

Step by step through Medical Device Law

Requirements for Germany and Europe

Topics

- European and German framework in Medical Device Law
- Clinical investigation and clinical trial
- Marketing and distribution of medical devices
- Rights and duties of the competent authorities
- Liability and compliance

**The framework essentials
compactly in one day - also
for non-legal professionals!**

Your speakers



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Aims and objectives

This intensive course explains in an understandable way the legal framework of the development and marketing of medical devices for non legal practitioners.

You will be familiar with the determining factors for the entire product lifecycle of a medical device:

- Which laws apply to a clinical trial?
- Which forms of advertising are permitted?
- Under which circumstances is the manufacturer liable? And when is the user?

Moreover, two experts will give you advice on the legal innovations of the 4th German Medical Device Act (MPG) and the associated new requirements for manufacturers in Europe.

Furthermore you will be provided with information on the broader significance of the German Federal Institute for Drugs and Medical Devices (BfArM) as the authority for medical devices in Germany.

Seminar language

The seminar language will be English. It is also possible to pose questions in German.

Your speakers

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Limited number of attendees

Please take note that this seminar is restricted to 20 participants. This limitation, a feature of all FORUM seminars, will give participants the opportunity for a thorough discussion of the complex issues to be covered by the programme.

Who should attend

This seminar will be of benefit to all co-workers of the pharmaceutical and medical device industry, especially from the following departments:

- Legal
- Regulatory Affairs
- Clinical Research
- Quality Management
- Marketing

This seminar will be addressed to new staff members in these fields of work but it is also a very good refresher course for co-operators with first experiences.

Programme 9.00 a.m. - 5.00 p.m.

> 9.00

European framework in medical device law

Dr. Ekkehard Stöblein

- New approach review
- European framework: significance of the CE mark, MEDDEV, Notified Bodies recommendations, etc.

> 10.00

German medical device law

Michael Wimmer

- Amendment of the German Medical Device Act
- Definition of medical device and demarcation between medical devices and pharmaceuticals or cosmetics
- Classification and conformity assessment

> 10.45 Coffee break

> 11.00

Clinical investigation and clinical trial - the legal framework

Michael Wimmer

- Notification requirements
- Voting of the ethics committee
- Requirements before and duties during the clinical trial
- Exemptions to clinical trials

> 12.15 Lunch

> 13.45

Marketing and distribution of medical devices

Michael Wimmer

- Distribution channels, distribution agreements and sales representative agreements
- Advertising for medical devices
- Operation of medical devices
- Legal framework for reimbursement

> 14.45

Market surveillance: rights and duties of the competent authorities

Dr. Ekkehard Stöblein

- Competent authorities in Europe and their duties
- Quality assurance of the medical device market surveillance

> 15.30 Coffee break

> 15.45

Vigilance (monitoring and reporting system)

Dr. Ekkehard Stöblein

- Basics of the vigilance system
- Risk assessment by the higher federal authorities
- Risk management by the competent authorities

> 16.30

Liability and compliance

Michael Wimmer

- Liability of manufacturers and users
- Compliance (cooperation industry and medical facilities)

> 17.00 End of seminar

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I am gladly at your disposal should
you have any further questions
about the seminar.

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