Pentamidine

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ATC codes: P01CX01

Indication	Pneumocystosis ICD11 code: 1F2G.Z
INN	Pentamidine
Medicine type	Chemical agent
List type	Complementary
Formulations	**Oral > Solid > tablet:** 200 mg (as isethionate) ; 300 mg (as isethionate)
EML status history	First added in 1997 (TRS 882) Changed in 2003 (TRS 920)
Sex	All
Age	Adolescents and adults
Therapeutic alternatives	The recommendation is for this specific medicine
Patent information	Patents have expired in most jurisdictions Read more about patents.
Wikipedia	Pentamidine
DrugBank	Pentamidine

Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations

Pentamidine was moved to the complementary list of the EML in 2003.