## Levamisole

### Indication
- **Ascariasis**  
- **ICD11 code:** 1G33

### INN
- Levamisole

### Medicine type
- Chemical agent

### List type
- Core (EML)  
- (EMLc)

### Formulations
- Oral > Solid > tablet: 50 mg (as hydrochloride) ; 150 mg (as hydrochloride) (EML)

### EML status history
- First added in 1987 (TRS 770)  
- Changed in 1989 (TRS 796)  
- Changed in 2007 (TRS 950)  
- Changed in 2011 (TRS 965)  
- Changed in 2023 (TRS 1049)

### 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 about patents.

### Wikipedia
- [Levamisole](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Levamisole)

### DrugBank
- [Levamisole](https://www.drugbank.ca/drugs/DB00120)

### Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations

Following the review of the age-appropriateness of formulations on the EMLc, the Expert Committee recommended deletion of levamisole 150 mg tablets from the EMLc.