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Information for manufacturers of medical devices on post-market surveillance, reporting adverse incidents and field safety corrective actions to the MHRA.

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Post-market surveillance (PMS) obligations by medical device type

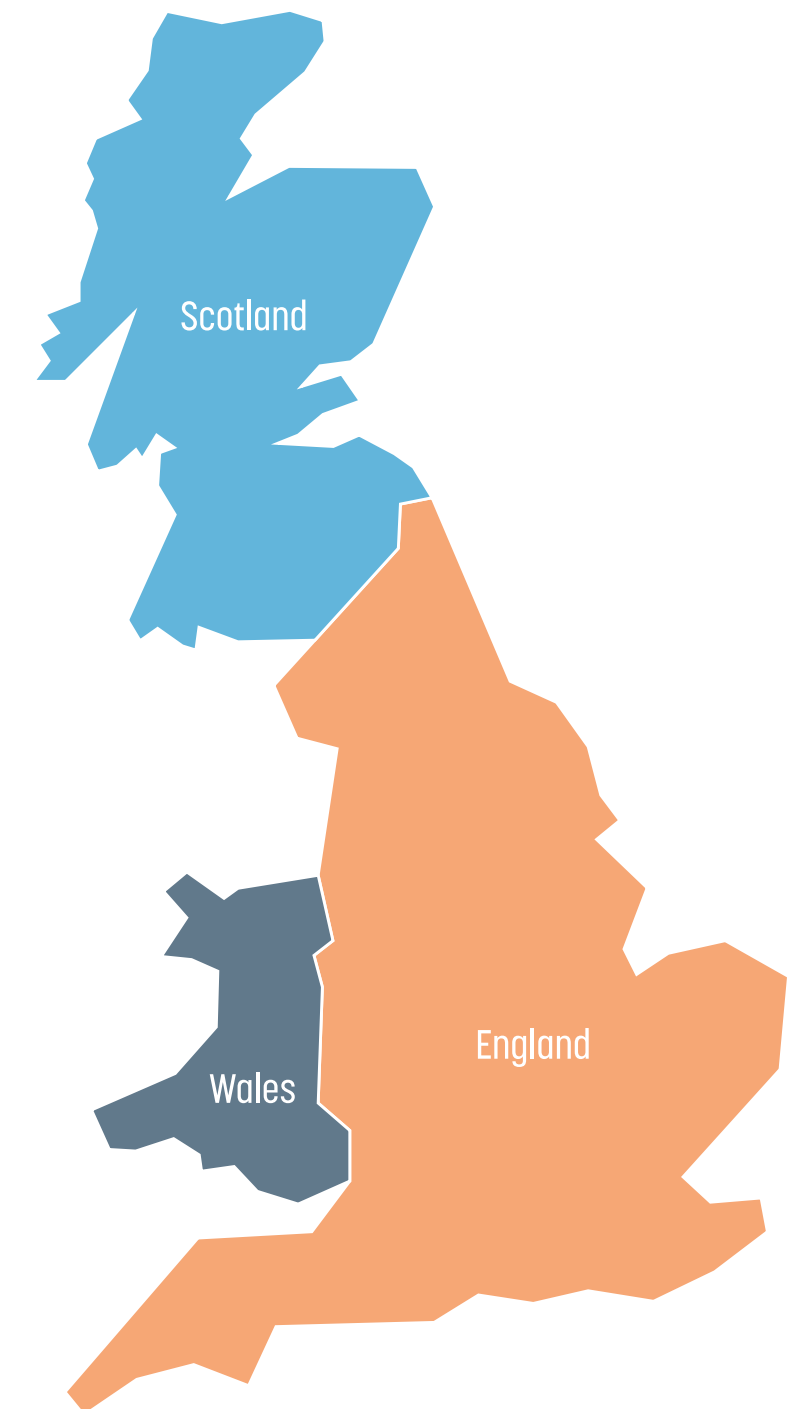
✓ The obligations apply to England, Scotland and Wales.

✗ These requirements **do not apply** to devices subject to

- clinical investigation,
- performance evaluation or
- exceptional use authorisation in Great Britain (GB)

✗ They also **do not apply** to

- medical devices manufactured in house by healthcare establishments (regardless of whether custom-made) which should follow the existing guidance on in-house manufacture of medical devices in Great Britain (GB).



General Medical Devices

Type of device

Relevant part & regulation of UK MDR 2002	Basis for conformity assessment (UKCA, EU MDD/IVDD /AIMDD or EU MDR/IVDR)	PMS System (Reg 44ZE)	PMS Plan (Reg 44ZF)	Corrective & Preventative Actions (Reg 44ZG)	Initial reporting of serious incidents (Reg 44ZH)	Investigation & final reporting of serious incidents (Reg 44ZI)	FSCA & FSN (Reg 44ZJ)	FSCA outside of Great Britain (Reg 44ZK)	PMS reports (Reg 44ZL)	PSUR reports (Reg 44ZM)	Trend Reporting (Reg 44 ZN)	Reports from HCPs, user, patients (Reg 44ZO)	Analysis of information under Part 4A (Reg 44ZP)	Retention of PMS documentation (Reg 44ZQ)
Part 2	UKCA	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	Class I	Class IIa, IIb, III	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes
Part 2, Regulation 19B	EU MDD	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	Class I	Class IIa, IIb, III	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes
Part 2, Regulation 19C	EU MDR	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	Class I	Class IIa, IIb, III	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes

Type of device

Active Implantable Medical Devices

Relevant part & regulation of UK MDR 2002	Basis for conformity assessment (UKCA, EU MDD/IVDD /AIMDD or EU MDR/IVDR)	PMS System (Reg 44ZE)	PMS Plan (Reg 44ZF)	Corrective & Preventative Actions (Reg 44ZG)	Initial reporting of serious incidents (Reg 44ZH)	Investigation & final reporting of serious incidents (Reg 44ZI)	FSCA & FSN (Reg 44ZJ)	FSCA outside of Great Britain (Reg 44ZK)	PMS reports (Reg 44ZL)	PSUR reports (Reg 44ZM)	Trend Reporting (Reg 44 ZN)	Reports from HCPs, user, patients (Reg 44ZO)	Analysis of information under Part 4A (Reg 44ZP)	Retention of PMS documentation (Reg 44ZQ)
Part 3	UKCA	Class III	Class III	Class III	Class III	Class III	Class III	Class III	N/A	Class III	Class III	Class III	Class III	Class III
Part 3, Regulation 30 A	EU AIMDD	Class III	Class III	Class III	Class III	Class III	Class III	Class III	N/A	Class III	Class III	Class III	Class III	Class III
Part 3	EU MDR	Class III	Class III	Class III	Class III	Class III	Class III	Class III	N/A	Class III	Class III	Class III	Class III	Class III

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In Vitro Diagnostic Devices	Part 4	UKCA	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	General IVD	List A, List B	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes
	Part 4, Regulation 44ZA	EU IVDD	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	General IVD	List A, List B	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes
	Part 4, Regulation 44ZB	EU IVDR	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	Class A, B	Class C and D	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes

Custom - made Devices

Type of device	Relevant part & regulation of UK MDR 2002	Basis for conformity assessment (UKCA, EU MDD/IVDD /AIMDD or EU MDR/IVDR)	PMS System (Reg 44ZE)	PMS Plan (Reg 44ZF)	Corrective & Preventative Actions (Reg 44ZG)	Initial reporting of serious incidents (Reg 44ZH)	Investigation & final reporting of serious incidents (Reg 44ZI)	FSCA & FSN (Reg 44ZJ)	FSCA outside of Great Britain (Reg 44ZK)	PMS reports (Reg 44ZL)	PSUR reports (Reg 44ZM)	Trend Reporting (Reg 44 ZN)	Reports from HCPs, user, patients (Reg 44ZO)	Analysis of information under Part 4A (Reg 44ZP)	Retention of PMS documentation (Reg 44ZQ)
Part 2	UKCA	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes
Part 2	EU MDD	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Part 3	EU AIMDD	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Part 2, Regulation 19C	EU MDR	All risk classes ¹	All risk classes ²	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes

1. Manufacturers can no longer place an EU AIMDD or EU MDD compliant custom-made device on the GB market (or EU or Northern Ireland). This has been the case since 26 May 2021 and the PMS SI doesn't change this – it allows for continued acceptance of CE marked and EU compliant devices currently permitted on the GB market.

2. Custom-made devices are exempt from the following requirements of the PMS Plan: paragraphs 3, g & h .

Systems and Procedure Packs

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	Part 2	UKCA	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	Class I ³	Class IIa, IIb and III ³	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes
	Part 2, Regulation 19B	EU MDD	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	Class I	Class IIa, IIb and III	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes
	Part 2, Regulation 19C	EU MDR	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	Class I	Class IIa, IIb and III	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes	All risk classes

3. Only applies to system or procedure packs which are required to be either UKCA or CE-marked in order to be placed on the market.

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