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Moving from Pre-Filled Syringe to Auto-Injector How to reduce timeline and risk for your combination product?

Abstract

Self-injection devices such as autoinjectors are becoming more important to facilitate injections and to differentiate biologics and other injectable drug products. Many pharma companies focus largely on their core competence of developing and marketing drug products and prepare initially a pre-filled syringe presentation. When decided to consider also an autoinjector combination product they are seeking solutions to implement a device without unknown risks and longer timelines.

The Webinar presentation gives insights into the drug characteristics that have an influence on determining the suitable autoinector configuration. The concept of platform device products is explained as working with a proven autoinjector platform technology offers valuable benefits for pharma companies that want to avoid risks and timeline delays. Further the presentation gives an example of how such an autoinjector platform is tested and established and provides a complete list of design input specifications that need to be ready at the start of a device implementation project.

Finally the drug and device end-assembly is explained and again possibilities to reduce risk and timeline are clarified.

Further additional options to upgrade a platform autoinjector into a connected, digital (IoT) device to allow the implementation of a therapy management system is introduced as well as a new option is announced to evolve autoinjectors into carbon free products to meet patient's future expectation for more sustainable products.

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