

## **AGB-Pharma - Transfer of Value - Methodological Note (2024 Data)**

**AGB-Pharma** (AGB) conducts all interactions with healthcare professionals (HCPs), other relevant decision-makers (ORDMs), healthcare organizations (HCOs), patient organisations (POs) and Members of the General Public (MoPs) in the UK in strict adherence to clauses 28, 29, 30 and 31 of the Association of British Pharmaceutical Industry Code of Practice for the Pharmaceutical Industry, 2024 (the Code). All Transfers of Value (ToV) will be transparently published on the ABPI Central Platform, in line with the Code.

AGB-Pharma has clear procedures in place for the assessment, approval, and processing of all transfer of value to healthcare professionals, healthcare organisations, other relevant decision-markets, patient organisations and members of the general public.

All such requests for financial support are assessed on a case-by-case basis to ensure the ABPI Code of Practice is adhered to and that they are appropriate.

AGB discloses individual transfers of value only where full informed consent has been obtained from the individual. Where we have been unable to obtain consent from an HCP that is fully compliant with General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR), or other legal reasons prevent AGB from disclosing individually for an HCP or HCO, their transfers of values have been added to the aggregate figure within the Disclosure Report. Disclosure of transfer of value to POs or MoPs is done so via the AGB-Pharma corporate website, where MoPs are disclosed in the aggregate.

### **Commitment to transparency**

AGB-Pharma is committed to maintaining the integrity of Disclosure UK and ensuring transparency in its interactions with stakeholders.

All payments or in-kind contributions made by AGB-Pharma to HCPs, ORDMs, HCOs, POs or MoPs will be documented in a secure internal company database, categorized as follows:

- **Registration Fees:** Registration fees paid by AGB to or on behalf of an HCP or ORDM associated with their attendance at national or international educational meetings, congresses or courses
- **Travel & Accommodation:** Costs associated with travel, subsistence and accommodation agreed as part of sponsorship paid by AGB to or on behalf of an HCP or ORDM associated with their attendance at national and international educational meetings, congresses or courses
- **Fees:** Honoraria, consultancy fees, speaker fees, fees for market research, or advisory activities conducted by HCPs, HCOs, ORDMs, POs or MoP on behalf of AGB.

- Related Expenses: Travel costs and subsistence incurred while engaged on behalf of AGB or as part of their sponsorship.
- Donations & Grants: Donations (physical items, services or benefit-in-kind) and grants (the provision of funds) may be offered or requested. The purpose of donations and/or grants are to support healthcare, scientific research or education, with no obligation on the recipient organisation or institution to provide any benefit to AGB-Pharma in return. Donations and grants to individuals are prohibited.
- Contribution to the Cost of an Event: Sponsorship or support for events organized by independent organizations.
- Costs for internal events such as rent for space, technical expenses or equipment hire will not be disclosed within the Disclosure Report.

AGB-Pharma ensures thorough documentation and storage of paperwork associated with all activities, meeting Code requirements.

In cases where payments are made to a specific individual within an organization, they will be recorded and declared accordingly. Where at all possible, travel and accommodation is paid for directly by AGB, and not the individual. All payments are subject to the appropriate local taxes, and AGB complies with invoicing requirements, including Value Added Tax at specified local rates.

AGB has provided all payments in GBP (£) – in instances where payments were made in Euros (€) AGB has made the payment in euros via our company account. Standard conversion rates to GBP were applied to any other currencies at the time of activity and have been disclosed as such.

Regarding date of ToVs, when the ToV is a payment, the reported values correspond to the year in which the payment was made. In the case of multi-year contracts, only the ToVs made within the reporting year are included.