

WORKSHOP or INTERACTIVE DISCUSSION on Good Reconstitution Practices

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Nothing to disclose

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workshop



Please appoint a chair in your group and a secretary who will present the results as a brief plenary.

- Start by reading the Resolution CM/Res(2016)2 on good reconstitution practices in health care establishments for medicinal products for parenteral use. (10 min)
- Start a discussion on the following subjects:



Group A.

Describe the highlights of a procedure to implement good reconstitution practices for a general hospital of a certain European country. Consider:

- the goals to be achieved,
- the manpower required and
- the expected timeframe.



Group B

Describe the highlights of a procedure to implement good reconstitution practices for a general hospital of a certain European country:

- Define prerequisites for the implementation of good reconstitution practices.
- Define minimum requirements for reconstitution in clinical areas of the chosen hospital



Group C

Describe the role of a designated person for good reconstitution practices. Consider:

- a job description and
- an advertisement



All groups

Try out the risk assessment checklist for:

- The preparation of a Potassium Chloride infusion pump of 50 ml, in order to administer 50 mmol/24 hr. The infusion is based on a licensed concentrated product in an ampoule of Potassium Chloride 2 mmol/ml, 10 ml.
- The preparation of a Metoclopramide injection of 10 mg. The injection is based on an ampoule of 5 mg/ml, 2 ml



The European Directorate for the Quality of Medicines (EDQM) is a directorate of the Council of Europe.

Yes



The resolution on good reconstitution practices (Resolution CM/Res(2016)2 was prepared to improve safety of reconstitution in clinical areas

Yes



Reconstitution is the process to dissolve freeze dried medicines.

No, it is is defined as manipulation to enable the use of medicines in line with SmPC or package leaflet



The GRP resolution recommends that the designated person should preferably be a pharmacist.

Yes and this a great opportunity for hospital pharmacists!

Further take home messages



- Risk assessment: ranking of reconstitution activities and the basis of the decision where reconstitution should take place
- Minimum requirements if reconstitution takes place in clinical areas
- Resolution implementation: crucial for increasing safety for patients receiving high risk medication

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Questionnaire



Please answer the Questionnaire about Resolution CM/Res(2016)2

THANKS!!!