

## CURRENT NATIONAL ESSENTIAL MEDICINES LIST (EML), 2004 EDITION

The medicines on the EML have been categorised into **Therapeutic Class**, followed by the **Name of Drug, Dosage Form** and **Strength** linked to appropriate settings and levels of health care delivery (**Level of Care**).

### LEVEL OF CARE

Guidelines are proposed to confine the circulation of essential drugs to specific and appropriate settings and levels of health care delivery. For this, drugs have been grouped in to the following categories:

Level <b>A</b>	-Community
Level <b>B1</b>	-Health Centre without Doctor
Level <b>B2</b>	-Health Centre with Doctor
Level <b>C</b>	-District Hospital
Level <b>D</b>	-Regional/Teaching Hospital
Level <b>SD</b>	-Specialist Drugs
Level <b>PD</b>	-Programme Drugs

**Specialist Drugs** are restricted for use by qualified specialist who may request for them.

**Programme Drugs** are those drugs used in public health programmes of the Ministry of Health and as such used within the guidelines of the specific programmes.

Below is the full list of the Essential Medicines, 2004. Items in green are the additions to the current edition.

## GHANA ESSENTIAL MEDICINES LIST 2004

THERAPEUTIC CLASS, NAME OF DRUG, DOSAGE FORM AND STRENGTH	LEVEL OF CARE
<b>1.0 ANAESTHETICS</b>	
<b>1.1 GENERAL ANAESTHETICS</b>	
Halothane, Inhalation	C
Isoflurane, Inhalation	SD
Ketamine Injection, 10 mg/ml in 20ml	C
Ketamine Injection, 100 mg/ml in 10ml	C
Nitrous Oxide, Inhalation	C
Oxygen (Medicinal Gas) Inhalation	C
Propofol Injection, 10mg/ml	D
Thiopental Sodium Injection, 500 mg	C
Thiopental Sodium Injection, 1g	C

## 1.2 LOCAL ANAESTHETICS

Bupivacaine +Glucose Injection; (5 mg + 80 mg) in 4 ml	D
Bupivacaine Injection, 2.5 mg/ml	D
Bupivacaine Injection, 5 mg/ml	D
Lidocaine Gel, 2%	B1
Lidocaine Gel, 4%	B1
Lidocaine Injection, 0.5%	B1
Lidocaine Injection, 1%	D
Lidocaine Injection, 2%	B
Lidocaine Spray, 10%	B1
Lidocaine + Adrenaline Injection; 10mg/ml + 5 microgram/ml	B2
Lidocaine + Adrenaline Injection; 20 mg/ml + 5 microgram/ml	B2
<b>Prilocaine Injection, 10 mg/ml</b>	<b>D</b>

## PRE-OPERATIVE MEDICATIONS AND SEDATIVE FOR SHORT TERM PROCEDURES

Atropine Injection, 0.6 mg/ml	B2
Diazepam Injection, 0.6 mg/ml	B1
Doxapram Injection, 20 mg/ml in 5 ml	D
Ephedrine HCl Injection, 3 mg/ml	D
<b>Glycopyrronium Injection, 200 microgram/ml</b>	<b>D</b>
Lorazepam Injection, 4 mg/ml	D
Midazolam Injection, 2 mg/ml	D
Midazolam Injection, 5 mg/ml	D

## 3.0 ANALGESICS, ANTIEMETICS, NSAIDS AND DRUGS USED IN GOUT

### 3.1 NON-OPIOID NON-STEROIDAL ANALGESICS

Acetyl Salicylic Acid Tablet, 300 mg	A
Allopurinol Tablet, 100 mg	C
Allopurinol Tablet, 300mg	C
Diclofenac Injection, 25 mg/ml	B2
Diclofenac Suppository, 50 mg	C
Diclofenac Suppository, 100 mg	C
Diclofenac Tablet, 25 mg	B2
Diclofenac Tablet, 50 mg	B2
Ibuprofen Suspension, 100 mg/5ml	B1
Ibuprofen Tablet, 200 mg	B1
Ibuprofen Tablet, 400 mg	B2

Paracetamol Suppository, 125 mg	B1
Paracetamol Suppository, 250 mg	B1
Paracetamol Syrup, 120 mg/5ml	A
Paracetamol Tablet, 500 mg	A

### 3.2 OPIOD ANALGESICS

Fentanyl Citrate Injection, 50 microgram/ml	D
Morphine Injection, 10 mg/ml	C
Morphine Injection, 10 mg/ml (Preservative Free)	SD
Morphine Sulphate Tablet, 30 mg (Slow release)	D
Pethidine Injection, 50 mg/ml in 2 ml	B2

### 4.0 ANTI-ALLERGIC DRUGS

Adrenaline Injection, (1:1000) 1 mg/ml	B1
<b>Cetirizine Table, 10 mg</b>	<b>C</b>
Chlorphenamine Syrup, 2mg/5ml	B1
Chlorphenamine Tablet, 4 mg	B1
Dexamethasone Tablet, 500 microgram	C
<b>Diphenhydramine Tablet, 25 mg</b>	<b>B1</b>
Hydrocortisone Sodium Succinate Injection, 100mg	B1
Prednisolone Tablet, 5mg	C
Promethazine Elixir, 5 mg/5ml	B1
Promethazine Injection, 25 mg/ml in 2 ml	B1
Promethazine Table, 25mg	B1

### 5.0 ANTIDOTES AND OTHER SUBSTANCES USED IN POISONING

#### 5.1 NON-SPECIFIC ANTIDOTES

Activated Charcoal Powder, 50 g	C
Ipecacuanha Emetic Mixture, BP	C

#### 5.2 SPECIFIC ANTIDOTES

Acetylcysteine Injection, 200 mg/ml	C
Atropine Injection, 0.6 mg/ml	B2
Benzatropine Injection, 1 mg/ml	C
Naloxone Injection, 400 microgram/ml	B2
<b>Polystyrene Sulphone Resins Powder, 300 g</b>	<b>C</b>

Protamine Sulphate Injection, 10 mg/ml D

## 6.0 ANTICONVULSANTS

Carbamazepine Table, 100 mg D  
Carbamazepine Table, 200 mg D  
Diazepam Injection, 5 mg/ml in 2 ml B1  
Diazepam Rectal Tubes, 2 mg/ml B1  
Ethosuximide Syrup, 250 mg/5 ml D  
Ethosuximide Capsule, 250 mg D  
Magnesium Sulphate Injection, 20% C  
Magnesium Sulphate Injection, 25% C  
Magnesium Sulphate Injection, 50% C  
Phenobarbitone Elixir, 15 mg/5 ml B2  
Phenobarbital Injection, 200 mg/ml B2  
Phenobarbital Tablet, 30 mg B2  
Phenobarbital Tablet, 60 mg B2  
Phenytoin Sodium Capsule, 100 mg B2  
Phenytoin Injection, 50 mg/ml D  
Phenytoin Sodium Tablet, 100 mg B2  
Primidone Tablet, 250mg C  
Sodium Valproate, Tablet, 200 mg D  
Sodium Valproate Syrup, 200 mg/5ml D

## 7.0 ANTI-INFECTIVE DRUGS

### 7.1 ANTHELMINTHIC DRUGS

#### 7.1.1 Intestinal Antihelminthic Drugs

Albendazole Syrup, 100 mg/5ml B1  
Albendazole Tablet, 200 mg B1  
Mebendazole Tablet, 100 mg B1  
Mebendazole Table, 500 mg B1  
Niclosamide Table, 500 mg C  
Tiabendazole Suspension, 50 mg/ ml C  
Tiabendazole Tablet, 500 mg C

#### 7.1.2 Antifilarial Drugs

Diethylcarbamazine Tablet, 50 mg B1  
Ivermectin Tablet, 6 mg B1

### 7.1.3 Antischistosomal Drugs

Praziquantel Tablet, 600 mg B2

## 7.2 ANTIBACTERIAL DRUGS

### 7.2.1 Penicillins

Amoxicillin Capsule, 250 mg B1

Amoxicillin Capsule, 500 mg B1

Amoxicillin Suspension, 125 mg/5 ml B2

Amoxicillin +Clavulanic acid Suspension, 250 mg +62 mg C

Amoxicillin +Clavulanic acid Suspension, 400 mg +57 mg C

Amoxicillin +Clavulanic acid injection, 500 mg +100 mg C

Amoxicillin +Clavulanic acid Tablet, 500 mg +125 mg C

Ampicillin Injection, 500 mg C

Benzathine Benzylpenicillin Injection, 1.2 MU B1

Benzathine Benzylpenicillin Injection, 2.4 MU B1

Benzyl Penicillin Injection, 1MU B2

Benzyl Penicillin Injection, 5MU B2

**Cloxacillin Injection, 250 mg B2**

**Cloxacillin Injection 500 mg B2**

Flucloxacillin Capsule, 250 B2

Flucloxacillin Injection, 250 mg C

Flucloxacillin Injection, 500 mg C

Flucloxacillin Suspension, 125 mg/ 5ml B2

Phenoxymethyl Penicillin Tablet, 250 mg B1

Procaine Benzylpenicillin Injection, 4 MU B1

Tetracycline Capsule, 250 mg B1

### 7.2.2 Other Antibacterial Drugs

**Azithromycin Capsule, 250 mg C**

**Azithromycin Oral Suspension, 200 mg/5 ml C**

Cefotaxime Injection, 500 mg D

Cefotaxime Injection, 1g D

Ceftriazone Injection, 1g vial D

Ceftriazone Injection, 250 mg vial PD

Cefuroxime Injection, 750 mg vial D

Cefuroxime Injection, 1.5 g vial D

Cefuroxim Tablet, 250mg D

Chloramphenicol Capsule, 250 mg B2

Chloramphenicol Injection, 1g C

Chloramphenicol Suspension, 250 mg /5 ml B2

Ciprofloxacin Infusion, 2 mg/ml in 100ml	D
Ciprofloxacin Tablet, 250 mg	PD
Ciprofloxacin Tablet, 500 mg	PD
<b>Clarithromycin Tablet, 250 mg</b>	<b>D</b>
<b>Clarithromycin Tablet, 500 mg</b>	<b>D</b>
<b>Clarithromycin Paediatric Suspension, 125 mg/5 ml</b>	<b>D</b>
Clindamycin Capsule, 150 mg	D
Clindamycin Injection, 150 mg/ml in 2ml	D
Clindamycin Suspension, 75 mg/ 5 ml	D
Cotrimoxazole Suspension, (200+40) mg/5ml	B1
Cotrimoxazole Tablet, (400+80) mg	B1
Doxycycline Capsule, 100 mg	PD
Erythromycin Injection, 500 mg	D
Erythromycin Injection, 1g	D
Erythromycin Syrup, 125 mg/5 ml	C
Erythromycin Tablet, 250 mg	C
Gentamicin Injection, 40 mg/ ml in 2 ml	C
Neomycin Tablet, 500 mg	C
Nitrofurantion Tablet, 100 mg	B2

### 7.2.3 Antileprosy Drugs

Antileprosy Pack (Clofazimine Tablet, 100 mg; Dapsone Tablet, 50 mg; Rifampicin Capsule, 300 mg)	PD
Dapsone Tablet, 100 mg	D

### 7.2.4 Antituberculous Drugs

Ethambutol Table, 400 mg	PD
Isonaizid Tablet, 100 mg	PD
Isoniazid + Thiacetazone Tablet, (300 +150) mg	PD
Pyrazinamide Suspension, 125 mg/ 5 ml	PD
PyrazinamideTablet, 500 mg	PD
Rifampicin + Isonaizid Suspension (75+50) mg	PD
Rifampicin + Isonaizid Tablet, (150+100) mg	PD
Streptomycin Injection, 1g	PD
<b>Thiacetazone Tablet, 150 mg</b>	<b>PD</b>

## 7.3 ANTIFUNGAL DRUGS FOR SYSTEMIC USE

<b>Fluconazole Capsule, 50 mg</b>	<b>SD</b>
<b>Fluconazole Capsule, 200 mg</b>	<b>SD</b>
Griseofulvin Tablet, 125mg	C

Griseofulvin Tablet, 500mg	C
Ketoconazole Table, 200mg	D
Nystatin Suspension, 100,000 IU/ml	B2
Nystatin Pastilles, 100,000 IU	C
Nystatin Tablet, 500,000 IU	C
Terbinafine HCl Tablet, 250 mg	SD

## 7.4 ANTIPROTOZOAL DRUGS

### 7.4.1 Anti-Amoebic Drugs

Metronidazole Injection, 5 mg/ml in 100 ml	D
Metronidazole Suppository, 500 mg	C
Metronidazole Suspension, 100 mg/5ml (as Benzoate)	B1
Metronidazole Suspension, 200 mg/5ml (as Benzoate)	B2
Metronidazole Tablet, 200mg	B1
Metronidazole Tablet, 400mg	B1

### 7.4.2 Antileishmaniasis Drugs

Pentamidine isetionate Injecrion, 300 mg Vial	C
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### 7.4.3 Antimalarial Drugs

Amodiaquine Syrup, 50 mg/ml	PD
Amodiaquine Tablet, 75 mg	PD
Amodiaquine Tablet, 150 mg	PD
Amodiaquine Tablet, 200 mg	PD
<b>Artesunate Tablet, 25 mg</b>	<b>PD</b>
<b>Artesunate Tablet, 50 mg</b>	<b>PD</b>
<b>Artesunate Tablet, 100 mg</b>	<b>PD</b>
<b>Artesunate Tablet, 200 mg</b>	<b>PD</b>
Quinine Injection, 300 mg/ml in 2mls	PD
Quinine Tablet, 300 mg	PD
Sulfadoxine + Pyrimethamine Tablet, 525 mg	PD

## 7. 5 ANTIVIRAL

Aciclovir Tablet, 200 mg	D
Aciclovir Injection, 25 mg/ml	D
Aciclovir Suspension, 200 mg/5ml	D

## 8.0 ANTIMIGRAINE DRUGS

Acetyl Salicylic Acid Tablet, 300 mg	B1
Ergotamine Tablet, 2 mg	C
Paracetamol Tablet, 500 mg	B1
Propranolol Tablet, 40mg	B2

## 9.0 ANTINEOPLASTIC AND IMMUNOSUPPRESIVE DRUGS

### 9.1 CYTOTOXIC DRUGS

Fluorouracil Injection, 50 mg/ 5ml	D
Mercaptopurine Tablet, 50 mg	D
Dactinomycin Injection, 500 micrograms	D
Azathioprine Tablet, 50 mg	D
Busulfan Tablet, 2 mg	D
Busulfan Tablet, 500 micrograms	D
<b>Cisplatin Injection, 50 mg</b>	<b>D</b>
Chlorambucil Tablet, 2 mg	D
Chlorambucil Tablet, 5 mg	D
Cyclophosphamide Injection 500 mg	D
Cyclophosphamide Tablet, 25 mg	D
Cyclophosphamide Tablet, 50 mg	D
Cytosine Arabinoside Injection, 100 mg	D
Doxorubicin Injection, 10 mg	D
Doxorubicin Injection, 50 mg	D
Folinic Acid Injection, 15 mg	D
Folinic Acid Tablet, 15 mg	D
<b>Hydroxycarbamide Tablet, 500 mg</b>	<b>D</b>
Melphalan Tablet, 2 mg	D
Melphalan Tablet, 5 mg	D
Methotrexate Injection, 2.5 mg	D
Methotrexate Injection, 25 mg	D
Methotrexate Tablet, 2.5 mg	D
Methotrexate Tablet, 10 mg	D
Procarbazine Tablet, 50 mg	D
Tioguanine Tablet, 40 mg	D
Vincristine Injection, 1 mg/ml	D
Vincristine Injection, 5 mg/ml	D

### 9.2 HORMONES AND ANTHORMONES

<b>Anastrozole Tablet, 1 mg</b>	<b>D</b>
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Prednisolone Tablet 5 mg	D
Diethylstilboestrol Tablet, 1 mg	D
Diethylstilboestrol Tablet, 5 mg	D
Tamoxifen Tablet, 10 mg	D
Tamoxifen Tablet, 20mg	D

### **10.0 ANTIPARKINSONISM DRUGS**

Trihexyphenidyl Tablet, 2 mg	C
Trihexyphenidyl Tablet, 5 mg	C
Benzatropine Tablet, 1 mg/ml	C
Benzatropine Tablet, 2 mg	C
Biperiden Injection, 5 mg/ml	C
Biperiden Tablet, 2 mg	C

### **11.0 DRUGS AFFECTING THE BLOOD**

#### **11.1 ANTIANAEMIA DRUGS**

Iron+ Folic Acid Tablet, 60 mg/ 250 micrograms	A
Ferric Ammonium Citrate (FAC)	A
Ferrous Fumarate Tablet, (100 mg Iron)	B1
Ferrous Gluconate Tablet, (35 mg Iron)	B1
Ferrous Sulphate (BPC) Syrup, 60 mg/ 5ml	B1
Ferrous Sulphate Tablet, 60 mg (Elemental Iron)	B1
Folic Acid Tablet, 5mg	B1
Hydroxocobalamin Injection, 1 mg/ ml	C
Iron Dextran Injection, 50 mg/ml	C

#### **11.2 ANTICOAGULANT AND ANTAGONIST**

Acetyl Salicylic Acid Tablet, 75 mg	C
Heparin [Low Molecular Weight] Injection, 4000 units/ml	D
Heparin Injection, 1000 units/ml	D
Heparin Injection, 5000 units/ml	D
Heparin Injection, 5000 units/ 0.2 ml	D
Protamine Sulphate Injection, 10 mg/ml	D
Phytomenadione Injection, 1 mg/ml	B2
Phytomenadione Injection, 10 mg/ml	C
Warfarin Tablet, 1 mg	D
Warfarin Tablet, 3 mg	D
Warfarin Tablet, 5mg (scored)	D

## 12.0 BLOOD PRODUCTS AND BLOOD SUBSTITUTES

Gelatin Infusion (Succinylated Gelatin) C

## 13.0 CARDIOVASCULAR DRUGS

### 13.1 ANTI-ANGINAL DRUGS

Glyceryl Trinitrate Sublingual Tablet, 500 micrograms C

Isosorbide Dinitrate Sublingual Tablet, 5 mg C

Isosorbide Dinitrate Tablet, 10 mg C

Nifedipine Tablet, 10 mg (slow release) C

Nifedipine Tablet, 20 mg (slow release) C

Nifedipine Tablet, 30 mg (GITS) C

Propranolol Tablet, 10 mg C

Propranolol Tablet, 40 mg C

Propranolol Tablet, 80 mg C

### 13.2 ANTIDYSRHYTHMIC DRUGS

Amiodarone Tablet, 200 mg SD

Disopyramide Capsule, 100 mg D

Disopyramide Phosphate Injection, 10 mg/ml D

Lidocaine Injection, 20 mg/ml in 5 ml D

Propranolol Tablet, 10 mg C

Propranolol Tablet, 40 mg C

Propranolol Tablet, 80 mg C

### 13.3 ANTIHYPERTENSIVE DRUGS

Atenolol Tablet, 100 mg C

Atenolol Tablet, 50 mg C

Bendroflumethiazide Tablet, 2.5 mg B1

Bendroflumethiazide Tablet, 5 mg B1

Hydralazine Injection, 20 mg C

Hydralazine Tablet, 25 mg C

**Labetalol Injection, 5 mg D**

**Labetalol Tablet, 100 mg D**

**Labetalol Tablet, 200 mg D**

Lisinopril Tablet, 2.5 mg D

Lisinopril Tablet, 5 mg	D
Lisinopril Tablet, 10 mg	D
<b>Losartan Tablet, 25 mg</b>	<b>D</b>
<b>Losartan Tablet, 50 mg</b>	<b>D</b>
<b>Losartan Tablet, 100 mg</b>	<b>D</b>
Methyldopa Tablet, 250 mg	B2
Nifedipine Capsule, 10 mg	D
Nifedipine Capsule, 5 mg	D
Nifedipine Tablet, 10 mg (Slow release)	C
Nifedipine Tablet, 20 mg (Slow release)	C
Nifedipine Tablet, 30 mg (GITS)	C
<b>Prazosin Tablet, 500 microgram</b>	<b>C</b>
Propranolol Injection, 1 mg/ml	D
Propranolol Tablet, 10mg	D
Propranolol Tablet, 40 mg	B2
Propranolol Tablet, 80 mg	B2
Reserpine Injection, 1 mg/ml	B2
Reserpine Tablet, 250 microgram	B1

#### 13.4 CARDIAC GLYCOSIDES

Digoxin Elixir, 50 microgram/ml	C
Digoxin Injection, 250 microgram/ml	C
Digoxin Tablet, 125 microgram	C
Digoxin Tablet, 250 microgram	C

#### 13.5 LIPID-REGULATING DRUGS

<b>Fluvastatin Capsules, 20 mg</b>	<b>D</b>
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#### 13.6 DRUGS USED IN SHOCK

Dopamine Injection, 40 mg/ml in 5 ml	D
Hydrocortisone Injection, 100 mg	C

#### 14.0 DERMATOLOGICAL PREPARATIONS

##### 14.1 ANTIFUNGAL DRUGS

Benzoic Acid+Salicylic Acid Ointment, 6%+3%	B1
Clotrimazole+Hydrocortisone Cream, 2%+1%	D
Clotrimazole Cream, 2%	B2

Clotrimazole Pessary, 100 mg	PD
Gentian Violet Paint, 1%	A
Selenium Sulphide Shampoo, 2.5%	C

#### 14.2 ANTI-INFECTIVE DRUGS

Aciclovir Cream, 5%	C
Cetrimide Solution	B1
Chlorhexidine Cream, 1%	B1
Chlorhexidine Solution, 2.5%	B1
Silver Sulfadiazine Cream, 1%	C

#### 14.3 ANT-INFLAMMATOY AND ANTIPRURITIC DRUGS

Calamine Lotion, 15%	B1
Calamine Cream, 15%	B1
<b>Clobetasol Propionate Cream, 0.05%</b>	<b>B1</b>
Hydrocortisone Cream, 1%	C

#### 14.4 ASTRINGENT AGENTS

Salicylic Acid Ointment, 2%	B1
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#### 14.5 SCABICIDES AND PEDICULOCIDES

Benzyl Benzoate Lotion, 25%	B1
Lindane Lotion, 1%	B1

#### 14.6 EMOLLIENTS AND VEHICLES

Aqueous Cream BP	B1
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#### 14.7 OTHERS

Benzoyl Peroxide Solution, 10%	C
Benzoyl Peroxide Solution, 5%	C
Clindamycin Solution, 1%	C
Mercurochrome Solution	B1

#### 15.0 DIAGNOSTIC AGENTS

#### 15.1 OPHTHALMIC DRUGS

Fluorescein Solution, 2%	C
Fluorescein Strips	C

Methylcellulose Eye Drops, 1%	D
Methylcellulose Eye Drops, 2%	D
Rose Bengal Minims, 1%	D
Tropicamide Eye Drops, 1%	C

## 15.2 BED-SIDE DIAGNOSTIC SUPPORT

Diagnostic Strips-Glucose	B1
Diagnostic Strips-Multipurpose	B2
Diagnostic Strips-Protein	B2
Diagnostic Strips-Glucose	B1
Diagnostic Strips-Ketones	B1

## 15.3 OTHERS

Edrophonium Injection, 10 mg/ml	D
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## 16.0 DISINFECTANTS

Chlorhexidine Solution, 4% in detergent base	C
Chlorhexidine Cream, 1%	C
Chlorhexidine Solution, 2.5%	B1
Iodine + Potassium Iodide Solution, 2% +2.4%	A
Povidone Iodine (aq.) Solution, 10%	B1

## 17.0 DIURETICS

Bendroflumethiazide Tablet, 2.5 mg	B1
Bendroflumethiazide Tablet, 5 mg	B1
Furosemide Injection, 10mg/ml in 2 ml	B2
Furosemide Tablet, 40 mg	B2
Mannitol Injection, 10% 500ml	C
Mannitol Injection, 20% 500ml	D
Metolazone Tablet, 5 mg	D
Spironolactone Tablet, 25 mg	C
Spironolactone Tablet, 50 mg	C

## 18.0 GASTROINTESTINAL DRUGS

### 18.1 ANTACIDS AND OTHER ANTIULCER DRUGS

Magnesium Trisilicate Mixture	B1
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Magnesium Trisilicate Tablet, 500 mg	A
Omeprazole Injection, 25 mg/ml in 2 ml	D
Ranitidine Injection, 25 mg/ml in 2 ml	C
Ranitidine Tablet, 150 mg	C

### 18.2 ANTI-EMETICS

Metoclopramide Injection, 5 mg/ml in 2 ml	D
Metoclopramide Tablet, 10 mg	C
Ondansetron Injection, 2 mg/ml	SD
Ondansetron Tablet, 4mg	SD
Promethazine Hydrochloride Elixir, 5 mg/ml	B2
Promethazine Hydrochloride Injection, 25 mg/ml	B2
Promethazine Theoclate Tablet, 25 mg	B2

### 18.3 ANTHAEMORRHOIDAL DRUGS

Ethanolamine Oleate Solution, 5%	D
Phenol 5% in Almond Oil Injection	D
Soothing Agent +Local Anaesthetic Ointment	B2
Soothing Agent +Local Anaesthetic Suppository	B2
Soothing Agent +Local Anaesthetic +Steroid Ointment	C
Soothing Agent +Local Anaesthetic + Steroid Suppository	C

### 18.4 ANTI- INFLAMMATORY DRUGS

Sulfasalazine Tablet, 500 mg	D
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### 18.5 ANTIDPASMATIC DRUGS

Hyoscine Butylbromide Tablet, 10 mg	B2
Hyoscine Butylbromide Injection, 20 mg/ml	B2
Mebeverine Table, 135 mg	D

### 18.6 CATHARTIC DRUGS

Bisacodyl Tablet, 5 mg	B2
Lactulose Liquid 3.1-7 g/5ml	C
Magnesium Sulphate salt	C
Paraffin Liquid	B1
Senna Tablet, 7.5 mg or Granules	B1

## 18.7 DRUGS USED IN DIARRHOEA

### 18.7.1 Oral Replacement Solution

Oral Rehydration Salts Powder A

### 18.7.2 Antidiarrhoeal (Symptomatic) Drugs

Codeine Tablet, 30 mg C

## 19.0 HORMONES, OTHER ENDOCRINE DRUGS AND CONTRACEPTIVES

### 19.1 ADRENAL HORMONES AND SYNTHETIC SUBSTITUTES

Dexamethasone Injection, 4 mg/ml C

Fludrocortisone Tablet, 100 microgram D

Hydrocortisone Sodium Succinate Injection, 100 mg B2

Prednisolone Tablet, 5 mg C

### 19.2 ANROGENS

Testosterone Enantate Injection, 200 mg in 1ml ampoule D

### 19.3 CONTRACEPTIVES

Medroxyprogesterone Acetate Injection, 150 mg/ml (Depot) PD

### 19.4 ESTROGENS

Conjugated Oestrogen Tablet, 625 microgram D

Conjugated Oestrogen+ Norgesterol Tablet, 625 microgram+ 150 microgram C

Conjugated Oestrogen Vaginal cream, 625 microgram/g C

### 19.5 INSULINS AND OTHER ANTIDIABETIC DRUGS

Isophane Insulin Injection (HM), 100 units/ml in 10 ml C

Insulin pre- mixed (30/70) HM Injection, 100 units/ml in 10 ml C

Insulin Soluble HM, 100 units/ml in 10 ml C

Gilbenclamide Tablet, 5 mg C

Gliclazide Tablet, 80 mg C

Tolbutamide Tablet, 500 mg C

Metormin Tablet, 500 mg D

Glucagon Injection, 1 mg C

### 19.6 OVULATION INDUCERS

Clomifene Tablet, 50mg D

### 19.7 PROGESTOGENS

Medroxyprogesterone Acetate Tablet, 5 mg D

Norethisterone Tablet, 5 mg D

### 19.8 THYROID HORMONES AND ANTITHYROID DRUGS

Carbimazole Tablet, 5 mg D

Carbimazole Tablet, 20 mg D

Levothyroxine sodium Tablet, 50 microgram D

Levothyroxine sodium Tablet 100 microgram D

### 19.9 OTHER ENDOCRINOLOGICAL DRUGS

Bromocriptine Tablet, 2.5 mg D

### 20.0 IMMUNOLOGICALS

#### 20.1 DIAGNOSTIC AGENTS

Tuberculin (PPD) Injection C

#### 20.2 SERA AND IMMUNOGLOBULINS

Anti D Rh Immune Globulin Injection C

Antirabies immunoglobulins Injection, 1000 IU/5ml B1

Anti-snake venom, Polyvalent Injection B1

Tetanus Immunoglobulins Injection, 250 IU/ml B1

#### 20.3 VACCINES

##### 20.3.1 For Universal Immunization

BCG Vaccine Injection PD

**“Five in one” Vaccine Injection (Diphtheria, Pertussis, Tetanus, Haemophilic  
influenzae b and Hepatitis B) PD**

Hepatitis B Vaccine Injection PD

Measles Vaccine Injection PD

Poliomyelitis Vaccine Oral Solution D

Tetanus Vaccine Injection, 40 IU/5 ml PD

Yellow Fever Vaccine Injection PD

##### 20.3.2 for Specific Groups of Individuals

Meningococcal Vaccine Injection	B2
Rabies Vaccine Injection	B2
Tetanus Toxoid Injection, 0.5 mg	B1
Tetanus Toxoid Injection, 40 IU/5 ml	B1
Yellow Fever Vaccine Injection	B2

## 21.0 MUSCLE RELAXANTS AND CHOLINESTERASE INHIBITORS

Atracurium Injection, 10 mg/ml in 2.5 ml	D
Neostigmine Injection, 2.5 mg	D
Neostigmine Injection, 0.5 mg	D
<b>Rocuronium Injection, 10 mg/ml</b>	<b>D</b>
Suxamethonium Injection, 100 mg/2 ml	D
Vecuronium Bromide Injection, 10 mg/vial	D

## 22.0 OPHTHALMOLOGICAL PREPARATIONS

### 22.1 ANTI-INFECTIVE AGENTS

Aciclovir Ointment, 3%	D
Chloramphenicol Eye Drops, 1%	B1
Chloramphenicol Eye Ointment, 1%	B1
Econazole Eye Drops, 1%	C
Erythromycin Ointment, 0.5%	B1
Gentamicin Eye Drops, 0.3%	D
Gentamicin Ointment, 0.3%	D
Sulphacetamide Eye Drops, 10%	B1
Sulphacetamide Ointment, 10%	B1
Tetracycline Eye Drops, 0.5%	B1
Tetracycline Ointment, 1%	B1

### 22.2 ANTI-INFLAMMATORY AGENTS

Corticosteroid + Antibiotic Drops	D
Corticosteroid + Antibiotic Ointment	D
Dexamethasone Eye Drops, 1%	D
Dexamethasone Eye Ointment, 1%	D
Hydrocortisone Eye Drops, 1%	D
Hydrocortisone Eye Ointment, 1%	D
Lodoxamide Eye Drops, 0.1%	D

Prednisolone Eye Drops, 0.5% D  
Prednisolone Eye Drops, 1% D

### 22.3 LOCAL ANAESTHETICS

Tetracaine Eye Drops, 0.5% C

### 22.4 MIOTICS AND DRUGS USED IN GLAUCOMA

Acetazolamide Injection, 500 mg D  
Acetazolamide Tablet, 250 mg C  
Adrenaline Eye Drops, 1% D  
Betaxolol HCL Eye Drops, 0.5% D  
Pilocarpine Eye Drops, 2% D  
Pilocarpine Eye Drops, 4% D  
Timolo Maleate Eye Drops, 0.5% D

### 22.5 MYDRIATICS

Atropine Eye Drops, 1% D  
Cyclopentolate Eye Drops, 1% D  
Homatropine Eye Drops, 2% C

### 22.6 OTHERS

Methylcellulose Eye Drops, 0.3% C

### 23.0 OXYTOCICS AND ANTI-OXYTOCICS

#### 23.1 OXYTOCICS

Ergometrine Injection, 0.5 mg/ml B1  
Ergometrine Tablet, 0.5 mg A  
**Misoprostol Vaginal Tablet, 200 microgram** C  
Oxytocin Injection, 5 units/ml C

#### 23.2 ANTI-OXYTOCICS

Salbutamol Sulphate Injection, 500 microgram/ml C  
Salbutamol Tablet, 4 mg C

### 24.0 PERITONEAL DIALYSIS SOLUTIONS

Intraperitoneal Dialysis Solution, Hypertonic D

Intraperitoneal Dialysis Solution, Hypotonic D

## 25.0 PSYCHOTHERAPEUTIC DRUGS

Amitriptyline Tablet, 10 mg	D
Amitriptyline Tablet, 25 mg	D
Amitriptyline Tablet, 50 mg	D
Chlorpromazine Injection, 25 mg/ml in 2 ml	B2
Chlorpromazine Tablet, 25 mg	B2
Chlorpromazine Tablet, 50 mg	B2
Chlorpromazine Tablet, 100 mg	B2
Diazepam Injection, 5 mg/ml in 2 ml	B2
Diazepam Tablet, 5 mg	B2
Diazepam Tablet, 10mg	B2
<b>Fluoxetine Capsule, 20 mg</b>	<b>D</b>
Fluphenazine Deconoate, 25 mg/ml Injection,	D
Haloperidol Injection, 5 mg/ml	D
Haloperidol Tablet, 5 mg	D
Haloperidol Tablet, 10 mg	D
Imipramine Tablet, 25 mg	D
Lorazepam Tablet, 2.5 mg	D
<b>Risperidone Liquid, 1 mg/ml</b>	<b>SD</b>
<b>Risperidone Tablet, 500 microgram</b>	<b>SD</b>
<b>Risperidone Tablet, 1 mg</b>	<b>SD</b>
<b>Risperidone Tablet, 2 mg</b>	<b>SD</b>
Trifluoperazine Tablet, 1 mg	D
Trifluoperazine Tablet, 5 mg	D

## 26.0 DRUGS ACTING ON THE RESPIRATORY TRACT

### 26.1 ANTI-ASTHMATIC DRUGS

Adrenaline Injection, 1 mg/1ml (1:1000)	B1
Aminophylline Injection, 250 mg/10 ml	B2
Beclometasone Dipropionate Inhaler, 100 mcg/ metered dose	B2
Beclometasone Dipropionate Inhaler, 50 mcg/ metered dose	B2
Hydrocortisone Sodium Succinate Injection, 100 mg	C
Prednisolone Tablet, 5 mg	C
Salbutamol Inhaler, 100 microgram/metered dose, 200 doses	B2
Salbutamol Nebulizer, 2.5 mg Nebules	C
Salbutamol Nebulizer, 5 mg Nebules	C

Salbutamol Syrup, 2 mg/ 5 ml	B1
Salbutamol Tablet, 2 mg	B1
Salbutamol Tablet, 4 mg	B1
Theophylline Dry Syrup, 60 mg/ 5 ml	D
Theophylline Tablet, 200 mg (Slow release)	C

## 26.2 ANTITUSSIVES

Dihydrocodeine Tablet, 30 mg	C
Simple Lintus (paediatric)	B1
Simple Lintus Syrup	B1

## 27.0 SOLUTION CORRECTING WATER AND ELECTROLYTE

### 27.1 ORAL PREPARATIONS

Oral Rehydration Salts Powder	A
Potassium Chloride Tablet, 600 mg (enteric coated)	C

### 27.2 PARENTERAL SOLUTIONS

Badoe's Solution Injection, 100 ml	C
Cholera Replacement Fluid Injection, (5:4:1)	B
Darrow's Solution Injection, Half-Strength 250 ml	C
Dextrose in Sodium Chloride Intravenous, Infusion, 4.3% in 0.18% (250 ml)	C
Dextrose in Sodium Chloride Intravenous Infusion, 5% in 0.9% (500 ml)	C
Dextrose in Sodium Chloride Intravenous Infusion, 10% in 0.18% (250 ml)	C
Dextrose Infusion, 10% (250 ml)	B2
Dextrose Infusion, 10% (500 ml)	B2
Dextrose Infusion, 5% (500 ml)	B
Dextrose Infusion, 20% (250 ml)	C
Dextrose Infusion, 5% (250 ml)	B
Dextrose Infusion, 50% (50 ml)	B2
Potassium Chloride Injection, 20 mEq/10 ml	C
Ringer's Lactate Intravenous Infusion, 500 ml	B2
Sodium Bicarbonate Injection, 8.4% in 10ml	C
Sodium Chloride + KCl Injection, 0.9% +20mMol (500 ml)	D
Sodium Chloride in Dextrose Injection, 0.9% in 5% (500 ml)	B2
Sodium Chloride Injection, 0.9% (250ml)	B1
Sodium Chloride Injection, 0.9% (500ml)	B1
Sodium Chloride Injection, 0.45% (250ml)	C

### 27.3 MISCELLANEOUS

Water for Injection A

### 28.0 VITAMINS AND MINERALS

Calciferol Tablet, 10,000 units C

Calcium Gluconate Injection, 100 mg/ in 10 ml C

Multivitamin Syrup B1

Multivitamin Tablet B1

Retinol Soft Capsule, 200,000 IU B1

Retinol Soft Capsule, 100,000 IU B1

Thiamine Injection, 10 mg D

Thiamine Tablet, 25 mg D

### 29.0 OTHER SPECIALIST DRUGS

#### 29.1 DRUGS FOR EAR, NOSE AND THROAT

Sodium Chloride Nasal Drops, 0.9% B1

#### 29.2 DRUGS FOR DENTISTRY

Chlorhexidine Mouthwash, 0.2% B2

Lidocaine + Adrenaline Cartridge, 20 mg/ml + [1:80,000/1:100,000] B2

Miconazole Oral gel 25 mg/ml B2

Nystatin Ointment, 100,000 IU B2

#### 29.3 DRUGS FOR HIV/AIDS

**Abacavir Oral Solution, 20 mg/ml SD**

**Abacavir Tablet, 300 mg SD**

Didanosine Capsule, 200 mg SD

**Didanosine Oral Solution, 10 mg/ml SD**

Didanosine Tablet, 25 mg SD

Didanosine Tablet, 50 mg SD

Didanosine Tablet, 100 mg SD

Didanosine Tablet, 150 mg SD

**Efavirenz Capsule, 50 mg SD**

**Efavirenz Capsule, 100 mg SD**

**Efavirenz Capsule, 200 mg SD**

**Efavirenz Syrup, 30 mg/ml SD**

**Efavirenz Tablet, 600 mg SD**

<b>Indinavir Tablet, 400 mg</b>	<b>SD</b>
Lamivudine Oral Solution, 10 mg/ml	SD
Lamivudine Tablet, 150 mg	SD
<b>Liponavir with Ritonavir Capsule, 133.3 mg+33.3 mg</b>	<b>SD</b>
<b>Liponavir with Ritonavir Oral Solution, 80 mg+20 mg/ml</b>	<b>SD</b>
<b>Nelfinavir Tablet, 250 mg</b>	<b>SD</b>
<b>Nevirapine Suspension, 10 mg/ml</b>	<b>SD</b>
<b>Nevirapine Tablet, 200 mg</b>	<b>SD</b>
<b>Ritonavir Capsule, 100 mg</b>	<b>SD</b>
<b>Saquinavir Capsule, 200 mg</b>	<b>SD</b>
<b>Stavudine Capsule, 15 mg</b>	<b>SD</b>
<b>Stavudine Capsule, 20 mg</b>	<b>SD</b>
<b>Stavudine Capsule, 30 mg</b>	<b>SD</b>
<b>Stavudine Capsule, 40 mg</b>	<b>SD</b>
<b>Stavudine Oral Solution, 1 mg/ml</b>	<b>SD</b>
<b>Tenofovir Tablet, 300 mg</b>	<b>SD</b>
Zidovudine Capsule, 100 mg	SD
Zidovudine Syrup, 10 mg/ml	SD
Zidovudine Tablet, 300 mg	SD
Zidovudine+Lamivudine Tablet, 300 mg + 150 mg	SD

#### **29.4 DRUGS FOR UROLOGY**

Tamsulosin Capsule, 400 microgram	D
Terazosin Tablet, 2 mg	D
Terazosin Tablet, 5 mg	D
Finasteride Tablet, 5 mg	D