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DITTA GLOBAL PRESENCE

2018: DITTA as a recognized non state actor in official relations with WHO
2016: DITTA MoU with the World Bank
2015: DITTA was granted a NGO status with WHO
2014: DITTA has official liaison with AHWP

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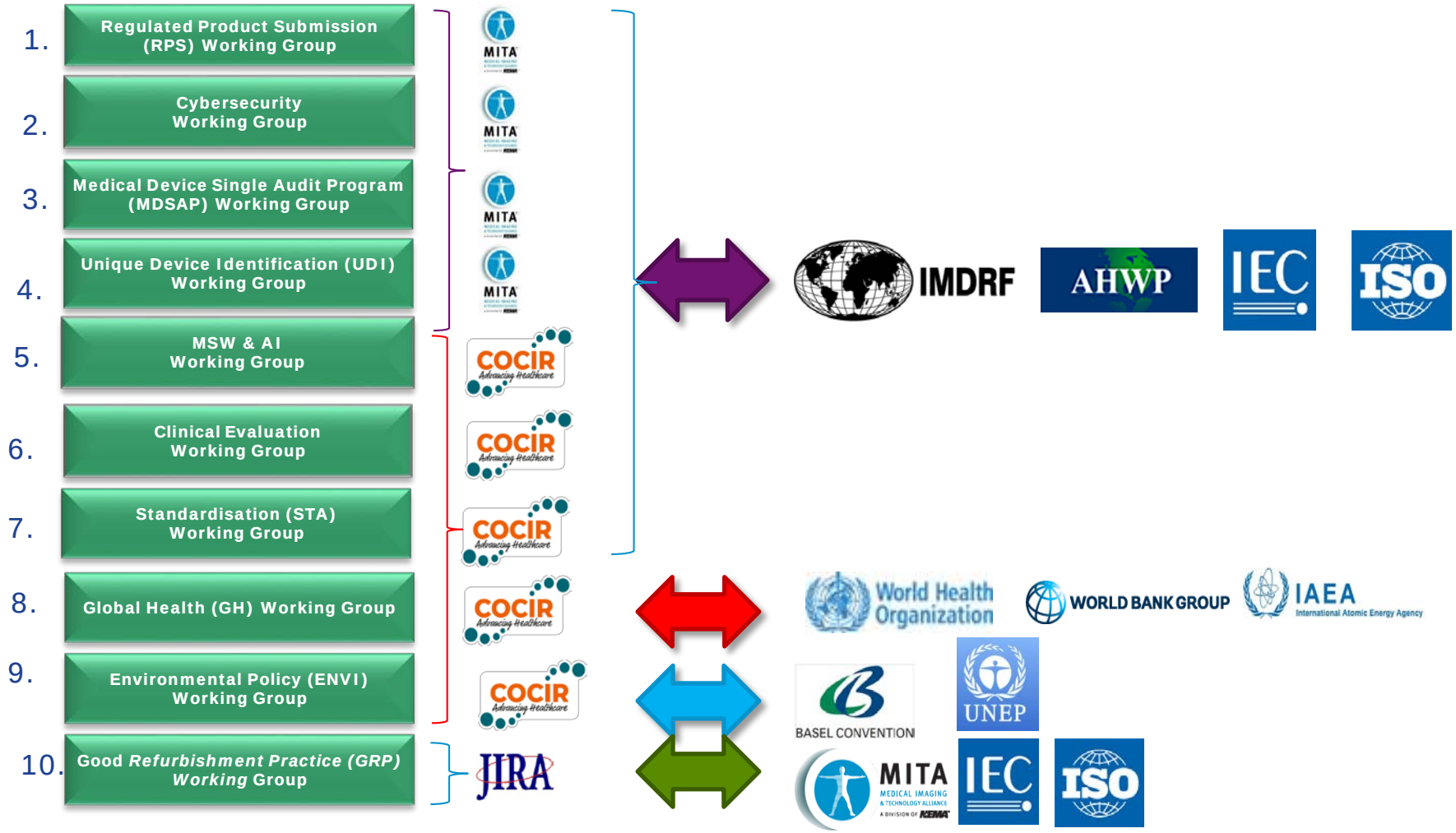
DITTA: 10 WORKING GROUPS



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1. Clinical Evaluation
2. Artificial Intelligence
3. Standards
4. Cybersecurity
5. Regulated Product Submission (RPS)
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KEY POINTS

1. Clinical Evaluation

- DITTA supports the New Work Item Proposal on Multi-Regional Clinical Trials

2. Artificial Intelligence

- DITTA supports endorsement of the draft guidance on terminology & definition for Machine Learning for public consultation

3. Standards

- DITTA emphasizes that international standards are vital for global convergence
- DITTA urges IMDRF to operationalize its liaisons to ISO and IEC to ensure regulators' input into development of standards for regulatory use

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KEY POINTS

4. Cybersecurity

- DITTA supports the IMDRF Cybersecurity WG's proactive and intensive work on SBOM and Legacy devices.
- DITTA released the white paper “Best Practices for Cybersecurity Information Sharing” in June 2021 to address the importance of information sharing with healthcare providers and share how can it be achieved.

https://www.globalditta.org/media-centre/positions-papers/article/white-paper-best-practices-for-sharing-cybersecurity-information.html

5. RPS

- DITTA supports further work on Table of Contents as essential building block towards Single Review Program

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KEY POINTS

6. MDSAP

- DITTA continues to support the MDSAP program and encourages continuous improvement of the program based on experience and input from manufacturers, AOs, and regulators
- DITTA recommends that additional jurisdictions accept MDSAP reports in place of their need for audits
- DITTA encourages the MDSAP Consortium membership to add Affiliate Members

7. Good Regulatory Review Practice (GRRP)

- DITTA supports to move towards a single regulatory premarket review process to satisfy in whole or in part the needs of multiple regulatory jurisdictions for selected medical devices

Note: Goal of GRRP: *"The goal is to promote global harmonization in the premarket review processes."*

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KEY POINTS

8. UDI

- DITTA appreciates that IMDRF co-hosted the joint workshop on UDI Global Harmonization
- DITTA supports global harmonization of UDI requirements
- DITTA strongly recommends updating document IMDRF/UDI WG/N53 FINAL:2019 “Use of UDI Data Elements across different IMDRF Jurisdictions”

IMDRF / DITTA VIRTUAL WORKSHOP ON UDI 9 SEP. 2021

UDI GLOBAL HARMONIZATION

Workshop Objectives:

- Provide an overview of IMDRF work on UDI
- Better understand how UDI is implemented in various jurisdictions
- Evaluate the experience/what industry found when applying UDI for medical devices, how UDI is used by healthcare providers
- Exchange views on how UDI can be better implemented towards global convergence

Attendance: NNN registered participants
(regulators, auditing organisations, healthcare providers, scientific societies and industries)

Keynote Speakers:

Speakers:

- IMDRF Jurisdictions: Australia TGA, Brazil ANVISA, European Commission, Japan MHLW, U.S. FDA
- Healthcare Providers: Geisinger Health System, USA
- Industries: DITTA, GMTA, KMDIA

Conclusion:

To be revised.

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