





# Addressing Gaps in Access to Reproductive Health Supplies: the role of generics medicine manufacturers

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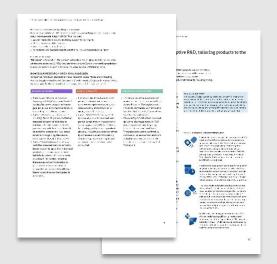


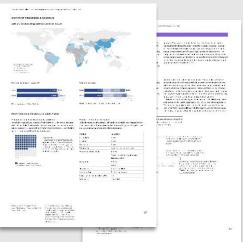


# Generic & Biosimilar Medicines Programme: Company Profiles Publication overview











**KEY FINDINGS GENERIC & BIOSIMILAR MEDICINE MANUFACTURERS** Cipla, Hikma, Sun Pharma, Teva and Viatris 82 DISEASES, CONDITIONS & PATHOGENS 10 maternal and neonatal health conditions 108 **LOW- & MIDDLE-INCOME COUNTRIES** 102 **OFF-PATENT ESSENTIAL HEALTH PRODUCTS** 

32 relevant SRHR products

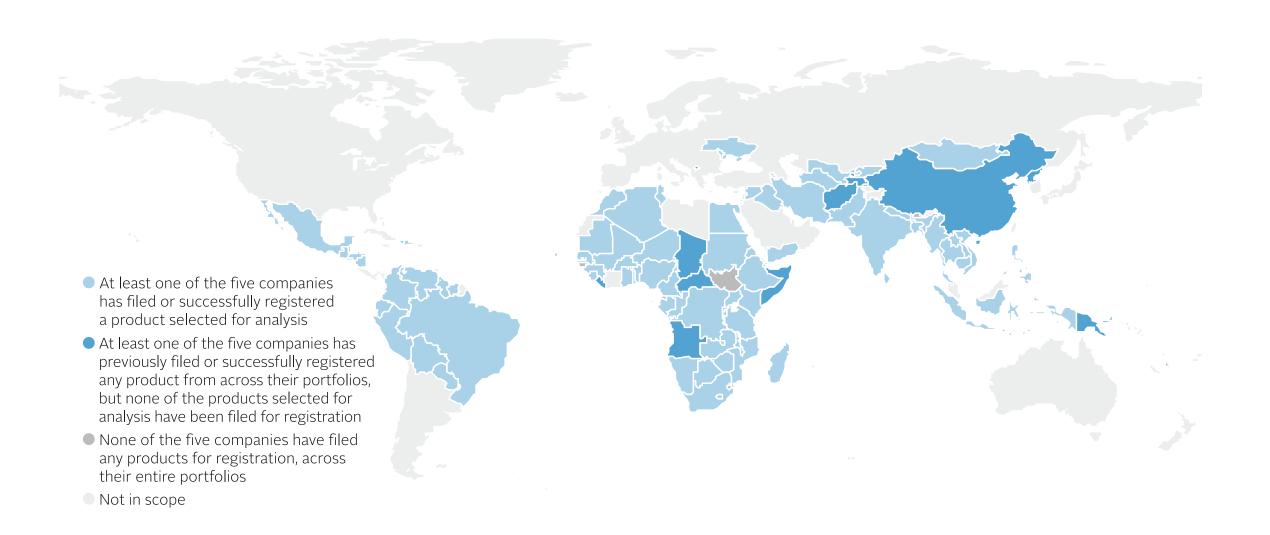
#### Portfolios



- Hypertensive disorders of pregnancy
- Maternal hemorrhage
- Contraceptive methods
- HIV/AIDS
- Oncology (cervical, ovarian and breast cancer)

### Registration

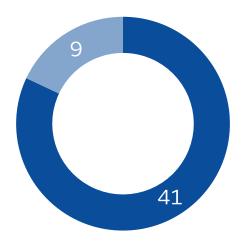




## Access strategies



The majority of the products in scope are covered by an access strategy



- Number of products not covered by any access strategy
- Number of products covered by an access strategy in at least one country in scope

What types of access strategies are companies implementing?



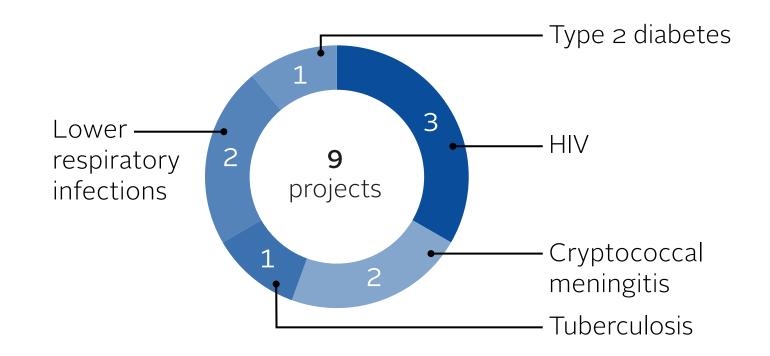
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Pricing strategies and contract agreements

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# Diseases targeted by adaptive R&D projects in scope





## Opportunities for the 5 companies in scope to improve

- Opportunities in companies' portfolios
- Opportunities in registrations, especially LICs and high burden countries
- Opportunities in comprehensive access strategics and access planning
- Need to consider more local manufacturing
- Continue to engage in adaptive R&D inclusive of LMICs

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Spotlight on the generics industry: New analysis looks at access efforts of 5 major companies

# Thank you!

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