

# An Observational, Post-Authorization Safety Study (PASS) within the Consortium of Rheumatology Researchers of North America (CORRONA) Registry Comparing Rates of Malignancy, Cardiovascular and Serious Infection Outcomes among Patients Treated for Moderately to Severely Active Rheumatoid Arthritis (CORRONA Surveillance PASS)

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Study

Finalised

## Administrative details

### EU PAS number

EUPAS5708

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### Study ID

34710

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## **DARWIN EU® study**

No

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### **Study countries**

 United States

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### **Study description**

Tofacitinib is a potent, selective inhibitor of the Janus kinase family of kinases with a high degree of selectivity against other kinases in the human genome. To enable assessment of rare events and endpoints with long latency periods, Pfizer will implement a post-approval, population-based active surveillance study of tofacitinib-exposed patients using the Consortium of Rheumatology Researchers of North America registry to actively collect data in a prospective manner.

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### **Study status**

Finalised

## Research institutions and networks

### Institutions

**CORRONA**

## Contact details

### **Study institution contact**

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Primary lead investigator

## Study timelines

**Date when funding contract was signed**

Planned: 02/01/2013

Actual: 15/07/2013

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**Study start date**

Planned: 04/12/2012

Actual: 04/12/2012

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**Date of final study report**

Planned: 31/12/2019

Actual: 13/03/2020

## Sources of funding

- Pharmaceutical company and other private sector

## More details on funding

Pfizer, Inc.

# Study protocol

[A3921205\\_PROTOCOL\\_23DEC2013.pdf](#) (1.08 MB)

## Regulatory

### **Was the study required by a regulatory body?**

No

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### **Is the study required by a Risk Management Plan (RMP)?**

EU RMP category 3 (required)

## Methodological aspects

### Study type

#### Study type list

##### **Study topic:**

Disease /health condition

Human medicinal product

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##### **Study type:**

Non-interventional study

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##### **Scope of the study:**

Assessment of risk minimisation measure implementation or effectiveness

**Data collection methods:**

Secondary use of data

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**Main study objective:**

The main objective of the study is to assess the safety of tofacitinib in the post-approval setting.

## Study Design

**Non-interventional study design**

Cohort

## Study drug and medical condition

**Medicinal product name**

XELJANZ

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**Medical condition to be studied**

Rheumatoid arthritis

## Population studied

**Short description of the study population**

All patients, 18 years of age and older, who receive tofacitinib for the treatment of RA following US approval and marketing through the end of the study period (estimated to be 5 years from the launch date). Incident and prevalent users of tofacitinib were included.

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## **Age groups**

- Adults (18 to < 46 years)
  - Adults (46 to < 65 years)
  - Adults (65 to < 75 years)
  - Adults (75 to < 85 years)
  - Adults (85 years and over)
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## **Special population of interest**

Other

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## **Special population of interest, other**

Rheumatoid arthritis patients

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## **Estimated number of subjects**

3000

# Study design details

## **Outcomes**

The primary outcomes are serious infections, malignancies and cardiovascular events. Secondary outcomes include events commonly seen in patients with RA.

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## **Data analysis plan**

For the safety endpoints of interest, summary statistics, frequencies, crude cumulative incidence proportions, and crude incidence rates (ie, number of events per person-years) and associated 95% confidence intervals will be calculated as appropriate. Depending on data availability, subgroupanalyses may be performed.

# Documents

## Study results

[a3921205-report-body.pdf](#) (1.22 MB)

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## Data management

### ENCePP Seal

The use of the ENCePP Seal has been discontinued since February 2025. The ENCePP Seal fields are retained in the display mode for transparency but are no longer maintained.

## Data sources

### Data source(s), other

CORRONA databases

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### Data sources (types)

[Disease registry](#)

## Use of a Common Data Model (CDM)

### CDM mapping

No

## Data quality specifications

**Check conformance**

Unknown

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**Check completeness**

Unknown

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**Check stability**

Unknown

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**Check logical consistency**

Unknown

## Data characterisation

**Data characterisation conducted**

Unknown