5 WAYS to Getting the Supply Chain in Sync - Part II

SOURCING **RAW MATERIALS**

REQUIREMENTS GUIDELINES

SHIPPING AND **STORAGE**

INTEGRITY (THEFT AND FALSIFICATION) AND EXPORT

IMPORT

CHALLENGES Secondary vendors

- Non-harmonized local requirements
- Separate agency in charge of importation vs. registration
- Environment excursions:
- Temperature
- Humidity
- Light
- Vibration
- Air pressure
- Disruption in transport
- Products with fake identity. composition, source or history
- Internal and external theft

- Unauthorized import
- Unapproved pharmacies and websites
- Import holds



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- Vendor audits
- Identification testing
- Expansion of the quality management system to include quality risk management
- Train inspectors
- Help develop guidance and standards
- Validated containers
 - Monitoring
- Validated transport and cold chain
- Tamper-evident packaging
- Serialization
- Overt and covert special labeling components
- Anti-hijacking measures
- GPS tracking

- Internet surveillance monitoring
 - Dedicated import and export staff







