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The National Committee for Health Technology Incorporation - **CONITEC** was created in December 2011 by the Brazilian Government through a Federal Law and regulated by Presidential Decree, which established new rules for the incorporation of technology in Brazil and extinguished the previous Commission, called CITEC.

**CONITEC**'s law requires the presentation of studies on efficacy, safety, economic evaluation and budget impact for new technologies.

The Committee is responsible for advising the Ministry of Health in the incorporation or disinvestment of health technologies into the SUS\*.

\*SUS - Public Health System

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### **CONITEC** is composed of:



Representatives from each of the secretariats of the Ministry of Health (total of 7)

**CFM** Federal Council of Medicine

**CNS** National Health Council

**CONASS** National Council of State Health Secretaries

**CONASEMS** National Council of Municipal Health Secretaries

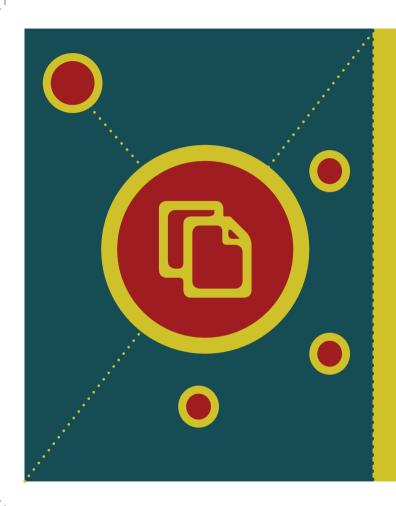
**ANS** National Regulatory Agency for Private Health Insurance and Plans

**ANVISA** Brazilian Health Surveillance Agency



**DGITS** Department of Management and Incorporation of Health Technology

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## **COMPETENCES**

- Recommend incorporation or disinvestment of health technologies by the Brazilian Public Health System (SUS)
- Develop clinical guidelines

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# DECISION MAKING

Evaluations by **CONITEC** may be requested by any institution (industry, medical society, patient association, government, etc) or individual. However, requests are evaluated by the Committee only if they are in accordance with the submission requirements set by Decree 7,646/2011.

**CONITEC**'s recommendations are issued based on the best available scientific evidence regarding efficacy, effectiveness and safety of medicines, procedures and medical devices, and include economic evaluation studies of these technologies, developed from the perspective of the public health system.

According to legal provisions, **CONITEC** has 180 days to assess requests to incorporate technologies into the SUS. All the reports are submitted to Public Consultations in order to ensure transparency and public participation. After **CONITEC**'s recommendation, the final decision regarding coverage is made by the Secretary of Science, Technology and Strategic Inputs of the Minstry of Health.

Incorporation based on evidence //efficacy and safety

**Economic evaluation studies** //cost-effectiveness



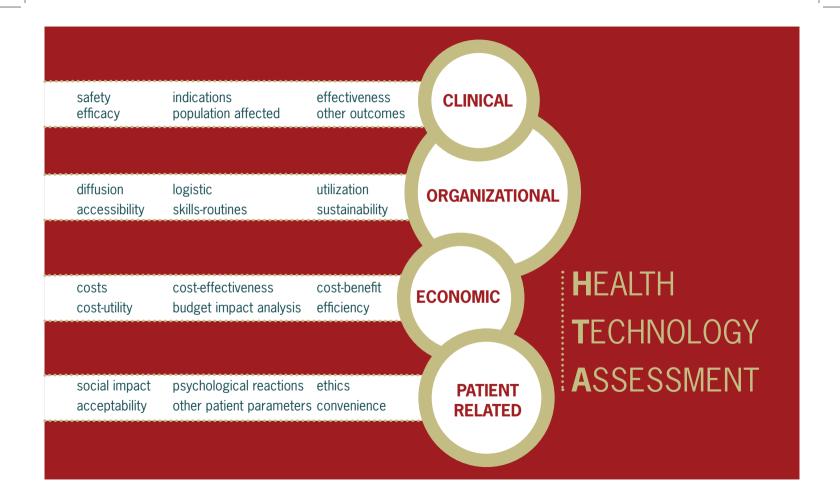
**Public Consultations** for all recommendations



**Decision making** deadline 180 days extendable for another 90 days



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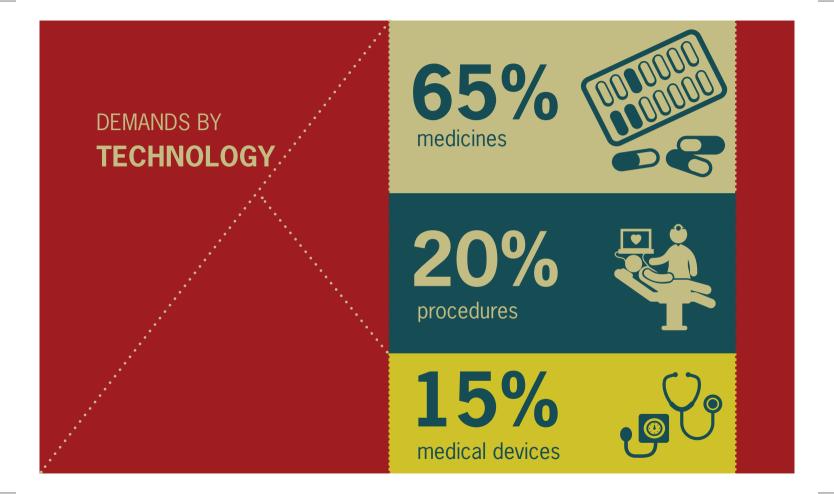
# **RESULTS**



MEETINGS	28
DEMANDS RECEIVED	316
TECHNOLOGIES INCORPORATED	95
TECHNOLOGIES NOT INCORPORATED	47
PUBLIC CONSULTATIONS	94
CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED ON PUBLIC CONSULTATION	5,082



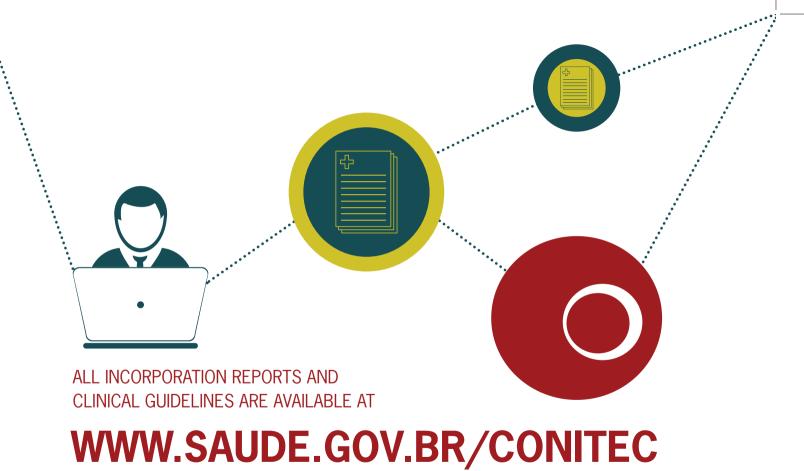
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#### **DGITS**

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### **SCTIE**

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