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The Honorable Anna Eshoo
Chairwoman
Subcommittee on Health
Committee on Energy and Commerce
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Brett Guthrie
Ranking Member
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**Testimony of
National LGBT Cancer Network
Before the Subcommittee on Health, Committee on Energy and Commerce
Thursday, March 17, 2022
The Future of Medicine: Legislation to Encourage Innovation and Improve
Oversight**

National LGBT Cancer Network supports the FDA Modernization Act because it would:

- Authorize the use of the best nonclinical test method, animal-based or human-based, to determine the safety and efficacy of a new drug, whether animal or nonanimal.
- Broaden options for drug sponsors to use test methods most likely to predict how a drug will react in humans, including state of the art nonclinical models based on human biology.
- Encourage innovation and use of 21st Century science to improve success in clinical trials, bring more treatments to patients sooner and at less cost.

Sincerely,

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Scout, Ph.D.
Executive Director

