

Tenofovir disoproxil fumarate

Essential medicine status

General description

Tenofovir disoproxil is a medication used to treat chronic hepatitis B and to prevent and treat human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease.

INN

Tenofovir

ATC codes

[J05AF07](#)

Medicine type

Chemical agent

EML status history

First added in 2007 ([TRS 946](#)) for [Human immunodeficiency virus disease without mention of associated disease or condition, clinical stage unspecified](#)

Added in 2015 ([TRS 994](#)) for [Chronic hepatitis B](#)

Added in 2017 ([TRS 1006](#)) for [Contact with or exposure to human immunodeficiency virus](#)

Wikipedia

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DrugBank

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Recommendations

Section

Antiretrovirals > Nucleoside/Nucleotide reverse transcriptase inhibitors

- Oral > Solid: 300 mg tablet (equivalent to 245 mg tenofovir disoproxil)

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