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## Class 44

Medical services; veterinary services; hygienic and beauty care for human beings or animals; agriculture, aquaculture, horticulture and forestry services.

### Explanatory Note

Class 44 includes mainly medical care, including alternative medicine, hygienic and beauty care given by persons or establishments to human beings and animals, as well as services relating to the fields of agriculture, aquaculture, horticulture and forestry.

This Class includes, in particular:

- hospital services;
- telemedicine services;
- dentistry, optometry and mental health services;
- medical clinic services and medical analysis services for diagnostic and treatment purposes provided by medical laboratories, such as x-ray examinations and taking of blood samples;
- therapy services, for example, physiotherapy and speech therapy;
- pharmacy advice and preparation of prescriptions by pharmacists;
- blood bank and human tissue bank services;
- convalescent home and rest home services;
- dietary and nutritional advice;
- health spa services;
- artificial insemination and in vitro fertilization services;
- animal breeding;
- animal grooming;
- body piercing and tattooing;
- services relating to gardening, for example, plant nursery services, landscape design, landscape gardening, lawn care;
- services relating to floral art, for example, flower arranging, wreath making;
- weed killing, vermin and pest control for agriculture, aquaculture, horticulture and forestry.

This Class does not include, in particular:

- rental of pastures (Cl. 36);
- installation and repair services for irrigation devices (Cl. 37);
- vermin and pest control, other than for agriculture, aquaculture, horticulture and forestry (Cl. 37);
- ambulance transport (Cl. 39);
- slaughtering of animals, taxidermy (Cl. 40);
- timber felling and processing (Cl. 40);
- animal training services (Cl. 41);
- health clubs for physical exercise (Cl. 41);
- scientific research services for medical purposes (Cl. 42);
- boarding for animals (Cl. 43);
- retirement homes (Cl. 43);
- funerary undertaking (Cl. 45).

Basic No.	Indication
440235	acupuncture
440115	aerial and surface spreading of fertilizers and other agricultural chemicals / aerial and surface spreading of fertilisers and other agricultural chemicals

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440279	aerial seeding
440241	aesthetician services
440210	alternative medicine services
440009	animal breeding
440131	animal grooming
440224	animal-assisted therapy
440207	aquaculture services
440193	aromatherapy services
440252	art therapy
440194	artificial insemination services
440258	Attention Deficit Disorder screening services / ADD screening services
440259	Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder screening services / ADHD screening services
440249	barber shop services
440203	beautician services
440020	beauty salon services
440152	birth attendant services
440133	blood bank services
440216	body piercing
440032	chiropractic
440284	commercial fishing services
440228	consultancy in the field of viticulture
440043	convalescent home services
440231	cultivation of plants
440256	cultured cell bank services for medical transplantation
440236	cupping therapy
440251	dance therapy
440113	dentistry services
440213	depilatory waxing
440260	diagnosis of visual processing disorders
440233	dietary and nutritional advice
440273	drug screening for medical diagnosis and treatment

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440278	drug testing of participants in sports for the use of performance enhancing substances
440283	facial treatment services
440084	farming equipment rental
440143	flower arranging
440276	fumigation for pest control for agriculture, horticulture and forestry
440077	gardening
440242	hair dyeing services / hair coloring services / hair colouring services
440180	hair implantation
440034	hairdressing
440247	health assessment services
440060	health care
440209	health centre services / health center services
440212	health counselling / health counseling
440202	health spa services
440229	home-visit nursing care
440072	horticulture
440147	hospice services
440059	hospital services
440221	human tissue bank services
440281	hydrotherapy services
440196	in vitro fertilization services / in vitro fertilisation services
440245	landscape architecture
440199	landscape design
440012	landscape gardening
440148	lawn care
440257	learning disability screening services
440151	manicuring
440086	massage
440215	medical advice for persons with disabilities
440225	medical analysis services for diagnostic and treatment purposes provided by medical laboratories
440087	medical assistance

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440021	medical clinic services
440208	medical equipment rental
440265	medical examination
440264	medical examination for quarantine clearance purposes
440226	medical screening
440282	medical testing for diagnostic and treatment purposes
440255	medical treatment using cultured cells
440267	mental health services
440253	music therapy
440114	nursing home services
440153	nursing, medical
440268	occupational health consultancy
440246	occupational therapy
440266	optometry services
440214	orthodontic services
440218	palliative care
440274	pathological examination for medical diagnosis and treatment
440277	pathological testing for diagnostic and treatment purposes
440220	pest control services for agriculture, aquaculture, horticulture and forestry
440173	pet grooming
440154	pharmacy advice
440097	physiotherapy / physical therapy
440094	plant nursery services
440156	plastic surgery
440237	postnatal care services
440204	preparation of prescriptions by pharmacists
440248	providing community gardening facilities
440270	providing mental health rehabilitation facilities
440271	providing physical rehabilitation facilities
440250	providing service animals to persons with disabilities
440243	pruning of trees

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440018	public bath services for hygiene purposes
440217	reforestation services
440240	regenerative medicine services
440195	rehabilitation for substance abuse patients
440254	remote monitoring of medical data for medical diagnosis and treatment
440222	rental of animals for gardening purposes
440223	rental of beehives
440238	rental of bottles and containers containing gas for medical purposes
440261	rental of gardening implements
440230	rental of hair styling apparatus
440239	rental of hydrogen water generators for baths
440263	rental of respiratory masks for artificial respiration
440188	rental of sanitary installations
440272	rental of spectacles / rental of eyeglasses
440275	rental of sunglasses
440269	rental of surgical microscopes
440232	rental of surgical robots
440219	rest home services
440106	sanatorium services
440200	sauna services
440280	scraping therapy
440185	services of a psychologist
440201	solarium services
440211	speech therapy
440197	tattooing
440198	telemedicine services
440205	therapy services
440244	transplanting of trees
440206	tree planting for carbon offsetting purposes
440166	tree surgery
440019	Turkish bath services

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440262	vaccination services
440168	vermin exterminating for agriculture, aquaculture, horticulture and forestry
440285	veterinary analysis services for diagnostic and treatment purposes provided by veterinary laboratories
440111	veterinary assistance
440227	viticulture services
440171	weed killing
440234	wildlife management
440037	wreath making