

Iodine  
Essential medicine status  
General description

ATC codes

[H03CA](#)

Medicine type

Chemical agent

EML status history

First added in 1989 ([TRS 796](#)) for [Iodine deficiency](#)

Changed in 2021 ([TRS 1035](#)) for [Povidone iodine](#)

Therapeutic equivalent for

[povidone iodine](#) for [Povidone iodine](#)

Wikipedia

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Recommendations

Section

Vitamins and minerals

- Parenteral > General injections > IM: 480 mg per mL in 10 mL ampoule or vial iodized oil (oral or injectable)

Indications

[Iodine deficiency](#)