



Welcome to your January 2025 edition of **GMDN Focus**.

THANK YOU!

We are incredibly grateful to the more than 300 stakeholders from over 50 countries who took the time to complete our annual survey. Your valuable feedback is instrumental in helping us shape our strategy and priorities for the coming year.

Deniz Bruce, CEO of the GMDN Agency, said: “We deeply value the input from our stakeholders. Your insights and feedback are crucial in guiding our decisions and ensuring that we continue to meet your needs effectively. Thank you for your continued support and engagement.”

We will share the results in our next issue of **GMDN FOCUS**.



THE GMDN IN A SWEDISH CONTEXT

The GMDN Agency published a guest blog by Annika Billberg, MTPReg Group, Sweden.

In 2011, Sweden embraced the Global Medical Device Nomenclature (GMDN), marking a significant milestone in the country's healthcare system. This initiative coincided with the formation of the MTPReg group, tasked with coding all medical equipment for Swedish public healthcare providers and hospitals.

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GMDN AGENCY'S "FAQ OF THE MONTH"

Q: What is the GMDN Agency?

A: The GMDN Agency is a **registered UK charity and non-profit organisation** responsible for the ongoing maintenance of the GMDN Database. The GMDN Agency is a wholly UK based organisation with no subsidiaries, franchises or licenced entities outside of the UK. The Agency was established to provide Health Authorities and Regulators, Healthcare Providers, Manufacturers and others with a system that allows an exchange of medical device information and supports patient safety.

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