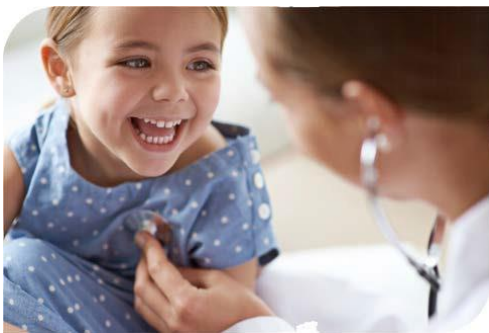


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About the Generic Medicines Group

The **Generic Medicines Group** is a sector group of **Medicines for Europe**, representing the generic medicines developers and manufacturers, which provide high-quality cost-competitive medicines to millions of patients in Europe and around the world. Generic medicines account today for 67% of all prescribed medicines but for only 29% of the pharmaceutical expenditure, or 2-4% of total healthcare costs, in Europe. Without generic medicines, European payers would have had to pay €100 billion more in 2014 to get the same level of access to treatment as we have today. The generic medicines industry has increased access to medicines by over 100% in 7 key therapeutic areas without increasing the overall treatment cost over the last 10 years.

Medicines for Europe vision is to provide sustainable access to high quality medicines for all European patients, based on 5 important pillars: **patients**, **quality**, **value**, **sustainability** and **partnership**.

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Generic medicines: the Cornerstone of European healthcare policy

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29% of pharmaceutical expenditure²

ONE OF THE MOST COMPETITIVE SECTORS IN EUROPE

⇒ **400** manufacturing sites employing over **190.000** direct employees³

⇒ Up to 17% of turnover invested in R&D exporting to more than 100 countries outside the EU³

¹ IMS Institute (2015) – The role of generic medicines in sustaining healthcare systems: a European perspective

² IMS Health, MIDAS Q4 2014

³ EGA Internal survey

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