Real-world evidence data from drug registration to reimbursement

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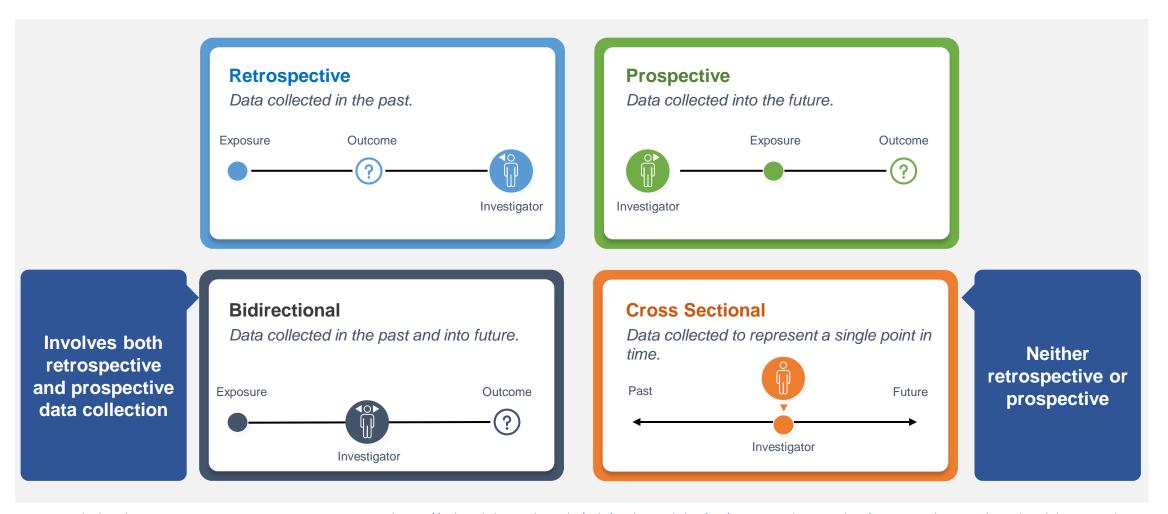


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There are several potential sources of RWE





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Coming from RWD sources very detailed



RWD source	Claims databases ¹⁻³	Electronic health record ⁴⁻⁷	Hospital administrative data ⁸	Patient registries ^{2,3,9-11}	Surveys and questionnaires ^{2,12,13}
(i) (ii) (ii) (iii) (iii	 Captures the continuum of care Contains healthcare cost data Large and well suited for rare outcomes 	 Wide range of structured and unstructured information May contain nuanced clinical data (e.g., line of therapy) 	Provides a detailed view into a patient's use of services in the hospital including financial data	 Useful for understanding quality of care, satisfaction, and resource utilization (long time frame) Understanding rare diseases May contain nuanced clinical data Some registries capture HRQoL data 	Useful for evaluating functional status, quality of care, adherence, HRQoL, and preference
Limitations	 Patient disenrollment (longitudinal follow-up challenges) Coding inaccuracies Lacks in-hospital details and HRQoL data Limited to services and drugs that are reimbursed 	 Only captures the care provided by HCPs using the EHR Lacks prescription details, HRQoL and financial data, Curation required for unstructured data 	 Typically lacking clinical depth and HRQoL data Coding inaccuracies Limited follow-up outside the hospital 	 Risk of missing data Data quality issues Selection bias due to voluntary participation Often no comparator treatment (or disease group) Usually lacks financial data 	 Reliability can be low due to differences in patients' abilities to recall, understand, and report Patients may self-select for participation

Abbreviations: EHR = electronic health record; HCP = health care provider; HRQoL = health-related quality of life; RWD = real world data.

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Different health outcomes can be assessed using RWE





Humanistic

Impact of an intervention on patient-reported end points.

Patient-reported outcomes (PROs)

- Health-related quality of life
- Health status
- Symptoms
- Functioning
- · Patient satisfaction with care
- Patient preferences



Clinical

Measurable changes in patient health status due to an intervention.

- Complications from disease
- Mortality
- Length of stay
- Readmissions
- Drug monitoring and event reporting
- Disease progression/ improvement
- Time to treatment
- Treatment patterns
- Adherence and persistence



Economic

Impact of an intervention on costs, resource use, and productivity.

- Resource utilization (e.g., number of inpatient/outpatient visits)
- Direct medical costs (e.g., physician visits, hospitalizations, medications)
- Indirect costs (productivity, loss of work, caregiverrelated, transportation)



- Disease burden
- · Disease awareness
- Patient preference/satisfaction
- · Patient profiles
- · Understanding unmet need

- · Disease burden
- Comparative effectiveness
- Natural history of disease (incidence/prevalence)
- · Risk factors for adverse events
- Treatment patterns/pathways
- · Current treatment management/unmet need

- Cost of illness
- · Health care resource utilization
- · Incremental value
- Comparative Effectiveness
- Cost-effectiveness
- Budget impact analysis
- · Societal burden
- Managed entry agreements (risk sharing)

Abbreviations: PRO = patient-reported outcome; RWE = real world evidence.

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The value of RWE is recognized by many stakeholders



	Regulatory Agencies ^{1,2}	Payers / HTAs ^{3,4}	Providers ³⁻⁶	Patients ^{2,6,7}
Key needs that RCTs & RWE may help to address	 Assess risk-benefit ratio when ethical, operational, or resource barriers may hinder the ability to conduct an RCT Determine post-marketing requirements Assess comparative effectiveness 	 Increase budget predictability Assess cost effectiveness Assess comparative effectiveness 	 Optimize care protocol Stratify outcomes by subpopulations Understand patient preferences 	 Optimize personal health Receive personalized treatment according to clinical characteristics and personal preferences
Evidence considered	EffectivenessSafetyQuality of life	 Effectiveness Safety Quality of life Burden of illness Costs and healthcare resource use Cost-effectiveness and budget impact 	 Effectiveness Safety Quality of life Costs and healthcare resource use Treatment sequence Social determinants of health 	EffectivenessSafetyQuality of lifeHumanistic factors

Abbreviations: HTA = Health Technology Assessment; RCTs = randomized controlled trials.

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