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Well-regulated (jurisdictions with a clear set of legal rules on or encompassing ADs): Israel, Singapore, Taiwan, Thailand, India

Semi-regulated (jurisdictions with other forms of regulation on ADs, including regulation via official regulatory documents and practical guidelines or other forms of guidance from professional societies): **Hong Kong, Iran, Malaysia, the Philippines, and Turkey**

Non-regulated (jurisdictions where there might be, at best, broad principles contained in legislation or guidelines around healthcare that stress the importance of patient preferences in general terms, but no regulations or guidance which connects to ADs specifically): **China, Japan, Macau, Pakistan and Saudi Arabia**

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