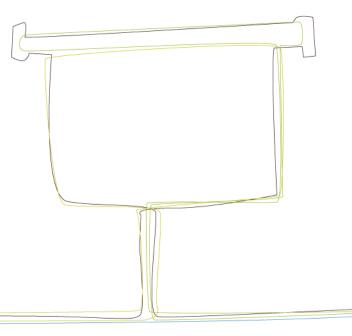


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The WG supports the surveillance system to assess prevalence of contact allergy in eczema patients as recommended by the dermatologists. Key additions to the proposed protocol are documented separately.

The WG points out that the surveillance system alone may not verify whether the QRA is effective due to confounding factors. Complementary work is therefore recommended and will be subject to a separate meeting. Key conclusions from the Working Group (WG) on a study to assess the effectiveness of QRA



Next steps include:

- Finalizing the protocol and discussing the logistics in undertaking this surveillance system, which is intended to be repeated annually for at least 5 years.
- Having the SG define a group which will agree on the operational aspects of the surveillance system.
- Ensuring that data will be analyzed independently and are accessible to all stakeholders.
- IDEA Management Team calling a meeting to define complementary work focused on evaluating the effectiveness of QRA.



Thank you for your attention

