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Access to high-caliber investigator sites and patients meets your critical milestones

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More than 25 years of experience to overcome your challenges and deliver the support to achieve your goals

In the past five years...
- 800+ oncology trials
- 75 countries
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Competitors

A

B

C

D

Covance

3x

High quality combinable results

80%

70%

60%

50%

40%

30%

20%

10%

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Oncology 6.7%
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