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The **IVAA** is the umbrella organisation for **Anthroposophic Medical Associations**

> 2.000 fully qualified medical doctors (General Practitioners and Specialists).

18 Member States have an Anthroposophic Medical Association:

(Austria, Belgium, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Italy, Latvia, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Spain, Sweden, United Kingdom and Eire as well as in Norway and Switzerland). Other European countries are expected to join in soon

2.200 beds. Anthroposophic medicine is practised in hospitals, clinics and other in-patients' facilities. This includes teaching hospitals as well as district general hospitals. All specialities are represented.

(including Accident and Emergency, Intensive Care Units, Internal Medicine, Obstetrics, Psychiatry, and Surgery) (Austria, Germany, Italy, Netherlands, Sweden, Switzerland and the UK).

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Anthroposophic Medicinal Products:

**Full range of
Potencies (MT-D60)
Pharmaceutical forms
(Esp. injectibles)**

Compounds

**Herbal and mineral
ingredients**

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Anthroposophic Medicinal Products: The current legislative framework

No suitable regulatory framework for existing

- Injectibles
- Eyedrops (many)
- Mixtures of potentised and non-potentised substances
- Compounds with non-herbal ingredients
- New developments

Anthroposophic Medicinal Products: Future sources of reason

- 'New scientific evidence'

large potential as current foundation of D4 threshold and pharmaceutical form limitation without scientific basis. Could resolve the full range of currently homeless anthroposophic medicinal products

- 'Mineral traces'

widening the envelope of traditional use



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