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Updates on Philippine Regulatory System

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What is happening now?

Product Registration

- Initial application
- Automatic renewal of MDs and regular renewal for IVDs
- Performance Testing for IVDs
- Amendments
- Certificate of Exemption (COE) for non-registrable devices
- Certificate of Non-radiation (CNR)
- New List of Registrable product
- Existing Fees

Establishment License

Distributors/importers:

- Unified licensing
- e-LTO
- Post-market inspection (PLI)

What's in can?

- Final Draft of the new regulatory requirements that will consist the new classification of medical devices
- Classification rule guide
- Abolition of CNR to be replaced by either notification or Listing
- Pilot testing of the new regulatory guidelines
- Implementation of Class A notification
- **Increase in fees**

Looking forward to AMDD implementation

- Full registration by classification
- COE will just apply for all exempted medical devices that are not required to be registered like donation in bulk, for research and education purposes, etc.
- Required standards will be released
- Different guidance documents for labeling, classification, etc. to support the new regulatory guidelines
- new processing timelines based on classification
- Computerization/on-line



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