## **Final Announcement:**

# Impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on clinical trials

Wednesday, June 16, 2021, 2-4 pm CET

# **Virtual Seminar**

The COVID-19 pandemic has disrupted many ongoing clinical trials. The BBS held its first seminar on pandemic impacts and possible mitigation strategies on May 6, 2020. More than a year later, first practical experiences with the implementation of mitigation steps and their acceptability by health authorities have been gained. We therefore kindly invite you to a second seminar on this important topic featuring case studies, regulatory experiences, and theoretical advances.

Organizing committee: Hans Ulrich Burger, Roche; Achim Güttner, Novartis; Lilla DiScala, Janssen; Marcel Wolbers, Roche

# **Program**

| 14:00-14:05 | Welcome<br>Hans Ulrich Burger, BBS president<br>Marcel Wolbers, Roche                                                                      |
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| 14:05-14:30 | Overview on early experience of the impact of Covid-19 pandemic on clinical trials Anja Schiel, Chair Scientific Advice Working Party, EMA |
| 14:30-14:50 | COVID-19 pandemics : Impact on<br>Clinical Trials in a chronic<br>progressing disease<br>Paul Delmar, Roche                                |
| 14:50-15:10 | Hypothetical strategy for a case<br>study affected by COVID-19<br>pandemic<br>Eva Hua, Novartis                                            |
| 15:10-15:35 | The hypothetical estimand and its potential estimators in clinical trials impacted by COVID-19 Kelly Van Lancker, Ghent University         |
| 15:35-16:00 | Panel discussion<br>All presenters<br>Moderated by Achim Güttner, Novartis                                                                 |



#### Venue

Virtual event

## Registration

The event is for free but registration is mandatory. Please register via the following

<u>link</u>