

# Knowing The Moment It Happens: CDER's Social Media Program

Roadmap for Engaging with the Center for Drug Evaluation and Research Public Workshop

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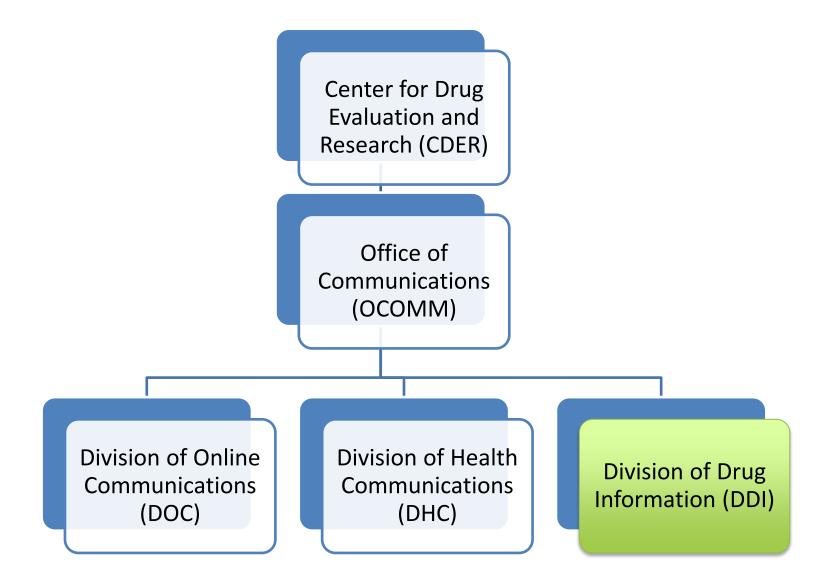
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### CDER's Social Media Platforms







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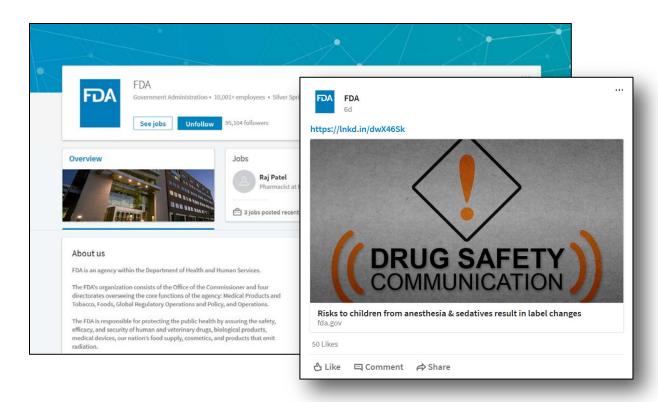
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#### FDA updates warnings for fluoroquinolone antibiotics-New Drug Safety Communication

Today FDA approved changes to the labels of fluoroquinolone antibacterial drugs for systemic use (i.e., taken by mouth or by injection). These medicines are associated with disabling and potentially permanent side effects of the tendons, muscles, joi... Show more



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The U.S. Food and Drug Administration today approved Rydapt (midostaurin) for the treatment of adult patients with newly diagnosed acute myeloid leukemia (AML) who have a specific genetic mutation called FLT3, in combination with chemotherapy. The drug is approved for use with a companion diagnostic, the LeukoStrat CDx FLT3 Mutation Assay, which is used to detect the FLT3 mutation in patients with AML.

Rydapt is a kinase inhibitor that works by blocking several enzymes that promote cell growth. If the FLT3 mutation is detected in blood or bone marrow samples using the LeukoStrat CDx FLT3 Mutation Assay, the patient may be eligible for treatment with Rydapt in combination with chemotherapy.

Common side effects of Rydapt in patients with AML include low levels of white blood cells with fever (febrile neutropenia), nausea, inflammation of the mucous membranes (mucositis), vomiting, headache, spots on the skin due to bleeding (petechiae), musculoskeletal pain, nosebleeds (epistaxis), device-related infection, high blood sugar (hyperglycemia) and upper respiratory tract infection. Rydapt should not be used in patients with hypersensitivity to midostaurin or other ingredients in Rydapt. Women who are pregnant or breastfeeding should not take Rydapt because it may cause harm to a developing fetus or a newborn baby. Patients who experience signs or symptoms of lung damage (pulmonary toxicity) should stop using Rydapt.

Rydapt was also approved today for adults with certain types of rare blood disorders (aggressive systemic mastocytosis, systemic mastocytosis with associated hematological neoplasm or mast cell leukemia). Common side effects of Rydapt in these patients include nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, swelling (edema), musculoskeletal pain, abdominal pain, fatigue, upper respiratory tract infection, constipation, fever, headache and shortness of breath.

For more information, please visit: Rydapt.

## Listserv: Drug Information Update





FDA restricts use of prescription codeine pain and cough medicines and tramadol pain medicines in children; recommends against use in breastfeeding women April 20, 2017

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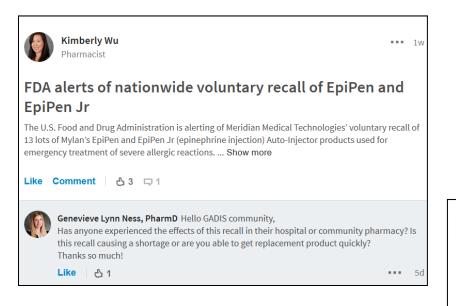


### **ENGAGING ON SOCIAL MEDIA**



### EpiPen Example: Social Media Outreach











## EpiPen Example

Will the firm issue refunds or replacements?

I need help with the recall process.

These are very expensive!





## EpiPen Example

You can buy epinephrine in a vial load the syringe for a lot

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according to the graphic, the product pictured is for animal use only. The Agency encourages patients to use FDA approved human drug products as these have been reviewed for safety and efficacy. FDA regulated products must also meet the Agency's high quality standards. Other FDA-approved epinephrine auto-injector products include Adrenaclick and Auvi-Q.

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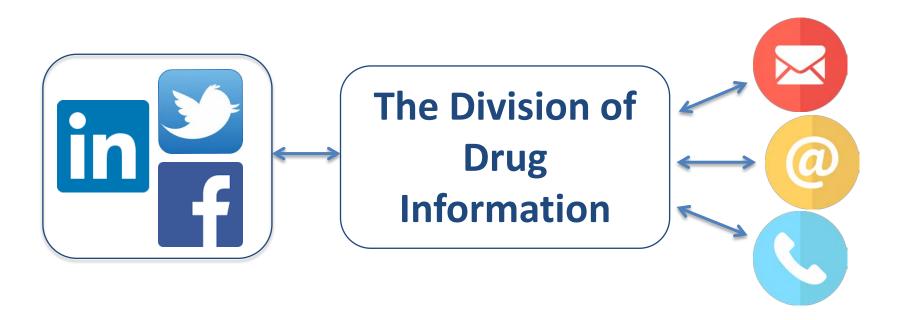
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please refer to Mylan's web page for product return and replacement instructions: www.mylan.com/EpiPenRecall. According to their web page, Mylan is committed to replacing recalled devices at no cost. Mylan also reassures patients that there will be no additional replacement-related financial burden to them as a result of this recall.

If you have additional questions or concerns, you may contact Mylan directly at 800-796-9526 or customer.service@mylan.com.



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