### Indication

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### INN

Niclosamide

### Medicine type

Chemical agent

### List type

Core

### Additional notes

Niclosamide is listed for use when praziquantel treatment fails.

### Formulations

Oral > Solid: 500 mg tablet (chewable)

### EML status history

First added in 1977 (TRS 615)

- Changed in 1979 (TRS 641)
- Changed in 1987 (TRS 770)
- Changed in 2003 (TRS 920)
- Changed in 2007 (TRS 950)

### Sex

All

### Age

Adolescents and adults

### Therapeutic alternatives

The recommendation is for this specific medicine

### Patent information

Patents have expired in most jurisdictions

Read more about patents.

### Wikipedia

Niclosamide

### DrugBank

Niclosamide

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**Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations**

Niclosamide was added in the EMLc for the treatment of Hymenolepiasis.