

Ofloxacin
Essential medicine status
General description

INN
Ofloxacin
ATC codes
[S01AE01 J01MA01](#)
Medicine type
Chemical agent
Antibiotic groups
[WATCH](#)
EML status history
First added in 1999 ([TRS 895](#)) for [Multi-drug resistant Mycobacterium tuberculosis](#)
Added in 2013 ([TRS 985](#)) for [Infectious keratitis](#)
Removed in 2013 ([TRS 985](#)) for [Multi-drug resistant Mycobacterium tuberculosis](#)
Added in 2021 ([TRS 1035](#)) for [Other specified conjunctivitis](#)
Changed in 2021 ([TRS 1035](#)) for [Infectious diseases of external ear](#)
Therapeutic equivalent for
[ciprofloxacin](#) for [Infectious diseases of external ear, unspecified](#)

Wikipedia

[Ofloxacin](#)

DrugBank

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Recommendations

Section

Ophthalmological preparations > Anti-infective agents

- Local > Ophthalmological > Solution (eye drops): 0.3%

Indications

[Infectious keratitis](#) [Other specified conjunctivitis](#)

Section

Antituberculosis medicines

- Oral > Solid: 200 mg; 400 mg

Indications

[Multi-drug resistant Mycobacterium tuberculosis](#)