General description

Ivermectin is an antiparasitic medicine with a broad spectrum of activity. It is used in the treatment of onchocerciasis (river blindness), strongyloidiasis and other diseases caused by soil transmitted helminthiasis. It is also used to treat scabies.

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| EML status history | First added in 1987 (TRS 770) for Onchocerciasis
Added in 2011 (TRS 965) for Lymphatic filariasis
Added in 2017 (TRS 1006) for Strongyloidiasis
Added in 2017 (TRS 1006) for Trichuriasis
Added in 2017 (TRS 1006) for Ascariasis
Added in 2017 (TRS 1006) for Ancylostomiasis
Added in 2017 (TRS 1006) for Hookworm diseases
Added in 2019 (TRS 1021) for Scabies |
| Wikipedia | Ivermectin |
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Recommendations

Section  Intestinal anthelmintics

Oral > Solid: 3 mg tablet (scored)

Indications

- Strongyloidiasis
- Ascariasis
- Trichuriasis
- Ancylostomiasis
- Hookworm diseases

Section  Antifilarials

Oral > Solid: 3 mg tablet (scored)

Indications

- Onchocerciasis
- Lymphatic filariasis
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Indications

Scabies