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What developments are taking place regarding the monitoring of adverse events?

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The Swedish Medical Products Agency is developing a new IT system for the registration and monitoring of reports of suspected adverse events related to the use of medicines in both animals and humans, so-called pharmacovigilance. The monitoring of reports aims to detect any previously unknown risks, so-called signals.

The new IT system will become operational during 2022.

The Swedish Medical Products Agency plans to develop an online reporting form in 2022 for the reporting of suspected adverse events following the use of medicines in animals. In addition, the possibility of reporting suspected adverse events directly via medical record systems is being explored. The goal is to facilitate and increase the reporting of suspected adverse events following the use of medicine in animals.