Collaboration on Practical GCP Inspection activities between TFDA and MHLW/PMDA

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Task

TFDA and MHLW/PMDA agreed that the importance and necessity **to set discussion place** and **share information** between GCP experts in this field.

Short term purpose

- To promote **confidence building measures** on GCP inspection result

Long term purpose

- To make a platform to exchange information of GCP inspection
- Utilization of **GCP inspection result** by TFDA and MHLW/PMDA



Necessary Task

- Mutual understanding on GCP regulation
- Confirmation on the practical GCP inspection level

Progress

1. Face-to-face meetings

✓ May 2015 & July 2016 (Taiwan)

2. Teleconferences

✓ Total 11 teleconferences since March 2015

3. Exchanged Documents

- ✓ GCP-related regulations (including procedures)
- ✓ Questionnaires for GCP inspections (New drugs & generics)

4. Practical understandings

- ✓ Observed inspection
 - in Japan by TFDA (August 2015)
 - in Taiwan by PMDA (October 2015)
- Classroom & field lectures for BE study, etc. by PMDA (September 2016)

5. Others

 ✓ Lecture by PMDA in 2016 Conference on Good Clinical Practice (July 2016 in Taiwan)
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Achievements & Future proposal

1. Mutual understanding

- ✓ Understood the regulations & procedures for GCP inspection by information sharing
- Confirmed the practical GCP inspection level through the observation of inspections & discussions

2. Platform for exchanging information

 Smooth communication could be done between each contact persons



1. Keep channel

- TFDA & PMDA will communicate using this channel when necessary
- ✓ TFDA & PMDA will discuss when specific topic is appeared.

2. Regular meeting (including teleconference)

✓ Will be able to shift to Review WG

(Ref.) 'Next steps and future' in 2015 meeting

- Identify and seek to avoid gaps using the cases
 - such as GCP inspection for same protocol
 - such as GCP inspection on simultaneous application product
- Create information exchange platform on practical GCP inspection
- Create GCP inspection training at PMDA to provide its practical GCP knowledge
- Collaborate on common challenge for Clinical Quality Management System