Pricing: What to Consider in Specialty Care and Biotech Markets?

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Pricing in a Vacuum...

The development of Pricing needs to take into account:

- The decision maker and influencer
- Market utilization
- How it is represented
- The reimbursement environment
- The competitive framework

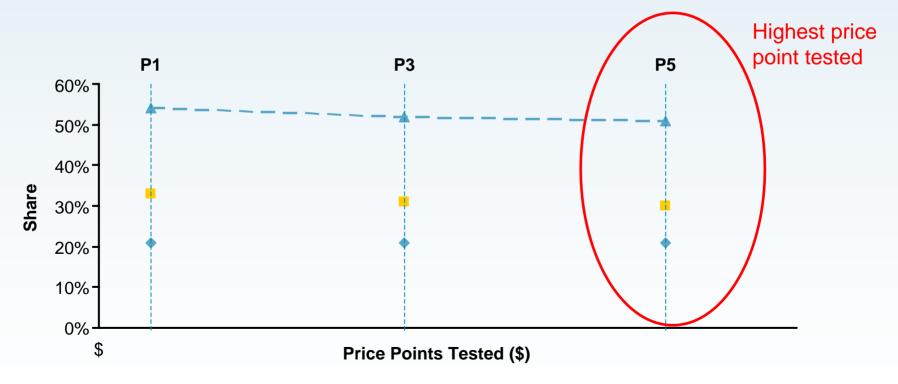


Can we justify the <u>value proposition</u> to the payer and patient by improving the quality and/or extending the length of the patient's life?



What Drives Price Sensitivity?

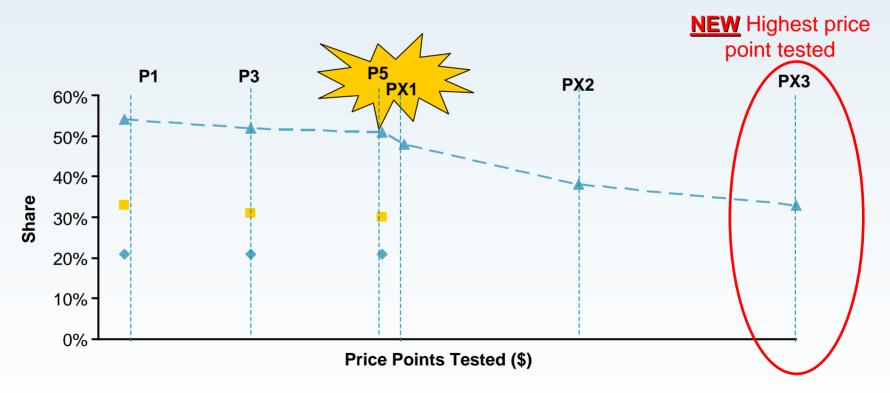
- Is this product <u>really</u> price insensitive?
 - A high price will not impact market share and revenue?
- What is *really* driving this?
 - Reimbursement





Price Sensitivity vs. "Hot Price Points" and Ceilings

- How high is too high?
- Need to identify the "hot price points" the \$0.99 effect !!



~ 150% increase in price



Who to Consider – The Key Players....

- Is the physician the appropriate segment to conduct price sensitivity studies?
- Impact to use vs. frequency of use.

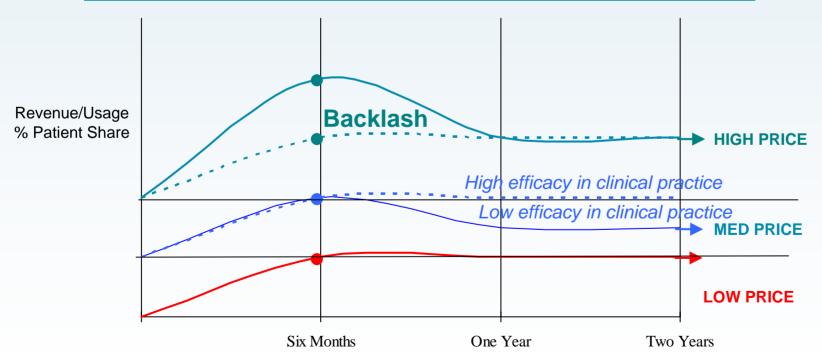
Audience	Low	Reasonable	High Price, but Worth It	Anticipated Tx/Year
Physician:				
Opinion Leaders vs.				
Community				
Payers:				
Public vs. Private				
Patient:				
Co-pay vs. need				



Consider the Big Picture...

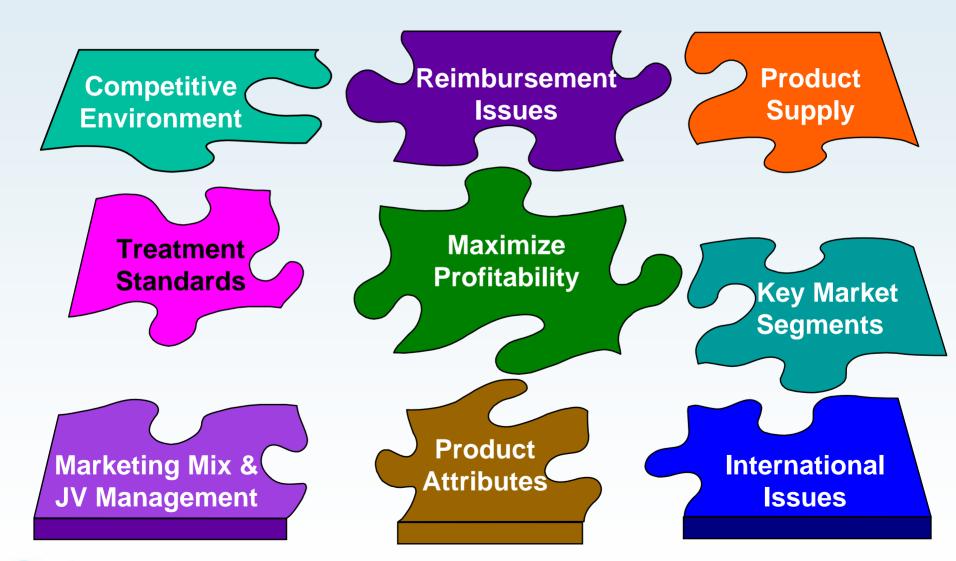
- Unmet market need and competitive environment
- Political environment and advocacy group impact
- Reimbursement and pool depletion and floor vs. ceiling
- Comparable products and markets novice agent, biologic v. Primary

Scenarios: Risk Tolerance vs. Revenue Maximization



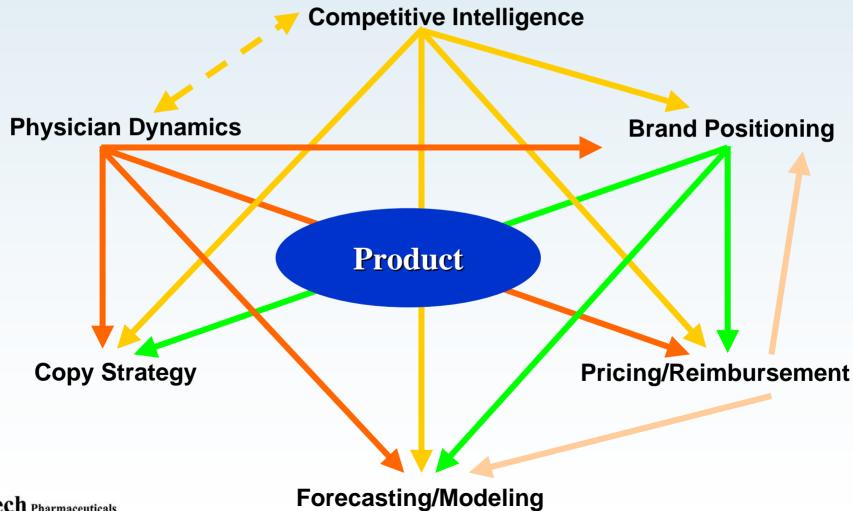


Optimal Pricing and Reimbursement Strategy Variables: Avoid Pricing in a Vacuum...



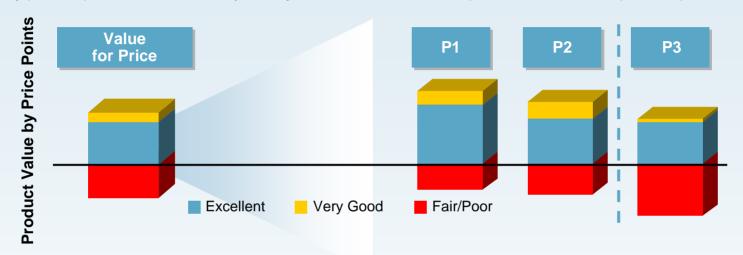
Implications of Pricing and Reimbursement

 Pricing and reimbursement is an integral part of commercializing a product with direct links to brand positioning and forecasting



Build the Product **Value** Story...

Typical price sensitivity may be different vs. product value perceptions



To: (Audience)

Pdt X Is: The First....

That: (Benefit)

Because: (Reason to believe)

- ◆ Exciting <u>NEW</u> class
- Differentiating benefits
- Foundation therapy capture it all !!
- → Focus on the end benefit that matters – Patients

So That I can help....(Emotional end benefit)



Benchmarking Biologics: The Oncology (R)evolution

- First Wave: New branded chemotherapeutics and biologics
 - Chemotherapeutic (Paraplatin, Taxol) priced under \$10,000/year
 - Biologics across tumor types priced above \$20,000 (except Gemzar)
 - Gemzar (pancreatic) \$15K
 - Gleevec (CML) \$22K
 - Herceptin (breast) \$75K
 - Rituxan (NHL) \$32K
 - Camptosar (CRC) \$22K
- ♦ New Wave: Erbitux and Avastin priced at 3-5x higher vs. standard of care
 - Avastin at \$71,500/year (1st line) 223% higher
 - ➤ Erbitux at \$119,808/year (refractory) 442% higher



Utilize Appropriate Approach...Not Methodology....

