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Committee on Herbal Medicinal Products (HMPC)

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

The 88<sup>th</sup> HMPC meeting, held on 08-10 July 2019

The Chair of the Committee on Herbal Medicinal Products (HMPC) welcomed all delegates and experts to the 88<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Committee.

The Committee welcomed Patricia Bodart as new member for Belgium and the nomination of Barbara Razinger as member for Slovenia (previously alternate).

The full composition of the Committee can be found here:

<https://www.ema.europa.eu/en/committees/hmpc/members>

### EU herbal monographs in preparation

#### New monographs - drafts

The HMPC discussed the assessment and possibilities for monographs on *Calendulae herba*, *Centellae asiaticae herba*, *Herniariae herba* and *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*.

#### Review of monographs for decision on revision

The HMPC discussed the need to revise the monographs after review of newly available data on *Hamamelidis cortex*, *Hamamelidis folium* and *Hamamelidis folium et cortex aut ramunculus destillatum*.

#### Monograph revisions - finalisation

The Committee re-discussed after peer-review the revision of documents on *Valerianae radix/Lupuli flos*; a possible final adoption is scheduled for September 2019.

The HMPC agreed after public consultation on revised documents for *Frangulae cortex* for peer-review and possible final adoption at the HMPC September meeting. HMPC discussed further the revision of documents for *Hyperici herba*.

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## **Monograph revisions - drafts**

The HMPC discussed draft revised documents for Rhamni purshianae cortex, Rhei radix, Tanaceti parthenii herba and Thymi aetheroleum. Following peer-review, possible adoption for release for public consultation is scheduled for September 2019.

The committee had first discussion on the revision of the documents on Trigonellae foenugraeci semen and Millefolii herba.

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