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ATC codes: [V03AB04](#)

ICD11 code: [PH53](#)

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| Indication | Exposure to or harmful effects of undetermined intent of pesticides |
| INN | Pralidoxime iodide |
| Medicine type | Chemical agent |
| List type | Core |
| Formulations | . |
| EML status history | First added in 1977 (TRS 615) Removed in 1979 (TRS 641) |
| 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 [Pralidoxime](#) [↗](#)

DrugBank [Pralidoxime](#) [↗](#)

Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations

Pralidoxime was deleted from the EML because atropine alone is sufficient in the treatment of organophosphate poisoning and because pralidoxime posed special problems in use.

