Biosimilars are safe and effective biologic medications for treating many illnesses such as chronic skin and bowel diseases, arthritis, kidney conditions, and cancer.

Biologic medications are generally made from natural sources and developed using advanced science.

Biosimilars are FDA-approved medications that are compared to another medication — the original biologic.

Biosimilars are made with the same types of natural sources as the original biologic they were compared to — and provide the same treatment benefits.

Biosimilars may provide patients with more access to important treatments.

Biosimilars are approved by FDA after a careful review of data, studies, and tests.

FDA monitors the safety and effectiveness of all medications after their approval.

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