

ISPE

Introduction to ISPE GOOD PRACTICE GUIDE:
APPLIED RISK MANAGEMENT FOR COMMISSIONING AND QUALIFICATION

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Agenda

- Background
- Introduction and Overview of ISPE Good Practice Guide:
“Applied Risk Management for Commissioning and Qualification”
- GPG Content Overview

History of “*Applied Risk Management for C&Q*”

- 2008 Tampa Meeting - Direction to develop a GPG supporting transitions from traditional practices provided by ISPE Technical Documents Steering Committee and assigned to C&Q CoP Steering Committee. Block and Dolgin co-leaders.
- 2010 Annual Meeting - “Rev. B” (first complete) draft submitted to C&Q CoP task team and TDSC
- December 2010 – Draft distributed for select industry review
- Washington 2011 – Task team review of response to comments
- Summer 2011 – Final draft rewrites and completion
- October 2011 – “ARM for C&Q” published



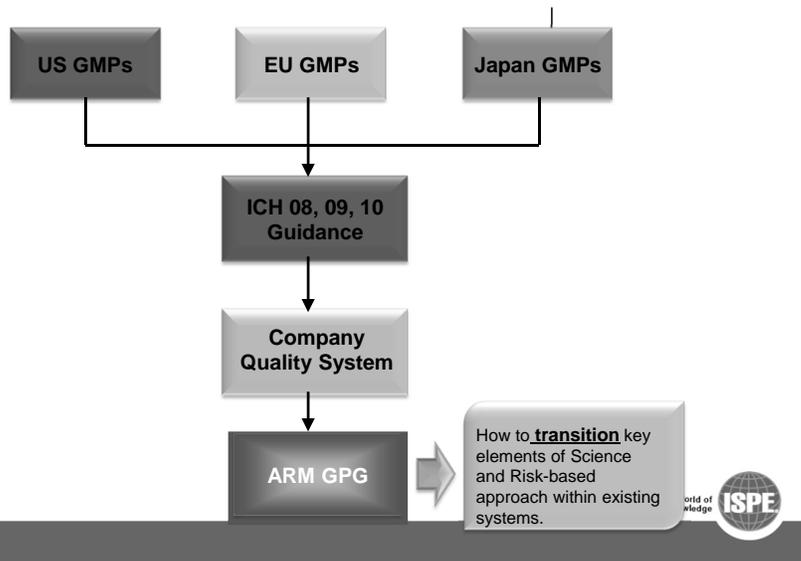
FSE Guide *and* a GPG?

We just heard about the new guide;
“*Science and Risk-Based Approach for the Delivery of Facility Systems and Equipment*” (FSE) published in June 2011

Why is ISPE also issuing a new Good Practice Guide on Risk Management for C&Q too?



Relationship of the GPG to cGMP and Company QMS



FSE / GPG Comparison

FSE Guide

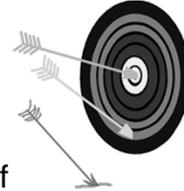
- Direct implementation
- Verification terminology
- ASTM E 2500 roles / responsibilities in place

C&Q GPG

- Transitional approaches
- Traditional C&Q terminology
- Organizational transition based on maturity

Primary Objectives of the C&Q GPG

- Describe the application of Quality Risk Management to traditional C&Q practices
- Link the traditional terminology of C&Q (as per BG5) to the Verification terminology of BG12 / ASTM E 2500
- Outline bridging strategies for organizations with well-established Qualification-based Quality Systems and legacy FSE with document histories
- Provide a “roadmap” for the spectrum of potential approaches from BG5 to the FSE Guide, ASTM E 2500 and ICH Q9



ARM for C&Q GPG as a “Bridge”

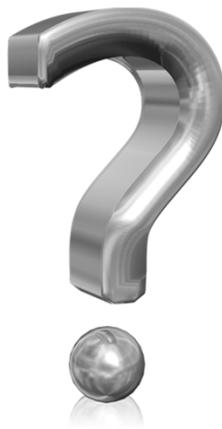


Rationale for Transitional Strategies

- “Traditional” language embedded in Quality Systems
- Costs of document change and historical libraries
- Practical need for classification systems
- QRM approach has pre-requisites
- Organizations need to get ready to be successful – but also need to continue to do business
- Purely traditional approaches becoming non-compliant as well as non-cost-competitive



Transitional Questions



- How do you define new Roles & Responsibilities within existing organizational structures?
- How do you establish / integrate Good Engineering Practices (GEPs)?
- How do you develop process requirements (PUR) for older processes lacking formal development documentation?
- What are appropriate documentation standards for commissioning work leveraged for Qualification?
- How do you comply with non-risk-based Quality System requirements and still obtain maximum value?
- How do you apply risk-based approaches to the lifecycle management of legacy (existing) systems?



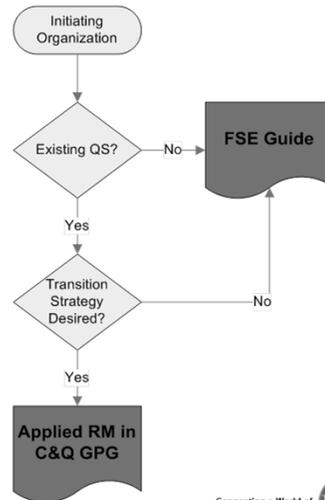
Decision Guide to Guides

FSE Guide for Organizations:

- With new or flexible Quality Systems
- Without significant legacy terminology / mechanisms
- Organizationally capable

C&Q GPG for Organizations:

- Established Quality Systems
- Embedded terminology
- Traditional culture
- Developing organizational maturity curve



ARM in C&Q GPG Overview

Chapters	Titles
1	Introduction
2	Fundamentals of Applied Risk Mgmt for C&Q
3	Operation and Continuous Improvement
4	Supporting Practices
5	Quality Risk Management
6	Cost Control and Process Performance
7	Applications and Considerations for Specialty Facilities

App.1 – Developing Appropriate U-Requirements

App.2 – C&Q Plans

App.3 – Organizational Maturity Model

App.4 – Commissioning

App.5 – References

App.6 – Glossary



Fundamental Topics

- C&Q Process Overview and Prerequisites
- C&Q Process Flow
- Quality Unit Approval
- Qualification – Suitability for Intended Use
- Process User Requirements
- Specification and Design
- C&Q Planning
- Commissioning
- Guidelines for Turn-Over-Packages
- Qualification
- Process Performance Qualification (PPQ or PV)
- Acceptance and Release



Operation/Continuous Improvement Topics

- Legacy System Life Cycle Flow
- Objectives of Science-and-Risk-Based Life Cycles
- Maintenance, Calibration and Continued Suitability for Use
- Continued Verification
- Change Management and Continuous Improvement for Existing Qualified Systems
- Transitioning Strategies for Legacy Systems
- Legacy Automation Systems



Supporting Practices

- Transitional Approaches for C&Q Quality Systems
- Engineering Quality Systems
- Roles and Responsibilities in a Risk-Based Process
- Verification Documentation Practices
- Supplier Issues and Uses of Supplier Documentation



Quality Risk Management

- Significance of ICH Q9
- General QRM Process
- Quality Risks
- The Role of QRM for C&Q
- Assessment of Quality Risks
- Control of Quality Risks
- Quality Risk Assessment Tools
- Human Heuristics and Affect on Risk Assessment
- Risk Assessment Transition Strategies



Cost Control and Process Performance

- C&Q Transitional Activities Impacting Costs
- C&Q Cost Definition
- C&Q Cost Controls
- C&Q Efficiency
- C&Q Process Quality



Applications and Considerations for Specialty Facilities

- Identification of Risks
- C&Q Requirements for Specialty Facilities
- Contract Manufacturing/Packaging Facilities
- Warehouse Facilities



Appendices

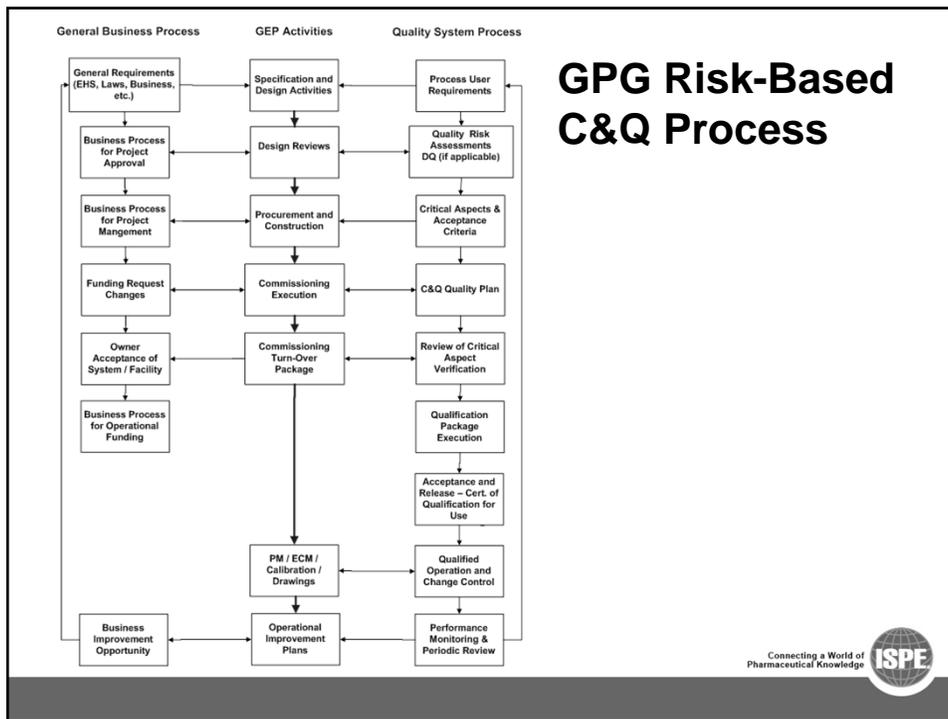
1. Developing Appropriate User Requirements
 - Process vs. General Requirements
 - Critical Aspects vs. Process Requirements
 - Identification and Documentation of Critical Aspects
2. C&Q Plans
 - Objectives and Contents
3. Organizational Maturity Model
 - Example model to assess organizational readiness and strategy
4. Commissioning
 - Shared content with FSE Guide
5. References
6. Glossary



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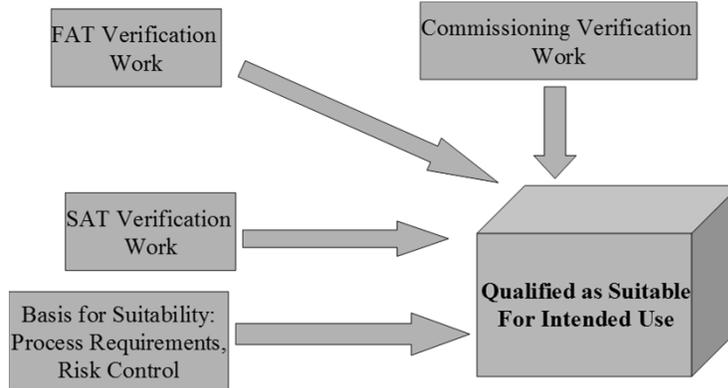




GPG Quality Unit Approval Points

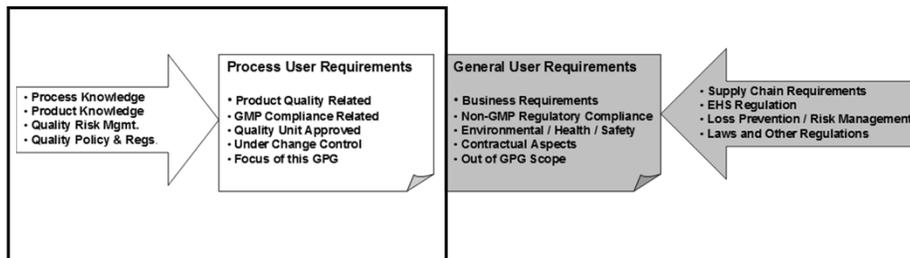
1. Process User Requirements
2. Quality Risk Assessments
3. Critical Aspects and Acceptance Criteria
4. C&Q Plans
5. Qualification Summary Reports
6. Acceptance and Release

Documented Evidence of Suitability



User Requirements – Basis of Suitability

Quality Requirements



PURs vs. Critical Aspects

PURS...	CRITICAL ASPECTS...
Are "process" based, linked to support of CPPs and CQAs	Are facility or system based, linked to prevention, mitigation or detection of quality risks, risks to PURs
Are the "what" a system must do or provide in order to assure that product meets all applicable specifications	Are "how" a system will meet or support the applicable PURs
Can and must be identified by users and associated SMEs and are best determined using a multi-disciplinary review based on science and process knowledge	Are typically identified or designed by Engineering SMEs in accordance with Good Engineering Practices (GEPs) and are best determined through risk assessment (formal or informal)
Validated as part of PQ or PV	Qualified through a program of physical and functional verification
Quality unit should be involved in development and must be included in approval, typically as part of a VRB, and documented in a standalone URS, DQ, or other VRB approved format	Are developed as part of the engineering design and must be listed along with acceptance (design) criteria in some Quality unit/VRB approved format (C&Q Plan, DQ, IQ/OQ protocols, etc.)
Are generally "fixed" by the process, and not typically subject to frequent or significant changes once approved (change control required for already approved PURs)	May be iterative and change as designs and/or control strategies are developed and modified (change control required for already approved Critical Aspects and associated criteria)



Risk Assessment at the Site Level

Product Process Risk Assessment and Control Strategy

Same Everywhere Process is Run



Manufacturing Risk Assessment Site A

Manufacturing Risk Assessment Site B

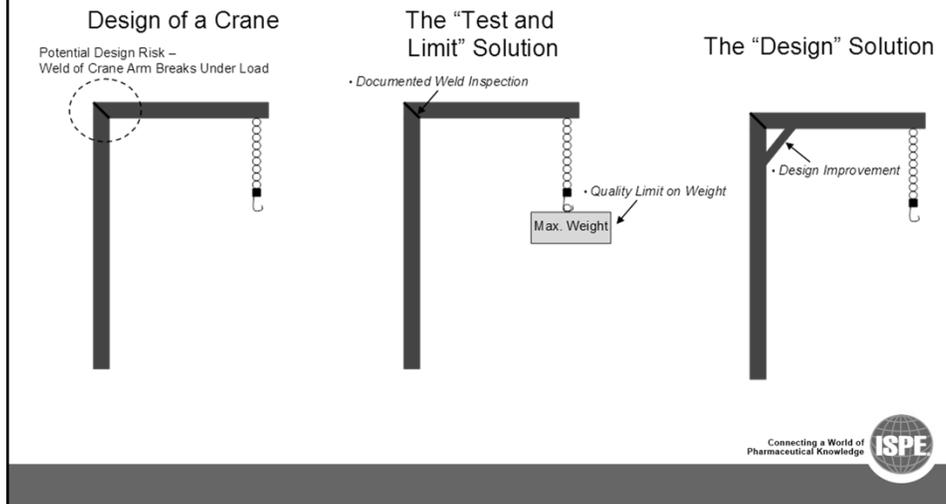
Site specific manufacturing conditions and control strategies considering:

- Batch Size (scale)
- Equipment
- Facility
- Utilities
- Infrastructure
- Environment
- Personnel

Site Level C/Q/V Considerations



Quality by Design – Not Just for Products



Human Heuristics in Risk Assessment

- Defined as: "Cognitive behaviors that can influence how individuals make judgments in the face of uncertainty"
- Represents a seriously underestimated issue in pharmaceutical industry use of risk assessment
- **Bottom line message:**

Can't use risk-based approaches unless we can effectively and consistently estimate risk – there is more to this than just 5 people sitting down to do an FMEA – if we don't get better at risk assessment as a science, regulators are going to help us

In Summary...

- ARM for C&Q GPG describes strategies for transitioning from traditional BG5 approaches to Q9 and ASTM E 2500 risk-based methodologies
- RBAs can be win-win-win-win; cheaper, faster, more compliant, better product quality for patients
- Can't just flip a switch – organizational capabilities are a prerequisite
- Cost/Value equation different for all firms – choose your path
- Doing nothing is a decision too



Questions ?



Thank You!

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