

# New Approach Methods - Toxicokinetics

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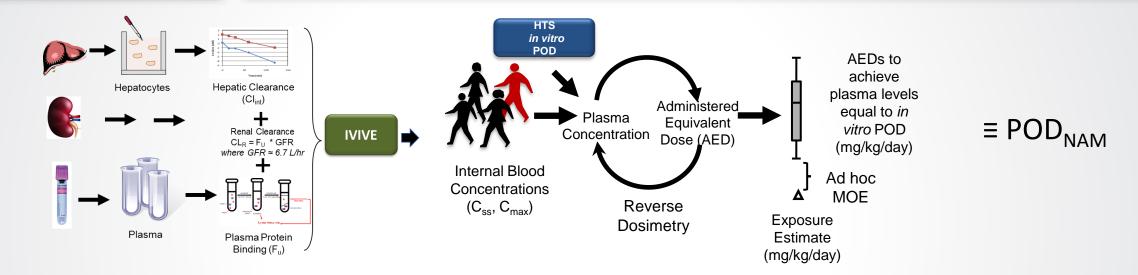


## Goals

- 1. Use new approach methods (NAMs) to characterize the toxicokinetic properties of a structurally diverse set of PFAS including:
  - Bioaccumulative potential
  - Half-life estimations
  - Biotransformation
  - Conversion of in vitro potencies to external administered doses
- 2. Refine structural categories based on toxicokinetic properties for grouping and read across
- 3. Develop targeted analytical chemistry methods that can be used to evaluate:
  - PFAS in vitro toxicokinetics, stability and disposition
  - Quality and stability of DMSO stocks



## Approach



- Experimental TK data generated across ~130 PFAS
  - Plasma protein binding (Ultracentrifugation assay): F<sub>u</sub>
  - Hepatocyte clearance (hepatocyte suspensions, loss of parent compound over time): Cl<sub>int</sub>
  - Renal transport and clearance (MDCK-II model; transporters associated with PFAS uptake/efflux)
  - PFAS metabolite and biotransformation evaluations
  - Above work requires development of sensitive, targeted analytic methods for each PFAS
- Incorporate in vitro TK data in *in vitro-in vivo* extrapolation (IVIVE) approach to estimate steady state concentrations ( $C_{ss}$ ); incorporation into httk; make available for QSAR development
- Evaluate PFAS in vitro disposition (distribution/binding to media, cells, plastics)
- Stock QC: Evaluate ORD PFAS stocks distributed to screening partners for quality and stability



#### **Current Status**

- QC of PFAS DMSO stocks complete
  - Over 470 unique stocks analyzed across multiple procurements
- Plasma protein binding data >95% complete
  - Methodologically challenging chemicals still being attempted
- Hepatic clearance data (NTP and EPA collaboration)
  - 85% complete; to be completed by FY22 Q1
  - More methodologically challenging than plasma work
- Renal transporter data
  - Phase 1: assay work 80% complete
  - Phase 2: Targeted mass spectrometric analysis of samples underway
  - To be completed in FY22
- PFAS biotransformation
  - Chemical selection, study design underway, data generation in FY22
- PFAS in vitro disposition
  - Chemical selection, proof of concept design underway; data generation in FY22



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