Clofazimine

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EMLc | ATC codes: J04BA01

Indication	Multi-drug resistant Mycobacterium tuberculosis ICD11 code: MG52.00
INN	Clofazimine
Medicine type	Chemical agent
List type	Core
Additional notes	Reserve second-line drugs for the treatment of multidrug-resistant tuberculosis (MDR-TB) should be used in specialized centres adhering to WHO standards for TB control.
Formulations	**Oral > Solid > dosage form:** 100 mg ; 50 mg
EML status history	First added in 2017 (TRS 1006) Changed in 2019 (TRS 1021) Changed in 2025 (TRS 1064)
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	Clofazimine
DrugBank	Clofazimine

Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations

The Expert Committee recommended the transfer of listings for medicines for multi-drug resistant tuberculosis from the complementary to the core list of the EML and EMLc.