

Current trends in global pharmacovigilance

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Presentation outline



- WHO
 - HQ
 - UMC
- Regulatory harmonization
- Technological development
- Academia
- Patient involvement
- Scientific progress
- Integration

WHO PIDM members



Member countries cumulative



Safety and Vigilance: Medicines Group, WHO-Geneva



Coalition of Interested Partners



Current challenge

- Many organizations involved
- Lack of co-ordination



- Inefficient use of resources
- Duplication of efforts
- Inconsistent standards and actions

Strengthening Regulatory Systems

Goal

- Establish a network of partners who will collaborate to achieve better **coordination**, **efficiency** and **outcomes** in regulatory strengthening in Member States or regions to achieve better public health outcomes
- Coalition of Interested Partners (CIP)
 - Wise use of resources, wealth of expertise
 - Better outcome and impact
 - Improved capacity and sustainability
 - Sharing and adoption of best practices

WHO Global Patient Safety Challenge

- Campaign focusing on medication error prevention
- Launched in March 2017
- Managed by Patient Safety Programme
- Minimum coordination with WHO pharmacovigilance programme

Medication Without Harm



Patient Safety: a global health priority

On the first-ever World Patient Safety Day on 17 September 2019, WHO will launch a global campaign to create awareness of patient safety and urge people to show their commitment to making healthcare safer.



**World
Patient Safety
Day** 17 September 2019

**Speak up for patient
safety!**

Announced by World Health Assembly May 2019

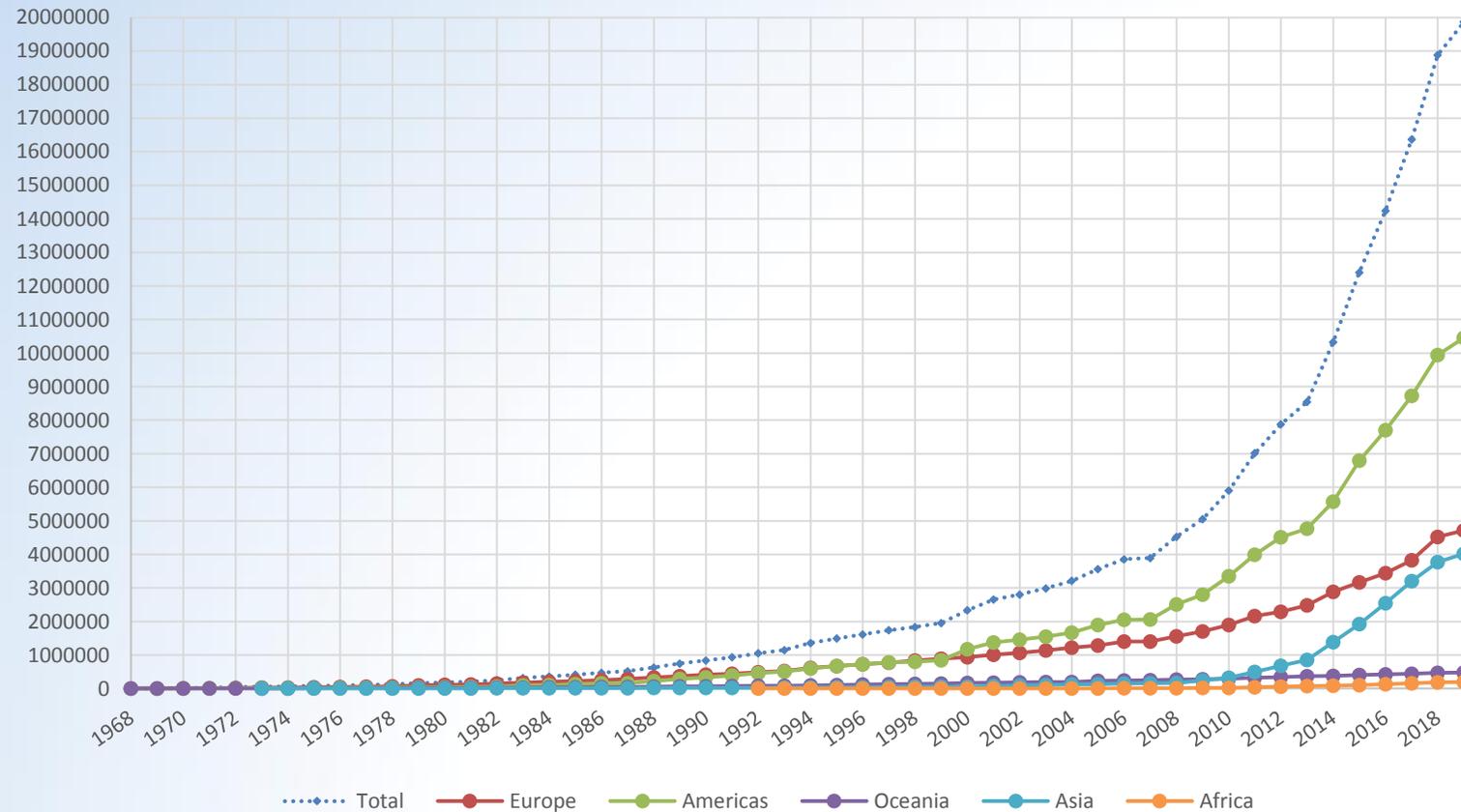
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VigiBase - Number of ICSRs

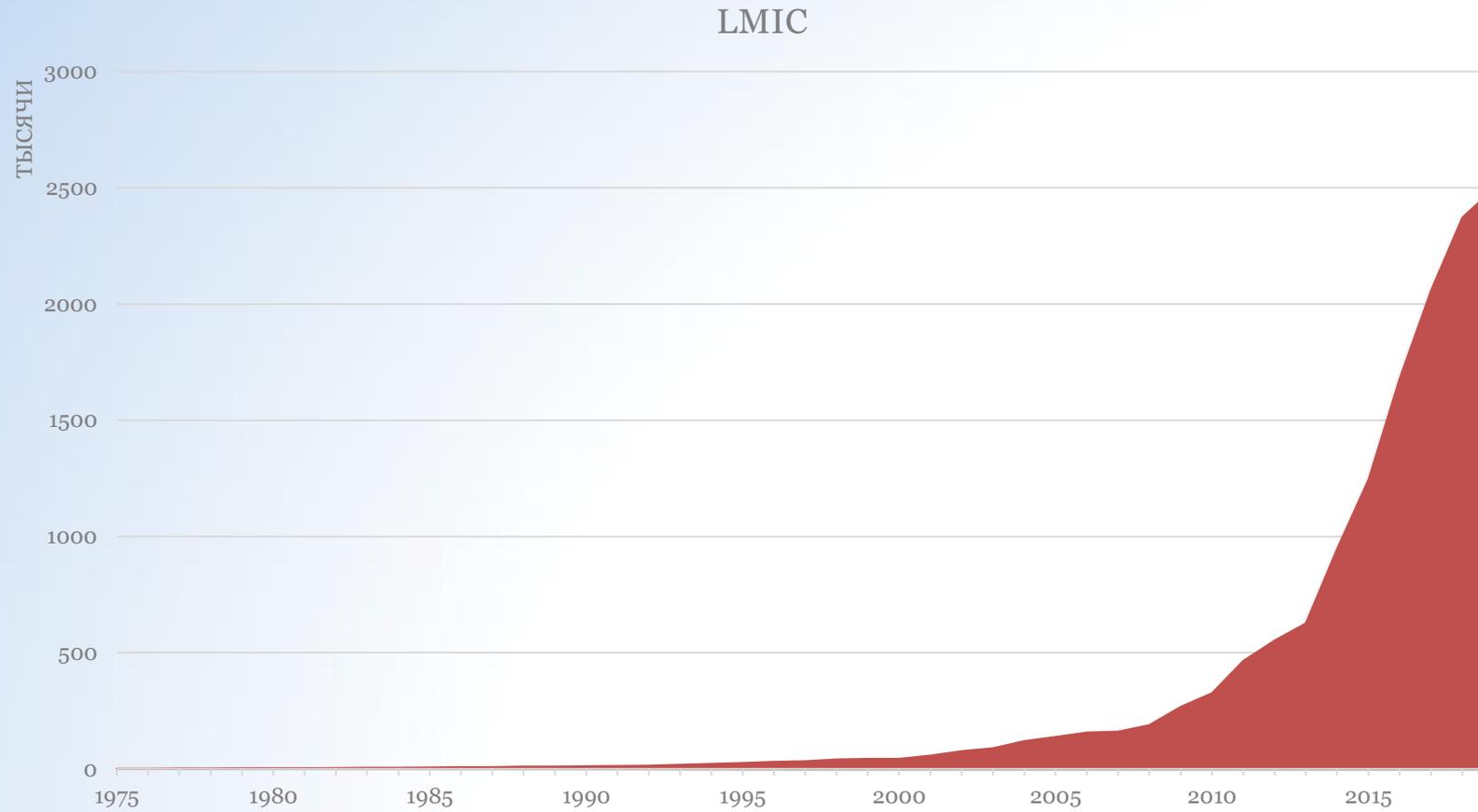


Cumulative count of ICSRs (per continent) since 1968



**Almost 20 million
Individual Case Safety Reports (ICSRs)**

VigiBase - LMIC Contribution



- Regulatory harmonization

ICH Guidelines for PV



E2A

• **Clinical Safety Data Management: Definitions and Standards for Expedited Reporting**

E2B(R3)

• **Clinical Safety Data Management: Data Elements for Electronic Transmission of ICSRs**

E2C(R2)

• **Periodic Benefit-Risk Evaluation Report (PBRER)**

E2D

• **Post-Approval Safety Data Management: Definitions and Standards for Expedited Reporting**

E2E

• **Pharmacovigilance Planning**

E2F

• **Development Safety Update Report**

PV regulations for pharma industry



The screenshot shows the European Medicines Agency (EMA) website. At the top left is the EMA logo with the text 'EUROPEAN MEDICINES AGENCY' and 'SCIENCE MEDICINES HEALTH'. To the right is a search bar. Below the logo is a navigation menu with items: Medicines, Human regulatory, Veterinary regulatory, Committees, News & events, Partners & networks, and About us. The 'Human regulatory' section is active, showing sub-sections: Overview, Research and development, Marketing authorisation, Post-authorisation (highlighted), and Herbal products. Below this is a blue sidebar with links: Advanced therapies, Certifying medicinal products, and Changing the (invented) name of a medicinal product. The main content area displays the title 'Good pharmacovigilance practices' with a 'Share' button and a 'Table of contents' section listing: Introduction, Final GVP modules, Final GVP product- or population-specific considerations, and Final GVP annex I - Definitions.

Fora for regulatory harmonization



Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC)



Eurasian Economic Union



Gulf Central Committee for Drug Registration (GCC)



Association of South-East Asian Nations (ASEAN)



Pan American Network for Drug Regulatory Harmonization (PANDRH)

Regional networks assessed in scientific studies



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ORIGINAL REPORT

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Current status of pharmacovigilance regulatory structures, processes, and outcomes in the Asia-Pacific region: Survey results from 15 countries

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SPECIAL ARTICLE



Enhancing Pharmacovigilance Capabilities in the EU Regulatory Network: The SCOPE Joint Action

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REVIEW ARTICLE

Abstract

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Pharmacovigilance Systems in Arab Countries: Overview of 22 Arab Countries

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ORIGINAL RESEARCH ARTICLE

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- Technological development

New ways of collecting data

Reporting APP



Partnership with WHO

- Introduced in Burkina Faso, Zambia, UAE, Ethiopia and others

Other APP developed by Indian PvPI

- Offered to others in region



Real time data recording

Wearables



Real World Evidence



- Introduction of electronic healthcare records globally
- Health insurance claims data
- Patient registers

- Automatic extraction of case safety information
 - Trigger tools and biomarkers

Big Data for pharmacovigilance



 *Therapeutic Advances in Drug Safety*

Editorial

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Editorial

Hypothesis-free signal detection in healthcare databases: finding its value for pharmacovigilance

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SPECIAL ARTICLE

Recommendations for the Use of Lessons from IMI WEB-RADR

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Key Points

General social media, as exemplified by sample data from Facebook and Twitter, are not recommended for broad statistical signal detection.

Social media channels may provide a useful adjunct to pharmacovigilance activities in specific niche areas such as exposure during pregnancy and abuse/misuse of medicines.

Future enhancement of adverse event recognition algorithms may broaden the scope and utility of social media over time.

Technological development



- Use of artificial intelligence and machine learning
- Natural language processing
- Robotic process automation

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Boston, USA
3-4 December 2018

Intelligent Automation in
Pharmacovigilance



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Pre-service PV training for HCP

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SPECIAL ARTICLE

Teaching Pharmacovigilance: the WHO-ISoP Core Elements of a Comprehensive Modular Curriculum

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1 Introduction

The importance of pharmacovigilance (PV) for safe medicines and their safe use has increasingly been recognised

other complementary remedies, used to prevail. A of publications, guidelines and information about observed or further investigated adverse drug r (ADRs) from all over the world creates a growing

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CURRENT OPINION

What Future Healthcare Professionals Need to Know About Pharmacovigilance: Introduction of the WHO PV Core Curriculum for University Teaching with Focus on Clinical Aspects

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and Patient Reporting

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Educational Materials for PV Education at Universities

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PV education for universities

Pharmacovigilance is about the safety and safe use of medicines. For good

The screenshot shows a website interface. On the left is a dark navigation menu with white text. The main content area features a large photograph of five diverse medical students in a classroom setting, looking at a tablet. Overlaid on the bottom of the photo is the text 'Educational Materials for PV Education at Universities' in white and blue, with a 'Read More' link below it. Below the photo is a white section with the text 'PV education for universities' and a short introductory sentence.

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WHODrug Koda - the coding engine



Take & Tell - Version en Español



5th Asia Pacific Pharmacovigilance Training...

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC1SmOUUe6noAWVY4P2JEljw/videos>

FIND A COURSE BY TOPIC

Browse the Eu2P training programmes offer by Drug Safety course domains. Follow the guide!

- Basics in PV & Epidemiology
- Benefit Assessment of Medicines
- Pharmacovigilance Regulations
- Risk Identification & Quantification
- Benefit-Risk Assessment
- Medicines & Public Health
- Risk Communication

Partnership of 7 universities + 2 regulatory agencies + 15 pharma companies

- Patient involvement



A Renaissance of PV

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CURRENT OPINION

Patient-Reported Safety Information: A Renaissance of Pharmacovigilance?

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Abstract The role of patients as key contributors in pharmacovigilance was acknowledged in the new EU pharmacovigilance legislation. This contains several efforts to increase the involvement of the general public, including making patient adverse drug reactions (ADR) reporting...

similar associations and they give more detailed information regarding quality of life including psychological effects and effects on everyday tasks. Current methods used in pharmacovigilance need to optimise use of the information reported from patients. To make the most of information...

Patient reporting is the future of pharmacovigilance

Patient-derived reports add a richness to our understanding of medicine safety that would not be achieved by relying on healthcare professionals' reports alone. Pharmacovigilance specialist Sten Olsson explains why.

CIOMS WG XI - Patient Involvement in development and safe use of medicines



Working Group XI – Patient Involvement

CIOMS has developed international guidelines in many key areas of safety of medicines for decades. While the patient is recognized as a key stakeholder in CIOMS guidelines, their role in existing and previous guidelines has been defined primarily by other stakeholders. However, some patient input experience was recently obtained by CIOMS when formulating guidance in [CIOMS Working Group \(WG\) IX on Practical Approaches for Risk Minimisation of Medicinal Products](#).

CIOMS is now launching a Working Group with the purpose of elaborating pragmatic approaches **for involvement of patients as key stakeholders in the development and safe use of medicines**. Specific aspects of this involvement will include patient input to the development of medicines in areas of medical need; the collection and reporting of safety information; input to benefit-risk assessment; the use of technologies involving patients for safety communication between stakeholders including patients, healthcare professionals, pharmaceutical companies, regulators and academia. The aim will be to formulate Points to Consider for the optimal consideration of patient perspectives and preferences to support the safe and effective use of medicines throughout their life cycle. Such patient involvement from discovery to clinical and market use of medicines, is expected to improve the health of individual patients and the public. The ambition is to address a wide range of the challenges which we believe would benefit from further practical guidance and advice

The task for the CIOMS group would be to develop criteria and guidelines on patient involvement in drug development, pharmacovigilance and risk management as well as several other areas where harmonized and pragmatic patient-centred approaches should be adopted.

The new WG will be composed of key stakeholders **including patient organizations, industry, regulators and academia**, with potential additional representation from ethicists and Health Care Professionals groups, to address the present challenges, knowledge and practice gaps related to patient involvement in development and safe use of medicines in order to formulate pragmatic consensus-based recommendations. Furthermore, collaborative efforts aimed at capitalizing on existing initiatives and avoiding duplicative efforts would strengthen the WG in order to provide output that is as comprehensive as possible.

It is anticipated that the WG will operate for three years (from 2018 to 2021). In person meetings are contemplated 2-3 times per year. The first meeting took place 19-20 April 2018 in Geneva. Finalization of the vision about the concrete tasks of the new WG work will take place during the first meeting of the WG in presence of all stakeholders.

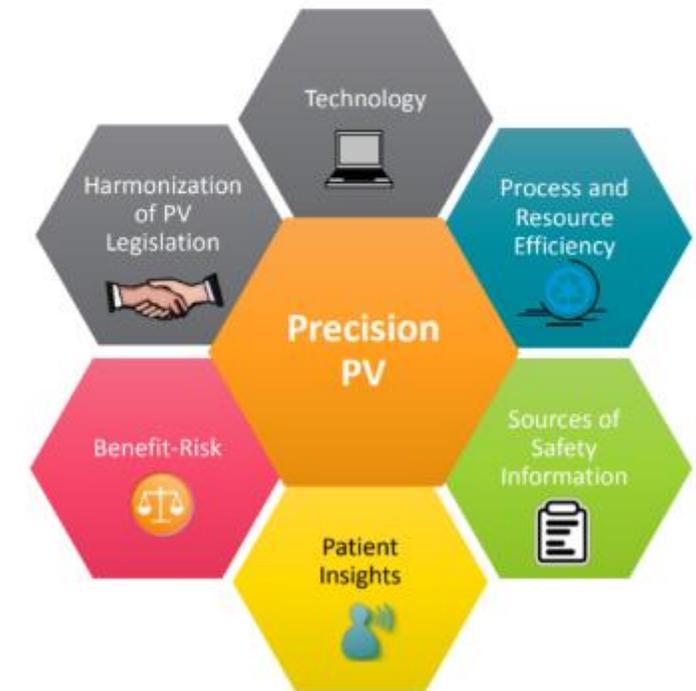
- Preventive pharmacovigilance

Precision pharmacovigilance



- Segmentation of risks in populations
- Predicting individual risks

Precision Pharmacovigilance



Source: Vicky Edwards, EFPIA

Pharmacogenetics-based Pharmacovigilance



HLA Genotyping Results



	CBZ	Cases (n=13)	Controls (n=26)	Odds Ratio (OR)
HLA-B*1502	Positive	13	3	181 (8.7 to 3785) $p=6.9 \times 10^{-8}$
	Negative	0	23	

Sensitivity=
13/13 = 100%

Specificity=
23/26 = 88.5%

- Data from HSA's study supports strong association between CBZ-induced SJS and TEN and HLA-B*1502
- Power of study to reject null hypothesis of no association at 0.05 significance level is >99%

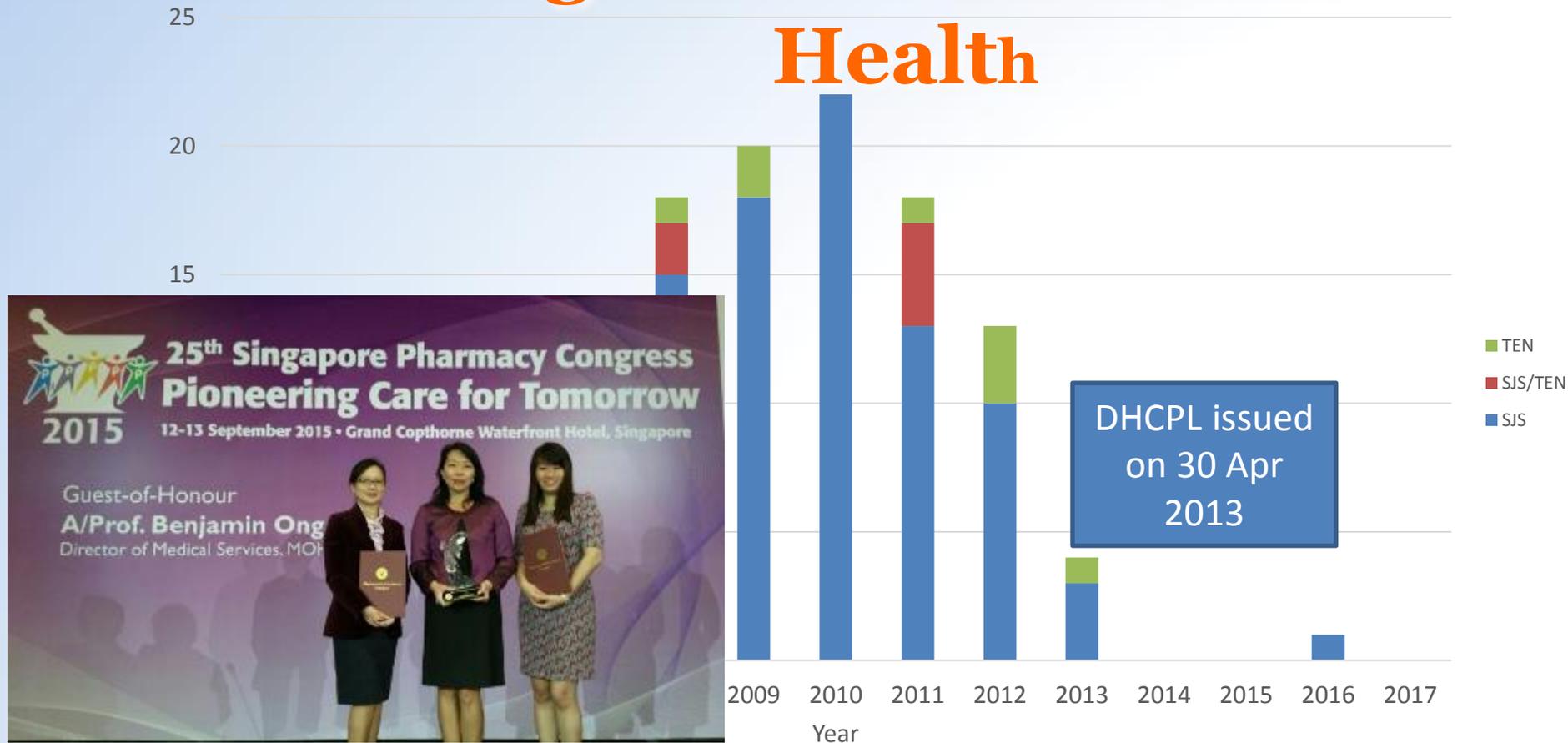
Sensitivity: test ability to identify true positives (those who will get SJS and TEN)

Specificity: test ability to identify true negatives (those who will not get SJS and TEN)

CBZ-induced SJS/TEN cases



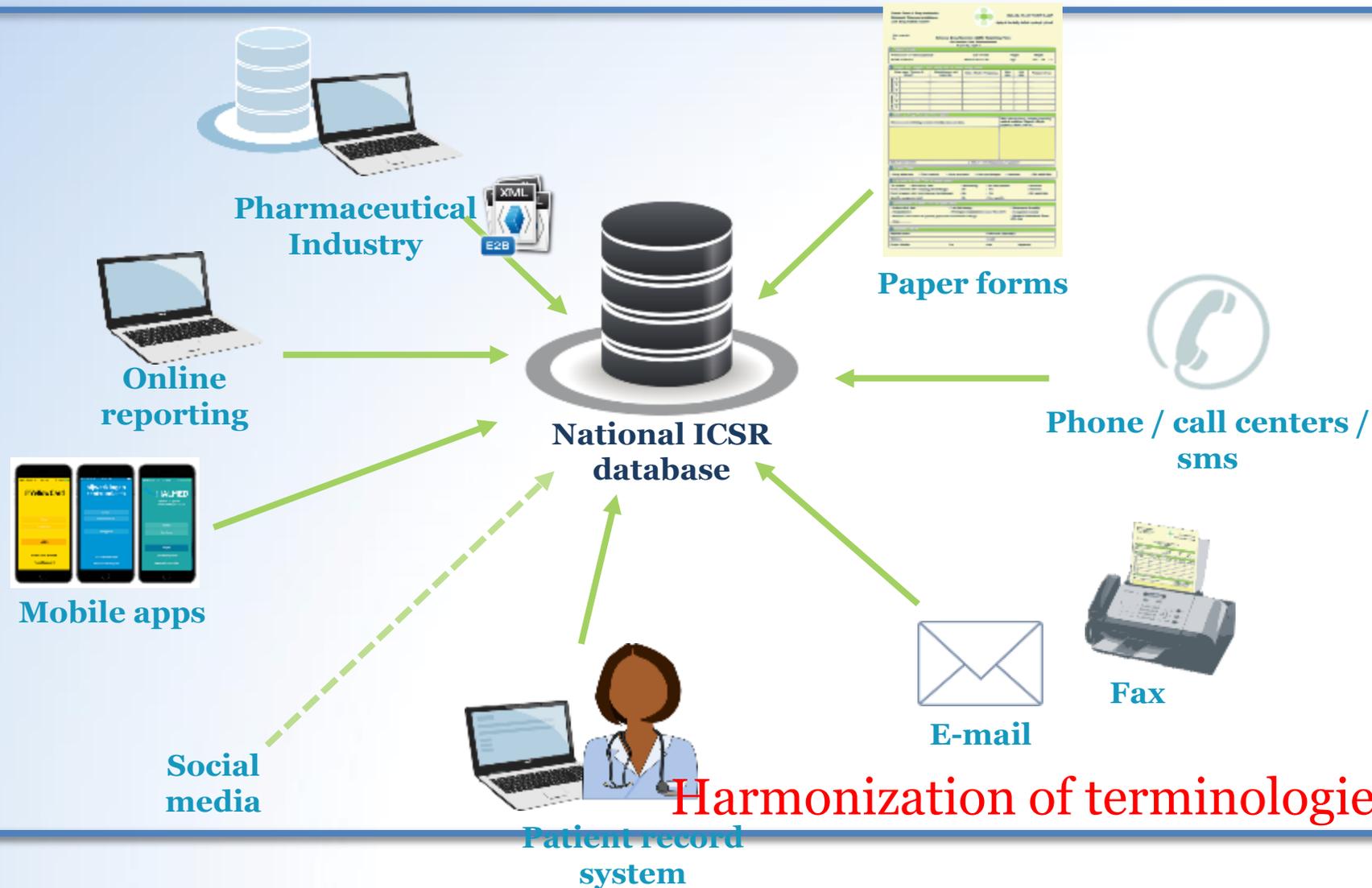
Significance to Public Health



Awarded Mrs Tan Shook Fong – PSS Innovation and Scientific Research Award 2015

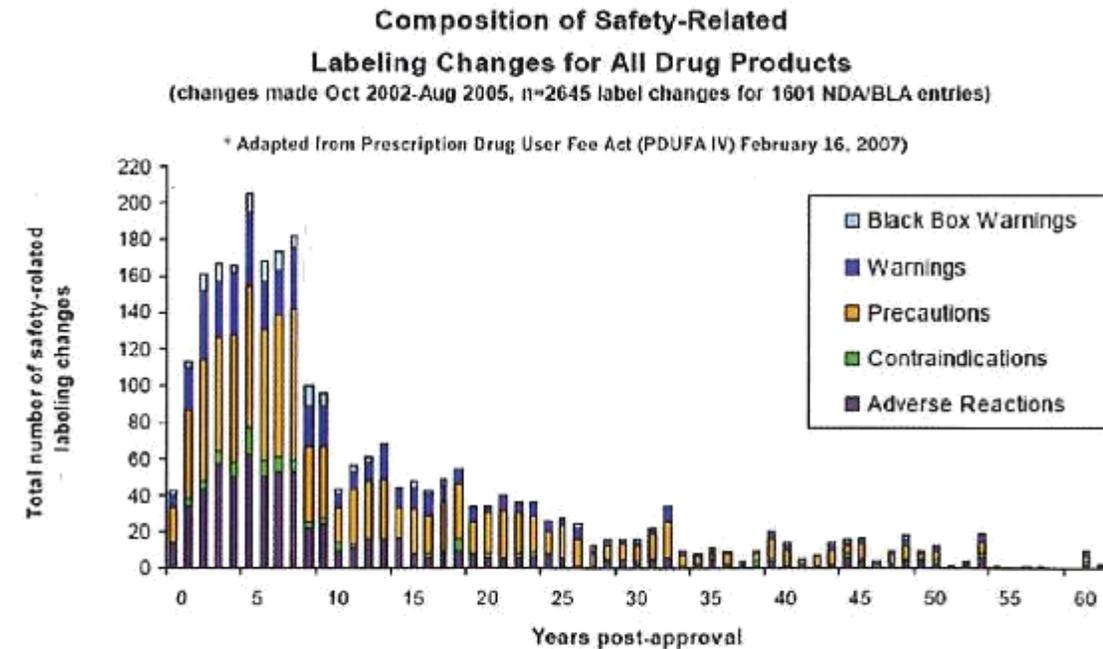
- Integration

Integrating different sources of information

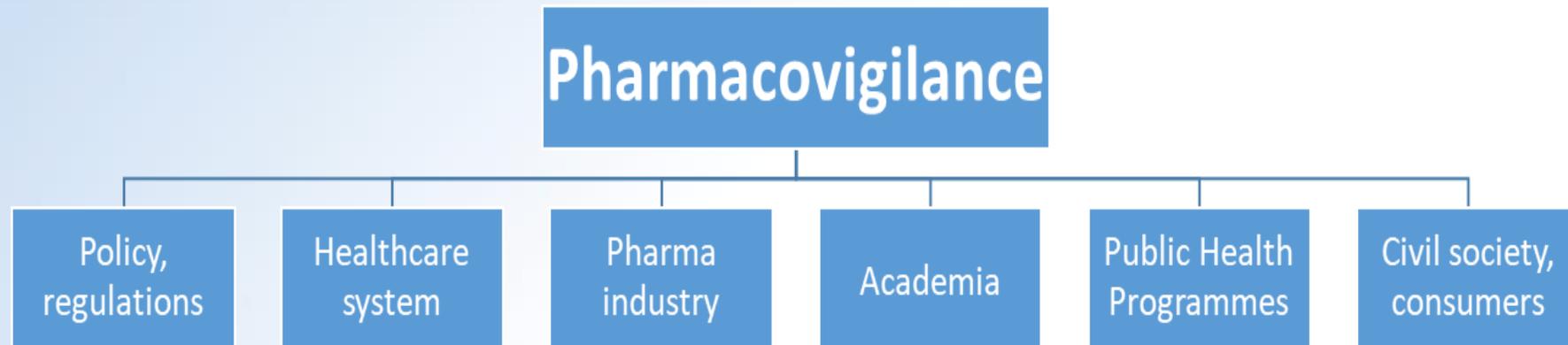


An integrated life-cycle approach

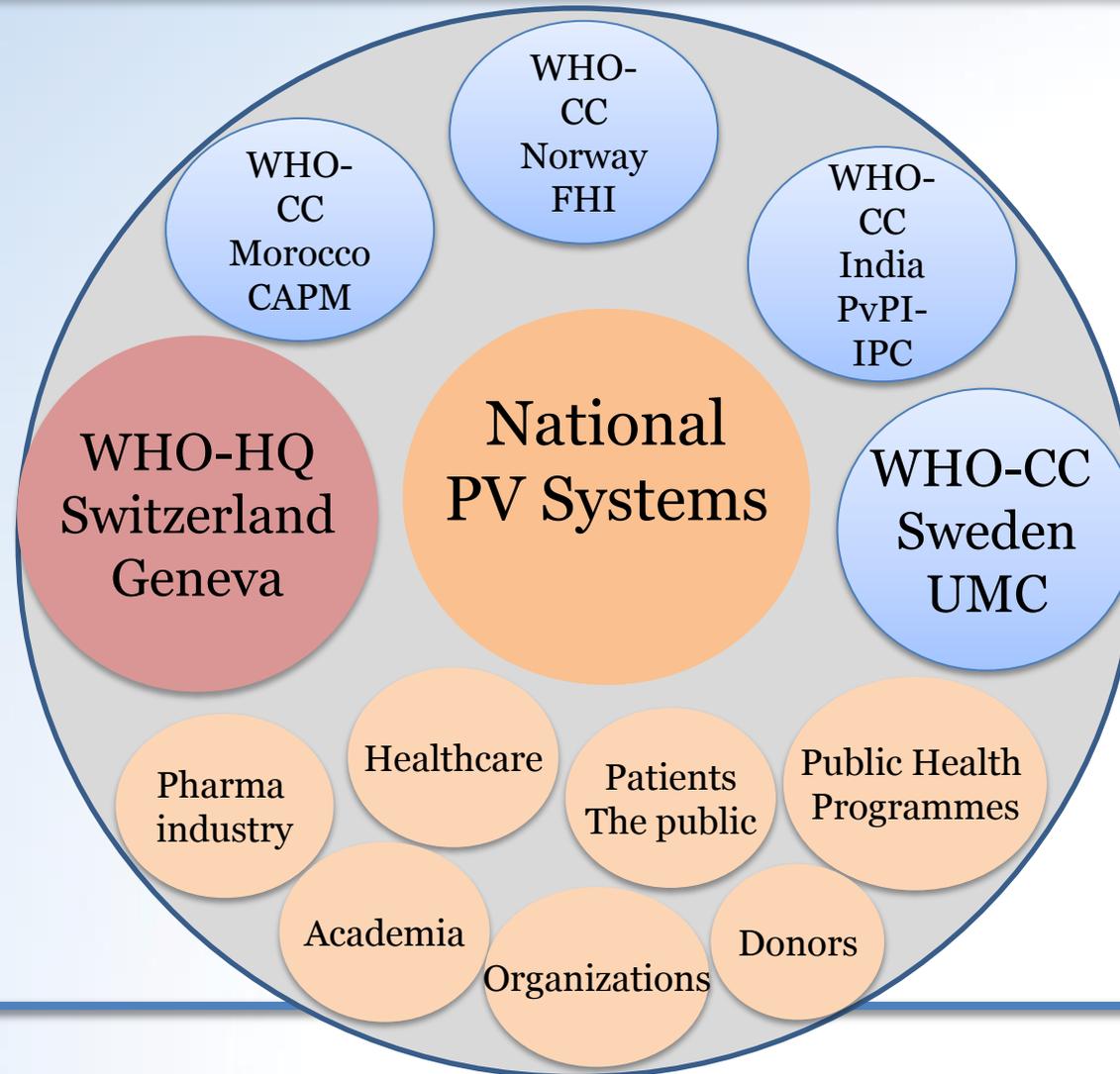
Phase	I	II	III	IV
Number exposed	10	100	1-2000	Millions
Patient type	Healthy volunteers	Highly selected	Selected	Real life
Identifiable risk	1:1	1:10	1:100	1:1000 to 1:10 000



An integrated national pharmacovigilance system



An integrated global PV system





20TH ANNUAL MEETING



ISO P Annual Meeting 2020

ISO P 2020

12-15 OCTOBER 2020,
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INTEGRATED PHARMACOVIGILANCE
FOR SAFER PATIENTS

"ACTIVITIES AND STAKEHOLDERS COMING TOGETHER
FOR MORE EFFECTIVE SYSTEMS".

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- This ISoP event will be organised in Moscow in collaboration with Roszdravnadzor.
- Faculty from the EAEU region as well as Experts from ISoP and other international institutions will be involved as presenters and panellists.
- This event will include a one-day symposium followed by a two-day training course.
- Registration will be starting at 08:30 on the Symposium day. Sessions will be starting at 09:00 and ending at 17:30.
- The venue will be announced later on the ISoP website: www.isoonline.org.
- Practical information, programme and registration forms will be available from the ISoP Secretariat Ltd. based in the UK:
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