



# National Health Surveillance Agency

Panel Discussion

## UDI System Implementation

Medical Devices Webinar – Unique Devices Identification (UDI)

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# UDI System Implementation in Brazil

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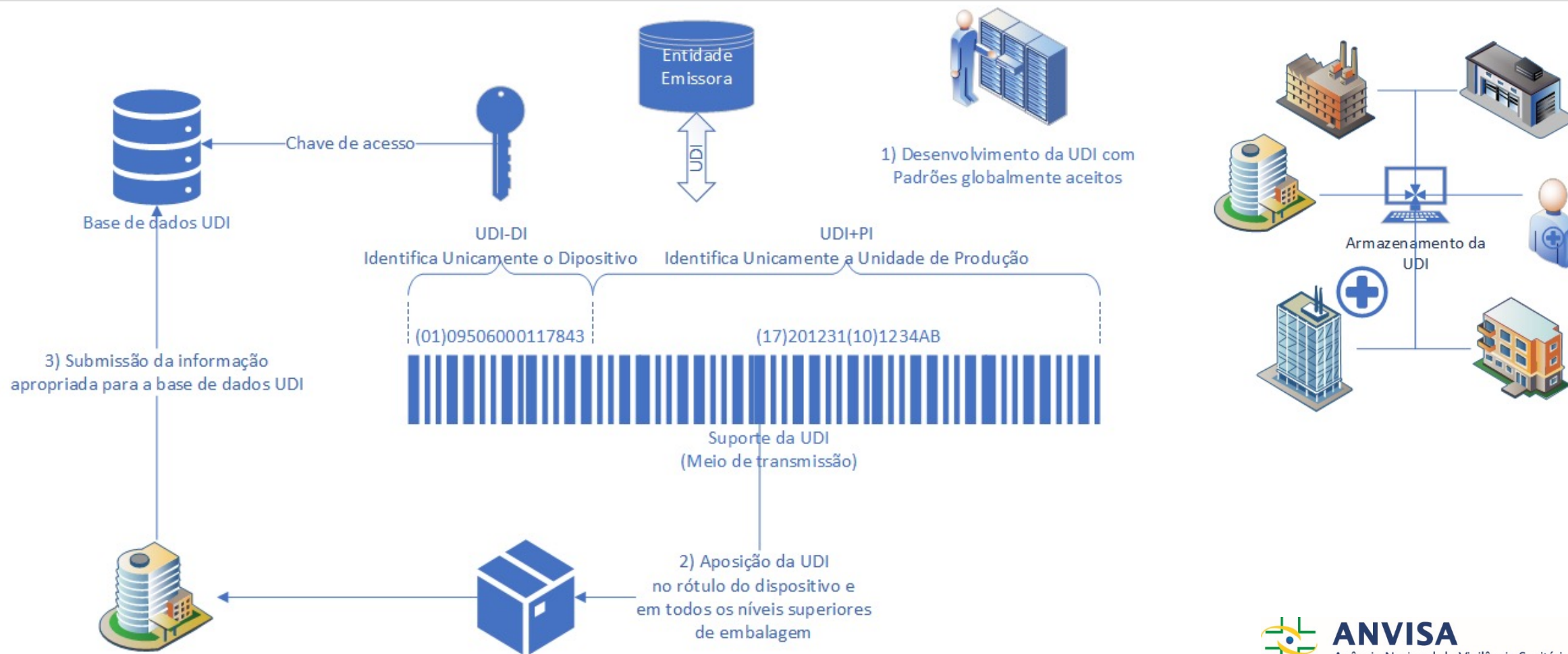
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# Unique Devices Identification

## UDI System Framework





# Development of the Regulation for Unique Devices Identification in Brazil

Alignment with Anvisa's Strategic Planning and Regulatory Schedule



[Anvisa's Strategic Plan 20/23](#), Objective 3  
*Listed as Strategic Project*



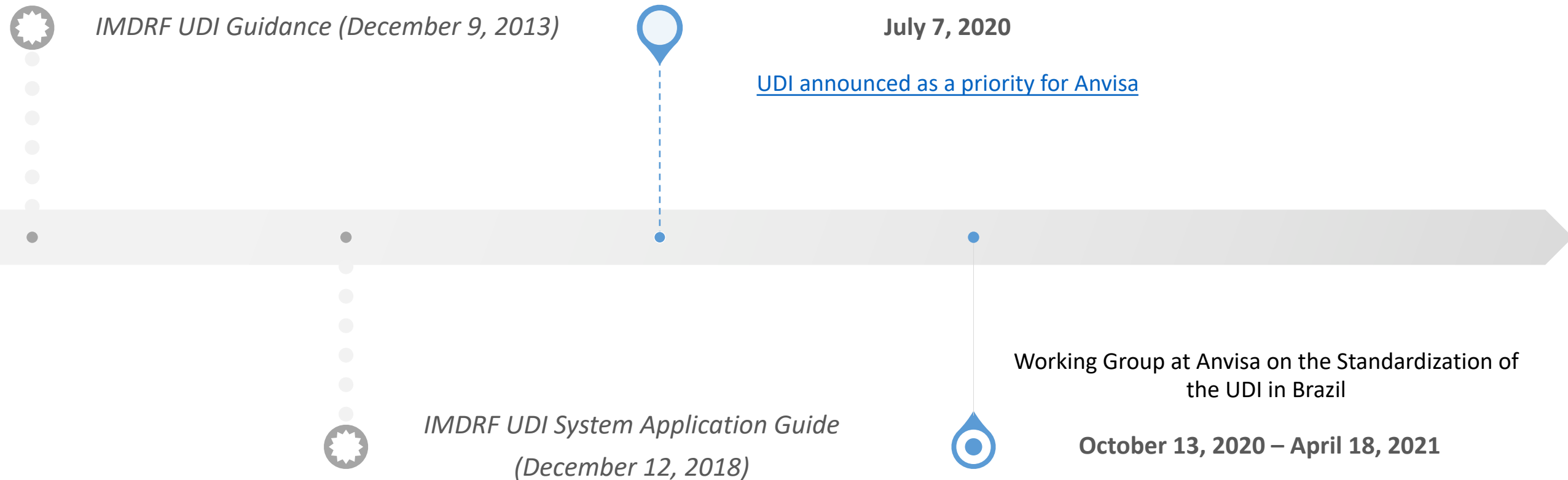
[Regulatory Schedule 21/23](#)  
*Item 11.10 - Unique Devices Identification (UDI)*  
*Process Number: 25351.910027/2021-96*





# Development of the Regulation for Unique Devices Identification in Brazil

Timeline – Part I of III





# Development of the Regulation for Unique Device Identification in Brazil

Timeline – Part II of III

**April 2021 – June 2021**

Exempt from Regulatory Impact Analysis  
Decree number 10.411/2020, Art. 4, Item VI  
Normative aiming to maintain convergence to  
international standard

**September 2021 – December 2021**

Evaluation of the Public Consultation

**January 04, 2022**

Collegiate Board Resolution (in Portuguese,  
RDC) 591/2021 on UDI System

Public Consultation Period

**July 7, 2021 – September 6, 2021**

Deliberation of the Collegiate Board of  
Anvisa on the standardization of the UDI

*December 2021*



# Development of the Regulation for Unique Device Identification in Brazil

Timeline – Part III of III

## January 2022 – Now

Start Planning the Information System Development Model

- Budget Savings
- Anvisa's Information Technology Planning

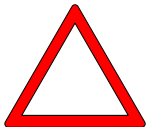
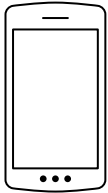
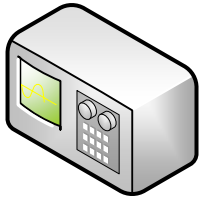




## Scope of Unique Device Identification in Brazil

Medical Device Information in the Brazilian UDI Database – Part I of II

- Scope: all medical devices marketed in Brazil, including products for *in vitro* diagnosis.  
Exception: custom-made medical devices and medical devices under clinical investigation.



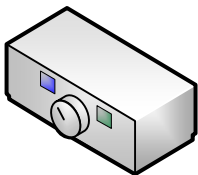
- Device Identification
  - Mandatory: UDI-DI (2), Commercial Name (7), Version or Model (8), # of Devices (1)
  - Conditional: UoU UDI-DI (4)
  - Optional: Catalog Number (9), Supplementary Device Description (11)
- Contact:
  - Mandatory: Manufacturer's information – name, address and customer service (5)
  - Optional: URL for Use Instructions (19)
- Packaging:
  - Mandatory: UDI-DI (2), Device Discontinuation Date (21)
- Device Naming:
  - Mandatory GMDN (6)





## Scope of Unique Device Identification in Brazil

Medical Device Information in the Brazilian UDI Database – Part II of II



- Medical Device Features
  - Mandatory:
    - How the device production is controlled (3)
    - Is it labeled as a single-use device? (13)
      - If not, inform the maximum amount of times the device may be reused (14)
    - Is it labeled as sterile device? (15)
    - Is sterilization necessary before use? (16)
      - If so, what is the sterilization method? (17)
  - Conditional
    - Clinically Relevant Dimensional Features (10)
    - Storage or Handling Conditions (12)
    - Critical warnings or contraindications (20)
    - Presence of certain substances? (18)



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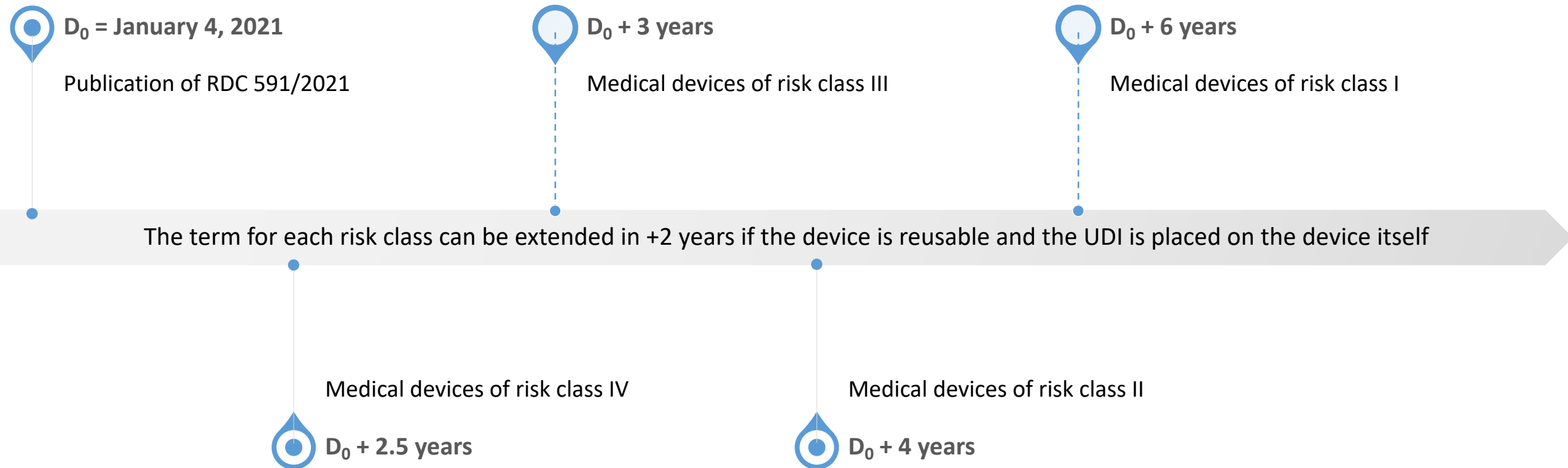
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# Implementation Schedule for the Unique Device Identification in Brazil

UDI Implementation Schedule in Brazil

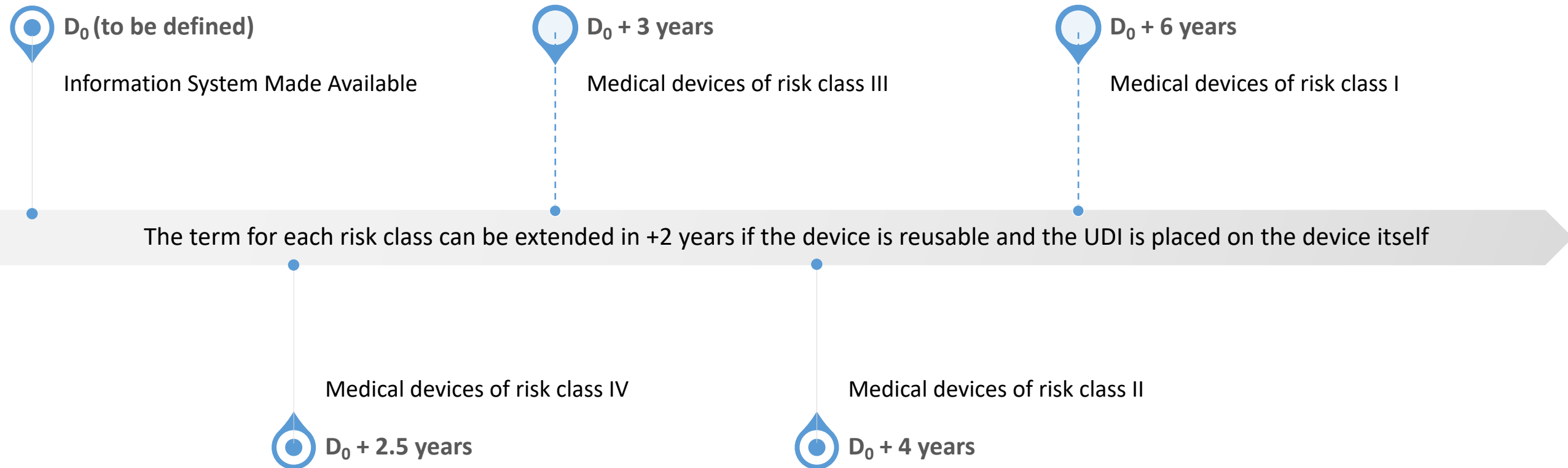
Affixing the UDI to the product, label and additional packaging





## Implementation Schedule for the Unique Device Identification in Brazil

UDI Implementation Schedule in Brazil  
Submission of UDI data to Anvisa Information Systems







## Discussion

### Lessons Learned in the Process and Discussion on the Brazilian UDI Database Implementation

The support by the main stakeholders and senior managers has been key for the development of the UDI in Brazil

The creation of a working group with the main stakeholders reinforced Brazil's compliance with the IMDRF Guidelines

The pandemic has not affected the initial regulatory planning for the UDI System in Brazil

The current planning step for the development of the Brazilian UDI database has not yet been concluded.

There isn't an out-of-the-box solution and everything indicates that it will be necessary to develop a customized software in Brazil

- Brazil struggles with the devaluation of the local currency (BRL) and the
- Qualified workforce seeks remote work abroad



Thank you

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