

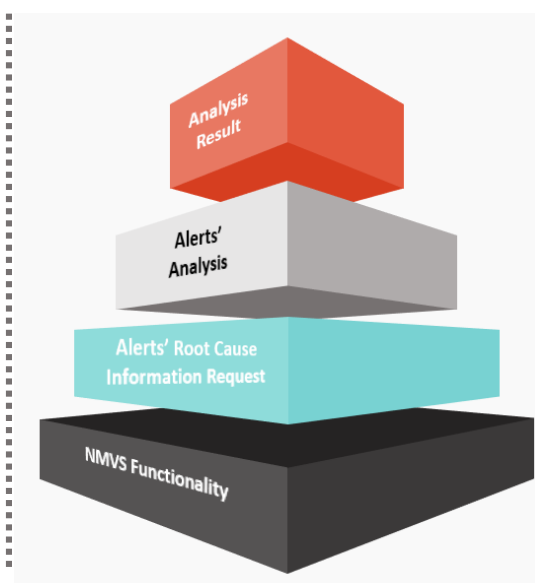
NEWSLETTER



MANAGING NMVS ALERTS

As the number of false alerts generated by the system is still increasing, it has become of the utmost importance that **all stakeholders work together** and take the necessary actions to ensure these are reduced and ultimately, eliminated.

Tremendous effort has been put by the **OSMR technical team in order to minimize the large number of L5 alerts** and a great amount of work is still required in this area until the National Medicines Verification System has been stabilized.



OSMR would like to thank the MAHs and/or OBP for informing us whenever there is a technical error triggered on their side, and for their swiftness in solving the issue, providing thus the necessary input for eliminating false alerts.

We are however facing difficulties with some of the End Users and/or software suppliers who, despite having been contacted by us on several occasions, refuse to solve the issues which have been found as root cause for a great number of false alerts. Therefore, we are once more asking for their **implication and cooperation in stabilising the National Medicines Verification System (NMVS)**.

ONBOARDING PROCESS

As it can be seen in our bi-weekly reports ([OSMR Bi-Weekly Report](#)), the number of End Users registered to the NMVS has risen steadily. There is still a long way to go as far as Pharmacies are concerned. **As the registration process is a lengthy one and due to the fact that it is a mandatory legal requirement, we highly recommend all Pharmacies to register as soon as possible** (please see the necessary onboarding steps [here](#)).

Furthermore, we would like to remind all **MAHs** who are **trading on the Romanian market** and who have onboarded EMVO, that according to the Delegated Regulation 2016/161 they **need to onboard also the Romanian Medicines Verification Organisation – OSMR**.

NATIONAL MEDICINES VERIFICATION SYSTEM

The next release for SNVM PROD is version 1.04 and it is planned for roll-out this summer. Its main scope is to remediate the remaining defects of version 1.03, including Intermarket Transactions. Also, a new version for EU Hub is planned to be released by the end of the year (version 1.05) and it should entail several functionality changes for OBPs.

CONFERENCES

On the 24th of May 2019, OSMR attended the 6th Edition of the Hospital's Pharmacist Symposium where important topics such as: End Users Onboarding and Alerts generated by NMVS were discussed.

OSMR highlighted the importance of open communication between stakeholders responsible for serialisation implementation in order to avoid the risk of non-compliance with the Delegated Regulation 2016/161.

"Taking part in this event gave us the opportunity to discuss directly with members of the Hospital community and answer their questions, bringing thus clarification on hot topics related to serialisation" Adrian Zaharia, OSMR Technical and Operations Director



EUROPEAN MEDICINES VERIFICATION SYSTEM INFORMATION (EVI)

All interested parties are encouraged by EMVO to subscribe to the EVI service, thus receiving information by email about Known Issues, Downtimes, technical updates related to the European Hub and the national repositories.

Please find below the link where the above mentioned information is available:
<https://emvo-medicines.eu/evi/>

USEFUL CONTACT DATA

For issues related to the European Hub, you can contact **EMVO Helpdesk:**
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