

[Sulfadiazine](#)

Not recommended as an essential medicine

Section:

[6. Anti-infective medicines](#)

ATC codes: [J01EC02](#)

Indication

Bacterial infection of unspecified site ICD11 code: [1C81](#)

INN

Sulfadiazine

Medicine type

Chemical agent

Antibiotic groups

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List type

Complementary

Formulations

Oral > Solid: 500 mg

Parenteral > General injections > unspecified: 250 mg in 4 mL ampoule (sodium salt)

EML status history

First added in 1977 ([TRS 615](#))

Removed in 1979 ([TRS 641](#))

Added in 1997 ([TRS 882](#))

Changed in 2003 ([TRS 920](#))

Removed in 2009 ([TRS 958](#))

Sex

All

Age

Adolescents and adults

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 intravenous formulation of sulfadiazine was deleted, and the oral formulation was transferred to Section 6.5.4 (Antipneumocystosis and antitoxoplasmosis medicines).