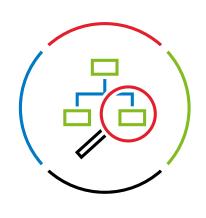


Accelerate life sciences ROI with the right data investments







The life sciences industry is rapidly changing.

While investments were being made prior to the COVID-19 pandemic, the subsequent years have dramatically shifted the industry in increased investments, innovation, and regulations. 1 Labs around the world collaborated on vaccines and continue to do meaningful work every day to develop crucial drugs and products, run clinical trials, and solve challenges that impact lives around the world.

As investments in research increase, teams will need to partner with scalable, data-centric solutions to support operations and deliver ROI.



Nearly 50% jump in R&D and life science laboratories in the past 5 years²



Total life sciences lab/ R&D space may increase by more than 20% over the next two years.²



91% of life science organizations are investing in R&D in 20231

The need for investing in scalable, evidence-based solutions

With the industry rapidly changing and expanding, life science teams and researchers need access to user-friendly, evidence-based information and data to make business and clinical decisions. These solutions can address challenges within core business functions, supporting cost reduction, streamlining workflows, and improving ROI.

How can you use clinical data technology within your life sciences organization?



Research and development

- · Review current clinical best practices, treatment regimens, and recommendations from the perspective of practicing expert clinicians
- · Quickly access underlying evidence, including care guidelines and research studies, used to develop best practices and recommendations
- Derive insights from drug topics, which go beyond basic drug information to deliver unique clinical perspective



Clinical trials

- · Consult the latest evidence and supporting clinical research to inform trials with a standardized source of information
- · Research leading epidemiology and treatment standards for diseases
- · Access leading evidence on innovative treatments like precision medicine



Market intelligence

- · Assist in product research, pricing, and launches with a single source of information across teams
- Provide in-depth drug and clinical information and pricing to support competitive intelligence and sales training
- Track drug pricing, forecasting, and competitors, including off-label uses



A dual approach: evidencebased clinical information and robust drug pricing

By combining a leading clinical decision support solution and a robust drug pricing solution, life science teams can have crucial data and information at their fingertips. Both UpToDate® and Medi-Span® Price Rx® were created to be easy to use for clinicians and to fit seamlessly into the clinical workflow with minimal IT support.



UpToDate: Leading clinical decision support

With the leading clinical decision support resource, life science teams across the organization can have access to the same information as most US doctors. Easily access the latest evidence-based medical and drug information, updated by clinical experts in an accessible, user-friendly interface to make business and research decisions.

UpToDate features:

- Optimized search capabilities of 12,400+ clinical topics in 25 specialties
- · More than 9,800 evidence-based graded recommendations
- · A select drug database and drug interactions tool with 7,600 drug topics
- More than 544,000 links to references and citations
- · Graphics search of more than 37,000 pictures, charts, and videos



82% of users in life sciences say UpToDate helps their organization make better business decisions.

UpToDate Customer Survey. November 2021. Data on file



Price Rx: Current and historic drug pricing data

Drug pricing is constantly changing. With daily updates, having access to the latest and historic prices can enable teams to make key business decisions, identify market positions, and forecast trends.

Medi-Span Price Rx is an industry standard and leading drug price reference and analysis tool designed to provide quick access to core drug pricing content. Understand the latest trends in drug pricing with analytics and remove the guesswork from product launches and research.

Price Rx features:

- · Over 400,000 drug products with new and historical pricing data
- · Compare over a dozen pricing types and benchmarks such as AWP, FSS, WAC, and ACA FUL
- Competitive intelligence, and brand and market intelligence

"It's the best drug pricing database out there. It's very clean and easy to use, reliable. I use it for WAC pricing, both absolute and growth. It's my go-to source for drug pricing."

Salim Sved

Managing Director, Senior Biotechnology Analyst, Head of Biotechnology Research Mizuho Securities USA LLC





New clinical studies are released that impact care



Our authors collaborate with multiple specialty editors to create and review the topic



The topic is peer reviewed



A grading editor reviews the graded recommendation



Final topic content consensus is reached



The topic is made available to clinicians worldwide via UpToDate



Continuous publishing keeps the topic content current

"The clinical teams trust UpToDate. It gives them the confidence to make care decisions because they trust the information, because it's evidence-hased"

Dr. Jonathan James

Chief Strategy Officer, Axis Medical Center Minneapolis, Minnesota, United States

An evidence-based, trusted source for clinical information

For over 30 years, UpToDate has been a trusted resource for clinicians when complex decisions are needed at the point-of-care.

New medical research is constantly released, at times creating an "infodemic" of information⁸, and it can be a challenge to stay current with clinical recommendations.

The UpToDate editorial team is comprised of clinical experts who assemble and analyze the latest medical evidence and integrate it into existing recommendations. Strict editorial processes support content development in a balanced, unbiased manner to ensure clinical recommendations are safe and actionable, and content is constantly updated as new evidence emerges.

With UpToDate, clinicians and health science professionals always have access to the latest available evidence and recommendations, reviewed to the highest possible level of excellence and integrity.

Expert clinical content:

- · Over 7,400 practicing clinician and expert authors, editors, and peer reviewers
- Over 12,400 topics across 25 specialties
- Over **7,600** unique drug entries

Every day, UpToDate's editorial network reviews:

- · More than 420 peer reviewed journals
- · Society guidelines, clinical databases, and clinical trials for important new medical findings
- Databases including Medline, The Cochrane Library, Clinical Evidence, and the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality
- Guidelines and trial reports from leading agencies like the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. the European Medicines Agency, and the World Health Organization
- · Proceedings of major national and international scientific meetings



Real-world evidence for tangible results

As a trusted resource for over 30 years, UpToDate has been providing crucial information for clinicians at the pointof-care that saves time and improves outcomes. Having the same clinical content for life science teams can impact decision-making and support business outcomes.

Clinicians who subscribe say*...

I trust UpToDate as an evidence-based clinical information resource. 98%

UpToDate helps me stay current. 96%

UpToDate improves the quality of care I provide. 95%

I can find answers to most of my clinical questions in UpToDate. 93%

UpToDate saves me time. 90%

*UpToDate Individual Subscriber Survey, October 2022, N=9,878

A three-year Harvard study³ identified tangible benefits of using UpToDate, including:

Better-quality performance

Reduced length of stay in hospitals

Fewer deaths

"Absolutely necessity in today's environment. Quick, up-to-theminute information allows us to make critical decisions on the spot."

Price Rx user

<u>Contact us</u> to learn more about adding UpToDate and Medi-Span Price Rx to your teams' workflows.

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