### Indication
- Crohn disease site
- ICD11 code: DD70.Z

### INN
- Hydrocortisone

### Medicine type
- Chemical agent

### List type
- Complementary

### Formulations
- Local > Rectal > Suppository: 25 mg (acetate)
- Local > Rectal > Retention enema: 100 mg per 60 mL

### EML status history
- First added in 1987 (TRS 770)
- Changed in 1997 (TRS 882)
- Changed in 1999 (TRS 895)
- Changed in 2003 (TRS 920)
- Changed in 2021

### 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.

### Wikipedia
- Hydrocortisone

### DrugBank
- Hydrocortisone

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**Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations**

Following the review of square box listings on the EML and EMLc, the Expert Committee recommended removal of the square box listing for hydrocortisone retention enema, and that a separate listing for prednisolone retention enema be added to the core list of the EML.