

# How Will International Reference Pricing Affect You?

**International reference pricing** is a form of government price setting in which U.S. bureaucrats could determine the value of our medicines based on how foreign governments and politicians value these treatments and cures. Not only does international reference pricing allow foreign politicians to decide what your medicines are worth and what diseases are worth investing in, but it lets policies set by foreign politicians influence how our government makes decisions for American patients.

By outsourcing decision making about the value of our medicines, international reference pricing could create risks for American patients.



**LONG DELAYS & REDUCED ACCESS TO LIFESAVING MEDICINES**



**FEWER NEW TREATMENTS & CURES IN THE FUTURE**

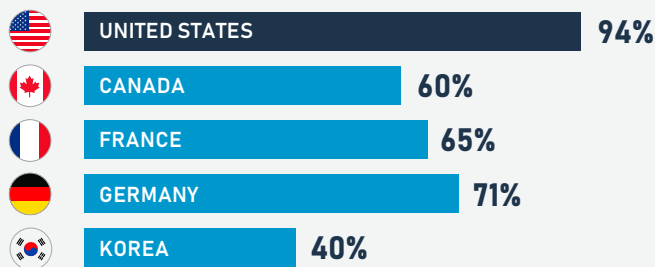


**WEAKER U.S. LEADERSHIP IN BIOPHARMACEUTICAL INNOVATION**

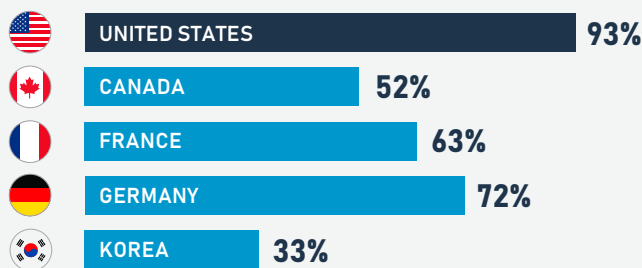
The numbers from countries where international reference pricing is used speak for themselves.

In countries where the government sets prices, patients have much less access to new medicines.

## PERCENT OF NEW CANCER MEDICINES AVAILABLE

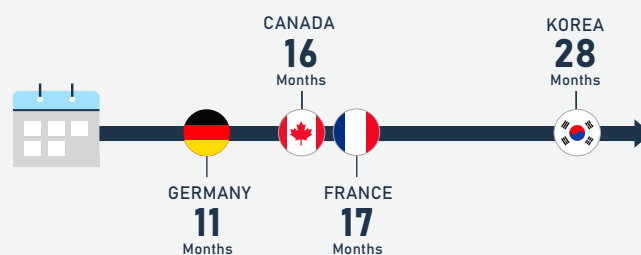


## PERCENT OF NEW RARE DISEASE MEDICINES AVAILABLE



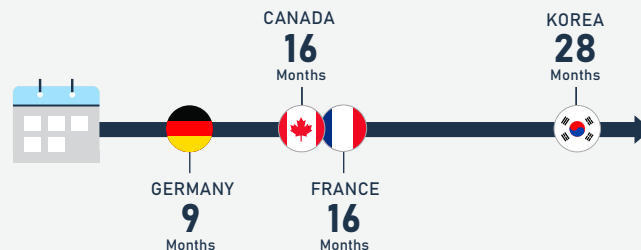
## AVERAGE DELAY IN AVAILABILITY OF NEW CANCER MEDICINES

(As compared to U.S. patients)



## AVERAGE DELAY IN AVAILABILITY OF NEW RARE DISEASE MEDICINES

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Other countries shouldn't have a say in what medicines are available in the United States.