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Dr. Wisner currently works as a research scientist at Gilead Sciences in San Francisco, California. Lauren has led and developed the formulation and process for 4 commercial products for patients with HIV. She also has led the initiative on quality by design of pharmaceutical products to consistently manufacture quality product for the patient.

Previously, Dr. Wisner worked for the ALZA Corporation, a Johnson and Johnson Company. In total, Dr. Wisner has more than 10 years experience as an engineer and pharmaceutical scientist in oral drug delivery, with specialties in immediate and controlled release, formulation, and process development for Phase I/II/II clinical trials, technical transfers and commercialization.

Currently, Dr. Wisner holds 2 patents from her research and discovery. She has contributed in book chapters and presented numerous papers at technical conferences.