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Dear On-boarding Partner,

Following up the announcement of the new Release of the EU Hub, EMVO would like to provide you with a summary of the new Release:

1. Withdraw Product functionality has been implemented.
2. A data model change has been implemented. To support the process of retrospective data upload, the OBP will be able to over-write previous master data records (versions). The data model change includes ATC codes and the movement of some data elements in order to support full localisation when a connection with SPOR is realised.
3. The master data elements ‘Pack Type’ and ‘Pharmaceutical Form Type’ are no longer validated against an English list of terms and are now free-text fields.
4. The validator for the PPN numbering scheme has been updated to match the latest IFA specification Version 2.01 issued on 26th of June 2013. This change is affected on the 2016 interface as well as the 2018 interface and will have no effect on existing connections.
5. Batch Recall schema for ProductBatchRecallMarketsList has been made consistent with other workflows by making the attributes “@market” and “@recall” lower case.
6. Batch Recall schema for ProductBatchRecallResults has changed, as well attributes “@type” and “@code”.
7. The valid number of packs in a “bulk of packs” transaction is now between 0 and 250000 rather than the previous range of 1 to 1000000 packs.

The new Release 1.4 introduces the Inter-market Transaction (IMT) functionality too. This functionality does not affect the OBP interface in any way.

For further details on all above mentioned changes, please consult the technical documentation including the updated Software Development Kit (SDK).

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