



Model List of Essential Medicines

Aciclovir

Section	Indications
Ophthalmological preparations > Anti-infective agents Local > Ophthalmological > Ointment: 3% w/w	Herpes simplex keratitis

Amikacin

Section	Indications
Ophthalmological preparations > Anti-infective agents	Therapeutic equivalent to gentamicin for Other specified conjunctivitis
	Therapeutic equivalent to gentamicin for Infectious blepharitis

Azithromycin

Section	Indications
Ophthalmological preparations > Anti-infective agents Local > Ophthalmological > Solution (eye drops): 1.5% eye drops	Trachoma

Chlortetracycline

Section	Indications
Ophthalmological preparations > Anti-infective agents	Therapeutic equivalent to tetracycline for Other specified conjunctivitis
	Therapeutic equivalent to tetracycline for Infectious keratitis
	Therapeutic equivalent to tetracycline for Infectious blepharitis
	Therapeutic equivalent to tetracycline for Trachoma

Erythromycin

Section	Indications
Ophthalmological preparations > Anti-infective agents Local > Ophthalmological > Ointment: 0.5%	Chlamydial conjunctivitis
	Gonococcal infection of eye

Gentamicin

Section	Indications
Ophthalmological preparations > Anti-infective agents Local > Ophthalmological > Solution (eye drops): 0.3% (gentamicin sulfate)	Other specified conjunctivitis Infectious blepharitis

Iodoxuridine

Section	Indications
Ophthalmological preparations > Anti-infective agents Local > Ophthalmological > Solution (eye drops): 0.1% Local > Ophthalmological > Ointment: 0.2%	Herpes simplex keratitis

Kanamycin

Section	Indications
Ophthalmological preparations > Anti-infective agents	Therapeutic equivalent to gentamicin for Other specified conjunctivitis
	Therapeutic equivalent to gentamicin for Infectious blepharitis

Natamycin

Section	Indications
Ophthalmological preparations > Anti-infective agents Local > Ophthalmological > Suspension: 5% eye drops	Infectious keratitis

Netilmicin

Section	Indications
Ophthalmological preparations > Anti-infective agents	Therapeutic equivalent to gentamicin for Other specified conjunctivitis
	Therapeutic equivalent to gentamicin for Infectious blepharitis

Ofloxacin

Section	Indications
Ophthalmological preparations > Anti-infective agents Local > Ophthalmological > Solution (eye drops): 0.3%	Other specified conjunctivitis Infectious keratitis

Oxytetracycline

Section	Indications
Ophthalmological preparations > Anti-infective agents	Therapeutic equivalent to tetracycline for Other specified conjunctivitis
	Therapeutic equivalent to tetracycline for Infectious keratitis
	Therapeutic equivalent to tetracycline for Infectious blepharitis
	Therapeutic equivalent to tetracycline for Trachoma

Silver nitrate

Section	Indications
Ophthalmological preparations > Anti-infective agents Local > Ophthalmological > Solution (eye drops): 1%	Neonatal conjunctivitis or dacryocystitis

Sulfacetamide

Section	Indications
Ophthalmological preparations > Anti-infective agents Local > Ophthalmological > Ointment: 10% (sodium salt)	Other specified conjunctivitis

Tetracycline

Section	Indications
Ophthalmological preparations > Anti-infective agents Local > Ophthalmological > Ointment: 1% (tetracycline hydrochloride)	Neonatal conjunctivitis or dacryocystitis Other specified conjunctivitis Infectious keratitis Infectious blepharitis Trachoma

Tobramycin

Section	Indications
Ophthalmological preparations > Anti-infective agents	Therapeutic equivalent to gentamicin for Other specified conjunctivitis
	Therapeutic equivalent to gentamicin for Infectious blepharitis

