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**Retos de futuro en investigación clínica,
¿cómo adaptar la estructura para dar
soporte a proyectos tecnológicos?**

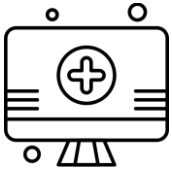
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Medical intended purpose



Action on data **different from:**

- **Storage**
- **Archival**
- **Communication**
- **Simple search**



Action for the benefit of **individual patients**

**Regulation (EU)
2017/745 (MDR) on
medical devices**

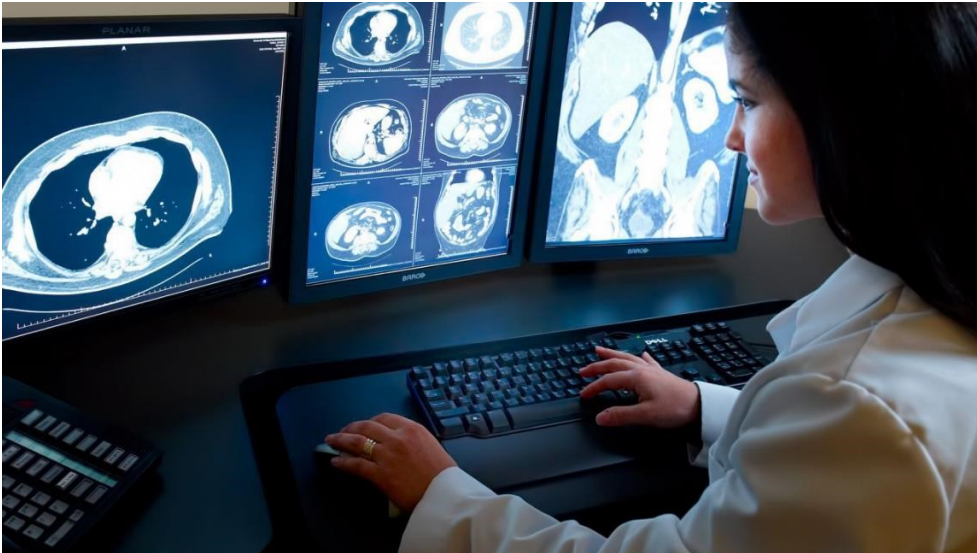
- Outside scope IVDR
- Non-IVD main data sources

**Regulation (EU) 2017/746
(IVDR) on *in vitro* diagnostic
medical devices**

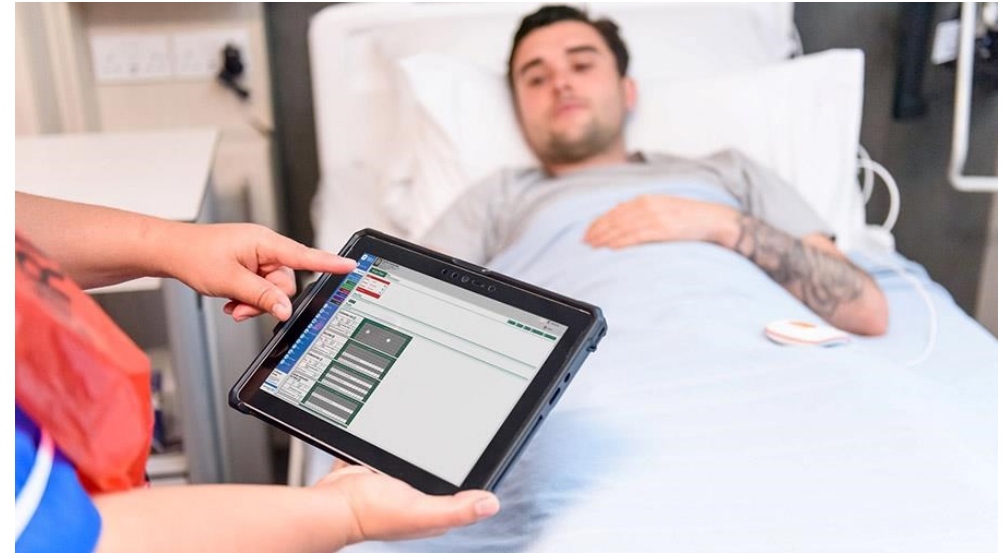
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A Picture Archiving and Communication System (PACS), which only **displays and stores** images



An Electronic Patient Record (EPR) system, which solely **replaces paper files**





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PACS, which enables reporting of **additional treatments** such as radiotherapy, image manipulation, or includes a feature to compare images to specify the **progression of a disease**



Smartwatch application, which is intended to **send alarm notifications** to the user and/or **healthcare professional** when it recognises irregular heartbeats in order to detect **cardiac arrhythmias**



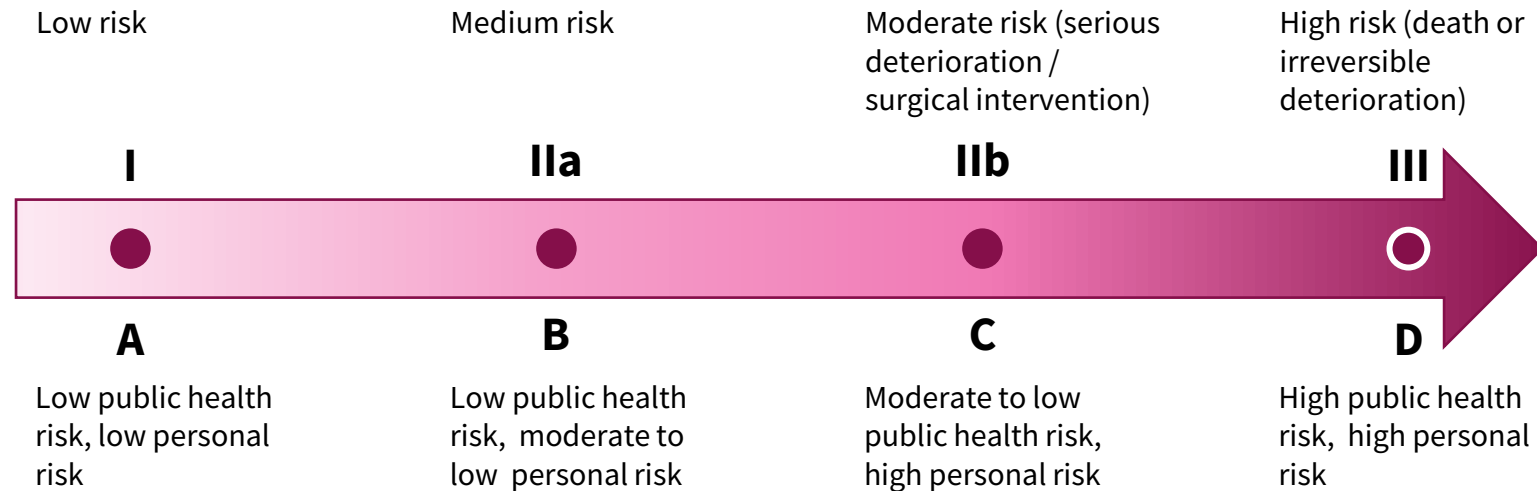
Risk Classification

MDR (EU) 2017/745

Annex VIII – MDR: Rule 11

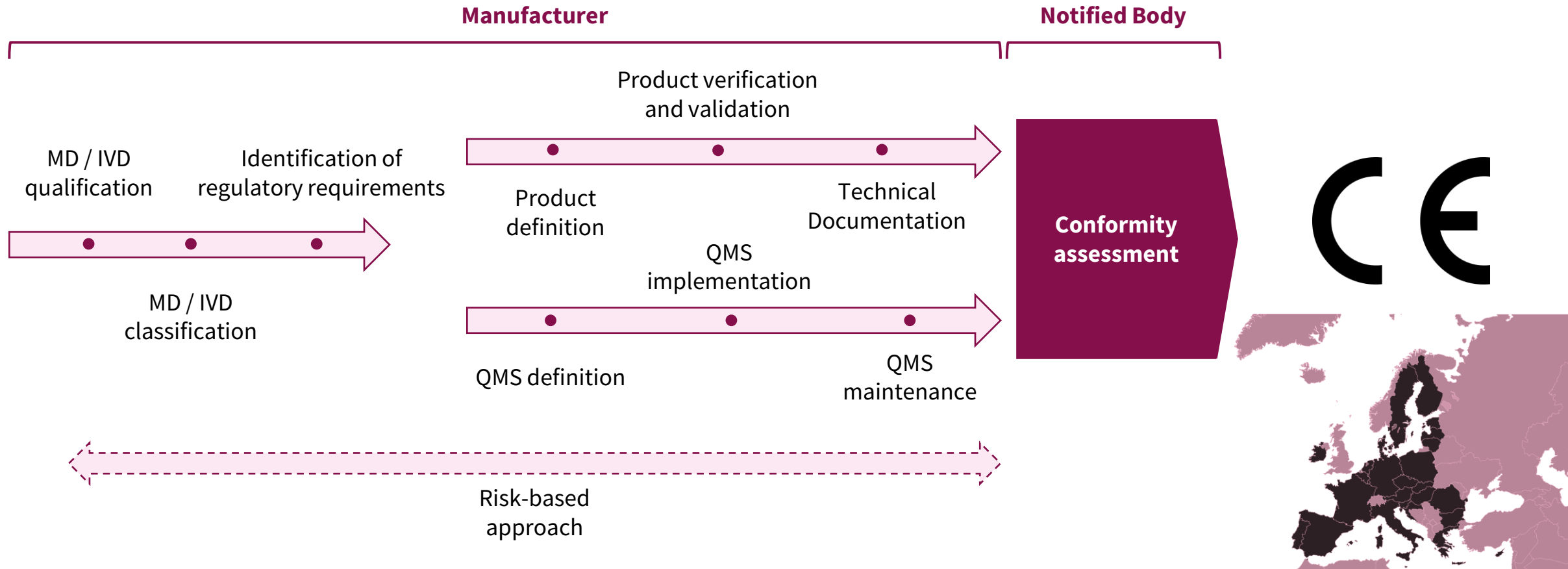
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Annex VIII – IVDR: Rules 1-6



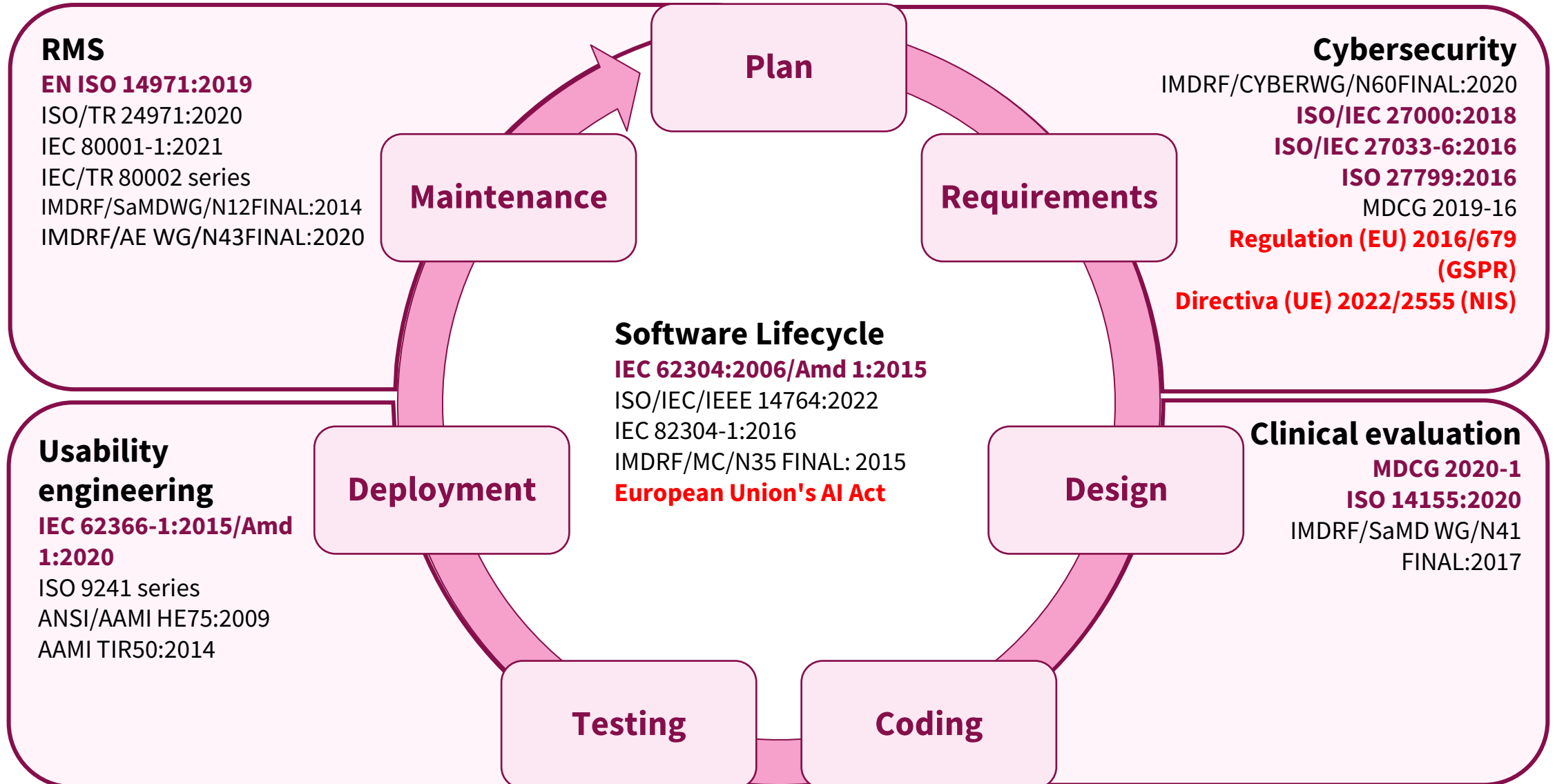
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Technical Documentation



Key points

- It is crucial to review the **intended purpose** and the **handling of input data** by our software to conclude whether we have a **medical device or not**.
- The first step in the development of an MDSW is the identification of the **risk class and the applicable regulatory requirements**.
- Identifying the **regulatory state of the art** applicable to our product (**guidelines and standards**) will facilitate development until **CE marking** is achieved.



Thank you!

**Are there any
questions?**

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