

AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
THE GOVERNMENT OF ICELAND
AND
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF MALTA
ON CO-OPERATION IN THE FIELDS OF
HEALTH AND MEDICINE

The Government of Iceland and the Government of the Republic of Malta,
(hereinafter referred to as the "Contracting Parties"),

Desirous of developing co-operation between their respective countries in the
fields of health and medicine,

Have concluded the following Agreement:

Article 1

The Contracting Parties shall encourage co-operation in the fields of health
and medicine, on the basis of equality, reciprocity and mutual benefit. The
specific areas of co-operation shall be determined by mutual consent taking
into account their respective interests.

Article 2

In particular, the Contracting Parties shall use their best endeavours to
facilitate:

exchanges of information in health fields of mutual interest;

exchanges of specialists for the purposes of study and consultations as
specified in the of Plans of Co-operation referred to in Article 3 of this
Agreement;

direct contacts between institutions and organisations in their respective
countries;

exchanges of information on new equipment, pharmaceutical products and
technological developments related to medicine and public health; and

such other forms of co-operation in the fields of medicine and public health,
as may be mutually agreed.

Article 3

The Contracting Parties shall exchange information on congresses and symposia with international participation dealing with problems of health and medicine which will take place in their respective countries and, at the request of one Contracting Party, the other Contracting Party shall send the respective material issued on the occasion of such actions.

Article 4

The respective bodies of the Contracting Parties shall exchange lists of medical literature and films on health care as well as any other written, visual or audio-visual informative materials in the field of health knowledge.

Article 5

The Contracting Parties shall entrust the Ministry of Health of Ireland and the Ministry responsible for Health in Malta with the implementation of this Agreement.

To implement this Agreement the Ministries will sign Plans of Co-operation in which, among other things, financial conditions will be specified.

The provisions of this Agreement and their application shall be subject to the laws of each Contracting Party.

Article 6

The present Agreement shall be approved or ratified in accordance with the internal legal procedures of the Contracting Parties.

The Agreement will enter into force with the exchange of diplomatic notes on approval or ratification and will remain in force for an indefinite period of time. Either Contracting Party may terminate the Agreement by giving notice in writing to the other Contracting Party of its intention to terminate the Agreement, in which case the Agreement shall cease to be in force six (6) months from the date of the notification of termination.



Done at Valletta this 21st day of August 1998, in two original copies in the English language, each text being equally authentic.

FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF
ICELAND



FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF
THE REPUBLIC OF MALTA

