## Title: Conduction System Pacing and Atrioventricular Node Ablation in Heart Failure: The PACE-FIB Study Design

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- 2 SAE, serious adverse event; SADE, adverse device effect; USADE, unanticipated serious adverse device effects.

Safety endpo	pint Definition
AE	Untoward medical occurrence, unintended disease or injury, or untoward clinical signs (including abnormal laboratory findings) in <u>subjects</u> users or other persons, whether or not related to the <u>investigational medical device</u> and whether anticipated or unanticipated.
	Note 1 to entry: This definition includes events related to the investigational medical device or the <b>comparator</b> .
	Note 2 to entry: This definition includes events related to the procedures involved.
	Note 3 to entry: For users or other persons, this definition is restricted to events related to the use of investigational medical devices or comparators.
SAE	Adverse event that led to any of the following:
	a) death,
	b) serious deterioration in the health of the <b>subject</b> , users, or other persons as defined by one or more of the following:
	1) a life-threatening illness or injury, or
	2) a permanent impairment of a body structure or a body function including chronic diseases, or
	3) in-patient or prolonged hospitalization, or
	4) medical or surgical intervention to prevent life-threatening illness or injury, or permanent impairment to a body structure or a body function,
	c) foetal distress, foetal death, a congenital abnormality, or birth defect including physical or mental impairment.
	Note 1 to entry: Planned hospitalization for a pre-existing condition, or a procedure required by the CIP, without serious deterioration in
ADE	health, is not considered a serious adverse event.
ADE	Related to the use of an investigational <u>medical device.</u> Note 1 to entry: This definition includes adverse events resulting from insufficient or inadequate instructions for use, deployment,
	implantation, installation, or operation, or any <b>malfunction</b> of the investigational medical device.
	Note 2 to entry: This definition includes any event resulting from <u>use error</u> or from intentional misuse of the investigational medical
	device.
	Note 3 to entry: This includes 'comparator' if the comparator is a medical device.
SADE	Adverse device effect that has resulted in any of the consequences characteristic of a serious adverse event.

Source: ISO 14155:2020 [43].

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USADE	Serious adverse device effect which by its nature, incidence, severity or outcome has not been identified in the current risk assessment.
	Note 1 to entry: Anticipated serious adverse device effect (ASADE) is an effect which by its nature, incidence, severity or outcome has
	been identified in the risk assessment.
DD	Inadequacy of a medical device with respect to its identity, quality, durability, reliability, usability, safety or performance
	Note 1 to entry: Device deficiencies include <u>malfunctions</u> , <u>use errors</u> , and inadequacy in the information supplied by the manufacturer
	including labelling.
	Note 2 to entry: This definition includes device deficiencies related to the <u>investigational medical device</u> or the <u>comparator</u> .

6 Source: ISO 14155:2020 [46].