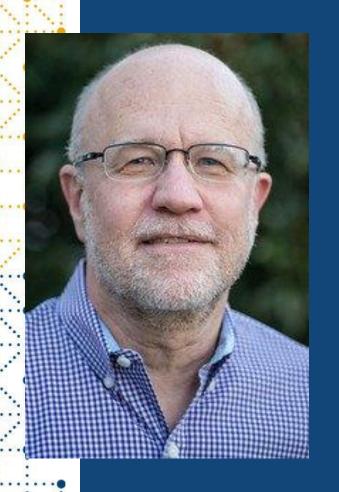




Session 3A: Digital Protocol

Digital Data Flow: Achieving Protocol Digitalization and Clinical Research Interoperability through Multi-stakeholder Collaboration

Presented by William Illis, Novartis



Meet the Speaker

Bill Illis

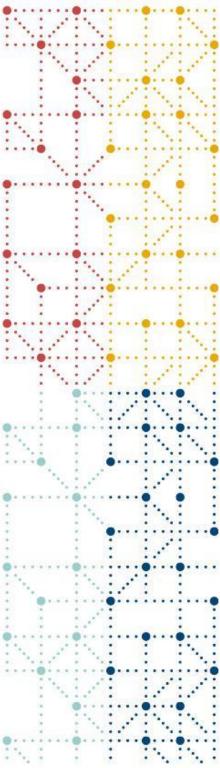
Global Head, Collaboration & Technology Strategy, Clinical Development & Analytics Novartis

Bill has > 25 years of experience in the pharmaceutical industry and has provided executive leadership to clinical operations functions of data management, statistical programming, standards management, strategy and operations as well as R&D IT. Recently he led the development and implementation of a strategic technology roadmap for the Analytics team. Since project inception in 2019, Bill has been the workstream lead for TransCelerate BioPharma's Digital Data Flow, protocol digitalization initiative.

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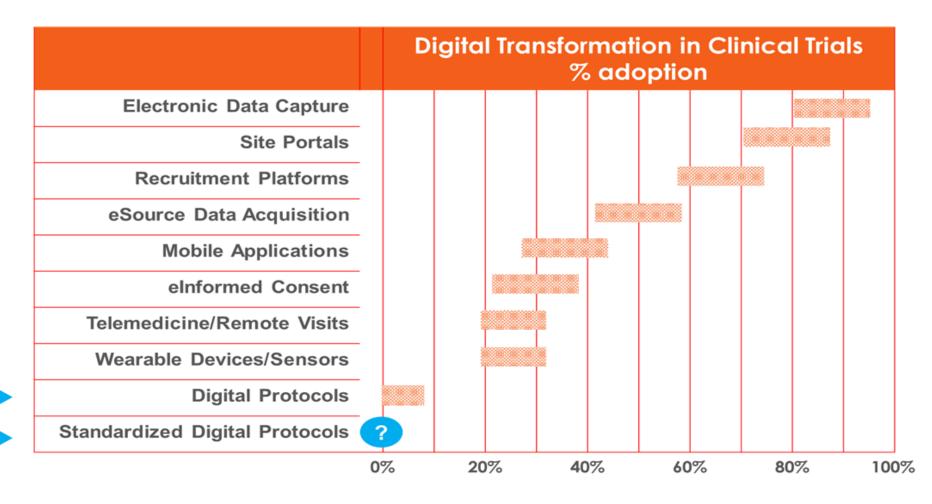


Agenda

- 1. Why Digital Data Flow?
- 2. Tools / Multi-stakeholder Change and Engagement

Why Digital Data Flow?

The industry has not kept pace with the complexity of clinical study data or the systems used to manage it. There is opportunity to modernize the manual, slow processes and improve reliability.





Interoperability and standards are all around us

Things that work....





IEC GUIDE 111-1:2023

Electric equipment for high-voltage substations - Common recommendations for product and system standards - Part 1: AC (alternating current)

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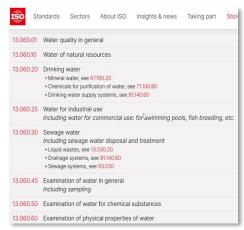
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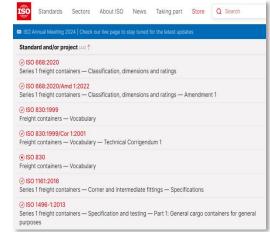


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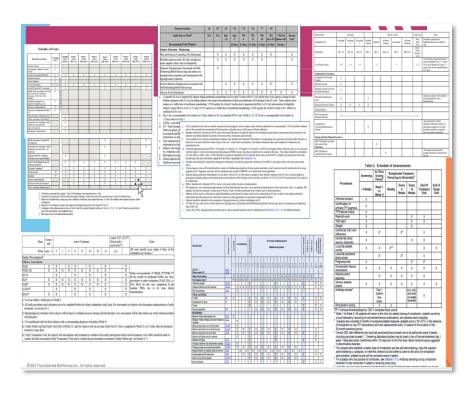
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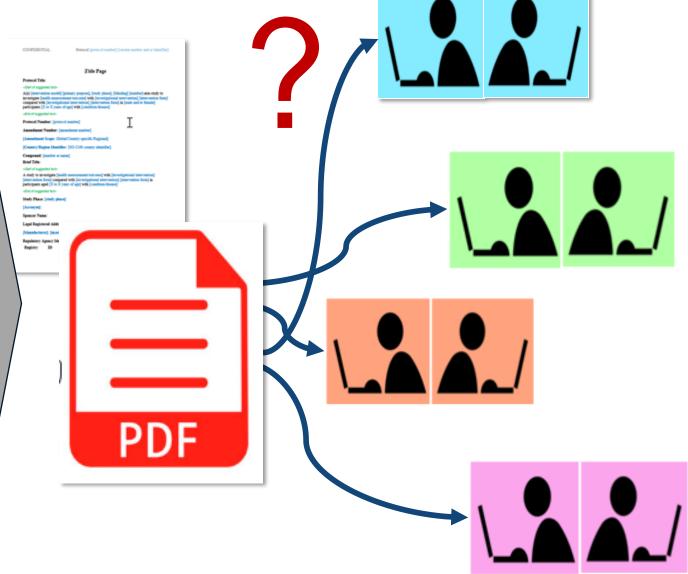




Clinical Study Protocols

Broken....

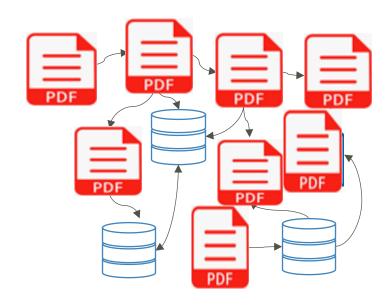




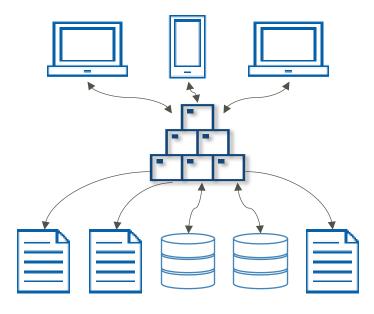


Protocol Digitalization Vision

Shift from "document-first" to "data-first" paradigm for clinical study setup, unlocking value through seamless integration, process automation and data-based insights

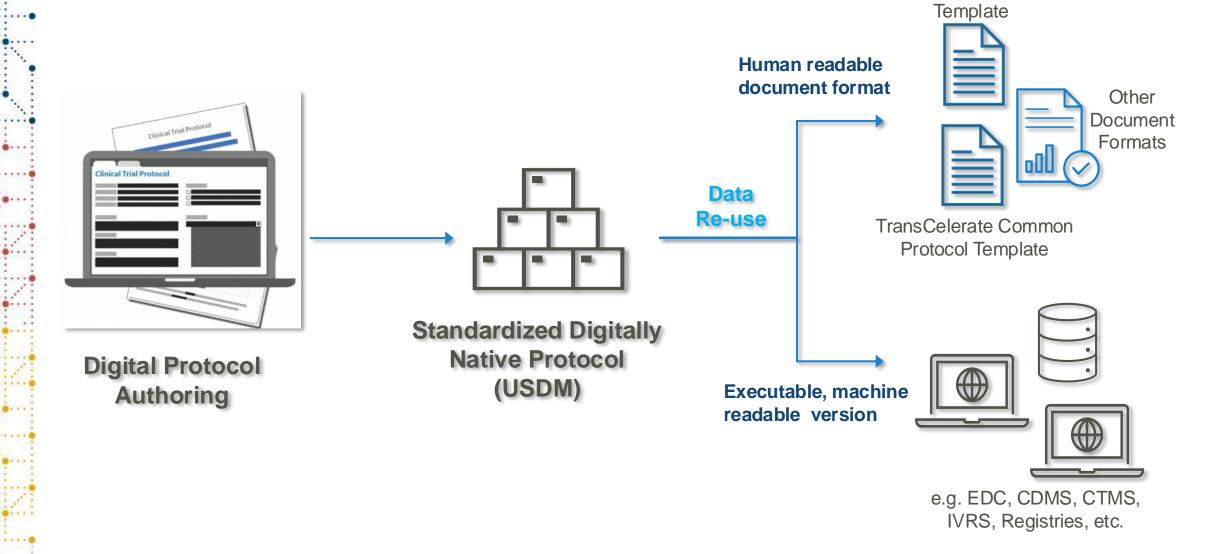








Reuse: Write Once, Execute Many Times





M11



USDM in Action Use Cases Supporting the DDF Vision



Unstructured

Content

Study, Identifiers,

Amendments

Study Designs,

Arms, Epochs

Detailed Study Logic,

Encounters

The overall study, its various versions, identifiers

and associated governance. Also includes the

The single or set of study designs making up the

The detailed description of the study science:

the populations and the associated inclusion

studied, the interventions being used and the

A precise definition of the study logic including

The ability to support one or more document

presentations of the USDM content including

observations to be performed as part of the

The controlled terminology needed to define the semantics within the model. Managed in the same manner as all CDISC CT and aligned

the ICH M11 protocol template, sponsor

Procedures and Biomedical Concepts

The detail around the procedures and

templates and other documents.

with the M11 template standard.

and exclusion criteria, the indications being

objectives, endpoints and the associated

support for the Schedule of Activities.

amendments made to the study

study detailing the epochs, arms etc.

Study High Level Design

Unified Study Definitions Model (USDM)

Controlled Terms

Populations,

Inclusion &

Exclusion.

Interventions &

Indications,

Estimands,

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& Endpoints

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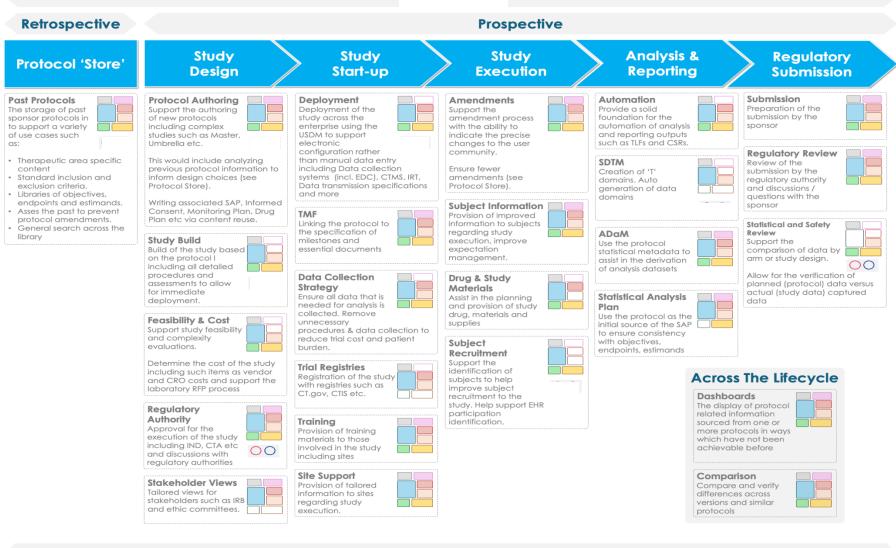
Detailed Study Logic

Unstructured Content

detailed study designs.

Controlled Terms

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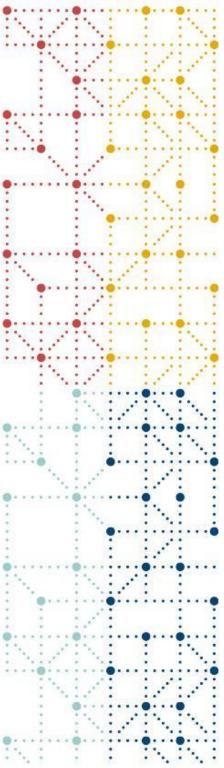
NOTE: The use cases presented are illustrative and the list is not intended to be exhaustive.



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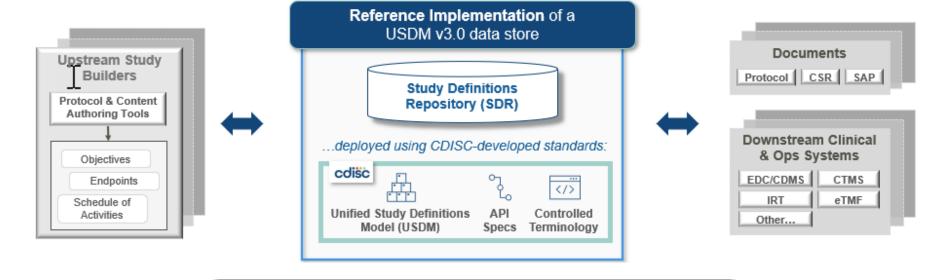
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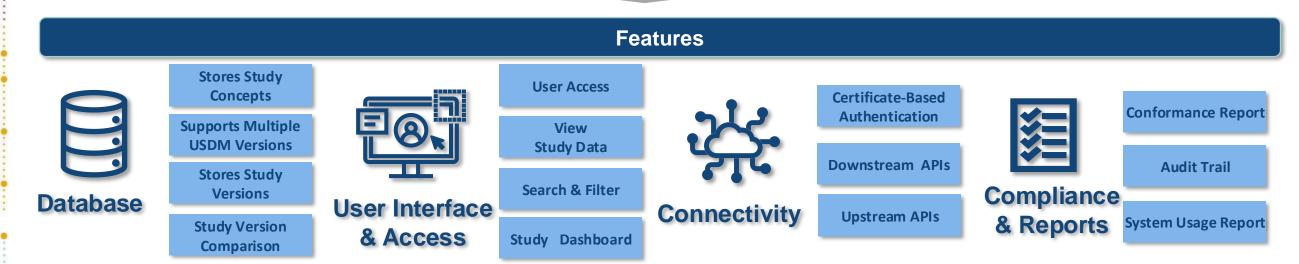
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Tools / Multi-Stakeholder Change and Engagement

Technology Tools: Study Definitions Repository







Tools and Resources

Persona Toolkits for Transformational Change

Available for Data Managers, Protocol Medical Writers, IT Leadership and IT Technical Experts



A packet of change resources that aims to help a specific persona role understand the potential impacts and changes in a DDF-enabled future state.

DDF Technology Architecture Scenarios Tool



Provides examples of potential implementation patterns to aid implementers in some possible options that may be relevant to unique digital transformation and systems landscapes.



DDF's Growing Solution Provider Engagement



1 Solution Collaboration Forum

35+ Solution Providers: focus on use cases, adoption and further development of USDM.

2 Solutions Directory

Catalog of technology products which utilize and follow the DDF Unified Study Definitions Model (USDM).

3 Solution Showcase

Quarterly Webinars – deep dive with solution providers





DDF in Action Day

Transforming Clinical Trials with Standards and Digitalization

"Continuing the Journey, Charting the Future"

Full day in-person public event with biopharma, solution providers and others held across two locations - J&J, New Jersey and Novo Nordisk, Copenhagen



Highlights

- Explore pathways and proofs of concept to implement DDF solutions
- Agenda topics included pharma adoption stories, use cases, solution provider poster session and panel discussion, as well as networking opportunities.
- Two common themes surfaced through the day:
 - Leadership engagement and organizational change management (OCM) are critical to success
 - Change is coming. Don't wait to get started

Organizations Represented





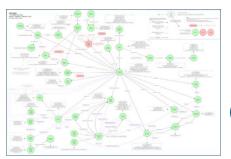
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- Data4knowledge







DDF Initiative encompasses Technical Standards & Solutions, Change Management, and Industry Engagement



Unified Study
Definitions Model
(USDM) Reference
Architecture

TransCelerate's Study
Definitions Repository
(SDR) Reference
Implementation



Digital Data Flow Initiative

Growing Solution

Collaboration Forum (SCF)*

Suite of DDF Adoption Resources, Videos & Change Management Tools





Continued Industry Collaboration between TransCelerate, CDISC ICH, and HL7















What's Next?

2025 Protocol Digitization Objectives

Enable Digitization & Interoperability Of The Study Protocol Across Research & Clinical Care

Enable stakeholders to easily share digital protocol information and insights

Promote hands-on engagement with protocol digitization solutions

Educate and update stakeholders on implementation paths

This includes:

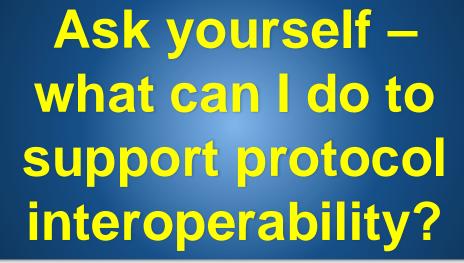
- Release of:
 - √ CDISC's USDM v4 + Conformance Rules
 - √ Study Repository v4
 - ✓ Additional open-source tools
- Scoping for CDISC's USDM Phase 5

- Supporting and sponsoring business case development with adoption case studies.
- Organizing events, webinars, trainings to build awareness, understanding, action, commitment



What about you?















Technology/Tool Provider





Patient Advocates



Upcoming Events

2024 & 2025 Q1 Events	Date
SCOPE Europe 2024 Digital Data Flow: Digitalising Clinical Protocol Information to Accelerate Clinical Research and Enable Healthcare Interoperability	29-30 October 2024
PHUSE EU Connect 2024 PHUSE EU Connect 2024 (phuse-events.org)	10-13 November 2024
DDF Solution Showcase Webinar Series #2	5 December 2024
SCOPE US 2025 Going with the (Digital Data) Flow: Reduce Time & Effort on Study Start-Up	3–6 February 2025
PHUSE US Connect 2025 PHUSE US Connect 2025 (phuse-events.org)	16-19 March 2025



Thank You!

