



DTx Value Assessment Dossier

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The following ten questions:

- » Provide Healthcare Decision Makers (HCDM) with a high-level understanding of a digital therapeutic (DTx) product's stage of development and real-world use
- » Do not substitute for a full product evaluation, as outlined in the remainder of the full Dossier
- » Enable HCDMs to more easily conduct a side-by-side comparison of multiple products

DTx manufacturers may provide further insights related to these topics in other steps of the Dossier to provide HCDMs with a fuller understanding of the product's abilities and impact.

1. What is the DTx product's current stage of development?

- Product is in technical and pre-clinical development phase
- Product is in clinical development phase
- Product is undergoing regulatory review
- Product has met all necessary clinical and regulatory requirements in one or more jurisdictions

Please see **Step 1** in the Dossier for more detailed product evaluation criteria.

2. What level of evidence has the product generated? [select the most rigorous study design completed]

- Product has completed one or more observational studies (i.e., real-world use)
- Product has completed a non-controlled experimental/interventional study (i.e., prospective single arm trial, open label trial, head-to-head comparative trial)
- Product has completed a non-randomized experimental/interventional study (i.e., non-randomized controlled trial, self-controlled study, crossover study)
- Product has completed one or more randomized controlled trials (RCTs) or pragmatic RCTs

Please see **Step 13** in the Dossier for more detailed product evaluation criteria.

3. What is the product's clinical intended use?

- Product produces a behavioral change
- Product produces a physiologic change
- Product is used for disease and/or condition management

Please see **Step 2** in the Dossier for more detailed product evaluation criteria.

4. How is patient use of the product primarily authorized?

- Product access is provided to a patient without clinician, payor, employer, or third-party involvement
- Product access is provided via a clinically validated screening tool that patients use to determine qualification for therapy
- Product access is provided via an authorized clinical protocol that states criteria for automatic patient qualification
- Product access is provided via a non-prescription recommendation by a clinician, payor, employer, or other qualified entity
- Product access is provided via a formal prescription from a qualified clinician (in-person or virtually) or other qualified entity

Please see **Step 3** in the Dossier for more detailed product evaluation criteria.

5. What is the product's regulatory status in the target jurisdiction of use?

- Product has not determined its regulatory pathway yet
- Product does not require regulatory review and is not required to list or register
- Product does not require regulatory review, but is required to list or register and meets health authority requirements for software development
- Product is undergoing regulatory and/or market authorization review
- Product has completed regulatory review and received market authorization in at least one jurisdiction

*Please see **Step 9** in the Dossier for more detailed product evaluation criteria.*

6. What is the product's current level of security?

- Product does not have an information security risk management and governance framework in place
- Product has an information security risk management and governance framework in place
- Product has self-attested cybersecurity credentials
- Product actively holds a third-party security certification

*Please see **Step 10** in the Dossier for more detailed product evaluation criteria.*

7. What is the product's current level of privacy?

- Product does not have a privacy protocol in place
- Product provides end users with a privacy notice
- Product enables end users to consent and authorize how data are stored, shared, saved, and used
- Product fulfills the previous criteria and meets all national requirements for privacy (i.e., GDPR, HIPAA)

*Please see **Step 11** in the Dossier for more detailed product evaluation criteria.*

8. What forms of economic assessment related to the target jurisdiction has the product undergone?

- Product has not undergone an economic analysis
- Product has undergone a population- or setting-specific economic outcomes evaluation
- Product has undergone an economic outcomes evaluation that accounts for multiple populations
- Product has undergone a formal economic review process conducted by a third-party

*Please see **Steps 19–23** in the Dossier for more detailed product evaluation criteria.*

9. What is the product's current stage of commercialization in the target jurisdiction of use?

- Product is not commercially available to patients
- Product is available to select patients who are engaged in pre-market studies
- Product is available to limited patient populations via pilot studies
- Product is commercially available to patients

*Please see **Step 1** in the Dossier for more detailed product evaluation criteria.*

10. What is the product's stage of reimbursement in this or other jurisdictions?

- Product is in pre-coverage phase
- Product is undergoing initial coverage decision evaluations
- Product is being paid for by patients and other end users
- Product is covered by one or more payor entities

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DTA's members—including organizations dedicated to manufacturing, evaluating, supporting, and utilizing DTx products—work to transform global healthcare by advancing high-quality, clinically validated digital therapeutics to improve clinical and health economic outcomes.