

UNFPA/WHO Prequalification of Contraceptive Devices updates

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Prequalification Activities

1. Current PQ status: 22 MLC, 4 FC, 6 IUDs
 - PQ applications received in 2024 – 6 (3 MLC and 3 IUD)
- Inspections – 3
 - Pending applications (at different stages of the PQ process) – 33
 - No withdrawals.
2. Annual reporting of quality complaints and significant changes
3. One webinar held for manufacturers – Risk Management of prequalified contraceptive devices.

Development of specifications and other guidance

April 2024 - Publication of the WHO/UNFPA female condom generic specification as Annex 5 of the WHO TRS 1052 (Fifty-seventh report of the WHO Expert Committee on Specifications for Pharmaceutical Preparations)

Collaborations and partnerships:

AfroCondom Network

- Annual meeting of national regulators of male condoms and other RH products in sub-Saharan Africa (AfroCondom Network) – scheduled for 17-19 December 2024.
- Ongoing regional PT (coordinated by MCAZ)

PQA support to the FHI 360 training at the Ghana FDA condom testing laboratory

Thank you