

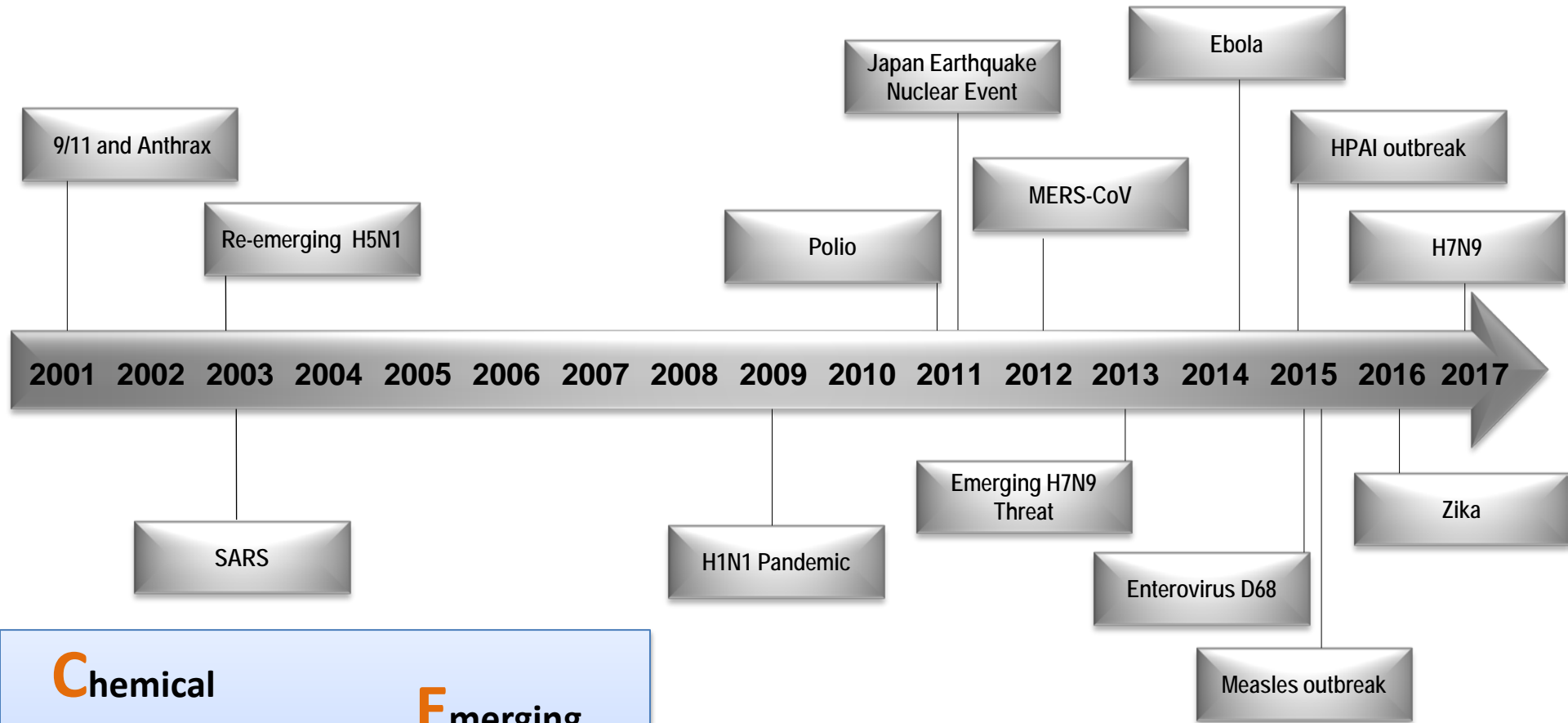
# **Building a National Capability** to Monitor and Assess Medical Countermeasure Use in Response to Public Health Emergencies

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# Public Health Emergencies (PHE)



**C**hemical  
**B**iological  
**R**adiological  
**N**uclear

+

**E**merging  
**I**nfectious  
**D**iseases

# The Problem

The U.S. government has a limited capacity to rapidly collect and analyze PHE medical countermeasure (MCM) safety and effectiveness data, especially during a PHE response.



**...now what?**

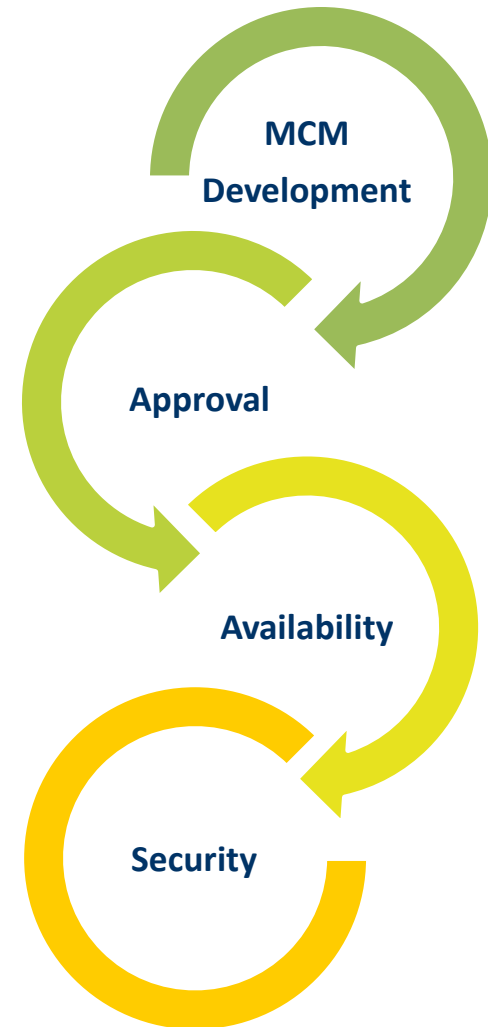


# MCM 101

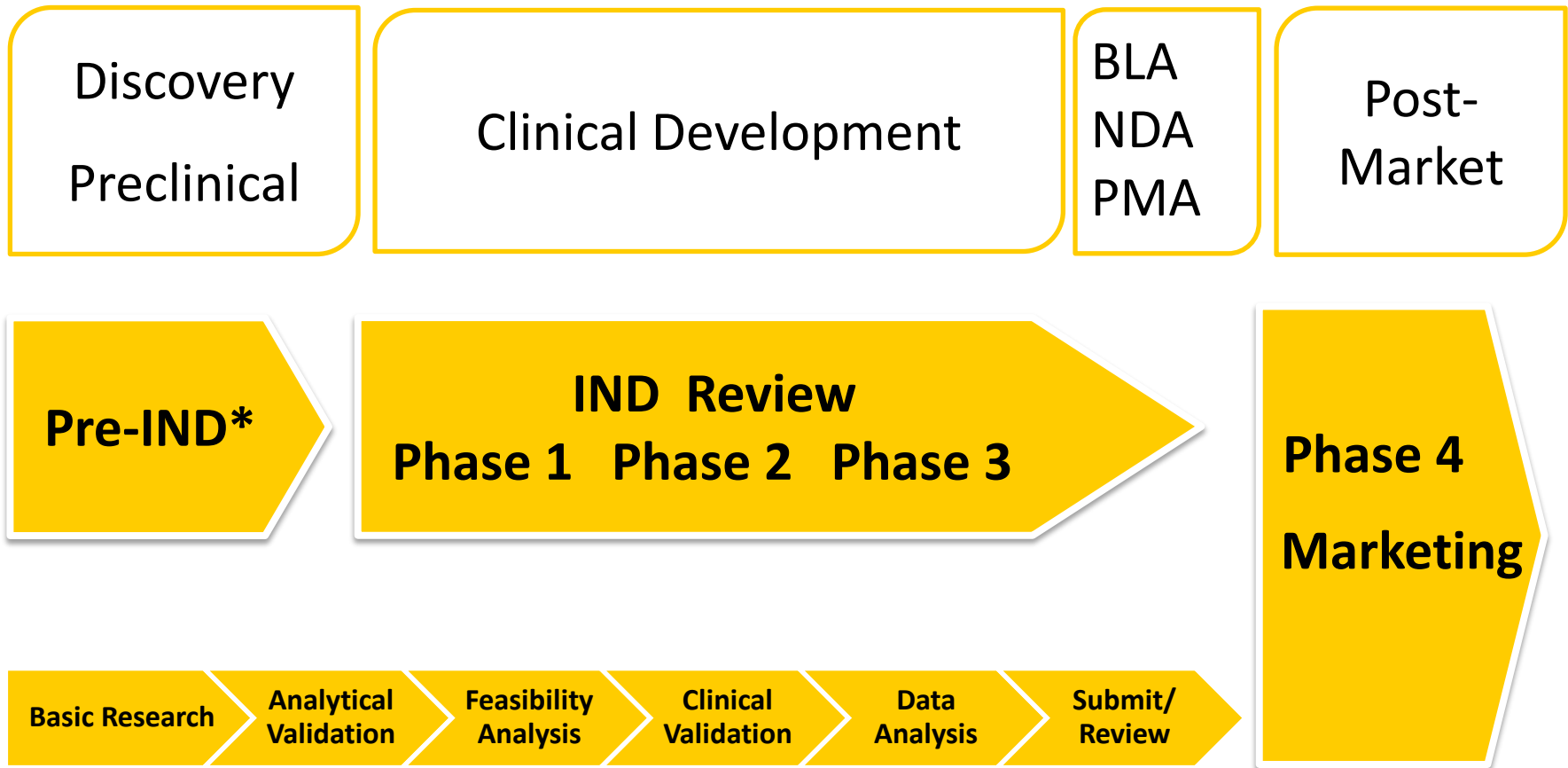


# FDA's MCM Roles

- Facilitating development of and access to MCMs
  - e.g., Animal Rule
- Legal mechanisms (e.g., EUA, IND, IDE, Expanded Access)
- Consumer protection
- Collaboration
- **Monitoring MCM use for safety and effectiveness**



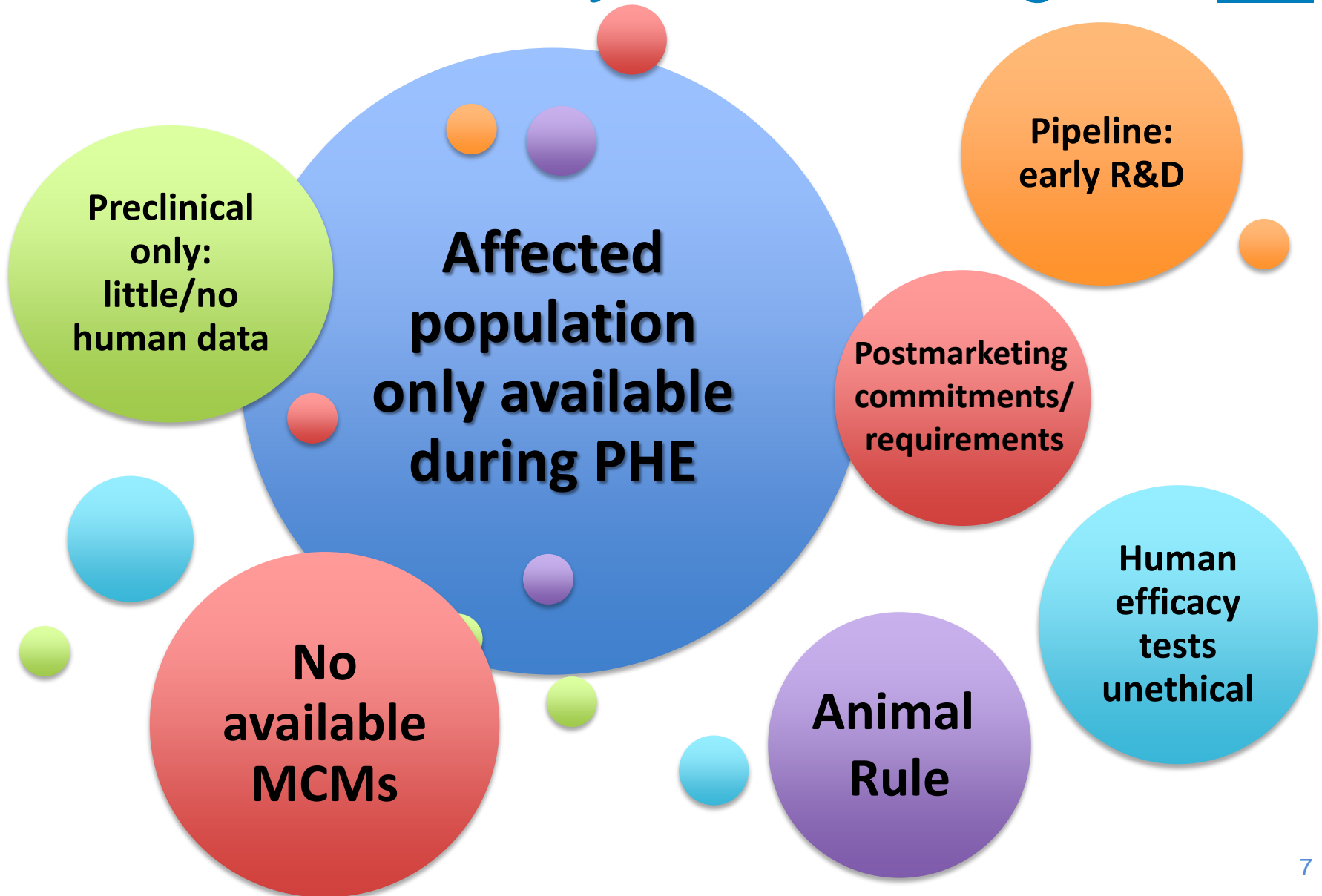
# Traditional Medical Product Lifecycle



\* Pre-submission for medical devices



# PHE MCM Lifecycle Challenges



# How is assessment different in a public health emergency?

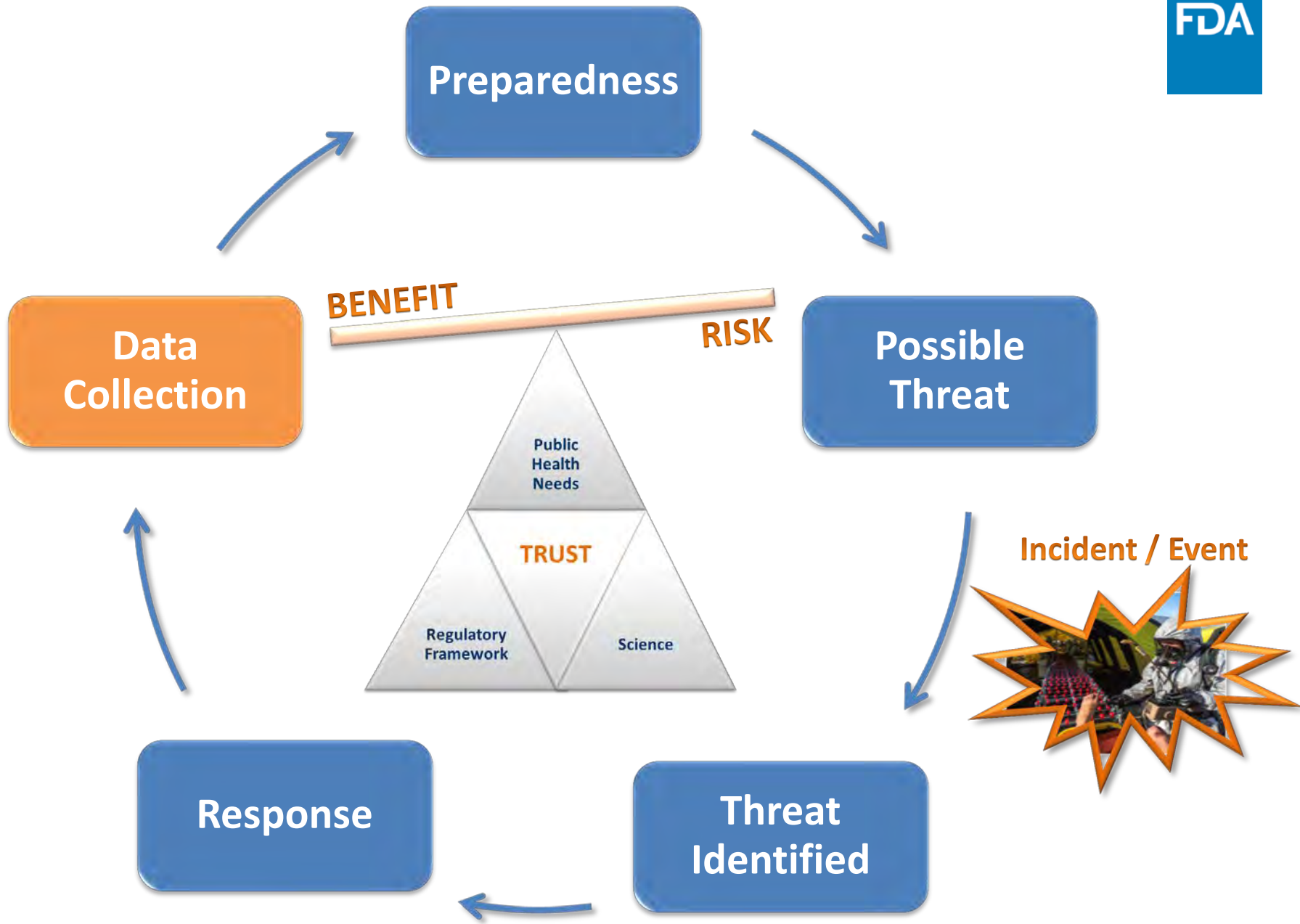
## PHE

- Intent – respond and mitigate
- Unplanned / unexpected
- Uncontrolled or no data collection
- Large numbers of individuals
- Simultaneous administration / multiple products
- Rapid decision-making / response
- Little or no tracking / monitoring
  - Lack of primary provider oversight / interaction
- Limited reporting or information dissemination

## TRADITIONAL R & D

- Intent – generalizable knowledge
- Planned / deliberate
- Well-controlled clinical trials
- Smaller numbers of individuals
- Stepwise progression / single product
- Careful decision-making / time
- Strict oversight and monitoring
  - Informed consent / process
  - IRB review and approval
  - Adverse event reporting





# H1N1

Cases reported in Mexico  
**April 2009**

CDC starts candidate vaccines  
**Apr. 21**

CDC starts releasing MCMs from SNS  
**Apr. 26**

Discussions well underway:  
– Vaccine EUA/lic.  
– Vaccine safety  
– Antivirals  
**May 2009**

Resistance to oseltamivir & zanamivir found  
**July 2009**

FDA approves 4 H1N1 vaccines  
**Sept. 2009**

Peramivir EUA  
**Oct. 2009**

CDC confirms US cases  
**Apr. 15**

US declares PHE  
**Apr. 26**

WHO declares PHEIC  
**Apr. 25**

FDA issues 1<sup>st</sup> EUAs for flu antivirals & diagnostics  
**Apr. 27**

Vaccine distribution planning well underway  
**June 2009**

NIH starts clinical trials  
**July 2009**

NIH announces trial results  
**Sept. 2009**

ACIP meeting for recommendations  
**July 2009**

## Sources:

FDA 2009 H1N1 (Swine) Flu Page ([archived](#))

H1N1 EUAs – [Archived Information](#) (FDA)

[Historical Information about Device Emergency Use Authorizations](#) (FDA)

CDC 2009 H1N1 Pandemic: Summary Highlights, April 2009 – April 2010 ([archived](#))





**Operations for Response**



**Electronic Health Data**



**Unstructured/Big Data**



**Clinical Networks**

# Progress to Date

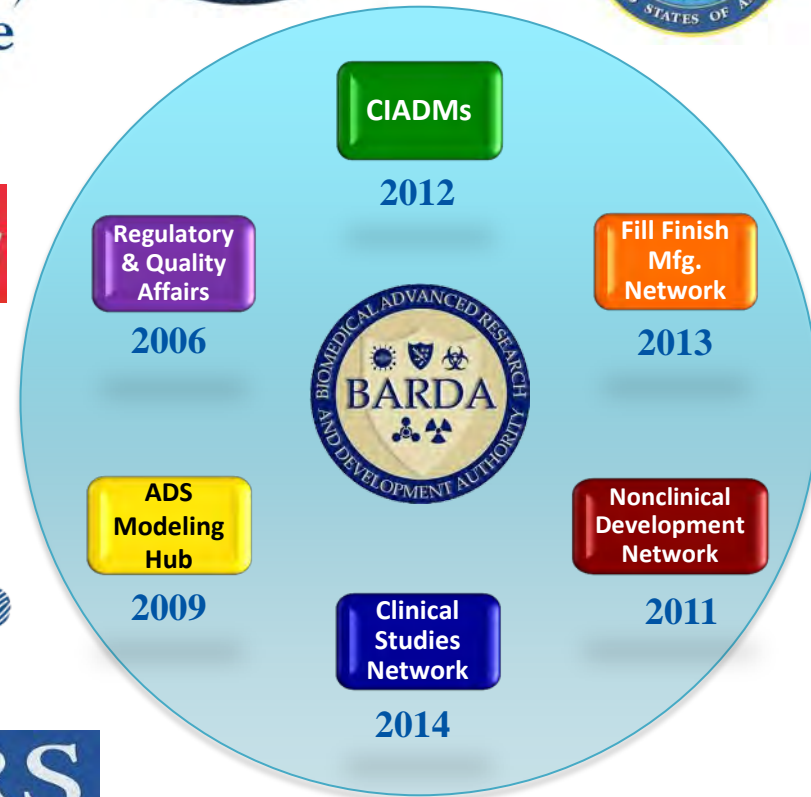
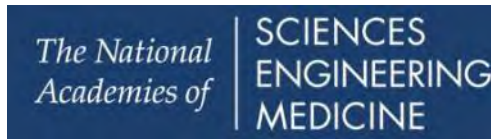
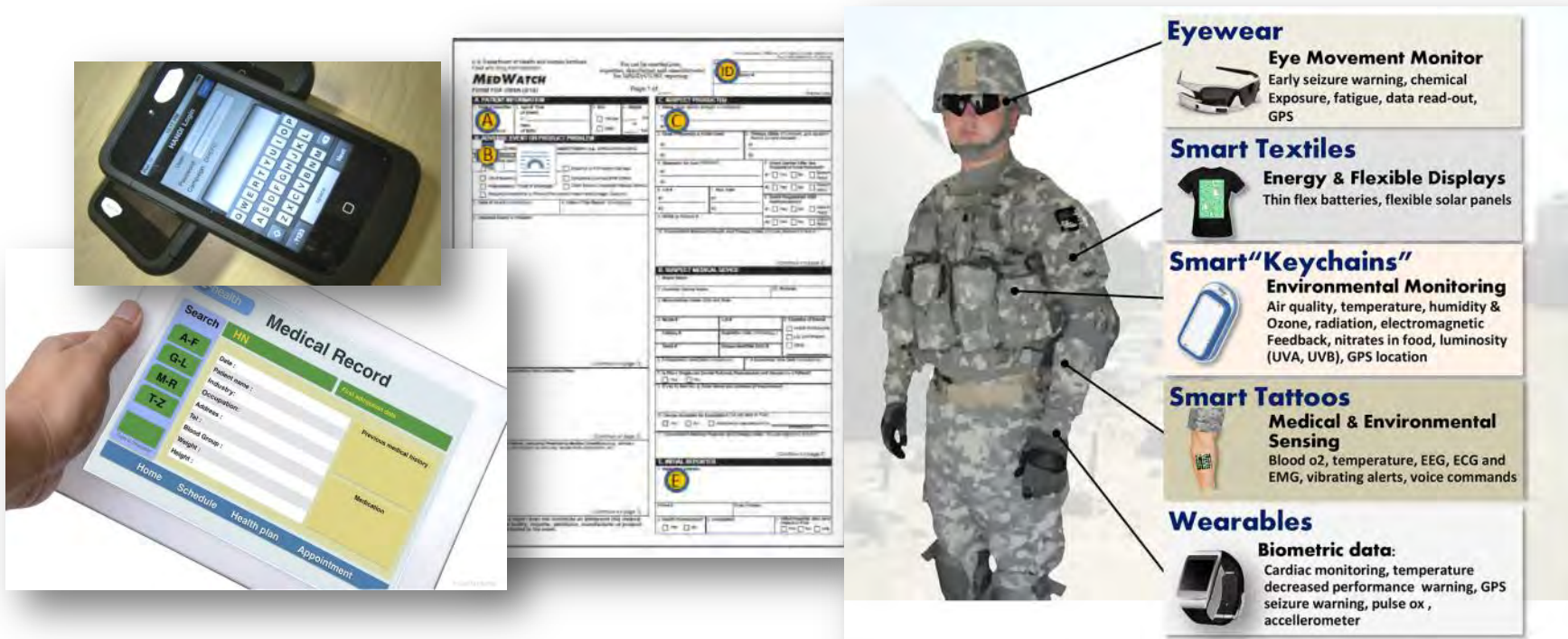


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# What more can we do?

- EHR capabilities
- Handhelds
- Linking clinical trial networks
- Machine learning
- Social media / crowdsourcing
- “Smart” tech



# Our Charge

How do we leverage and coordinate all of this during a PHE response—our only opportunity to collect safety and efficacy data for MCMs?





# Resources



- **MCM Monitoring and Assessment (new page)**
  - <https://www.fda.gov/EmergencyPreparedness/Counterterrorism/MedicalCountermeasures/MCMIssues/ucm561377.htm>
- **FDA Medical Countermeasures Initiative (MCMi)**
  - <https://www.fda.gov/medicalcountermeasures>
- **Emergency Use Authorization of Medical Products and Related Authorities – Jan. 2017 Guidance**
  - <https://www.fda.gov/RegulatoryInformation/Guidances/ucm125127.htm>
- **PAHPRA (Public Law 113-5)**
  - <http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/PLAW-113publ5/pdf/PLAW-113publ5.pdf>
- **MCM emergency use authorities (EUA, etc.)**
  - <http://www.fda.gov/EmergencyPreparedness/Counterterrorism/MedicalCountermeasures/MCMLegalRegulatoryandPolicyFramework/ucm411432.htm>





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