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SCIENTIFIC PLATFORM DEVELOPMENT: Bringing the Lexicon to Life

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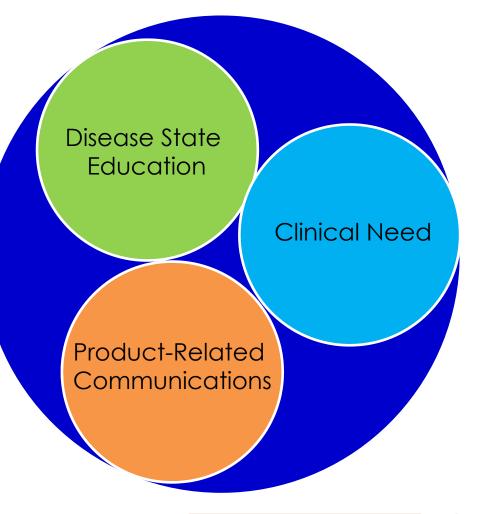
Objectives

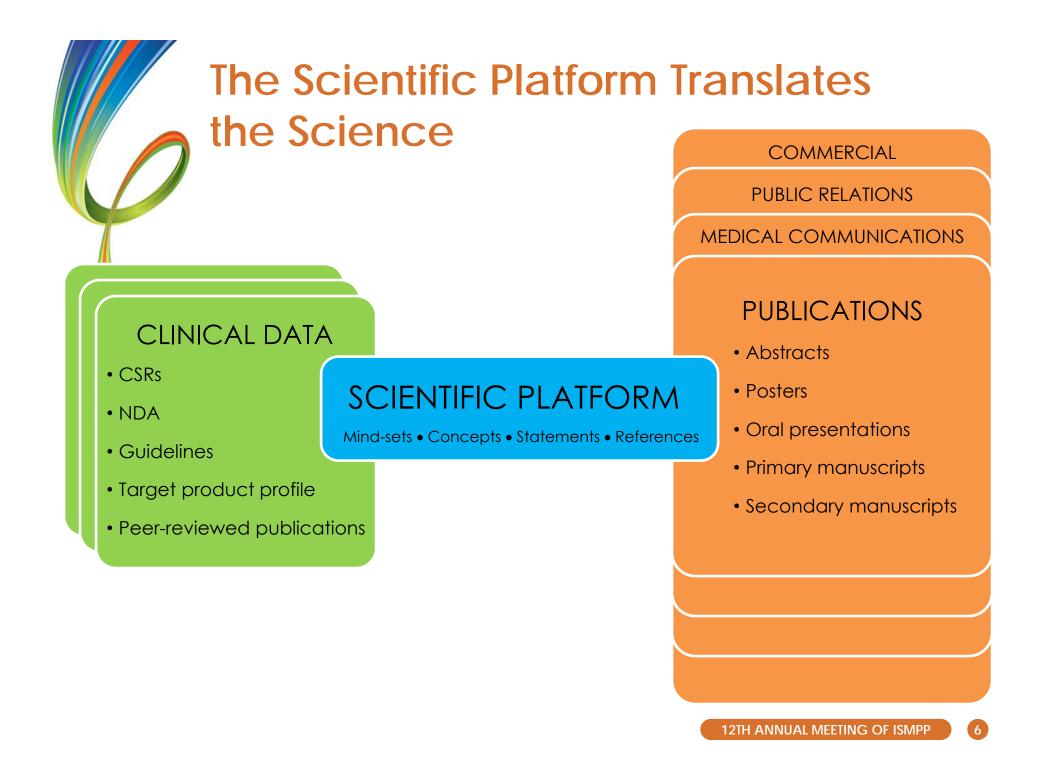
- Understand the value of and when to best develop a scientific platform
- Understand the process for developing a scientific platform and how medical publication professionals can contribute
- Be knowledgeable about how to develop a lexicon within the scientific platform and how best to carry through to associated medical publications



What Is a Scientific Platform?

- Scientific story
- Prioritized communication points
- Based on available evidence and aspirational statements
- Developed to address the clinical needs of the audience in a consistent manner





Scientific Platforms Can Serve Many Purposes

	Pubs	Medical	HEOR	MSL	Med Info
Relevant and consistent lexicon	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
Discussion topics for medical experts	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
Comprehensive reference repository	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
Onboarding resource	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
Prioritizes communication activities	\checkmark			\checkmark	
Prioritizes research efforts		\checkmark	\checkmark		
Identifies data gaps	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark		
Response letter content	\checkmark	\checkmark			\checkmark



Explaining the Importance



How do you describe the value of a scientific platform to your colleagues in

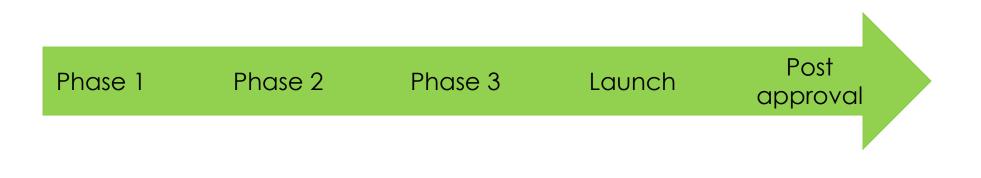
- Clinical?
- HEOR?
- Commercial?
- Corporate?

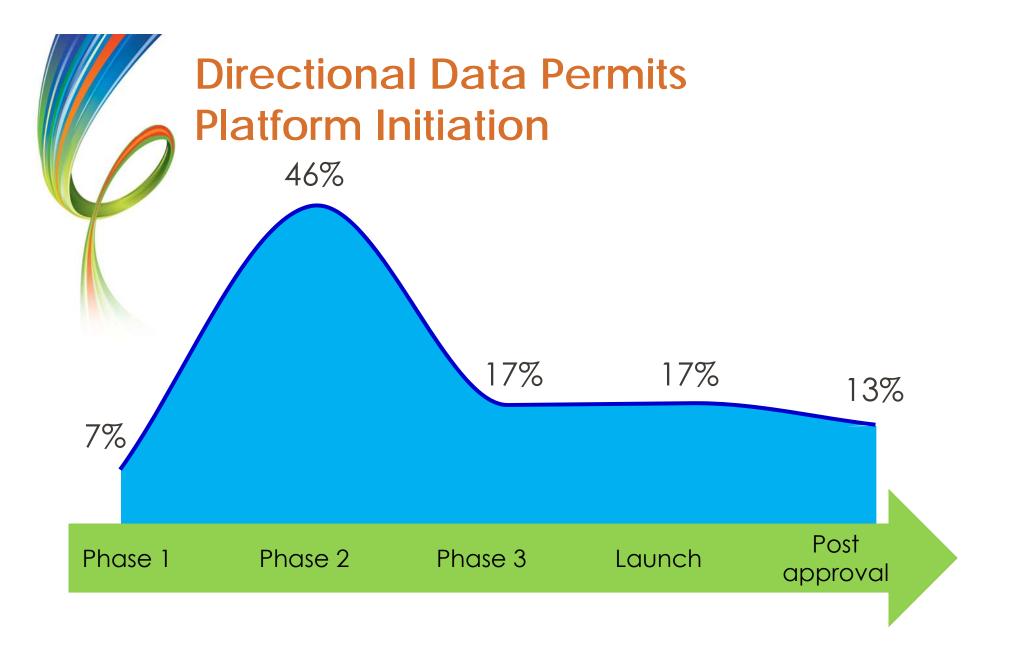
Can you provide a real-world example where it made a difference?

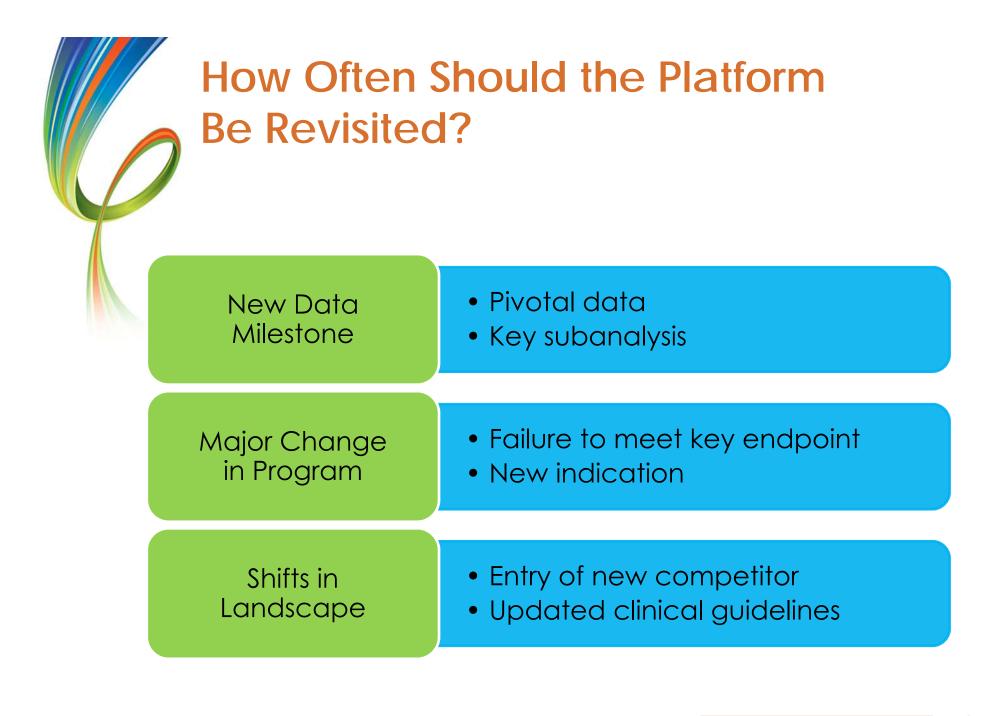


When Is the Best Time to Develop an Initial Platform?

Key Question Are there sufficient data to suggest where the program is going?









Types of Platforms



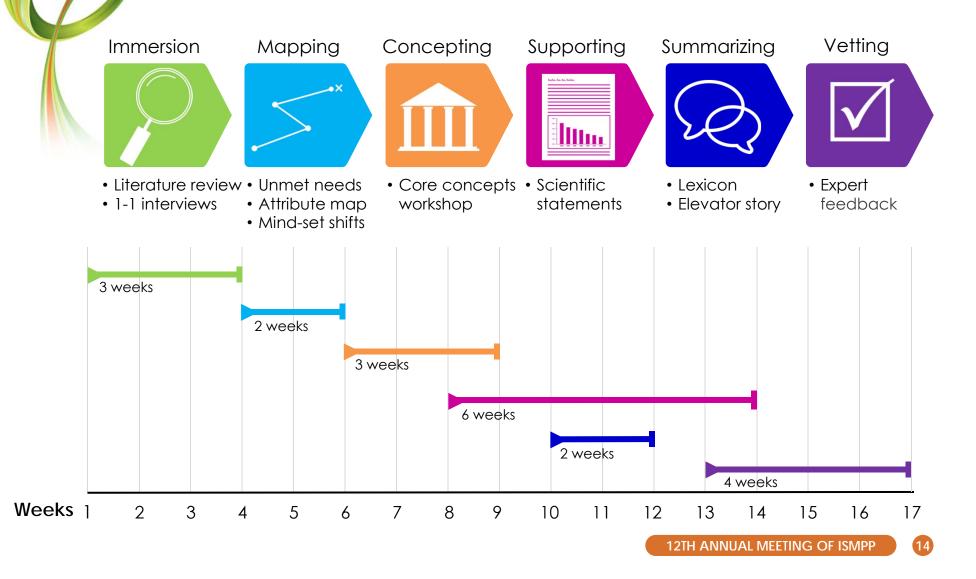
When have you typically initiated a scientific platform?

Does the initiation timing vary on the basis of the type of platform (eg, disease state, product, HEOR)?



BUILDING A PLATFORM

Best Practices Suggest Importance of Multistep Process





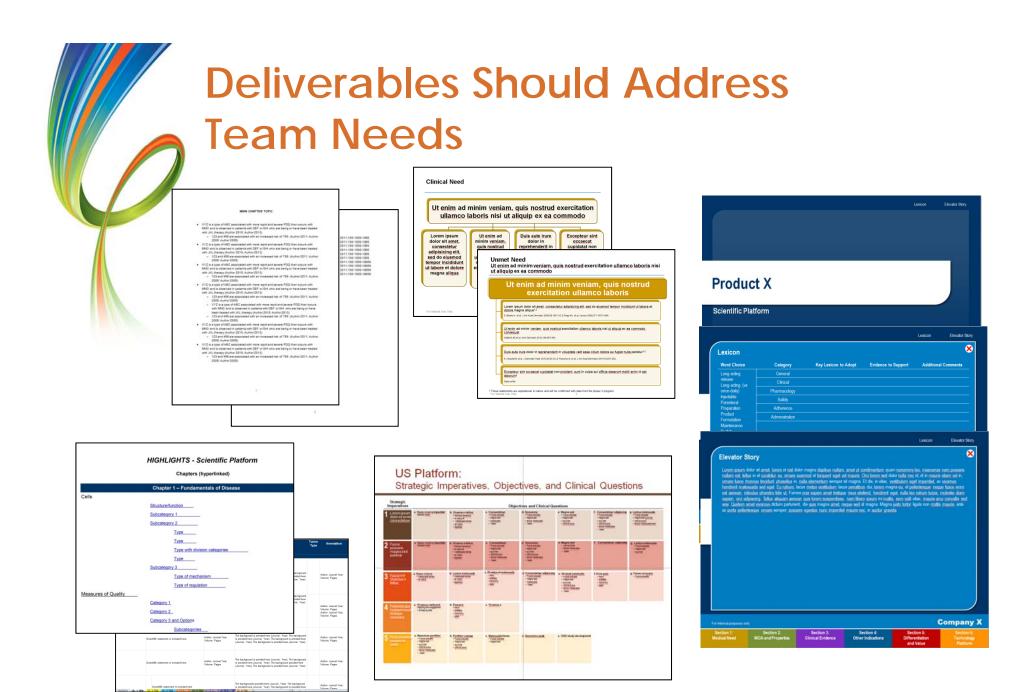
Vetting Platforms



Do you vet the platform and related scientific statements with external advisors?

If so

- Why?
- When?
- Howś



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Need for Consistency in Word Usage Should Be Considered

Word Choice	Category	Key Lexicon to Adopt	Evidence to Support	Additional Comments
Long-acting	General			
release	Clinical			
once-daily)	Pharmacology			
Injectable Parenteral	Safety			
Preparation	Adherence			
Product Formulation	Administration			
Maintenance Switch Loading dose Next generation Previous generation Regimen Monotherapy Self administration Minimal injection site reactions				
Mild ISRs				Compar

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Where is the balance between focusing the platform on ideas vs just presenting data?

What are some of the challenges you have encountered in creating a lexicon and/or balancing it with author expectations?



ENSURING CROSS-FUNCTIONAL ALIGNMENT

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Engagement



Alignment



Ownership

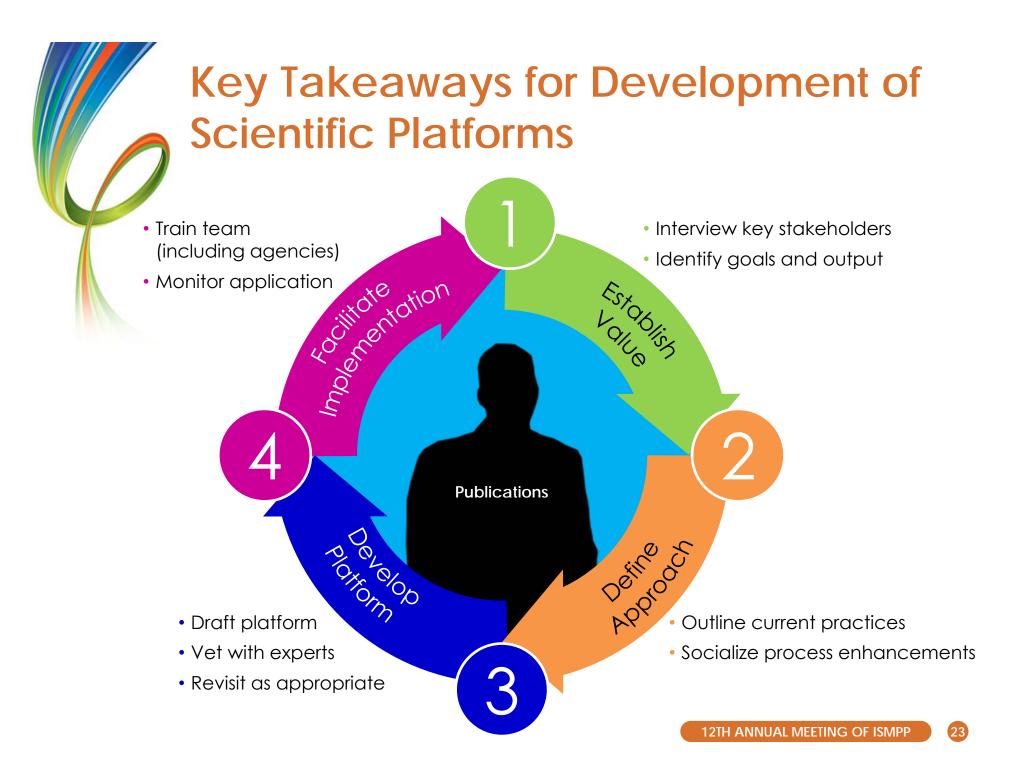
Role of Publication Professional



What is the role of the medical publication professional in the development of a scientific platform?

How have you ensured execution/ implementation of the scientific platform? Ensured that it is a living document?





QUESTIONS?