

# SAP Intelligent Clinical Supply Management



**SAP® Intelligent Clinical Supply Management** is an advanced solution that helps life sciences companies improve and automate the supply process for clinical trial materials and gain increased visibility into the status of supplies worldwide.

## How can SAP Intelligent Clinical Supply Management help you change the game?

Today, life sciences companies are missing transparency into clinical supplies, which makes clinical trial supply management a challenge.

Now, SAP customers can readily facilitate demand forecasting, manufacturing, packaging, labeling, and shipment of clinical trial materials, gaining competitive advantages through faster time to market.

## What are the key features of SAP Intelligent Clinical Supply Management?

- Enables blinding and randomization for clinical trials
- Infuses clinical trial parameters as well as enrollment rates into the supply and demand planning processes
- Supports new types of clinical trials and medicines
- Provides full visibility into global supply status, enabling a supplier network for stakeholders in the clinical trials process
- Proactively avoids shortages or waste when enrollment is faster or slower than expected

## What are the benefits?

SAP Intelligent Clinical Supply Management helps life sciences companies gain transparency and insights into the clinical supplies process from source to site. Other benefits include:

- **Fast cycle times:** Reduction in cycle times for the clinical trial supply chain, supporting quick adaptation to change
- **Improved accuracy:** Integrated processes to reduce errors and delays; accurate planning to reduce inventory excesses
- **Greater flexibility:** Quick and flexible responses to future trends and new types of clinical trials with more complex trial design, with scalable architecture that accommodates multiple clinical supply models in one system
- **Increased collaboration:** Stakeholders for clinical trial supply management being able to work together, from suppliers to life sciences companies to logistics providers to clinical sites
- **Improved efficiency:** Processes simplified and automated, eliminating manual processes, reducing complexity, and providing system guidance
- **Lower costs:** Total cost of ownership lowered by leveraging customers' existing SAP S/4HANA software and faster implementation of new solution aspects

## Why SAP?

Based on SAP's long-standing industry experience, SAP Intelligent Clinical Supply Management offers better visibility for inventory status during global clinical trials. Along with the industry cloud portfolio, SAP combines the power of SAP S/4HANA and SAP Business Technology Platform with intelligent suite solutions to provide vertical capabilities that deliver real business value.

## Customer Story

- [Roche](#)  
Shape the future of clinical supplies operations and harmonize clinical and commercial supply chain management systems.