Rifapentine

Essential medicine status

General description

Rifapentine is an antibiotic used in the treatment of latent tuberculosis, together with other antituberculosis medications.

INN	Rifapentine
ATC codes	J04AB05
Medicine type	Chemical agent
EML status history	First added in 2015 (TRS 994) for Latent tuberculosis Added in 2021 (TRS 1035) for Tuberculosis
Wikipedia	Rifapentine
DrugBank	Rifapentine

Recommendations

Section Antituberculosis medicines

- Oral > Solid > dispersible tablet: 150 mg
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Indications

Latent tuberculosis | Tuberculosis