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Leadership Minute

***External
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Leadership Minute Podcast Episode Description

- Therapy development in Neurology is accelerated by strong partnerships between academia, industry and government
- Academic/industry fellowships can increase the number of neurologists trained in clinical trials and therapy development
- HEALEY ALS Platform trial is one example of successful academic/industry partnership

Academic/Industry Clinical Trial Fellowships

- Biogen, Pfizer, Takeda
- 2 years
- 50% Industry, 50% Academia
- Excellent training and experience

HEALEY ALS Platform Trial Worked with the entire ALS Community

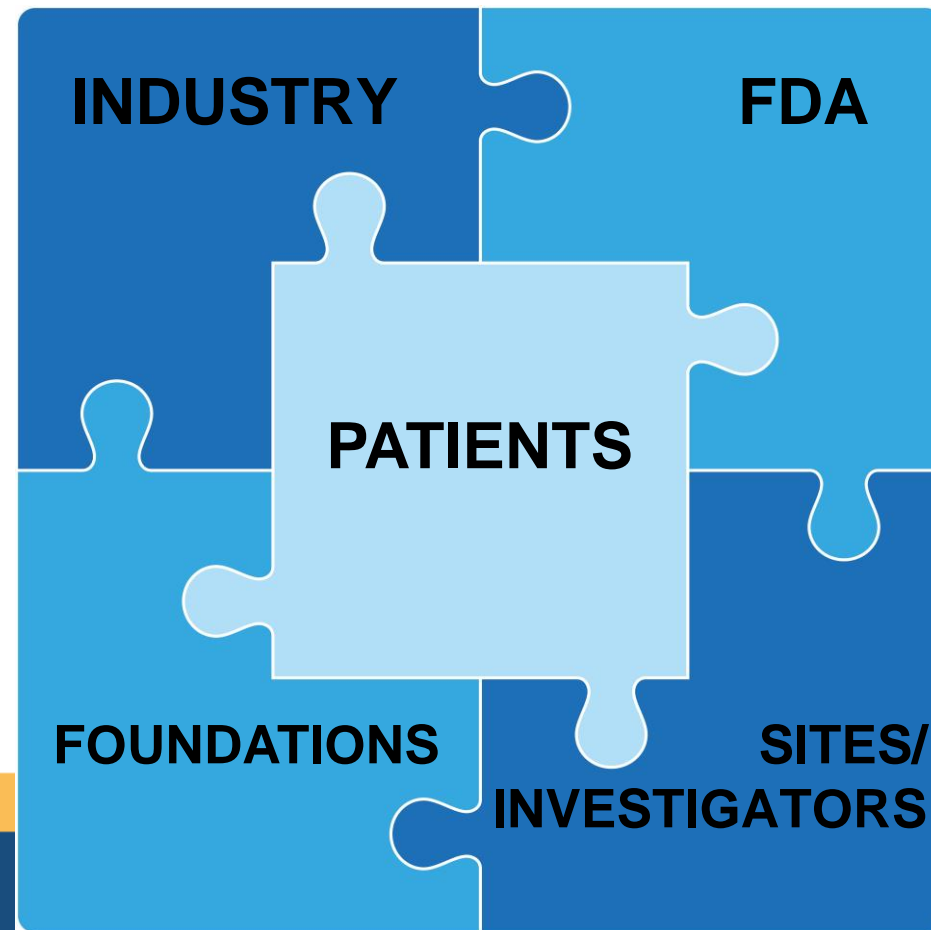
Platform trials can be a win for all stakeholders

ALS Platform Trial
Industry Workshop

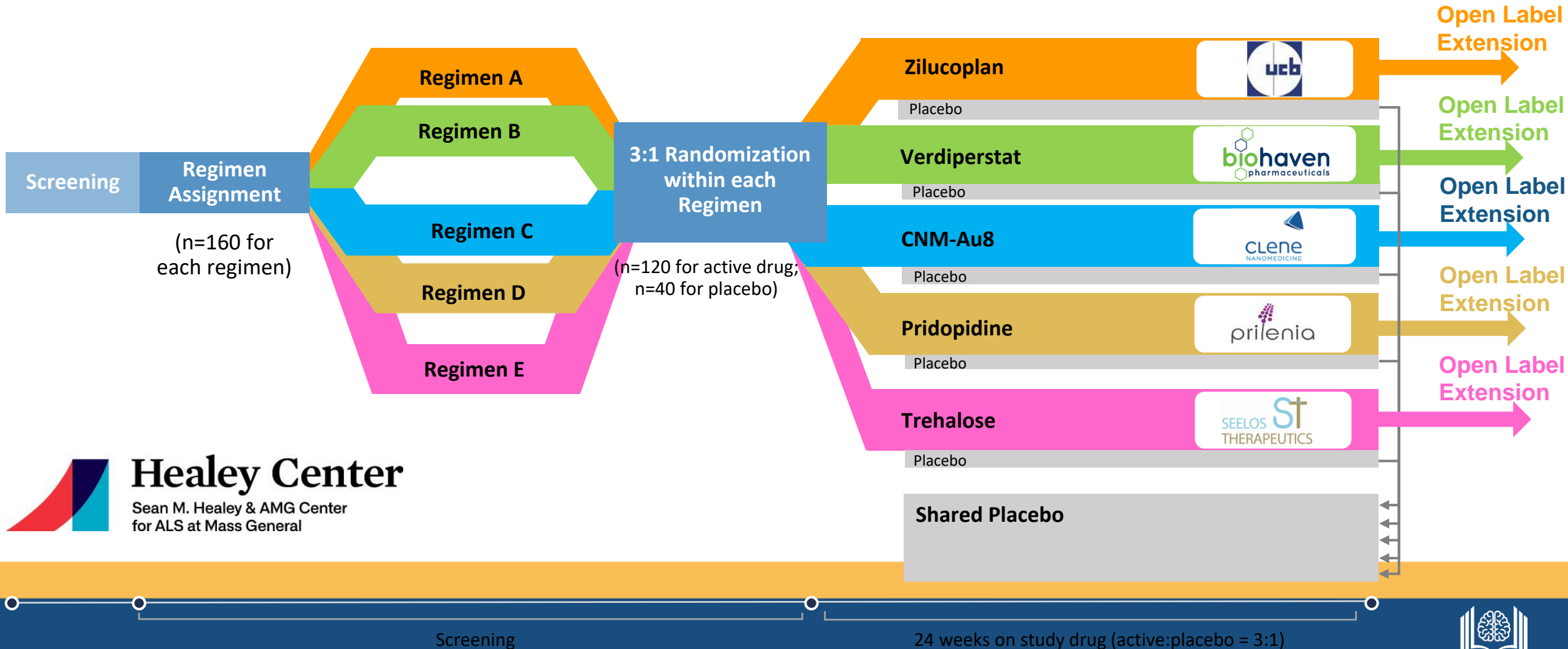
“Platform trials may possibly
be the best thing I have seen
since diagnosis!”



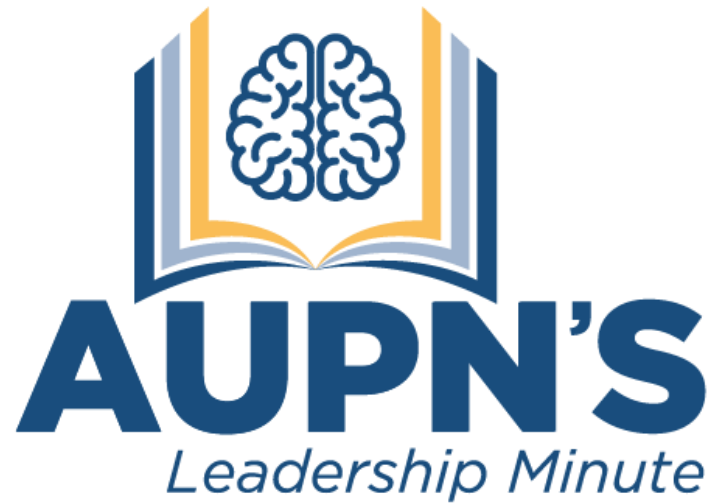
*5-stars Patient-Centric Trial
Design (PaCTD) Rating*



The HEALEY ALS Platform Trial is a Perpetual Adaptive Trial



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