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Procurement and Purchase meet GMP

Live Online Training on 25/26 June 2024

Authorities' Expectations, Regulatory Requirements, Practical Implementation

Highlights

- Regulatory Requirements and Expectations
- Documentation Requirements
- GMP Requirements for Raw Materials
- Supplier Contract Management Qualification
- Supplier Qualification
- Requirements on Packaging Materials and Production Equipment
- GDP Effects
- Process Improvement
- Case Study

GDP Effects on Purchase and Procurement

Objective

During this Live Online Training, experts from purchase, quality management, consultants and authorities will show you

- the critical fields of purchase and procurement for pharmaceutical manufacturing
- examples of the coordination and practical implementation of the GMP requirements on
  - QC
  - supplier qualification
  - packaging materials
  - maintenance.
- how GDP affects procurement and purchase

And last but not least, the speaker team provides you with information about the expectations of the responsible authorities and the relevant guidelines.

Background

During the last years, the developments of computer technologies gave purchasers a lot of possibilities to optimise content management and merchandise management, reduction of suppliers. Direct connection with suppliers' systems enabled a faster, clearly arranged and more effective procurement. The World Wide Web, online tendering and auctions made the comparison of suppliers and costs easier than ever before.

But for the manufacturing of products under the regulations of drug licensing and GMP, like drug substances, drug products and medical devices, during all optimisation of purchase and procurement, purchasers must be aware of these regulatory requirements. Especially the change of suppliers, process relevant materials or parts of the qualified production plant must be planned in a direct cooperation with the quality management. Such changes necessities maybe a new validation of the process, a new qualification of the manufacturing plant and for sure, a change control procedure. This can affect additional costs, maybe more than the saving effect of the change and in a worst case; a not coordinated change can cause the lost of a product licensing.

Target Audience

This Live Online Training is for those who are involved in purchase and procurement for GMP regulated manufacturing as well as for responsible persons from QC and QA who are in cooperation with the purchase and procurement of their companies.

Programme

Procurement for GMP Manufacturing – Regulatory Requirements and Expectations

- Which regulations are applicable?
- Marketing authorisation
- Manufacturing and import licensing
- Supplier qualification: equipment, starting materials, disposables and consumables
- Risk-based qualification and validation

Consumables for GMP Areas – "C-items" and their Impact

- What impact do consumables have in terms of cost and quality?
- Specifications of the user and effective action of the purchasing department
- Risk assessment and evaluation in the event of a possible product change (change control)
- Possible internal cots, depending on the respective consumable, in the case of a product change.

GMP Requirements for Raw Materials

- What are raw materials?
- What is "pharmaceutical grade" for excipients?
- GMP for raw materials – risk assessment
- GMP requirements for final intermediate & APIs
- Supplier qualification & traceability

Requirements of Packaging Materials

- Liabilities
- Limitations
- The challenge for packaging purchasing
- Regulations and their requirements for packaging materials
- New products and their applicators
- Extended challenges for packaging purchasing

Supplier Contract Management

- Quality and risk management
- Technical agreements
- cGMP requirements
- Control of content

Change Control – Part I

- Impact and consequences
- Submissions – Friend or enemy?
- Why ignorance is dangerous

Change Control – Part II

- Case Studies:
  - Lectures from supply chain disruptions
  - Why packaging can be a major headache

Documentation for GMP Materials – What is necessary? Retention Periods

- Regulatory requirements
- Defense against legal claims
- Liabilities
- Limitations

Qualification of Technical Suppliers - a Risk-based Approach

- Technical equipment and utilities
- Analytical equipment & reagents
- Supplies, disposables and consumables - What regulations apply?
- Risk-based qualification and procurement

GDP Effects on Procurement and Purchase

- GDP requirements to manufacturer
- Ideas to handle the requirements
- Discussions between the involved departments

Supply Chain Improvement or Continuous (Process) Improvement - What is it? How can it be Implemented at 100% Capacity with Potential Regulatory Hurdles?

- What is Lean, Six Sigma, Scrum, Agile... and why the system doesn't matter in the end
- Ideo, the design champions and what we can learn from them
- Why all this can actually be very simple. Improvements in purchasing and supply chain at 100% capacitiy and a completely regulated environment

Case Study: Time is Money – Reconstruction & Building of a Pharmaceutical Production

- Why this topic? - The special situation?
- Good start of the project! - a long time ago
- The arising budget issue!?
- The result of the different budget issue solutions!
- My key learnings - or perhaps "take home messages" for some participants.


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Dr Frank Denzler is head of pharmaceutical procurement at Vetter Pharma Fertigung GmbH & Co. KG, an international CDMO to the pharmaceutical industry and specialist in the production of aseptically prefilled syringe systems, cartridges and vials. He owns a PhD in economics and previously worked for several years in management consulting as well as in the chemical industry.

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Dr Manuel Hafner received his PhD in biochemistry in Vienna and worked in various positions at Siemens Healthineers, Roche Diagnostics, Jungbunzlauer, Takeda and handle medical GmbH. He now has 10 years of experience in pharmaceutical and diagnostic research and development, production, supply chain management, automation design, marketing, product management, quality and operational excellence. He currently works at Loba Biotech GmbH as Deputy Head of Manufacturing.

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Mr Moschner studied engineering in Karlsruhe. Until 2023, he was Managing Director of Dastex with a special focus on the development and optimisation of cleanroom garments. Among other things, he was involved in the creation of the VDI 2083 chapter for cleanroom equipment. Since 2023, Carsten Moschner has been working as a freelance consultant in the field of contamination control.

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Stephan Schmitt-Koopmann has a pharmacist graduation in Germany as well as in Switzerland and additional studied economies at Fernuniversität Hagen. He worked in diverse positions for MSD, Novartis and Merck Switzerland. In 2014 he started his own company and offers consulting services ad interim like Qualified Person, Quality Supplier Management, QRM, CAPA and more.

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Franz Schönfeld is a pharmacist by profession. After his graduation, he worked at a hospital in Nuremberg and at a retailer in Bayreuth. In 2003 he joined the local GMP inspectorate in Ansbach before he was transferred to Munich and Bayreuth. He was formerly deputy head of the national experts group for radiopharmaceuticals and is now head of the national expert group for APIs and excipients.

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Date of the Live Online Training

Tuesday, 25 June 2024,
09.00 h - approx. 18.00 h CEST
Wednesday, 26 June 2024,
09.00 h - approx. 16.30 h CEST

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Conference language

The official conference language will be English.

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