



The HMA UK

Professional Homoeopathic Association

The Homoeopathic Medical Association UK

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LAUNCH OF the NEW HMA UK & UPDATE 20th NOV 2018

Dear Colleague,

Further to my previous emails, I am delighted to inform you that the membership has made an overwhelming decision. 100% of the responses received were in favour of separating from the HMA Ltd Company and forming a new professional Association. This new association is named the Homoeopathic Medical Association UK.

We appreciate your loyalty to the HMA as most of you have been long standing members and personally known to us. We will serve you, the membership, to the best of our ability, and make the Association a strong, progressive and supportive organisation.

Members may have received emails from the old HMA suggesting that the development of a new organisation violates data protection, however we assure you that our actions are lawful and carefully considered.

HMA UK MEMBERSHIP DETAILS

A NEW HMA UK has been launched: “THE HOMOEOPATHIC MEDICAL ASSOCIATION UK”

A new website is under construction and can be viewed here www.thehmauk.com

The yearly fee will be £230 Membership fee or with Insurance £275 for Homoeopathic Practice.

You can pay the New HMA UK by cheque, 3 monthly standing order or using online transfer by BACS:

Bank Details: The Homoeopathic Medical Association UK

Lloyds Bank

Account no: 44077360 Sort code: 30-96-26

SOME QUESTIONS ANSWERED

Why is a change necessary?

The old HMA has a structure which is no longer fit for purpose. **It is owned wholly by 3 people.** Attempts to bring about change resulted in members being expelled/forced to resign, without following any procedure or appeal. This could potentially happen to any member.

Who will own the NEW HMA UK?

The new HMA UK will be owned by all of its professional homoeopath members.



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How will the new HMA UK be different from the old HMA?

There will be transparency and accountability, so that you receive the accounts every year. We will be pleased to receive ideas from you on how we can help you and the Association.

Your money will not be subject to use/misuse without your knowledge. Everything will be done in the interests of the members and not for anyone's personal interest.

What will be the benefits?

Some of the new benefits being considered are:

- Close working with LMHI Indian Chapter, www.lmhiindia.in
- Additional inclusive Associate Membership of Liga Medicorum Homoeopathica Internationalis (LIGA).
- Investigation into upgrading qualifications to Degree level, PhD, or MD (Hom).
- Webinars
- Articles from International Homeopathic Journals & Regular electronic news letters.
- Access to senior experienced Homeopaths, Marketing and Business advice etc.
- Re-joining 4H to enable HMA UK members inclusion in the <https://www.findahomeopath.org/> register.

International Support

It gives us great pleasure to announce that Dr Farokh Master has been appointed as Honorary Consultant to the new HMA. Dr Master is one of the foremost international homeopaths, holding consultancies in many Indian hospitals. He has agreed to support the Association and will come to the UK to share his incredible knowledge with our members.

Who is driving the change?

Raj Bains has taken the initiative, and is now supported by a strong team consisting of the former Chairman, Honorary life Vice-Chairman, Council members, and many members with expertise in various fields.

Raj and some of his associates have been serving the HMA for its entire lifetime of 33 years. Raj has served as Registrar, Council member and Director.

Full Information of the New Team will be announced on the website very shortly.

What should a member do now?

As the professional Association has separated from the company HMA Limited, your name will be automatically included in the new Register. However, if you do not wish to be included in the new Register, please inform us, and we will remove your name.

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What if I have already paid my subscription to the OLD HMA Limited Company?

You do have the right to ask for a refund. Or please contact us, and we will advise accordingly.

What happens next?

We will contact you again with further details.

In the meantime, a steering committee has been formed (below), and I would like to thank them for their support, and all of those members who sent messages of encouragement.

Yours sincerely,

Raj Bains (former HMA Director & Registrar) 01474 356729

Dr Jagjit Ram (former council member, honorary life Vice Chairman & current member)

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Anjana D Jadeja

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Please check your emails regularly, as we will be communicating by email in future