

Agenda GMP Training 2025

Manufacture and controls of biologicals

(application of PIC/S Annex 2b, EudraLex Annex 2) 20-21 May 2025, Hotel Banana City, Winterthur, Switzerland

Day 1: Tuesday, 20 May 2025

Time	Topics	Speakers/Moderators
09:00	Registration	
09:30	Welcome address	
	Introduction of the topic	Barbara Herzog Swissmedic
09:45	Introduction into PIC/S Annex 2b/EMA Annex 2 Biologicals	Kevin Bailey MHRA
10:30	"Bio Break"	
10:45	Zone concept, CCS, SUS from the Industry perspective	David Churchward Astra Zeneca
11:45	"Bio Break"	
12:00	Application of Annex 2B in the industry: real case	Marion Quartier Merck Biotech Development Center
12:45	Lunch (Hotel Banana City)	
14:00	Contamination Control in Biotech Manufacture	Christina Meissner AGES Austrian Agency for Health and Food Safety
14:45	tbd	
15:30	Coffee break (Hotel Banana City)	
16:00	Zone concept/monitoring and application of Annex 1 for biologics Cleanroom classifications – application of particulate & microbial contamination limits for the relevant grades, certification & qualification of cleanrooms/HVACs, application of appropriate environmental controls and monitoring and clothing requirements for the relevant cleanliness grades etc.	Catherine Neary HPRA, Health Products Regulatory Authority, Irland
17:00	Risk Management and Annex 2B	Swissmedic
17:30	End of day 1	
18:30	All participants are kindly invited for dinner Meeting at Restaurant STRAUSS Restaurant STRAUSS Stadthausstrasse 8, Winterthur	



Day 2: Wednesday, 21 May 2025

Time	Topics	Speakers/Moderators
09:00	 Workshops 1st run Examples from real inspections and lessons learned Workshop 1: Practical Examples of Contamination Control in Biotech Manufacture Workshop 2: Implementation of Annex 1 in biologicals Workshop 3: Different topics of Annex 2B 	Christina Meissner & Kevin Bailey Moderator Workshop 1 Catherine Neary Moderator Workshop 2 Swissmedic Moderator Workshop 3
10:00	Coffee break (Hotel Banana City)	
10.30	 Workshops 2nd run Examples from real inspections and lessons learned Workshop 1: Practical Examples of Contamination Control in Biotech Manufacture Workshop 2: Implementation of Annex 1 in biologicals Workshop 3: Different topics of Annex 2B 	Christina Meissner & Kevin Bailey Moderator Workshop 1 Catherine Neary Moderator Workshop 2 Swissmedic Moderator Workshop 3
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12:00	Lunch (Hotel Banana City)	
13:30	 Workshops 3rd run Examples from real inspections and lessons learned Workshop 1: Practical Examples of Contamination Control in Biotech Manufacture Workshop 2: Implementation of Annex 1 in biologicals Workshop 3 Different topics of Annex 2B 	Christina Meissner & Kevin Bailey Moderator Workshop 1 Catherine Neary Moderators Workshop 2 Swissmedic Moderator Workshop 3
	Annex 1 and ATMPs – Developments in the EU	Christina Meissner
14:30		
14:30 15:00	Coffee break (Hotel Banana City)	
	Coffee break (Hotel Banana City) Workshop summary 1-3: presentation and discussion	Workshop moderators and participants
15:00		