

# Amoxicillin + clavulanic acid

NOT RECOMMENDED AS AN  
ESSENTIAL MEDICINE

Section: 6. Anti-infective medicines > 6.2. Antibacterials > 6.2.1. Access group antibiotics

		EMLc	ATC codes: J01CR02
Indication	Bacterial infection of unspecified site	ICD11 code: 1C81	
INN	Amoxicillin + clavulanic acid		
Medicine type	Chemical agent		
Antibiotic groups	A ACCESS		
List type	Core (EML) (EMLc)		
Formulations	Oral > Liquid: 125 mg (as trihydrate) + 31.25 mg (as potassium salt) / 5 mL powder for oral liquid (EMLc) ; 250 mg (as trihydrate) + 62.5 mg (as potassium salt) / 5 mL powder for oral liquid (EMLc) Oral > Solid > tablet: 500 mg (as trihydrate) + 125 mg (as potassium salt)		
EML status history	First added in 1997 (TRS 882) Changed in 2002 (TRS 914) Changed in 2003 (TRS 920) Changed in 2007 (TRS 950) Removed in 2017 (TRS 1006)		
Sex	All		
Age	Also recommended for children		
Therapeutic alternatives	The recommendation is for this specific medicine		
Patent information	Patents have expired in most jurisdictions Read more <a href="#">about patents</a> .		
Wikipedia	<a href="#">Amoxicillin + clavulanic acid</a>		
DrugBank	<a href="#">Amoxicillin</a> , <a href="#">Clavulanic acid (Clavulanate)</a>		

## Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations

As part of the comprehensive review of antibacterials undertaken by the Expert Committee in 2017, listing of amoxicillin + clavulanic acid was reviewed and specific indications for its use were recommended. Refer to the 2017 recommendation(s) for amoxicillin + clavulanic acid for more information.

