



# Unlocking RD&D Potential: An Overview the RD&D Process and Working Session

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# Key characteristics of the R&D process

- Investigative and experimental nature
- Higher tolerance for failure
- Longer time horizons
- Focus on knowledge creation
- Often precedes product development

## Research & Development Process



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# R&D Working Session

# Break Into Groups and Perform Some R&D Work (20 mins)

- ▶ What are some of the most challenging issues you see in your business/operations?
- ▶ What are potential solutions?
- ▶ What are technologies you could leverage?
- ▶ Who are partners you could work with?
- ▶ Spokesperson to report results (5 mins per group).

# Thank You from our NYSEARCH Team

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