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<https://apteegid.ravimiamet.ee/>

Quick facts

-  Company: Agency of Medicines
-  Sector: Health
-  Product / service: Website
-  Type of data: Geospatial and Health data
-  Origin: Estonia

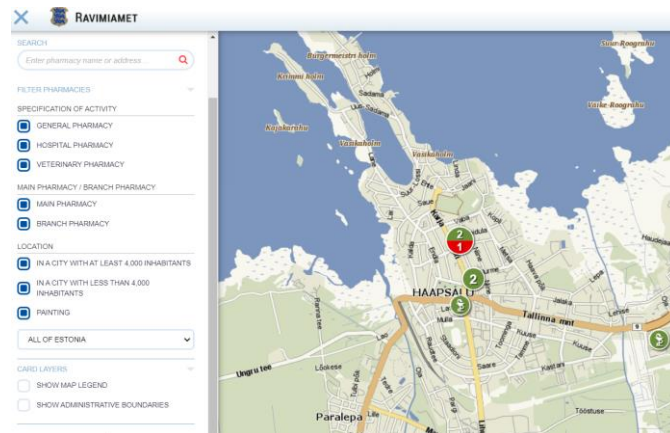


Description

This website shows a map with the locations of general, hospital, and veterinary pharmacies in Estonia. Following the 2020 pharmacy reform, many pharmacies in Estonia had to close down and access to medicine became more restricted. This application provides an apt solution to this limitation.

Benefits

The Pharmacy Map provides unrestricted access to information on medical services in an easy-to-use interface. Through the map, users can easily see the location, type of pharmacy, and who that pharmacy is licensed to. Lack of this type of transparency has been a problem in Estonia, which the Pharmacy Map nicely addresses.



How open data is used

Geospatial information is published through Leaflet – an open-source library for maps with a well-documented API and source code. The information about the pharmacies is provided by Ravimiamet, the National Agency of Medicines.

