BIOLOGICS, BIOSIMILARS & RHEUMATIC DISEASE



About **54.4 million**Americans have arthritis.





BIOLOGICAL MEDICATIONS

offer innovative treatment options.



BIOLOGICS:

Made from natural and living sources.

More complex than other drugs.

BIOSIMILARS:

Follow-on medicines.
Similar to originator
biologics with no clinically
meaningful differences.

Of surveyed rheumatologists:



98%

are familiar with biosimilars

90%

feel comfortable prescribing biosimilars



The first rheumatology biosimilar was approved by the Food & Drug Administration in 2016.

Rheumatology treatments were among the first biosimilars ever approved.



12 TOTAL BIOSIMILARS are approved for:

Rheumatoid Arthritis

Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis

Psoriatic Arthritis

Ankylosing Spondylitis

Polyarticular Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis

Plaque Psoriasis -



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