

## [Epinephrine](#)

Essential medicine status

Section:

[12. Cardiovascular medicines](#) [12.2. Antiarrhythmic medicines](#)

ATC codes: [C01CA24](#)

Indication

Cardiac arrest ICD11 code: [ME82.Z](#)

INN

Epinephrine

Medicine type

Biological agent

List type

Core

Formulations

**Parenteral > General injections > IV:** 100 µg per mL in 10 mL ampoule (as acid tartrate or hydrochloride)

EML status history

First added in 1997 ([TRS 882](#))

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

Changed in 2007 ([TRS 946](#))

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 Expert Committee recommended the listing of epinephrine be amended to reflect the correct dosage and strength: 100 micrograms/mL in 10 mL ampoules.