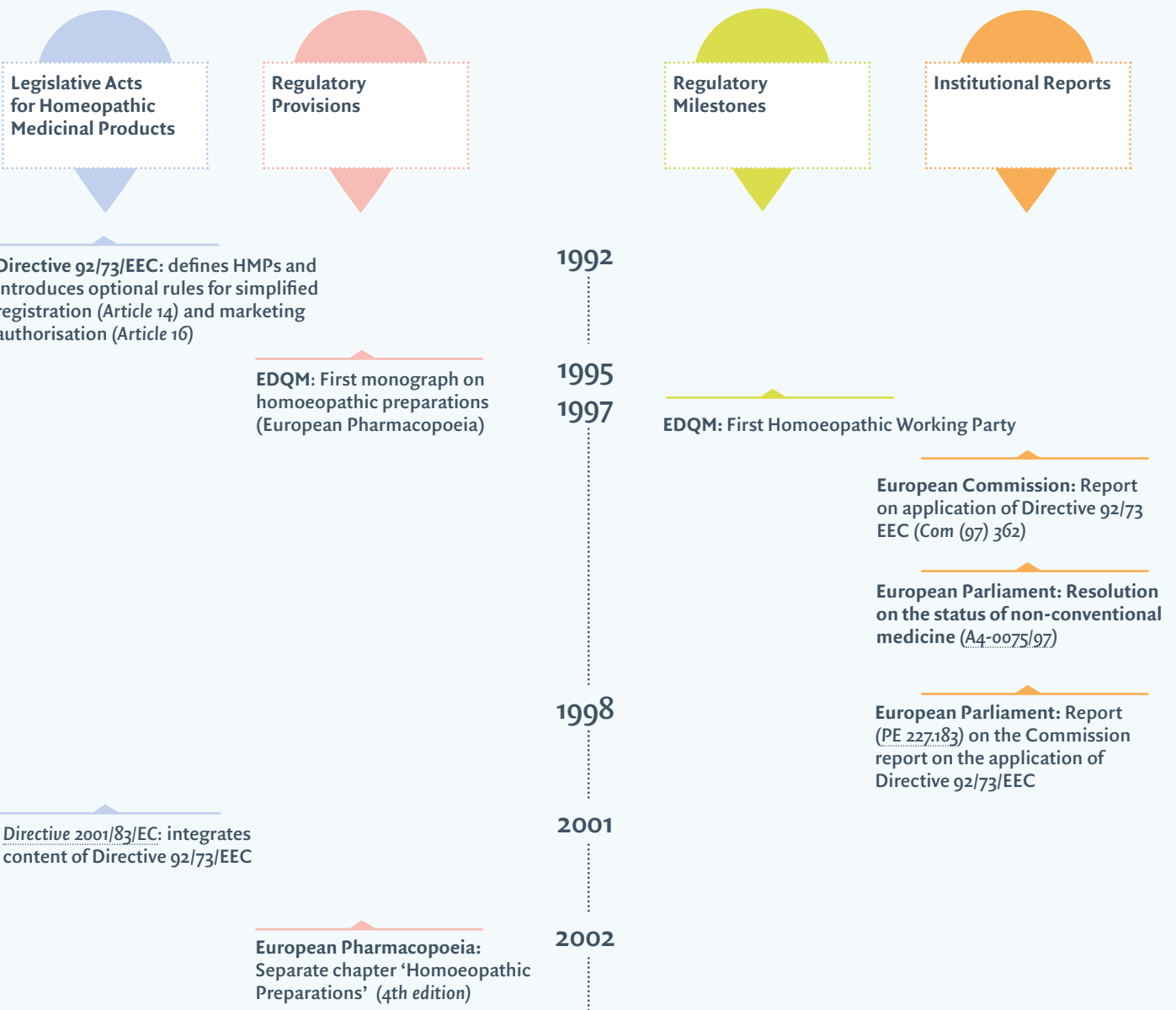


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The milestones for homeopathic medicinal products (HMPS)

Specific legislation for homeopathic medicinal products has deep roots in their broad use in the Member States. Even before the introduction of the first EU legislation in 1992, homeopathic medicinal products were prescribed and used in all Member States. Regulation of these products dates back to 1967 in France and 1976 in Germany.

In 1992, [Directive 92/73/EEC](#) created specific provisions for homeopathic medicinal products with the intention of creating a legal frame that would allow patients access to the medicinal products of their choice, while at the same time making sure that all precautions would be taken to ensure their quality and safety. The basic values for the legislation were free trade within the Community and freedom of choice for patients and the main motivation behind the legislation was the intention to safeguard quality and safety.



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