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EMLc

ATC codes: [P01BA01](#)

Indication	Malaria due to Plasmodium vivax ICD11 code: 1F41
INN	Chloroquine
Medicine type	Chemical agent
List type	Core
Additional notes	For use only for prophylaxis of Plasmodium vivax infection.
Formulations	Oral > Liquid: 50 mg per 5 mL (base) Oral > Solid > tablet: 150 mg (base)
EML status history	First added 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 about patents . 
Wikipedia	Chloroquine 
DrugBank	Chloroquine 

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 chloroquine tablets and oral liquid to the EML and EMLc for chemoprophylaxis of malaria due to Plasmodium vivax in travellers in accordance with WHO guidance on international travel and health.



