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Essential medicine status

Section:

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ATC codes: [N02BA01](#)

Indication

Migraine ICD11 code: [8A80.Z](#)

Medicine type

Chemical agent

List type

Core

Formulations

Oral > Solid: 300 to 500 mg

EML status history

First added in 1987 ([TRS 770](#))

Sex

All

Age

Adolescents and adults

Therapeutic alternatives

The recommendation is for this specific medicine

Patent information

Patents have expired in most jurisdictions

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Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations



Acetylsalicylic acid tablets 300 mg to 500 mg were added to the core list of the EML in 1987 for the treatment of acute migraine attacks.