

To whom it may concern,

Submission to the TGA - Consultation on future regulation of low risk products

I wish to express my concern and objection to the potential change of homeopathy's therapeutic goods status in Australia. My family and I have been using homeopathy for the past 7 years with wonderful results.

Homeopathic medicines are one of the safest and cost effective therapeutic goods that are available. We should follow countries such as France, India, Switzerland and the UK who are acknowledging homeopathy's benefits and incorporating its usage.

Considering the World Health Organisation (WHO) recognises homeopathy as one of the most popular and widely used complementary medicine worldwide, with entire communities depending on it for healthcare and the prevention of epidemic disease, why would the TGA even consider restricting it's access to Australians?

The NHMRC report has conflicts of interest, bias, absence of fairness, and withholds important information and commentary to the public. It is of great concern that the TGA would choose to base their opinion on this flawed report. Rather than reject this modality, we should be embracing and celebrating homeopathy as a complementary medicine along side allopathic treatment.

I am writing in support of Option 1 – Keep homeopathy regulated the way it is. I strongly oppose Options 3 and 4. The lack of publicity about this change and short consultation process is also very concerning.

I find homeopathy to be of extremely high value and it is my right to continue to have access to it.

Yours sincerely,

