

To Whom It May Concern,

Re: The Therapeutic Goods Administration Consultation on “Low Risk Products”,

I am deeply concerned about any changes in the regulations towards Homeopathy within the regulatory framework of the TGA. The best option in regards to Homeopathy is **Option 1** to Keep Homeopathy Regulated as it is now. Any other option will place Australia and its citizens behind the rest of the world in terms of quality Healthcare.

Homeopathy is an extremely safe and effective healing modality that has been in use longer than pharmaceutical drugs. Homeopathic remedies do not come with a list of adverse side effects – for there are none! They are safe for children, the elderly and pregnant women, and are even safe and effective for those with disabilities.

I have been using Homeopathy as a clinician for over 30 years. My patients have benefitted greatly from this form of medicine. Many countries all over the world, like India, the UK and other European nations, see the value of Homeopathy and have been using it in their Healthcare programs for decades.

Homeopathy was once the most popular healing modality in the Western world also. Many famous American colleges were founded as Homeopathic colleges, such as the Hahnemann Medical College of Philadelphia. In fact, it was the American Institute of Homeopathy, founded in 1844, that was the first national medical society in the U.S. – founded three years before the AMA.

Though some web searches may lead a reader to a different conclusion because there has also been constant opposition to Homeopathy – not due to lack of its ability to heal people – quite the opposite, in fact. It is because of its ability to heal people, that those who are profiting off of more lucrative forms of therapy are constantly trying to stifle knowledge of its effectiveness and its widespread use. Ample historical evidence can verify this fact.

Since the TGA’s mandate is to “**protect the safety of Australian citizens in relation to medicines and treatments**” **Option 1** – Keep Homeopathy Regulated The Way That It Is, is the only choice when it comes to regulating Homeopathy because, Homeopathy is and remains a “**low risk**” medicine, and has **proven to be completely safe** over two centuries worth of worldwide use.

The real proof is in the “clinical evidence” of people who use Homeopathy, and find relief and healing. If this were not the case, the use of Homeopathy would not have endured.

It should be clear to all those involved, that choosing any option, other than **Option 1** would be cause for seriously questioning the motives of those in the position to change, what has been considered, historically and on a global scale, an utterly safe, “**low risk**” and effective healing therapy.

I urge all those in a position to do so to **Keep Homeopathy Regulated The Way That It Is!**

Thank you,

