

ACCELERATED APPROVAL & RARE DISEASE PATIENTS

People living with rare diseases can wait **YEARS, EVEN DECADES,** for research to provide new treatment options.



The FDA's accelerated approval program ***SPEEDS UP THE PROCESS*** by assessing a drug based on near-term predictors of clinical value, such as:



Laboratory measurements



Radiographic images



Physical signs

Timely access to **BREAKTHROUGH MEDICATIONS**

means patients can:



✓ Spend less time in hospitals for treatment



✓ Have fewer doctor visits



✓ Enjoy a better quality of life



Accelerated approval puts the hope of treatment within reach for rare disease patients.

