



Our STN: BL 125832/0

**BLA APPROVAL**

August 14, 2025

Precigen, Inc.  
Attention: Amy Lankford, PhD  
SVP, Head of Clinical Operations & Reg Affairs  
20358 Seneca Meadows Parkway  
Germantown, MD 20876

Dear Dr. Lankford:

Please refer to your Biologics License Application (BLA) received December 27, 2024, submitted under section 351(a) of the Public Health Service Act (PHS Act) for zopapogene imadenovec-drba.

**LICENSING**

We are issuing Department of Health and Human Services U.S. License No. 2364 to Precigen, Inc., Germantown, Maryland, under the provisions of section 351(a) of the PHS Act controlling the manufacture and sale of biological products. The license authorizes you to introduce or deliver for introduction into interstate commerce, those products for which your company has demonstrated compliance with establishment and product standards.

Under this license, you are authorized to manufacture the product zopapogene imadenovec-drba, which is indicated for the treatment of adults with recurrent respiratory papillomatosis.

The review of this product was associated with the following National Clinical Trial (NCT) number: NCT04724980.

**MANUFACTURING LOCATIONS**

Under this license, you are approved to manufacture zopapogene imadenovec-drba drug substance at Precigen, Inc., 20358 Seneca Meadows Pkwy, Germantown, MD 20876, USA. The final formulated drug product will be manufactured at (b) (4) and labeled and packaged at (b) (4)

You may label your product with the proprietary name PAPZIMEOS and market it in 1 mL vials.

## **ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

We did not refer your application to the Cellular, Tissue, and Gene Therapies Advisory Committee because our review of information submitted in your BLA, including the clinical study design and trial results, did not raise concerns or controversial issues that would have benefited from an advisory committee discussion.

## **DATING PERIOD**

The dating period for zopapogene imadenovec-drba shall be 24 months from the date of manufacture when stored at  $\leq -60^{\circ}\text{C}$ . The date of manufacture shall be defined as the date of final sterile filtration of the formulated drug product. Following the final sterile filtration, no reprocessing/reworking is allowed without prior approval from the Agency. The dating period for your drug substance shall be (b) (4) when stored at (b) (4). We have approved the stability protocols in your license application for the purpose of extending the expiration dating period of your drug substance and drug product under 21 CFR 601.12.

## **FDA LOT RELEASE**

Please submit protocols showing results of all applicable tests. You may not distribute any lots of product until you receive a notification of release from the Director, Center for Biologics Evaluation and Research (CBER).

## **BIOLOGICAL PRODUCT DEVIATIONS**

You must submit reports of biological product deviations under 21 CFR 600.14. You should identify and investigate all manufacturing deviations promptly, including those associated with processing, testing, packaging, labeling, storage, holding and distribution. If the deviation involves a distributed product, may affect the safety, purity, or potency of the product, and meets the other criteria in the regulation, you must submit a report on Form FDA 3486 to the Director, Office of Compliance and Biologics Quality, electronically through the eBPDR web application or at the address below. Links for the instructions on completing the electronic form (eBPDR) may be found on CBER's web site at <https://www.fda.gov/vaccines-blood-biologics/report-problem-center-biologics-evaluation-research/biological-product-deviations> :

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Center for Biologics Evaluation and Research  
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10903 New Hampshire Ave.  
WO71-G112  
Silver Spring, MD 20993-0002

## **MANUFACTURING CHANGES**

You must submit information to your BLA for our review and written approval under 21 CFR 601.12 for any changes in, including but not limited to, the manufacturing, testing, packaging or labeling of zopapogene imadenovec-drba, or in the manufacturing facilities.

## **LABELING**

We hereby approve the draft content of labeling including the Package Insert submitted under amendment 69, dated August 11, 2025 and the draft package and container labels submitted under amendment 64, dated August 5, 2025.

## **CONTENT OF LABELING**

As soon as possible, but no later than 14 days from the date of this letter, please submit the final content of labeling (21 CFR 601.14) in Structured Product Labeling (SPL) format via the FDA automated drug registration and listing system, (eLIST) as described at <http://www.fda.gov/ForIndustry/DataStandards/StructuredProductLabeling/default.htm>. Content of labeling must be identical to the Package Insert submitted on August 11, 2025. Information on submitting SPL files using eLIST may be found in the guidance for industry *SPL Standard for Content of Labeling Technical Qs and As* at <http://www.fda.gov/downloads/Drugs/GuidanceComplianceRegulatoryInformation/Guidances/UCM072392.pdf>.

The SPL will be accessible via publicly available labeling repositories.

## **PACKAGE AND CONTAINER LABELS**

Please electronically submit final printed package and container labels identical to the package and container labels submitted on August 5, 2025, according to the guidance for industry *Providing Regulatory Submissions in Electronic Format — Certain Human Pharmaceutical Product Applications and Related Submissions Using the eCTD Specifications* at <https://www.fda.gov/downloads/drugs/guidancecompliance/regulatoryinformation/guidances/ucm333969.pdf>.

All final labeling should be submitted as Product Correspondence to this BLA, STN BL 125832/0 at the time of use and include implementation information on Form FDA 356h.

## **ADVERTISING AND PROMOTIONAL LABELING**

You may submit two draft copies of the proposed introductory advertising and promotional labeling with Form FDA 2253 to the Advertising and Promotional Labeling Branch at the following address:

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You must submit copies of your final advertising and promotional labeling at the time of initial dissemination or publication, accompanied by Form FDA 2253 (21 CFR 601.12(f)(4)).

All promotional claims must be consistent with and not contrary to approved labeling. You should not make a comparative promotional claim or claim of superiority over other products unless you have substantial evidence or substantial clinical experience to support such claims (21 CFR 202.1(e)(6)).

## **ADVERSE EVENT REPORTING**

You must submit adverse experience reports in accordance with the adverse experience reporting requirements for licensed biological products (21 CFR 600.80) and you must submit distribution reports as described in 21 CFR 600.81. In addition to the reporting requirements in 21 CFR 600.80, you must submit adverse experience reports for thrombotic events as 15-day expedited reports to the FDA Adverse Event Reporting System (FAERS). Thrombotic events reports must be submitted as 15-day expedited reports for three years following the date of product licensure. For information on adverse experience reporting, please refer to the guidance for industry *Providing Submissions in Electronic Format —Postmarketing Safety Reports* at <https://www.fda.gov/regulatory-information/search-fda-guidance-documents/providing-submissions-electronic-format-postmarketing-safety-reports> and FDA's Adverse Event reporting System website at <https://www.fda.gov/drugs/questions-and-answers-fdas-adverse-event-reporting-system-faers/fda-adverse-event-reporting-system-faers-electronic-submissions>. For information on distribution reporting, please refer to the guidance for industry *Electronic Submission of Lot Distribution Reports* at <https://www.fda.gov/vaccines-blood-biologics/lot-release/lot-distribution-database-ldd>.

## **PEDIATRIC REQUIREMENTS**

Under the Pediatric Research Equity Act (PREA) (21 U.S.C. 355c), all applications for new active ingredients, new indications, new dosage forms, new dosing regimens, or new routes of administration are required to contain an assessment of the safety and effectiveness of the product for the claimed indication in pediatric patients unless this requirement is waived, deferred, or inapplicable.

Because the biological product for this indication has an orphan drug designation, you are exempt from this requirement.

## **POSTMARKETING REQUIREMENTS UNDER SECTION 505(o)**

Section 505(o) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FDCA) authorizes FDA to require holders of approved drug and biological product applications to conduct postmarketing studies and clinical trials for certain purposes, if FDA makes certain findings required by the statute (section 505(o)(3)(A), 21 U.S.C. 355(o)(3)(A)).

We have determined that an analysis of spontaneous postmarketing adverse events reported under section 505(k)(1) of the FDCA will not be sufficient to identify an unexpected serious risk of adventitious viral contamination.

Furthermore, the active postmarket risk identification and analysis system as available under section 505(k)(3) of the FDCA will not be sufficient to assess this serious risk.

Therefore, based on appropriate scientific data, we have determined that you are required to conduct the following study:

1. Precigen, Inc. will conduct an (b) (4) laboratory safety study to address the virus-detection-related safety concerns for the analytical method used to detect adventitious viral contamination in the (b) (4) during the zopapogene imadenovec-drba drug substance manufacturing process. This study will include: (1) validation of assay specificity and detection limits for control viruses by (b) (4) ; and (2) verification of method suitability by (b) (4)

We acknowledge the timetable you submitted on July 31, 2025, which states that you will conduct this study according to the following schedule:

Final Protocol Submission: September 30, 2025

Study Completion Date: January 31, 2026

Final Report Submission: February 28, 2026

Please submit the protocol to your IND 26884, with a cross-reference letter to this BLA, STN BL 125832 explaining that this protocol was submitted to the IND. Please refer to the sequential number for each study/clinical trial and the submission number as shown in this letter.

Please submit final study reports to the BLA. If the information in the final study report supports a change in the label, the final study report must be submitted as a supplement to this BLA, STN BL 125832. For administrative purposes, all submissions related to this postmarketing study required under section 505(o) must be submitted to this BLA and be clearly designated as:

- **Required Postmarketing Correspondence under Section 505(o)**
- **Required Postmarketing Final Report under Section 505(o)**
- **Supplement contains Required Postmarketing Final Report under Section 505(o)**

Section 505(o)(3)(E)(ii) of the FDCA requires you to report periodically on the status of any study or clinical trial required under this section. This section also requires you to periodically report to FDA on the status of any study or clinical trial otherwise undertaken to investigate a safety issue. In addition, section 506B of the FDCA and 21 CFR 601.70 require you to report annually on the status of any postmarketing commitments or required studies or clinical trials.

You must describe the status in an annual report on postmarketing studies for this product. Label your annual report as an **Annual Status Report of Postmarketing Requirements/Commitments** and submit it to the FDA each year within 60 calendar days of the anniversary date of this letter until all Requirements and Commitments subject to the reporting requirements of section 506B of the FDCA are fulfilled or released. The status report for each study should include:

- the sequential number for each study as shown in this letter;
- information to identify and describe the postmarketing requirement;
- the original milestone schedule for the requirement;
- the revised milestone schedule for the requirement, if appropriate;
- the current status of the requirement (i.e., pending, ongoing, delayed, terminated, or submitted); and,
- an explanation of the status for the study or clinical trial. The explanation should include how the study is progressing in reference to the original projected schedule, including, the patient accrual rate (i.e., number enrolled to date and the total planned enrollment).

As described in 21 CFR 601.70(e), we may publicly disclose information regarding these postmarketing studies on our website at <http://www.fda.gov/Drugs/GuidanceComplianceRegulatoryInformation/Post-marketingPhaseIVCommitments/default.htm>.

We will consider the submission of your annual report under section 506B of the FDCA and 21 CFR 601.70 to satisfy the periodic reporting requirement under section 505(o)(3)(E)(ii) provided that you include the elements listed in section 505(o) and 21 CFR 601.70. We remind you that to comply with section 505(o), your annual report must also include a report on the status of any study or clinical trial otherwise undertaken to investigate a safety issue. Failure to periodically report on the status of studies or clinical trials required under section 505(o) may be a violation of FDCA section 505(o)(3)(E)(ii) and could result in regulatory action.

**POSTMARKETING COMMITMENTS SUBJECT TO REPORTING REQUIREMENTS  
UNDER SECTION 506B**

We acknowledge your written commitments as described in your letter of August 12, 2025 as outlined below:

2. Precigen, Inc. commits to complete and submit the study report and dataset for study PRGN-2012-201, a single-arm, open-label Phase 1/2 study conducted in adult patients requiring 3 or more surgical interventions for management of RRP in the 12 months prior to treatment.

Final study report submission: December 31, 2026

3. Precigen, Inc. commits to conduct viral shedding studies following administration of zopapogene imadenovec-drba in adult patients with recurrent respiratory papillomatosis.

Final study report submission: December 31, 2026

4. Precigen, Inc commits to conduct a prospective, single arm, open label study of the safety and efficacy of zopapogene imadenovec-drba in pediatric patients with recurrent respiratory papillomatosis.

Final study report submission: December 31, 2028

Please submit clinical protocols to your IND 26884, and a cross-reference letter to this BLA, STN BL 125832/0 explaining that these protocols were submitted to the IND.

If the information in the final study report supports a change in the label, the final study report must be submitted as a supplement. Please use the following designators to prominently label all submissions, including supplements, relating to these postmarketing study commitments as appropriate:

- **Postmarketing Commitment – Correspondence**
- **Postmarketing Commitment – Final Study Report**
- **Supplement contains Postmarketing Commitment – Final Study Report**

For each postmarketing study subject to the reporting requirements of 21 CFR 601.70, you must describe the status in an annual report on postmarketing studies for this product. Label your annual report as an **Annual Status Report of Postmarketing Requirements/Commitments** and submit it to the FDA each year within 60 calendar days of the anniversary date of this letter until all Requirements and Commitments subject to the reporting requirements of section 506B of the FDCA are fulfilled or released. The status report for each study should include:

- the sequential number for each study as shown in this letter;

- information to identify and describe the postmarketing commitment;
- the original schedule for the commitment;
- the status of the commitment (i.e., pending, ongoing, delayed, terminated, or submitted); and,
- an explanation of the status including, for clinical studies, the patient accrual rate (i.e., number enrolled to date and the total planned enrollment).

As described in 21 CFR 601.70(e), we may publicly disclose information regarding these postmarketing studies on our website at <http://www.fda.gov/Drugs/GuidanceComplianceRegulatoryInformation/Post-marketingPhaseIVCommitments/default.htm>.

## **POSTMARKETING COMMITMENTS NOT SUBJECT TO THE REPORTING REQUIREMENTS UNDER SECTION 506B**

We acknowledge your written commitments as described in your letter of August 12, 2025 as outlined below:

5. Precigen, Inc. commits to completing the manufacturing process validation for the zopapogene imadenovec-drba drug product, including (b) (4) additional process performance qualification runs. A final study report for the drug product manufacturing process validation will be submitted as a “Post-marketing Study Commitment – Final Study Report”.

Final study report submission: December 31, 2025

6. Precigen, Inc. commits to assessing (b) (4) from the zopapogene imadenovec-drba drug product stored at ≤ -60°C for 24 months, at the end of the proposed shelf-life. A final (b) (4) assessment report will be submitted as a “Post-marketing Study Commitment – Final Study Report”.

Final study report submission: June 30, 2026

7. Precigen, Inc. commits to reassessing the (b) (4) of the zopapogene imadenovec-drba drug product. A final study report will be submitted as a “Postmarketing Study Commitment – Final Study Report”.

Final study report submission: December 31, 2025

8. Precigen, Inc. commits to reassessing the acceptance criteria for release testing of the zopapogene imadenovec-drba drug substance based on manufacturing experience and revising the acceptance criteria, as appropriate. A final acceptance criteria reassessment report will be submitted as a “Postmarketing Study Commitment – Final Study Report” within 60 days after release of the (b) (4) commercial drug substance batch.

Final study report submission: December 31, 2027

9. Precigen, Inc. commits to reassessing the acceptance criteria for release testing of the zopapogene imadenovec-drba drug product based on manufacturing experience and revising the acceptance criteria, as appropriate. A final acceptance criteria reassessment report will be submitted as a “Postmarketing Study Commitment – Final Study Report” within 60 days after release of the <sup>(b) (4)</sup> commercial drug product lot.

Final study report submission: December 31, 2031

We request that you submit information concerning Chemistry, Manufacturing, and Controls (CMC) postmarketing commitments and final reports to your BLA, STN BL 125832. Please refer to the sequential number for each commitment.

Please use the following designators to prominently label all submissions, including supplements, relating to these postmarketing study commitments as appropriate:

- **Postmarketing Commitment – Status Update**
- **Postmarketing Commitment – Final Study Report**
- **Supplement contains Postmarketing Commitment – Final Study Report**

For each postmarketing commitment not subject to the reporting requirements of 21 CFR 601.70, you may report the status to FDA as a **Postmarketing Commitment – Status Update**. The status report for each commitment should include:

- the sequential number for each study as shown in this letter;
- the submission number associated with this letter;
- describe what has been accomplished to fulfill the non-section 506B PMC; and,
- summarize any data collected or issues with fulfilling the non-section 506B PMC.

When you have fulfilled your commitment, submit your final report as **Postmarketing Commitment – Final Study Report** or **Supplement contains Postmarketing Commitment – Final Study Report**.

## **POST APPROVAL FEEDBACK MEETING**

New biological products qualify for a post approval feedback meeting. Such meetings are used to discuss the quality of the application and to evaluate the communication process during drug development and marketing application review. The purpose is to learn from successful aspects of the review process and to identify areas that could benefit from improvement. If you would like to have such a meeting with us, please contact the Regulatory Project Manager for this application.

Sincerely,

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