



CENTER FOR DERMAL RESEARCH SEMINAR SERIES REMOTE

The Center for Dermal Research Welcomes

Dr. Rashmi Thakur, Bristol-Myers Squibb

“Subcutaneous Delivery of Biotherapeutics”

Monday, December 9, 2024, at 5:30pm EST Remote



Rashmi Thakur has over 20 years of experience in the pharmaceutical industry. She has worked in various pharma companies such as Johnson and Johnson, Bristol-Myers Squibb, Hoffman-La Roche and Wyeth where she was involved in formulation development, leadership of continuous manufacturing programs, CMC team leadership, marketing and a unique international assignment focused on tech transfer and CRO management. Rashmi is well-versed in the development of robust products and processes across a variety of modalities and therapeutic areas. Rashmi holds a Ph.D. in Pharmaceutical Sciences from Rutgers University and an MBA with a marketing focus from University of Mumbai. Rashmi lives with her husband and two kids in Plainsboro, New Jersey. Outside of work, she enjoys reading, travelling to different countries and is a yoga enthusiast.

Abstract

Subcutaneous delivery of biologics has seen a significant shift in development strategy and application in the past few years over the well-established IV administration delivery for these compounds. Newer subcutaneous technologies can now deliver compounds in higher than previously feasible volumes, in dose combinations, at-home, with novel devices and in a safe and tolerable manner. The presentation aims to provide an overview of the novel SC technologies, the formulation considerations and device development process to bring a product to market while addressing risks to development and commercialization.



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