

## CASE STUDY:

# Signant SmartSignals RTSM: Randomization and Cohort Management, IP Inventory Management

### OVERVIEW:

Signant's SmartSignals RTSM solution helped an innovative biopharmaceutical company secure an FDA Orphan Drug designation for its cardiomyopathy drug.

### TRIAL SUMMARY:

**Study Phase:** Phase II

**Therapeutic Area:** Cardiovascular

**Participant Population:** Adults

**Number of Participants:** 90+

**Number of sites:** 30

**Countries:** 4

### CHALLENGES:

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#### INTRICATE RANDOMIZATION AND COHORT MANAGEMENT

The protocol required an RTSM system that could accommodate numerous cohorts, each with varying drug combinations and visit schedules. Highly complex logic was needed to ensure the proper IP formulations were provided to each patient at each visit.

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#### SEAMLESS TRANSITION OF ELIGIBLE PATIENTS FROM PHASE II TO PHASE III

The protocol allowed appropriate patients to migrate from the Phase II to the larger Phase III study, requiring a rigorous tracking process to ensure only approved patients could participate.

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#### COMPLEX IP INVENTORY REQUIREMENTS

The protocol allowed for Principal Investigators to modify the IP dosage and visit schedules as patients responded to the treatment, so the RTSM system needed to adapt and respond in near real time to varying levels of IP required at each site.

**SOLUTIONS:**

**01 COMPREHENSIVE, VERSATILE MEDICATION MANAGEMENT SOLUTION & OPERATIONAL SUPPORT**

The set-up team studied the protocol, developed the complex on-site titration, dispensation, and scheduling logic, then articulated its design to the customer.

**02 PATIENT COHORT & RANDOMIZATION MANAGEMENT SCHEME**

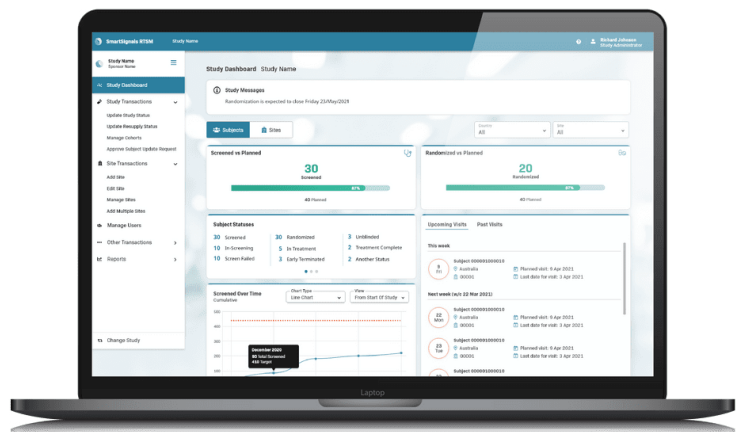
The RTSM system design enabled seamless transition of eligible patients from Phase II to Phase III. Signant’s project managers conducted regular meetings with the sponsor to ensure only appropriate patients rolled over to the next phase. Signant’s expert set-up and implementation teams were a major reason why the customer chose to switch from another RTSM provider.

**03 ROBUST REPORTING & REAL-TIME DATA**

Dynamic and detailed reports from the SmartSignals RTSM solution provided the client with timely information about patient dosing and inventory levels, even with the adaptive nature of the study’s IP use and scheduling. Signant’s project team, which included a technical solution architect, biostatistician, clinician, and project manager, implemented changes quickly and provided supplementary training as needed. The system’s agile-based design capabilities along with responsive project delivery ensured sites were well-supplied with the test compound.

**RESULTS:**

- The client was pleased with the performance of Signant’s RTSM solution during Phase II and successfully extended its use into Phase III.
- The compound under study was granted Orphan Drug designation by the FDA in early 2021.



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