



Model List of Essential Medicines

Ferrous salt + folic acid

Section	Indications
Antianaemia medicines	Iron deficiency anaemia
Oral > Solid: 60 mg iron + 2.8 mg	Iron deficiency anaemia
Oral > Solid > tablet: 60 mg elemental iron + 400 µg tablet; 60 mg elemental iron + 2.8 mg	Spina bifida
	Anencephaly or similar anomalies
	Clefts of lip, alveolus or palate

Folic acid

Section	Indications
Antianaemia medicines	Folate deficiency anaemia
Oral > Solid: 1 mg tablet; 5 mg tablet	Anencephaly or similar anomalies
Oral > Solid: 400 µg	Spina bifida
	Cephalocele