



Generic Medicines – Sustainable Affordable Healthcare

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IGPA



- International Alliance of major generic industry organizations
- Members:
 - USA - Generic Pharmaceutical Association
 - Canada - Canadian Generic Pharmaceutical Association
 - Europe - European Generic medicines Association
 - Japan - Japan Generics Medicines Association
 - India - Indian Pharmaceutical Alliance
- Observers:
 - Brazil - Progenericos
 - Jordan - JAPM
 - Taiwan - TGPA
 - S. Africa - NAPM



Access to Medicines



High quality, affordable generic pharmaceuticals increase access to Medicines



Doha Paragraph 6



- A cumbersome compulsory licensing procedure which was used only once
- Did not increase availability of generics

Issues for the Generic Industry



- Patents
 - Indemnification for Patent Infringement
- Customs
 - Seizure of Pharmaceuticals in-transit
- Quality
 - No compromise on quality

Incentives for the Generic Industry



- Fast Track Approval in Developing Countries
- WHO Prequalification
- Industrial Bolar and Data Exclusivity Export Exceptions
- Encourage increased prescribing and dispensing of generics
- Long range planning
 - Consolidation of tenders from different organizations
 - Volume