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Welcome to the BIONIC Study Newsletter! We are excited to be launching this tool to keep our study team up to date on progress and important news updates. Newsletters will be sent out on a bi-monthly basis.

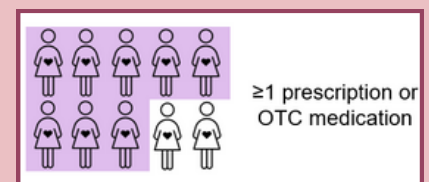
## NEWSFLASH!



- 5 Patient Partners (ON & BC) representing asthma, rheumatoid arthritis, and ulcerative colitis recruited
- Currently recruiting patients with lupus, psoriasis, atopic dermatitis, and Crohn's disease
- First virtual patient partner meet-and-greet held June
- Next Patient Partner Meeting to take place in the Fall - Stay tuned for an email invite!

## QUICK FACTS:

- 8 in 10 women report using medications (prescription or over-the-counter (OTC)) during pregnancy
- 67% of these women took at least one OTC
- 68% used medications for acute/short-term conditions (e.g., nausea, UTIs) and 17% for chronic conditions (e.g., asthma, depression)





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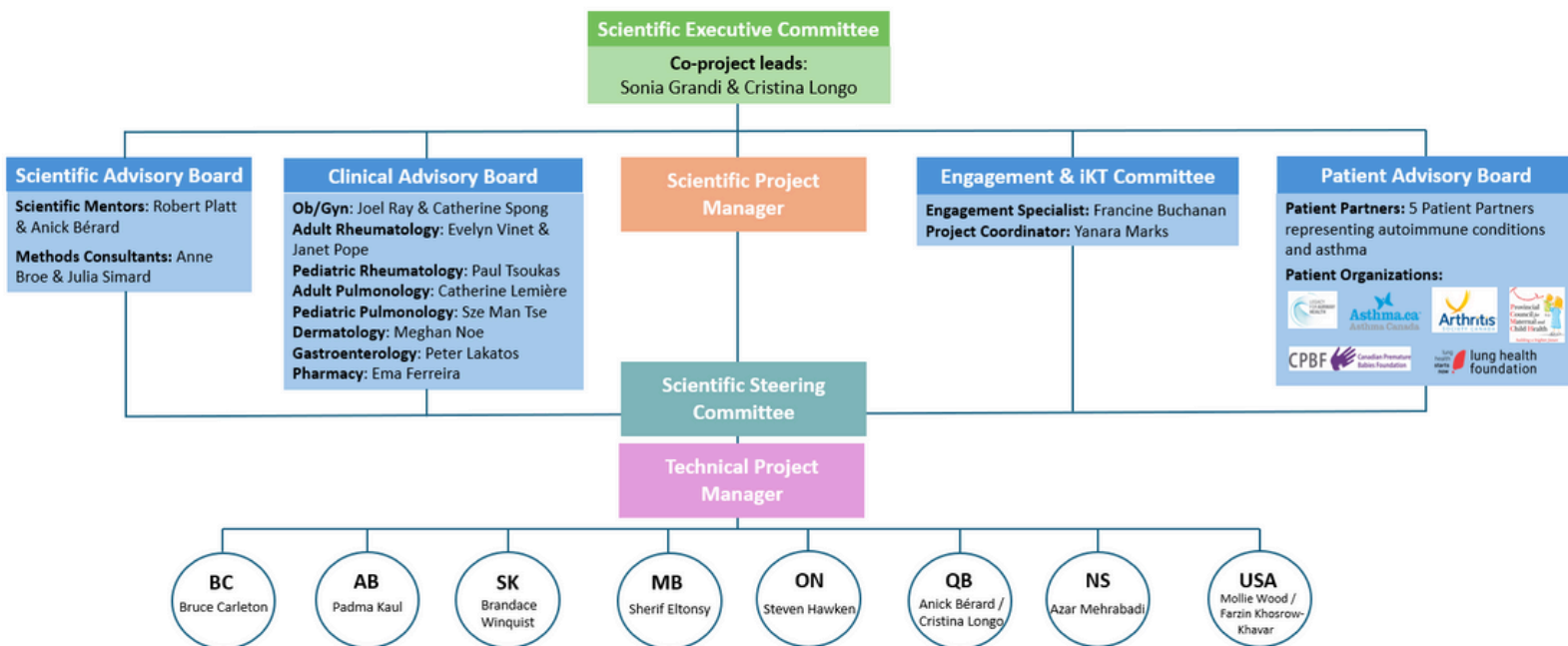
## Funding Announcements

We have submitted grants for the following projects:

- CIHR ENGAGE (Aug 2024)
- CIHR BIONIC (Sep 2024)
- PCORI BIONIC (2024)

Thank you to all who have supported our grants!

## Who is who on the BIONIC team?



Complete this quick [survey](#) to let us know what you would like to see in our next newsletter!

Questions or comments? Reach out to us any time:

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