

# International Experience: Real World Case of Innovative Pharmaceuticals/HTA Applications In Selected Countries

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# Outline

- HTA system overview (TW, SK, AUS)
- HTA dossier - overview
- Study Examples
- Value of RWE

# Objective

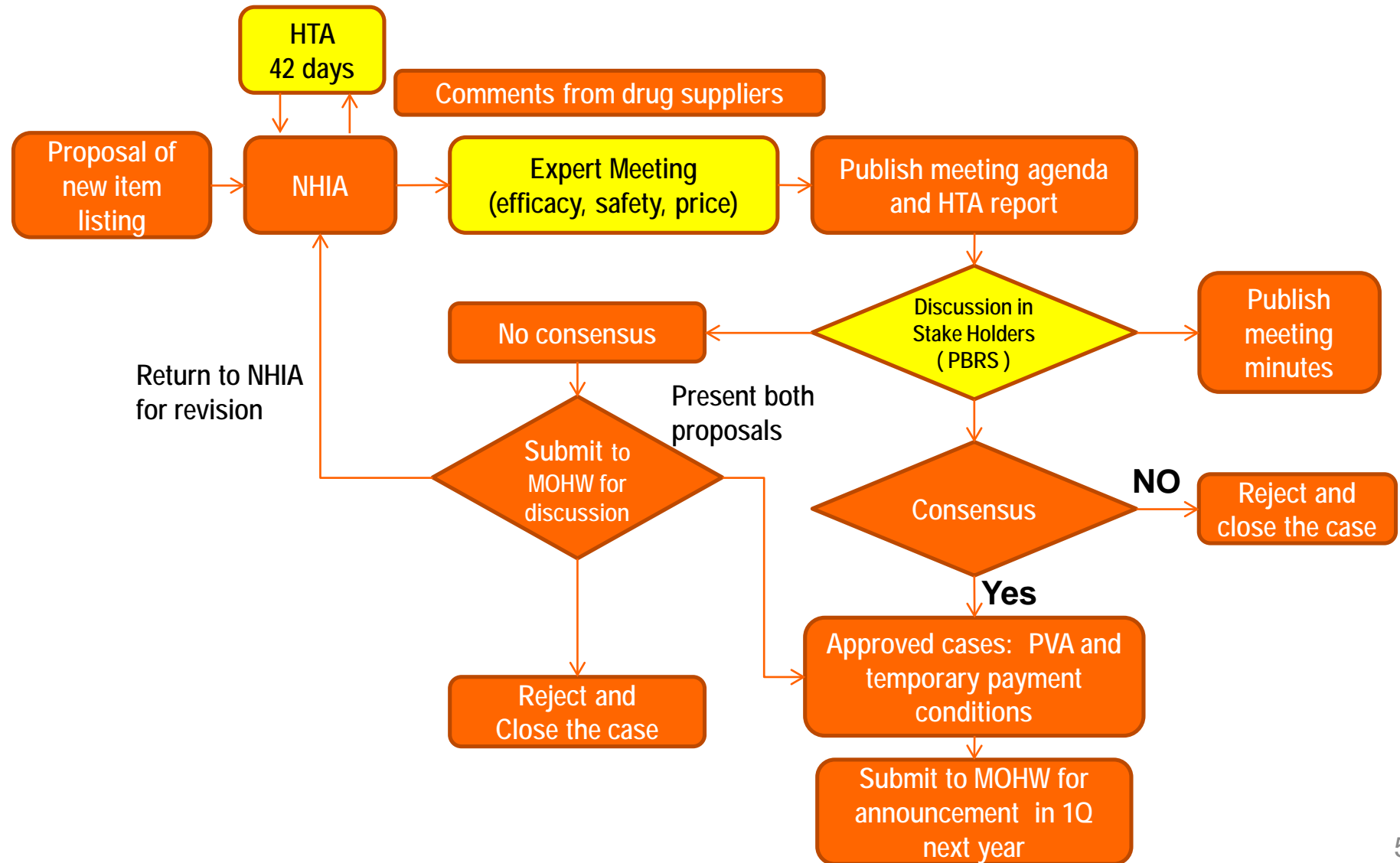
- To build on concepts learned and understanding of the use of data and information beyond the HTA dossier



**Evidence may be necessary, but it is certainly not sufficient.  
The findings of research need to be translated into information  
that is useful for each health care decision maker.**



# Taiwan HTA: Two Steps Decision Making Process



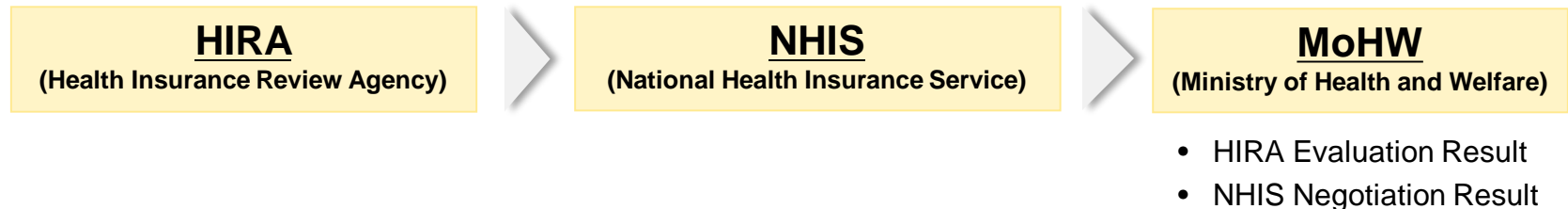
# Taiwan hta:

## Pricing Policy/Price Premium

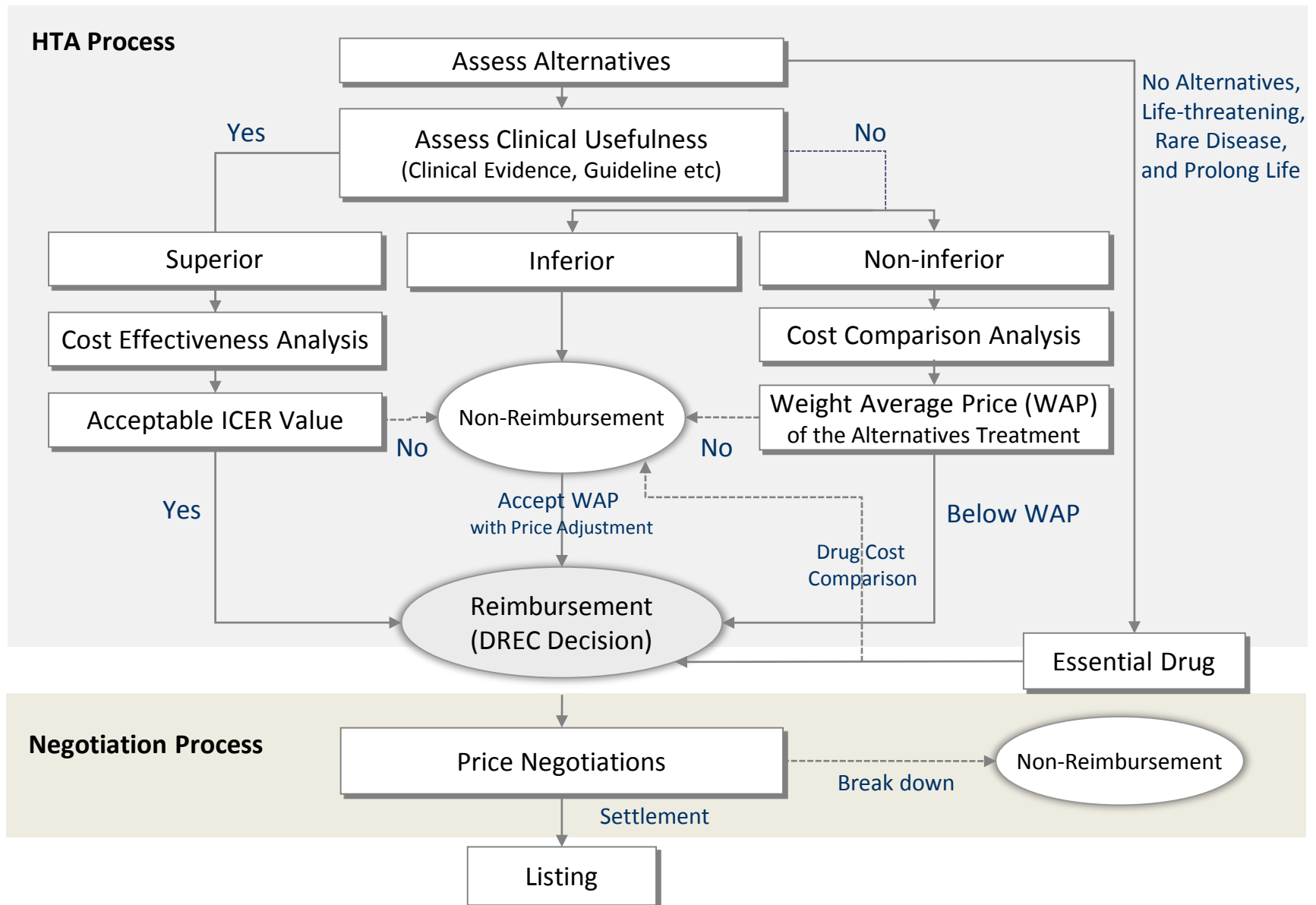
Category	Definition	Pricing formula
<b>1</b>	Major improvement in efficacy as shown in head-to-head comparison or indirect comparison with the most commonly used treatment	A10 median
<b>2A</b>	A new drug with moderate improvement in clinical efficacy compared with the most commonly used treatment	(capped at A10 median) <div>A10 lowest</div> <div>International price comparison</div>
<b>2B</b>	The clinical efficacy of the new drug is similar to that of an NHI-listed drug	<div>Treatment course comparison</div> <div>Price in country manufactured</div>
<b>Price Premium:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•10% mark-up with local R&amp;D and clinical trials reaching up to a certain scale</li> <li>•Up to 10% mark-up with local pharrmaco-economics research</li> <li>•Up to 15% mark-up of superior safety than the comparator</li> <li>•Up to 15% mark-up of superior efficacy than the comparator</li> <li>•Up to 15% mark-up of more convenient (kit) than the comparator</li> </ul>		

# South Korea: HTA System Overview

- **Positive List System (PLS)**
  - Introduced in 2007 as a part of the DERP (Drug Expenditure Rationalization Plan)
  - Listing of drugs with higher therapeutic & economic value by using cost-effectiveness analysis
- **Pricing and Reimbursement Decision Making Process**
  - Two Step Process: HTA Process (HIRA, HTA Agency)→ Price Negotiation (NHIS, Payer)

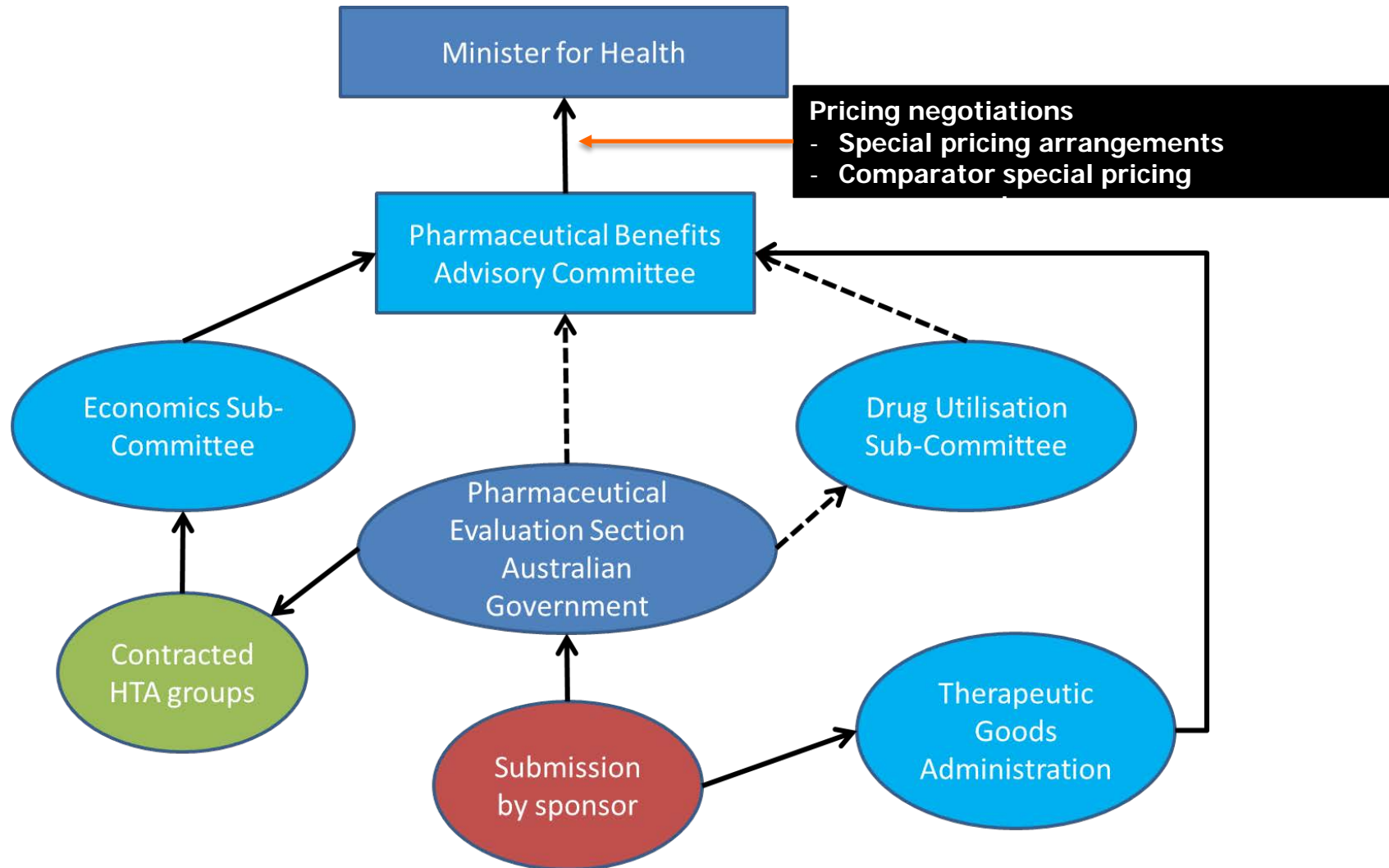


# South Korea: Decision Making Process





# Australia reimbursement process



# Taiwan: HTA Reports will be on the web before PBRS meeting

HTA report is one of the reference to help Expert members to make **recommendation** toward the new drug, and **how many % of PE study mark up** should be.

## HTA Report includes:

1. Disease/Products Overview
2. Relative effectiveness
3. Economic evaluation
4. Cost-Effectiveness
5. Budget Impact Analysis

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### 財團法人醫藥品查驗中心 醫療科技評估報告補充資料

商品名：edarbyclor Tablet 40mg/12.5mg 及 40mg/25mg

學名：azilsartan medoxomil/chlorthalidone 40mg/12.5mg 及 40mg/25mg

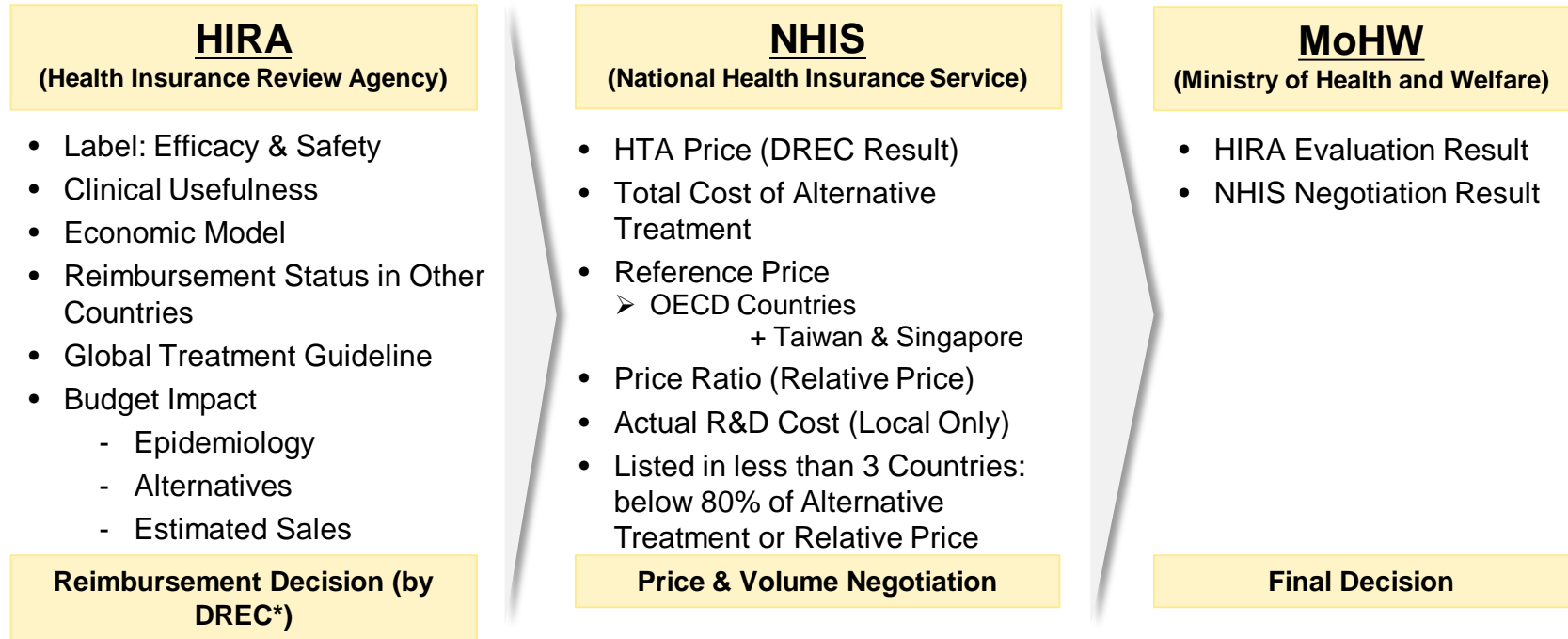
事由：台灣武田藥品工業股份有限公司向衛福部健保署提出 edarbyclor tablet 40mg/12.5mg 及 40mg/25mg 等 2 項新療效複方藥品項納入健保給付之建議，因其給付建議書中包含國內實施藥物經濟學研究資料，健保署遂委請查驗中心就國內藥物經濟學研究部份進行品質評估。

完成時間：民國 104 年 4 月 21 日

#### 評估結論

1. 建議者所遞送的國內經濟學研究結果顯示，AZL-M/CLD 40 mg/12.5 mg及 AZL-M/CLD 40 mg/25 mg與Valsartan/HCT 320 mg/12.5 mg比較的ICER值分別為 108萬/QALY及 114萬/QALY。
2. 查驗中心認為建議者採用的模型結構清楚，且在病人危險因子分布及併發症成本部份參數採用適當的本土參數，但因受限療效參數未採用本品與各藥品間的直接比較隨機臨床試驗(head-to-head RCT)或間接比較(indirect comparison)研究之結果，及其他數項因素，查驗中心評估該報告整體品質尚可，提供決策參考資訊有限。

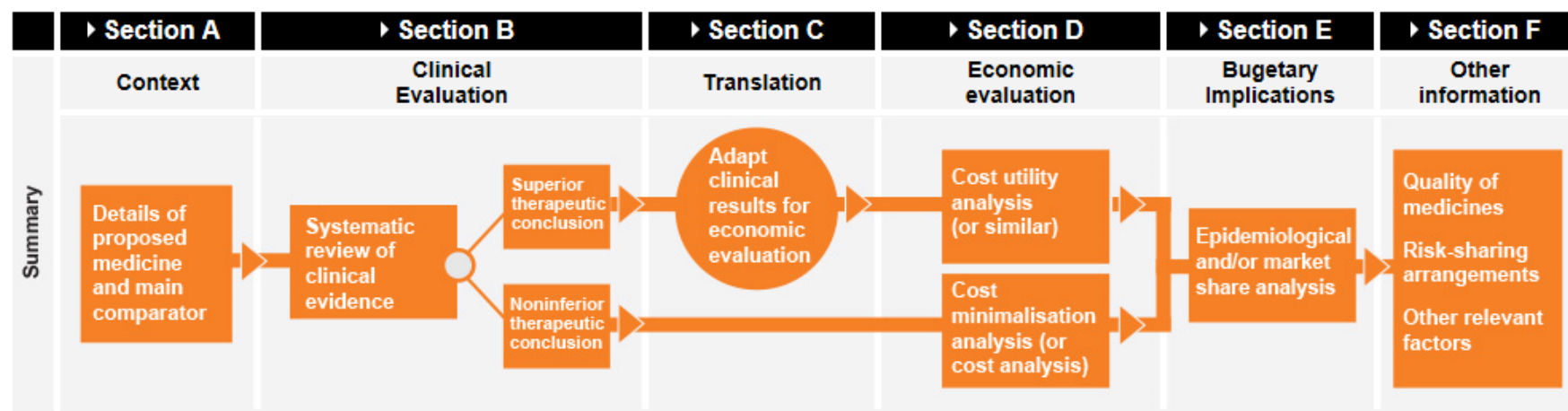
# South Korea: HTA Dossier And Process Overview



\*Drug Reimbursement Evaluation Committee

# AUSTRALIA-PBAC major submission

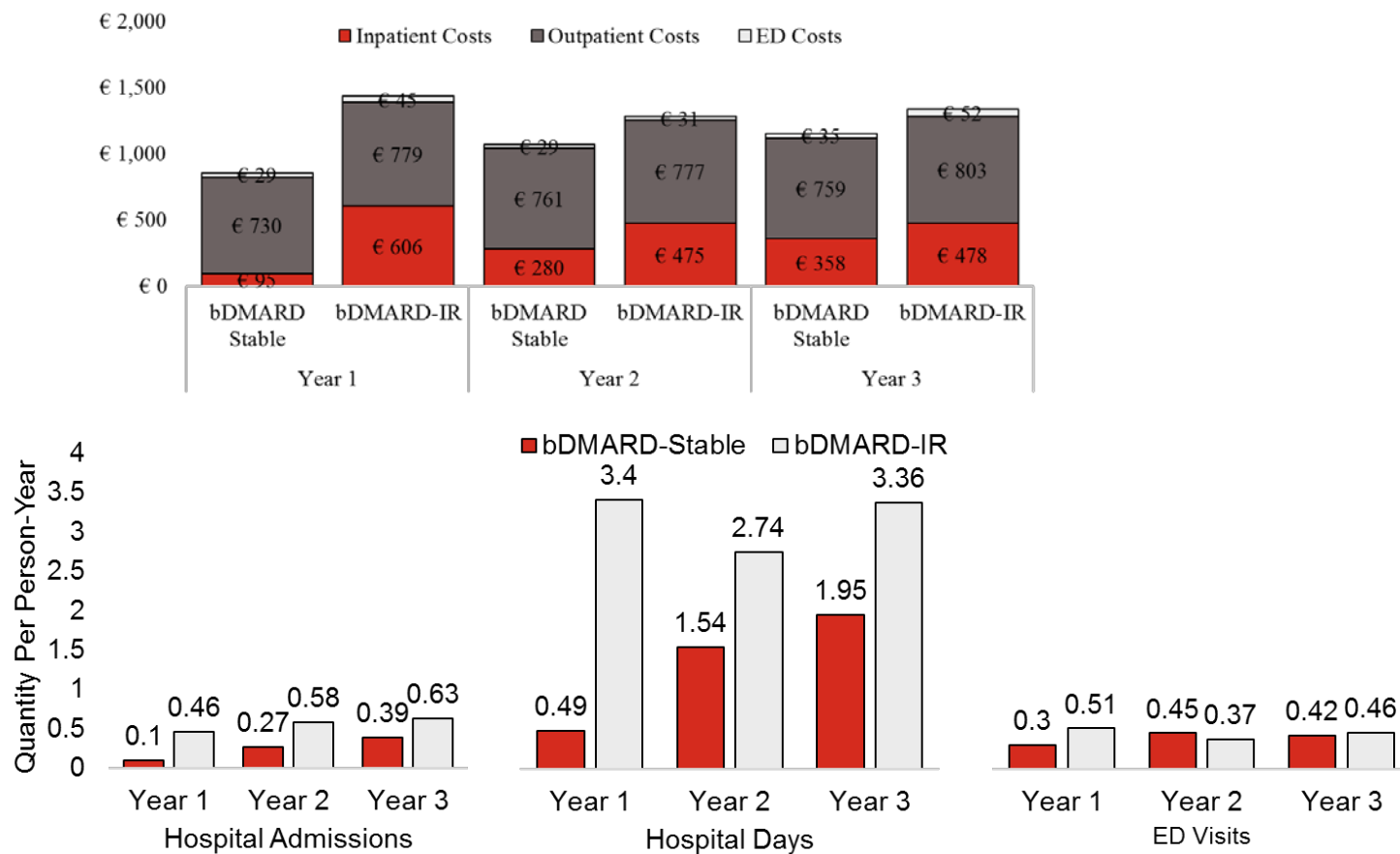
## Submission structure for a major submission



Source: Guidelines for preparing submissions to the Pharmaceutical Benefits Advisory Committee  
<http://www.pbac.pbs.gov.au/>

# Taiwan Rheumatoid Arthritis Treatment Pattern Study

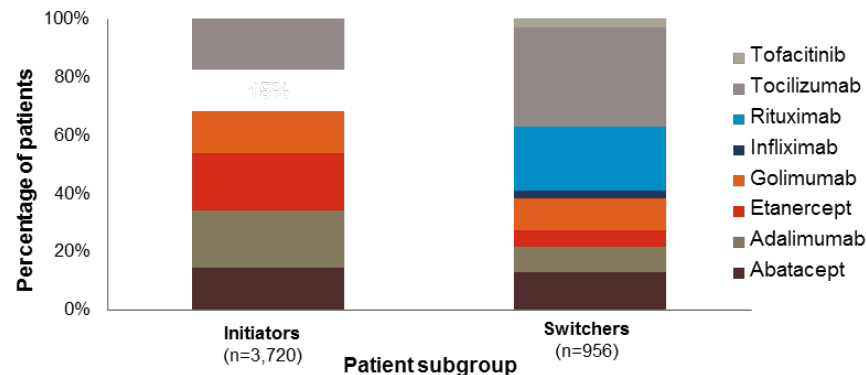
- Objectives:** The objective of this study was to use the NHIRD to estimate the percentage of newly treated patients with inadequate response (IR) to biologic disease-modifying antirheumatic drugs (bDMARDs) as well as the costs and resources.



# South Korea Rheumatoid Arthritis Treatment Pattern Study

- To characterize real-world patients, treatment patterns and costs among RA patients in South Korea receiving a bDMARD or tofacitinib since the major reimbursement guideline changes introduced in 2013.

Figure 1a. Index bDMARD/tofacitinib for all patients



Tofacitinib was only reimbursed in South Korea at the end of the study period, hence the low number of patients observed that were prescribed tofacitinib.

Table 1. Annual all-cause/RA-related per-patient costs for initiators, switchers and overall

Per-patient costs (All-cause / RA-related), mean [€]	Initiators (n=2,173)	Switchers (n=662)	Total (n=2,835)
<b>Total direct costs</b>	8,327 / 7,368	8,662 / 7,567	8,405 / 7,414
<b>Hospitalizations</b>	1,226 / 721	1,523 / 880	1,295 / 758
<b>Joint replacements</b>	164 / 98	164 / 138	164 / 108
<b>Outpatient attendances</b>	328 / 145	325 / 143	328 / 145
<b>bDMARD infusions</b>	10 / 10	14 / 14	11 / 11
<b>bDMARD subcutaneous injections</b>	4 / 4	1 / 1	3 / 3
<b>Serious infections</b>	405 / 258	430 / 323	411 / 273
<b>Monitoring</b>	183 / 166	207 / 182	188 / 170

A conversion rate of ₩1=€0.00078 was used.

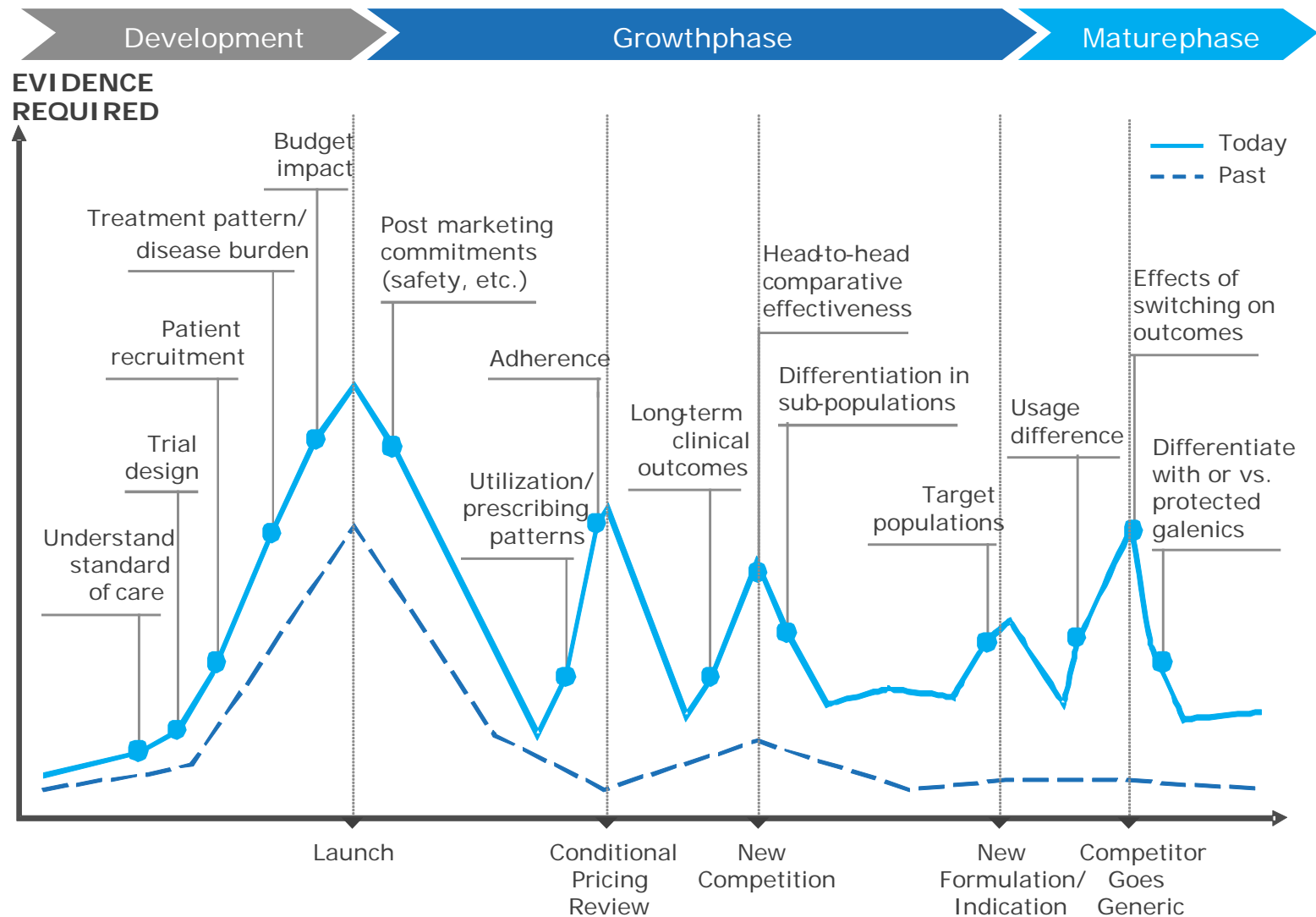
# Stakeholder requirements in EU: HTA vs. Regulatory

Regulatory*	HTA**
Exposure	Burden of target disease (mortality, morbidity prevalence, incidence, DALYs, QALYs)
Epidemiology of the indication(s)	
Prescribing conditions	Conditions of use
Characteristics of patients who actually receive the drug	Expected benefit of the technology <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- On burden of disease</li><li>- On management of disease</li><li>- Economical</li></ul>
New safety concerns, known ones, risk factors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Organisational</li><li>- Social</li></ul>
Efficacy in real life / in specific populations	Confirmation of the expected benefit
Effectiveness of risk minimization measures	Potential to cover unmet medical needs or to improve covered needs
Signal detection	

\* European Medicines Agency (EMA)

\*\* European Network of Health Technology Assessment Bodies (EUnetHTA)

# There are increasing requirements on evidence across product life cycle





# Studies Support In Mature Phase

- **NSCLC: 1<sup>st</sup> line treatment pattern and gene aberration test status**
  - ✓ BMC Cancer (2017) 17:462, CSCO 2016 podium poster, ESMO 2016 poster
- **Value of PAP (Patient Assistant Program)**
  - Economic model used trial data (ClinicoEconomics and Outcomes Research 2017:9 99–106)
  - Economic model with real world PAP data (ISPOR Int'l 2017, Journal of Medical Economics: DOI: 10.1080/13696998.2017.1373654 )
- **Budget Impact Analysis**  
(ISPOR Asia 2016, poster)

Thank you!

