

Cencora ThinkLive Cell and Gene Therapy Summit 2025

Building sustainable solutions for tomorrow's therapies

Day 1 – Tuesday, May 20, 2025

11:00 – 11:10 am ET

Welcome and introduction

- **John Arena**, President, Global Pharma Services, Cencora

11:10 – 11:55 am ET

Panel, Q&A

Maximizing impact: Strategies for building robust patient support programs

- **Discover strategies** to align drug developers' patient services with the real needs of patients
- **Hear insights** from patient advocates on the importance of incorporating feedback into support programs
- **Engage with** patient support field leaders in a live Q&A session

Speakers:

Melissa Mulchahey, Cencora, Moderator;
Dawn Ratfelders, Neurotech;
Elizabeth Turcotte, Pierre Fabre Pharmaceuticals;
George Eastwood, Emily Whitehead Foundation;
Zack Bridges, Cencora

11:55 am – 12:10 pm ET

Case study

The journey of resilience to pioneering a new therapy

- **Learn how** a pharma company navigated the complexities of patient needs and regulatory challenges in the pursuit of bringing a novel gene therapy to market
- **Discover how** our partnership united diverse services to create a seamless CGT solution amidst significant hurdles

Speakers:

Nancy Hoak, Cencora, Moderator;
Jen McDonough, Krystal Biotech

12:10 – 12:40 pm ET

Panel

The power of integrated distribution strategies for cell and gene therapies

- **Learn how** integrated solutions improved patient and market access
- **Discuss planning** for a scalable distribution strategy to enable expansion into future markets
- **Explore the advantages** of partnerships that enhance patient support and streamline therapy distribution

Speakers:

Melissa Lattanzi, Cencora, Moderator;
Darin DeCarlo, Orsini;
Guillaume Nebout, Cencora;
Morgan Marr, Ferring Pharmaceuticals

12:40 – 1:25 pm ET

Panel

Designing for success: A health systems perspective on tailoring your program for the commercial landscape

- **Examine the key concerns** health systems face with the influx of CGTs and strategies to manage these hurdles effectively
- **Discover how integrated** programs can alleviate health systems' apprehensions and streamline the adoption of new therapies
- **Learn best practices** for drug manufacturers to collaborate with health systems, enhancing patient access and optimizing therapy implementation

Speakers:

Ben Shaffer,
Cencora, Moderator;
Ashley Dalton,
UC San Diego;
Donn Davis,
Moffit Cancer Center;
Justin Konkol, Froedtert &
Medical College of Wisconsin;
Stephanie Wirkles, Bayer

1:25 – 1:45 pm ET

Fireside chat

Engaging stakeholders to showcase value and drive impact

- **Discuss effective strategies** for articulating the value of CGTs to key stakeholders and addressing existing gaps in the narrative
- **Shaping the future:** Learn how ARM is actively working to influence the conversation around high-value drugs and why stakeholder engagement is crucial for the success of CGTs in today's market

Speakers:

Louis Cicchini,
Cencora, Moderator;
Rita Johnson-Greene,
Alliance for Regenerative
Medicine

Day 2 – Wednesday, May 21, 2025

11:00 – 11:15 am ET

Welcome and insights

- **Kevin Chinn** – VP and Head of Cell and Gene Service Line, Cencora
- **Mark Kelley** – Senior Director, CGT Enterprise Partnerships, Cencora

11:15 – 11:35 am ET

Learning Session, Q&A

The first 5 months: Practical implications of the HTA/JCA

- **Gain practical insights** into the real-world implications of the HTA/JCA's full implementation, including successes and challenges faced
- **Engage our expert** as she shares in a live Q&A

Speakers:

Ann-Sophie Kuschel,
Vintura, a Cencora Company

11:35 – 12:20 pm ET

Panel

Navigating special regulatory pathways for drug development success

- **Explore the latest** special regulatory programs from the FDA and EMA that are designed to accelerate the development of advanced therapies
- **Learn best practices** for effectively engaging with regulatory agencies to leverage these powerful programs and maximize their benefits for drug development

Speakers:

Herbert Altmann,
Cencora, Moderator;
Arvind Natarajan,
Iovance Biotherapeutics;
Christian Schneider,
Cencora PharmaLex;
Malou Gemeniano,
Iovance Biotherapeutics;
Monica King, Cook Myosite;
Nathalie Boeglin,
Orchard Therapeutics

12:20 - 12:30 am ET

Learning session

Current executive landscape and impacts to CGT development

- **Hear from Cencora's U.S. Policy team** on how the current U.S. administration's actions and orders impact the CGT market

Speakers:

Whitley Quan, Cencora

12:30 - 1:00 pm ET

Fireside chat

FDA: Embracing flexibility at the agency for advancing innovative therapies

- **Reflect on key achievements** at the FDA that have advanced regulatory frameworks and fostered innovation in regenerative medicine
- **Discuss anticipated shifts** in CBER's regulatory focus under new leadership, strategies for stakeholder engagement, and opportunities for collaboration to enhance the approval process

Speakers:

Louis Cicchini,
Cencora, Moderator;
Celia Witten, Eliquent Life Sciences

1:00 - 1:25 pm ET

Panel

Strategic logistics: Crafting scalable solutions for maximum reach and success

- **Discover** the importance of designing your CGT program with scalability in mind, ensuring logistics support both clinical and commercial needs from the outset
- **Feasibility in focus:** Learn how to develop a manufacturing and logistics strategy that is not only feasible for clinical research but also capable of scaling effectively for larger commercial operations
- **Understand** how integrating market access strategies early in the logistics planning process can enhance overall success and patient reach for CGTs

Speakers:

Krystal Haynes,
Cencora, Moderator;
David Sokoloff, Precigen;
Eric Schier, Cencora
World Courier

1:25 - 1:50 pm ET

Fireside chat

Closing and thoughts on tomorrow's therapies

- **Future perspectives:** Engage in a fireside chat with advocacy leader ARM as we recap recent highlights in the industry and discuss the exciting prospects and advancements anticipated in CGT

Speakers:

Kevin Chinn,
Cencora, Moderator;
Tim Hunt, Alliance for Regenerative Medicine

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