Packaging & Labelling in Pharmaceutical Industry

International standards and regional perspectives on medicinal packaging & labelling (P&L)

The roles of P&L in mitigating drug supply chain risks

Key elements of successful track-and-trace and drug anticounterfeiting systems

Important guidelines in drug packaging, storage, handling & transportation

Important guidelines in drug labelling and artwork

Key considerations in maintaining a GMP-compliant artwork process

Practical strategies for maximising patient adherence through P&L processes

Practical case studies: OTC, biosimilars, combination products, API products and others

Approaches for resourcing and auditing P&L suppliers

Technological advances and applications in P&L

Potential legal issues pertaining to labelling violations, contamination, recalls, marketing, medical affairs and more

Key Learning Outcomes & Case Studies Include

Dr. Salma Michor (PhD, MSc, MBA, CMgr, RAC-Treasurer), CEO, Michor Consulting

Salma has advised hundreds of global clients across Health and Food industries, including J&J, Novartis, Pfizer, Baxter, BSI, Shire. She is an independent expert to the European Commission, a member of the RAPS Board of Directors and a lecturer at Denube University Krems (Austria). Salma is recognised for her expertise in Clinical Project Strategies, Medicinal Products’ Regulatory Affairs, Labelling & Packaging, Quality & Risk Management and Pharma Business Leadership.

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Hardware/Software Requirements

- Desktop or mobile device manufactured no earlier than 2016
- WiFi Connection, Cable or Fibre Broadband with minimum 1 Mbps of bandwidth available
- A USB headset with microphone, or a microphone and speakers built into your device

About the Course

Packaging, labelling (P&L) & artwork processes play significant roles in maintaining medicinal products’ quality, promoting safe use, patient adherence and responsible distribution. With various risks threatening drug supply chain integrity (drug traceability, counterfeiting, medication errors, supply shortage), regulatory guidance and compliance technologies governing the P&L procedures across jurisdictions are transforming and becoming increasingly sophisticated.

This masterclass offers global insights into and practical guidelines for ensuring P&L compliance throughout manufacturing, artwork, drug registration and distribution processes. Attendees will revise important global & regional regulations relating to P&L, how GMP-compliant artwork processes & technologies maximise drug supply chain integrity as well as disputes related to drug P&L quality. Case studies including OTC, Biosimilars, Combination products, APIs will also be examined in detail to offer attendees practical case studies in real-world setting.

Course Director

Dr. Salma Michor
(PhD, MSc, MBA, CMgr, RAC-Treasurer), CEO, Michor Consulting

Salma has advised numerous clients across Pharmaceutical, Medical and Food industries, including J&J, Novartis, Pfizer, Shire and many more. Her specialities are:

- Technical leadership across 4 departments: Regulatory Affairs and Compliance; Medical and Vigilance; Change Control and Life Cycle Management; Packaging and Pharmaceutical Editing
- Forming clinical and registration strategies for medicinal products (combination, generics)
- Consolidation of Multi-language labelling texts for pharmaceutical products and medical devices
- Labelling compliance for medicinal products and food supplement
- Managing large company-wide compliance projects (CAPA, GMP, ISO, FDA etc)
- Preparing companies in 3rd countries for EMA, MHRA and AGES inspections and managing the whole biotech registration and clinical testing in the EU
- Post-acquisition phase-out and closedown after M&As

What Past Participants Said

“The programme includes good overview information on pharma strategies across the ASEAN region. I enjoyed the global drug trends discussion” Shahnar Sulaiman, Deputy Operations Director, Pharmaniaga Manufacturing Berhad

“I Instructor makes a complicated topic easier to understand. Great interaction with participants to discuss about projects, initiatives & market access” Christy Oi, Regional Financial Controller, IPSEN Pharma Singapore
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• Module Commencement: 1:30pm (SGT)
• Module Conclusion: 5:30pm (SGT)

Timing is based in Singapore Time (GMT+8) unless otherwise stated. These timing schedules act as a guide and may be modified slightly on the depth of class discussion and whether assessments are being conducted.

4-Module Course Syllabus

MODULE 1
GUIDELINES IN MEDICINAL PACKAGING, LABELLING & ADVERTISING
• International standards (ISO, GMP, GDP)
• EMA/CHMP and FDA perspectives
• EU practices on SmPC, package leaflets and product labelling
• Falsified Medicines Directive (FMD) Compliance and potential applications in ASEAN
• ASEAN harmonised labelling requirements and country-specific regulatory updates
• Private labelling law

DRUG SUPPLY CHAIN RISKS
• Drug supply chain integrity and control
• Traceability, counterfeit & drug supply shortage
• Facilitated medicines in Southeast Asia
• Adverse drug events and medication errors

ANTI-COUNTERFEITING AND SUPPLY CHAIN VISIBILITY
• Serialisation of Pharma Folding Cartons & Track-and-trace solutions
• Countries’ regulation of process compliance
• Key elements of a successful track-and-trace system
• System validation, security, handling and maintenance

MODULE 2
LABELLING & ARTWORK GUIDELINES
• Creation of labelling from SmPC
  • Labels, PIL, label-leaflet variants, Patient package inserts’ (Pis) replacement and supplement
  • Difference between Generics/Rx/OTC labelling
• Concept of readability and guidelines of readability testing
• Serialisation requirements
• Specific requirements
  • Formatting, quality, material, braille, symbols, multilanguage, storage information
  • Labelling in foreign countries

PACKAGING, STORAGE & HANDLING GUIDELINES
• Creation of package
  • Primary, secondary & tertiary packaging
• Packaging component specifications, materials, folds, carton, blisters
• ISO 15378:2017, ISO 21976:2018
• Specific requirements
  • Safety, manufacturing efficiency, eco-conscious
• Codes and verification of codes on packaging equipment
• Mitigating damage in the supply chain
  • Breakage, spillage, sterility, impermeability, contaminationproofing, temperature range

IMPLEMENTING A GMP-COMPLIANT ARTWORK PROCESS
• Packaging & labeling errors
• Artwork lifecycle workflow
• Content control and recordkeeping
• SOPs and Change Control considerations
• Minor and major variations submissions/reply to deficiency letters

CASE STUDIES: OTC LABELLING & PACKAGING
• Self-medication and safety issues
• Inconsistency and variability issues

MODULE 3
PROMOTING PATIENT ADHERENCE THROUGH LABELLING & PACKAGING STRATEGIES
• Data-driven insights on patient adherence
• Key barriers and factors influencing adherence
• Adherence packaging for patient compliance
• Multimed packaging
• Medication therapy management best practices
• Patient-centred prescription drug label

CASE STUDIES: NAMING, LABELLING FOR BIOSIMILARS
• New FDA guideline
• Documentation on immediate plastic packaging
• Types of administration
• Dosage forms
• Labelling requirements:
  • Unique device identification
  • Instructions for use
• Design reviews, verification, validation, document input/output data

AUDITING PACKAGING & LABELLING SUPPLIERS
• Product quality, specification, cost & security of supply
• ISO testing standards
• Delivery time and speed-to-market considerations
• Technical and quality agreement (TQA), Service level agreement (SLA)
• Flexible resourcing approach

CASE STUDY: PACKAGING OF COMBINATION PRODUCTS AND MEDICAL DEVICES

MODULE 4
MATERIALS, PACKAGING, STORAGE & HANDLING OF APIs
• New FDA guidance on APIs packaging, repackaging, labeling & distribution

TECHNOLOGIES IN PACKAGING & LABELLING
• Anti-counterfeiting
  • e-labels, self-destructive labels
  • Secure & Sustainable packaging
  • Biodegradable packaging
  • Pre-fillable syringes
  • Smart packaging sensors
• Labeling & artworks
  • DNA authentication sensors
  • Ink technology
  • RFID tags
• Tamper-evident technology
• Nanotechnologies & plastics
• Blockchain

LEGAL ISSUES SURROUNDING THE ASIAN REGIONS
• Contamination issues
• Labeling violations
• Statutory warnings
• Unapproved prescription drugs
• Recalls

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