

		EMLc	ATC codes: <b>B03BB01</b>
Indication	Folate deficiency anaemia	ICD11 code: <b>3A02.Z</b>	
INN	Folic acid		
Medicine type	Chemical agent		
List type	Core (EML) (EMLc)		
Formulations	Oral > Liquid: 1 mg per mL (EMLc) Oral > Solid: 1 mg tablet ; 5 mg tablet		
EML status history	First added in 1977 (TRS 615) Changed in 1979 (TRS 641) Changed in 1991 (TRS 825) Changed in 2003 (TRS 920) Changed in 2007 (TRS 950) Changed in 2025 (TRS 1064)		
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 <a href="#">about patents</a> . 		
Wikipedia	<a href="#">Folic acid</a> 		
DrugBank	<a href="#">Folic acid</a> 		

## 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 folic acid oral liquid 1 mg/mL to the EMLc

