



***In vitro Analysis of Scaffold/Cell Products  
Tengion Autologous Neo-bladder Construct***

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# **Integrated Technology Platform**

## ***Potential treatment of organ failure***

***Patient's own cells and biodegradable scaffolds***

***Extensive animal data-base (published and GLP)***

***Academic clinical experience with 6-year follow-up***

***Neo-organs catalyze the body's ability to regenerate***

***Urinary neo-bladder clinical studies underway***

# Neo-Bladder Regulatory Overview

*Phase 2 program ongoing*

## ***Three phase 2 studies ongoing***

- *Patients with bladder failure*

## ***Evaluation of other potential populations***

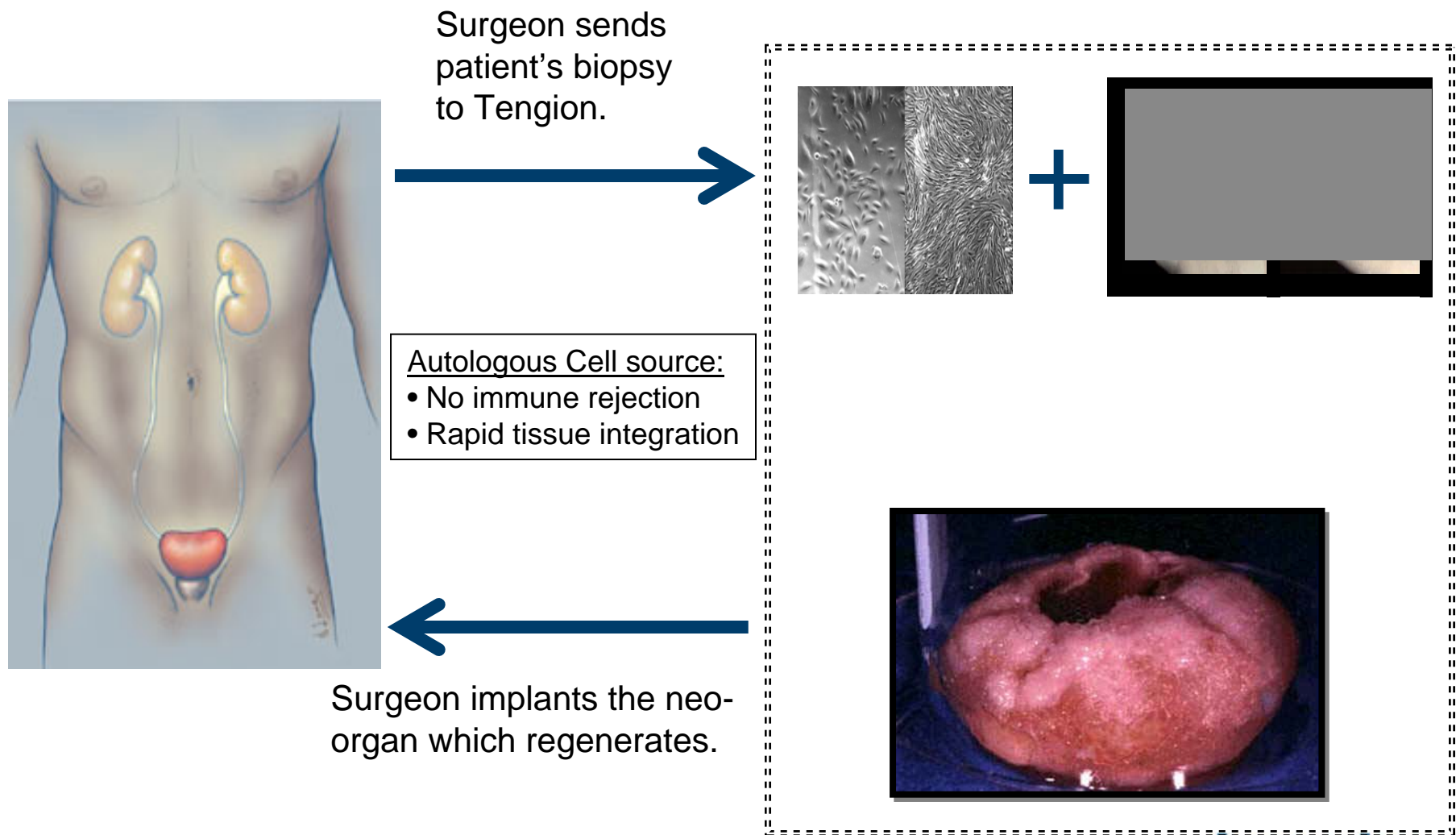
- *Unmet medical need driven*

## ***Phase 3 regulatory strategy***

- *FDA interactions on clinical plan*
- *Planning based on supportive clinical data*

# Autologous Neo-organ Development

## *A Unique Integrated Technology Platform*



# Development Program

## *Regenerative medicine*

### Biopsy/Source



### Cell Expand and Seeding



### Implantation



### ***Preclinical program*** – Translational medicine

- ***Safety and functionality***
- ***Biomaterials/Bioprocess***

### ***PMC*** – Process control

- ***Biomaterial***
- ***Cell processing***
- ***Product Purity, Characteristics, Fitness-for-use/Potency***

### ***Clinical program*** – Toleration and efficacy

- ***Exploratory***
- ***Confirmatory***
- ***Post-marketing surveillance***

# *Establishing Reproducibility of Bioprocess*

## ***Experimental:***

- *Product and process definition, scope and scale.*

## ***Clinical:***

- *Establish product safety and efficacy using a consistent and defined process.*

## ***Commercial:***

- *Consistent production en mass - scaling up a process that worked in clinics and is cost sensitive, regulatory compliant and consistent.*

# Product Production: Scaling up *Neo-organ Production*

***Neo-organ production***

***In vitro testing***

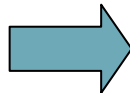
***In vivo testing***

***GLP preclinical testing***

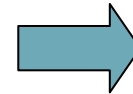
***Clinical testing***



Research Labs



Labs (PCL)



Unit (CPU)

***Manufacturing / Commercial***

# *Potential approaches to product characterization*

## *New Assay yet to be validated*

### **Destructive/Non-destructive**

#### *Cell Function Analysis*

- *Differential cell function in mixed populations*
- *Gene Expression*

### **Non Destructive**

#### *Imaging*

- *Micro Imaging*
  - *Quantitative tracking of cell morphology/function in culture*
  - *Visualize cells in construct*
- *Macro Imaging*
  - *Characterize construct (3D rendering)*



## Application of in vitro methods to combination product *Summary of Regulatory and Development Pathway*

***Tengion's Neo-bladder augment is regulated via leadership of CBER in collaboration with CDRH for BLA product registration.***

- *cGMP/GTP guidelines generally apply to the manufacture of cell/scaffold combination products - 21 CFR 210, 21 CFR 211, 21; CFR 600s (i.e. 21 CFR 610), and 21 CFR 820*

***In vitro test panel assess quality attributes, identity, purity, functionality, and suitability for intended use.***

- *Characterization of raw materials/final product with specific QC tests*
- *Test specifications ensure product consistency and performance of the manufacturing process and product.*

***Challenges include environmental, raw material and individualized product development.***

- *Potential new bio-analytical approaches include non-destructive test methods that work for closed systems and customized medical products*

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