

Research Working Group Charge

The Research Working Group reports to the Board and operates under the following charge.

1. The Research Working Group will assist the Board to achieve IAMRA's Goals* as set by the Board.
2. The Research Working Group's work plan will include, but not be limited to objectives and targets as set by the Board from time to time, related to strengthening the evidence base for regulation, and encouraging research and evaluation of regulatory processes. Currently, these objectives and targets are as follows:

Goal 4 a) Facilitate members' access to current research in medical regulation

Target:

- i. Roll out library of published research about medical regulation
- ii. Explore the availability of other resources such as recent literature searches.

Goal 4 b) Guide medical regulatory authorities in the development of their research agendas

3. The Research Working Group will advise the Board on any other matters it considers to be relevant to the pursuit of IAMRA's Vision, Goals and Objectives.
4. The Research Working Group will provide regular reports to the Board and a report to the Members General Assembly.

*IAMRA's current Goals, are as follows:

1. Creating a global community of medical regulators by expanding IAMRA's membership, partnerships and impact, and increasing value to members;
2. Supporting and encouraging members to provide, in the interest of the public, regulatory practices and systems that strive for best practice and contribute to the provision of safe and effective health care by the medical profession;
3. Leveraging technology, i) in pursuit IAMRA's purpose, including the sharing of fitness to practice/disciplinary information among IAMRA members; and ii) guiding members on the adoption of technology in regulation and healthcare.
4. Strengthening the evidence base for regulation by encouraging research and evaluation of regulatory processes, and the publication and sharing of findings.

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