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Transferring a veterinary marketing authorisation (MA)

Choosing the implementation date

MA transfer | **Transitional period (6 months max)**

Day A: Reception of a valid application

- The **transferor is responsible** for the **released** batches

Day B: Notification of EC Decision
The Transferee becomes the new marketing authorisation holder (MAH) and the product contact of EMA for further regulatory activity.

- The new MAH (**transferee**) **is responsible for all released batches**.
- The transferee **can start releasing batches** bearing the name of the new MAH.
- The **transferor can release batches** bearing the name of the previous MAH.
- The obligation to report annually on the product sales will fall under the responsibility of the transferee. The transferor would have to provide sales data concerning the batches they released to the transferee.

Day C: Implementation day
The Transferee takes over ALL organisation activities as MAH

- Only the new MAH can release batches on the market.
- The transferor would have to provide to the transferee the sales data concerning the batches they released, until the shelf-life of those batches expires or until they are no longer being marketed for whatever other reason.

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