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Regulatory Updates – Brazil

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Essential Principles of Safety and Performance of Medical Devices and IVD Medical Devices

- Consolidation of comments/suggestions carried out between the jurisdictions that are part of Mercosur - Argentina, Brazil, Paraguay and Uruguay
- Final text approved by Mercosur in September 2023 – Ready to be incorporated to the MD Brazilian regulatory framework
- Based on IMDRF documents:
 - Essential Principles of Safety and Performance of Medical Devices and IVD Medical Devices (IMDRF/GRRP WG/N47FINAL:2018)

Clinical Investigations Requirements Revision

- Public Consultation took place between 27 October and 27 December 2022 – 8 contributions with 124 comments/suggestions
- Main objectives:
 - Decrease regulatory cost
 - Adoption of definitions converging with ISO 14155:2020
 - Clarification about clinical investigations that must be submitted to Anvisa for approval before the start of study activities
- One of Anvisa's directors requested a review of the regulatory process for greater alignment with regulations applicable to medicines

Requirements for Pre-Market Authorization of Medical Devices

- Resolution RDC 751/2022 effective since March 2023
- Definitions and classification rules updated considering new technologies
- Consolidation with other regulations – MD changes; e-IFU
- Simplification of required administrative documents
- Adoption of the Table of Contents Structure
- Good Regulatory Practices and Regulatory Convergence
- Anvisa has facilitated a series of virtual and in-person seminars focusing on manufacturers and importers

Requirements for Pre-Market Authorization of In Vitro Diagnostic Medical Devices

- Completion of the consolidation of contributions from the public consultation
- Submission of the final text already harmonized in Mercosur for deliberation by the collegiate board of Anvisa
- Definitions and classification rules updated according to IMDRF/IVD WG/N64 FINAL:2021 – Principles of In Vitro Diagnostic (IVD) Medical Devices Classification
- Expect to publish in November 2023
- Effective date will be 180 days after publication

Good Manufacturing Practices of Medical Devices Certifications Dashboard

- GMP Certification Database
- Relevant search criteria
- Geographic distribution views available
- Certification status filters
- Constantly updated (weekly)
- Widely helpful to management
- Dashboard link:

<https://www.gov.br/anvisa/pt-br/setorregulado/certificados-de-boas-praticas/consultar-empresas-certificadas>

The screenshot shows the ANVISA website interface. At the top, there is the 'gov.br' logo and 'Ministério da Saúde'. Below that, the text 'Agência Nacional de Vigilância Sanitária - Anvisa' is displayed. A navigation breadcrumb shows the path: 'Setor Regulado > Certificação de Boas Práticas > Consultar empresas certificadas'. The main heading is 'Consultar empresas certificadas'. Below this, there is a publication date 'Publicado em 17/11/2020 14h09' and an update date 'Atualizado em 22/06/2023 16h04'. A list of certification categories is shown: 'Empresas certificadas - medicamentos', 'Empresas certificadas - insumos farmacêuticos', 'Empresas certificadas - cosméticos e saneantes', and 'Empresas certificadas - produtos para saúde'. A red arrow points to the last category. There is also a social media sharing icon on the right.

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Use of MDSAP Reports by ANVISA

Number of GMP Certificates Issued Based on MDSAP Reports by ANVISA per Year

Year	# GMP Certificates Issued Based on MDSAP Reports (% of total)
2017	38 (4,7%)
2018	107 (19,3%)
2019	374 (48,7%)
2020	544 (49,1%)
2021	529 (51,4%)
2022	621 (59,7%)
2023	412 (62,6%) Until 31 August



Reliance Mechanisms for Pre-Market Authorizations

- Pathway for abridged review of initial submissions
- Normative Instruction for MD and IVD MD under public consultation
 - Public Consultation 1200/2023
 - Open for contributions until 25 October 2023
 - <http://antigo.anvisa.gov.br/consultas-publicas#/visualizar/509352>
- Main objective – Product registration certificates from Equivalent Foreign Regulatory Authorities will be used as a trigger for expedited review
- Initially from the same founding members authorities of MDSAP



2023 Medical Device Single Audit Program Forum

- Brasília, Brazil – 23rd to 27th October 2023
- Representatives from:
 - Regulatory Authorities
 - MDSAP Auditing Organizations
 - Trade organizations and device manufacturers



Thank you/Questions

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