



## General description

Suxamethonium is a depolarising neuromuscular blocker used for brief muscular paralysis in anaesthesia.

INN	Suxamethonium chloride
ATC codes	M03AB01
Medicine type	Chemical agent
EML status history	First added in 1977 (TRS 615) for <a href="#">Muscle relaxants</a>
Wikipedia	<a href="#">Suxamethonium</a>
DrugBank	<a href="#">Suxamethonium (Succinylcholine)</a>

## Recommendations

Section **Muscle relaxants (peripherally-acting) and cholinesterase inhibitors**

Parenteral > General injections > IV: 50 mg per mL in 2 mL ampoule (suxamethonium chloride); powder for injection (suxamethonium chloride) in vial

### Indications

Muscle relaxants

