Asparaginase is an antineoplastic enzyme, used in the treatment of acute lymphoblastic leukaemia.

### ATC codes
- L01XX02

### Medicine type
- Biological agent

### EML status history
- First added in 1993 (TRS 850) for Unspecified malignant neoplasms of ill-defined or unspecified sites
- Removed in 2015 (TRS 994) for Unspecified malignant neoplasms of ill-defined or unspecified sites
- Added in 2015 (TRS 994) for Lymphoid leukaemia, not elsewhere classified

### Wikipedia
- Asparaginase

### DrugBank
- Asparaginase

### Recommendations

#### Section
- Cytotoxic medicines

#### Powder for injection: 10 000 IU in vial.

Parenteral > General injections > unspecified: 10000 IU in vial powder for injection

#### Indications
- Unspecified malignant neoplasms of ill-defined or unspecified sites
- Lymphoid leukaemia, not elsewhere classified