

Qualified Person Responsible for Pharmacovigilance (QPPV)

Key activities of EU QPPVs

1 Oversight of quality system and single point of contact

- Responsible for all EU QPPV activities listed in Pharmacovigilance system master file, including acting as a 24-hour contact point
- Management of Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) and quality systems
- Responding in a timely and accurate manner to requests from EMA/PRAC/Authorities
- Having an overview of MAH's medicinal product safety profiles and any emerging safety concerns

2 Global safety database

- Overview of validation status of the database
- Overview of Individual Case Safety Reports (ICSRs)

3 Exchange of safety data/information to MAH

- On receipt of any safety reports, sending information on to the MAH pharmacovigilance team within one working day

4 Reconciliation/compliance between parties

- Providing reconciliation every six months, and ensuring monthly compliance on an ongoing basis

5 PSURs

- Review and approval of Periodic Safety Update Reports (PSURs) and Addendum to the Clinical Overview (ACOs) prior to submission to regulatory authorities

6 Reference safety documents

- Retaining permanent access to the most up-to-date Reference Product Information (RPI) & applicable Summary of Product Characteristics (SmPCs)
- Quarterly review of safety variation trackers or urgent safety restrictions

7 XEVMPD maintenance

- Providing relevant support and training for XEVMPD maintenance

8 Medical information and product complaints

- On receipt of any quality complaints, sharing information with the MAH within one working day
- Overview of medical information system

9 Signal Management

- Part of Validating all signals
- Part of an ad-hoc joint safety review committee meeting with safety and regulatory representatives

10 Risk Management System

- Review and approval of Risk Management Plan (RMP)

11 Pharmacovigilance system master file

- Authority over Pharmacovigilance system master file
- Acting as notification point of contact for changes to the PSMF

12 Document retention and training

- Ensuring proper archival arrangements are available with the MAH
- Ensuring appropriate training to the PV team as and when needed

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