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Let F be a differential field with an algebraically closed field of constants and let E be a differential field extension of F with no new constants. We say that E is an *Iterated Antiderivative Extension* of F , abbreviated *IAE*, if there is a tower of differential fields $F = F_0 \subset F_1 \subset \cdots \subset F_n = E$ such that for each $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$, $F_i = F_{i-1}(\mathbf{x}_i)$ and $\mathbf{x}_i \in E$ is an antiderivative of F_{i-1} . In this talk, we will show that if E is an *IAE* of F and K is a differential subfield of E such that $K \supseteq F$ then K is an *IAE* of F as well. (Received September 06, 2009)