

General description

INN	Meropenem
ATC codes	J01DH02
Medicine type	Chemical agent
Antibiotic groups	W WATCH
EML status history	First added in 2017 (TRS 1006) for Neutropenia Added in 2017 (TRS 1006) for Peritoneal abscess Added in 2017 (TRS 1006) for Peritonitis Added in 2017 (TRS 1006) for Neonatal meningitis Added in 2019 (TRS 1021) for Multi-drug resistant Mycobacterium tuberculosis
Wikipedia	Meropenem
DrugBank	Meropenem

Recommendations

SectionWatch group antibiotics

Parenteral > General injections > IV: 500 mg in vial (as trihydrate) powder for injection; 1 g in vial (as trihydrate) powder for injection

Indications

Second choice

- Peritoneal abscess (severe)

Peritonitis (severe)

Neutropenia (high-risk)

Neonatal meningitis

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Indications

Multi-drug resistant *Mycobacterium tuberculosis*

