

Regulatory and Quality Project Examples

Introduction

My career to date has been in medical device manufacturing and, latterly, consulting. I have worked for and with a range of companies of various sizes and complexity, in the UK and globally. My work in start-ups has given me broad operations experience as well as quality and regulatory. This summary is a non-exhaustive overview of the regulatory and quality projects I have been engaged in.

Software Devices

Market	Clinical Area	Devices	Projects	Company size
Focus				
Brazil	Acute stroke	Al SaMD for acute stroke diagnosis from	ANVISA Clearance	SMEs
		CT imaging		
China		Al SaMD for acute stroke diagnosis from	Device classification of AI	
		CT imaging	SaMD for China	
			Class III submission: Product	
			Technical Requirements	
			authoring	
EU & UK	Acute stroke	Al SaMD for acute stroke diagnosis from	CE Certification	
		CT imaging (CADe)		
		Al SaMD for acute stroke diagnosis from		
		CTP and MR imaging		
		SaMD for acute stroke diagnosis from		
		CTA imaging		
	oncology	SaMD Image registration, display and	CE Technical Files (multiple devices)	
		multi-timepoint analysis for CT, MR, PET		
		SPECT and planar NM, for cancer		
		diagnostics & treatment monitoring		





	lung cancer	SaMD AI enabled lung nodule detection and diagnostic software	Regulatory requirements analysis, design direction and strategy: regulatory options analysis for CE marking and UKCA marking utilizing an equivalent MDR device.	
	Social anxiety	CBT Mobile app	Requirements Analysis: CSO responsibilities	Start-up
Japan	Oncology	SaMD Image registration, display and multi-timepoint analysis for CT, MR, PET SPECT and planar NM, for cancer diagnostics, treatment monitoring	PMDA registration	SME
US		SaMD Image registration, display and multi-timepoint analysis for CT, MR, PET SPECT and planar NM, for cancer diagnostics, treatment monitoring	FDA 510(k) clearance (multiple devices)	Start-up & SME
		Al SaMD for auto-segmentation of organs at risk for Radiotherapy treatment planning	FDA Pre-submissionFDA 510(k) clearance	SME
		SaMD AI enabled real-time diagnostic analysis of endoscopy gastrointestinal imaging	 Regulatory requirements analysis and strategy: regulatory assessment on existing protocols potential use for US clearance Advice on clinical trial protocol design and requirements 	Start-up
		AI SaMD for PET imaging analysis and dosimetry for y90 SIRT for liver cancer	FDA Pre-submissionFDA 510(k) clearance	SME partnered with Large multinational
	Acute stroke	SaMD for SaMD for vessel density analysis in acute stroke from CT imaging	FDA Pre-submission	SMEs





			FDA 510(k) clearance	
		AI SaMD for stroke - large vessel	FDA Pre-submission	
		occlusion detection and notification (CADt)	FDA 510(k) clearance	
		Al SaMD for acute stroke diagnosis from CT imaging	FDA 510(k) clearance	
		Al SaMD for acute stroke diagnosis from CT imaging (CADe)	 FDA Pre-submission FDA 510(k) clearance FDA 510(k) Additional Information Request FDA Submission issue request 	
US	Parkinson's Disease	Al enabled therapeutic Mobile app	Regulatory requirements analysis and strategy	Start-ups
	Stimulant use disorder	CBT Mobile app	FDA Pre-submission	
	Suicide prevention	CBT Mobile app	FDA 510(k) clearance	
	Muscular Dystrophy	SaMD AI enabled detection and recording of physical clinical assessment	Regulatory requirements analysis: digital endpoint analysis	Large multinational
	Pathology & Immunohistochemistry	Cloud hosted SaMD AI enabled digital pathology imaging and diagnostics	Regulatory requirements analysis and strategy: analysis of early stage development of SaMD to identify likely software development partners and route to market	Large multinational Pharma
		SaMD AI enabled digital pathology imaging and diagnostics	Regulatory requirements analysis, design direction and strategy	Start-up
	Dementia and Alzheimer's	SaMD AI enabled Medical Imaging diagnostics	Requirements Analysis: assessment of additional features regulatory impact on existing clearance	Start-up





			•	Gap analysis and advice: Review of cybersecurity process and information to support clearance against updated FDA cybersecurity requirements	
US	Liver fibrosis	SaMD for image analysis and diagnostics from MRI scans	•	FDA Pre-submission FDA 510(k) clearance	SME partnered with a Start-up

Physical Devices

Market Focus	Clinical Area	Device Type	Projects	Company size
Global	Acne	Acne patch	global regulatory analysis and appraisal of applicability of existing US and EU clearance	Large multinational health products
	Sexual health	Condoms	global regulatory analysis and applicability of existing US and EU clearance	Large multinational health products
	Allergies and colds	Nasal spray	global regulatory analysis and appraisal of applicability of existing US and EU clearance	Large multinational health products
US	General surgery	Electrosurgical cutting device	 FDA Cybersecurity Requirements Analysis FDA Pre-submission FDA 510(k) clearance 	SME
		Ultrasonic surgical device	Technical analysis of claims for updated device version	SME



	Pre-term labor	Photo biomodulation/light therapy device	Regulatory analysis, strategy and design direction	Start-up
	Sleep apnea	Dental	FDA 510(k) clearance	SME

Combinations

Market	Clinical Area	Device Type	Projects	Company size
Focus				
US	Heart failure	Combination: cloud hosted	FDA Pre-submission	Large
		Al analysis software,		multinational
		mobile app & electronic		Pharma
		stethoscope		
	Menstrual	Combination: Mobile app,	Regulatory pathway and requirements analysis and	Large
	migraine	wearable device and Al	strategy	multinational
		diagnostic algorithm		Pharma
	breast cancer	Combination: sensor glove,	Regulatory requirements analysis and strategy	Start up
		mobile app and cloud		
		hosted AI analysis		
		algorithm.		
	Post-partum	SaMD AI enabled device to	Regulatory requirements analysis, design direction	Start up
	hemorrhage	detect and predict PPH	and strategy	
		from biometric data from	Regulatory requirements analysis: Clinical study	
		wearables	analysis and requirements for BDD submission.	
			Break through Device Designation submission	
			FDA pre-submission	



QA

Project Type
Gap analysis and remediation of QMS for ISO 13485:2016 requirements
Gap analysis and remediation of QMS against MDR requirements
CER, Risk management and development process design updates against MDR
Gap analysis and remediation against ISO 14155:2020 Clinical investigation of medical devices for human subjects — Good clinical practice
Gap analysis and remediation of QMS against IEC 62304 requirements
Gap analysis and remediation of QMS against ISO 14971 requirements
Gap analysis and remediation of QMS against ANVISA requirements
Gap analysis against China regulatory standards requirements for AI SaMD
Creation and development of FDA 21 CFR Part 820, EU MDR and UK MDR compliant QMS
QMS process design for ISO 13485, ISO 14971, IEC 62304, IEC 82304 IEC 62366, CFR 820
Internal and supplier auditing
Software Development Lifecycle processes remediation