Permethrin

Essential medicine status

EMLc | ATC codes: P03AC04

Indication	Scabies ICD11 code: 1G04
INN	Permethrin
Medicine type	Chemical agent
List type	Core
Formulations	**Local > Topical > Cream:** 5% **Local > Topical > Lotion:** 1%
EML status history	First added in 1989 (TRS 796) Changed in 1993 (TRS 850) Changed in 2007 (TRS 950)
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	Permethrin
DrugBank	Permethrin

Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations

The EMLc Subcommittee endorsed the inclusion of permethrin preparations on the core list of the EMLc.