

[Mifepristone - misoprostol](#)

Essential medicine status

Section:

[22. Medicines for reproductive health and perinatal care 22.4. Medicines for medical abortion](#)

ATC codes: [G03XB51](#)

Indication

Induced abortion ICD11 code: [JA00.1](#)

INN

Mifepristone + misoprostol

Medicine type

Chemical agent

List type

Core

Formulations

Oral > Solid > tablet: 200 mg + 200 µg ; 200 mg [1] + 200 µg [4] in co-package

EML status history

First added in 2005 ([TRS 933](#))

Changed in 2019 ([TRS 1021](#))

Changed in 2025 ([TRS 1064](#))

Sex

Female

Age

Adolescents and adults

Therapeutic alternatives

The recommendation is for this specific medicine

Patent information

Patents have expired in most jurisdictions

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Wikipedia

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[Misoprostol](#)

Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations

Following recommended changes to Section 22 of the EML, the listings for mifepristone - misoprostol (all indications), and for misoprostol for management of incomplete abortion and miscarriage are moved to the new sub-section for medicines for medical abortion. In addition, the Expert Committee noted the advice of the decision by WHO to remove the boxed text associated with the listing for mifepristone - misoprostol.