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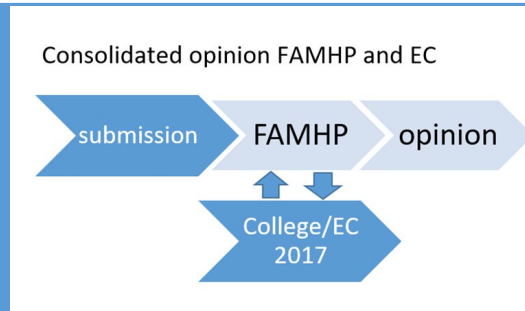
Figure 3. Decision tree

<https://www.famhp.be/sites/default/files/Guideline%20Submission%20of%20Clinical%20Investigation%20according%20to%20MDR%20version%206.0%201.pdf>

4 # flows

Flow 1: Consolidated opinion FAMHP and EC 2017

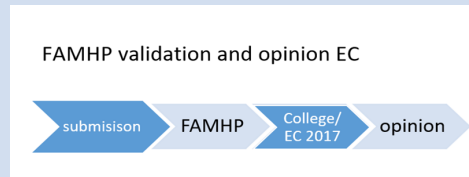
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- clinical investigation **with CE-marked device** that is used **outside its intended purpose**
- clinical investigation **with device without CE marking** that is not a custom-made or in-house device
- clinical investigations involving **custom made devices** for which data **will be used for conformity assessment**

Flow 2: FAMHP validation and EC 2017 opinion

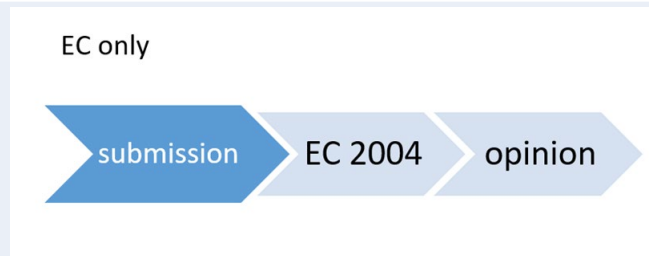
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Post-Market Clinical Follow-up investigation (PMCF) involving **additional burdensome or invasive procedures**

Flow 3: EC 2004 only

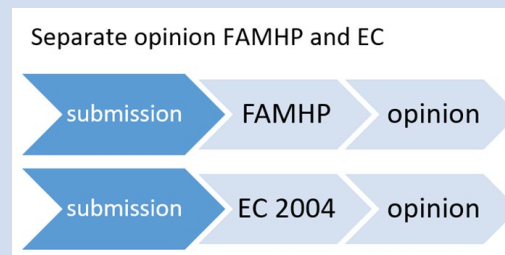
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- **PMCF without additional burdensome or invasive procedures** (Law on experiments)
- **other clinical investigation with CE-marked device** that is used for **its intended purpose** (RD on clinical investigations)

Flow 4: Separate opinion FAMHP and EC 2004

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- clinical investigations involving **in-house medical devices**
- clinical investigations involving **custom made devices** for which data **will not be used for conformity assessment**