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New guidance mapping ISO 13485:2016 to MDR and IVDR now published

[CEN TR 17223 - Guidance on the relationship between EN ISO 13485-2016 \(Medical devices. Quality management systems. Requirements for regulatory purposes\) and European Medical Devices Regulation and In Vitro Diagnostic Medical Devices Regulation](#)



The newly published guidance will be key to understanding the



changing requirements for Medical Devices. This document maps the clauses of EN ISO 13485:2016 to the Articles and Annexes of the Regulations, and will serve as the basis for the standard's Annex Zs.

We're currently one year into the MDR and IVDR transitions, and less than one year from the end of the ISO 13485:2016 transition deadline. A robust understanding of the requirements and sufficient planning is essential for successful transitions. Ensuring conformity to the standard will support manufacturers in their MDR and IVDR transitions by satisfying some of the Regulations' QMS requirements.



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BSI's David Adams provides key update on Human Factors

New article featured in TOPRA (The Organisation for Professionals in Regulatory Affairs) magazine.

Human Factors, or Usability Engineering, is about how usable or ergonomic a product is. While this hasn't always been a key focus in the European regulatory environment, in the US there has been a much bigger drive on usability. This is, in part, because of the high number of errors or potentially avoidable deaths from misused devices.

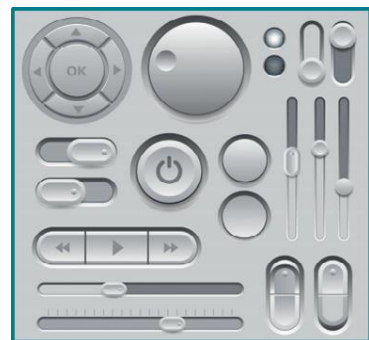
Authored by David Adams, Global Head of the BSI Active Medical Devices team, the article explores the topic of usability, its regulatory history and what's changing under the new Medical Devices and IVD Regulations. David has over 35 years' industry and regulatory experience, and is an expert on usability in medical devices, making this article an important resource for any device manufacturer.

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