## Water for injection

### Indication
Unspecified appropriateness of dosing or administration without injury or harm

### Medicine type
Chemical agent

### List type
Core (EML) (EMLc)

### Formulations
Parenteral > General injections > unspecified: 2 mL ampoule; 5 mL ampoule; 10 mL ampoule

### EML status history
- First added in 1977 (TRS 615)
- Changed in 1979 (TRS 641)
- 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
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### Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations
The EMLc Subcommittee endorsed the inclusion of water for injection on the core list of the EMLc. It is intended for use in preparations intended for parenteral administration and other sterile preparations.