Mebendazole is a oral medication used as an antiparasitic for the treatment of soil transmitted helminthiasis caused by different species of worms.

**General description**

**INN** | Mebendazole  
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**ATC codes** | P02CA01  
**Medicine type** | Chemical agent  
**EML status history** | First added in 1977 (TRS 615) for Trichuriasis  
Added in 1977 (TRS 615) for Hookworm diseases  
Added in 1977 (TRS 615) for Ascariasis  
Added in 1977 (TRS 615) for Enterobiasis  
Added in 2021 (TRS 1035) for Other specified echinococcosis  
**Wikipedia** | [Mebendazole](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Mebendazole)  
**DrugBank** | [Mebendazole](https://www.drugbank.ca/drugs/DB00435)  

**Recommendations**

**Section** | Intestinal anthelmintics  
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**Indications** | Enterobiasis Ascariasis Trichuriasis Hookworm diseases  
**Section** | Cysticidal medicines  
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**Indications** | Other specified echinococcosis