



Country indicators

Population (000s)*	5'619	Life expectancy at birth (years) ^a	80	World Bank income group ^β	High
Internet users (%) ^γ	94.6%	Per capita total health expenditure (PPP Int \$) ^δ	4720	GNI per capita (US\$) ^ε	61'680



National policy on health technology

Health technology (medical device) national policy: Yes, but is not part of the National Health Program

Web site: —

Language(s): Danish

MOH responsible for health technology policy implementation: Lægemiddelstyrelsen / Danish Medicines Agency



Regulatory agency

Authority responsible for implementing and enforcing regulations in your country: Yes

Name of principal institution: Lægemiddelstyrelsen / Danish Medicines Agency

Web site: <http://www.dkma.dk> & www.medicaldevices.dk



National health technology assessment unit

Unit/department: Danish Health and Medicines Authority

Web site: www.sst.dk



National health technology management units

National health technology unit(s): No

DEVELOPMENT OF TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS FOR PROCUREMENT PROCESS:

Unit/department: —

Web site: —

OTHER: —

Unit/department: —

Web site: —

OTHER: —

Unit/department: —

Web site: —



Medical device nomenclature system

Official nomenclature system for medical devices: Yes Type: Based on GMDN (Global Medical Device Nomenclature)

Use: Not specified

Nomenclature system name: — Web site: —



Medical device incorporation

PROCUREMENT

Policy or guideline: No

Web site: —

National level procurement: No

Web site: —

DONATIONS

Policy or guideline: No

Web site:—

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Technical specifications to support procurement or donations: No

Web site: —

Medical device incorporation comments^λ: —



Inventory and maintenance

Type of inventories available: National inventory for medical equipment

Comments: National Institute of Radiation Protection is in charge. Inventory covers all x-ray equipment, equipment for nuclear medicine and radiation therapy

Medical equipment management unit: Yes

National level = 0

Regional level = 0

Hospital level = 39

Management software: Yes

Software and comments^λ: Several systems: MEDUSA, MERIDA, QAMAP, REMEDY and more



Lists of medical devices

LISTS OF APPROVED MEDICAL DEVICES FOR PUBLIC PROCUREMENT OR REIMBURSEMENT:

Lists available: No

Unit: —

Web site: —

Lists comments^λ:

There are some more general plans, but no specific medical devices recommended.

NATIONAL LISTS OF MEDICAL DEVICES FOR DIFFERENT TYPES OF HEALTHCARE FACILITIES

OR SPECIFIC PROCEDURES: Lists available: No list available

Web site - facilities: —

Web site - procedures: —

NATIONAL LIST FOR DISEASES AND SITUATIONS:

Lists available: No list available

Web site: —

Types:	Communicable diseases	Non-communicable diseases	Injuries	Public health emergency situations
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Healthcare facility

	Public sector	Private sector	Total	Density per 100,000 population
Health post	3'753	128	3881	69.068
Health centre	n/a	251	251	4.467
District hospital	29	n/a	29	0.516
Provincial hospital	23	n/a	23	0.409
Regional hospital	5	n/a	5	0.089



Medical equipment

	Public sector	Private sector	Total	Density per 1,000,000 population
Magnetic Resonance Imaging	56	21	77	13.703
Computerized Tomography Scanner	125	9	134	23.847
Positron Emission Tomography Scanner	32	1	33	5.873
Nuclear medicine	83	0	83	14.771
Mammograph*	74	25	99	138.443
Linear accelerator	54	0	54	9.610
Telecobalt unit (Cobalt-60)	0	0	0	0.000
Radiotherapy	54	0	54	9.610

* Density per 1,000,000 females aged from 50-69 old.

Additional information and comments^λ:

The National Board of Health is issuing some Health Technology Assessments, including but not limited to medical devices. Only a minority of technologies are handled, so this is regarded as being outside the scope of Policy section.