

ICH Initiatives: M4Q(r2)/Q12/M11 and Global Harmonization; Impacts to Regulatory Submissions

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Meet the Speaker

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Brooke is recognized for her key collaborations with Sponsor Companies, Health Authorities, and Technology Developers. She focuses on leveraging innovative technologies to drive regulatory advancements, optimize processes, and enhance global go-to-market strategies and data harmonization. Honored as one of PharmaVoice's top 100 most inspiring individuals for her mentorship and team development, she also received the prestigious Excellence in Service award from DIA. As co-chair of the DIA RA Community, Brooke plays a vital role in shaping the conversation around data and technology in regulatory affairs.



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International Council on Harmonisation (ICH)

ICH M4Q(R2) – CTD Quality

ICH M11 – Clinical Electronic Structured Harmonised Protocol (CeSHarP)



ICH Q12 – Quality Product lifecycle management

MEMBERS Regulatory Authorities (FDA, EMA, PMDA) Industry Associations (PhRMA) Observers (WHO)

ICH E2B(R3) – Electronic Transmission of ICSRs



ICH M4 – Common Technical Document



ICH M4Q (r2)

- Expanded scope from M4Q(r1) to include all drug substances and products Small Molecule/Chemical and Biologics.
- Effort to globalize standardization of the structure of Quality Information for access, analysis, and knowledge management
- Alignment to currently recognized international standards and guidelines as applicable (IDMP)
- Addressing key elements of the pharmaceutical product:
 - Quality Target Product Profile (QTPP)
 - Manufacturing process
 - Overall Control Strategy
 - Quality by Design Principals (QbD)
- Enhancements and alignment to QOS (Quality overall Summary) M2



ICH Q12

- Effort to globalize a harmonized approach to Post-Approval Changes (PQ/CMC-PAC:PAC Reliance)
- Established Conditions (EC) parameters for post-approval changes to ensure products quality, safety, and/or efficacy is not compromised
- Quality Risk Based Development and Product Lifecycle Management From Development through Commercialization



ICH M11 – Clinical Electronic Structured Harmonized Protocol (CeSHarP)

- Harmonized Effort Across Clinical Trial Protocols
- Applicable for Global Submissions one to many vs. many to many
- Allows for Collaborative input/review across stakeholders





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Cloud Collaboration - Opportunities

Sponsor to Health Authority Collaboration during Product Review Cycle (e.g. Reliance Programs) Sponsor to Sponsor/ Sponsor to Partners/ Sponsor to CRO Collaboration during Product Development

HQ to in-Country Affiliate Collaboration for Global Product Management (e.g. Labeling Changes)

M&A Collaboration activities for Product Acquisitions and Divestitures Applicable Resourcing for Real World Evidence (RWE) accelerated submission programs

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Adoption of Data Standards and Global Harmonization





Benefits

- Facilitate Innovation
- Globalized Approach to Product Data Management and Regulations
- Risk-Based Approach to Product Design and Changes
- Reduced dependency on large number of resources for laborious tasks
- Increased Knowledge Management and Analytics (RWE/RWD)
- Improved Communication across Partners/Affiliates/Co-Development
- Real Time Communication across Health Authorities Reduced Redundancy
- Better Life Cycle Management
- Reduced Time to Global Market Reduced Cost

What can you do.....

- Participation in collaborative programs
 - Consortiums (CDISC, ISPE, PhRMA, CASSS, HL7)
- Be a Proponent for Progress
- Support Knowledge Exchange Spread Awareness
- Data Readiness and Preparedness within your Organization
- Early Communication with Regulators
- Consideration for People, Process, Data, and how technology fits Enterprise Ontologies





Questions



Thank You!

