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What if Congress Shut Down the FDA?

What would happen if the federal Food and Drug Administration was shut down? If you think the FDA keeps you safe, listen to an online commercial for an FDA-approved drug. It lists everything from heart damage to permanent disabilities, to death. Meanwhile, drugs take up to 15 years and \$2.6 billion to get approved for distribution, and yet they can still kill you.

If there was no FDA, would only truly effective drugs be developed? How many small companies would quickly develop drugs for rare diseases? How careful would a company be if it had to prove its effectiveness to you and your doctor and not hide behind FDA approval? Would we see less harm, lower prices, faster cures, and more truth in advertising?

“FDA adcomm shoots down Capricor’s Duchenne cell therapy after meeting marked by statistical dispute,” Darren Incorvaia, FierceBiotech, July 29, 2026: <https://www.fiercebiotech.com/biotech/fda-adcomm-shoots-down-capricors-duchenne-cell-therapy-after-meeting-marked-statistical>

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