# Antivenom sera

NOT RECOMMENDED AS AN ESSENTIAL MEDICINE

Section: 19. Immunologicals > 19.2. Immunologicals > Sera, immunoglobulins and monoclonal antibodies

ATC codes: Pending

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| **Indication** | Harmful effects of or exposure to noxious substances, chiefly nonmedicinal as to source, not elsewhere classified ICD11 code: NE61 |
| **Medicine type** | Biological agent |
| **List type** | Core |
| **Formulations** | **Parenteral > General injections > IV:** |
| **EML status history** | First added in 1979 (TRS 641)<br>Removed in 2007 (TRS 946) |
| **Sex** | All |
| **Age** | Adolescents and adults |
| **Therapeutic alternatives** | The recommendation is for this specific medicine |
| **Patent information** | Patents have expired in most jurisdictions<br>Read more about patents. |
| **Wikipedia** | Antivenom sera |

## Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations

Antivenom sera was replaced by the designation 'antivenom immunoglobulin'.