Timolol

Section: 21. Ophthalmological preparations > 21.4. Ophthalmological preparations > Miotics and antiglaucoma medicines

ATC codes: S01ED01

Indication	Primary open-angle glaucoma ICD11 code: 9C61.0
INN	Timolol
Medicine type	Chemical agent
List type	Core
Formulations	**Local > Ophthalmological > Solution (eye drops):** 0.25% (hydrogen maleate) ; 0.5% (hydrogen maleate)
EML status history	First added in 1984 (TRS 722) Changed in 2021 (TRS 1035)
Sex	All
Age	Adolescents and adults
Therapeutic alternatives	Medicines within the same pharmacological class can be used
Therapeutic alternatives limitations	Therapeutic alternatives are medicines in the 4th level ATC chemical subgroup S01ED Beta blocking agents (excluding combinations)
Patent information	Patents have expired in most jurisdictions Read more about patents.
Wikipedia	Timolol
DrugBank	Timolol

Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations

Following the review of square box listings on the EML and EMLc, the Expert Committee recommended that medicines in 4th level ATC chemical subgroup, S01ED Beta blocking agents (excluding combinations), be specified as therapeutic alternatives under the square box listing for timolol on the EML.