Clarithromycin

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EMLc | Codes ATC: J01FA09

Indication	Acute pharyngitis Code ICD11: CA02
INN	Clarithromycin
Type de médicament	Chemical agent
Groupes d'antibiotiques	WATCH
Type de liste	Liste de base
Additional notes	The square box applies only to the listing of clarithromycin on the EMLc as second choice treatment for pharyngitis in children.
Formulations	**Oral > Liquid:** 125 mg per 5 mL powder for oral liquid ; 250 mg per 5 mL powder for oral liquid **Parenteral > General injections > unspecified:** 500 mg in vial powder for injection **Oral > Solid > dosage form:** 500 mg (EML) ; 250 mg (EMLc)
Historique des statuts LME	Ajouté pour la première fois en 2017 (TRS 1006) Modifié en 2021 (TRS 1035) Modifié en 2023 (TRS 1049)
Sexe	Tous
Âge	Aussi recommandé pour les enfants
Équivalence thérapeutique	erythromycin (Codes ATC: J01FA01)
Renseignements sur le brevet	Patents have expired in most jurisdictions Lire la suite sur les brevets.
Wikipédia	Clarithromycin
DrugBank	Clarithromycin

Recommandation du comité d'experts

Following the review of the age-appropriateness of formulations on the EMLc, the Expert Committee recommended: - the addition of new formulations of amoxicillin (dispersible, scored tablet, 250 mg and 500 mg) to the EMLc. - the addition of new formulations of cefalexin (dispersible tablet 125 mg and 250 mg) to the EMLc. - the addition of a new strength formulation of clarithromycin (solid oral dosage form 250 mg) to the EMLc. - the deletion of clarithromycin 500 mg solid oral dosage form from the EMLc.

Recommandations de la LME : Acute pharyngitis

Premier choix | **Second choix**

WATCHFUL WAITING, SYMPTOM RELIEF AND NO ANTIBIOTIC TREATMENT SHOULD BE CONSIDERED AS THE FIRST-LINE TREATMENT OPTION.

phenoxymethylpenicillin

cefalexin

amoxicillin

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