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Seriousness of Adverse Event

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Clinical significance of adverse event defined based on the patient and event outcome or action criteria usually associated with events that pose a threat to a patient's life or functioning. Seriousness of adverse event serves as a primary guide for defining regulatory reporting obligations and changes in medicinal product development and usage.