

		<b>EMLc</b>	ATC codes: <b>A06AD11</b>
<b>Indication</b>	Palliative care	ICD11 code: <b>QC7A</b>	
<b>INN</b>	Lactulose		
<b>Medicine type</b>	Chemical agent		
<b>List type</b>	Core (EML) (EMLc)		
<b>Formulations</b>	Oral > Liquid: 3.3 to 3.4 g per 5 mL oral liquid (EMLc)		
<b>EML status history</b>	First added in 2011 (TRS 965) Changed in 2025 (TRS 1064)		
<b>Sex</b>	All		
<b>Age</b>	Children (1 month - 12 years)		
<b>Therapeutic alternatives</b>	The recommendation is for this specific medicine		
<b>Patent information</b>	Patents have expired in most jurisdictions Read more <a href="#">about patents</a> . 		
<b>Wikipedia</b>	<a href="#">Lactulose</a> 		
<b>DrugBank</b>	<a href="#">Lactulose</a> 		

## Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations

Following the review of the age-appropriateness of formulations on the EMLc, the Expert Committee recommended: - to update the strength range for lactulose oral liquid to 3.3 to 3.4 g/5 mL on the EMLc.

