




		EMLc	Codes ATC: J05AF01
Indication	Human immunodeficiency virus disease without mention of associated disease or condition, clinical stage unspecified	Code ICD11: <a href="#">1C62.Z</a>	
INN	Zidovudine		
Type de médicament	Chemical agent		
Type de liste	Liste de base (EML) (EMLc)		
Formulations	Parenteral > General injections > IV: 10 mg per mL in 20 mL vial solution for IV infusion (EML) Oral > Liquid: 50 mg per 5 mL Oral > Solid > tablet: 300 mg (EML) Oral > Solid > capsule: 250 mg (EML)		
Historique des statuts LME	Ajouté pour la première fois en 1997 (TRS 882) Modifié en 2002 (TRS 914) Modifié en 2007 (TRS 950) Modifié en 2015 (TRS 994) Modifié en 2017 (TRS 1006) Modifié en 2019 (TRS 1021)		
Sexe	Tous		
Âge	Aussi recommandé pour les enfants		
Restriction de poids	> 3 kg		
Équivalence thérapeutique	La recommandation concerne ce médicament spécifique		
Renseignements sur le brevet	Patents have expired in most jurisdictions Lire la suite <a href="#">sur les brevets.</a> 		
Wikipédia	<a href="#">Zidovudine</a> 		
DrugBank	<a href="#">Zidovudine</a> 		

## Résumé des preuves et recommandation du comité d'experts

The Committee recommended deletion of zidovudine 60 mg dispersible scored tablet from the EMLc, noting they are no longer included in the current WHO guidelines for paediatric HIV treatment, and that suitable alternatives are already included on the Model Lists and available for use. Zidovudine oral solution 50 mg/5mL remains included on the Model Lists for postnatal prophylaxis or neonatal use. Zidovudine in fixed-dose combination with nevirapine and/or lamivudine remains included on the Model Lists. Recommendations were made by the WHO HIV Department to delete the antiretroviral formulations from the EML and EMLc in order to achieve alignment between the 2018 WHO interim guidelines for antiretroviral regimens (1), and The 2018 optimal formulary and limited-use list for paediatric ARVs (2). Zidovudine (AZT) 60 mg dispersible scored tablet was removed from the latest limited-use list. Zidovudine 60 mg is available in dual fixed-dose combination formulations with lamivudine that can be combined with an abacavir 60 mg dispersible scored tablet to deliver a triple nucleoside regimen during TB treatment.

