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Committee on Herbal Medicinal Products (HMPC)

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

The 125th HMPC meeting, held on 22-24 September 2025

New European Union herbal monographs - draft

The HMPC adopted the following new monograph (draft) for 3-months **public consultation until 15 January 2026**:

- Draft EU herbal monograph on Maydis stigma

The draft 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

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 monographs because no new data were detected that could change the monograph's content:

- EU herbal monograph on Primulae flos
- EU herbal monograph on Primulae radix

The review reports 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

Assessments close to finalisation²

Monograph revisions - final

- Arnicae flos

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 November 2025 meeting.



Monograph revisions - draft

- Lecithinum ex soya

Monograph reviews

- Althaeae radix
- Carvi aetheroleum
- Carvi fructus
- Curcumae longae rhizome
- Equiseti herba
- Oenotherae oleum

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