SUPPLIER SUMMIT

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QUALITY ASSURANCE FOR HIV/AIDS COMMODITIES AND ESSENTIAL MEDICINES
GLOBAL HEALTH SUPPLY CHAIN – QUALITY ASSURANCE (GHSC-QA) PROJECT
GENERATION NEXT

USAID GLOBAL HEALTH SUPPLY CHAIN PROGRAM

GHSC-Procurement and Supply Management (GHSC-PSM)
Single-award IDIQ
Chemonics

GHSC-Rapid Test Kits (GHSC-RTK)
Single-award IDIQ
Remote Medical International

GHSC-Technical Assistance (GHSC-TA)
Multiple-award IDIQ
Axios
Chemonics
LMI
PriceWaterhouse Coopers

Systems for Improved Access to Pharmaceuticals and Services (SIAPS)
Cooperative Agreement
MSH

Promoting the Quality of Medicines (PQM)
Cooperative Agreement
USP

GHSC-Quality Assurance (GHSC-QA)
Contract
FHI360

GHSC-Business Intelligence and Analytics (GHSC-BIA)
GSA Contract
Intelicog

The Coca-Cola Last Mile Project
Global Development Alliance (GDA)
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Establish and implement a comprehensive Quality Assurance Program for USAID that:

- Provides global technical leadership regarding quality issues to the international quality assurance community
- Provides technical assistance to host country governments and other stakeholders
- Assures that health commodities purchased on behalf of USAID meet applicable quality standards
- Implements Model Quality Assurance System (MQAS) guidance (WHO Technical Report Series)
- Employs risk management practices to maintain diligence and recognizes that by limiting the risk of accepting products of inadequate quality, increased protection of the client/patient and USAID is ensured.

GHSC-QA provides independent Quality Assurance for:

- Task Order 1-HIV
- HIV RTKs (RMI)
- Task Order 3-Reproductive Health
- Task Order 4-Maternal and Child Health
## GHSC-QA Activities and Objectives

### Quality Assurance
- Product reviews (Product Questionnaire/Technical Information)
- Eligible/Approved supplier and product list
- Technical requirements and specifications for EOIs, RFQs, and RFPs
- Manage product complaints and incidents (including monitoring regulatory warnings)
- Product recall management
- Quality technical assistance
- Audits/CAPAs
- Statistical trending (CpK)
- Annual review and risk management

### Quality Control
- Sampling
- Product testing
- Test method/transfer
- New technologies

### Technical Assistance and Leadership
- NDRA training
- Laboratory capacity building
- Tanzania
- Afghanistan
- Côte d’Ivoire
- Uganda
- Zimbabwe
- Ethiopia
- Nigeria
- Ghana

### Global Collaboration
- Donors
- WHO
- UNFPA
- UNICEF
- Global Fund
- Independent Advisory Groups
ELIGIBILITY AND GENERAL QUALITY ASSURANCE REQUIREMENTS
# USAID (ADS 312) Eligibility of Commodities

## Stringent Regulatory Authority (SRA)
- USAID recognizes the following:
  - (a) the U.S. Food and Drug Administration, the Japanese Ministry of Health, Labor, and Welfare and the European Agency for the Evaluation of Medicinal Products (EMEA) centralized procedure;
  - (b) SwissMedic or Health Canada
  - (c) European Union member states admitted prior to 1996 (Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, United Kingdom).

## WHO Pre-qualification
- WHO ERP 1 or 2 considered only in special cases

## Approved USAID Wholesalers
- Approved by GHSC-QA to provide essential medicines, laboratory supplies and medical equipment

## Other
- Pharmaceuticals that do not qualify under any of the above categories
- Require additional quality information
- Assessment conducted by GHSC-QA based on risk analysis
- Additional quality testing by independent accredited laboratory
Pharmaceutical Technical Questionnaire

Other GHSC-QA Product Questionnaires for:

- Medical Devices
- RTKs
- Food by Prescription
The Product assessment is a comprehensive evaluation of the product and manufacturer.
PRODUCT/MANUFACTURER CHANGES: MAJOR VARIATIONS MUST BE COMMUNICATED TO GHSC-QA

### Applies To

- Products approved for direct procurement
- Documentation required: Refer to Annex 3: WHO guidelines on variations to a prequalified product for pharmaceutical variations
  

### Examples of Major Variations

- Replacement or addition of a new manufacturing site or manufacturer
- Changes in the composition, manufacturing process, or lot size
- Changes in the standard claimed, specifications, or analytical procedures
- Changes in the immediate packaging (primary and functional secondary components) for the storage and shipment
- Change to an administration or measuring device
- Changes in the labeled storage conditions, shelf-life, or the in-use period
QUALITY ASSURANCE FOR HIV/AIDS COMMODITIES AND ESSENTIAL MEDICINES
HIV/AIDS COMMODITIES

• Antiretrovirals (ARVs)
• Essential Medicines
• Food by Prescription
• HIV Rapid Test Kits
• Non-HIV Rapid Test Kits
• Laboratory Supplies
• Voluntary Medical Male Circumcision Kits
• Instrument-based Diagnostics
Eligibility Requirements

- U.S FDA-approved products (NDA or ANDA)
- U.S. FDA tentatively approved products in the HIV/AIDS Drugs Authorized for Purchase under PEPFAR (http://www.fda.gov/internationalPrograms/PEPFAR/ucm119231.htm)
- Climatic zone; Preference to Zone IVb
- Storage conditions: Should be adequate for 30°C and high humidity

QA and QC Activities

- “For Cause” audits
- Certificate of Analysis required
- Annual product testing post shipment

ANTIRETROVIRALS (ARVs)
ESSENTIAL MEDICINES (PHARMACEUTICALS)

Eligibility Requirements

- SRA
- WHO-PQ
- Approved USAID wholesalers
- Other - GHSC-QA process
  - GHSC-QA technical evaluation required
  - Abbreviated for SRA and WHO PQ products
  - Full review for non-SRA, non-WHO-PQ

QA and QC Activities

- Compliant cGMP, QMS and/or MQAS audits
  - Frequency dependent on regulatory status and/or risk assessment
- CoA review required for each lot
- Pre-shipment, concurrent, or post-shipment testing depending on risk assessment
**Voluntary Medical Male Circumcision Kits**

- MC kit for all surgical procedures, Single use, Sterile
- MC kit, additional instruments for Dorsal Slit/Sleeve Resection, Single Use, Sterile
- MC kit, Essential Consumables Pack, Single Use, Sterile
- MC kit, Forceps Guided Procedure, Single Use, Sterile
- MC kit, Reusable Instruments for Dorsal Slit/Sleeve Resection, Non-Sterile
- MC kit, Reusable Instruments for Forceps Guided Procedure, Non-Sterile
- MC1:C25C kit for all surgical procedures, Single use, Sterile, 1 kit
- PrePex Removal Kit

**Eligibility Requirements**

- Voluntary Medical Male Circumcision Technical Working Group (VMMC TWG) determines requirements and technical specifications for each type of kit.
  - Supplier must meet
    - ISO13485:2016; and
    - ISO 11135-1:2007 (for sterile kits)
  - GHSC-QA audit
  - Validation of sterilization cycles for the various kit options

**QA and QC Activities**

- Frequency of GHSC-QA audits dependent on risk assessment (2 – 4 years)
- Pre-shipment, concurrent, or post-shipment sterility testing dependent on risk assessment and physical inspection.
- Sterility validation data reviewed and approved by GHSC-QA
Eligibility Requirements

• USDA, MSF, UNICEF or GHSC-QA Audit
• Compliance with USAID Commodity Specification:
  • RUF Ready-to-Use Nutritional Food for Use in International Food Assistance Programs (Dec 21, 2015)
  • Fortified Blended Flour (TBD)
• GHSC-QA FBP Product Assessment is required.
• GAIN premix suppliers

QA and QC Activities

• Frequency of GHSC-QA audits dependent on risk assessment (2 – 4 years)
• Pre-shipment, concurrent, or post-shipment testing
Eligibility Requirements

- US FDA or prequalification of a test kit by the World Health Organization (WHO) is the primary basis for technical approval.
- USAID reserves the right to require the test kit be evaluated by an independent laboratory.
- A WHO prequalified test kit must meet the GHSC-QA general technical documentation requirements. GHSC-QA In Vitro Diagnostic Product Assessment may be requested.

QA and QC Activities

- Frequency of GHSC-QA audits dependent on risk assessment (2 – 4 years)
- Pre-shipment, concurrent, post-shipment testing dependent on risk assessment
INSTRUMENT-BASED DIAGNOSTICS

Eligibility Requirements
• Prequalification by the World Health Organization (WHO) is the primary basis for technical approval.

QA and QC Activities
• TBD
Eligibility Requirements

- Manufacturers sourced for these product categories must be quality assured with certifications like ISO 9001:2000 or ISO 13485 or ISO 13488 or EN 46001 or CE 01847, or approved by standards regulatory bodies in country of manufacturer, which bodies must be accredited by or affiliated to standards institutes like ISO, with copy of certification(s) attached.

QA and QC Activities

- Copy of the lot Certificate of Analysis duly signed by authorized persons for each product is to be provided.
- USAID reserves the right to require product to be evaluated by an independent laboratory.
RESOURCES
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• USAID Automated Directives System (ADS) Chapter 312: Eligibility of Commodities

• USAID ADS 312 Additional Help Document: Pharmaceuticals and Medical Supplies


• US Food and Drug Administration (US FDA)

• Use and procurement of additional lubricants for male and female condoms: WHO/UNFPA/FHI360
QUALITY ASSURANCE FOR MALE CONDOMS, FEMALE CONDOMS, AND PERSONAL LUBRICANTS
MALE CONDOMS

Eligibility Requirements

- Condoms must have a U.S. FDA 510(k) for plain, parallel-straight walled, 49 and 53mm.
- Color and scented condoms must have specific 510(k)
- ISO Certified to 9001, 13485, 14000
- WHO/UNFPA pre-qualified list
- EU CE Mark
- GMP-registered facility
- Monitor proteins, nitrosamines, and residual accelerators

QA and QC Activities

- Pre-shipment testing to ISO 4074
- Frequency of GHSC-QA audits dependent on risk assessment (2 – 3 years)
- 180-day accelerated stability studies
- Odor evaluation
- Annual testing of proteins, nitrosamines, residual accelerators
- Trending of manufacturer’s data
FEMALE CONDOMS

Eligibility Requirements

- U.S. FDA 510 (k)
- EU CE Mark
- UNFPA pre-qualified list - referenced
- GMP-registered facility
- ISO Certified to 9001, 13485, 14000
- GHSC-QA Medical Device Product Assessment required

QA and QC Activities

- Pre-shipment testing
- Frequency of GHSC-QA audits dependent on risk assessment (2 – 3 years)
PERSONAL WATER-BASED LUBRICANTS

Eligibility Requirements

- U.S. FDA 510K
- Compliance with WHO/UNFPA/FHI360 Advisory Note (i.e., water-based, osmolality < 1200 mOsm/kg, pH 5.5 – 7, avoid polyquarternary compounds)
- EU CE Mark
- GMP-registered facility
- ISO Certified to 9001, 13485, 14000
- GHSC-QA Medical Device Product Assessment required
- Presentation: Sachet

QA and QC Activities

- Frequency of GHSC-QA audits dependent on risk assessment (2 – 3 years)
- Pre-shipment or concurrent testing dependent on risk assessment
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