



General description

Benzathine benzylpenicillin is a narrow spectrum beta lactamase sensitive penicillin.

INN	Benzathine benzylpenicillin
ATC codes	J01CE08
Medicine type	Chemical agent
Antibiotic groups	A ACCESS
EML status history	First added in 1977 (TRS 615) for Bacterial infection of unspecified site Added in 2017 (TRS 1006) for Syphilis Removed in 2017 (TRS 1006) for Bacterial infection of unspecified site Added in 2017 (TRS 1006) for Congenital syphilis
Wikipedia	Benzathine benzylpenicillin
DrugBank	Benzathine benzylpenicillin

Recommendations

Section Access group antibiotics

Parenteral > General injections > IM: 900 mg in vial benzylpenicillin powder for injection (= 1.2 million IU); 1.44 g in vial benzylpenicillin powder for injection (= 2.4 million IU)

Indications

First choice

[Congenital syphilis \[children\]](#)

[Syphilis](#)

Other indications

[Bacterial infection of unspecified site](#)

