

Retinol
Essential medicine status
General description

INN
Retinol
ATC codes
[A11CA01](#)
Medicine type
Chemical agent
EML status history
First added in 1977 ([TRS 615](#)) for [Vitamin A deficiency](#)

Wikipedia

[Retinol](#)

DrugBank

[Retinol \(Vitamin A\)](#)

Recommendations

Section

Vitamins and minerals

- Parenteral > General injections > IM: 50000 IU per mL in 2 mL ampoule or vial water-miscible (as palmitate)
- Oral > Liquid: 100000 IU per mL (as palmitate or acetate)
- Oral > Solid > capsule: 200000 IU (as palmitate or acetate) soft capsule; 50000 IU (as palmitate); 100000 IU (as palmitate or acetate) soft capsule

Indications

[Vitamin A deficiency](#)