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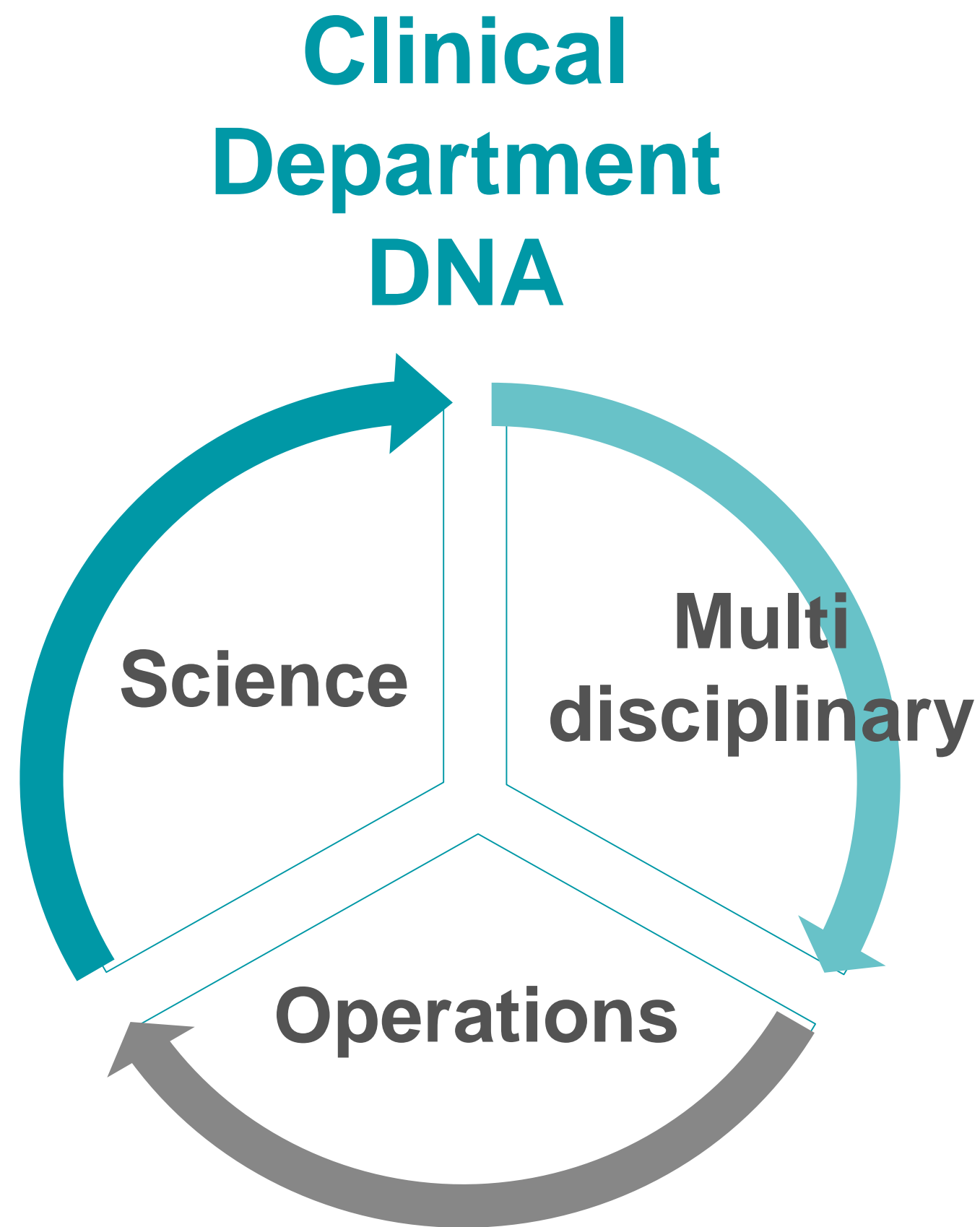
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Clinical Department Presentation

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Health
everyone

Today's agenda



- 1 **Role of the Clinical Department within Pharmaceutical Industry**
- 2 **One day in the office**
- 3 **What is the market looking for?**
- 4 **Are you the right profile?**
- 5 **Career development**

Role of the Clinical Department within Pharmaceutical Industry

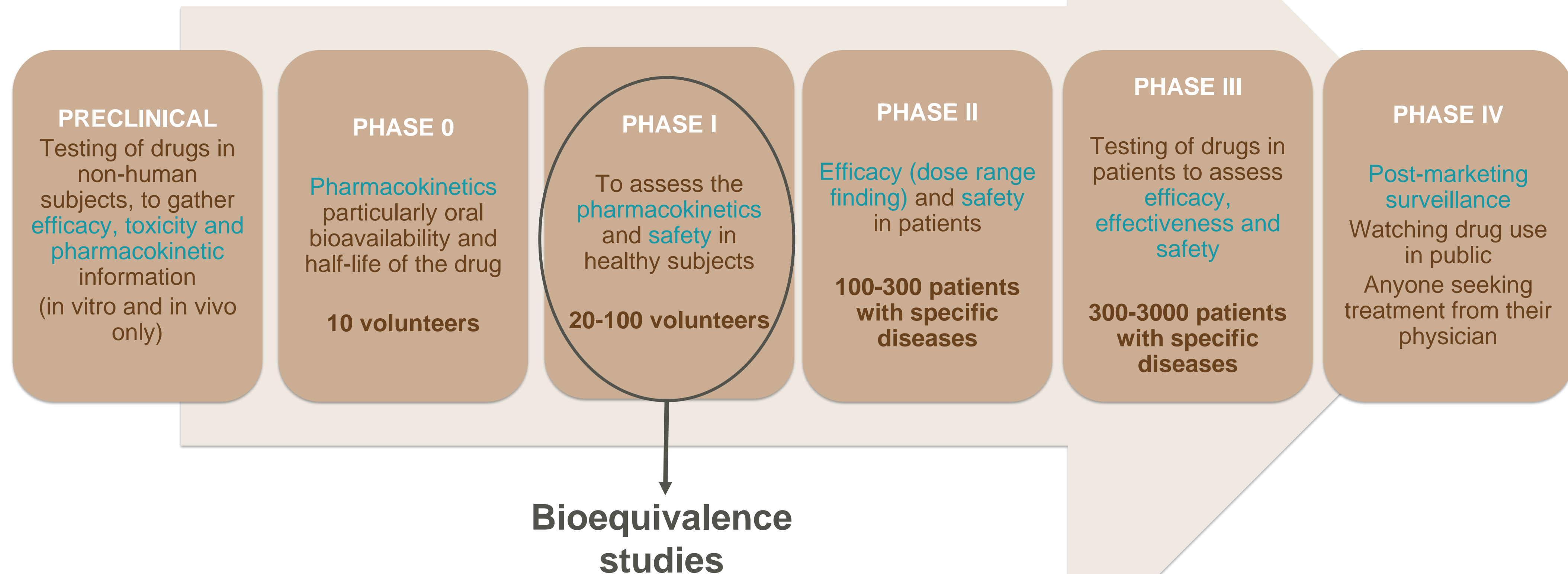
✓ **Clinical Department** is involved since the beginning of the drug development until the approval of the medicinal product in all targeted markets. It can also be involved in post-marketing activities and variations.



It is crucial to define the clinical strategy and the design of all clinical studies in order to obtain the medicinal product approval around the world.

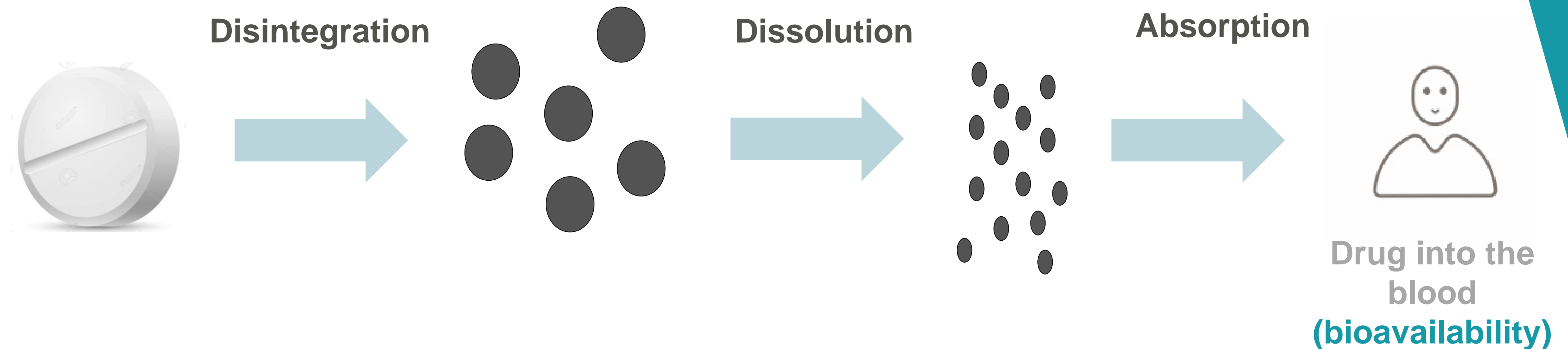
Role of the Clinical Department within Pharmaceutical Industry

✓ Summary of **Clinical Trial Phases:**



Role of the Clinical Department within Pharmaceutical Industry

✓ Bioequivalence studies:



Two medicinal products containing the same API are considered **bioequivalent** if their **bioavailabilities (rate and extent)** after administration in the same molar dose **lie within acceptable predefined limits**. These limits are set to ensure comparable *in vivo* performance, i.e. similarity in terms of safety and efficacy.

A day in the office

Characteristics



Dynamism
Flexibility
No suitable for routine lovers
High pressure: TIME IS MONEY

Tasks

- Email correspondence
- Inter/Intra departmental meetings (new and follow-up projects)
- External meetings (CROs, partners, clients)
- Bibliographical research
 - Scientific background
 - Legislation
 - Regulatory Guidelines
 - Quality Assurance Guidelines (GMP, GCP, GLP)
- Clinical study design/strategy preparation
- New projects feasibility preparation
- Preparation of clinical queries (from clients or Authorities) responses

A day in the office

Design

Activities:

Literature review
Feasibilities for new projects
Draft Study Design/Strategy
Time/Cost assessment and planification

Quotation & CRO Selection

Activities:

Identification of possible CROs
Quotations
Final study design
Final CRO Selection
Send to negotiation process
Budget preparation

Preparation & Initiation

Activities:

Project contract preparation
Monitoring agreement
Insurance
Protocol review & approval
Clinical Trial Application for approval
Medicinal products shipment

Conduct & Closure

Activities:

Monitoring reports review and approval
Preliminary results
Draft report review
Final report approval
Clinical dossier modules preparation
Archiving clinical documentation

Approval process

Activities:

Clinical queries (from clients or Authorities) responses preparation

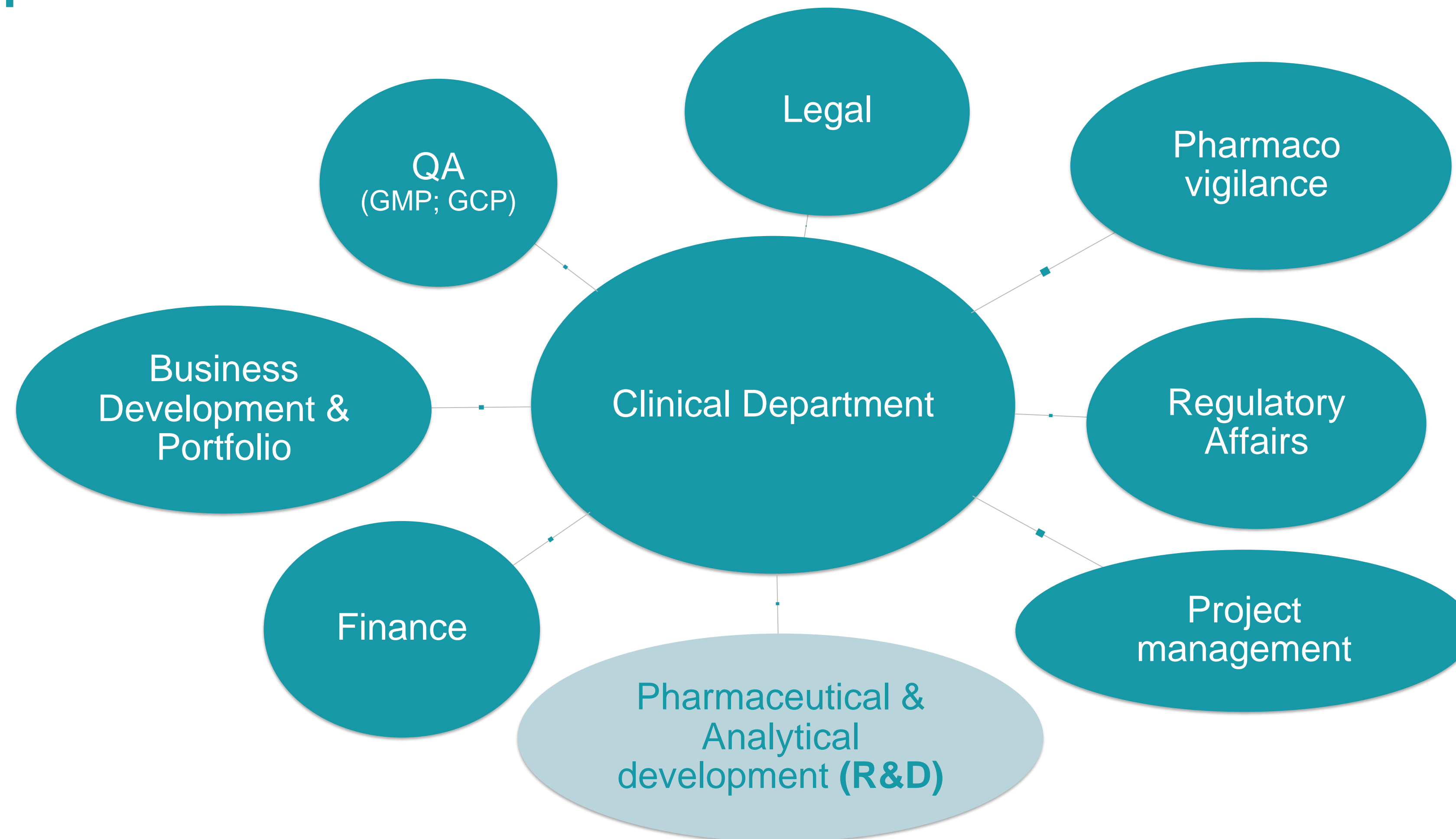
Post-marketing

Activities:

Regulatory variations support

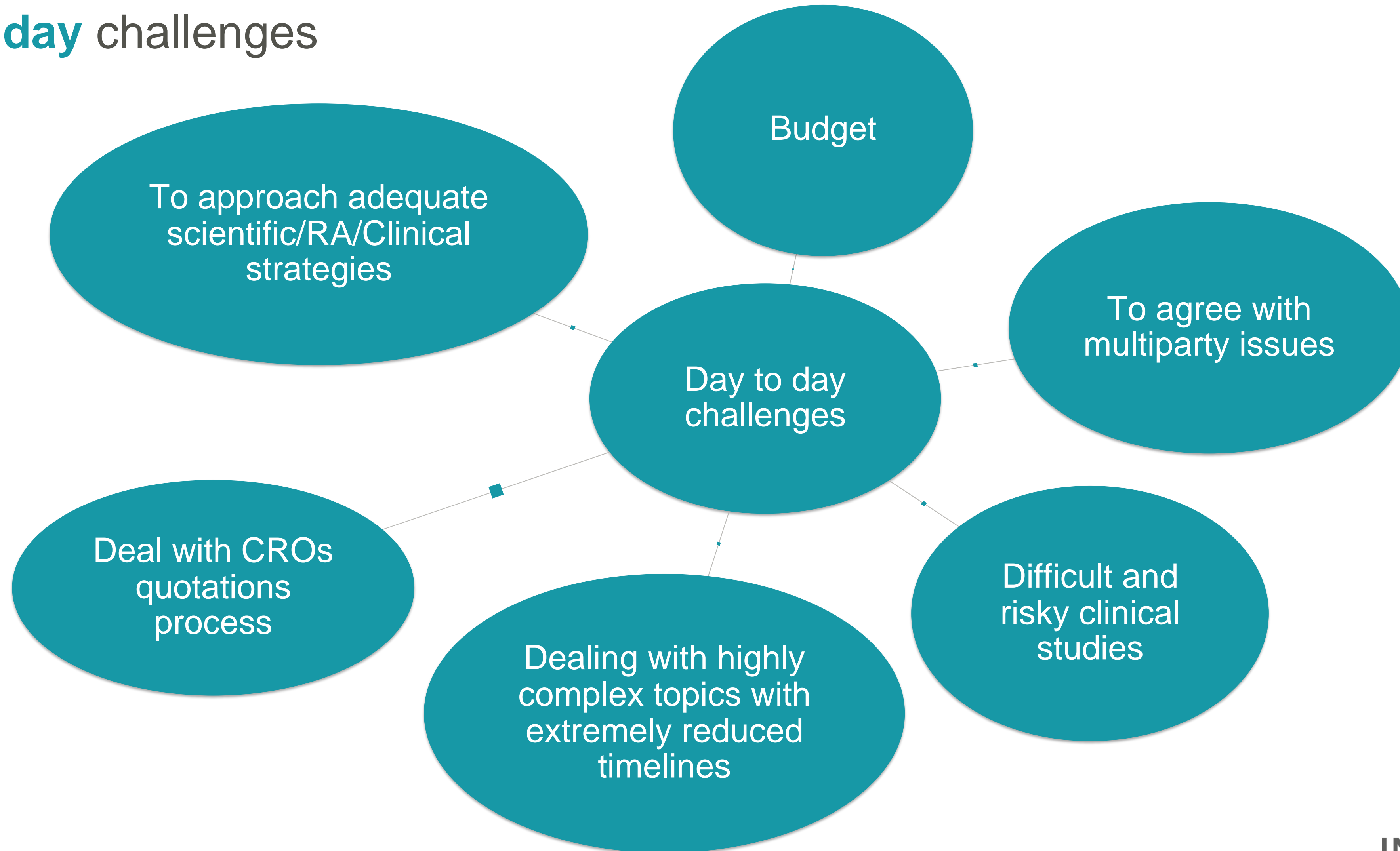
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✓ Interdepartmental connections



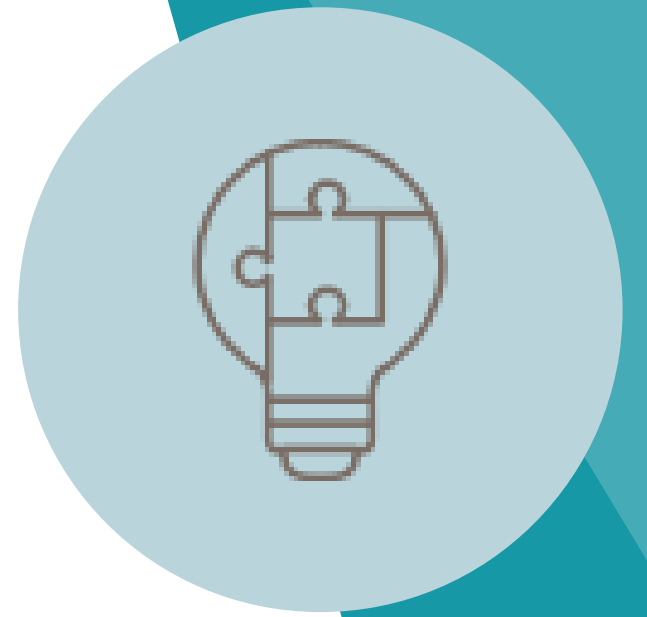
A day in the office

✓ Day to day challenges



What is the market looking for?

- ✓ Highly responsible, proactive, dynamic, methodical, decisive and organized individual.
- ✓ Excellent oral and written communication and interpersonal skills.
- ✓ Strong analytical frame of mind and problem solving.
- ✓ Capable to work under pressure.
- ✓ Strong organizational and time management skills.
- ✓ Teamwork skills to collaborate with internal and external stakeholders.



Are you the right profile?

DEGREE:

- Health Sciences, preferably Pharmacy, but also: Chemistry, Biochemistry, Biotechnology, Medicine, etc
- Desirable post-graduate focused in Pharmaceutical Industry, including internship. E.g.: CESIF, UB, ESAME etc.
- High level of English (both oral and written communication)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

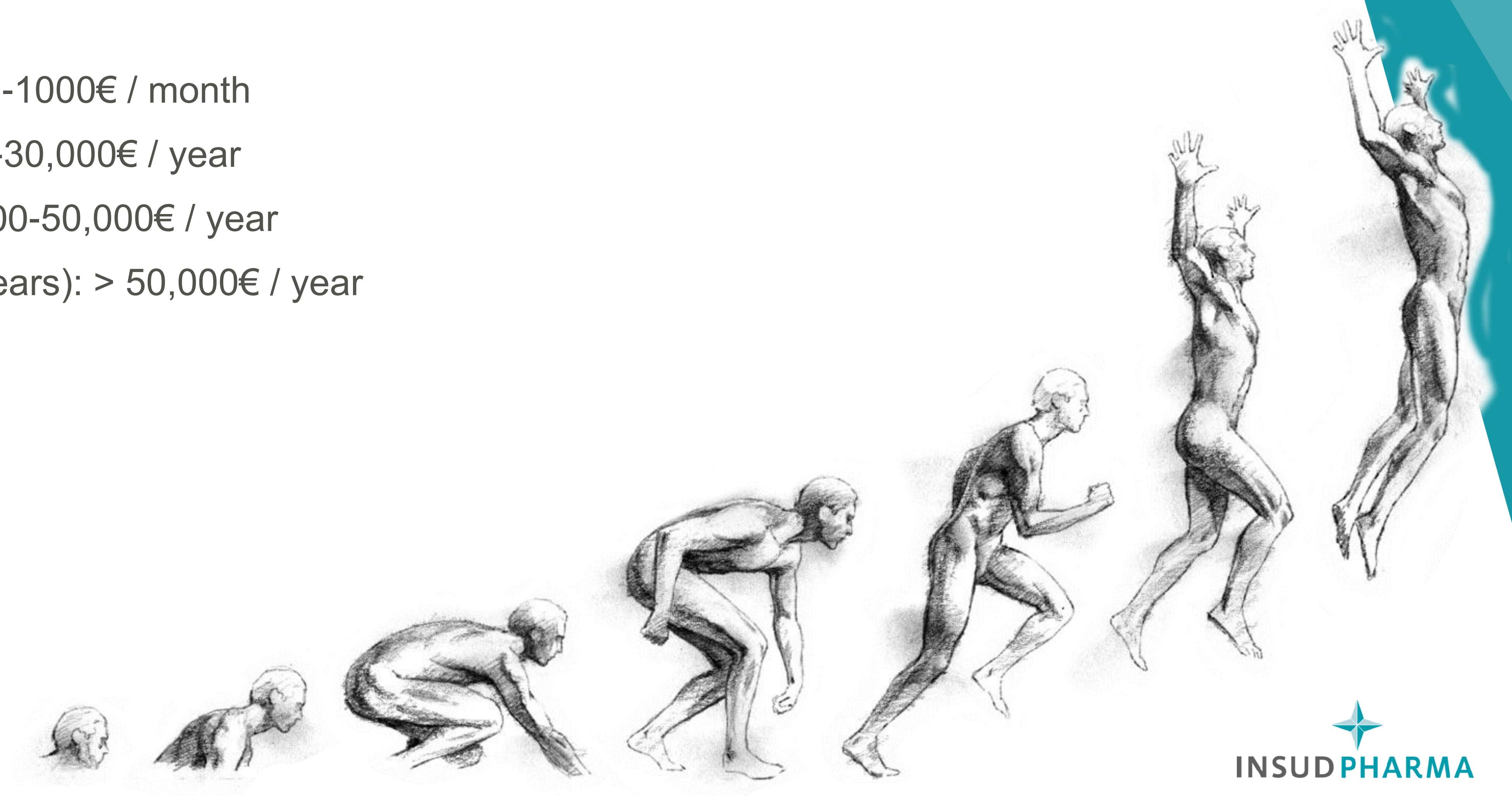
- Clinical affairs
- Biopharmaceutics
- Clinical and non-clinical development
- Monitoring (CRA)
- Clinical operations
- Bioanalytical
- Statistical databases management
- Medical Affairs / Advisor



Career Development

Clinical Department:

- Internship: 600-1000€ / month
- Junior: 20,000-30,000€ / year
- Senior 1: 30,000-50,000€ / year
- Senior 2 (>8 years): > 50,000€ / year





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Kahoot! questions

What kind of clinical trial is a bioequivalence study?

1. Phase I in healthy volunteers
2. Phase III in patients
3. Phase II in healthy volunteers
4. Phase II in patients

When are clinical trial monitoring reports reviewed and approved?

1. During clinical trial design preparation
2. During CRO selection process
3. During clinical trial initiation activities
4. During clinical trial conduct

