



The FDA PMA Process for *In Vitro* Diagnostic Devices

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What is the PMA Review Process?

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Presentation Overview

- Medical device marketing applications
- Types of premarket applications (PMAs)
- Types of PMA supplements and notices



Marketing Applications

- 510(k)
 - De Novo
- PMA (PreMarket Approval)
 - Traditional PMA
 - Modular PMA

Traditional PMAs

- Required elements can be found in 21 CFR 814 and section 515 of the Food Drug & Cosmetic Act
- Also need a user fee and six copies of the entire PMA (one should be electronic)

Traditional PMAs

Review process

- Filing meeting and decision (within 45 days)
- Major deficiency letter (within 90 days)
- 100 day meeting (if needed/requested)
- Panel meeting (only if needed)
- Approval, Approvable, Not Approvable (within 180 days, MDUFA Goal)

GMP review is also conducted by OIVD

- GMP deficiency letter
- Inspection

Modular PMAs

- Complete contents of a PMA are broken down into sections or "modules," such as preclinical, clinical, manufacturing, that together become a complete application
- No inspections until the final module is submitted
- User fee is required by the time the first module is received
- Each module has a 90 day review clock

(particularly good for BiMo and Mfg sections)

Post Approval

Conditions of Approval:

- Annual reports
- Post approval studies (if needed)

Final printed labeling

Recall and medical device reporting
(MDRs)

Changes to the device typically require
PMA supplements