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Sustaining Access to Medicines in Europe: Examining consumers' priorities and concerns The UK experience

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As part of the international campaign on access to needed drugs, in November HAI Europe and Medico International challenged public health stakeholders to identify key areas to be addressed in order to ensure sustainable access to medicines within Europe. Long seen as a problem for the developing world, Clara MacKay of the UK's Consumers Association, described at the meeting how access to medicines and healthcare has become a central concern for consumers, healthcare providers and government officials in one of the wealthiest countries in the world.

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