

# Accelerating the Development and Approval of Innovative Products

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# CBER Regulated Products: Something Old and Something New

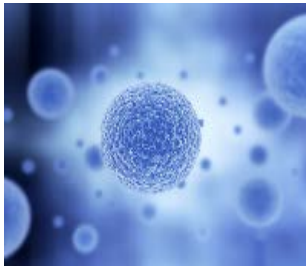
Diphtheria antitoxin vial  
from about 1899



Artist's rendering of CRISPR/Cas9  
Genome Editing



# Products Regulated by CBER



Pictures of tubes of blood, a cell, and a syringe and vials

- Vaccines (preventative and therapeutic)
- Allergenic
- Live Biotherapeutic Products
- Blood Products
- Devices Related to Biologics
- Human Tissues and Cellular Products
- Xenotransplantation Products
- Gene Therapies



# CDER Regulated Products: Vaccines for Disease Prevention

>150 million doses of influenza vaccine given in 2016-2017

## Annual US disease in the 1900s:

## US disease in 2013:

Smallpox:	29,005	0
Diphtheria:	21,053	0
Pertussis:	200,752	28,639
Polio:	16,316	1
Measles:	530,217	187
Mumps:	162,344	584
Rubella:	47,745	9
H. Influenzae:	20,000	31

<https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/pubs/pinkbook/downloads/appendices/e/impact.pdf>



# CBER Regulated Products: Keeping the Blood Supply Safe

Need for continued vigilance against emerging threats

## Successes\*

**HIV: 1 per 1,466,671 units**

**HBV: 1 per 292,561 units**

**HCV: 1 per 1,148,628 units**

**Pathogen reduction technology –approved for  
plasma and platelets**

\*Zou S, Stramer SL, Dodd RY. Transfus Med Rev. 2012;26:119-28



# CDER Regulated Products: Advanced Therapies at the Leading Edge

## Gene Therapy

- Ex vivo
  - Cells isolated from individual and transfected with gene therapy in a laboratory prior to growth in culture and reinfusion
- In vivo
  - Genetic material directly administered to individual by intravenous or other route leading to cellular modification



# CDER Regulated Products: Advanced Therapies at the Leading Edge

## Regenerative Medicine

- Cell therapies
- Therapeutic tissue engineering products
- Human cell and tissue products
- Some combination products

Field with great promise that goes directly to the FDA's role in helping meet unmet medical need

# Chimeric Antigen Receptor-T Cells



Cover of the Journal  
Immunity  
from February 2016

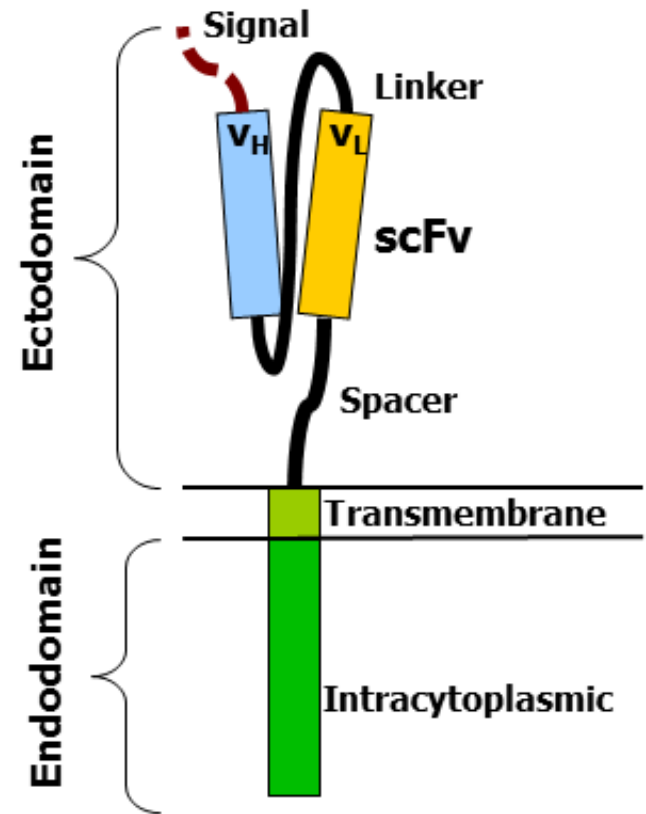


# Chimeric Antigen Receptor-T Cells

- Chimeric antigen receptor-T cells (CAR-T cells) represent a cell-based gene therapy with potential applications to multiple diseases
  - Hematologic malignancies
  - Solid tumors
  - Infectious disease
  - Autoimmune disease
- Possibility to provide therapeutic benefit with an extended duration of effect

# Genetic Modification: Introduction of Chimeric Antigen Receptor

- Using molecular genetics, novel protein receptors can be created that combine features of different proteins into one
- This allows one to both target and activate T cells to eliminate an cancerous or undesirable cell type



Drawing of chimeric antigen T cell receptor construct

# Chimeric Antigen Receptor-T Cells Approved Products



- Kymriah
  - Indicated for treatment of patients up to 25 years of age with B-cell precursor acute lymphoblastic leukemia (ALL) that is refractory or in second or later relapse
- Yescarta
  - Indicated for treatment of adult patients with relapsed or refractory large B-cell lymphoma after two or more lines of systemic therapy

