### Indication
- **Mycobacterial diseases**

### Medicine type
- Biological agent

### List type
- Core

### Additional notes
- All tuberculins should comply with the WHO requirements for tuberculins.

### Formulations
- Parenteral > Locoregional injections > Intradermal

### EML status history
- First added in 1977 (TRS 615)
- Changed in 1989 (TRS 796)
- 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
- Tuberculins, purified protein derivative

### DrugBank
- Tuberculins, purified protein derivative (Tuberculins Purified Protein Derivative)

### Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations

The EMLc Subcommittee endorsed the inclusion of tuberculins, purified protein derivative on the core list of the EMLc.