



Section: 20. Muscle relaxants (peripherally-acting) and cholinesterase inhibitors

EMLc

ATC codes: M03AB01

Indication	Skeletal muscle relaxants [neuromuscular blocking agents] ICD11 code: XM1638330014
INN	Suxamethonium chloride
Medicine type	Chemical agent
List type	Core
Formulations	Parenteral > General injections > IV: 50 mg per mL in 2 mL ampoule (suxamethonium chloride) ; powder for injection (suxamethonium chloride) in vial
EML status history	First added in 1977 (TRS 615) Changed in 1979 (TRS 641) Changed in 2007 (TRS 950)
Sex	All
Age	Also recommended for children
Therapeutic equivalence	The recommendation is for this specific medicine
Patent information	Patents have expired in most jurisdictions Read more about patents . ↗
Wikipedia	Suxamethonium ↗
DrugBank	Suxamethonium (Succinylcholine) ↗

Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations

The EMLc Subcommittee endorsed suxamethonium for inclusion in the EMLc.

