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		EMLc	ATC codes: N01AX10
Indication	Anaesthetics and therapeutic gases	ICD11 code: XM1880792884	
INN	Propofol		
Medicine type	Chemical agent		
List type	Core (EML) (EMLc)		
Formulations	Parenteral > General injections > IV: 10 mg per mL ; 20 mg per mL		
EML status history	First added in 2011 (TRS 965) Changed in 2021 (TRS 1035)		
Sex	All		
Age	Also recommended for children		
Therapeutic alternatives	thiopental (ATC codes: N01AF03)		
Patent information	Patents have expired in most jurisdictions Read more about patents . 		
Wikipedia	Propofol 		
DrugBank	Propofol 		

Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations

Following the review of square box listings on the EML and EMLc, the Expert Committee recommended the addition of a square box to the current listing of propofol on the core list of the EML and EMLc, with thiopental specified as a therapeutic alternative.

