



PATENT AND LICENCE INFORMATION ON ESSENTIAL MEDICAL PRODUCTS AND TECHNOLOGIES TO SUPPORT GLOBAL HEALTH ADVOCACY AND ACCESS

The Medicines Patent Pool (MPP) patents and licences database MedsPaL is a free resource that provides information on the intellectual property status of the following key health technologies and products:



MEDICINES

Patented medicines on the Model lists of Essential Medicines of the World Health Organisation (WHO EML) and medicines prioritised for MPP licensing across all disease areas as well as data on patented medicines recommended by WHO for the treatment of COVID-19 in low- and middle-income countries (LMICs).



VACCINES

Patent information on COVID-19 vaccines worldwide, which will evolve over time to cover other key patented vaccines.



TECHNOLOGIES

Long-acting technologies selected in the context of LAPaL, the Long-acting technologies patents and licences database, another free online resource coordinated by MPP.

What does MedsPaL contain



Granted patents and pending patent applications.



Information on patent licences that enable generic access in LMICs.



Information on data exclusivity protection from national regulatory authorities.

Key features:



Experience both List and Map views with the capability to generate reports

Search functionality with multiselection and multiple filters

Save search and email notification for timely updates on changes to patent and licence status, and more!

What is MedsPaL used for

The tool is extensively utilised by pivotal public health stakeholders for facilitating the procurement and supply of health products, conducting policy analysis and policymaking, as well as developing access strategies and advocacy efforts.

Why MedsPaL



MedsPaL aims to streamline the complexities surrounding patent information related to health products. This includes simplifying patent documents and procedures, eliminating the necessity to visit individual national patent offices to verify patent statuses, and ensuring that national registers are accessible in local languages.

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