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		EMLc	ATC codes: P01BC01
Indication	Malaria due to Plasmodium falciparum ICD11 code: 1F40		
Medicine type	Chemical agent		
List type	Core (EML) (EMLc)		
Additional notes	For use only in the management of severe malaria, and should be used in combination with doxycycline.		
Formulations	Parenteral > General injections > IV: 300 mg per mL in 2 mL ampoule (quinine hydrochloride) Oral > Solid: 300 mg (quinine sulfate or quinine bisulfate)		
EML status history	First added in 1977 (TRS 615) Changed in 1979 (TRS 641) Changed in 1982 (TRS 685) Changed in 1987 (TRS 770) Changed in 2003 (TRS 920) Changed in 2007 (TRS 946) Changed in 2007 (TRS 950)		
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	Quinine 		
DrugBank	Quinine 		

Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations

Quinine was added to the core list of the EMLc for the curative treatment of malaria.

