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Committee on Herbal Medicinal Products (HMPC)

HMPC meeting report on European Union herbal monographs, guidelines and other activities

The 124th HMPC meeting, held on 07-09 July 2025

New European Union herbal monographs - final

The HMPC adopted the following new monograph (final) after public consultation:

- Final EU herbal monograph on Species pectorales

The final monograph together with supporting documents will be published on the European Medicines Agency's website at:

https://www.ema.europa.eu/en/search?f%5B0%5D=ema_search_categories%3A85&f%5B1%5D=ema_search_content_type%3Aema_herbal&landing_from=73303

New public statement – draft

The HMPC adopted the following new public statement (draft) for 3-months **public consultation until 31 October 2025**:

- Draft public statement on Cannabis flos

The draft public statement will be published on the European Medicines Agency's website at:

https://www.ema.europa.eu/en/search?f%5B0%5D=ema_search_categories%3A85&f%5B1%5D=ema_search_content_type%3Aema_herbal&landing_from=73303

Revised European Union herbal monograph - final

The HMPC adopted after systematic review, revision and public consultation the following revised monograph:

- Revised EU herbal monograph on Plantaginis lanceolatae folium

The final revised monograph together with supporting documents will be published on the European Medicines Agency's website at:

https://www.ema.europa.eu/en/search?f%5B0%5D=ema_search_categories%3A85&f%5B1%5D=ema_search_content_type%3Aema_herbal&landing_from=73303

Revised European Union herbal monograph – draft



The HMPc adopted after systematic review and revision the following revised monographs (draft) for 3-months **public consultation until 31 October 2025**:

- Draft revised EU herbal monograph on *Fragariae folium*
- Draft revised EU herbal monograph on *Liquiritiae radix*
- Draft revised EU herbal monograph on *Species diureticae*

The draft revised monographs together with supporting documents will be published on the European Medicines Agency's website at:

https://www.ema.europa.eu/en/search?f%5B0%5D=ema_search_categories%3A85&f%5B1%5D=ema_search_content_type%3Aema_herbal&landing_from=73303

European Union herbal monographs' review

The HMPc decided that, after systematic review according to the procedure¹ EMA/HMPc/124695/2011 Rev.3, no revision is required for the following monograph because no new data were detected that could change the monograph's content:

- EU herbal monograph on *Calendulae flos*

The review report will be published as addenda to the existing assessment report on the European Medicines Agency's website at:

https://www.ema.europa.eu/en/search?f%5B0%5D=ema_search_categories%3A85&f%5B1%5D=ema_search_content_type%3Aema_herbal&landing_from=73303

Guidance documents

The HMPc adopted the following revised guideline:

- Revised 'Guideline on good agricultural and collection practice (GACP) of starting materials of herbal origin' (EMA/HMPc/246816/2005)

The final revised guideline will be published on the European Medicines Agency's website at:

<https://www.ema.europa.eu/en/good-agricultural-collection-practice-starting-materials-herbal-origin-scientific-guideline>

Assessments close to finalisation²

Monograph revisions - draft

- *Matricariae aetheroleum*

Monograph reviews

- *Primulae flos*
- *Primulae radix*

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¹ https://www.ema.europa.eu/en/documents/scientific-guideline/procedure-review-revision-european-union-herbal-monographs-european-union-list-entries-revision-3_en.pdf

² Documents endorsed for peer review and possible adoption at the HMPc September 2025 meeting.