

Benznidazole

Essential medicine status

General description

Benznidazole is nitro-imidazole derivative used for the treatment of American trypanosomiasis.

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Benznidazole

ATC codes

[P01CA02](#)

Medicine type

Chemical agent

EML status history

First added in 1987 ([TRS 770](#)) for [Chagas disease](#)

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Recommendations

Section

American trypanosomiasis

- Oral > Solid > tablet: 100 mg (scored); 50 mg (scored); 12.5 mg

Indications

[Chagas disease](#)