### Amodiaquine

**Indication**
- Malaria due to *Plasmodium vivax*

**INN**
- Amodiaquine

**Medicine type**
- Chemical agent

**List type**
- Core

**Additional notes**
- To be used in combination with artesunate 50 mg

**Formulations**
- Oral > Solid: 153 mg (as hydrochloride); 200 mg (as hydrochloride)

**EML status history**
- First added in 1977 (TRS 615)
- Removed in 1979 (TRS 641)
- Added in 1982 (TRS 685)
- Changed in 1984 (TRS 722)
- Removed in 1987 (TRS 770)
- Added in 2003 (TRS 920)
- Changed in 2007 (TRS 946)
- Changed in 2007 (TRS 950)
- Changed in 2011 (TRS 965)

**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.

**Wikipedia**
- Amodiaquine

**DrugBank**
- Amodiaquine

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**Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations**

Note specifying that amodiaquine alone can be used for the treatment of *P. vivax*, *P. ovale*, and *P. malariae* was deleted. Amodiaquine should be used in combination with artesunate 50 mg.