




# Tubocurarine

NOT RECOMMENDED AS AN  
ESSENTIAL MEDICINE

Section: 20. Muscle relaxants (peripherally-acting) and cholinesterase inhibitors

ATC codes: **M03AA02**

Indication	Muscle relaxants <span>ICD11 code: <b>XM1638330014</b></span>
INN	Tubocurarine chloride
Medicine type	Chemical agent
List type	Core
Formulations	Parenteral > General injections > IV: 10 mg per mL in 1.5 mL ampoule (tubocurarine chloride)
EML status history	First added in 1977 ( <b>TRS 615</b> ) Changed in 1979 ( <b>TRS 641</b> ) Removed in 1982 ( <b>TRS 685</b> )
Sex	All
Age	Adolescents and adults
Therapeutic alternatives	Medicines within the same pharmacological class can be used
Patent information	Patents have expired in most jurisdictions Read more <a href="#">about patents</a> . 
Wikipedia	<a href="#">Tubocurarine</a> 
DrugBank	<a href="#">Tubocurarine</a> 

## Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations

Gallamine, with a square box, replaced tubocurarine on the core list of the EML as the example of the therapeutic category.

