

DAS

Diploma of Advanced Studies
Diplôme de formation continue

Management of Clinical Trials Good Clinical Practice Implementation and Quality Processes

September 2024 – May 2025





Course Programme on Medical Devices (18th - 19th March 2025)

Module 11: Medical Devices

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Dates of the module: 18th - 19th March 2025. To register for this module only, please contact: das-mas-clinical@unige.ch or [register online](#).

Aim / Goal: *The aim of this module is to introduce learners to the fundamentals of medical device regulations and clinical investigations.*

Learning objectives: *Participants will gain insights into the newly implemented European Medical Device Regulations and the legislative changes in the Swiss Medical Device Ordinance. They will acquire both knowledge and practical experience in risk management and the clinical evaluation of medical devices.*

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Key topics:

- Medical devices (MD), new EU regulations (MDR, IVDR, CDx)
- Qualification and classification
- Clinical investigation and clinical trial application to authorities
- Market access strategy
- Conformity assessment and CE marking
- Materiovigilance
- Digital health and medical software
- Combination products (drug devices)

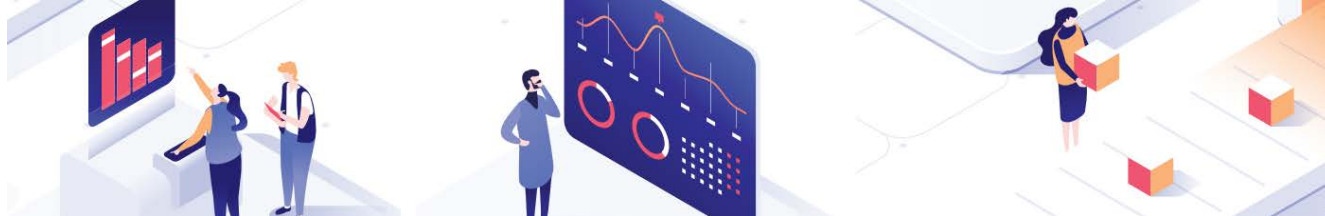
Learning method: *Lectures and workshops*

Evaluation method: *Multiple-Choice Questions (MCQs)*

Supporting documents: *Refer to list of study programme refs on Moodle.*

Number of speakers: 9

Number of ECTS: 1



DAY 1			
08h30-08h45	Introduction: Modules and speakers.	Intro	MDM
08h45-09h30	Topic 1 - Medical Devices: Definition, product-life cycle overview classification & registration in EU.	Lecture	MG
09h30-10h15	Topic 2 - Pre-clinical development of medical devices	Lecture	CL
Break			
10h30-11h30	Topic 3 - MD registration: Clinical Development	Lecture	MG
11h30-12h30	Topic 4: Market Access, incl. Feasibility analysis - etc.	Lecture	CL
Lunch Break			
13h30- 14h15	Topic 5: MDR - Regulation (EU) 2017/745 - annex XV and new Swiss regulations	Lecture	MDM
14h15-15h15	Topic 6: ISO 14971:2019 and Medical Device Risk Management	Lecture	MA
Break			
15h30-16h30	Workshop 1: Risk management - Interactive simulation	Workshop	MA
16h30-17h30	Topic 7: Safety reporting in clinical investigations and guidance documents: MDCG 2020-10/1 and MDCG 2020-10/2	Lecture	FT

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Day 2			
08h15-09h30	Topic 8: Medical Software and Digital Health Regulation: Qualification and Classification.	Lecture	GA
09h30-10h15	Workshop 2: Case law and study	Workshop	GA
Break			
10h30-12h15	Topic 9: Regulatory Nuances and Clinical Study Approaches for Combination Products: Pathways to Clinical Development and Market Authorization	Lecture	RP
Lunch Break			
13h15-15h15	Workshop 3: Clinical Evaluation – interactive simulation	Workshop	AL
Break			
15h30-16h15	Topic 10: IVDR overview regulation and Companion Diagnostics (CDx).	Lecture	DF
16h15-17h00	Case studies: Real life examples developing and using IVD & Companion diagnostics devices	Discussion	DF

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Module 11 Speakers

AL	Andrea Lopes , Confinis AG
CL	Corinne Lebourgeois , MedC. Partners
FT	Fabiana Tirone , Clinical Trial Materio/Pharmacovigilance Vigilance, HUG
DF	Didier Falconnet , Medical Devices & IVD Product Development expert
GA	Gabriel Avigdor , Attorney-at-law & Legal Director
MA	Markus Angst , Regulatory and tech consultant, ISS AG
MDM	Mariagrazia Di Marco , Regulatory affairs specialist, CTU, HUG
MG	Marie Gaumet , Managing Director, SwAPP
RP	Rima Padovani , Director, Quality & Regulatory Affairs

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