# **Biology Bricks Keywords**

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#### **Drugs**

Drugs that are used in trials are specifically being tested to see if they both work effectively, and if there are side effects on humans.



#### **Trials**

A process used to see if there are side effects when humans take specific drugs.



### **Stages**

Drugs trialling is done in stages to first test small amounts, and then ramp up trials to larger scales if successful.



## **Human Testing**

Using human volunteers, testing of drugs in trials means that it is tested on humans to see the effects of the drugs being tested.



## **Efficacy**

This is how effective a drug can be for its intended purpose paracetamol is constantly being tested to test for efficiency at relieving pain.



#### **Placebo**

During drugs trials, a placebo may be given. It looks like the drug, but it doesn't have any of the drugs within them, and can determine false positives.



## **Small Groups**

Drugs are trialled on humans in small groups before going nationwide or on a bigger scale.



#### **Nationwide**

Drugs trials can be given nationwide, where volunteers up and down a country are tested on the drugs to find side effects.



#### Worldwide

Going worldwide for trials can mean that the drugs being tested are generally good for consumption, but to check other ethnicity or types of people.

