Dopamine

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EMLc | ATC codes: C01CA04

Indication	Heart failure ICD11 code: BD1Z
INN	Dopamine
Medicine type	Chemical agent
List type	Complementary
Formulations	**Parenteral > General injections > IV:** 40 mg per mL in 5 mL vial (hydrochloride)
EML status history	First added in 1977 (TRS 615) Changed in 1979 (TRS 641) Changed in 2003 (TRS 920) Changed in 2007 (TRS 950)
Sex	All
Age	Also recommended for children
Therapeutic alternatives	The recommendation is for this specific medicine
Patent information	Patents have expired in most jurisdictions Read more about patents.
Wikipedia	Dopamine
DrugBank	Dopamine

Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations

The EMLc Subcommittee endorsed the inclusion of dopamine on the complementary list of the EMLc. The Subcommittee requested a review of other medicines used as inotropes in children for its next meeting.