Fluorouracil

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ATC codes: L01BC02

Indication	Plantar warts ICD11 code: 1E80.1
INN	Fluorouracil
Medicine type	Chemical agent
List type	Core
Formulations	**Local > Topical > Ointment:** 5%
EML status history	First added in 1989 (TRS 796)
Sex	All
Age	Adolescents and adults
Therapeutic alternatives	The recommendation is for this specific medicine
Patent information	Patents have expired in most jurisdictions Read more about patents.
Wikipedia	Fluorouracil
DrugBank	Fluorouracil

Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations

Fluorouracil topical ointment 5% was added to the core list of the EML for the treatment of plantar warts.