### Amphotericin B

#### Indication
- Coccidioidomycosis

#### ATC codes:
- J02AA01
- EMLc

#### Indication
- ICD11 code: 1F25.Z

#### INN
- Amphotericin B

#### Medicine type
- Chemical agent

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

#### Formulations
- Parenteral > General injections > IV: 50 mg in vial powder for injection (liposomal complex);
  50 mg in vial powder for injection (as sodium deoxycholate)

#### EML status history
- First added in 1977 (TRS 615)
- Changed in 1979 (TRS 641)
- Changed in 1984 (TRS 722)
- Changed in 2003 (TRS 920)
- Changed in 2007 (TRS 950)
- Changed in 2009 (TRS 958)
- Changed in 2013 (TRS 985)
- 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
- Amphotericin B

#### DrugBank
- Amphotericin b

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**Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations**

Following the review of the age-appropriateness of formulations on the EMLc, the Expert Committee recommended the listing for amphotericin B on the EML and EMLc be amended to list the liposomal and deoxycholate formulations separately, and the inclusion of a note to indicate that liposomal amphotericin B is the preferred formulation because of its better safety profile.