

14 October 2016 EMA/CHMP/676249/2016 Inspections, Human Medicines Pharmacovigilance and Committees Division

Committee for medicinal products for human use (CHMP)

ORGAM¹ Minutes for the meeting on 3 October 2016

Chair: Tomas Salmonson - Vice-Chair: Pierre Demolis

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¹ The CHMP ORGAM is a meeting to discuss CHMP organisational matters. It is a virtual meeting, which usually takes place on Monday before the CHMP Plenary meeting. CHMP members, working party chairs and national experts together with EMA staff are participating in this forum. Depending on the nature of the issue and availability of documents and experts some ORGAM topics can be discussed at the CHMP Plenary. Please note that the ORGAM meeting is not taking place every month.



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1. Agenda and Minutes

1.1. Welcome and declarations of interest of members, alternates and experts

1.2. Adoption of agenda

CHMP ORGAM agenda for October 2016 meeting was adopted

1.3. Adoption of the minutes

CHMP Orgam Minutes for October 2016 meeting were adopted at the October 2016 CHMP plenary

2. Working Parties, Committees, SAGs and Drafting Groups

2.1. General

2.1.1. Safety Working Party (SWP)

Chair: Jan Willem Van der Laan / Sonja Beken,

No items

2.1.2. Quality Working Party (QWP)

Chair: Jean-Louis Robert

Minutes of QWP Core team held by Adobe connect on 13 July 2016 (EMA/460554/2016) and 7 September 2016 (EMA/577712/2016)

Action: For information

The CHMP noted the minutes.

Final agendas of QWP meeting and joint GMDP IWG/ QWP meeting held face-to-face on 19 - 21 September 2016

Action: For information

The CHMP noted the agendas.

Final meeting minutes of QWP meeting held face-to-face on 31 May – 2 June 2016

Action: For information

The CHMP noted the minutes.

Organisation of Break-out-Session on 'Co-processed excipients' (Dec QWP meeting) with the Excipients Performance WP (EDQM)

Action: For information

The CHMP noted the information.

Nomination of Diana van Riet (NL QWP member) as speaker at 'PQRI/USP Workshop on Implementation Status of ICH Q3D Elemental Impurity Requirements - Analytical and Risk Assessment Challenges'

Action: For adoption

The CHMP appointed Diana van Riet (NL QWP member) as speaker at 'PQRI/USP Workshop on Implementation Status of ICH Q3D Elemental Impurity Requirements - Analytical and Risk Assessment Challenges'

2.1.3. Scientific Advice Working Party (SAWP)

Chair: Robert Hemmings

No items

2.1.4. European Medicines Agency Human Scientific Committees' Working Party with Patients' and Consumers' Organisations (PCWP)

Co-chair: David Haerry

No items

2.1.5. European Medicines Agency Human Scientific Committees' Working Party with Healthcare Professionals' Organisations (HCPWP)

Co-chair: Gonzalo Calvo

No items

2.1.6. Geriatric Expert Group (GEG)

Chair: Niccolo Marchionni

No items

2.1.7. Committees

Final CAT's Minutes of the meeting held on 8 - 9 September 2016

Action: For information

The CHMP noted the Minutes.

CHMP Chairman Tomas Salmonson attending the pre-ICDRA and ICDRA conference in Cape-Town South-Africa, 27 November - 02 December 2016

Action: For adoption

The CHMP noted the participation of Tomas Salmonson at the pre-ICDRA and ICDRA conference in Cape-Town South-Africa, 27 November - 02 December 2016

Election of CHMP Vice-chair

The election of the CHMP Vice-chair will take place on 12 October 2016 during the CHMP Plenary.

Candidates should declare their interest by circulating a letter, indicating their intention to stand, together with a motivation for so doing by 17.00 hours UK time, October 7th 2016.

Action: For information

The CHMP noted the information.

2.1.8. International Council on Harmonisation (ICH)

No items

2.1.9. Joint CVMP/CHMP ad-hoc expert group on the application of the 3Rs (replacement, reduction and refinement) in the regulatory testing of medicinal products (JEG 3Rs)

Chair: Sonja Beken/ Ellen-Margrethe Vestergaard

No items

2.1.10. Joint CHMP/CVMP/CMDh/CMDv Working Group on Active Substance Master File Procedures (ASMF WG)

Chair: Nienke Rodenhuis

No items

2.1.11. Joint CVMP-CHMP antimicrobial advice ad hoc expert group (AMEG)

No items

2.2. Biologicals

2.2.1. Biosimilar Medicinal Product Working Party (BMWP)

Chair: Martina Weise (acting)

Draft Agenda of BMWP meeting to be held face-to-face on 18-19 October 2016

Action: For information

The CHMP noted the agenda.

Call for nomination of a new core member following resignation of Christian Schneider (UK)

Action: For adoption

Nominations received

· Current membership list

The CHMP noted the information. The 10th member will be appointed during the Plenary.

Election of BMWP chair

The election of the chair has been put on hold during September in order to first appoint the 10th member. The chair election will take place at the October Plenary. Any additional nominations to already those submitted should be sent _until 5 October 2016.

The CHMP noted the information. The elections will take place during the October Plenary.

2.2.2. Biologics Working Party (BWP)

Chair: Sol Ruiz/Nanna Aaby Kruse, Ilona Reischl

Draft agenda for BWP face-to-face meeting to be held on 3-5 October 2016 (EMA/CHMP/BWP/518729/2016)

Action: For information

The CHMP noted the agenda.

Final minutes from face-to-face meeting held on 11-13 July 2016

(EMA/CHMP/BWP/485124/2016)

Action: For information

The CHMP noted the minutes.

CHMP position statement on quality and safety assessment for the Plasma Master File (PMF) certification with regards to donor deferral criteria for risk behaviour (EMA/CHMP/434217/2016);

PLUS Letter (EMA/434395/2016)

Action: For discussion

CHMP comments should be sent by 24 October 2016

The CHMP was introduced to the topic of different donor deferral criteria for risk behaviour with regards to quality and safety assessment for the Plasma Master File (PMF) certification.

The CHMP noted the letter from the PLUS Platform of Plasma Protein Users on the topic.

The CHMP members were asked for initial comments on the provided draft position statement, before further circulation of the position statement for comments.

Agenda for assessor training on biosimilars to be held 17-18 November 2016

Action: For information

The training will be held at EMA on 17-18 November 2016. Webinar participation will also be available. Participants would be assessors from the EU Network & International regulators. The training will cover quality, non-clinical and clinical aspects. It was also highlighted that pharmacokinetic aspects should be addressed. The CHMP noted the information.

2.2.3. Vaccines Working Party (VWP)

Chair: TBA

VWP/IDWP Concept paper on preparation of a guideline on the evaluation of medicinal products indicated for the treatment and prophylaxis of respiratory syncytial virus (RSV) infection (EMA/CHMP/360458/2016)

Action: For adoption and release for 3 months public consultation

There is no CHMP guidance available for agents intended to treat or prevent RSV disease. In recent requests for scientific advice on the development of new agents intended for the treatment and/or prophylaxis of RSV several issues have often emerged as being central to development programmes.

The CHMP adopted the concept paper for 3-months public consultation.

Overview of comments received on 'Draft guideline on influenza vaccines: non-clinical and clinical module' (EMA/CHMP/VWP/457259/2014)

Action: For information

The CHMP noted the overview of comments.

Election of VWP chair person

The election of the VWP chair person will take place at the October CHMP Plenary.

Action: For information

The CHMP noted the information.

2.2.4. Blood Products Working Party (BPWP)

Chair: Anneliese Hilger

No items

2.2.5. Pharmacogenomics Working Party (PGWP)

Chair: Krishna Prasad/Markus Paulmichl

Draft agenda – of the face to face meeting to be held on 17-18 October 2016 (EMA/536975/2016)

Action: For information

The CHMP noted the draft agenda.

Programme of the EMA expert meeting on the *Good Pharmacogenomic Practices* draft guideline: comments from the public consultation and impact of ICH 18 *Genomic Sampling and Data Management* (EMA/420311/2016)

Action: For information

The CHMP noted the information.

2.3. Therapeutics

2.3.1. Cardiovascular Working Party (CVSWP)

Chair: Pieter de Graeff/Kristina Dunder

No items

2.3.2. Central Nervous System Working Party (CNSWP)

Chair: Karl Broich

Concept paper on the need for revision of the guideline on clinical investigation of medicinal product for the treatment of migraine (EMA/179671/2016)

Action: For adoption

Postponed to October Plenary.

2.3.3. Infectious Diseases Working Party (IDWP)

Chair: Anders Lignell/ Maria Jesus Fernandez Cortizo

Draft agenda of IDWP meeting to be held face-to-face on 24-25 November 2016

Action: For information

The CHMP noted the agenda.

Final minutes of IDWP meeting held face-to-face on 18-19 April 2016 (EMA/301460/2016)

Action: For information

The CHMP noted the minutes.

2.3.4. Oncology Working Party

Chair: Pierre Demolis

Nomination of new additional assessor (observer)

Action: For adoption

· Current membership list

The CHMP nominated Paula Boudewina van Hennik as the new additional assessor (observer).

2.3.5. Pharmacokinetics Working Party (PKWP)

Chair: Jan Welink/Alfredo Garcia-Arieta

No items

2.3.6. Biostatistics Working Party (BSWP)

Chair: Thomas Lang (acting)

Final minutes of BSWP meeting held by teleconference on 14 June 2016 (EMA/412999/2016)

Action: For information

The CHMP noted the minutes.

Draft agenda of BSWP meeting to be held face-to-face on 29-30 September 2016 (EMA/502792/2016)

Action: For information

The CHMP noted the agenda.

Call for nomination of a new core member following resignation of David Jonathan Wright (UK)

Action: For information

Expertise sought: professionally qualified senior assessor within the European regulatory network, with relevant expertise in the field of biostatistics.

Nominations should be sent by 15 October 2016.

Appointment is going to take place at the November 2016 CHMP Plenary meeting.

The CHMP noted the information.

Nomination of new observers:

Benjamin Hofner and Per Fuglerud

Action: For adoption

· Current membership list

The CHMP nominated the new observers Benjamin Hofner and Per Fuglerud.

2.3.7. Rheumatology/Immunology Working Party (RIWP)

Chair: Jan Mueller-Berghaus

Draft minutes of the TC held on 12 May 2016 (EMA/336973/2016)

Action: For information

The CHMP noted the minutes.

Election of RIWP chair person

Nominations, along with a short statement in support of candidature, should be sent by

Friday 7 October 2016.

Action: For information

The CHMP noted the information.

2.3.8. Scientific Advisory Groups (SAGs)

No items

2.3.9. Drafting Groups (DGs)

2.3.9.1. Gastroenterology Drafting Group (GDG)

Chair: Elmer Schabel

No items

2.3.9.2. Respiratory Drafting Group (RDG)

Chair: Karolina Törneke

Respiratory Drafting Group letter to CHMP and PDCO - Request for advice on how to address issues related to therapeutic equivalence for orally inhaled products for children

Action: For discussion

The CHMP noted the letter to CHMP and PDCO.

It was agreed that further discussions should be held. Furthermore small drafting group should be formed.

2.3.9.3. Radiopharmaceutical Drafting Group (RadDG)

Chair: Anabel Cortes

Guideline on core SmPC and Package Leaflet for nanocolloidal technetium (99mTc) albumin

Action: For adoption

Postponed to October Plenary.

Guideline on core SmPC and Package Leaflet for sodium iodide (131 l) therapy capsule

Action: For adoption and release for 4 months public consultation

Postponed to October Plenary.

2.3.9.4. Excipients Drafting Group

Chair: Dominique Masset

No items

2.3.10. Additional agenda points

2.3.10.1. Innovation Task Force

No items

2.3.10.2. Guideline Consistency Group (GCG)

Chair: Barbara van Zwieten-Boot

No items

2.3.10.3. IPRF Nano Working Group

Chair: Harald Enzmann / Jean Louis Robert

Agenda of the 4th TC on the IPRF Nano Working Group to be held on 28 September 2016

Action: For information

The CHMP noted the information.

3. Organisational, regulatory and methodological matters

3.1. Regulatory Issues / new legislation

No items

3.2. Meeting organisation / templates

No items

3.3. Pharmacovigilance

No items

4. Any Other Business

No items

5. List of participants

CHMP Chairman:
Tomas Salmonson
CHMP Members:
Andrea Laslop)
Greg Markey
Harald Enzmann
Ines Baotic
Jean-Louis Robert
Johann Lodewijk Hillege
Koenraad Norga
Kristina Dunder
Outi Mäki-Ikola
Pierre Demolis (Vice-Chair)
Robert James Hemmings
CHMP Alternate Members:
Milena Stain
Nithyanandan Nagercoil
Bjorg Bolstad
Fátima Ventura
Melinda Sobor
Natalja Karpova
Experts:
Eva M Lindberg
Karolina Törneke
Mair Powell
Maria Escudero Galindo
Theis Moeslund Jensen
Valerie Lescrainier
Meeting was run with support from the relevant EMA staff