# **D LEARNING**

**EudraVigilance Data Analysis System (EVDAS): Practical** Approach on Use for Signal Management in the EU 18-20 February 2025 | 13:00-17:00 CET



## Overview

This virtual live training course will teach concepts, access policy, and use of the EudraVigilance Data Analysis System (EVDAS) for signal detection. Experienced trainers using EVDAS on a regular basis will share practical advice on how to download and interpret the data and use it for signal detection.

The EVDAS supports EU pharmacovigilance safety monitoring activities with the focus on signal detection and evaluation of Individual Case Safety Reports (ICSRs). Marketing authorisation holders (MAH) with active substances included in the list published by the European Medicines Agency (EMA) have to monitor and inform authorities of validated signals with their medicines. EU Good Pharmacovigilance Practices (GVP) Module VII "Periodic Safety Update Reports (PSUR)" states that also for other active substances, MAHs are expected to include data from EudraVigilance (EV) whenever there are signal evaluations in the PSUR triggered by other sources of information.

The course is based on the current guidelines on GVP Module IX - Signal management, Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No. 520/2012. Time has been set aside for practical exercises, questions, and discussions.

## Learning Objectives

At the conclusion of this virtual live training course, participants will be able to:

- Identify regulatory requirements for Signal Management in Europe (GVP IX and Addendum I)
- Describe principles of screening EV for adverse reactions and the EV data access
- Identify levels and methods of access to ICSRs data and understand the terminology of EVDAS
- Discuss the use of active substance grouping reports, and electronic reaction monitoring reports (eRMRs)
- Analyse eRMRs with various reference periods and line listings and document your assessments
- Identify potential signals and know how to escalate them to the National Competent Authorities (NCAs) and the EMA

## Who Will Attend

This virtual live training course is aimed at professionals who work in:

- Pharmacovigilance (including QPPVs)
- Drug Safety and Patient Safety Risk Management
- Information Technology
- Pharmacovigilance Data Management
- Pharmacovigilance Consultancies
- Quality and Compliance

Course level: Intermediate, for professionals with 2-3 years of experience in Pharmacovigilance who work in the area of signal management but have no or limited experience on how to use EVDAS for signal detection.

## Faculty

#### **Calin Lungu**

**CEO** 

**Drug Development Consulting Services** Luxemburg

#### **Vojtech Kvita**

**Executive Director NextPV Services** Czech Republic

#### **Rodrigo Postigo**

Scientific Administrator **EMA** Netherlands

## **Key Topics**

- · GVP IX and Addendum I
- Screening for adverse reactions in EV
- Principles of access in EV
- Practical use of EVDAS and exercises
- eRMR analysis and documentation
- Line listing analysis
- · CMDh list of safety concerns
- · Referrals page on the EMA website
- · List of signals discussed by the PRAC since 2012
- How to escalate signals, e.g. stand-alone notification, ESI



## DAY 1

#### 13:00 WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION

#### 13:30 SESSION 1

#### **GVP IX**

#### Calin Lungu and Vojtech Kvita

- · GVP Module Changes
- Signal Management Terminology
- Signal Notification Process

#### 14:30 SESSION 2

## ADDENDUM I TO GVP IX AND SCREENING FOR ADVERSE REACTIONS IN EUDRAVIGILANCE

#### Calin Lungu and Vojtech Kvita

- Disproportionate Reporting
- Signal Detection Methods
- Introduction to EVDAS

#### 15:30 **BREAK**

#### 15:45 SESSION 3

### PRINCIPLES OF ACCESS IN EUDRAVIGILANCE

#### Calin Lungu and Vojtech Kvita

- EudraVigilance Stakeholders
- EV Access Levels
- MLM Reports

#### 17:00 END OF DAY 1

## DAY 2

#### 13:00 SESSION 4

## **EVDAS PILOT**

#### Calin Lungu and Vojtech Kvita

- Transitional Arrangements
- EVDAS Pilot Experience

#### 13:30 SESSION 5

#### **EVDAS AND PRACTICAL EXERCISES**

#### Calin Lungu and Vojtech Kvita

- eRMR analysis and documentation
- Line listing analysis
- · Communication of potential duplicates to the EMA
- · Other sources of information
  - CMDh list of safety concerns
  - Referrals page on the EMA website
  - List of signals discussed by the PRAC since 2012
  - Literature search including non-clinical safety

#### findings

How to escalate signals, e.g. stand-alone notification, ESI

#### 17:00 END OF DAY 2

\*There will be a 15 min break around 15:00.

## DAY 3

## 13:00 SESSION 5 CONTINUED

## **EVDAS AND PRACTICAL EXERCISES**

Calin Lungu and Vojtech Kvita

16:00 QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

## **USE OF THE MAHS EVDAS DASHBOARD**

Calin Lungu, Vojtech Kvita and Rodrigo Postigo

## 17:00 END OF THE VIRTUAL LIVE TRAINING COURSE

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