



IMDRF International Medical
Device Regulators Forum

Integrating Device Registries, UDI and Innovative Tools for Medical Device Evaluation

**An Update to the IMDRF Management Committee
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Scope

- Evaluate, compare & contrast current approaches to international data models in different device areas:
 - ICOR (orthopedics)
 - TVT (cardiovascular)
- Generate essential principles document(s) for international collaboration & data sharing related to:
 - Data access, security, governance, informatics and related issues
 - Analytic methodologies for safety signal detection, device effectiveness & reliability
- Complete proposal in two stages:
 - Essential principles of data linkage for regulatory convergence (Stage 1)
 - Essential principles of analytic methodologies for device evaluation (Stage 2)



Update

- IMDRF Registry Working Group (Main Group)
 - Regulators
 - Industry
 - Academia
 - Professional Associations
 - Registries
- MDEpiNet Mirror Working Group
 - Broad representation from international multi-stakeholders



Subgroup 1

- Vision/context
 - Scientific (methodology, infrastructure)
 - Levels (active surveillance, evidence synthesis, regulatory research)
 - Policy (decision making)
 - Catalogue of the efforts have been successful/assessment
 - Cardiovascular
 - Orthopedics
 - Best practices
- Gaps (assessment/prioritization)



Subgroup 2

- Data access
- Data security
- Data quality
- Informatics formats



Subgroup 3

- Linkage of electronic patient, device and outcome data sources
- Confidentiality
- Transparency
- Governance
- Other aspects



MDEpiNet Mirror Group

- Support the Main Group
- Ensure broad stakeholder input
- Address specific questions
- Provide the review and comments



Other updates

- Updated Working Group directory
- Created Collaborative Share point space maintained by the MDEpiNet Coordinating Center
- Created an outline of the report
- Planning face to face mtg in Tokyo
 - April 20-23