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A Year in Review for EFS

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As we wrap up the 2019 year, I want to thank you for being a subscriber of our new EFS Express! We launched this e-blast in February as a way to provide you with updates on the EFS Site Network Pilot along with educational materials and resources specific to Early Feasibility Studies. Since then we've featured representatives of MDIC, FDA, sites, and sponsors who've contributed to sharing their key takeaways from EFS meetings across the country, ways EFS is evolving, and new resources to use. As we begin to reflect on this past year, we wanted to highlight some of the exciting content we shared through our EFS Express eblast over the past several months:

- A review of [tools and resources](#) MDIC has produced to advance EFS including contracting resources, patient advocacy tools, and the EFS Site Network Pilot
- EFS events across the country and a recap of the content and discussions
- A review of the latest data on EFS performance metrics from MDIC's participating sponsors to see how the landscape has evolved
- Dr. David R. Holmes, Jr. of Mayo Clinic shared his perspective on the evolution of interest in EFS and recapped MDIC's EFS Symposium focused on Implementation Strategies for Early Feasibility Studies
- Chip Hance of Regatta Medical and MDIC Board Member gave a recap of MDIC's first EFS Best Practices Workshop in March
- Dr. Andrew Farb and Dr. Maureen Dreher of FDA provided an update on CDRH's EFS program
- Jaime Walkowiak, JD of Baylor Scott & White Research Institute (BSWRI) gave a recap of an EFS regulatory roundtable cohosted by MDIC and BSWRI

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Happy holidays and we'll see you next year!

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