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First and second questions under Fatwa number (1920):

Q1: Is it permissible for Muslims to use all kinds of Ruqyah?

A: Ruqyah (reciting Qur'an and saying supplications over the sick seeking healing) is permissible if it does not entail any Shirk (associating others in worship with Allah). However, incantation is unlawful if it implies any Shirk such as charming the patient with the names of Jinn (creatures created from fire) or pious people and with incomprehensible words. This is impermissible because they may contain Shirk. It is confirmed that the Prophet (peace be upon him) said: [« There is no harm in the incantation which does not smack of polytheism. »](#) (Related by Muslim).

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