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The Global IDMP Working Group (GIDWG) has developed a framework for implementing ISO IDMP (identification of medicinal products) standards globally. This transformative framework will make it easier to identify similar medicinal products, at different levels of granularity, across national boundaries and regulatory jurisdictions.

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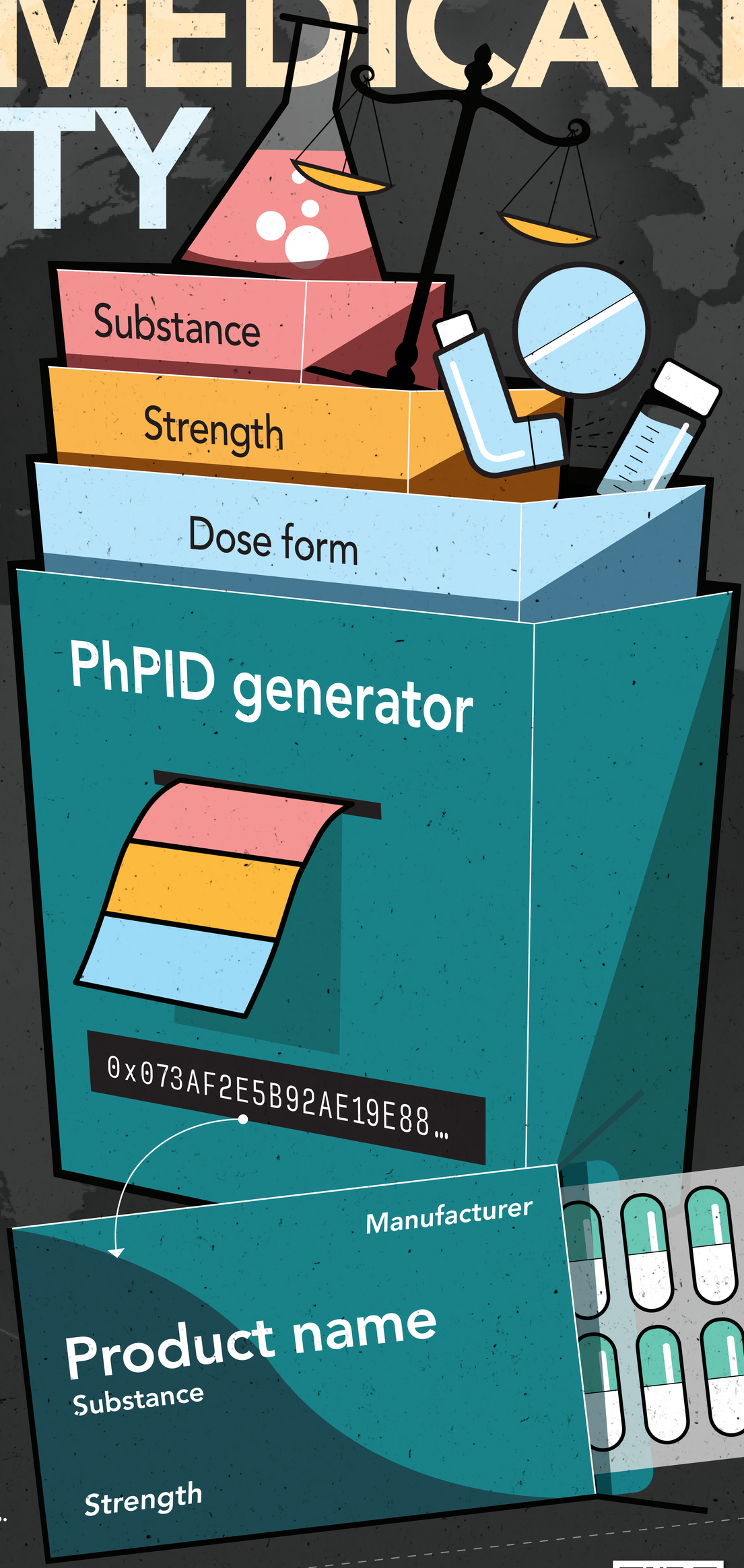
Working group

GIDWG is composed of subject matter experts from regulatory authorities, standards development organisations, the pharmaceutical industry (IFPMA), World Health Organization, and Uppsala Monitoring Centre.



Medicinal product

The global PhPID is the medicinal product's "common denominator" from country to country, regardless of what name it is known by or how it is prescribed, dispensed, or used. This can help regulators to solve pharmacovigilance challenges and address medication shortages.

PhPID components

GIDWG has developed guidelines and best practices for generating global IDMP pharmaceutical product identifiers (PhPIDs) and their constituent components: substance, pharmaceutical dose form, strength, and units.

Global identifier

Medicinal product data vary in structure, format, and content across regulatory jurisdictions. Creating unique global identifiers for medicinal products makes it easier for regulators to find and exchange medicinal product information.

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