

Published Standard Number 1 – Applications (National)

Application number	Application type	Number of applications	Performance	Target days
1	Complex timetable (National new MA applications) Complex new MA applications, e.g. novel therapies, new actives	66	100%	210.0
2	Major timetable (National) New MA applications (excl. MAPI and Copycats)	2	100%	180.0
3	Standard timetable (National Type II VRA. New MA - Copycats. New VHRs)	322	100%	120.0
4	Shortened timetable (Type IB VRA. New ATC (type B). Out of Scope MRLs)	237	99.6%	60.0
5	Minor timetable (National) Type IA VNRA. Administrative Type IB VRA. New ATC (Type A/S). ATC variations.	1544	98.7%	30.0
6	Parallel Assessment with EU Procedures	657	99.7%	-
7	Batch timetable (National) specific Batch Control	52	100%	20.0
8	Autogenous Vaccines. New & Variations	5	100%	45.0

Published Standard Number 1 – Applications (Other)

Application number	Application Type	Number of applications	Performance
9	Mock-up period completed within 20 days (or up to 40 days for parallel applications involving different QRD sources)	947	98.8%
10	Validation	1638	96.4%
11	Issue of authorised documentation	3382	99.8%

Published Standard Number 1 – Applications (European- NI)

Application number	Application Type	Number of applications	Performance
12	New Decentralised (DCP)	23	100%
13	New Mutual Recognition (MRP)	1	100%
14	MRP Variations (Type IB & II)	393	99.7%

Published Standard Number 2 – Public Assessment Reports

Application number	Application type	Total number	Performance
15	Publishing Summary of Product Characteristics (SPCs)	120	100%
16	Publishing Public Assessment Reports (PuARs)	92	100%
17	Updating PuARs	4	100%

Published Standard Number 3 – Quality of Documentation

Application number	Application type	Number of applications	Performance
18	Unreturned Documents	6692	95.2%

Published Standard Number 4 – Product Defects

Task number	Task	Number of tasks	Performance
19	Product Defects reports	68	100%
	High risk <5 days	15	-
	Low risk <10 days	53	-

Published Standard Number 5 – Import, Export and Batch Release Schemes

Application number	Application Type	No of Apps	Performance	Target Days
20	Applications for new products	206	99%	15/25
21	Applications for previously imported products	258	99.5%	15
22	All other urgent applications	237	100%	-
	Urgent	0	-	2
	Non Urgent	237	-	10
23	Instant Import Certificates	36,266	-	-
24	Export	249	100%	10
25	Batch Release	2458	99.9%	10

Published Standard Number 6 – Pharmacovigilance

Task number	Task	No.	Performance
26	Human, Animal & Environmental AERs	693	96.4%
27	Validate & extract all UK data from PSURs	1353	100%
28	PSUR Data fully validated, database closed by 25/12/2025	-	-
29	Send final inspection report to MAH	15	100%
30	Number of Benefit-Risk reports validated	1151	100%
31	Number of Benefit-Risk reports undergoing full assessment	8	100%
32	Number of standard signal notifications	81	91.4%
33	Number of urgent signal notifications	-	-

Published Standard Number 7 – Inspections

Task number	Task	No.	Performance	Target Days
34	Inspections within 3 years (GMP)	27	100%	-
	Within 5 years (GDP) of last inspection	67	Joint with above	-
35	Inspection Deficiency Reports	79	100%	30.0
36	(GMP) Certificates or (GDP) final reports sent	82	100%	90.0
37	Approval of new Feed business operators and SQP retailer sites	33	100%	45.0
38	Final inspection report to Feed business operators and SQP retailers	243	100%	30.0

Published Standard Number 8 – Enforcement

Task number	Task	No.	Performance
39	Quarterly VMR Breaches	3	100%

Published Standard Number 9 – Residues

Task number	Task	No.	Performance
40	Quarterly Non-Compliance Data	3	100%
41	Sample Testing	22,175	98.8%

Additional information

The VMD continuously monitors all targets and puts in place countermeasures, where possible, to ensure targets are met.