Selenium sulfide (topical) is used for the treatment of pityriasis versicolor. Its ATC code is D01AE13.

### Indication
- Pityriasis versicolor

### Medicine type
- Chemical agent

### List type
- Core

### Formulations
- Local > Topical > Suspension: 2% detergent-based

### EML status history
- First added in 1989 (TRS 796)
- Changed in 1991 (TRS 825)
- Changed in 2007 (TRS 950)
- Changed in 2011 (TRS 965)

### Sex
- All

### Age
- Adolescents and adults

### Therapeutic alternatives
- The recommendation is for this specific medicine

### Patent information
- Patents have expired in most jurisdictions
- Read more about patents.

### Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations
Selenium sulfide detergent-based suspension was transferred from the complementary to the core list.