

Medical Devices Criticality Assessment Group Thursday, 12th March 2020

Attendees: HSE: Fergal Collins (chair), Emma Benton, Dr. Michael Power, Sean Bresnan, Ger Flynn,

Anne Louise Neenan, Prof. George Mellotte

HPRA: Nicola Hickie, Judith Martin

DoH: Colm O'Loughlin, Breifne O'Rourke, Mary Hyland,

Apologies: HSE: Martin Quinlivan, Fran Mollen, Sean Bresnan

HPRA: Niall MacAleenan

HSE compiling list of dialysis units available.

- HSE is responsible for maintaining master list and accompanying Red-Amber-Green risk register
 dashboard, with advice from HSE CCO. The dashboard is a high-level summary, while the Master List
 offers more detail on individual items to assist procurement teams within HSE.
- HSE will oversee the ICU procurement data.
- It was noted that Ireland will need to participate in joint European measures, potentially facilitating requests from other Member States.
- HSE Estates to be kept informed in advance of any potential move to Stage 4 in the Critical Care Major Surge Framework which would potentially include includes modular builds.
- Testing will likely be ramped up in the coming weeks. At present there is a global shortage of swabs required for sample collection. HPRA and HSE to assess this risk.
- Next meeting to take place at 12:00pm, 16th March.