

## General description

INN	Chlorhexidine
ATC codes	D08AC02
Medicine type	Chemical agent
EML status history	First added in 1979 (TRS 641) for Chlorhexidine Added in 2013 (TRS 985) for Omphalitis of newborn
Wikipedia	<a href="#">Chlorhexidine</a> 
DrugBank	<a href="#">Chlorhexidine</a> 

## Recommendations

### Section Antiseptics

Local > Topical > Solution: 5% (digluconate) for dilution

### Indications

[Chlorhexidine](#)

### Section Medicines administered to the neonate [c]

Local > Topical > Solution: 7.1% chlorhexidine digluconate (delivering 4% chlorhexidine)

Local > Topical > Gel: 7.1% chlorhexidine digluconate (delivering 4% chlorhexidine)

### Indications

[Omphalitis of newborn](#)

