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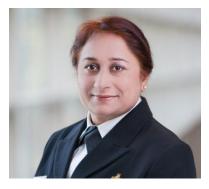


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TRACY GRAY is the Patient Engagement Lead in FDA's Center for Devices and Radiological Health (CDRH), Office of Strategic Partnerships and Technology Innovation (OST), Patient Science and Engagement Program. As the Patient Engagement lead, Tracy works in collaboration with internal and external stakeholders, to foster a culture of patient engagement in CDRH, through intentional, meaningful patient interactions that provide opportunities of mutual benefit to FDA, patient and caregiver communities. These partnerships help CDRH advance the development and evaluation of medical products in all phases of the total product life cycle. Prior to joining the FDA, Tracy held positions in the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), as a Senior Nurse Consultant, Chief of the Nurse Corps Scholarship Program and Chief of the Advanced Nursing Education Branch, overseeing program operations, grant management and policy development that resulted in an increased supply of registered and advanced practice nurses, and nurse faculty working in rural and underserved areas across the nation. Tracy served as the Designated Federal Officer (DFO), for the National Advisory Council on Nurse Education and Practice (NACNEP), a council that makes recommendations to the Secretary and Congress, related to the nursing workforce, education and practice improvement. Tracy has worked for the benefit of patients throughout her healthcare career, while providing nursing care, leading grass-roots marketing and business development initiatives in a disproportionate share health system and working in the pharmaceutical industry to increase availability of therapeutic drugs for chronic conditions. Tracy earned a BS in Biological Sciences, with a concentration in microbiology, from the University of Maryland, College Park, and earned a MBA from Marymount University, and a RN and MS degree from the University of Maryland School of Nursing, Baltimore, MD.



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Office of Communications' Division of Drug Information, responding to public inquiries concerning all aspects of drug review, regulation, and FDA's MedWatch program. She was also director of the FDA's Pharmacy Student Experiential Program (PSEP). As such, Dr. Khatri developed and implemented new measures to significantly improve the visibility of PSEP across the FDA, making it a highly-acclaimed and nationally-recognized program for fostering the development of the next generation of pharmacists. Modelling the success of PSEP, Dr. Khatri has also launched a new experiential program for medical students and residents to experience and understand the FDA's broad regulatory authority and responsibility in protecting the public health. Dr. Khatri joined the FDA from Kaiser Permanente, where she worked as the Director of the Mid-Atlantic Anticoagulation Services. She collaborated with clinical teams to launch a new electronic documentation system and created an automated workflow for clinical pharmacists to route correspondence to the pharmacy and providers. Dr. Khatri earned a Doctor of Pharmacy degree from the University of Maryland School of Pharmacy in 2000. She also holds a Master of Public Health degree from Morgan State University



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JAMES VALENTINE is an attorney at Hyman, Phelps & McNamara, P.C. where he assists medical product industry and patient advocacy organization clients in a wide range of regulatory matters, including new drug and biologic development and approval issues. He has helped several sponsors secure FDA approval of new molecular entities, often for serious and rare diseases. James has also been central to the transition of the FDA Patient-Focused Drug Development (PFDD) program to externally-led meetings, having helped plan and moderated nearly 75% of the 30+ such meetings to date, and is also working on novel methodologies for capturing patient experience data. James has also authored an analysis cataloguing

FDA's flexibility in assessing efficacy in the approval of drugs for rare, or orphan, conditions. Before joining the firm in 2014, James worked in FDA's Office of Health and Constituent Affairs (previously Office of Special Health Issues) where he facilitated patient input in benefit-risk decision-making and served as a liaison to stakeholders on a wide range of regulatory policy issues. James administered the FDA Patient Representative Program, facilitated stakeholder consultations during the reauthorization of PDUFA and MDUFA, helped launch the PFDD program, and developed the FDA Patient Network. In recognition of his work in advocating for rare disease patients, in 2019, Global Genes named him a RARE Champion of Hope. James is also an adjunct professor of food and drug law at the University of Maryland Carey School of Law. Mr. Valentine earned his law degree from the University of Maryland Carey School of Law and his Master of Health Science in health policy from the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health.



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