

Design History File (DHF) Compliance Checklist

Design Planning & Control

- Design and Development Plan documented and approved
- Roles and responsibilities clearly defined



Design Inputs

- User needs captured and documented
- Regulatory, functional, and performance requirements identified



Design Outputs

- Engineering drawings and specifications created
- Manufacturing procedures and software outputs included
- Outputs reviewed for compliance with inputs



Design Reviews

- Formal design review meetings conducted at each phase
- Issues identified and resolved with documented outcomes



Design Verification & Validation

- Verification protocols and test reports complete
- Validation activities performed under actual use conditions
- V&V results traceable to design inputs



Design Changes

- Change control process implemented and documented
- Rationale and impact assessment included



Risk Management Integration

- Risk analysis in accordance with ISO 14971
- Risk controls documented and verified



Traceability Matrix

- Inputs, outputs, verification, and validation clearly mapped



Usability & Human Factors

- Usability engineering documentation (if applicable) included
- Human factors testing results integrated



Final DHF Compilation

- All documents indexed, approved, and version-controlled
- File organized for audit-readiness and future updates

