

Dinoprostone (prostaglandin E2)
Essential medicine status
General description

INN

Dinoprostone

ATC codes

[G02AD02](#)

Medicine type

Chemical agent

EML status history

First added in 2009 ([TRS 958](#)) for [Other specified congenital anomaly of great arteries including arterial duct](#)

Removed in 2021 ([TRS 1035](#)) for [Other specified congenital anomaly of great arteries including arterial duct](#)

Changed in 2025 ([TRS 1064](#)) for [Other specified congenital anomaly of great arteries including arterial duct](#)

Therapeutic equivalent for

[alprostadil \(prostaglandin E1\)](#) for [Other specified congenital anomaly of great arteries including arterial duct](#)

Wikipedia

[Dinoprostone \(prostaglandin E2\)](#)

DrugBank

[Prostaglandin e2 \(Dinoprostone\)](#)

Recommendations

Section

Medicines administered to the neonate [c]

- Parenteral > General injections > IV: 1 mg per mL

Indications

[Other specified congenital anomaly of great arteries including arterial duct](#)