# Clofazimine

Essential medicine status ✓

## General description

Clofazimine is an antimycobacterial agent used in the treatment of leprosy (Hansen disease), and in combination regimens for treatment of multi-drug resistant tuberculosis.

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| INN | Clofazimine |
| ATC codes | J04BA01 |
| Medicine type | Chemical agent |
| EML status history | First added in 1977 (TRS 615) for Leprosy<br>Added in 2017 (TRS 1006) for Multi-drug resistant Mycobacterium tuberculosis |
| Wikipedia | Clofazimine |
| DrugBank | Clofazimine |

## Recommendations

Section Antileprosy medicines

Oral > Solid: 100 mg; 50 mg

Indications

Leprosy

Section Antituberculosis medicines

Oral > Solid: 100 mg; 50 mg

Indications

Multi-drug resistant Mycobacterium tuberculosis