = 11,054

- Patient-level: IVC-CSI approval
- Multiple data provisions

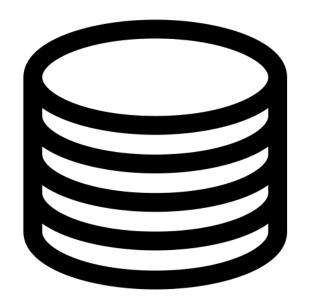
diagnosis





Patient and tumour characteristics

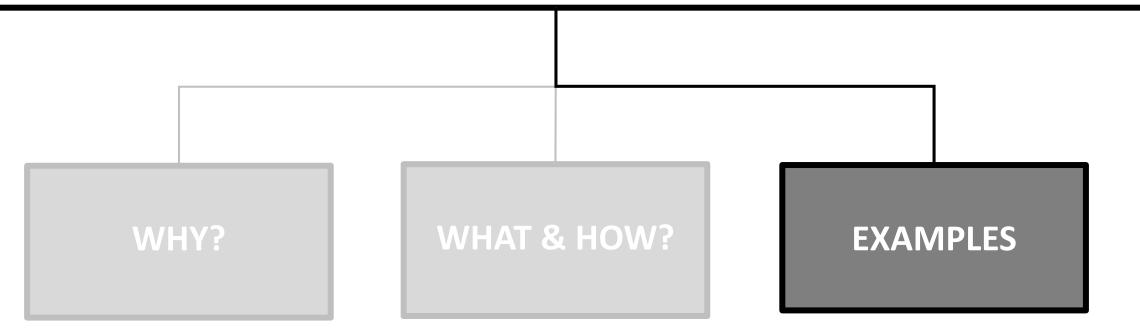
Socio-economic factors



Hospitalizations

Healthcare utilization and costs

The use of real-world data in health economics outcomes research



Cancer survival is associated with various clinical-related factors, socio-economic determinants, healthcare utilization and drug use

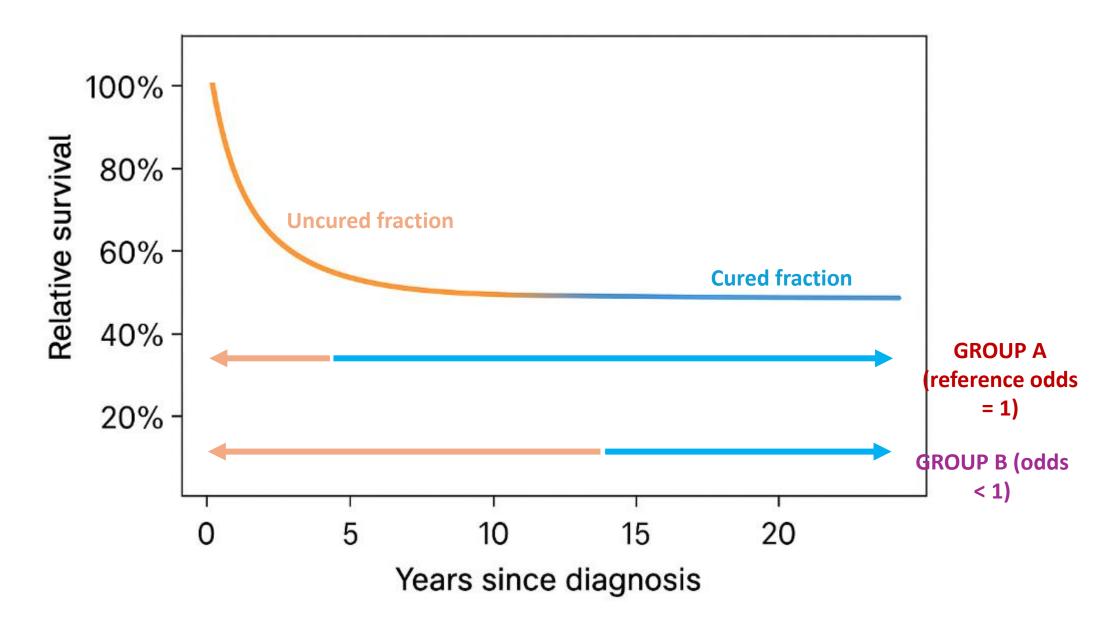
- Rich data linkage (3 data providers)
- Long-term follow-up (10 year)
- Area-level proxies vs. patient-level data



• Invasive breast cancer (N = 9,982)

22 independent variables

Mixture cure model → designed for long-term survival



	OR (95% C.I.)	P-value
Age	0.919 (0.918-0.919)	<0.001
Treatment (tx.)		
Surgery followed by adjuvant radiotherapy and systemic tx.	Ref.	
Surgery followed by adjuvant radiotherapy	1.073 (0.951-1.212)	0.254
Surgery alone	0.695 (0.620-0.780)	<0.001
Surgery followed by adjuvant systemic tx.	0.639 (0.611-0.668)	<0.001
No treatment	0.301 (0.264-0.343)	<0.001
Neo-adjuvant tx. followed by surgery with/without adjuvant tx.	0.289 (0.277-0.302)	<0.001
Primary systemic tx. and/or radiotherapy	0.025 (0.022-0.027	<0.001
Beneficiary to increased reimbursement		
No	Ref.	
Yes	0.522 (0.511-0.534)	<0.001
Unknown	0.280 (0.242-0.324)	<0.001

Long-term survival is associated with

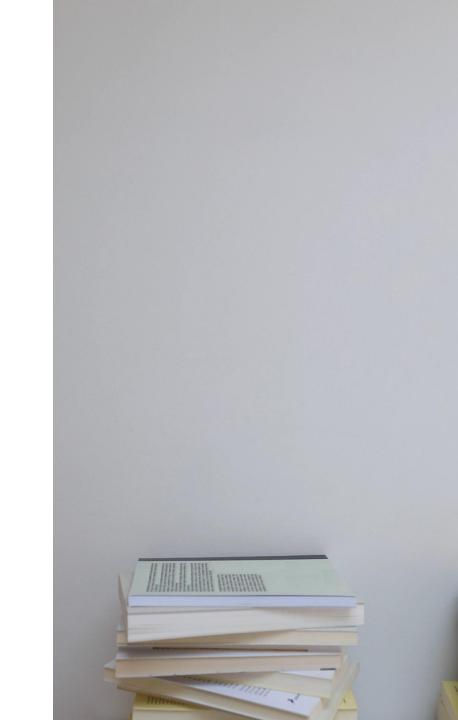
- Age
- Breast cancer treatment
- Entitlement to increased reimbursement

For healthcare policy-makers

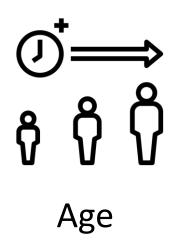
Tailor breast cancer screening programmes to women at risk of socio-economic deprivation

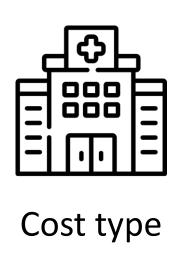
For academia

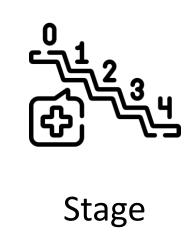
Advance understanding of the use and interpretation of cure models



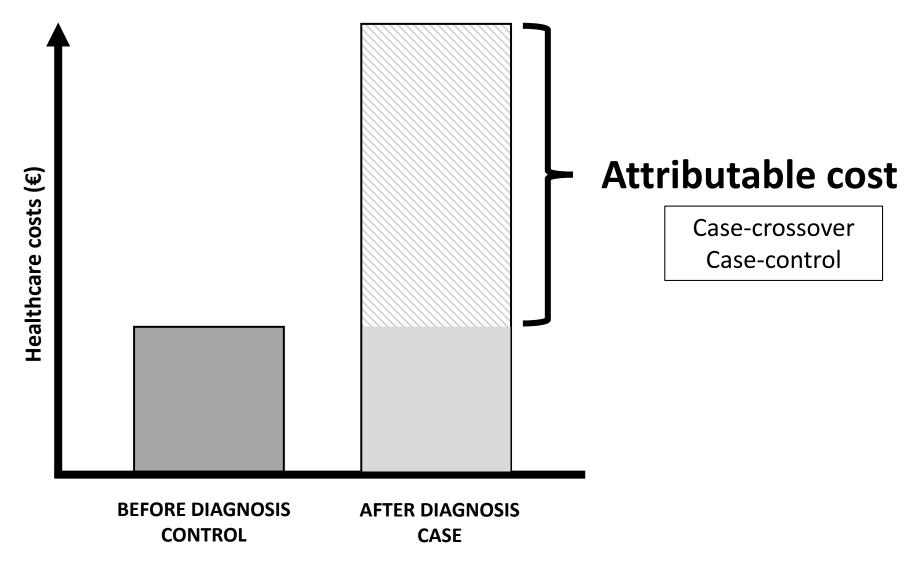
People with cancer encounter higher healthcare costs compared to the general population



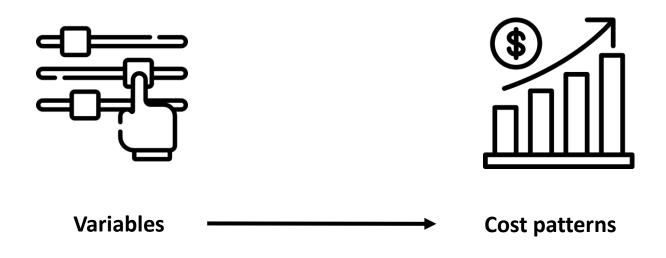








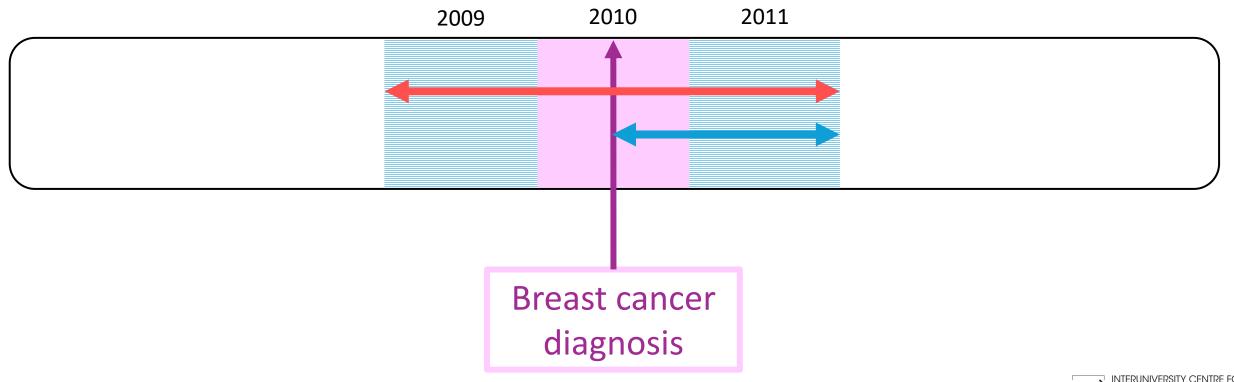
What is the attributable cost of breast cancer at a specific point in time after diagnosis?

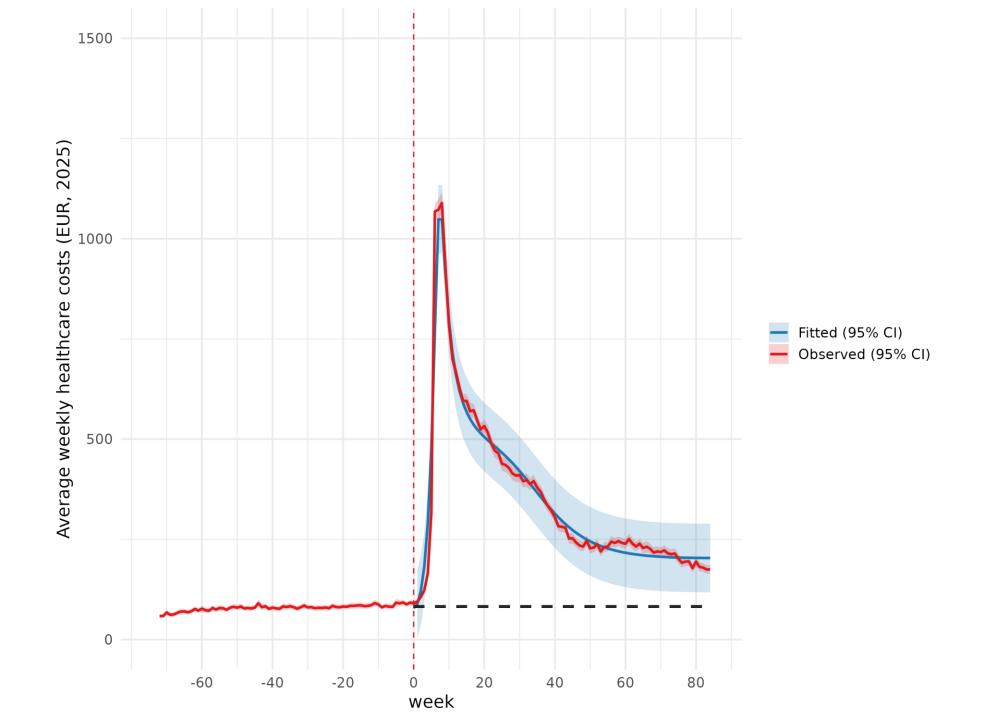




Analytical window: 3 years

- Unadjusted observed costs
- Fitted time series model





What is the added value of real-world data in health economics outcomes research?

- Context-specific
- Inclusive
- Patient-level
- Long-term follow-up

SCORA

~ Societal cost of radiation-induced morbidities in cancer survivors Focus: BREAST CANCER

SENSATION

~ Societal costs and employment in persistent spinal pain syndrome type II patients after spinal cord stimulation

Focus: CHRONIC PAIN



REBRAIN

~ Research on the impact of traumatic brain injuries

Focus: **TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURIES**

HEARTWISE

~ The health economic analysis of return to work and the societal cost of cardiovascular diseases

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INVENTS: pharma-academia collaboration and data sharing via the French Health Data Hub - the Roche perspective

September 26th 2025 Forum Health Data & Digitalisation

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The EU call HORIZON-HLTH-2023-IND-6.04



Modelling and simulation to address regulatory needs in the development of orphan and paediatric medicines

- Call linked to EMA's "Regulatory Science Strategy to 2025"
- Expected outcomes:
 - Developers and regulators have access to robust modelling and simulation tools to accelerate the
 effective development of orphan and/or paediatric medicinal products.
 - Developers and regulators use accurate simulation tools to improve the statistical robustness in clinical trials intended for small populations and guide cost-effective clinical trials designs.
 - Regulators have access to accurate in-silico tools for assessing real world data (RWD) and patient reported outcomes for optimizing the clinical endpoints in clinical trials for small populations.
 - Regulators develop guidance for a robust extrapolation framework for the safety and efficacy
 prediction during the regulatory assessment of orphan and/or paediatric medicinal products.
- Project is planned for 5 years with a budget of 8 million €











Objective of the INVENTS consortium

To provide clinical trial stakeholders, trialists and regulators with a **generalisable framework** encompassing methods, workflows and evidencetools to improve the level of evidence in regulatory decision making in rare diseases.

This will be achieved through the development and validation of improved extrapolation models, simulation and in silico trials, model based clinical trial design and evidence synthesis methods, all based on robust and mature computational models and qualified on extensive data from representative selected use cases.

Developing evidencetools for regulatory decision making in rare diseases Refining Increasing evidence Use cases, robustness of synthesis to patients treatmentengagements include virtual effect models and legal cohorts perspectives Increasing **Developing in** robustness of silico trials small population workflow for confirmatory rare diseases trials Generalisable framework including methods,

workflow, evidence-tools to be used in well investigated or less investigated rare diseases

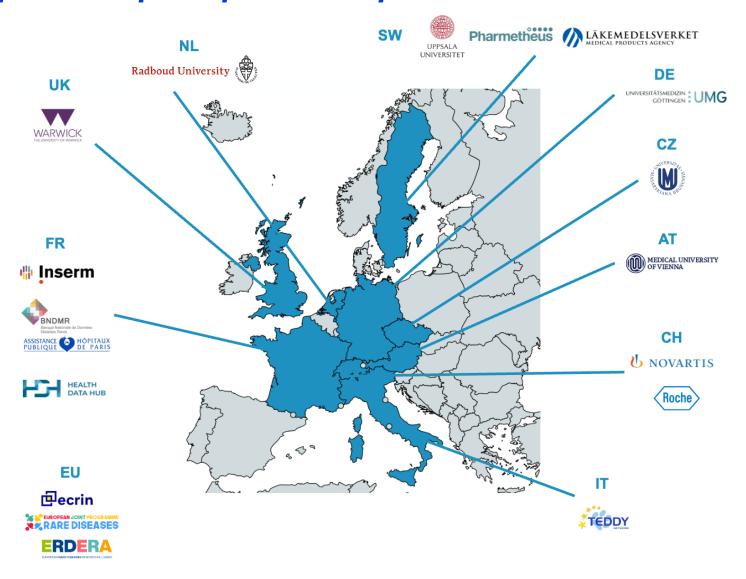






INVENTS as a pan-European partnership











Health Data Hub French public interest group to securely host patient data





- Make available pseudonymized patient data as well as analytical tools for researchers
- Supports data controllers in bringing data to the platform, including necessary ethics and privacy permissions, pseudonymization process, data documentation, and data use
- Strict controls to ensure the patient privacy and to enable patients to exercise their data rights
- Strategic partner throughout the project from ideation to final results and data deletion





Key Roche data sharing challenges



- Secondary data use rules vary between countries some are incompatible (e.g. China)
- Risk-based de-identification remove key identifiers (e.g. ethnicity, site), move to relative dates
- GDPR compliance (anonymization or pseudonymization ?)
- Data protection laws are not always easily actionable (and different people have different interpretation)
- Study ICFs are older, so need to be manually assessed for compliance with current law
- Ethics and privacy approvals are mandatory
- Patients need to be informed about data use, but no ability to contact patients directly
- HDH is a wonderful platform, but comes with rules and processes for security and data ingestion







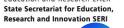
Timeline of the Roche data sharing – getting the grant

- September 2022: initial contact between INSERM and Roche to discuss a possible project
- Winter: preliminary internal approvals for patient privacy, intellectual property, and resources
- January 2023: commitment letter signed
- April 2023: grant proposal submitted successful in August



- Summer 2023: define which studies to share and gain approval from the molecule team
- November 2023: grant agreement signed
- January 2024: project start
- April 2024: 1 million in funding from the Swiss SERI for data anonymisation and PhD students
- May 2024: consortium agreement signed











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Timeline of the Roche data sharing – approvals

- January 2024: data anonymization process started, specs defined in summer 2024, initial programming in fall, then additional privacy review of results for paediatric and rare diseases
- March 2024: review of country ICFs for all studies
- April 2024: ethics submission to CESRESS (Comité éthique et scientifique pour les recherches, les études et les évaluations dans le domaine de la santé) approved in April CFSRFFS
- April 2024: approval from Roche's Global Privacy Office
- July 2024: privacy submission to CNIL (Commission nationale de l'informatique et des libertés) –
 approved in October
- September 2024: new SOP on external data sharing —
 additional review by Pharma Data Sharing Governance Committee
- December 2024: collective information to patients published
- April 2025: data anonymization completed







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Timeline of the Roche data sharing – making available

- Throughout 2024: workshops with HDH to prepare data sharing, work on security & compliance
- January 2025: HDH platform contract signed
- February 2025: create data documentation in HDH format
- March 2025: set up secure transfer channel to HDH
- April 2025: data sent to HDH together with data documentation
- April 2025: first users onboarded to HDH
- May 2025: data sharing agreements signed, ensure data subjects can exercise their rights
- Now: multiple partners able to work with data on HDH









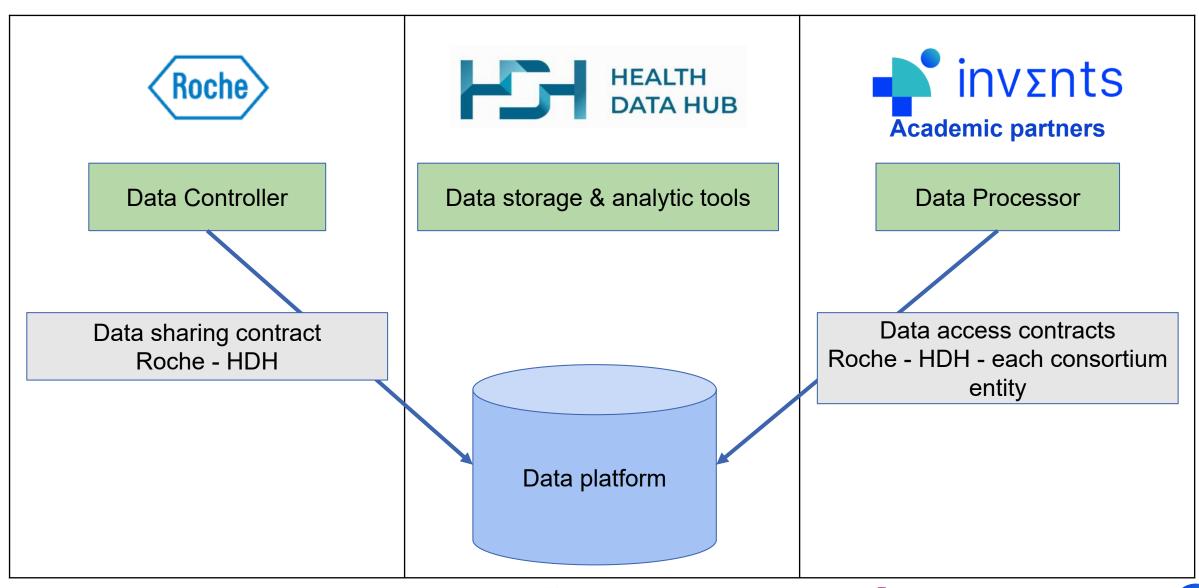


- 1. Rheumatoid arthritis is a very large, well understood adult disease with multiple large studies. Useful for modelling where a lot of patients are needed or where a good mechanistic understanding of the disease is helpful. Potential extrapolation to giant cell arteritis to explore additional evidence needs. Substantial additional French registry / real world studies are also available.
- 2. Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis (polyarticular, systemic) has 4 pediatric studies that offer extrapolation from adult to pediatric or between related pediatric studies.
- 3. Systemic sclerosis has 2 large randomized trials with a negative primary endpoint and a (nominally) very positive secondary endpoint. This is an interesting example of a very high-quality replicated result without alpha control, which led to a label by FDA and a rejection by EMA.



Sharing setup simplifies necessary privacy approvals











Protocol describes research objectives, methods, data protection and project roles

- **Project participants**
- **Objectives and aims**
- Methodology
- Privacy, security, and confidentiality of data and...
- Ethics approval
- Informed consent
- Data documentation
- IT risk assessment



Innovative designs, extrapolation, simulation methods and evidence-tools for rare diseases addressing regulatory needs (INVENTS project)

Secondary Data Use of tocilizumab clinical studies

File submitted to the:

Comité éthique et scientifique pour les recherches, les études et les évaluations dans le





De-identification to get privacy approval from the French National Commission on Informatics and Liberty (CNIL)

3.6. Preparation of data

Data collected from patients and their investigating physicians were originally pseudonymized and a patient number was randomly generated.

Before proceeding with the data sharing and analyses, preliminary work in 2 steps will be performed for each study:

- 1. Variables useful for the research will be selected and potentially identifying data will be removed, including:
 - Ethnicity information is needed for the purpose of pharmacokinetic modelling in work package 1, but will be limited to the most common ethnicities (others will be grouped as "other") and access to ethnicity will be limited to situations where it is required for the purpose of the research
 - Patient names and initials will be removed
 - Site information will be removed
 - Country information will be removed, retaining only the geographic region (e.g. Europe)
- 2. Variables subject to modification are altered, including:
 - Patient number will be randomly re-allocated
 - All dates (enrolment, treatment administration, ...) will be truncated (month/year) or removed







Collective information notifies study participants about research objectives and gives opportunity to opt out

- 1. How is my data being used?
- 2. What is the research purpose?
- 3. How can I object?

NOTE D'INFORMATION PATIENT COLLECTIVE

Programme européen de recherche INVENTS, recherche effectuée sur les données de patients ayant participé à des études sur le tocilizumab entre 2005 et 2018

Information collective des patients ayant participé à une étude du laboratoire Roche

INVENTS est un programme de recherche financé par un fond public européen du programme H2020. Des équipes de recherche publiques et privées de 9 pays européens participent à ce programme.

Liste des études de Roche SAS et de Hoffmann-Laroche pour lesquelles le consortium INVENTS souhaite réaliser une exploitation secondaire des données :





Comprehensive sharing of clinical trial and RWD



Tocilizumab studies

Indication

Clinical Trials

Real world data

Rheumatoid arthritis

NCT00106548 (N=623→442): Phase 3 NCT00106535 (N=1196→894): Phase 3 NCT00109408 (N=673→480); Phase 3 NCT00106522 (N=499→458): Phase 3 NCT00106574 (N=1220→983): Phase 3 NCT01331837 (N=3080→2586): Phase 4 TOSCA (N=183→183); Phase 4 TORPEDO (N=125→125): Phase 4

Non-interventional studies: ACT SOLO (N=608→608 "POOL-TCZ") SPARE-1 (N=321→321 "POOL-TCZ") PEPS (N=719→719 "POOL-TCZ") TANDEM (N=291→291) DUO (N=1115→1115)

Giant cell arteritis (rare disease)

NCT01791153 (N=251→251): Phase 3

Systemic sclerosis (rare disease)

NCT02453256 (N=212→171): Phase 3 NCT01532869 (N=87→87): Phase 2/3

Systemic juvenile idiopathic arthritis, (paediatric)

NCT01904292 (N=51→48): Phase 1 NCT01904279 (N=52→50): Phase 1 NCT00642460 (N=112→108): Phase 3 NCT00988221 (N=188→176): Phase 3

Total N is 10,096!







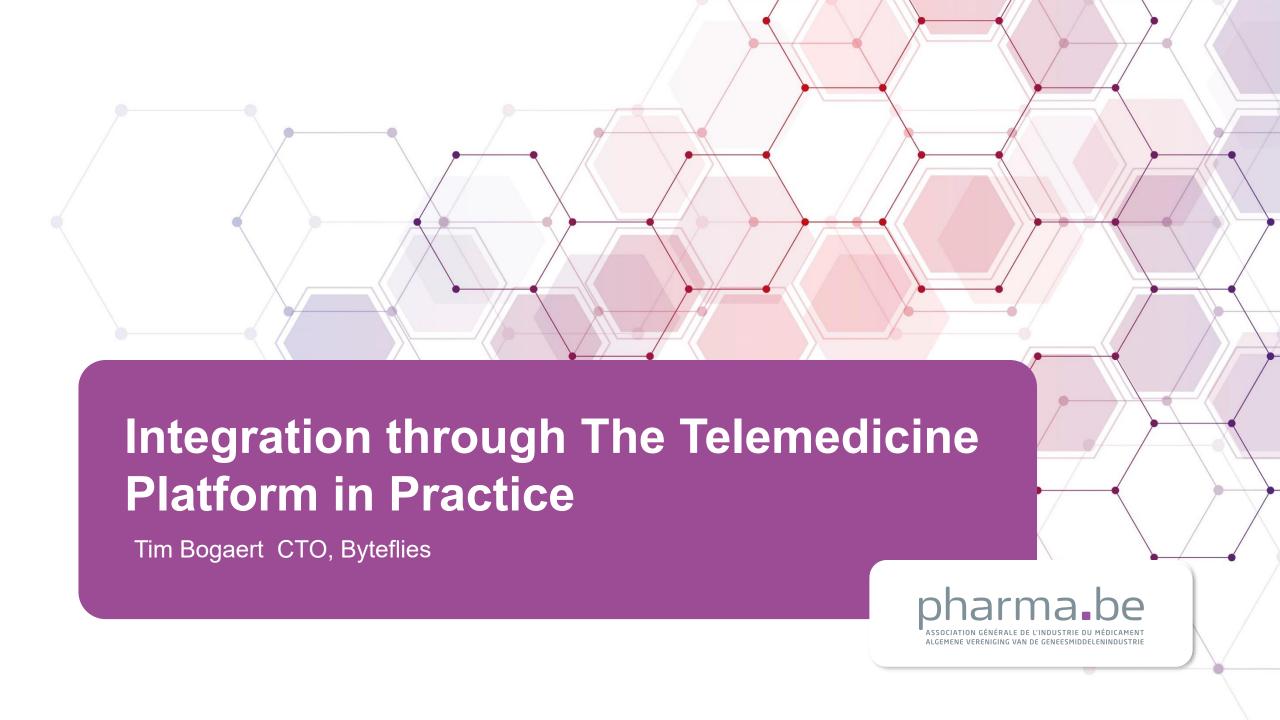
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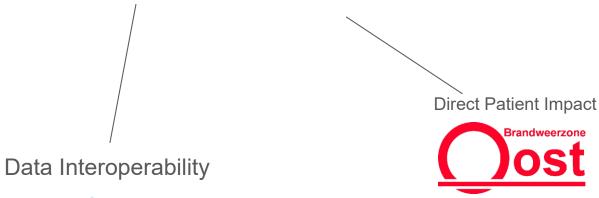
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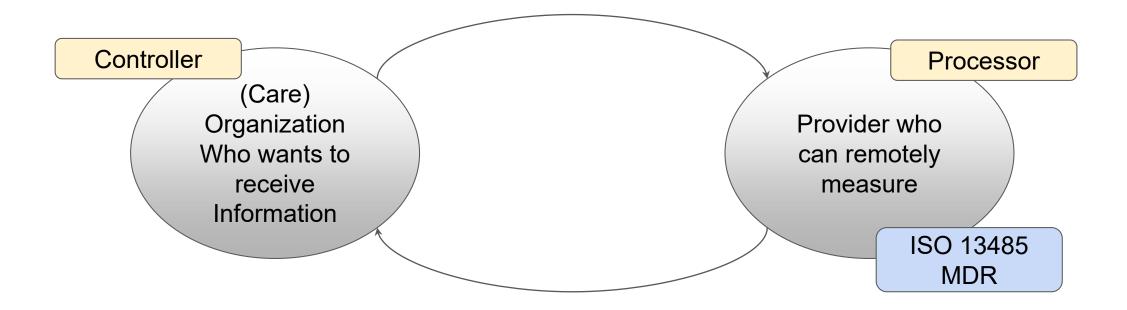
Make steps towards sustainable Healthcare



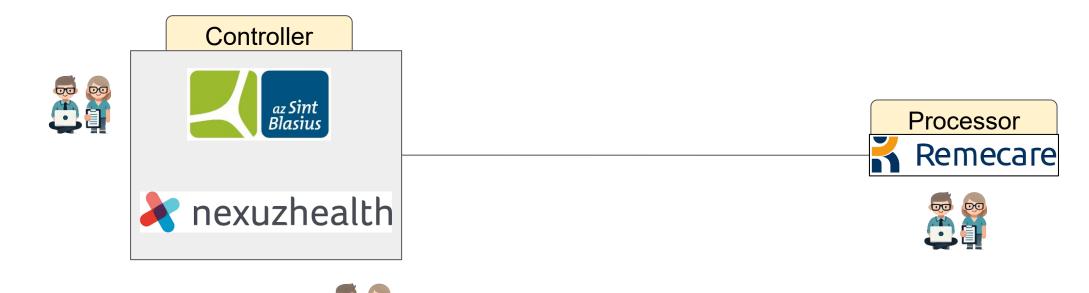


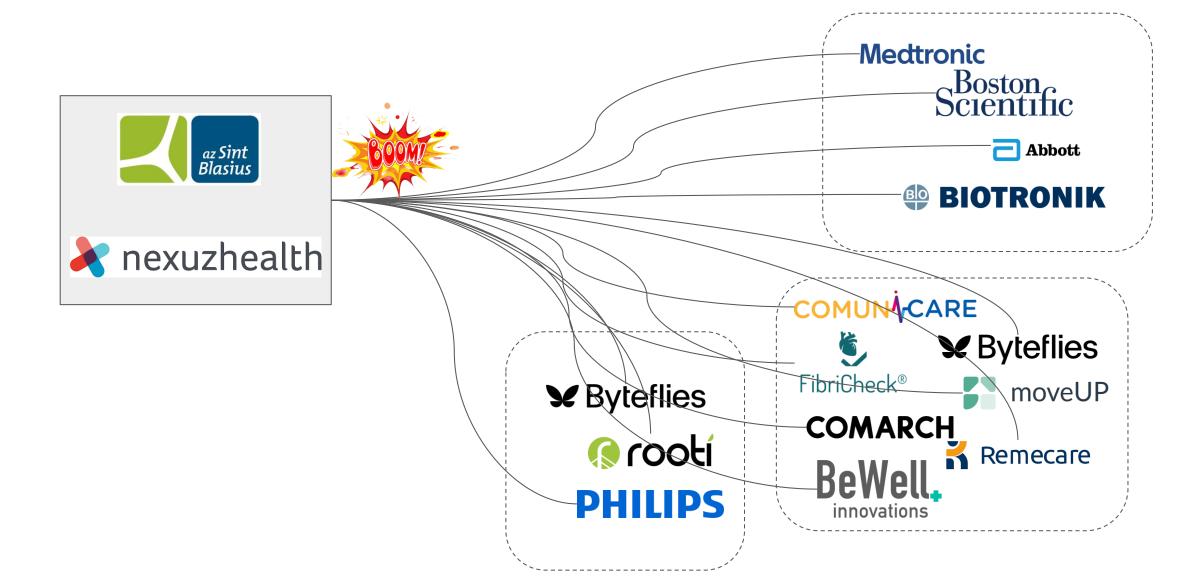


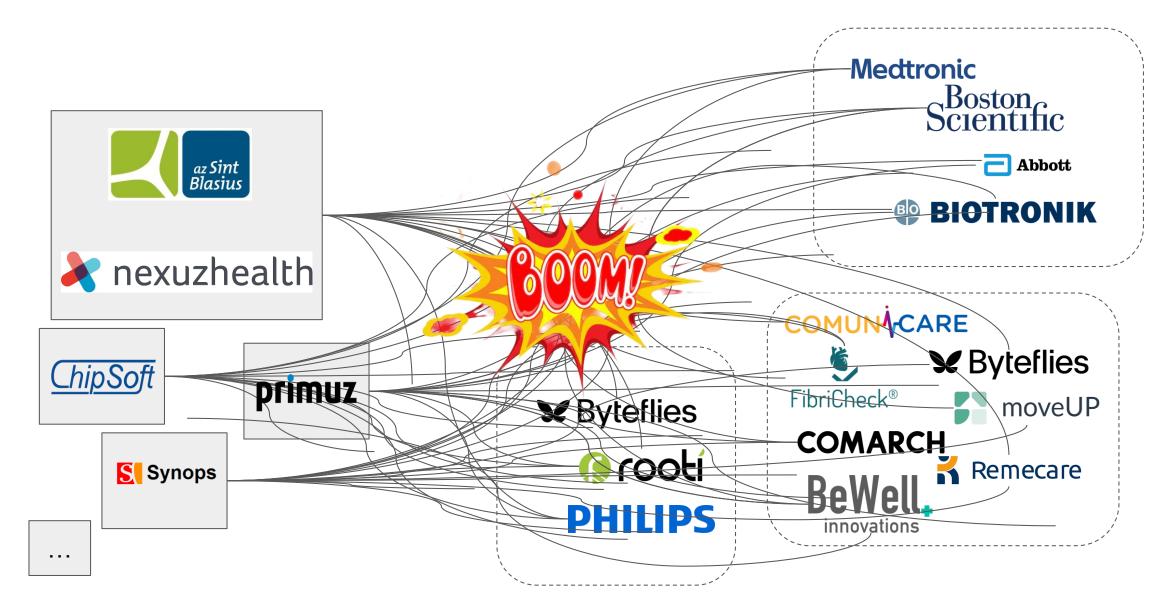


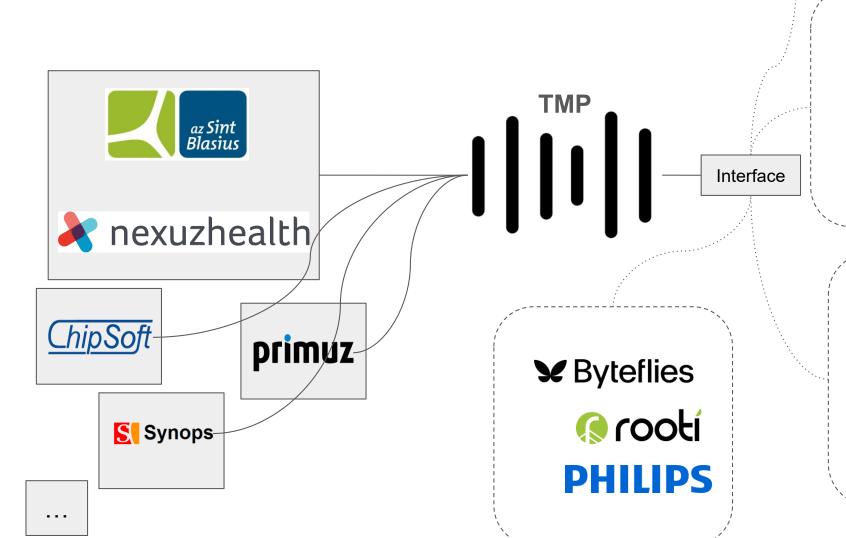












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Layered Data Born FAIR



PDF : summary, unstructured

FHIR : structured measurements

Dashboard : full dataset, visual



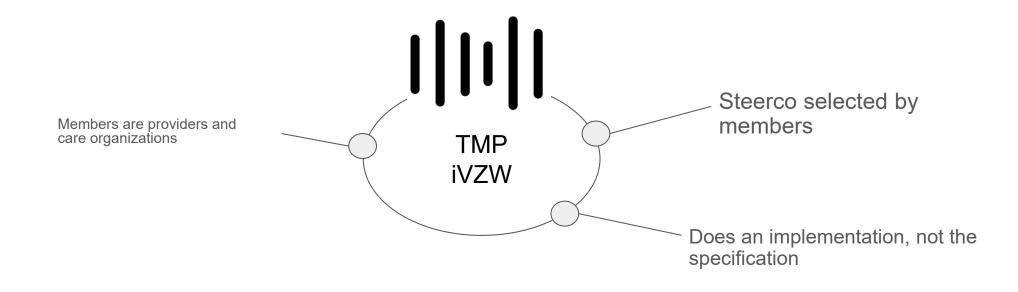
API : full dataset, structured

Findable, Accessible, Interoperable, Reusable

Unblocking Transmural Care

- One Integration connects you to a standardized data flow
- No Lock-in : new providers keep the same data flow
- Provider Transparency gets centralized
- Integrating new providers requires no effort on interoperability
- The Foundation for secondary Use

Interoperability needs neutrality





The Results

Milestones december 2025

10 hospitals

4 EHR's

4 Providers

1000 Patients

The Results

Reality september 2025

Milestones december 2025

hospitals

4 EHR's

-Providers

Patients



hospitals
EHRs
data providers
healthcare providers
carepaths
transmural landscape
governments
regions

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Thank you and hope to see you next year with more RWD results!

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