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# **ANSI Homeland Security Standards Panel**

Global Supply Chain Security Standards and Annual Plenary Meeting

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Raw Materials, Excipients, API's, Clinical Trials, Medical Devices Manufacturing, Packaging, Storage, Distribution & Sales



- Rise of emerging markets
- Healthcare spending
- Regulation or lack thereof
- Supply chain breaches
- No common ground



**Business Models** 

- Increased global outsourcing
- Increased partnerships
- Virtual companies

# What should the USP role be in providing guidance?



## Standards for Drug Product Integrity Pharma Supply Chain & Anti-Counterfeiting

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# Understanding the threats

- What are the supply chain security threats?
- How big is each threat?
- What strategy should be put in place?
- What countries around the world are involved?
- Focus on risk mitigation & management

#### Current vs. Future State Mapping

- What business departments are involved?
- What are the key processes?
- Define the action plan from a holistic approach
- What are the effectiveness evaluation actions needed?

#### Developing the Strategy

- What is the future state vision?
- What is the continuous improvement plan?
- How do our processes need to change?
- How do we ensure the end user receives drug product that meets its identity, strength, quality, purity & safety?

## Guidance through USP General Chapter Good Distribution Practices



# **ISP** Supply Chain Management Overview

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#### Trends

## Medicines changing

- -Digital care
- -New processes
- -Lifecycle changes

## Expertise driven

-Outsourcing >35 different contractors used

### Exportation driven

-2002-2009 13%
increase drug
importation FDA
regulated products;
150 countries;
300,000 sites outside

#### Changes

### Industry success factors

-New technologies to stay competitive

# Stricter regulations? No single set of rules

- -Multiple standards: GMP, GIP (importer), GDP, GPP (pharmacy practice)
- -Greater pharmacovigilance

# Expect collaboration & transparency

All along supply chain pathWith regulators

#### Future

# Accelerated importation

- India forecast 12%
   increase FDA regulated
   products 2010-2020
- Highly sensitive production processes

## New geographies

- Increase in spectra of harm to end user
- Threats: counterfeiting,
  \*thefts & diversion,
  economically motivated
  adulteration;

### **Good Distribution Practices**

\* General GDPs \* SC Temp Management \* Good Import/Export Practices \* SC Integrity

USP GC <1079> Good Storage & Shipping Practices \*Official 2005 \*Revision Dec1, 2012

- Provides recommendations to ensure GDP
- Drug Products: Human, Vet, Clinical
- General GDP Concepts
- Distribution is transportation
- No practices on combating counterfeiting or technologies

USP GC <1083> GDP – SC Integrity \*PF Mar/Apr 2012; Industry input under review - Expert Panel

- Describes recommended practices on SC integrity
- API's, Excipients, Drug Products, Medical Devices
- Basic information
- Discusses practices to combat counterfeiting and packaging technologies

- USP GC <1197> GDP for Bulk Pharma Excipients \*Official USP 36
- Provides recommendations GDPs
- Excipients only
- General GCP concepts
- Traceability discussed
- Risks: adulteration & contamination – not specific
- Importation not specific
- Pharmacy compounding

#### USP GC <xxxx> GDP

- <xxxx.1> Basic Guidance
- <xxxx.2> Pedigree
- <xxxx.3> Track & Trace
- <xxxx.4> Serialization
- <xxxx.5> Anti-Counterfeiting
- <xxxx.6> Natural Disasters



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Looking Beyond the Obvious: GDP – Leading to USP Guidance Chapter(s)

Understanding the SC Risks – Drug/Medical Device/Clinical Trial Finished Product , Active Pharma Ingredients (API), Excipients & Raw Materials; \* PLUS \* Packaging, Storage, Distribution

Creating a Common-Sensed Mindset: PSD EC Workshop SC Integrity Outcomes

Navigating to the Future: Strategic Plans for GDP GC; Ideas – Spectral Library

What Are We Missing?

GDP = Good Distribution PracticesUSP = United States PharmacopeiaSC = Supply ChainPSD EC = Packaging, Storage & Distribution Expert CommitteeGC = General Chapter6

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# Preparing for what's next

- Collaboration people management internal and external resources
  - Partnerships where multi-companies act as one
  - understand competencies needed, establish program elements, train and continuously develop
- Global operating model Industry Standards
  - Information-rich
  - Corporate strategic priority
  - Global scale but local scope
- Transparency
- Look to other industries
- Innovation
- Holistic approach
- Effectiveness evaluation





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