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Biography

Pharmaceutical chemist from the University of Chile. Since 1997 she has worked at the Institute of Public Health of Chile (ISP), which is the Drug Regulatory Agency. From 1997 to 2008 she worked evaluating the quality background of registration applications (CMC) where she became the head of the unit.

She holds a diploma in Good Manufacturing Practices with emphasis on validation. In 2008 she moved to the Biopharmaceuticals section, specializing in the evaluation of in vivo and in vitro studies to demonstrate therapeutic equivalence. In 2012, she took over the position of head of the biopharmaceutical section, until 2015, when she was transferred to the ISP Directorate to manage the recognition process of the Pan American Health Organization (PAHO) as a reference authority, which was achieved in 2016. From 2017 to 2024, she served as head of the subdepartment of Registration of Innovative and Biological Products and Clinical Studies.

Currently, I am part of the cabinet of the Public Health Institute Directorate, in charge of leading the process of renewing PAHO's recognition as a reference authority in America and applying to be a drug authority listed by WHO
In parallel, from 2011 to 2016 she worked as a Pharmaceutical patent expert for the National Institute of Intellectual Property (INAPI). And he has been part of the group of PAHO evaluators for the strengthening of regulatory systems in the Americas, as well as the group that has developed the current WHO Global Authority Assessment Tool (GBT). Advisor to authorities in the region in the implementation of the requirement for bioequivalence equivalence. And rapporteur of the PAHO Chemical Synthesis Medicines Registry course.