

# Biosimilars Webinar: Prosecution and Litigation Trends and Takeaways from BPCIA Litigation



[Michael Siekman](#), [Huiya Wu](#), [Allegra Padula](#), and [Riley Wyberg](#) will present their data-driven analyses of trends in BPCIA litigation and relevant takeaways.

With 10 years of litigation since the first BPCIA complaint on NEUPOGEN (filgrastim) was filed in 2014, trends are becoming apparent that should cause all biopharma companies to reassess how they protect biologics and plan for biosimilar launch.

## **Webinar Highlights:**

- **Patents Being Asserted:** Learn which types of patents are being asserted to block biosimilar competition, how that has changed over time, differences for protein and antibody products, when those patents are being filed during drug development, and differences among Reference Product Sponsors.
- **Trends in BPCIA Litigation:** Learn how often and how much of aBLAs are being produced during the Patent Dance, which Biosimilar Manufacturers are producing them, how much the parties dance and who is engaging in the Patent Dance, when cases are settling, and how many asserted patents are carrying through to a final judgment.
- **Real-World Insights:** We will share practical recommendations for biologics and biosimilars companies based upon on our analysis and our experience with the BPCIA.

Please [RSVP](#) to confirm your attendance.

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## Major Life Sciences Licensing Deal Trends in China in 2023



*This is the first of two articles focused on 2023 life sciences deals in China. The second article, which is coming soon, looks at trends in M&A.*

In 2023, there were 240 reported life sciences licensing deals in China, an increase of almost 50% compared to 2021.

That includes 70 out-license deals involving Chinese companies licensing drugs and technologies to foreign companies, with a disclosed aggregate deal value surpassing US\$35 billion.

It also includes 170 in-license deals involving Chinese companies licensing drugs and technologies from other Chinese companies or from foreign companies. This represents a 32% increase compared to 2021 — and a 58% increase compared to 2022 (more than making up for the 2022 dip in deals).

Read the full alert [here](#).