

 EMLc

ATC codes: L01XX24

Indication	Lymphoid leukaemia, not elsewhere classified	ICD11 code: 2C03.3
INN	Pegaspargase	
Medicine type	Biological agent	
List type	Core (EML) (EMLc)	
Additional notes	Including quality-assured biosimilars	
Formulations	Parenteral > General injections > IV: 3750 units per 5 mL in vial ; 3750 units in vial powder for injection	
EML status history	First added in 2019 (TRS 1021) Changed in 2023 (TRS 1049)	
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. 	
Tags	 Biological	 Cancer
Wikipedia	Pegaspargase 	
DrugBank	Pegaspargase 	

Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations

Following the review of the age-appropriateness of formulations on the EMLc, the Expert Committee recommended the addition of pegaspargase powder for injection 3750 units in vial to the EML and EMLc.

