

[Nicotinamide](#)

Essential medicine status

Section:

[27. Vitamins and minerals](#)

ATC codes: [A11HA01](#)

Indication

Pellagra ICD11 code: [5B5C.0](#)

INN

Nicotinamide

Medicine type

Chemical agent

List type

Core

Formulations

Oral > Solid: 50 mg

EML status history

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

Changed in 2007 ([TRS 950](#))

Changed 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 the square box with the listing for nicotinamide on the EML be removed.