

For Innovation and Access to Essential Medicines

Summary

We call for a policy aimed at the health needs of people. Medicines, and other goods indispensable for people's existence, should be considered as public goods and therefore be exempted from monopolies and exclusive market rights. Only in this way can essential health knowledge be made accessible to all.

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