



Medicines & Healthcare products
Regulatory Agency

Use of Real World Evidence under European MDR

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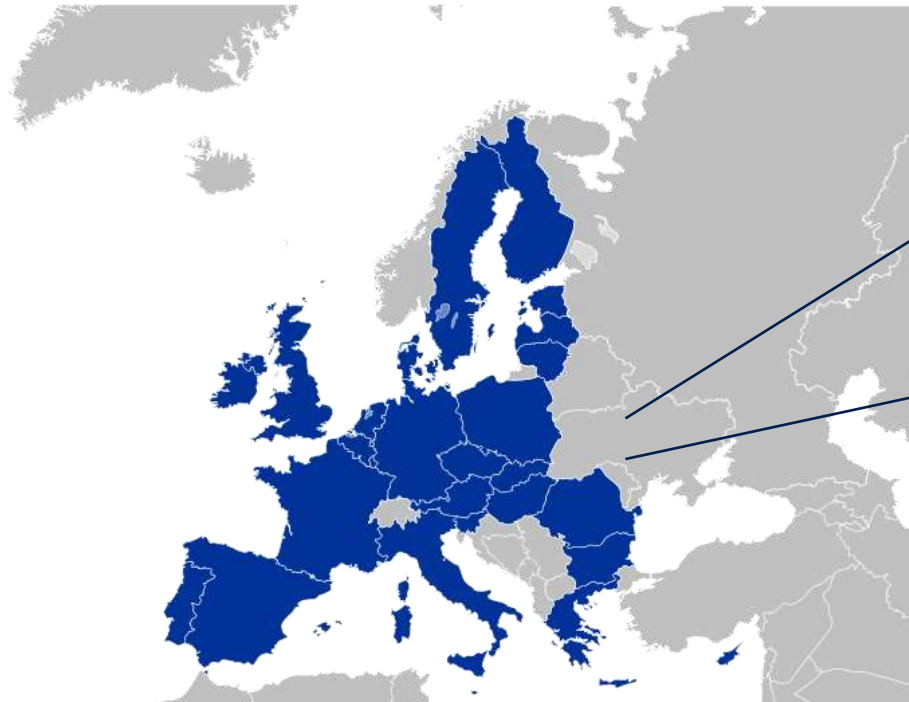


New European medical device regulations



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Two EU Regulations - May 2017



**MDR - Regulation (EU) 2017/745 –
published 5 May 2017**

Medical Devices
Regulations

in-Vitro Diagnostic
Devices Regulations

**IVDR - Regulation (EU) 2017/746
– published 5 May 2017**

New European Regulations: major upgrade



Council Directive
93/42/EEC - 14
June 1993

60 pages

23 Articles

12 Annexes

Regulation (EU)
2017/745 – 5 May
2017

175 pages

123 Articles

17 Annexes

Major upgrade of the MDR/IVDR

Headline measures:

strengthening of the requirements for clinical investigation of medical devices

(clinical trials)

promoting European cooperation in the control and monitoring of devices

(notified bodies)

promoting transparency and traceability

(includes mandatory Unique Device Identification)

Recording of UDIs will be mandatory

Manufacturers, importers, distributors **and hospitals** must store and keep UDIs by electronic means



UDI improves post-market safety

Using Unique Device Identification (UDI) will facilitate real world data collection/use and enhances device safety:

improved incident reporting

➤ better targeting of recalls

better monitoring by competent authorities

reduced medical errors

helps fight against counterfeit devices

as well as improving purchase-policy and stock-management by hospitals

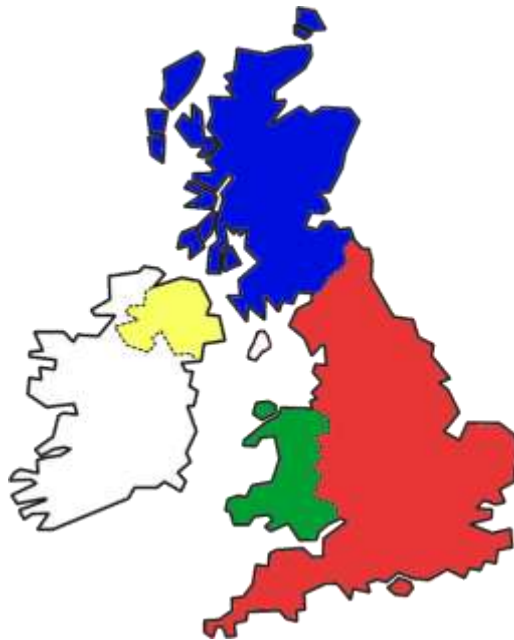
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UDI with a GTIN, Expiry and Serial Number

SCAN+ SAFETY

Patient, Product, Place, Process.



Scan4Safety programme – Vision



Right Patient

Setting standards to make sure we always have the right patient and know **what** product was used with **which** patient, **when**.



Right Product

Setting standards to make sure our staff have **what** they need, **when** they need it.



Right Place

Setting standards to make sure that patients and products are in the right place.



Right Process

Setting standards and implementing common ways of working to deliver better and more easily repeatable patient care.

UK *Scan4Safety* programme

– Implementation of GS1 *core enablers*

Deliverables– Initial Core Enablers



Location Identification

- Implementing **GLNs**, a global standard for location identification

Unique Location Identification



Patient Identification

- Wristbands **GSRN** compliant can be scanned by patient systems

Unique Patient Identification



Catalogue Management

- All relevant processes use the **GTIN** as the primary product identifier

Unique Device Identification

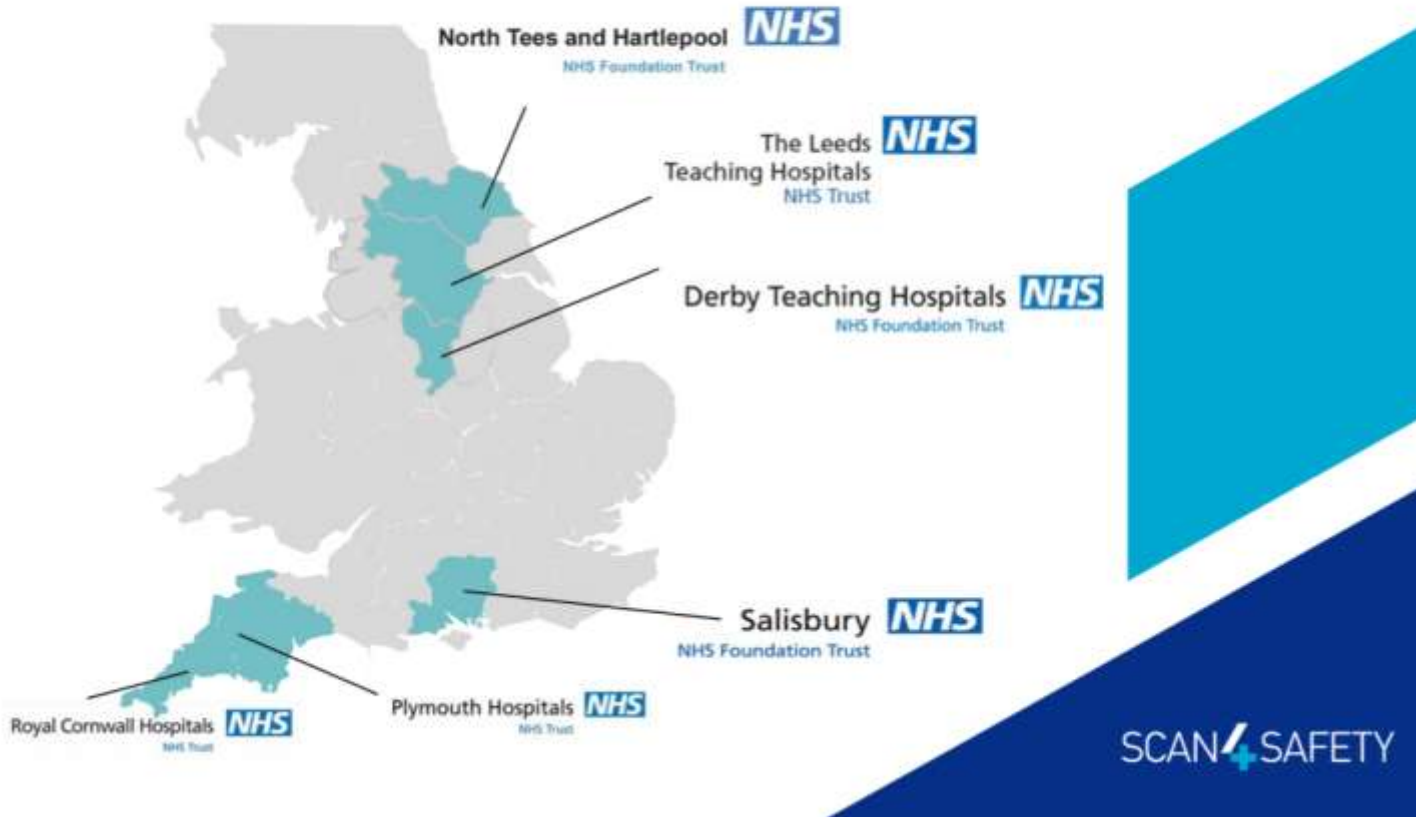
SCAN  SAFETY

Scan4Safety programme – Demonstrator sites

Established January 2016

Aim to complete first wave of work by December 2017

Demonstrator Site Overview



Scan4Safety – initial successes

Scan4Safety – some of the wins so far:

Improved control of internal supply chain – cut waste

Facilitate recalls

Location of patients and equipment

Reducing occurrence of critical medical errors - “never events”

Better information re. operation efficiency

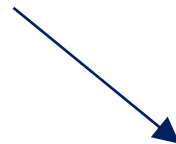
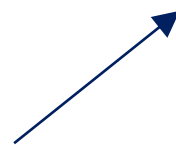
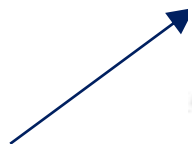
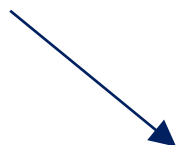
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Using UDI / GS1 standards will help to improve patient safety – implant tracking and surveillance

**+ convergence with registries /
real world data collection**



- Implant / patient track-&-trace
- Post-market safety monitoring



**More accurate and
convenient registry
and real world data
collection**

Thank you

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