

## [Beclometasone](#)

Not recommended as an essential medicine

Section:

[25. Medicines acting on the respiratory tract](#) [25.1. Antiasthmatic and medicines for chronic obstructive pulmonary disease](#)

ATC codes: [R03BA01](#)

Indication

Asthma ICD11 code: [CA23](#)

INN

Beclometasone

Medicine type

Chemical agent

List type

Core

Formulations

**Respiratory > Inhalation > aerosol:** 50 µg per dose (dipropionate) ; 250 µg per dose (dipropionatae)

EML status history

First added in 1979 ([TRS 641](#))

Changed in 1989 ([TRS 796](#))

Changed in 1993 ([TRS 850](#))

Changed in 1997 ([TRS 882](#))

Removed in 2021 ([TRS 1035](#))

Sex

All

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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Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations



Following the review of square box listings on the EML and EMLc, the Expert Committee recommended removal of the separate square box listing for beclometasone on the EML, and including beclometasone instead as one of the specified therapeutic alternatives in the square box listing for budesonide. The Committee recommended beclometasone, ciclesonide, flunisolide, fluticasone and mometasone be specified as therapeutic alternatives under the square box listing for budesonide on the EML and EMLc.