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**Hydroxyethyl-starch (HES) solution suspension by the European Medicines Agency**

The Scandinavian Society of Anaesthesiology and Intensive Care Medicine (SSAI) fully supports the recommendation by the Pharmacovigilance Risk Assessment Committee (PRAC) of the European Medicines Agency (EMA) to suspend the marketing authorisation of hydroxyethyl-starch (HES).

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