Chlorambucil

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ATC codes: L01AA02

Indication	Chronic lymphocytic leukaemia or small lymphocytic lymphoma ICD11 code: 2A82.0
INN	Chlorambucil
Medicine type	Chemical agent
List type	Complementary
Formulations	**Oral > Solid:** 2 mg tablet
EML status history	First added in 1979 (TRS 641) Changed in 2015 (TRS 994)
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.
Tags	Cancer
Wikipedia	Chlorambucil
DrugBank	Chlorambucil

Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations

In 2015, as part of the comprehensive review of cancer medicines undertaken by the Expert Committee, listing for chlorambucil on the complementary list of the EML for use in treatment protocols for chronic lymphocytic leukaemia was specifically endorsed. The relevant extract from TRS994 regarding the Expert Committee's 2015 consideration of treatment protocols for chronic lymphocytic leukaemia is attached.