

# TASKFORCE ON SELF-MEDICATION PROJECT

## Meeting with Interested Parties

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## Task Force on Self-Medication Project Overview

- Project established by the Future of CMDh Working Group and mandated by the HMA
- Objective: To make MRP/DCP more attractive to the self-medication sector in relation to the licensing of medicines
- First meeting held with IPs in February 2011
- Work Plan finalised in March 2011
- Task Force meetings held in March 2011 and May 2011

# Task Force Progress with Work Plan Outputs

- Best Practice Guide to improve and make more consistent MRP/DCP procedures for licensing of OTC medicines, working within existing legislation
- Exploration with the Commission of legal issues regarding interpretation of the legislation to enable consistency of approach by member states

# Next steps

- Focused input from IPs of specific MRP/DCP issues for the licensing of OTC medicines to inform contents of the Best Practice Guide
- Consideration of industry-led Work Plan Items and plans for their progression