

Anton Lewis Usala, MD has over 25 years of experience in the creation, development, and commercialization of new medical therapies in start-up biotech, medical device, and development stage pharmaceutical companies. Trained as a Pediatric Endocrinologist, Anton's medical sciences experience include tenured, medical school professor of Pediatric Endocrinology, founder and CSO/CMO of Encelle and Ectocelle, founder and President/CEO/Medical Director of CTMG, and VP of Medical Affairs at Primus Pharmaceuticals. Anton's passion is identifying and providing solutions for patient medical conditions, from basic science discovery through FDA approval of new therapies, utilizing design-reviewed processes under real-time quality system enforcement. He invented the first regenerative medicine products at his biotech companies (16 USPTO issued patents), developed therapies for patients with rare diseases, and founded the first CRO to apply cGMPlike quality systems to overlay cGCP requirements in conducting clinical trials. After graduating from Swarthmore College with a degree in Biology and Political Science, Anton received his MD from Jefferson Medical College in Philadelphia, and completed both his General Pediatrics and Pediatric Endocrinology Fellowship at Rainbow Babies and Children's Hospital of Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine in Cleveland, OH. Anton served as an advisor on regenerative medicine and clinical trial issues to President George W. Bush, and testified seven times before U.S. House and Senate subcommittees. In his spare time, Anton is an avid military history aficionado, and a rabid Cleveland Browns fan. In 1990, Anton, his wife and three children moved to North Carolina and have since called NC home.