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Essential medicine status

Section:

[5. Medicines for neurological disorders](#) [5.1. Medicines for central nervous system disorders](#) [5.1.3. Medicines for parkinsonism](#)

ATC codes: [N04AA02](#)

Indication

Parkinson disease ICD11 code: [8A00.0Z](#)

INN

Biperiden

Medicine type

Chemical agent

List type

Core

Formulations

Parenteral > General injections > IV: 5 mg per mL in 1 mL ampoule (lactate)

Oral > Solid: 2 mg tablet (hydrochloride)

EML status history

First added in 1982 ([TRS 685](#))

Changed in 2005 ([TRS 933](#))

Changed in 2013 ([TRS 985](#))

Changed in 2021 ([TRS 1035](#))

Sex

All

Age

Adolescents and adults

Therapeutic alternatives

[trihexyphenidyl](#) (ATC codes: [N04AA01](#))

Patent information

Patents have expired in most jurisdictions

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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 trihexyphenidyl be specified as a therapeutic alternative under the square box listing for biperiden on the EML.