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2024 FDA & ASCPT Annual William B. Abrams Lecture: **The Benzodiazepine Era**



Wednesday, May 1, 2024 | 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm



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Anxiety, panic disorder, and insomnia have long been recognized in the history of human health. This presentation reviews basic and clinical research milestones in the development of benzodiazepine agonist medications from 1960 to the present. The focus will be on conclusions supported by credible scientific evidence, and challenges faced by the clinical and regulatory communities.

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