Denmark

Country indicators

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<th>Population (000s)</th>
<th>Life expectancy at birth (years)</th>
<th>Per capita total health expenditure (PPP Int $)</th>
<th>World Bank income group</th>
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<td>5'619</td>
<td>80</td>
<td>4720</td>
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National policy on health technology
Health technology (medical device) national policy: Yes, but is not part of the National Health Program
Web site: —
Language(s): Danish
MOH responsible for health technology policy implementation: Lægemiddelstyrelsen / Danish Medicines Agency

Regulatory agency
Authority responsible for implementing and enforcing regulations in your country: Yes
Name of principal institution: Lægemiddelstyrelsen / Danish Medicines Agency
Web site: http://www.dkma.dk & www.medicaldevices.dk
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National health technology assessment unit
Unit/department: —
Web site: —
Contact: —
Email: —

National health technology management units
National health technology unit(s): No

Medical device nomenclature system
Official nomenclature system for medical devices: Yes
Type: Based on GMDN (Global Medical Device Nomenclature)
Use: Not specified
Nomenclature system name: —
Web site: —

Medical device incorporation

Procurement
Policy or guideline: No
Web site: —
National level procurement: No
Web site: —

Donations
Policy or guideline: No
Web site: —

Technical specifications
Technical specifications to support procurement or donations: No
Web site: —

Medical device incorporation comments: —
Inventory and maintenance
Type of inventories available: National inventory for medical equipment
Comments: National Institute of Radiation Protection is in charge. Inventory covers all x-ray equipment, equipment for nuclear medicine and radiation therapy
Medical equipment management unit: Yes
Management software: Yes
Software and comments: Several systems: MEDUSA, MERIDA, QAMAP, REMEDY and more

Lists of medical devices
Lists of approved medical devices for public procurement or reimbursement:
Lists available: No
Unit: —
Web site: —

National lists of medical devices for different types of healthcare facilities or specific procedures:
Lists available: No list available
Web site - facilities: —
Web site - procedures: —

National list for diseases and situations:
Lists available: No list available
Web site: —

Healthcare facility
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<td>128</td>
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<td>Non-communicable diseases</td>
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<td>Injuries</td>
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Medical equipment
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<td>56</td>
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* Density per 1,000,000 females aged from 50-69 old.

Additional information and comments:
The National Board of Health is issuing some Health Technology Assessments, including but not limited to medical devices. Only a minority of technologies are handled, so this is regarded as being outside the scope of Policy section.

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Note: The full text can be found at www.who.int/medical_devices/countries/full_text.xls