

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT MDSAP



Which countries and regulators are involved? Which regulations are applicable?



TGA

TG(MD)R Sch 3



Health Canada

SOR/98-282



MHLW

Ordinance 169



FDA

21 CFR Part 820



ANVISA

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What is the audit approach and the scope of the audit?



The regulatory approach is ISO 13485 + requirements of the five countries. Instead of multiple audits and inspections, one MDSAP audit will cover all Quality Management System requirements. Saving time and money.

The audit covers:



Management



Analysis
Improvement



Design and
Development



Marketing and
Facility Authorization



Measurement



Production and
Service Controls



Purchasing



Adverse Events
and Advisory Notice
Reporting



Which sites require their own audit?

Each site involved in the product life cycle. For example...



Medical device designer



Manufacturer

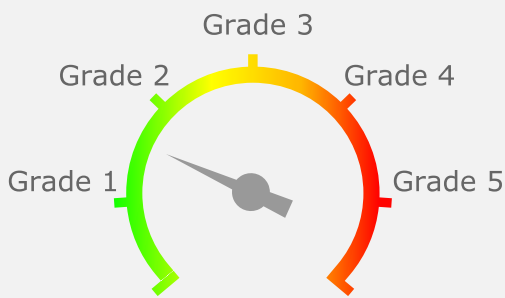


Distributor

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How does MDSAP grade non-conformities?



- The higher is the risk associated with non-conformity, the higher is the grade of the nonconformity.
- Lack of procedure the failure resulting in placing noncompliant products on the market adds 1 point to the non-conformity grade.
- One grade 5 or two grade 4 non-conformities trigger additional requirements for the follow-up



What does the MDSAP audit process look like?



Should MDSAP-conform medical devices be approved in each separate country?



Yes. Before medical devices are marketed, specific approval on a country-by-country basis is still required.