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TUESDAY, March 8 -- The U.S. Food and Drug Administration began a two-day hearing Tuesday to weigh the risks and benefits of those increasingly popular direct-to-consumer genetic tests. These tests, their manufacturers contend, can help predict a person's risk of disease or how someone might respond to a given medication. A panel of FDA advisers will look only at those genetic tests sold directly...

#### Genes May Affect Severity of Drug Addiction

TUESDAY, March 8 -- Treatment for drug addiction is affected by a person's genetic makeup and the duration of substance abuse, U.S. scientists report. A research team at the Brookhaven National Laboratory found that drug addicts who have a certain genetic makeup have lower gray matter density -- and therefore fewer neurons -- in areas of the brain that are important for decision-making,...

#### Brain's Learning Ability Seems to Recharge During Light Slumber

TUESDAY, March 8 -- Your brain's ability to learn may get recharged during the light, dreamless slumber that accounts for up to half of your night's sleep, according to a new study. Researchers at the University of California, Berkeley conducted tests on 44 healthy young adults and found strong evidence that bursts of brain waves called sleep spindles may network between important regions of the...

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#### Vanda Sleep Disorder Drug Getting EU Incentives

From Associated Press (March 8, 2011) ROCKVILLE, Md. -- Vanda Pharmaceuticals Inc. said Tuesday that European Union regulators are giving special incentives to a drug Vanda is developing to treat a sleep disorder that affects blind people. Vanda said its drug candidate tasimelteon received orphan drug status, which comes with potential tax incentives, reduced application fees, and potential...

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IRVINE, Calif.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Mar 8, 2011 - Allergan, Inc. (NYSE: AGN) today announced that its Board of Directors has reappointed David E.I. Pyott as President. Mr. Pyott will also continue to serve Allergan in his current roles as Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer. Mr. Pyott's role as President succeeds the duties performed by F. Michael Ball, who has accepted the position of...

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