

Rare Diseases 360 Collaborative Strategies to leave no-one behind

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Global Rare Equity: are we there yet?

Rare Diseases impose common problems and strong equity challenges to Health Systems and social protection, in the mark of distributive justice. Latin America does not escape from these challenges, which intensify due to our demographical, geographical, economic, cultural, and social characteristics.⁽¹⁾



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Global Rare Equity: Argentina are we there yet?

All my speech is about to built collaboratives strategies and the strengths and opportunities we have to offer to materialise them.

The strengths of the two national ministries The Health Ministry The Science Ministry

To close I present a case of a collaborative strategy to access to innovative therapies

Finally what we lack



Key enblers:

- Argentina has 55 internationally recognized National Universities that receive students from all Latin America.
- Argentina is a country with an open economy, receptive to international dialogue and accesible to the development of advanced therapies. Argenitna has an innovative Science and Technology Ministry linked to the most important scientific institutions of the world.
- Argentina has consolidated network of advocacy patients, validated by theirs protagonist and recognized of its representativeness.



Key eneblers:

A long tradition of excellence in scientific development allowed the formation of a highly qualified human resources

Three Argentinean scientists awarded with Nobel Prize

Argentina is a country with a prestigious career in medical sciences that has 3 Nobel prizes and we are looking for 4th !!!





Opportunities in our health sphere:

- ➢ National Law 26,689 of Rare Diseases
- ➢ National Program of RD
- ➢ National Registry of RD
- Access to therapies
- ➢ RedApta







Opportunities in our health sphere:

➢ National Health Ministry





Opportunities in our health sphere

Time lines

Public health policies

2007	2009	2011	2015	Current challenges
Creation of the Genetics Program	RENAC: National Registry of Congenital Anomalies	National Law of Rare Diseases: 26,689 (18 Jurisdictions adhered)	 Regulation of the National Law Creation and implementation of the National RD Program, Ministerial Resolution 2339/14 Genetic Program RD area Treatment Area of Growth Hormon 	 National Registry RD (SIISA) Consultive advice cometee List of RD





Website of the Ministry of Health Orphanet Argentina



Annual RD Courses by Telehealth RD in Prmary Care in person



Management leaders by province Identification of RD experticed centres



Advice and guidance to families, health teams (through mail, telephone and face-to-face calls)

Joint work with NGOs

In-person orientation and counseling interviews with the National Director of NGOs



Preparation of reports

Responses to requirements

Growth hormone Program

Training, material for the website



➢ Argentina understood the importance to accelerate the safe development of regenerative medicine



➢ Today implements GLOBAL REGULATORY AFFAIRS





Legal & regulatory framework in Argentina

Transplants Act

• Ley 24.193

Regulatory Ministry of Health

• Resolución 610-2007 - Res. 307/2007 - Dcto 512/95 Resolución Nº 119/2012 Authority:

INCUCAI

Professional Practice Medicine Act 1967

Medicines Act

• Ley 16.463

Regulatory Ministry of Health /ANMAT

- Disposición 7075/2011
- Disposición 7729/2011

Authority: Ministry of Health/ANMAT

Clinical trails

Regulatory Resoluciión 6677/2011 (Clinical Research)

Authority: Ministry of Health/ANMAT

Patient Rights Act 2009



- \triangleright Ministry of Science, Technology and Productive Innovation
- \geq Advisory Commission Regenerative Medicine and Cellular Therapies (2006)
- \geq Minister: Lino Barañao; Chair: Fabiana Arzuaga
- \triangleright Peralta, Jorge; Pitossi, Fernando; Podhajcer, Osvaldo; Saidón, Patricia; Seoane, Martín; Sevlever, Gustavo; Sommer, Susana; Bergel, Salvador; Coco, Roberto; Del Pozo, Ana Luna, Florencia; Kusminsky, Gustavo; Miriuka, Santiago

•Tensions between economic factors and dominant interests in society. •Strong utilitarian component •Strong utilitarian

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Bioafety

Research and therapies with cells is a complex issue:

involves many different actors/interests and its development may affect fundamental human rights

Challenge: Is it possible to perform anticipatory governance?

Offer of unproven treatments Deficiency in communication of science and press media Vulnerable groups (patients) Necessity of a federal legislation for research and therapies with cells to protect personal rights and promote research

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► RED APTA

- Creation of a new Coalition of patients
- This network is called RED APTA (Argentinean Patients Network for Advanced Therapies). With International collaborations: University of Edinburgh, McGill University, CIRM (USA), GPI (USA), France, Belgium, Colombia, Chile, México, Perú, Germany, etc.

CICEMA: Public/private Consortium for research

PROBITEC: Argentine–Brazilian national research program, aimed to improve technologial development and train professionals in the field of cellular therapies

Platforms: of services to facilitate research tools in: Biomaterials, Genomics, Stem Cells, Bioinformatics, New drugs production, Proteomics and structural biology



COMISIÓN ASESORA EN TERAPIAS CELULARES Y MEDICINA REGENERATIVA





Open debate with all stakeholders

- Releasing of joint announcements with scientific/professional medical societies (Diabetes, Neurology, Paediatrics, Ophthalmology, etc) with a clear message about stem cell treatments state of the art.
- Interactions with journalists to help them understand which is the real status of cell therapies to communicate with more objectivity.
- ➢ Interactions with Ministry of Health

Argentina create the conditions to promote Regenerative Medicine in our country and provide a regulatory framework to research advanced therapies that facilitates the generation of safe and effective treatments for patients in harmony with international markets.



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A case in progress:

Grupo argenomics

what´s next? PAMPA

 Consortium-Coallition for Precision Medicine with official support and endorsement (*Ministries of Health and Science Tech and*)

Innovation) framed in the National Precision Medicine Programme



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Strengthening Health Systems Through Sustainable Interventions

Increase regional newborn screening practices: evaluate the population of newborns screening practices for rare disorders. These actions to be carried out to increase the equity and to improve the practice of the neonatal screening process for rare diseases in the region.

Education and Awareness: There is a poor conscience about the presence of RD and conditions of the communities suffering these diseases and absence of education in the health sciences universities. Add to the topic in School of Medicine and the health care professionals. Invite medical societies to participate

Harmonised data & digital technology: The lack records becomes impossible to divulge information about these sufferings, to know the pathology, and, through innovation, how to handle the phenomenon with treatments adequate to the patients. (DHIs) Classification of Digital Health Interventions v 1.0









GLOBAL EQUITY

- Interdisciplinary
- **Collaborative team work**
- Health networks
- Concerted Alliances







THANKS A LOT!!!!!

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