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PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

Dr. Marcie Wood is the Practice Director of ToxStrategies' Biopharmaceutical/Pharmaceutical/Medical Device Practice, and is located in Houston, Texas. She is a toxicologist with more than 12 years of experience in drug discovery and development, including 7 years at the U.S. Food and Drug Administration. She has nonclinical experience with biologic, biosimilar, and small-molecule products for a wide variety of pulmonary, allergy, rheumatology, oncology, and ophthalmology indications, as well as multiple routes of administration (e.g., inhalation, oral, intravenous, subcutaneous, intra-articular, intranasal, and dermal).

In the Center for Drug Evaluation and Research (CDER) at FDA, Dr. Wood served as both pharmacology/toxicology supervisor and reviewer in the Division of Pulmonary, Allergy, and Rheumatology Products (DPAAP). As a supervisor, she was responsible for providing leadership and guidance to the Division's team of pharmacology/toxicology reviewers with respect to the evaluation of nonclinical data submitted in pre-Investigational New Drug Applications (INDs), INDs, and New Drug Applications (NDAs)/Biologics License Applications (BLAs), ensuring that the regulatory recommendations of the team were scientifically sound and in line with applicable guidance documents. More recently, Dr. Wood was responsible for implementing Pregnancy and Lactation Labeling Rule (PLLR) changes in approved product labels. She also evaluated and presented recommendations on challenging scientific and regulatory issues to CDER senior management, including nonclinical hold deficiencies, complete responses to clinical holds, and other issues with the potential to influence clinical development; represented the Division's nonclinical expertise at internal, industry, and Advisory Committee (AC) meetings; and provided recommendations to the Executive Carcinogenicity Assessment Committee (ECAC) on dose selection for rodent carcinogenicity studies and carcinogenicity study outcomes. Through attendance at Pharmacology and Toxicology Coordinating Committee (PTCC) meetings and interactions with other review divisions within CDER.

As a reviewer, Dr. Wood was responsible for reviewing nonclinical data packages (i.e., pharmacology, pharmacokinetics, and toxicology) of biologic, biosimilar, and small-molecule products submitted in support of the safety of pulmonary, allergy, and rheumatology indications (e.g., allergic rhinitis, asthma, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, cystic fibrosis, idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis, rheumatoid arthritis, lupus, etc.). She prepared comprehensive written reports of nonclinical data, including inhalation toxicology data, and provided regulatory conclusions and recommendations for preINDs, INDs, and NDAs/BLAs, including recommendations for approved product labeling. Dr. Wood also worked on multidisciplinary teams, addressed cross-discipline review issues (e.g., excipients, impurities, and leachables and extractables), and participated in meetings with industry representatives to provide regulatory advice and guidance on nonclinical drug development programs.

Dr. Wood spoke at FDA educational courses on nonclinical considerations for the review of inhalation drug products and participated in the Oligonucleotide Subcommittee of the PTCC. As a result of her time at FDA and experience as both a nonclinical supervisor and reviewer, Dr. Wood has a comprehensive understanding of current regulatory requirements and Agency expectations for nonclinical drug development.

Prior to her time at the FDA, Dr. Wood was a research scientist in the areas of neurodegenerative disorders and addiction at the Roskamp Institute, in Sarasota, Florida, for over 4 years.

EDUCATION AND DEGREES EARNED

2004	Ph.D., Toxicology, University of Kentucky, Lexington
1997	B.S., Molecular Biology, Grove City College, Grove City, PA

SCIENTIFIC ADVISORY PANELS, COMMITTEES, AND WORKGROUPS

2013–2016	FDA Pharmacology and Toxicology Coordinating Committee (PTCC)
2009–2016	FDA Oligonucleotide PTCC Subcommittee

PROFESSIONAL HONORS/AWARDS

2015	CDER Team Excellence Award, Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis Drugs Review Team
2014	FDA Group Recognition Award, IND Toolchest Working Group — Design, development, and implementation of an internet-based navigational tool, enabling submission of investigator-initiated IND applications
2012	CDER Team Excellence Award, Toxicology for Non-Toxicologists Organizing Committee
2012	CDER Team Excellence Award, Kalydeco (Ivacaftor) Review Team
1999	International Behavioral Neuroscience Society Travel Award
1999	Neurobehavioral Teratology Society Travel Award

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

2015–Present	American College of Toxicology, member
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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Pharmacology/Toxicology Supervisor at US FDA

Provided leadership and guidance to a team of PhD-level reviewers that evaluated nonclinical data submitted in support of the safety of DPARP drug products, including:

- Secondary review of more than 100 IND reviews (small molecules, biologics, and biosimilars) and 20 NDA/sNDA/BLA reviews (including approved NDAs for the inhalation products Striverdi Respimat, Breo Ellipta, Arnuity Ellipta, and Bevespi Aerosphere, as well as Mitigare, Otezla, and Ofev, and approved BLAs for Nucala and Cinqair)
- Secondary review of nonclinical regulatory advice provided for more than 150 meeting requests for small molecules and biologics (Type A, B, and C meetings), as well as biosimilars (Biosimilar Initial Advisory and Type 2, 3, and 4 meetings)

Evaluated and presented recommendations on challenging scientific and regulatory issues to CDER Senior Management, including nonclinical hold deficiencies and complete responses to clinical holds, as well as other nonclinical issues that affected clinical development

Represented DPARP's nonclinical expertise at internal, industry, and Advisory Committee (AC) meetings

Wrote, reviewed, and made recommendations for nonclinical sections of AC meeting documents

Presented at a joint CBER/CDER/CDRH workshop to FDA employees on "Nonclinical Considerations for Inhalation Combination Products"

Invited speaker at the Association for Inhalation Toxicologists — International Society for Aerosols in Medicine Joint 2014 Conference in Princeton, NJ

Hired and trained new reviewers, supported professional development of established reviewers, and managed a high-volume team workload, with the support of a Senior Team Leader

Gained familiarity with scientific and regulatory issues relevant to development of drugs for other indications, including oncology, dermatology, gastroenterology, metabolism and endocrine, and neurology drugs, as well as drugs for rare diseases, through attendance at PTCC meetings and interactions with other review divisions within CDER

Pharmacology/Toxicology Reviewer at US FDA

Reviewed and evaluated a wide range of nonclinical pharmacology and toxicology data (including inhalation toxicology studies) in INDs and NDAs/BLAs, to support development of small molecules, biologics, and biosimilars

Completed the primary nonclinical NDA review of Kalydeco for cystic fibrosis in an expedited timeframe, as well as the primary nonclinical NDA review of Dymista for allergic rhinitis

Prepared comprehensive written reports of nonclinical data, which included regulatory conclusions and recommendations to be conveyed to Sponsors, including recommendations for approved drug product labeling (e.g., Daliresp, Dymista, and Kalydeco)

Worked in multidisciplinary teams for drug product review and addressed cross-discipline issues (e.g., excipients, impurities, and leachables and extractables with Chemistry and Manufacturing Control colleagues)

Met with industry representatives in formal meeting settings to provide regulatory advice and guidance on nonclinical drug development programs

Mentored and supported junior reviewers on nonclinical scientific and regulatory aspects of drug development

Taught at a CDER course for non-toxicologist FDA employees on “Inhalation Toxicology”

Served as Acting Team Leader and Acting Supervisory Interdisciplinary Scientist to support continuity of Division operation.

Research

Co-investigator for research programs for traumatic brain injury (TBI) and drug addiction, with the goal of identifying potential molecular targets for therapeutic intervention

Designed, planned (coordinated study schedules and staff), and conducted *in vitro* and *in vivo* studies, and analyzed and summarized study data (molecular biology, genomic, proteomic, behavioral, pharmacokinetic).

Trained and supervised junior research staff.

BOOK CHAPTER

Kimzey AL, Piche M-S, **Wood M**, Weir AB, Lansita J. 2018. 11.19 - Immunophenotyping in drug development. In: Comprehensive Toxicology, 3rd Ed. Vol 11:399–427.

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Booze RM, **Wood ML**, Welch MA, Berry S, Mactutus CF. 1999. Estrous cyclicity and behavioral sensitization in female rats following repeated intravenous cocaine administration. *Pharmacol Biochem Behav* 64:605–610.

CONFERENCE AND MEETING PRESENTATIONS

Oral Presentations

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Wood, M. FDA, CBER/CDER/CDRH: Combination products: A cross-center workshop. Nonclinical considerations for inhalation combination products. 2015.

Wood M. Toxicology study designs and considerations to support first in human trials: The regulatory perspective. Association of Inhalation Toxicologists – International Society for Aerosols in Medicine Joint Conference, Princeton, NJ, 2014.

Wood M. Inhalation toxicology. FDA, CDER: Toxicology for non-toxicologists continuing education course, 2011.

Wood M. Estrus cyclicity and behavioral sensitization in female rats following repeated intravenous cocaine administration. Satellite Symposium of the 8th Annual Meeting of the International Behavioral Neuroscience Society, Nancy, France, 1999.

Poster Presentations

Mihalchik A, **Wood M.** Considerations for standardization and derivation of pediatric and neonatal tolerable exposure limits for extractable and leachable compounds from medical devices. Society of Toxicology Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, March 2022.

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