

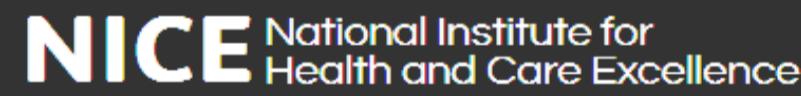
**MFT TRUST FORMULARY**

**Manchester University**  
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Oxford Road Campus &amp; Trafford

	<b>BNF Chapter</b>
<b>Section 1:</b>	<b>Gastro-Intestinal System</b>
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Prescribers must always bear in mind when prescribing medicines recommended as " treatment options" by NICE, that this is an opportunity for the clinician and the patient to consider and discuss its use alongside other potential treatment options available.

## Formulary status definitions

**Formulary** (OK to be prescribed - but after any 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> line options)

1<sup>st</sup> line formulary (when there are few formulary options, this is the 1<sup>st</sup> choice)

2<sup>nd</sup> line formulary (when there are few formulary options, this is the 2<sup>nd</sup> choice)

1<sup>st</sup> line agent provided, the drug choice appears in alphabetical order.

Where there is no preferred

1<sup>st</sup> line medicines for certain therapeutic groups and any restrictions placed upon prescribing are indicated in the box after the medicine name. Where modified release preparations of a formulary drug are available a comment will clarify its status. Newly licensed modified release preparations of existing formulary drugs will remain non-formulary until a review is carried out and recommendations are published. Where published guidance from NICE, MTRAC or the CSM is available, a reference to this is made either in the box after the medicine name or under the section title. Prescribing guidance issued by the Area Prescribing Committee is also included where it is available.



## PCT Red/Amber/Green classifications



### Adult RAG DNP/ GREY list

### Paediatric RAG list

#### Red

Drugs designated red are considered to be specialist medicines and prescribing responsibility for these medicines should normally remain with the consultant or specialist clinician. These drugs should not be initiated or prescribed in primary care. It is recommended that the supply of these specialist medicines should be organised via the hospital pharmacy, this may include arranging for supply via a home care company. These drugs should not be initiated or prescribed in primary care. It is recommended that the supply of these specialist medicines should be organised via the hospital pharmacy, this may include arranging for supply via a home care company.

#### Amber

Drugs designated amber are suitable for shared care arrangements under a shared care protocol. Prescribing may be transferred from secondary to primary care once the patient is stabilised and agreed shared care arrangements have been established. Alternatively primary care may initiate under the supervision of secondary care if this option is given in the shared care document. It is recommended that shared care arrangements should be drawn up following local discussion and agreement by prescribing parties.

#### Green

Drugs designated green are suitable for initiation (unless specified otherwise) and ongoing prescribing within primary care.

#### Green specialist initiation

Drugs designated green with specialist initiation are suitable for on-going prescribing within primary care. Little or no monitoring is required. Transfer of prescribing should occur after initiation and an initial review (unless specified) in secondary care.

#### Green following specialist recommendation

For drugs that can be initiated by primary care following written or verbal advice from a specialist and can then subsequently be safely prescribed in primary care with little or no monitoring required.

#### Unlicensed:



Unlicensed indications are automatically classified as red unless designated otherwise on the list below. If a medicine is unlicensed this should be highlighted in the template as follows: drug name <sup>U</sup>

## Glossary:

**MMC** Medicines Management Committee decision tables (Oxford Road Campus & Trafford)

**emc** Summary of Product Characteristics

**BNF** British National Formulary (BNF)

**BNF for children** British National Formulary for Children (BNFC)

**NICE** NICE guidance

**PbR X** Payment by Results high cost excluded drug

**GMMMG** GMMMG formulary links

## PCT Guidelines

Greater Manchester Medicines Management Group FORMULARY   
GMMMG Adult Red/Amber/Green; DNP and Grey Drug List  
GMMMG Paediatric Red/Amber/Green; DNP and Grey Drug List  
GMMMG Approved Shared Care Guidelines

## Useful Links

All Wales Medicines Strategy Group  
British HIV Association (BHIVA)  
British National Formulary (No password required)  
British National Formulary for Children (No password required)  
Committee on Safety of Medicines (CSM)  
electronic Medicines Compendium (eMC)  
General Pharmaceutical Council (GPhC)  
Greater Manchester Medicines Management Group (GMMMG)  
Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency (MHRA)  
Midlands Therapeutics Review and Advisory Committee (MTRAC)  
National Institute for Health and Clinical Excellence (NICE)  
National Patient Safety Agency (NPSA)  
National Prescribing Centre (NPC)  
NHS Evidence  
NICE Pathways  
Scottish Medicines Consortium (SMC)  
UK Medicines Information (UKMi)

# Section 1: Gastro-Intestinal System

Supported by the  formulary (click here)

## 1.1 Dyspepsia & gastro-oesophageal reflux disease

- 1.1.1 Antacids & Simeticone
- 1.1.2 Compound Alginites & Proprietary Indigestion Preparations

## 1.2 Anti-spasmodics & other drugs altering gut motility

- Antimuscarinics
- Other Antispasmodics
- Motility Stimulants

## 1.3 Antisecretory drugs & mucosal protectants

- 1.3.1 H<sub>2</sub>-Receptor Antagonists
- 1.3.3 Chelates & Complexes
- 1.3.5 Proton Pump Inhibitors

## 1.4 Acute diarrhoea

- 1.4.2 Antimotility Drugs

## 1.5 Chronic bowel disorders

- 1.5.1 Aminosalicylates
- 1.5.2 Corticosteroids & Enemas
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- 1.6.1 Bulk-forming Laxatives
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- 1.6.4 Osmotic Laxatives
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- 1.6.7 Other drugs used in constipation

## 1.7 Local preparations for anal & rectal disorders

- 1.7.2 Compound Haemorrhoidal Preparations with Corticosteroids
- 1.7.4 Management of anal fissures

## 1.9 Drugs affecting intestinal secretions

- 1.9.1 Drugs affecting biliary composition & flow
- 1.9.2 Bile acid sequestrants
- 1.9.4 Pancreatin

## 1.10 Miscellaneous preparations

## Trust Guidelines

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Neonatal guidelines (link to Staffnet site)  
[Non-formulary Conversion Table](#)

## NICE Guidance

Biosimilar Medicines (KTT15)  
Coeliac disease: recognition, assessment and management (NG20)  
Faecal Incontinence (CG49)  
Irritable Bowel Syndrome (CG61)  
Diarrhoea and vomiting in children under 5 (CG84)  
Constipation in children and young people (CG99)  
Acute upper GI bleeding (CG141)  
Crohn's disease (CG152)  
Ulcerative colitis (CG166)  
Dyspepsia and gastro-oesophageal reflux disease (CG184)  
Ulcerative colitis (acute exacerbations) - infliximab (TA163)  
Crohn's disease - infliximab & adalimumab (TA187)  
Constipation (women) - prucalopride (TA211)  
Lubiprostone for treating chronic idiopathic constipation (TA318)  
Infliximab, adalimumab & golimumab for treating moderately to severely active ulcerative colitis (TA329)  
Vedolizumab for treating moderately to severely active ulcerative colitis (TA342)  
Naloxegol for treating opioid-induced constipation (TA345)  
Vedolizumab for treating moderately to severely active Crohn's disease after prior therapy (TA352)  
Obeticholic acid for treating primary biliary cholangitis (TA443)  
Ustekinumab for moderately to severely active Crohn's disease after previous treatment (TA456)  
Eluxadoline for treating irritable bowel syndrome with diarrhoea (TA471)

## GMMMG Formulary

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<b>1.1 Dyspepsia &amp; gastro-oesophageal reflux disease</b>		<b>GMMG</b>
<b>1.1.1 Antacids &amp; Simeticone</b>		
<b>Aluminium &amp; Magnesium Containing Antacids</b>		
Co-magaldox		<b>1<sup>st</sup> line use</b>
195/220 suspension <sup>SF</sup>	 	
Magnesium Trisilicate		
suspension	 	
<b>Simeticone alone (activated dimeticon)</b>		
Simeticone (Infacol®)		<b>RESTRICTED</b> Paediatric use only
40mg/mL liquid	 	
<b>1.1.2 Compound Algicates &amp; Proprietary Indigestion Preparations</b>		
Alginate raft-forming oral suspensions <sup>SF</sup>		
	 	

## 1.2 Anti-spasmodics & other drugs altering gut motility



### **Antimuscarinics**

Hyoscine Butylbromide

10mg tablets



Glycopyrronium Bromide (Sialanar®)

400 micrograms/mL



### **Other Antispasmodics**

Mebeverine Hydrochloride

135mg tablets



Peppermint oil



### **Motility Stimulants**

Metoclopramide

10mg tablets (see also section 4.6)

Green



Domperidone

10mg tablets (see also section 4.6)

**1<sup>st</sup> line use**

**Use where 1<sup>st</sup> line unsuitable**



## 1.3 Antisecretory drugs & mucosal protectants



### 1.3.1 H<sub>2</sub>-receptor antagonists

Ranitidine

150mg; 300mg tablets



### 1.3.3 Chelates & Complexes

Sucralfate

1g tablets



Bismuth Subsalicylate (Pepto-Bismol®)

262.5mg chewable tablets



**RESTRICTED - Adults, H. Pylori eradication regime**

### 1.3.5 Proton Pump Inhibitors

Omeprazole

10mg; 20mg; 40mg capsules



Lansoprazole

15mg; 30mg capsules



**Other PPIs are not available at this Trust**

1.4 Acute diarrhoea		GMMG
1.4.2 Antimotility Drugs		
Loperamide hydrochloride 2mg capsules; 1mg/5mL syrup <sup>SF</sup>	NICE	BNF for children emc
Codeine Phosphate 15mg; 30mg & 60mg tablets		BNF for children emc
Eluxadoline 75mg; 100mg tablets	Green	NICE MMC BNF emc

# 1.5 Chronic bowel disorders



## 1.5.1 Aminosalicylates

Mesalazine (prescribe by brand name)



Balsalazide Sodium



750mg capsules



## 1.5.2 Corticosteroids & Enemas

Prednisolone



**1<sup>st</sup> line use**

5mg tablets



Budesonide (Budenofalk®)



3mg capsules



Budesonide



3mg CR capsules



Hydrocortisone



foam enema



Short chain fatty acid enema (Nutricol®)



**RESTRICTED - Adults  
Gastro. Consultants only**

## 1.5.3 Drugs Affecting the Immune Response

Azathioprine

Amber



**1<sup>st</sup> line use**

see also section 8.2.1



Ciclosporin (oral and I.V. preparations)

Amber



see also section 8.2.2



Mercaptopurine

Amber



see also section 8.1.3



Methotrexate (s/c and oral preparations)

Amber



see also section 10.1.3



Vedolizumab

Red

PbR X

NICE



**RESTRICTED Gastro. Consultants in line with NICE TA342 & TA352**

## Cytokine Modulators

Adalimumab

Red



see also sections 10.1.3 & 13.5.3

PbR X

NICE



**RESTRICTED Gastro. Consultants for Crohn's Disease & Ulcerative colitis as per NICE**

Infliximab

Red



see also sections 10.1.3 & 13.5.3

PbR X

NICE



**RESTRICTED Gastro. Consultants for Crohn's Disease & Ulcerative colitis as per NICE**

Golimumab

Red



see also sections 10.1.3

PbR X

NICE



**RESTRICTED Gastro. Consultants for Crohn's Disease & Ulcerative colitis as per NICE**

Ustekinumab

Red



see also sections 10.1.3

PbR X

NICE



**RESTRICTED Gastro. Consultants for Crohn's Disease as per NICE**

## ICAM-1 Inhibitor

Alicaforseen



**RESTRICTED Gastro. Consultants only for pouchitis**

## 1.6 Laxatives



### 1.6.1 Bulk-forming Laxatives

Ispaghula husk

1<sup>st</sup> line use

3.5g sachets

### 1.6.2 Stimulant Laxatives

Docusate Sodium

1<sup>st</sup> line use

Senna

1<sup>st</sup> line use

Bisacodyl



Glycerol



Sodium Picosulfate



Co-Danthramer



RESTRICTED - Adults, Palliative Care only

Co-Danthrusate



RESTRICTED - Adults, Palliative Care only

### 1.6.3 Faecal Softeners

Arachis Oil



### 1.6.4 Osmotic Laxatives

Lactulose

1<sup>st</sup> line use

Macrogols (Polyethylene glycols)

2<sup>nd</sup> / 3<sup>rd</sup> line use Rehab patients / paediatrics

Phosphates (Rectal)



128mL enema



Sodium Citrate (Rectal)



450mg micro-enema



### 1.6.5 Bowel Cleansing Preparations

Sodium Picosulfate with Magnesium Citrate (Picolax®) oral powder

1<sup>st</sup> line use

Macrogols (Klean-Prep® &amp; Moviprep®) oral powder



### 1.6.6 Peripheral opioid-receptor antagonists

Methylnaltrexone Bromide (injection)



RESTRICTED - Adults, Palliative Care only

Naloxegol



RESTRICTED - Adults only in line with TA345



### 1.6.7 Other drugs used in constipation

Prucalopride



RESTRICTED - Adult women, Gastro. Consultants only

1mg; 2mg tablets



Linaclootide

Green

RESTRICTED - 3<sup>rd</sup> line use Adults, Gastro. Consultants only

290 micrograms capsules

Lubiprostone

24microgram capsules

**RESTRICTED - Adults, Gastro.**  
Consultants only in line with NICE

## 1.7 Local preparations for anal & rectal disorders



### 1.7.2 Compound Haemorrhoidal Preparations with Corticosteroids

Anusol®

ointment



Proctosedyl®

ointment



Scheriproct®

ointment; suppositories



### 1.7.4 Management of anal fissures

Glyceryl Trinitrate (Rectogesic®)

0.4% ointment

1<sup>st</sup> line for anal fissure

Diltiazem Hydrochloride



2% cream



## 1.9 Drugs affecting intestinal secretions



### 1.9.1 Drugs affecting biliary composition & flow

Ursodeoxycholic acid 150mg tablets		1 <sup>st</sup> line use
Obeticholic acid 5mg; 10mg tablets		RESTRICTED Hepatology Consultants only 2 <sup>nd</sup> line per TA443

### 1.9.2 Bile acid sequestrants

Colestyramine powder 4g sachet (see also section 2.12)		1 <sup>st</sup> line use
Colesevelam Hydrochloride 625mg tablets (see also section 2.12)	Green	RESTRICTED adults. Gastro & Lipid Clinic Consultants only
Pancreatin capsules		

## 1.10 Miscellaneous preparations

Glucarpidase (Voraxaze®)



1,000 unit injection (see also sections 8.4, 10.4 & 13.14)

MMC

emc

**RESTRICTED 2<sup>nd</sup> line rescue therapy  
in patients with delayed methotrexate  
excretion**

## Section 2: Cardiovascular System

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### 2.1 Positive inotropic drugs

- 2.1.1 Cardiac Glycosides
- 2.1.2 Phosphodiesterase Inhibitors

### 2.2 Diuretics

- 2.2.1 Thiazides & Related Diuretics
- 2.2.2 Loop Diuretics
- 2.2.3 Potassium-sparing Diuretics & Aldosterone Antagonists
- 2.2.4 Potassium-sparing Diuretics with other Diuretics
- 2.2.5 Osmotic Diuretics

### 2.3 Anti-arrhythmic drugs

- 2.3.2 Drugs for Arrhythmias

### 2.4 Beta-adrenoceptor blocking drugs

### 2.5 Hypertension & heart failure

- 2.5.1 Vasodilator Antihypertensive Drugs
- 2.5.2 Centrally Acting Antihypertensive Drugs
- 2.5.4 Alpha-Adrenoceptor Blocking Drugs
- 2.5.5 Drugs Affecting the Renin-Angiotensin System
  - 2.5.5.1 Angiotensin-Converting Enzyme (ACE) Inhibitors
  - 2.5.5.2 Angiotensin-II Receptor Antagonists

### 2.6 Nitrates, calcium-channel blockers & other antianginals

- 2.6.1 Nitrates
- 2.6.2 Calcium-channel Blockers
- 2.6.3 Other Antianginal Drugs
- 2.6.4 Peripheral Vasodilators & Related Drugs

### 2.7 Sympathomimetics

- 2.7.1 Inotropic Sympathomimetics
- 2.7.2 Vasoconstrictor Sympathomimetics
- 2.7.3 Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation

### 2.8 Anticoagulants & protamine

- 2.8.1 Parenteral Anticoagulants
- 2.8.2 Oral Anticoagulants
- 2.8.3 Protamine Sulfate

### 2.9 Antiplatelet drugs

### 2.10 Stable angina, acute coronary syndromes & fibrinolysis

- 2.10.2 Fibrinolytic Drugs

### 2.11 Antifibrinolytic drugs & haemostatics

### 2.12 Lipid-regulating drugs

### 2.13 Local sclerosants

### 2.14 Miscellaneous preparations

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## NICE Guidance

Prophylaxis against infective endocarditis (CG64)  
 Stroke (CG68)  
 Familial hypercholesterolaemia (CG71)  
 Venous thromboembolism - reducing the risk (CG92)  
 Unstable angina and NSTEMI (CG94)  
 Chest pain of recent onset (CG95)  
 Hypertension in pregnancy (CG107)  
 Chronic heart failure (CG108) (replaces CG5)  
 Stable angina (CG126)  
 Hypertension (CG127)  
 Myocardial infarction with ST-segment elevation (CG167)  
 Myocardial infarction: secondary prevention (CG172)  
 Atrial fibrillation: the management of atrial fibrillation (CG180)  
 Lipid modification: CV risk assessment and the modification of blood lipids for the 1ry & 2ry prevention of CVD (CG181)  
 Acute coronary syndromes - glycoprotein IIb/IIIa inhibitors (review) (TA47) (partially updated by CG94)  
 Myocardial infarction - thrombolysis (TA52)  
 Guidance on the use of coronary artery stents (TA71) (partially updated by TA152)  
 Myocardial perfusion scintigraphy for the diagnosis and management of angina & MI (TA73) (partially updated by TA95 & TA126)  
 Hypercholesterolaemia - Ezetimibe (TA132)  
 Coronary artery disease - drug eluting stents (TA152)  
 Venous thromboembolism - dabigatran (TA157)  
 Rivaroxaban for the prevention of VTE (TA170)  
 Atrial Fibrillation - dronedarone (TA197)  
 Vascular disease - clopidogrel and dipyridamole (TA210)  
 Peripheral arterial disease - cilostazol, naftidrofuryl oxalate, pentoxifylline & inositol nicotinate (TA223)  
 Myocardial infarction (persistent ST-segment elevation) - bivalirudin (TA230)  
 Acute coronary syndromes - ticagrelor (TA236)  
 Venous thromboembolism - apixaban (hip and knee surgery) (TA245)  
 Atrial fibrillation - dabigatran etexilate (TA249)  
 Atrial fibrillation (stroke prevention) - rivaroxaban (TA256)  
 Venous thromboembolism (treatment & long term 2ry prevention) - rivaroxaban (TA261)  
 Stroke (acute, ischaemic) - alteplase (TA264)  
 Chronic heart failure - ivabradine (TA267)  
 Stroke & systemic embolism (prevention, non-valvular atrial fibrillation) - apixaban (TA275)  
 Pulmonary embolism and recurrent venous thromboembolism - rivaroxaban (TA287)  
 Prasugrel with PCI for treating ACS (review of TA182) (TA317)  
 Dabigatran etexilate for the treatment and 2ry prevention of DVT and/or PE (TA327)  
 Rivaroxaban for preventing adverse outcomes after acute management of acute coronary syndrome (TA335)  
 Apixaban for the treatment and 2ry prevention of DVT and/or PE (TA341)  
 Edoxaban for treating and for preventing deep vein thrombosis and pulmonary embolism (TA354)  
 Edoxaban for preventing stroke and systemic embolism in people with non-valvular atrial fibrillation (TA355)  
 Ezetimibe for treating primary heterozygous-familial and non-familial hypercholesterolaemia (TA385)  
 Sacubitril valsartan for treating symptomatic chronic heart failure with reduced ejection fraction (TA388)  
 Alirocumab for treating primary hypercholesterolaemia and mixed dyslipidaemia (TA393)  
 Evolocumab for treating primary hypercholesterolaemia and mixed dyslipidaemia (TA394)  
 Ticagrelor for preventing atherothrombotic events after myocardial infarction (TA420)

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<b>2.1 Positive inotropic drugs</b>		<b>GMMG</b>
<b>2.1.1 Cardiac Glycosides</b>		
Digoxin	  	<b>1<sup>st</sup> line use</b>
Digoxin-specific antibody	  	
<b>2.1.2 Phosphodiesterase Inhibitors</b>		
Enoximone (Perfan®) 5mg/1mL injection	  	
Milrinone (Primacor®) 10mg/10mL injection	   	<b>1<sup>st</sup> line use Paediatrics</b>
Levosimendan (Simdax®) 12.5mg/5mL Injection	   	<b>RESTRICTED adults.</b> <b>Cardiology ITU Consultant only</b>

<b>2.2 Diuretics</b>		<b>GMMG</b>
<b>2.2.1 Thiazides &amp; Related Diuretics</b>		
Bendroflumethiazide	  	<b>1<sup>st</sup> line use</b>
Chlortalidone	  	
Metolazone	  	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> line use with loop diuretic</b>
<b>2.2.2 Loop Diuretics</b>		
Furosemide	  	<b>1<sup>st</sup> line use</b>
Bumetanide	  	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> line use</b>
<b>2.2.3 Potassium-sparing Diuretics &amp; Aldosterone Antagonists</b>		
Amiloride hydrochloride	  	<b>1<sup>st</sup> line use</b>
Spiromolactone	  	<b>1<sup>st</sup> line use</b>
Eplerenone	   	<b>RESTRICTED adults. Cardiology Consultant only</b>
<b>2.2.4 Potassium-sparing Diuretics with other Diuretics</b>		
Co-amilofruse	  	<b>1<sup>st</sup> line use</b>
<b>2.2.5 Osmotic Diuretics</b>		
Mannitol	  	

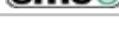
2.3 Anti-arrhythmic drugs		GMMG	
2.3.2 Drugs for Arrhythmias			
Adenosine		  	
Amiodarone Hydrochloride	Green	  	<a href="#">I.V. guidelines</a>
Disopyramide		  	
Flecainide Acetate	Red	Paeds - until stabilised then Green	  
Lidocaine (Lignocaine) Hydrochloride		  	<a href="#">I.V. guidelines</a>
Mexiletine	U	  	<b>RESTRICTED adults. Cardiology Consultant only</b>
Propafenone Hydrochloride		  	
Dronedarone	Green	    	<b>RESTRICTED adults. Cardiology Consultant only, in line with TA197</b>

2.4 Beta-adrenoceptor blocking drugs		GMMG
2.4 Beta-Adrenoceptor Blocking Drugs		NICE CG108
		NICE CG127
		NICE CG180
Atenolol	   	
Bisoprolol Fumarate	    	RESTRICTED adults. Cardiology Consultant only
Carvedilol	    	RESTRICTED adults. Cardiology Consultant only
ALSO 2ND LINE FOR VARICEAL BLEED		
Esmolol Hydrochloride	   	RESTRICTED I.V. only
Etilefrine Hydrochloride 	    	RESTRICTED adults. Haematology Consultants - SCD
Labetalol Hydrochloride	   	RESTRICTED orally in pregnancy
Metoprolol Tartrate	   	
Nadolol	    	RESTRICTED paed. ventricular arrhythmias in long QT syndrome
Nebivolol	   	
Propranolol Hydrochloride	   	RESTRICTED not in Cardiology
Sotalol Hydrochloride	   	

2.5 Hypertension & heart failure		GMMG
		NICE CG108
		NICE CG127
		NICE CG180
2.5.1 Vasodilator Antihypertensive Drugs		NHSE PAH
Hydralazine Hydrochloride	  	1 <sup>st</sup> line use
Minoxidil	  	
Bosentan Red	    	RESTRICTED PAH in line with NHSE
Sildenafil (Revatio®) Red green for erectile dysfunction	   	RESTRICTED PAH in line with NHSE
Macitentan (Opsumit®) Red	   	RESTRICTED PAH in line with NHSE
Tadalafil (Adcirca®) Red	   	RESTRICTED PAH in line with NHSE
2.5.2 Centrally Acting Antihypertensive Drugs		
Clonidine Hydrochloride	  	
Methyldopa	  	
Moxonidine 200microgram tablets	  	RESTRICTED 3 <sup>rd</sup> line use after other treatments fail
2.5.4 Alpha-Adrenoceptor Blocking Drugs		
Doxazosin 1mg; 2mg & 4mg tablets	  	1 <sup>st</sup> line use
Phenoxybenzamine Hydrochloride 10mg capsules	  	RESTRICTED adults. Specialist initiation only
Phentolamine Mesilate injection	  	RESTRICTED adults. Specialist use, theatres only
2.5.5 Drugs Affecting the Renin-Angiotensin System		
2.5.5.1 Angiotensin-Converting Enzyme (ACE) Inhibitors		
Ramipril 1.25mg; 2.5mg; 5mg & 10mg capsules	  	1 <sup>st</sup> line use
Captopril 12.5mg; 25mg & 50mg tablets	  	RESTRICTED Paediatrics only
Lisinopril 2.5mg; 5mg; 10mg & 20mg tablets	  	RESTRICTED Renal Medicine only
Perindopril 2mg; 4mg & 8mg tablets	  	

**2.5.5.2 Angiotensin-II Receptor Antagonists**

Candesartan Cilexetil 2mg; 4mg; 8mg; 16mg & 32mg tablets	 <b>MMC</b>  	<b>1<sup>st</sup> line use hypertension</b>
Losartan Potassium 12.5mg; 25mg; 50mg & 100mg tablets	 <b>BNF</b> 	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> line use hypertension</b>
Irbesartan 75mg;150mg & 300mg tablets	 <b>MMC</b>  	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> line use hypertension</b>
Valsartan 40mg;80mg & 160mg capsules	 <b>MMC</b>  	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> line use hypertension</b>
Sacubitril / Valsartan 24mg/26mg; 49mg/51mg & 97mg/103mg tablets	 <b>NICE</b>   	<b>in line with TA388</b>

<b>2.6 Nitrates, calcium-channel blockers &amp; other antianginals</b>		
<b>2.6.1 Nitrates</b>		
Glyceryl Trinitrate	  	
Isosorbide Mononitrate	  	
<b>2.6.2 Calcium-channel Blockers</b>		
Amlodipine	  	<b>1<sup>st</sup> choice dihydropyridine</b>
Diltiazem (prescribe by brand name)	  	<b>1<sup>st</sup> choice non-dihydropyridine</b>
Nifedipine (prescribe by brand name)	  	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> choice dihydropyridine</b>
Verapamil Hydrochloride	  	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> choice non-dihydropyridine</b>
Nimodipine	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> subarachnoid haemorrhage <i>I.V.</i> then oral
<b>2.6.3 Other Antianginal Drugs</b>		
Nicorandil	  	<b>1<sup>st</sup> line use</b>
Ivabradine	      	<b>RESTRICTED</b> adults 2 <sup>nd</sup> line. Cardiology Consultant only 
Ranolazine	   	<b>RESTRICTED</b> adults 3 <sup>rd</sup> line angina patients not suitable for surgery
<b>2.6.4 Peripheral Vasodilators &amp; Related Drugs</b>		
Naftidrofuryl Oxalate	  	
Defibrotide	     	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Specialist use only in line with NHSE  

<b>2.7 Sympathomimetics</b>			
<b>2.7.1 Inotropic Sympathomimetics</b>			
Dobutamine		  	<b>RESTRICTED / V. Specialist use only</b>
Dopamine Hydrochloride		  	<b>RESTRICTED / V. Specialist use only</b>
Dopexamine		  	<b>RESTRICTED / V. Specialist use only</b>
Isoprenaline		  	<b>RESTRICTED / V. Specialist use only</b>
<b>2.7.2 Vasoconstrictor Sympathomimetics</b>			
Ephedrine Hydrochloride		  	<b>RESTRICTED / V. Specialist use only</b>
Metaraminol 		  	
Midodrine Red until stabilised then Green		  	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use Cardiology.</b>
Noradrenaline acid tartrate		  	<b>RESTRICTED / V. Specialist use only</b>
Phenylephrine Hydrochloride		  	<b>RESTRICTED / V. Specialist use only</b>
<b>2.7.3 Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation</b>			
Adrenaline / Epinephrine		  	

## 2.8 Anticoagulants & protamine

### 2.8.1 Parenteral Anticoagulants

ACD-A Anticoagulant Citrate Dextrose  
solution



NICE CG92

**RESTRICTED Specialist use only**  
**CRRT**

Dalteparin Sodium  
see below



1<sup>st</sup> line LMWH

Epoprostenol

Red

PbR X



**RESTRICTED I.V. Specialist use only**

Heparin



[See Heparin Infusion chart](#)

Bivalirudin

NICE



**RESTRICTED adults.**  
**Cardiac Catheter Lab only.**

Fondaparinux Sodium



**RESTRICTED adults.**  
**Haematology Consultants only.**

Tinzaparin Sodium

see below



**RESTRICTED**  
**Obs & Gynae; ACS & VTE in Renal impairment only. Paeds: haemodialysis**

Enoxaparin Sodium

see below



**RESTRICTED ACS & VTE in Renal impairment only.**

Argatroban monohydrate



**RESTRICTED adults. Treatment of HIT**

**All LMWHs:** 1) DVT & PE treatment (initial 2 weeks) as per locally agreed pathway 2) Prophylaxis of VTE in oncology patients on VTE inducing therapy 3) Treatment of DVT in pregnancy 4) Pre-op use as warfarin replacement in high risk patients 5) Post-op prophylaxis (e.g. hips, knees, gen. surgery)

Red

LMWH's: Extended treatment of VTE in cancer patients as per Christie SCP.

LMWH's:

Prophylaxis e.g. immobile patients or those at high risk of DVT at home or in care situation.

Amber

LMWH's: DVT/PE treatment (full anticoagulation required but warfarin contraindicated). **NB** warfarin

remains 1<sup>st</sup> line; full stop-start criteria for prescribing must be outlined before passing to primary care.

LMWH's: For travel prophylaxis in high risk patients (travelling time over 8 hrs) and only as per national recommendations.

Green

Tinzaparin: use during pregnancy as per SCP. Pregnancy prophylaxis low risk and regular monitoring not required if baseline tests normal.

Amber

**2.8.2 Oral Anticoagulants**

Acenocoumarol	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> warfarin intolerant patients only.
Phenindione	  	
Warfarin Sodium	  	<a href="#">Warfarin dosing chart</a>
Dabigatran Etexilate	Green     	<b>RESTRICTED</b> in line with NICE guidance
Idarucizumab	   	<b>RESTRICTED</b> reversal of dabigatran in emergency surgery
Praxbind®	  	
Rivaroxaban	Green     	<b>RESTRICTED</b> in line with NICE  
Apixaban	Green     	<b>RESTRICTED</b> in line with NICE
Edoxaban	Green     	<b>RESTRICTED</b> in line with NICE
<b>2.8.3 Protamine Sulfate</b>		
Protamine Sulfate	  	

## 2.9 Antiplatelet drugs

**NICE CG94**

Aspirin	  	
Clopidogrel	   	For ACS patients; stroke patients intolerant of aspirin; high-risk patients who've stroked on aspirin
Ticagrelor	   	In combination with aspirin for primary PCI in ACS patients and in line with NICE TA420
Prasugrel	   	<b>RESTRICTED</b> adults. Cardiac Catheter Lab as per NICE
Dipyridamole	   	2 <sup>RY</sup> prevention of stroke in patients already on aspirin
Tirofiban	   	<b>RESTRICTED</b> adults. Cardiac Catheter Lab only (1 <sup>st</sup> line)
Abciximab	   	<b>RESTRICTED</b> adults. Cardiac Catheter Lab only (2 <sup>nd</sup> line)
Eptifibatide	   	<b>RESTRICTED</b> adult patients admitted on this or tirofiban

## 2.10 Stable angina, ACS & fibrinolysis

- Stable angina (BNF treatment summary)
- Acute coronary syndromes (BNF treatment summary)
- Fibrinolytic Drugs (BNF treatment summary)

**NICE CG68**

### 2.10.2 Fibrinolytic Drugs

**NICE CG126**

Tenecteplase

Streptokinase

Urokinase

Alteplase

**RESTRICTED**

<b>2.11 Antifibrinolytic drugs &amp; haemostatics</b>		<b>GMMG</b>
<b>2.11 Antifibrinolytic Drugs &amp; Haemostatics</b>		
Etamsylate	  	
Tranexamic acid	  	
Aprotinin	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b>
Aminocaproic acid	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b>

## 2.12 Lipid-regulating drugs

GMMMG

<b>Statins</b>							
Simvastatin		 <b>NICE</b>		 			
Atorvastatin		 <b>NICE</b>		 			
Rosuvastatin		 <b>NICE</b> <b>MMC</b>		 			
Pravastatin Sodium		 <b>NICE</b>		 			
<b>Bile Acid Sequestrants</b>							
Colestyramine		 <b>BNF</b>					
see also section 1.9.2							
Colesevelam Hydrochloride		<span style="background-color: green; color: white; padding: 2px;">Green</span>		 <b>MMC</b>  			
see also section 1.9.2							
<b>Fibrates</b>							
Bezafibrate		 <b>BNF</b>					
Fenofibrate		 <b>BNF</b>					
<b>Omega-3 fatty acid compounds</b>							
Omega-3-acid ethyl esters		 <b>MMC</b>  		<b>2<sup>RY</sup> prevention post MI.</b>			
<b>Ezetimibe</b>							
Ezetimibe		 <b>NICE</b> <b>MMC</b>		<b>RESTRICTED adults. Lipid Clinic Consultants only</b>			
10mg tablets		 <b>BNF</b>					
<b>Lipid-regulating drugs</b>							
Alirocumab (Praluent®)		<span style="background-color: grey; color: black; padding: 2px;">PbR X</span> <b>NICE</b> <b>MMC</b>		 <b>BNF</b>			
Evolocumab (Repatha®)		<span style="background-color: grey; color: black; padding: 2px;">PbR X</span> <b>NICE</b> <b>MMC</b>		 <b>BNF</b>			
				<b>RESTRICTED adults. Lipid Clinic Consultants in line with TA393</b>			
				<b>RESTRICTED adults. Lipid Clinic Consultants for homozygous familial hypercholesterolemia / and use in line with TA394</b>			

## 2.13 Local sclerosants

### *Local Sclerosants*

Ethanolamine Oleate

BNF  
for children

BNF emc

Sodium Tetradecyl Sulfate

BNF  
for children

BNF emc

## 2.14 Miscellaneous preparations

Ajmaline (Gilurytmal®)	  	<b>RESTRICTED adults. Cardiology Consultant only</b>
Regadenoson (Rapiscan®)	   	<b>RESTRICTED adults. Myocardial perfusion scans</b>

# Section 3: Respiratory System

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## NICE Guidance

[Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease update \(CG101\)](#)  
[Idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis \(CG163\)](#)  
[Inhaler devices for children under 5 \(TA10\)](#)  
[Asthma \(older children\) - inhaler devices \(TA38\)](#)  
[Asthma \(in children\) - corticosteroids \(TA131\)](#)  
[Asthma \(in adults\) - corticosteroids \(TA138\)](#)  
[Venom anaphylaxis - immunotherapy pharmalgen \(TA246\)](#)  
[Asthma \(severe, persistent, patients aged 6+, adults\) - omalizumab \(review of TA133, TA201\) \(TA278\)](#)  
[Omalizumab for previously treated chronic spontaneous urticaria \(TA339\)](#)  
[Mepolizumab for treating severe refractory eosinophilic asthma \(TA431\)](#)  
[Roflumilast for treating chronic obstructive pulmonary disease \(replaces TA244\) \(TA461\)](#)  
[Reslizumab for treating severe eosinophilic asthma \(TA479\)](#)  
[Pirfenidone for treating idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis \(replaces TA282\) \(TA504\)](#)

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## 3.1 Bronchodilators



### 3.1.1 Adrenoceptor agonists

#### 3.1.1.1 Selective beta<sub>2</sub> agonists

Salbutamol



MMC

BNF

emc

Terbutaline Sulfate



BNF

emc

Salmeterol



BNF

emc

Formoterol Fumarate



MMC

BNF

emc

**Asthma BTS step 3 - add-on therapy**

#### 3.1.1.2 Other Adrenoceptor Agonists

Ephedrine Hydrochloride



BNF

emc

### 3.1.2 Antimuscarinic Bronchodilators

Ipratropium Bromide



BNF

emc

**1<sup>st</sup> line use**

Tiotropium



MMC

BNF

emc

**2<sup>nd</sup> line use COPD maintenance**

Aclidinium Bromide



MMC

BNF

emc

**2<sup>nd</sup> line use COPD maintenance**

Eklira Genuair®

Glycopyrronium Bromide

Seebri Breezhaler®

MMC

BNF

emc

**2<sup>nd</sup> line use COPD maintenance**

### Compound Preparations

Aclidinium Bromide / Formoterol Fumarate Dihydrate



GMMG

MMC

BNF

emc

**3<sup>rd</sup> line use COPD maintenance**

Duaklr Genuair®

### 3.1.3 Theophylline

Theophylline (prescribe by brand name)



BNF

emc

**1<sup>st</sup> line use**

Aminophylline (prescribe by brand name)



BNF

emc

### 3.1.4 Compound Bronchodilator Preparations



Ipratropium Bromide / Salbutamol



BNF

emc

Combivent®

Indacaterol Maleate / Glycopyrronium Bromide



MMC

BNF

emc

**3<sup>rd</sup> line use COPD maintenance**

Ultibro®

Tiotropium Bromide Monohydrate / Olodaterol Hydrochloride



MMC

BNF

emc

**3<sup>rd</sup> line use COPD maintenance**

Spiolto Respimat®

Umeclidinium Bromide / Vilanterol Trifénatate



MMC

BNF

emc

**3<sup>rd</sup> line use COPD maintenance**

Anoro Ellipta®

3.1.5 Peak Flow Meters, Inhaler Devices & Nebulisers		GMMMG asthma inhaler guide
Inhaler Devices		GMMMG asthma management
Volumatic® (spacer inhaler)	NICE BNF	BNF for children
Aerochamber® Plus (spacer device)	NICE BNF	BNF for children
Able Spacer® (spacer device)	NICE MMC	BNF for children
Haleraid® (inhalation aid)	NICE BNF	BNF for children
<b>Nebuliser Diluent</b>		
Sodium Chloride	BNF	BNF
0.9% nebuliser diluent		emco

## 3.2 Corticosteroids



### Corticosteroids

Beclometasone Dipropionate

MDI (Clenil Modulite® 50, 100, 200, 250)



Beclometasone Dipropionate CFC-free (prescribe by brand name)

MDI (Qvar Easi-Breathe® or Qvar Autohaler® 50, 100)



Budesonide

DPI (Easyhaler®; Pulmicort® Turbohaler® 100, 200, 400)  
& 1mg/2mL nebuliser liquid



Fluticasone Propionate

MDI (Flixotide® Evohaler®) 50, 125, 250;  
(Flixotide® Accuhaler® 50,100, 250, 500)



### Compound preparations

GMMMG COPD mgmt pathway

Budesonide / Formoterol fumarate

DPI (Symbicort Turbohaler® 100/6, 200/6, 400/12 );  
DPI (Duoresp Spiromax® 160/4.5, 320/9)



Asthma BTS step 3 management

Beclometasone Dipropionate / Formoterol fumarate

MDI (Fostair®100/6, 200/6); DPI (Fostair NEXThaler® 100/6, 200/6)



Asthma BTS step 3 management



Fluticasone Furoate / Vilanterol Trifénatate

DPI (Relvar Ellipta® 92/22 asthma or copd; 184/22 asthma)



Asthma BTS step 3 management

Fluticasone Propionate / Salmeterol

MDI (Sirdupla® 125, 250)



Asthma BTS step 3 management



Fluticasone Propionate / Salmeterol

MDI (Seretide® Evohaler® 50, 125, 250)



Asthma BTS step 3 management



Fluticasone Propionate / Formoterol Fumarate

MDI (Flutiform® 50/5, 125/5, 250/10)



Asthma BTS step 3 management



Beclometasone dipropionate / Formoterol fumarate / Glycopyrronium bromide

MDI (Trimbow® 87/5/9 micrograms)



**RESTRICTED - COPD patients who require triple therapy**



Fluticasone Furoate / Vilanterol Trifénatate / Umeclidinium Bromide

DPI (Trelegy Ellipta® 92/55/22 micrograms)



**RESTRICTED - COPD patients who require triple therapy**

<b>3.3 Cromoglicate &amp; related therapy &amp; leukotriene receptor antagonists</b>		<b>GMMG</b>
<b>3.3.1 Cromoglicate &amp; Related Therapy</b>		
Sodium Cromoglicate	  	
<b>3.3.2 Leukotriene Receptor Antagonists</b>		
Montelukast	   	<b>BTS step 2 or 3 in paediatrics</b>
<b>3.3.3 Phosphodiesterase type-4 inhibitors</b>		
Roflumilast	   	<b>RESTRICTED</b> as per NICE TA461

## 3.4 Antihistamines, hyposensitisation & allergic emergencies

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### 3.4.1 Antihistamines

#### Non-sedating antihistamines

Cetirizine Hydrochloride



BNF emc

Loratadine



BNF emc

Desloratadine



MMC BNF emc

RESTRICTED  
children 1-2 years old

#### Sedating antihistamines

Chlorphenamine Maleate



MMC BNF emc

Hydroxyzine Hydrochloride



BNF emc

Promethazine Hydrochloride



MMC BNF emc

Alimemazine Tartrate



BNF emc

### 3.4.2 Allergen Immunotherapy

Bee venom extract

NICE



BNF emc

RESTRICTED  
Immunology Consultants only

Wasp venom extract

NICE



BNF emc

RESTRICTED  
Immunology Consultants only

Grass &amp; Rye or tree pollen extract



MMC BNF emc

RESTRICTED  
Immunology Consultants only

Pollinex®



BNF emc

Omalizumab

Red

PbR X

NICE

MMC



BNF emc

RESTRICTED  
as per NICE

Mepolizumab

PbR X

NICE

MMC



BNF emc

RESTRICTED  
as per NICE TA431

Reslizumab

PbR X

NICE

MMC



BNF emc

RESTRICTED  
as per NICE TA479  
NOT STOCKED

Grass Pollen extract



MMC BNF emc

Grazax®



BNF emc

RESTRICTED  
Immunology Consultants only

### 3.4.3 Allergic Emergencies

Adrenaline / Epinephrine (prescribe by brand name)



BNF emc

C1 esterase inhibitor

PbR X

MMC



BNF emc

RESTRICTED  
acute attacks of HAE

Berinert®; Cinryze®

Conestat Alfa

PbR X

MMC



BNF emc

RESTRICTED adults  
acute attacks of HAE

Ruconest®

Icatibant

PbR X

MMC



BNF emc

RESTRICTED adults  
acute attacks of HAE

Oxandrolone

U

PbR X

MMC



BNF emc

RESTRICTED adults  
acute attacks of HAE

## 3.5 Respiratory stimulants & pulmonary surfactants

### 3.5.1 Respiratory Stimulants

Doxapram Hydrochloride



Caffeine Citrate



**RESTRICTED**

apnoea in premature babies

**MMC**

**BNF**



### 3.5.2 Pulmonary Surfactants

Poractant Alfa



Curosurf®

PbR X



## 3.6 Oxygen (refer to oxygen guidelines)

 BNF BNF  
for children GMMG

## 3.7 Mucolytics



### Mucolytics

Sodium Chloride (hypertonic)				
Nebusal® 7%				
Carbocisteine				<b>RESTRICTED</b> COPD Consultant / referral only
Dornase Alfa	Amber			<b>RESTRICTED</b> Respiratory only
Pulmozyme®	PbR X			
Ivacaftor				
Kalydeco®	PbR X			
				<b>RESTRICTED</b> Paediatric Consultants only for patients aged ≥6 years who have a G551D mutation in the CFTR gene

## 3.8 Aromatic inhalations

### Aromatic Inhalations

Benzoin Tincture, Compound, BP



Friars' Balsam



Menthol and Eucalyptus Inhalation, BP 1980

## 3.9 Cough preparations

### 3.9.1 Cough Suppressants

Codeine Phosphate



Pholcodine



Dextromethorphan hydrobromide



**RESTRICTED** non-ketotic  
hyperglycinaemia

### Cough Suppressants (Palliative Care ONLY)

Methadone Hydrochloride



Morphine Hydrochloride



### 3.9.2 Demulcent & expectorant cough preparations

Simple Linctus



## 3.10 Systemic nasal decongestants

### *Systemic Nasal Decongestants*

Pseudoephedrine Hydrochloride



## 3.11 Antifibrotics

### Antifibrotics

Pirfenidone



**RESTRICTED Respiratory Consultants  
only. Not stocked**



# Chapter 4: Central Nervous System

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- 4.2.3 Drugs used for mania and hypomania

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- 4.3.3 Selective Serotonin Re-uptake Inhibitors (SSRIs)
- 4.3.4 Other Antidepressant Drugs

## 4.4 CNS stimulants & drugs used for ADHD

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- 4.9.2 Antimuscarinic Drugs Used in Parkinsonism
- 4.9.3 Drugs Used in Essential Tremor, Chorea, Tics & Related Disorders

## 4.10 Drugs used in substance dependence

## 4.11 Drugs for dementia

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 Neonatal guidelines (link to Staffnet site)  
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## NICE Guidance

Post-traumatic Stress Disorder (CG26)  
 Depression in Children & Young People (CG28)  
 Obsessive compulsive disorder (OCD) & body dysmorphic disorder (BDD) (CG31)  
 Management of Obesity (CG43) (replaces TA22, TA31 & TA46)  
 Drug misuse: opioid detoxification (CG52)  
 Management of Depression (CG90)  
 Depression with a chronic physical health problem (CG91)  
 Anxiety (CG113) (replaces CG22)  
 Epilepsy (CG137)  
 Neuropathic pain - pharmacological management (CG173)  
 Psychosis and schizophrenia in adults (CG178)  
 Bipolar disorder: the assessment and management in adults, children & young people in 1ry & 2ry care (CG185)  
 Eating Disorders: recognition and treatment (NG69)  
 Parkinson's disease in adults (NG71)  
 Attention deficit hyperactivity disorder: diagnosis and management (NG87)  
 Stop smoking interventions and services (NG92)  
 Dementia: supporting people with dementia and their carers in health and social care (NG97)  
 Motor Neurone Disease: Riluzole (TA20)  
 Guidance on the use of zaleplon, zolpidem & zopiclone for short-term management of insomnia (TA77)  
 Drug Misuse: Methadone & Buprenorphine (TA114)  
 Drug Misuse: Naltrexone (TA115)  
 Smoking Cessation: Varenicline (TA123)  
 Schizophrenia - aripiprazole (TA213)  
 Alzheimer's disease - donepezil, galantamine, rivastigmine & memantine (TA217) (replaces TA111)  
 Bipolar disorder (children) - aripiprazole (TA292)  
 Nalmefene for reducing alcohol consumption in people with alcohol dependence (TA325)  
 Vortioxetine for treating major depressive episodes (TA367)

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## 4.1 Hypnotics & anxiolytics



### 4.1.1 Hypnotics

#### Benzodiazepines

Temazepam



Nitrazepam



#### Zaleplon, Zolpidem & Zopiclone

Zopiclone



#### Chloral & Derivatives

Chloral Hydrate



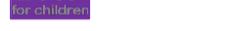
Clomethiazole



192mg capsules

#### Sodium Oxybate

Sodium Oxybate



**RESTRICTED 2<sup>nd</sup> line treatment of narcolepsy with cataplexy**

#### Melatonin

Melatonin



see below

**RESTRICTED**

Melatonin (licensed product first line) - Paediatric patients, e.g. sleep disorders, ADHD



Melatonin (licensed product only) - Adult patients over 55



### 4.1.2 Anxiolytics

**NICE CG113**

#### Benzodiazepines

Diazepam



Lorazepam



Oxazepam



#### Busiprone

Buspirone Hydrochloride



#### Others

Pregabalin



**RESTRICTED generalised anxiety disorder after standard treatment following NICE has failed.**

### 4.1.3 Barbiturates

NO DRUGS ARE RECOMMENDED FROM THIS GROUP



## 4.2 Drugs used in psychoses & related disorders

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NICE CG178

4.2.1 Antipsychotic Drugs			
Chlorpromazine Hydrochloride		BNF for children	
		BNF	emc
Haloperidol		BNF for children	
		BNF	emc
Levomepromazine		BNF for children	
		BNF	emc
Promazine Hydrochloride		BNF for children	
		BNF	emc
Sulpiride		BNF for children	
		BNF	emc
Trifluoperazine		BNF for children	
		BNF	emc
Zuclopentixol		BNF for children	
		BNF	emc
Atypical Antipsychotic Drugs			
Risperidone	Amber	Red	BNF for children
			BNF
Olanzapine	Amber	Red	BNF for children
			BNF
Amisulpride	Amber	Red	BNF for children
			MMC
Aripiprazole	Amber	Red	NICE
			MMC
Quetiapine	Amber	Red	BNF for children
			MMC
Clozapine	Amber	Red	BNF for children
			BNF
4.2.2 Antipsychotic Depot Injections			
Risperidone	Amber		BNF for children
			BNF
Flupentixol Decanoate	Amber		BNF for children
			BNF
Fluphenazine Decanoate	Amber		BNF for children
			BNF
Haloperidol Decanoate	Amber		BNF for children
			BNF
Zuclopentixol Decanoate	Amber		BNF for children
			BNF
4.2.3 Drugs used for mania and hypomania			
Lithium Carbonate	Amber		BNF for children
			BNF
Lithium Citrate	Amber		BNF for children
			BNF

Valproic Acid



4.3 Antidepressant drugs		GMMG	
<b>4.3.1 Tricyclic &amp; Related Antidepressant Drugs</b>		NICE CG28	
<b>Tricyclic antidepressants</b>		NICE CG31	
Amitriptyline Hydrochloride	  	NICE CG90	
standard release preparations only		NICE CG91	
Clomipramine Hydrochloride	  		
standard release preparations only			
Doxepin Hydrochloride	  		
Imipramine Hydrochloride	  		
Lofepramine	  	1 <sup>st</sup> line use	
Nortriptyline	  		
Trimipramine	  		
<b>Tricyclic-related antidepressants</b>			
Mianserin Hydrochloride	  	RESTRICTED initiation by Psychiatrist	
Trazodone Hydrochloride	  	RESTRICTED initiation by Psychiatrist	
<b>4.3.2 Monoamine-Oxidase Inhibitors (MAOIs)</b>			
Isocarboxazid	Red	  	RESTRICTED initiation by Psychiatrist
Phenelzine	Red	  	RESTRICTED initiation by Psychiatrist
Tranylcypromine	Red	  	RESTRICTED initiation by Psychiatrist
10mg tablets		  	
<b>Reversible Monoamine-Oxidase Inhibitors (MAOIs)</b>			
Moclobemide	Green	  	RESTRICTED initiation by Psychiatrist 2 <sup>nd</sup> line
150mg; 300mg tablets			
<b>4.3.3 Selective Serotonin Re-uptake Inhibitors (SSRIs)</b>			
Fluoxetine		  	
Citalopram		  	
Sertraline		  	
Fluvoxamine maleate		  	
Paroxetine		  	
Escitalopram		  	RESTRICTED Mental Health Trust initiation only

**4.3.4 Other Antidepressant Drugs**

Venlafaxine	Green	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> initiation by Psychiatrist
Mirtazapine		   	<b>RESTRICTED</b> initiation by Psychiatrist
Duloxetine		  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> initiation by Psychiatrist
Flupentixol		  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> initiation by Psychiatrist
Reboxetine		   	<b>RESTRICTED</b> initiation by Psychiatrist
Tryptophan		  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> initiation by Psychiatrist
500mg tablets		  	
Vortioxetine	Green	   	<b>RESTRICTED</b> initiation by Psychiatrist

## 4.4 CNS stimulants & drugs used for ADHD

### 4.4 CNS stimulants & drugs used for ADHD

				GMMG
				NICE NG87
Atomoxetine	Amber		BNF for children  MMC	RESTRICTED on Paediatric / Psychiatric advice
Dexamfetamine	Amber		BNF for children  BNF	RESTRICTED on Paediatric / Psychiatric advice
Lisdexamfetamine	Amber		BNF for children  MMC	RESTRICTED 2 <sup>nd</sup> line use for ADHD
Methylphenidate	Amber		BNF for children  MMC	RESTRICTED on Paediatric / Psychiatric advice
Modafinil	Amber	Narcolepsy	Red Postural hypotension/sleep apnoea	BNF for children  emc
				RESTRICTED on Paediatric / Psychiatric advice

4.5 Drugs used in the treatment of obesity		GMMG
4.5.1 Anti-Obesity Drugs Acting on the Gastro-Intestinal Tract		NICE CG43
Orlistat	BNF for children	RESTRICTED Consultant initiation - Paeds. only
	NICE MMC BNF emc	

## 4.6 Drugs used in nausea & vertigo



### Antihistamines

Cyclizine

1<sup>st</sup> line use

Promethazine Hydrochloride



see also section 3.4.1



Promethazine Teoclate



### Phenothiazines & Related Drugs

Prochlorperazine



Droperidol



MMC BNF emc

RESTRICTED

Consultant initiation only for PONV

### Domperidone & Metoclopramide

Domperidone

Green



see also section 1.2

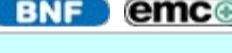
Metoclopramide Hydrochloride



see also section 1.2

### 5HT<sub>3</sub> - receptor antagonists

Ondansetron



RESTRICTED - Chemotherapy induced &amp; post-op vomiting

see below

Ondansetron - post operatively and following chemotherapy

Red

Ondansetron - for exceptional use in non-oncology patients with chronic emesis following consultant recommendation and where all other options have failed

Green

### Neurokinin 1-receptor antagonist

Aprepitant

80mg; 125mg capsules; 25mg/mL oral suspension

MMC BNF emc

RESTRICTED - highly/moderately emetogenic chemotherapy induced nausea &amp; vomiting

### Hyoscine

Hyoscine Hydrobromide



for Hyoscine Butylbromide see section 1.2

### Other Drugs for Ménière's Disease

Betahistine Dihydrochloride



## 4.7 Analgesics

### 4.7.1 Non-Opioid Analgesics

Paracetamol



(see also Chapter 10 for NSAIDs)

1<sup>st</sup> line use

Sucrose 24% solution

RESTRICTED  
Pain relief in neonates

### Compound Analgesic Preparations

Co-Codamol



### 4.7.2 Opioid Analgesics

Codeine Phosphate



Tramadol Hydrochloride



Dihydrocodeine Tartrate



standard release preparations only

Morphine Sulphate



Diamorphine Hydrochloride



Oxycodone Hydrochloride

RESTRICTED  
2<sup>nd</sup> line for morphine intolerance

Fentanyl



NOT lozenge



Buprenorphine



NOT patch



Methadone Hydrochloride



RESTRICTED palliative care &amp; substance misuse

Tapentadol Hydrochloride MR

RESTRICTED  
3<sup>rd</sup>  
line - Pain Team Consultants only

### 4.7.3 Neuropathic Pain

Amitriptyline



Carbamazepine

Green



Gabapentin

Green



Pregabalin

Green

3<sup>rd</sup> / 4<sup>th</sup> line use if gabapentin contraindicated or not tolerated

**4.7.4 Antimigraine Drugs****4.7.4.1 Treatment Of Acute Migraine****Analgesics**

Aspirin



Paracetamol



Ibuprofen

**5HT<sub>1</sub> - receptor agonists**

Sumatriptan

**4.7.4.2 Prophylaxis of Migraine**

Clonidine Hydrochloride



Pizotifen



4.8 Antiepileptic drugs		Green	GMMG		
4.8.1 Control of the Epilepsies			NICE CG137		
Carbamazepine	Green	Amber	NICE	BNF for children	emc
Phenobarbital	Green		NICE	BNF for children	emc
Phenytoin Sodium	Green		NICE	BNF for children	emc
Sodium Valproate	Green	Amber	NICE	BNF for children	emc
Clobazam			NICE	BNF for children	emc
Clonazepam			NICE	BNF for children	emc
Ethosuximide	Green		NICE	BNF for children	emc
Gabapentin	Green		NICE	BNF for children	emc
Lacosamide	Green		NICE	MMC	BNF emc
Lamotrigine	Green		NICE	BNF for children	emc
Levetiracetam	Green		NICE	MMC	BNF emc
Oxcarbazepine	Green		NICE	BNF for children	emc
Perampanel	Green			MMC	BNF emc
Pregabalin	Green		NICE	MMC	BNF emc
Primidone	Green			BNF for children	emc
Rufinamide	Red	until stabilised then	Green	BNF for children	emc
Stiripentol	Red		NICE	MMC	BNF emc
Topiramate	Green		NICE	MMC	BNF emc
Vigabatrin	Red		NICE	BNF for children	emc
Zonisamide	Green		NICE	MMC	BNF emc

**4.8.2 Drugs Used in Status Epilepticus**

Lorazepam	  	
Diazepam	  	
Clonazepam	  	
Midazolam	Green	  
Paraldehyde		  
Phenytoin Sodium		  
Sulthiame (Ospolot®)		<b>MMC</b>   <b>RESTRICTED</b> Consultant Neurologist use only

4.9 Drugs used in Parkinsonism & related disorders					GMMG
4.9.1 Dopaminergic Drugs Used in Parkinsonism					NICE NG71
Amantadine Hydrochloride	Green	NICE	BNF for children	BNF emc	RESTRICTED Specialist use only
Apomorphine Hydrochloride	Amber	NICE	BNF for children	BNF emc	RESTRICTED Specialist use only
Cabergoline	Green	NICE	MMC	BNF emc	RESTRICTED Specialist use only
Co-beneldopa	Green	NICE	BNF for children	BNF emc	RESTRICTED Specialist use only
Co-careldopa	Green	NICE	PbR X	BNF emc	RESTRICTED Specialist use only
Entacapone	Green	MMC	BNF for children	BNF emc	RESTRICTED Specialist use only
Opicapone	Green	MMC	BNF for children	BNF emc	RESTRICTED Specialist 2 <sup>nd</sup> line use only
Pramipexole	Green	MMC	BNF for children	BNF emc	RESTRICTED Specialist use only - 3 <sup>rd</sup> line add-on use
Rasagiline	Green	MMC	BNF for children	BNF emc	RESTRICTED patients with end of dose fluctuations
Ropinirole	Green	BNF for children	BNF emc		RESTRICTED Specialist use only
Rotigotine	Green	NICE	MMC	BNF for children	RESTRICTED Specialist use only. NBM patients
Safinamide	Green	MMC	BNF for children	BNF emc	RESTRICTED Specialist use only
Selegiline	Green	BNF for children	BNF emc		RESTRICTED Specialist use only
4.9.2 Antimuscarinic Drugs Used in Parkinsonism					
Orphenadrine Hydrochloride		BNF for children	BNF emc		
Procyclidine (Oral & IM)		BNF for children	BNF emc		
Trihexyphenidyl Hydrochloride (Benzhexol Hydrochloride)	Green	BNF for children	BNF emc		
4.9.3 Drugs Used in Essential Tremor, Chorea, Tics & Related Disorders					
Propranolol		BNF for children	BNF emc		
Haloperidol		BNF for children	BNF emc		RESTRICTED Specialist use only
Piracetam		BNF for children	BNF emc		RESTRICTED Specialist use only
Tetrabenazine		BNF for children	BNF emc		RESTRICTED Specialist use only

**Torsion Dystonias & Other Involuntary Movements**

Botulinum Toxin Type A (Botox®)

Red

**RESTRICTED**  
Specialist use only

## 4.10 Drugs used in substance dependence



### 4.10.1 Alcohol dependence

Nalmefene



NICE

MMC

BNF

emc

**RESTRICTED - Specialist use only in line with NICE TA325**

**NOT STOCKED****NICE NG92**

### 4.10.2 Nicotine dependence

Nicotine Replacement Therapy



BNF

emc

**1<sup>st</sup> line use**

patches, lozenges, inhalator, microtabs



BNF

emc

Bupropion Hydrochloride

NICE



BNF

emc

**RESTRICTED - Specialist use only in line with NICE NG92**

Varenicline

NICE

MMC



BNF

emc

**RESTRICTED - Specialist use only in line with NICE TA123**

### 4.10.3 Opioid Dependence

Buprenorphine

NICE



BNF

emc

**RESTRICTED Initiation by substance misuse specialist**

Methadone Hydrochloride

NICE



BNF

emc

**RESTRICTED Initiation by substance misuse specialist**

Naltrexone Hydrochloride

Red

NICE

MMC



BNF

emc

**RESTRICTED Gastro Consultant only - cholestatic itch**

## 4.11 Drugs for dementia

### 4.11 Drugs for Dementia

			GMMG
			NICE NG97
Donepezil Hydrochloride	Green	NICE    MMC    BNF    emc	RESTRICTED Specialist use only
Galantamine	Green	NICE    BNF    emc	RESTRICTED Specialist use only
Memantine Hydrochloride	Green	NICE    BNF    emc	RESTRICTED Specialist use only
Rivastigmine	Green	NICE    MMC    BNF    emc	RESTRICTED Specialist use only
Dementia - as per NICE TA217 & CG42 Green (following specialist initiation)	Green		

# Section 5: Infections

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## 5.5 Anthelmintics

- 5.5.1 Drugs for Threadworms (pinworms, Enterobius vermicularis)

## Trust Guidelines

Adult medicines and prescribing guidelines  
 Paediatric medicines and prescribing guidelines  
 Neonatal guidelines (link to Staffnet site)  
[Non-formulary Conversion Table](#)

## NICE Guidance

Prophylaxis against infective endocarditis (CG64)  
 Respiratory Tract Infections (CG69)  
 Surgical Site Infection (CG74)  
 Bacterial meningitis and meningococcal septicaemia (CG102)  
 Infection: Prevention & control of healthcare-associated infections in primary & community care (CG139)  
 Hepatitis B (Chronic) (CG165)  
 Tuberculosis (NG33)  
 Otitis media (acute): antimicrobial prescribing (NG91)  
 Hepatitis C: Chronic (TA75) (extended by TA106 - partially updated by TA200 & TA300)  
 Hepatitis B: Chronic (TA96) (partially updated by CG165)  
 Hepatitis C: Peginterferon & Ribavirin (TA106) (partially updated by TA200 & TA300)  
 Hepatitis B: Entecavir (TA153)  
 Hepatitis B: Telbivudine (TA154)  
 Oseltamivir, Amantadine & Zanamivir for prophylaxis of Influenza (TA158)  
 Oseltamivir, Amantadine & Zanamivir for treatment of Influenza (TA168)  
 Hepatitis B: Tenofovir disoproxil (TA173)  
 Hepatitis C - peginterferon alfa and ribavirin (TA200) (read in conjunction with TA75 & TA106)  
 Cystic fibrosis (pseudomonas lung infection) - colistimethate sodium and tobramycin (TA276)  
 Hepatitis C (children and young people) - peginterferon alfa & ribavirin (TA300)  
 Sofosbuvir for treating chronic hepatitis C (TA330)  
 Rifaximin for preventing episodes of overt hepatic encephalopathy (TA337)  
 Ledipasvir-sofosbuvir for treating chronic hepatitis C (TA363)  
 Daclatasvir for treating chronic hepatitis C (TA364)  
 Ombitasvir-paritaprevir-ritonavir with or without dasabuvir for treating chronic hepatitis C (TA365)  
 Elbasvir-grazoprevir for treating chronic hepatitis C (TA413)  
 Sofosbuvir-velpatasvir for treating chronic hepatitis C (TA430)  
 Glecaprevir-pibrentasvir for treating chronic hepatitis C (TA499)  
 Sofosbuvir-velpatasvir-voxilaprevir for treating chronic hepatitis C (TA507)

## GMMMG Formulary

[Formulary Homepage](#)  
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**GMMMG Adult Red/Amber/Green; DNP and Grey Drug List**  
**GMMMG Paediatric Red/Amber/Green Drug List**

**RESTRICTED USE ANTIBIOTICS**

1. Must be recommended / approved for use by consultant medical microbiologist
2. The name of the microbiologist must be documented on the prescription chart. The indication must be documented.
3. Only available from Pharmacy

**RESERVED USE ANTIBIOTICS**

1. Can be used only in accordance with the restrictions outlined below.
2. Indication must be clearly documented on the prescription chart.
3. If being used outside of guidelines Microbiology approval must be sought as above.

**UNRESTRICTED USE ANTIBIOTICS**

1. Can be used according to CMFT Trust guidelines, (those drugs not marked Restricted or Reserved)

**5.1 Antibacterial drugs****5.1.1 Penicillins****5.1.1.1 Benzylpenicillin & Phenoxyethylpenicillin**

Benzylpenicillin Sodium (Penicillin G)

600mg injection



BNF



Phenoxyethylpenicillin (Penicillin V)



BNF



Benzathine Benzylpenicillin



BNF

**RESTRICTED unlicensed treatment for syphilis****5.1.1.2 Penicillinase-Resistant Penicillins**

Flucloxacillin



BNF



Temocillin

1g injection



BNF

**RESTRICTED infection caused by multi-resistant coliforms. Micro only****5.1.1.3 Broad Spectrum Penicillins**

Amoxicillin



BNF



Co-amoxiclav



BNF

**5.1.1.4 Antipseudomonal Penicillins**

Piperacillin with Tazobactam

4.5g injection



BNF

**RESERVED serious / resistant infections**

Ticarcillin with Clavulanic Acid (Timentin®)

3.2g injection



BNF

**RESERVED serious / resistant infections****5.1.1.5 Mecillinams**

Pivmecillinam Hydrochloride

200mg tablets



BNF

**RESTRICTED UTIs caused by resistant coliforms****5.1.2 Cephalosporins, Carbapenems & other Beta-Lactams****5.1.2.1 Cephalosporins**

Cefalexin



BNF



Cefotaxime



BNF

**RESERVED as per guidelines for children**

Ceftriaxone



BNF

**RESERVED as per guidelines for children**

Cefuroxime



BNF

**RESERVED as per guidelines for children**

Cefixime



BNF

**RESERVED GU infections only**

Ceftazidime	   	RESERVED pseudomonas infection in CF patients
Cetazidime / Avibactam (Zavicefta®)	   	RESTRICTED gram negative organisms. Micro. Consultant only
Ceftolozane sulfate / Tazobactam sodium (Zerbaxa®)	   	RESTRICTED gram negative organisms. Micro. Consultant only
Ceftaroline Fosamil	   	RESERVED for CAP & cSSTI treatment. Micro. Consultant only
Cefoxitin	   	RESERVED for treatment of mycobacterium abscessus in CF patients. Micro. Consultant only
<b>5.1.2.2 Carbapenems</b>		
Ertapenem	   	RESTRICTED Outpatient therapy only
Meropenem	   	RESERVED as per guidelines
Imipenem	   	RESTRICTED Non-Tuberculous Mycobacteria in Cystic Fibrosis
<b>5.1.2.3 Other Beta-Lactam antibiotics</b>		
Aztreonam	  	RESTRICTED gram negative organisms
Aztreonam lysine (Cayston®) <span style="background-color: red; color: white; padding: 2px 10px;">Red</span>	   	RESTRICTED 3 <sup>rd</sup> line CF patients with chronic pulmonary infection
<b>5.1.3 Tetracyclines</b>		
Doxycycline	   	
Oxytetracycline	  	
Demeclocycline Hydrochloride	   	RESTRICTED - SIADH only
Lymecycline	   	RESTRICTED Non-Formulary MMC approved for GP referral
Minocycline	   	
Tigecycline	   	RESERVED as per guidelines
<b>5.1.4 Aminoglycosides</b>		
Amikacin	   	RESERVED as per guidelines
Gentamicin assay guidelines	  	
Tobramycin <span style="background-color: orange; color: white; padding: 2px 10px;">Amber</span> (nebulised) <span style="background-color: red; color: white; padding: 2px 10px;">Red</span> (new patients)	  	RESERVED as per guidelines
Neomycin Sulfate	  	RESTRICTED Gastro team only - op prep

<b>5.1.5 Macrolides</b>			
Clarithromycin		  	
Azithromycin		  	RESERVED GU only or specialist use
Erythromycin		  	RESERVED in pregnancy or neonates
<b>5.1.6 Clindamycin</b>			
Clindamycin		  	RESERVED as per guidelines
<b>5.1.7 Some other Antibacterials</b>			
Chloramphenicol		  	RESERVED as per guidelines
<b>Fidaxomicin</b>			
Fidaxomicin	Green	   	RESTRICTED <i>clostridium difficile</i> associated diarrhoea. Micro only
200mg tablets			
<b>Fusidic Acid</b>			
Sodium Fusidate	Green	  	RESERVED as per guidelines
<b>Glycopeptides</b>			
Vancomycin	Green	   	
assay guidelines			
Teicoplanin		  	RESERVED as per guidelines
<b>Daptomycin</b>			
Daptomycin	Red	   	RESTRICTED as per guidelines
<b>Linezolid</b>			
Linezolid	Red	   	RESTRICTED as per guidelines
<b>Quinupristin with Dalfopristin</b>			
Synercid®		   	RESTRICTED as per guidelines. Non-formulary
<b>Polymyxins</b>			
Colistimethate Sodium	Amber	NICE	RESTRICTED as per guidelines
	or		
	Red	  	
<b>Rifaximin</b>			
Rifaximin	Red	    	RESTRICTED as per guidelines
550mg tablets			
<b>Spectinomycin</b>			
Spectinomycin (Kirin®)	U	   	RESTRICTED cephalosporin resistant gonorrhoea
<b>5.1.8 Sulphonamides &amp; Trimethoprim</b>			
Trimethoprim	Green	  	
Co-trimoxazole		  	RESERVED as per guidelines
Sulfadiazine		  	RESTRICTED

5.1.9 Antituberculosis Drugs	Red	until patient stabilised then	Green	NICE NG33
Ethambutol Hydrochloride	Green		NICE BNF emc	
Isoniazid	Green		NICE BNF emc	
Pyrazinamide	Green		NICE BNF emc	
Rifampicin	Green		NICE BNF emc	
Rifabutin	Green		B <small>NF</small> for children BNF emc	2 <sup>nd</sup> line - for use where rifampicin is not suitable
Rifater®	Green		B <small>NF</small> for children BNF emc	
Rifampicin / Isoniazid / Pyrazinamide		NICE	B <small>NF</small> for children BNF emc	
Rifinah®	Green		B <small>NF</small> for children BNF emc	
Rifampicin / Isoniazid		NICE	B <small>NF</small> for children BNF emc	
Voractiv®	Green		B <small>NF</small> for children BNF emc	
Rifampicin / Isoniazid / Pyrazinamide / Ethambutol Hydrochloride			MMC BNF emc	
Capreomycin		NICE	B <small>NF</small> for children BNF emc	RESTRICTED MDR TB only (not stocked)
Cycloserine			B <small>NF</small> for children BNF emc	RESTRICTED MDR TB only (not stocked)
Streptomycin	Red		NICE BNF emc	RESTRICTED MDR TB only (not stocked)
Moxifloxacin		NICE MMC BNF emc		RESTRICTED MDR TB only (not stocked)
Para aminosalicylic acid (PAS)		PbR X MMC BNF emc		RESTRICTED MDR TB only (not stocked)
<b>5.1.10 Antileprotic Drugs</b>				
Dapsone			B <small>NF</small> for children BNF emc	RESERVED
<b>5.1.11 Metronidazole &amp; Tinidazole</b>				
Metronidazole			B <small>NF</small> for children BNF emc	
Tinidazole			B <small>NF</small> for children BNF emc	RESTRICTED
<b>5.1.12 Quinolones</b>				
Ciprofloxacin			B <small>NF</small> for children BNF emc	RESERVED as per guidelines
Levofloxacin		MMC BNF emc		RESTRICTED MDR TB only (not stocked)
Moxifloxacin		MMC BNF emc		RESTRICTED MDR TB only
Nalidixic acid		B <small>NF</small> for children BNF emc		RESTRICTED Urology use in children only

Ofloxacin	  	<b>RESTRICTED GU infections only</b>
<b>5.1.13 Urinary-tract Infections</b>		
Nitrofurantoin	  	
Fosfomycin	   	<b>RESTRICTED Micro recommendation only</b>
Methenamine Hippurate	   	<b>RESTRICTED Urology Consultants only as part of ALTAR trial</b>

## 5.2 Antifungal drugs

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### 5.2.1 Triazole Antifungals

Fluconazole



BNF emc+

Isavuconazole



PbR X MMC BNF emc+

RESTRICTED micro / specialist use only

Itraconazole



BNF emc+

Posaconazole

Red



PbR X MMC BNF emc+

RESTRICTED micro use only

Voriconazole

Red



PbR X MMC BNF emc+

RESTRICTED micro / specialist use only

### 5.2.3 Polyene Antifungals

Nystatin



BNF emc+

Amphotericin

AmBisome® – for systemic use; Fungizone® - topical ONLY



BNF emc+

RESTRICTED micro / specialist use only

### 5.2.4 Echinocandin Antifungals

Micafungin

Red



PbR X MMC BNF emc+

RESTRICTED micro / specialist use only

### 5.2.5 Other Antifungals

Griseofulvin



MMC BNF emc+

2<sup>nd</sup> line following topical therapy

Terbinafine



BNF emc+

2<sup>nd</sup> line following topical therapy

Flucytosine



BNF emc+

RESTRICTED micro / Neonates only

## 5.3 Antiviral drugs



### 5.3.1 HIV Infection

Red

#### Nucleoside Reverse Transcriptase Inhibitors (NRTIs)

BHIVA treatment guidelines (2015)

Abacavir	Red	PbR X	MMC	BNF	emc	
Emtricitabine	Red	PbR X	MMC	BNF	emc	
Lamivudine	Red	PbR X		BNF	emc	
Tenofovir Disoproxil	Red	NICE	PbR X	MMC	BNF	emc
Tenofovir Alafenamide	Red			BNF	emc	RESTRICTED to patients who require the new formulation
Descovy® / Odefsey® / Genvoya®		PbR X	MMC	BNF	emc	NHSE
Tenofovir Disoproxil / Efavirenz / Emtricitabine	Red			BNF	emc	
Atripla®		PbR X	MMC	BNF	emc	
Tenofovir / Cobicistat / Elvitegravir / Emtricitabine	Red			BNF	emc	
Stribild®		PbR X	MMC	BNF	emc	NHSE
Tenofovir / Emtricitabine	Red			BNF	emc	
Truvada®		PbR X	MMC	BNF	emc	
Emtricitabine / Rilpivirine / Tenofovir	Red			BNF	emc	
Eviplera®		PbR X	MMC	BNF	emc	CHIVA PEP 2015
Zidovudine / Lamivudine	Red			BNF	emc	
Combivir®		PbR X		BNF	emc	
Didanosine	Red			BNF	emc	
Stavudine	Red	PbR X		BNF	emc	
<b>Protease Inhibitors</b>						BHIVA treatment guidelines (2015)
Atazanavir	Red	PbR X	MMC	BNF	emc	
Atazanavir / Cobicistat	Red			BNF	emc	
Evotaz®		PbR X	MMC	BNF	emc	NHSE
Darunavir	Red			BNF	emc	MHRA Regulating Medicines and Medical Devices
Darunavir / Cobicistat	Red			BNF	emc	MHRA Regulating Medicines and Medical Devices
Rezolsta®		PbR X	MMC	BNF	emc	NHSE
Darunavir / Cobicistat / Emtricitabine & Tenofovir	Red			BNF	emc	
Symtuza®		PbR X	MMC	BNF	emc	
Fosamprenavir	Red			BNF	emc	
Lopinavir / Ritonavir	Red			BNF	emc	MHRA Regulating Medicines and Medical Devices
Kaletra®		PbR X		BNF	emc	
Ritonavir	Red			BNF	emc	MHRA Regulating Medicines and Medical Devices

Saquinavir	Red	PbR X	BNF for children	BNF	emc	
Tipranavir	Red	PbR X	BNF for children	MMC	BNF	emc
Indinavir	Red	PbR X	BNF for children	BNF	emc	
<b>Non-Nucleoside Reverse Transcriptase Inhibitors (Non-NRTIs)</b>						BHIVA treatment guidelines (2015)
Efavirenz	Red	PbR X	BNF for children	BNF	emc	
Nevirapine	Red	PbR X	BNF for children	MMC	BNF	emc
Etravirine	Red	PbR X	BNF for children	MMC	BNF	emc
Rilpivirine	Red	PbR X	BNF for children	MMC	BNF	emc
<b>Other Antiretrovirals</b>						BHIVA treatment guidelines (2015)
Maraviroc	Red	PbR X	BNF for children	MMC	BNF	emc
Raltegravir	Red	PbR X	BNF for children	MMC	BNF	emc
Enfuvirtide	Red	PbR X	BNF for children	MMC	BNF	emc
Dolutegravir	Red	PbR X	BNF for children	MMC	BNF	emc
<b>Pharmacokinetic enhancers of antiretrovirals</b>						MHRA Regulating Medicines and Medical Devices
Cobicistat		PbR X	BNF for children	MMC	BNF	emc
						NHSE
<b>5.3.2 Herpesvirus Infection</b>						
<b>5.3.2.1 Herpes Simplex &amp; Varicella-Zoster Infection</b>						
Aciclovir			BNF for children	BNF	emc	
Valaciclovir			BNF for children	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Haematology / Renal Specialist use only
<b>5.3.2.2 Cytomegalovirus (CMV) Infection</b>						
Ganciclovir	Red	PbR X	BNF for children	BNF	emc	RESERVED Specialist use only
Valganciclovir	Red	PbR X	BNF for children	BNF	emc	RESERVED Specialist use only
Cidofovir	Red	PbR X	BNF for children	BNF	emc	RESERVED Specialist use only
Foscarnet Sodium		PbR X	BNF for children	MMC	BNF	emc
						RESERVED Specialist use only; also for aggressive cytomegalovirus (CMV) retinitis

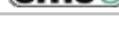
5.3.3 Viral Hepatitis		NICE CG165
5.3.3.1 Chronic hepatitis B		
Adefovir Dipivoxil	Red	BNF for children
Hepsera®		NICE PbR X MMC BNF emc
Entecavir	Red	BNF for children
Baraclude®		NICE PbR X MMC BNF emc

5.3.3.2 Chronic hepatitis C							NHSE Hepatitis C	
Daclatasvir dihydrochloride	Red		NICE	PbR X	MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line NHS England Commissioning
Daklinza®								
Dasabuvir	Red			PbR X	MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line NHS England Commissioning
Exviera®								
Elbasvir / Grazoprevir	Red							RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE TA413
Zepatier®			NICE	PbR X	MMC	BNF	emc	
Glecaprevir / Pibrentasvir	Red		NICE	PbR X	MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NHSE and NICE TA499
Maviret®								
Ombitasvir / Paritaprevir / Ritonavir	Red							RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line NHSE England Commissioning
Viekirax®			NICE	PbR X	MMC	BNF	emc	
Sofosbuvir	Red							RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE TA330
Sovaldi®			NICE	PbR X	MMC	BNF	emc	
Sofosbuvir / Ledipasvir	Red							RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line NHS England Commissioning
Harvoni®			NICE	PbR X	MMC	BNF	emc	
Sofosbuvir / Velpatasvir	Red							RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE TA430
Epclusa®			NICE	PbR X	MMC	BNF	emc	
Sofosbuvir / Velpatasvir / Voxilaprevir	Red							RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE TA507
Vosevi®			NICE	PbR X	MMC	BNF	emc	
5.3.4 Influenza								
Oseltamivir								
Tamiflu®			NICE		MMC	BNF	emc	
Zanamivir								
Relenza®			NICE		MMC	BNF	emc	
5.3.5 Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV)								
Palivizumab								RESTRICTED Specialist use only
Synagis® 100mg/mL injection				PbR X	MMC	BNF	emc	
Ribavirin	Red							RESTRICTED Specialist use only
			NICE	PbR X	MMC	BNF	emc	

## 5.4 Antiprotozoal drugs

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### 5.4.1 Antimalarials

Artesunate	  	RESTRICTED Specialist use only
Artemether with Lumefantrine	   	RESTRICTED Specialist use only
Chloroquine	  	RESTRICTED Specialist use only
Mefloquine	  	RESTRICTED Specialist use only
Primaquine	  	RESTRICTED Specialist use only
Proguanil Hydrochloride	  	RESTRICTED Specialist use only
Proguanil Hydrochloride / Atovaquone	  	RESTRICTED Specialist use only
Malarone®	  	
Pyrimethamine	   	RESTRICTED Specialist use only
Pyrimethamine with Sulfadoxine	  	RESTRICTED Specialist use only
Quinine Dihydrochloride	  	RESTRICTED Specialist use only
Quinine Sulfate	  	RESTRICTED Specialist use only

### 5.4.2 Amoebicides

Metronidazole	  	
Tinidazole	  	RESERVED Specialist use only
Diloxanide Furoate	  	RESTRICTED Non-formulary microbiology recommendation only

### 5.4.3 Trichomonacides

Metronidazole	  	
<b>5.4.4 Antigiardial drugs</b>		

Metronidazole	  	
<b>5.4.7 Drugs for toxoplasmosis</b>		

Sulfadiazine	  	RESTRICTED - treatment of toxoplasmosis - micro only
<b>5.4.8 Drugs for pneumocystis pneumonia</b>		

Atovaquone	  	RESTRICTED Specialist use only
Pentamidine Isethionate	  	RESTRICTED Specialist use only

## 5.5 Anthelmintics

### 5.5.1 Drugs for Threadworms (pinworms, *Enterobius vermicularis*)

Mebendazole



# Section 6: Endocrine System

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## 6.1 Drugs used in diabetes

### 6.1.1 Insulins

- 6.1.1.1 Short-acting insulins
- 6.1.1.2 Intermediate & long-acting insulins
  - Biphasic insulins

### 6.1.2 Antidiabetic drugs

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- 6.1.2.2 Biguanides
- 6.1.2.3 Other antidiabetic drugs

### 6.1.4 Treatment of hypoglycaemia

## 6.2 Thyroid & antithyroid drugs

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- 6.7.4 Somatomedins

## Trust Guidelines

Adult medicines and prescribing guidelines  
Paediatric medicines and prescribing guidelines  
Neonatal guidelines (link to Staffnet site)  
**Non-formulary Conversion Table**

## NICE Guidance

Safer insulin prescribing (KTT20)  
Diabetes in pregnancy: management from preconception to the postnatal period (NG3)  
Type 1 diabetes in adults: diagnosis and management (NG17)  
Diabetes (type 1 and type 2) in children and young people: diagnosis and management (NG18)  
Diabetic foot problems: prevention and management (NG19)  
Type 2 diabetes in adults: management (NG28)  
Heavy menstrual bleeding: assessment and management (NG88)  
Human growth hormone - adults (TA64)  
Diabetes (type 1) - insulin pump therapy (TA151)  
Osteoporosis - Primary Prevention (TA160)  
Osteoporosis - Secondary Prevention (TA161)  
Human growth hormone (somatropin) for the treatment of growth failure in children (review) (TA188)  
Osteoporotic Fractures - denosumab (TA204)  
Bone metastases from solid tumours - denosumab (TA265)  
Type 2 diabetes - Dapagliflozin combination therapy (TA288)  
Diabetes (type 2) - canagliflozin (TA315)  
Tolvaptan for treating autosomal dominant polycystic kidney disease (TA358)  
Canagliflozin, dapagliflozin and empagliflozin as monotherapies for treating type 2 diabetes (TA390)  
Dapagliflozin in triple therapy for treating type 2 diabetes (TA418)  
Bisphosphonates for treating osteoporosis (TA464)

## GMMMG Formulary

Formulary Homepage  
Chapter 6: Endocrine system (Complete)  
GMMMG Adult Red/Amber/Green; DNP and Grey Drug List  
GMMMG Paediatric Red/Amber/Green Drug List

6.1 Drugs used in diabetes			GMMG	
<b>6.1.1 Insulins</b>			NICE NG3	
<b>Insulins must ONLY be initiated by practitioners experienced in their use</b>			NICE NG17	
<b>Insulins must be prescribed by BRAND NAME</b>			NICE NG18	
<b>6.1.1.1 Short-acting insulins</b>			NICE NG19	
<b>Human</b>			NICE NG28	
Actrapid®				
Human Insulin				
Apidra®				
Insulin Glulisine				
Humalog®				
Insulin Lispro				
Humulin S®				
Human Insulin				
NovoRapid®				
Insulin Aspart				
<b>Animal</b>				
Hypurin® Bovine Neutral				
Insulin Bovine				
Hypurin® Porcine Neutral				
Insulin Porcine				
<b>6.1.1.2 Intermediate &amp; long-acting insulins</b>				
<b>Human</b>				
Humulin I® Insulin				
Isophane Insulin				
Insulatard®				
Isophane Insulin				
<b>Animal</b>				
Hypurin® Bovine Isophane				
Isophane Insulin				
Hypurin® Porcine Isophane				
Isophane Insulin				
<b>Long-acting insulins</b>				
<b>Human</b>				
Levemir®				
Insulin Detemir				
Lantus®				
Insulin Glargine				
Abasaglar®				
Insulin Glargine biosimilar				
Toujeo®				
Insulin Glargine HIGH STRENGTH				
Tresiba®				
Insulin Degludec				
<b>Animal</b>				
Hypurin® Bovine Lente				
Insulin Zinc suspension				

<b>Biphasic insulins</b>			
<b>Human</b>			
Humalog® Mix 25		  	
Biphasic Insulin Lispro		  	
Humalog® Mix 50		  	
Biphasic Insulin Lispro		  	
Humulin M3®		  	
Biphasic Isophane Insulin		  	
Insuman® Comb 25		  	
Biphasic Isophane Insulin		  	
NovoMix® 30		   	
Biphasic Insulin Aspart		  	
<b>Animal</b>			
Hypurin® Porcine 30/70 Mix Insulin		  	
Biphasic Isophane Insulin		  	
<b>6.1.2 Antidiabetic drugs</b>			
<b>6.1.2.1 Sulphonylureas</b>			
Gliclazide		  	
Glipizide		  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Not for initiation
<b>6.1.2.2 Biguanides</b>			
Metformin Hydrochloride		    	
<b>6.1.2.3 Other antidiabetic drugs</b>			<b>NICE NG28</b>
Acarbose		  	
Exenatide		     	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> line</b> patients with poor glycaemic control (HbA1c>8.0%) where glitazone therapy is contraindicated / not tolerated
Bydureon®		    	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> line</b> after failure / inadequate response to oral therapy
Exenatide prolonged release (once weekly)		   	
Dapagliflozin		    	<b>RESTRICTED - Diabetes Consultants only</b> in line with NICE TA288 & TA418
Canagliflozin		    	<b>RESTRICTED - Diabetes Consultants only</b> in line with TA315
Empagliflozin		    	<b>RESTRICTED - Diabetes Consultants only</b> in line with TA336
Liraglutide		     	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> line</b> to achieve glycaemic control combination with metformin or a sulphonylurea

Dulaglutide	Green	   	<b>RESTRICTED - Diabetes Consultants only - 1<sup>st</sup> line weekly preparation</b>
Lixisenatide	Green	   	<b>RESTRICTED - Diabetes Consultants only - 3<sup>rd</sup> line as recommended by GMMMG &amp; NICE</b>
Pioglitazone		   	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> line add-on with metformin or a sulphonylurea</b>
Saxagliptin	Green	   	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> line to improve glycaemic control in adults with metformin</b>
Sitagliptin	Green	   	
Linagliptin	Green	   	
Alogliptin	Green	   	
<b>6.1.4 Treatment of hypoglycaemia</b>			
Glucagon		  	
Glucose gel		  	

<b>6.2 Thyroid &amp; antithyroid drugs</b>		<b>GMMG</b>
<b>6.2.1 Thyroid hormones</b>		
Levothyroxine Sodium	  	
Liothyronine Sodium	  	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> line use (I.V. RESTRICTED to hypothyroid coma)</b>
<b>6.2.2 Antithyroid drugs</b>		
Carbimazole	  	
Iodine (Aqueous Iodine Oral Solution)		  
Lugol's Iodine		  
Potassium Iodide		  
Propylthiouracil		  

<b>6.3 Corticosteroids</b>		<b>GMMG</b>
<b>6.3.1 Replacement therapy</b>		
Fludrocortisone	  	
<b>6.3.2 Glucocorticoid therapy</b>		
Prednisolone	  	
Dexamethasone	  	
Hydrocortisone	  	
Hydrocortisone M/R 5mg tablets	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> line use in adrenal insufficiency
Betamethasone	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Specialist use only
Methylprednisolone	  	
Triamcinolone	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Specialist use only
see also section 10.1.2.2		

<b>6.4 Sex hormones</b>		
<b>6.4.1 Female sex hormones and their modulators</b>		
<b>6.4.1.1 Oestrogens &amp; HRT</b>		
<b>Conjugated oestrogens with progestogen</b>		
Premique®		<b>2<sup>nd</sup> line use oral</b> (continuous combined HRT)
	 	
<b>Estradiol with Progestogen</b>		
Elleste-Duet®		<b>1<sup>st</sup> line use oral</b> (sequential HRT)
	 	
Femoston®		<b>2<sup>nd</sup> line use oral</b> (sequential HRT)
	 	
Kliovance®	  	<b>1<sup>st</sup> line use oral</b> (continuous combined HRT)
Evorel Conti®		<b>RESTRICTED</b> (Continuous combined HRT) when oral contraindicated.
	 	
<b>Estradiol only</b>		
Climaval®		
	 	
Elleste Solo®		<b>1<sup>st</sup> line use oral</b> (oestrogen only HRT)
	 	
Estradot®		<b>RESTRICTED</b> (Oestrogen only HRT) when oral contraindicated.
	 	
<b>Ethinylestradiol, raloxifene &amp; tibolone</b>		
Ethinylestradiol	   	2 microgram tablets (unlicensed) for amenorrhoea
Raloxifene Hydrochloride	    	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Specialist Med. Consultant only
Tibolone	  	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> line use oral</b> (continuous combined HRT)
<b>6.4.1.2 Progestogens and progesterone receptor modulators</b>		
Medroxyprogesterone Acetate (Depo-Provera®)		
150mg/mL injection	 	
Medroxyprogesterone Acetate (Sayana Press®)		
104mg/0.65 mL injection	  	
Norethisterone		
	 	
Progesterone	 (suppositories in IVF)	
	  	
Dydrogesterone		
	 	
Ulipristal Acetate (Esmyna®)		<b>RESTRICTED</b> Specialist use only
5mg tablets	  	

<b>6.4.2 Male sex hormones &amp; antagonists</b>			
<b>Testosterone &amp; Esters</b>			
<b>Oral</b>			
Testosterone	Green	BNF for children  BNF 	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>
injection & implants only			
<b>Transdermal preparations</b>			
Testosterone (Tostran®)		MMC  BNF 	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>
<b>Anti-androgens</b>			
Cyproterone Acetate		BNF for children  BNF 	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>
Finasteride		BNF 	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>  MHRA Regulating Medicines and Medical Devices

<b>6.5 Hypothalamic &amp; pituitary hormones &amp; anti-oestrogens</b>					
<b>6.5.1 Hypothalamic &amp; anterior pituitary hormones &amp; anti-oestrogens</b>					
<b>Anti-oestrogens</b>					
Clomifene Citrate	Red		 		
<b>Anterior pituitary hormones (Corticotrophins)</b>					
Tetracosactide		  	<b>RESTRICTED diagnostic test for adrenocortical insufficiency</b>		
Corticotropin releasing hormone		  	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>		
<b>Anterior pituitary hormones (Gonadotrophins)</b>					
Human Chorionic Gonadotrophin (hCG)	Red		  	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>	
Pregnyl® injection		  			
Recombinant human follicle stimulating hormone (r-hFSH)		  	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>		
Ovaleap® injection		  			
<b>Anterior pituitary hormones (Growth Hormone)</b>					
Somatropin			  	<b>RESTRICTED as per NICE</b>	
see below		 	 		
Growth hormone for children					
Growth hormone for primary and secondary hypo-pituitarism					
Growth hormone for adults except in proven primary and secondary hypopituitarism					
<b>Anterior pituitary hormones (Growth Hormone receptor antagonists)</b>					
Pegvisomant	Amber		   	<b>RESTRICTED acromegaly, named patient basis</b>	
					
<b>Hypothalamic hormones</b>					
Gonadorelin (GnRH; LHRH)			  	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>	
Protirelin (TRH)			 	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>	
<b>6.5.2 Posterior pituitary hormones &amp; antagonists</b>					
Desmopressin			  	<b>RESTRICTED Haematology Consultants only</b>	
Terlipressin Acetate			  	<b>RESTRICTED adjunct in bleeding oesophageal varices</b>	
Tolvaptan	Red		  	<b>RESTRICTED Adult. Endocrinology / Renal Consultant only</b>	
Vasopressin			  	<b>RESTRICTED pituitary diabetes insipidus</b>	
<b>Antidiuretic hormone antagonists</b>					
Demeclocycline Hydrochloride			  	<b>RESTRICTED SIADH only</b>	
see also section 5.1.3			  		

<b>6.6 Drugs affecting bone metabolism</b>		
<b>6.6.1 Calcitonin &amp; parathyroid hormone</b>		
Calcitonin (Salmon) / Salcatonin (Miacalcic®)	   	<b>RESTRICTED</b> osteoporosis patients with acute fracture pain.
Parathyroid hormone (Preotact®)	   	<b>RESTRICTED</b> postmenopausal osteoporosis if failure or non-compliance with bisphosphonates
Teriparatide (Forsteo®)	    	<b>RESTRICTED</b> option for 2 <sup>RY</sup> prevention of osteoporotic fragility fractures in postmenopausal women as per NICE TA161 Paeds. see decision tables
<b>6.6.2 Bisphosphonates &amp; other drugs affecting bone metabolism</b>		
Alendronic Acid	   	<b>1<sup>st</sup> line use</b>
Risedronate Sodium	   	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> line</b> Osteoporosis & Paget's disease
Strontium Ranelate	  	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> line</b> osteoporosis patients unable to take bisphosphonates
Ibandronic Acid	    	<b>RESTRICTED</b> monthly treatment when daily/weekly dosing contraindicated; NICE TA464
Denosumab	 or  oncology    	<b>RESTRICTED</b> specialist initiation osteoporosis 
Zoledronic Acid	   	<b>RESTRICTED</b> see decision tables; also NICE TA464

<b>6.7 Other endocrine drugs</b>			
<b>6.7.1 Bromocriptine &amp; other dopaminergic drugs</b>			
Bromocriptine	Green	BNF	emc
1mg; 2.5mg tablets			
<b>6.7.2 Drugs affecting gonadotrophins</b>			
Danazol	BNF	emc	
capsules			
Buserelin	Red	MMC	BNF emc
see also section 8.3.4.2			
Buserelin Acetate	Red	MMC	BNF emc
Suprecur® nasal spray			
Goserelin	BNF for children	BNF	emc
see below (also section 8.3.4.2)			
Leuprorelin Acetate	BNF for children	BNF	emc
see below (also section 8.3.4.2)			
Triptorelin	BNF for children	BNF	emc
see below (also section 8.3.4.2)			
Cetrorelix acetate	MMC	BNF	emc
injection			
Ganirelix	MMC	BNF	emc
injection			
Goserelin/Leuprorelin - Licensed Indications (Pre-op management prior to endometrial ablation/fibroid surgery)		Amber	
Goserelin/Leuprorelin/Triptorelin - Licensed Indications (Prostate cancer for all and breast cancer for Goserelin)		Amber	
Goserelin/Leuprorelin/Triptorelin - Precocious puberty and for testosterone castration in sex offenders (unlicensed in goserelin and leuprorelin)		Red	
Goserelin/Leuprorelin/Triptorelin - For all other unlicensed indications (including long term use > 6 months)		Red	
<b>6.7.3 Metyrapone</b>			
Metyrapone	Red	BNF for children	BNF emc
250mg capsules			
<b>6.7.4 Somatomedins</b>			
Mecasermin	PbR X	BNF for children	BNF emc
10mg/mL injection			

# Section 7: Obstetrics, gynaecology & urinary tract disorders

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## 7.1 Drugs used in Obstetrics

### 7.1.1 Prostaglandins & oxytocics

7.1.1.1 Ductus arteriosus

### 7.1.2 Mifepristone

### 7.1.3 Myometrial relaxants

## 7.2 Treatment of vaginal & vulval conditions

### 7.2.1 Preparations for vaginal & vulval changes

### 7.2.2 Vaginal & vulval infections

## 7.3 Contraceptives

### 7.3.1 Combined hormonal contraceptives

Ethinylestradiol with Levonorgestrel

Ethinylestradiol with Norethisterone

Ethinylestradiol with Norgestimate

Ethinylestradiol with Desogestrel

Ethinylestradiol with Gestodene

Mestranol with Norethisterone

### 7.3.2 Progestogen-only contraceptives

7.3.2.1 Oral progestogen-only contraceptives

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7.3.2.3 Intra-uterine progestogen-only device

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<b>7.1 Drugs used in Obstetrics</b>		<b>NICE CG70</b>
<b>7.1.1 Prostaglandins &amp; oxytocics</b>		
Carboprost		 
Ergometrine Maleate		 
Gemeprost		 
Oxytocin		 
Dinoprostone	   	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Obs & Gynae Consultants only
<b>7.1.1.1 Drugs affecting the ductus arteriosus</b>		(see BNFC section 2.14)
<b>Maintenance of patency</b>		
Alprostadil	  	
<b>Closure of the ductus arteriosus</b>		
Indometacin	  	
<b>7.1.2 Mifepristone</b>		
Mifepristone		 
<b>7.1.3 Myometrial relaxants</b>		
<b>Atosiban</b>		
Atosiban		<b>RESTRICTED</b> Obs & Gynae Consultants only
<b>Beta<sub>2</sub> agonists</b>		
Salbutamol	  	
injection (see also section 3.1.1.1)		
Terbutaline Sulfate	  	
injection (see also section 3.1.1.1)		

<b>7.2 Treatment of vaginal &amp; vulval conditions</b>		<b>GMMG</b>
<b>7.2.1 Preparations for vaginal &amp; vulval changes</b>		
<b>Oestrogens, topical</b>		
Estradiol (Vagifem®)		
10 microgram pessaries	<b>BNF</b>	<b>emc</b>
Estriol (Gynest®)		
0.01% cream	<b>BNF</b>	<b>emc</b>
Estradiol vaginal ring (Estring®)		<b>RESTRICTED</b> Obs & Gynae Consultants only
7.5 microgram / 24 hours ring	<b>BNF</b>	<b>emc</b>
<b>7.2.2 Vaginal &amp; vulval infections</b>		
<b>Preparations for vaginal &amp; vulval candidiasis</b>		
Clotrimazole	<b>BNF</b>	<b>emc</b>
Miconazole	<b>BNF</b>	<b>emc</b>
<b>Preparations for other vaginal infections</b>		
Clindamycin	<b>BNF</b>	<b>emc</b>
2% vaginal cream	<b>BNF</b>	<b>emc</b>
Nystatin	<b>BNF</b>	<b>emc</b>
Metronidazole (Zidoval®)	<b>BNF</b>	<b>emc</b>
0.75% vaginal gel	<b>MMC</b>	<b>BNF</b>
		<b>emc</b>
	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Obs & Gynae Consultants only	

<b>7.3 Contraceptives</b>		<b>GMMG</b>
<b>7.3.1 Combined hormonal contraceptives</b>		<b>NICE CG30</b>
<b>Ethinylestradiol with Levonorgestrel</b>		<b>NICE NG88</b>
TriRegol®	 	
Microgynon 30®	 	
Ovranette®	 	
<b>Ethinylestradiol with Norethisterone</b>		
Loestrin 20®	 	
Loestrin 30®	 	
Ovysmen®	 	
Norimin®	 	
TriNovum®	 	
<b>Ethinylestradiol with Norgestimate</b>		
Cilest®	 	
<b>Ethinylestradiol with Desogestrel</b>		
Munalea®	 	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> line due to increased risk of VTE</b>
Mercilon®	 	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> line due to increased risk of VTE</b>
<b>Ethinylestradiol with Gestodene</b>		
Femodene®	 	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> line due to increased risk of VTE</b>
Aidulan	 	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> line due to increased risk of VTE</b>
20/75 microgram	 	
<b>Mestranol with Norethisterone</b>		
Norinyl-1®	 	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> line due to increased risk of VTE</b>
<b>7.3.2 Progestogen-only contraceptives</b>		
<b>7.3.2.1 Oral progestogen-only contraceptives</b>		
Desogestrel (Cerazette®)	 	
Levonorgestrel (Norgeston®)	 	
Norethisterone (Micronor®)	 	
Norethisterone (Noriday®)	 	

<b>7.3.2.2 Parenteral progestogen-only contraceptives</b>			
<b>Injectable preparations</b>			
Medroxyprogesterone Acetate (Depo-Provera®) 150mg/mL intramuscular injection		 <b>BNF</b>	
Medroxyprogesterone Acetate (Sayana Press®) 160mg/mL subcutaneous injection		 <b>BNF</b>	  
<b>Implants</b>			<b>2<sup>nd</sup> line in patients with heart disease &amp; in women who've undergone a termination and who comply poorly with oral meds</b>
Etonogestrel (Nexplanon®) 68mg subdermal implant		 <b>BNF</b>	  
<b>7.3.2.3 Intra-uterine progestogen-only device</b>			
Levonorgestrel (Mirena®) 20micrograms/24 hours IUD		 <b>BNF</b>	
<b>7.3.5 Emergency contraception</b>			
Levonorgestrel (Levonelle® 1500)		 <b>BNF</b>	
Ulipristal Acetate (ellaOne®)		 <b>BNF</b>	  
<b>Assisted Reproductive Technology (ART) cycles</b>			
Progesterone (Utrogestan®) 100mg; 200mg vaginal capsules		  	<b>RESTRICTED ART cycles</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup> line</b>

<b>7.4 Drugs for genito-urinary disorders</b>		
<b>7.4.1 Drugs for urinary retention</b>		NICE CG97
<b>Alpha blockers</b>		NICE CG111
		NICE CG171
Alfuzosin Hydrochloride	 	
Tamsulosin Hydrochloride	   	
<b>7.4.2 Drugs for urinary, enuresis &amp; incontinence</b>		
<b>Urinary incontinence</b>		NICE CG171
Oxybutynin Hydrochloride	    	1 <sup>st</sup> line in OAB
Darifenacin Hydrobromide	   	1 <sup>st</sup> line in OAB
Tolterodine Tartrate	    	1 <sup>st</sup> line in OAB
Solifenacin Succinate	  	2 <sup>nd</sup> line in OAB patients failed / intolerant to oxybutynin
Duloxetine	  	
Trospium Chloride	  	RESTRICTED 1 <sup>RY</sup> Care referral only
Mirabegron	   	RESTRICTED in line with TA290 / Paeds 3 <sup>rd</sup> line use 
<b>Nocturnal enuresis</b>		
Amitriptyline	  	
see also section 4.3.1		
Desmopressin	   	RESTRICTED Haematology Consultants only
see also section 6.5.2		
<b>7.4.3 Drugs used in urological pain</b>		
Potassium Citrate	  	
<b>7.4.4 Bladder instillations &amp; urological surgery</b>		
Chlorhexidine	  	
0.02% irrigation solution	 	
Dimethyl Sulfoxide 	 	
Glycine irrigation solution	 	
Sodium Chloride	  	
0.9% irrigation solution	 	
Sodium Citrate	  	
3% irrigation solution	 	
Sodium Hyaluronate (Cystistat®)	   	RESTRICTED Urology Consultants only

<b>7.4.5 Drugs for erectile dysfunction</b>						
Aprostadol		 <b>MMC</b>  				
Sildenafil	Green	Red	PAH   <b>MMC</b>  			
Tadalafil	Red		 <b>MMC</b>  			
Vardenafil	Red		<b>MMC</b>  			
<b>7.4.6 Drugs for premature ejaculation</b>						
<b>Not stocked</b>						

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- 8.3.1 Oestrogens
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Early and locally advanced breast cancer: diagnosis and management (NG101)  
 Early and locally advanced breast cancer (CG80)  
 Advanced breast cancer (CG81)  
 Lung Cancer (CG121)  
 Colorectal cancer (CG131)  
 Familial breast cancer (CG164)  
 Hepatitis B (chronic) (CG165)  
 Prostate Cancer (CG175)  
 Temozolomide for malignant glioma (TA23)  
 Leukaemia (lymphocytic) - fludarabine (TA29)  
 Trastuzumab for advanced breast cancer (TA34)  
 Paclitaxel for ovarian cancer (TA55)  
 Capecitabine and Tegafur Uracil for Colorectal Cancer (TA61)  
 Imatinib for chronic myeloid leukaemia (TA70) (partially updated by TA425 & TA426)  
 Hepatitis C: Chronic (TA75) (extended by TA106 - partially updated by TA200 & TA300)  
 Gastrointestinal stromal tumours - imatinib (TA86) (partially updated by TA209)  
 Hepatitis B: Chronic (TA96) (partially updated by CG165)  
 Colon cancer (adjuvant) - capecitabine and oxaliplatin (TA100)  
 Docetaxel for prostate cancer (hormone-refractory) (TA101)  
 Hepatitis C: Peginterferon & Ribavirin (TA106) (partially updated by TA200 & TA300)  
 Trastuzumab for early breast cancer (TA107)  
 Paclitaxel for early breast cancer (TA108)  
 Docetaxel for early breast cancer (TA109)  
 Gemcitabine for Breast Cancer (TA116)  
 Bevacizumab & Cetuximab in metastatic colorectal cancer (TA118) (partially updated by TA242)  
 Leukaemia (lymphocytic) - fludarabine (TA119)  
 Carmustine implants and temozolomide for glioma (newly diagnosed & high grade) (TA121)  
 Pemetrexed for lung cancer (non small cell) (TA124)  
 Multiple sclerosis - natalizumab (TA127)  
 Bortezomib for relapsed multiple myeloma (TA129)  
 Pemetrexed for mesothelioma (TA135)  
 Rituximab for follicular non-Hodgkin's lymphoma (TA137)  
 Head and neck cancer - cetuximab (TA145)  
 Renal cell carcinoma - sunitinib (TA169)  
 Lenalidomide - multiple myeloma (TA171)  
 Rituximab for the first-line treatment of chronic lymphocytic leukaemia (TA174)  
 Cetuximab for the first-line treatment of metastatic colorectal cancer (TA176)  
 Renal Cell Carcinoma (TA178)  
 Sunitinib for gastrointestinal stromal tumours (TA179)  
 Pemetrexed for lung cancer (non-small cell) - first line treatment (TA181)  
 Cervical cancer (recurrent) - topotecan (TA183)  
 Lung cancer (small cell) - topotecan (TA184)  
 Soft tissue sarcoma - trabectedin (TA185)  
 Lung cancer (non-small-cell) - pemetrexed (maintenance) (TA190)  
 Gastric cancer (advanced) - capecitabine (TA191)  
 Lung cancer (non-small-cell, first line) - gefitinib (TA192)  
 Leukaemia (chronic lymphocytic, relapsed) - rituximab (TA193)  
 Gastrointestinal stromal tumours - imatinib (adjuvant) (TA196)  
 Hepatitis C - peginterferon alfa and ribavirin (TA200) (read in conjunction with TA75 & TA106)  
 Chronic lymphocytic leukaemia - ofatumumab (TA202)  
 Gastric cancer (HER2-positive metastatic) - trastuzumab (TA208)  
 Gastrointestinal stromal tumours (unresectable/metastatic) - imatinib (TA209) (part review of TA86)  
 Colorectal cancer (metastatic) - bevacizumab (TA212)  
 Breast cancer - bevacizumab (in combination with a taxane) (TA214) (replaces TA147)  
 Renal cell carcinoma (1<sup>st</sup> line metastatic) - pazopanib (TA215)  
 Bendamustine for the first-line treatment of chronic lymphocytic leukaemia (TA216)  
 Myelodysplastic syndrome - azacitidine (TA218)  
 Lymphoma (follicular non-Hodgkin's) - rituximab (TA226)  
 Multiple myeloma (1<sup>st</sup> line) - bortezomib and thalidomide (TA228)  
 Osteosarcoma - mifamurtide (TA235)  
 Follicular lymphoma - rituximab (review TA110) (TA243)  
 Multiple sclerosis (relapsing-remitting) - fingolimod (TA254)  
 Melanoma (stage III or IV) - ipilimumab (TA268)  
 Melanoma (BRAF V600 mutation positive, unresectable metastatic) - vemurafenib (TA269)  
 Urothelial tract carcinoma (transitional cell, advanced, metastatic) - vinflunine (TA272)  
 Bevacizumab in combination with paclitaxel & carboplatin for 1<sup>st</sup> line treatment of advanced ovarian cancer (TA284)  
 Ovarian, fallopian tube & primary peritoneal cancer - bevacizumab (TA285)  
 Hepatitis C (children and young people) - peginterferon alfa & ribavirin (TA300)  
 Multiple sclerosis (relapsing) - teriflunomide (TA303)  
 Lymphoma (non Hodgkin's, relapsed, refractory) - pixantrone monotherapy (TA306)

Vasculitis (anti-neutrophil cytoplasmic antibody-associated) - rituximab (with glucocorticoids) (TA308)  
Multiple myeloma - bortezomib (induction therapy) (TA311)  
Multiple sclerosis (relapsing-remitting) - alemtuzumab (TA312)  
Ipilimumab for previously untreated advanced (unresectable or metastatic) melanoma (TA319)  
Dimethyl fumarate for treating relapsing-remitting multiple sclerosis (TA320)  
Dabrafenib for treating unresectable or metastatic BRAF V600 mutation-positive melanoma (TA321)  
Lenalidomide for treating myelodysplastic syndromes associated with an isolated deletion 5q cytogenetic abnormality (TA322)  
Imatinib for the adjuvant treatment of gastrointestinal stromal tumours (review of TA196) (TA326)  
Axitinib for treating advanced renal cell carcinoma after failure of prior systemic treatment (TA333)  
Obinutuzumab in combination with chlorambucil for untreated chronic lymphocytic leukaemia (TA343)  
Ofatumumab in combination with chlorambucil or bendamustine for untreated chronic lymphocytic leukaemia (TA344)  
Nintedanib for previously treated locally advanced, metastatic, or locally recurrent non-small-cell lung cancer (TA347)  
Pembrolizumab for treating advanced melanoma after disease progression with ipilimumab (TA357)  
Idelalisib for treating chronic lymphocytic leukaemia (TA359)  
Pembrolizumab for advanced melanoma not previously treated with ipilimumab (TA366)  
Bortezomib for previously untreated mantle cell lymphoma (TA370)  
Erlotinib and gefitinib for treating non-small-cell lung cancer that has progressed after prior chemotherapy (TA374)  
Enzalutamide for treating metastatic hormone-relapsed prostate cancer before chemotherapy is indicated (TA377)  
Nintedanib for treating idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis (TA379)  
Panobinostat for treating multiple myeloma after at least 2 previous treatments (TA380)  
Olaparib for ovarian, fallopian tube and peritoneal cancer (TA381)  
Nivolumab for treating advanced (unresectable or metastatic) melanoma (TA384)  
Ruxolitinib for treating disease-related splenomegaly or symptoms in adults with myelofibrosis (TA386)  
Abiraterone for treating metastatic hormone-relapsed prostate cancer before chemotherapy is indicated (TA387)  
Topotecan, PLDH, paclitaxel, trabectedin & gemcitabine for recurrent ovarian cancer (TA389)  
Cabazitaxel for hormone-relapsed metastatic prostate cancer treated with docetaxel (TA391)  
Ceritinib for previously treated anaplastic lymphoma kinase positive non-small-cell lung cancer (TA395)  
Trametinib in combination with dabrafenib for treating unresectable or metastatic melanoma (TA396)  
Nivolumab in combination with ipilimumab for treating advanced melanoma (TA400)  
Bosutinib for previously treated chronic myeloid leukaemia (TA401)  
Pemetrexed maintenance treatment for non-squamous non-small-cell lung cancer after pemetrexed and cisplatin (TA402)  
Degarelix for treating advanced hormone-dependent prostate cancer (TA404)  
Trifluridine–tipiracil for previously treated metastatic colorectal cancer (TA405)  
Crizotinib for untreated anaplastic lymphoma kinase-positive advanced non-small-cell lung cancer (TA406)  
Pegasparagase for treating acute lymphoblastic leukaemia (TA408)  
Talimogene laherparepvec for treating unresectable metastatic melanoma (TA410)  
Radium-223 dichloride for treating hormone-relapsed prostate cancer with bone metastases (TA412)  
Osimertinib for treating locally advanced or metastatic EGFR T790M mutation-positive non-small-cell lung cancer (TA416)  
Nivolumab for previously treated advanced renal cell carcinoma (TA417)  
Everolimus with exemestane for treating advanced breast cancer after endocrine therapy (TA421)  
~~Crizotinib~~ for previously treated anaplastic lymphoma kinase-positive advanced non-small-cell lung cancer (TA422)  
~~Eribulin~~ for treating locally advanced or metastatic breast cancer after 2 or more chemotherapy regimens (TA423)  
Pertuzumab for the neoadjuvant treatment of HER2-positive breast cancer (TA424)  
~~Das~~atinib, nilotinib and high-dose imatinib for treating imatinib-resistant or intolerant chronic myeloid leukaemia (TA425)  
~~Das~~atinib, nilotinib and imatinib for untreated chronic myeloid leukaemia (TA426)  
~~Pon~~malidomide for multiple myeloma previously treated with lenalidomide and bortezomib (TA427)  
~~Pem~~broliumab for treating PD-L1-positive non-small-cell lung cancer after chemotherapy (TA428)  
Everolimus for advanced renal cell carcinoma after previous treatment (TA432)  
Cetuximab and panitumumab for previously untreated metastatic colorectal cancer (TA439)  
Everolimus & sunitinib for treating unresectable or metastatic neuroendocrine tumours (TA449)  
Blinatumomab for previously treated Philadelphia-chromosome-negative acute lymphoblastic leukaemia (TA450)  
Ponatinib for treating chronic myeloid leukaemia and acute lymphoblastic leukaemia (TA451)  
Carfilzomib for previously treated multiple myeloma (TA457)  
Trastuzumab emtansine for treating HER2-positive advanced breast cancer after trastuzumab and a taxane (TA458)  
Nivolumab for treating relapsed or refractory classical Hodgkin lymphoma (TA462)  
Cabozantinib for previously treated advanced renal cell carcinoma (TA463)  
Olaratumab in combination with doxorubicin for treating advanced soft tissue sarcoma (TA465)  
Obinutuzumab with bendamustine for treating follicular lymphoma refractory to rituximab (TA472)  
Cetuximab for treating recurrent or metastatic squamous cell cancer of the head and neck (replaces TA172) (TA473)  
Sorafenib for treating advanced hepatocellular carcinoma (replaces TA189) (TA474)  
Paclitaxel with gemcitabine for untreated metastatic pancreatic cancer (replaces TA360) (TA476)  
Brentuximab vedotin for treating relapsed or refractory systemic anaplastic large cell lymphoma (TA478)  
Immunosuppressive therapy for kidney transplant in adults (replaces TA85) (TA481)  
Immunosuppressive therapy for kidney transplant in children and young people (replaces TA99) (TA482)  
Nivolumab for previously treated squamous non-small-cell lung cancer (TA483)  
Nivolumab for previously treated non-squamous non-small-cell lung cancer (TA484)  
Venetoclax for treating chronic lymphocytic leukaemia (TA487)  
Regorafenib for previously treated unresectable or metastatic gastrointestinal stromal tumours (TA488)  
Nivolumab for treating squamous cell carcinoma of the head and neck after platinum-based chemotherapy (TA490)  
Ibrutinib for treating Waldenstrom's macroglobulinaemia (TA491)  
Atezolizumab for untreated locally advanced or metastatic urothelial cancer when cisplatin is unsuitable (TA492)  
Cladribine tablets for treating relapsing-remitting multiple sclerosis (TA493)  
Palbociclib for previously untreated, locally advanced or metastatic breast cancer (TA495)  
Ribociclib for previously untreated, locally advanced or metastatic breast cancer (TA496)  
Lenvatinib with everolimus for previously treated advanced renal cell carcinoma (TA498)  
Ceritinib for untreated ALK-positive non-small-cell lung cancer (TA500)  
Intrabeam radiotherapy system for adjuvant treatment of early breast cancer (TA501)  
Ibrutinib for treating relapsed or refractory mantle cell lymphoma (TA502)

Fulvestrant for untreated locally advanced or metastatic oestrogen-receptor positive breast cancer (TA503)  
 Ixazomib with lenalidomide and dexamethasone for treating relapsed or refractory multiple myeloma (TA505)  
 Pertuzumab with trastuzumab and docetaxel for treating HER2-positive breast cancer (TA509)  
 Daratumumab monotherapy for treating relapsed and refractory multiple myeloma (TA510)  
 Tivozanib for treating advanced renal cell carcinoma (TA512)  
 Obinutuzumab for untreated advanced follicular lymphoma (TA513)  
 Regorafenib for previously treated advanced hepatocellular carcinoma (TA514)  
 Eribulin for treating locally advanced or metastatic breast cancer after 1 chemotherapy regimen (replaces TA250) (TA515)  
 Cabozantinib for treating medullary thyroid cancer (TA516)  
 Avelumab for treating metastatic Merkel cell carcinoma (TA517)  
 Pembrolizumab for treating locally advanced or metastatic urothelial carcinoma (TA519)  
 Atezolizumab for treating locally advanced or metastatic non-small-cell lung cancer after chemotherapy (TA520)  
 Pembrolizumab for untreated locally advanced or metastatic urothelial cancer when cisplatin is unsuitable (TA522)  
 Midostaurin for untreated acute myeloid leukaemia (TA523)  
 Brentuximab vedotin for treating CD30-positive Hodgkin lymphoma (replaces TA446) (TA524)  
 Atezolizumab for treating locally advanced or metastatic urothelial carcinoma (TA525)  
 Arsenic trioxide for treating acute promyelocytic leukaemia (TA526)  
 Beta interferons and glatiramer acetate for treating multiple sclerosis (replaces TA32) (TA527)  
 Niraparib for maintenance treatment of relapsed, platinum-sensitive ovarian, fallopian tube and peritoneal cancer (TA528)  
 Crizotinib for treating ROS1-positive advanced non-small-cell lung cancer (TA529)  
 Nivolumab for treating locally advanced unresectable or metastatic urothelial cancer (TA530)  
 Pembrolizumab for untreated PD-L1-positive metastatic non-small-cell lung cancer (TA531)  
 Ocrelizumab for treating relapsing-remitting multiple sclerosis (TA533)  
 Lenvatinib and sorafenib for treating differentiated thyroid cancer after radioactive iodine (TA535)  
 Alectinib for untreated ALK-positive advanced non-small-cell lung cancer (TA536)  
 Dinutuximab beta for treating neuroblastoma (TA538)  
 Lutetium (177Lu) oxodotreotide for treating unresectable or metastatic neuroendocrine tumours (TA539)  
 Pembrolizumab for treating relapsed or refractory classical Hodgkin lymphoma (TA540)  
 Inotuzumab ozogamicin for treating relapsed or refractory B-cell acute lymphoblastic leukaemia (TA541)  
 Cabozantinib for untreated advanced renal cell carcinoma (TA542)

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<b>8.1 Cytotoxic drugs</b>			
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Calcium Folinate		  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Dexrazoxane	Red	   	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Folinic Acid (as calcium folinate)		  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Mesna		  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Palifermin	Red	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
<b>8.1.1 Alkylating drugs</b>			
Busulfan	Red	   	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Bendamustine	Red	   	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only 
Carmustine	Red	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Chlorambucil	Red	   	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Cyclophosphamide	Red	   	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Ifosfamide	Red	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Lomustine	Red	 	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Melphalan	Red	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Treosulfan	Red	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Adult Haematology / Paediatric Haematology / Oncology
<b>8.1.2 Anthracyclines &amp; other cytotoxic antibiotics</b>			
Bleomycin	Red	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Daunorubicin	Red	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Doxorubicin Hydrochloride	Red	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Idarubicin		 	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Mitomycin		  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Consultants only
Mitoxantrone		  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only

Pixantrone		<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
<b>8.1.3 Antimetabolites</b>		NICE CG81 NICE CG131
Azacitidine	Red	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Capecitabine	Red	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Cladribine	Red	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Clofarabine	Red	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Cytarabine	Red	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Fludarabine	Red	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Gemcitabine	Red	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Mercaptopurine	Red	
see also section 1.5.3		
Methotrexate	Red	
see also sections 1.5.3, 10.1.3 & 13.5.3		
Pemetrexed	Red	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Respiratory Consultants only in line with TA402
<b>8.1.4 Vinca alkaloids &amp; etoposide</b>		
Etoposide	Red	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Vinblastine Sulfate	Red	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Vincristine Sulfate	Red	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
<b>8.1.5 Other antineoplastic drugs</b>		
Arsenic Trioxide	Red	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haem. Consultants only, also in line with NICE TA526
Asparaginase e-coli	Red	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Bortezomib	Red	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Brentuximab Vedotin	Red	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Cabozantinib	Red	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Specialist Consultant use only in line with NICE <b>NOT STOCKED</b>
Carfilzomib	Red	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only in line with NICE <b>NOT STOCKED</b>
Ceritinib	Red	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Respiratory Consultants only in line with NICE <b>NOT STOCKED</b>

Cetuximab	Red	PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only in line with NICE <b>NOT STOCKED</b>
Crisantaspase	Red	BNF for children BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Dacarbazine	Red	BNF for children BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Eribulin	Red	NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Specialist Consultant use only in line with NICE <b>NOT STOCKED</b>
Erlotinib	Red	PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Respiratory Consultants only in line with NICE <b>NOT STOCKED</b>
Everolimus	Red	PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Specialist Consultant use only in line with NICE <b>NOT STOCKED</b>
Hydroxycarbamide	Red	BNF for children BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
see below			
Ipilimumab	Red	PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants only in line with NICE <b>NOT STOCKED</b>
Ixazomib	Red	PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only in line with NICE
Midostaurin	Red	PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only in line with NICE
Nintedanib	Red	PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Respiratory Consultants only in line with NICE <b>NOT STOCKED</b>
Niraparib	Red	PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Gynaecology Consultants only in line with NICE <b>NOT STOCKED</b>
Panitumumab	Red	PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only in line with NICE <b>NOT STOCKED</b>
Panobinostat	Red	PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only in line with TA380
Pegaspargase		BNF for children	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Oncaspar®		PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	
Pembrolizumab	Red	MHRA Regulating Medicines and Medical Devices	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Consultants only in line with NICE <b>NOT STOCKED</b>
Pentostatin	Red	BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Pertuzumab	Red	PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Specialist Consultant use only in line with NICE <b>NOT STOCKED</b>
Procarbazine	Red	BNF for children BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Sorafenib	Red	PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only on line with NICE
Talimogene Laherparepvec		PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants only in line with TA410
Trastuzumab	Red	PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Specialist use only in line with NICE

Venetoclax	PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE TA487</b>
Hydroxycarbamide - Essential thrombocythaemia or polycythaemia with high risk of complications		Amber
Hydroxycarbamide - Sickle Cell Disease		Amber
Hydroxycarbamide - Chemotherapy		Red
<b>Platinum compounds</b>		
Cisplatin	Red BNF for children BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED Haematology Consultants only</b>
<b>Protein kinase inhibitors</b>		
Alectinib	PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE TA536</b> <b>NOT STOCKED</b>
Axitinib	PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED Haematology Consultants only in line with NICE NOT STOCKED</b>
Bosutinib	Red PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED Haematology Consultants only in line with TA401</b>
Crizotinib	Red PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE NOT STOCKED</b>
Dabrafenib	Red PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE TA321</b> <b>NOT STOCKED</b>
Dasatinib	Red PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED Haematology Consultants only</b>
Gefitinib	Red PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE TA192</b> <b>NOT STOCKED</b>
Ibrutinib	Red PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED Haem. Consultants only / also in line with NICE MHRA</b>
Idelalisib	Red PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE TA359</b> <b>NOT STOCKED</b>
Imatinib	Red BNF for children PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED Haematology Consultants only</b>
Lenvatinib (Kisplyx®)	PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE TA498</b> <b>NOT STOCKED</b>
Lenvatinib (Lenvima®)	PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE TA535</b> <b>NOT STOCKED</b>
Nilotinib	Red PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED Haematology Consultants only</b>
Osimertinib	Red PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE TA416</b> <b>NOT STOCKED</b>
Palbociclib	Red PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE TA495</b> <b>NOT STOCKED</b>
Ponatinib	Red PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE TA451</b> MHRA
Regorafenib	Red PbR X NICE MMC BNF emc	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE TA488</b> <b>NOT STOCKED</b>

Ribociclib	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE TA496 NOT STOCKED</b>
Ruxolitinib	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	<b>RESTRICTED Haematology Consultants only in line with TA386</b>
<b>Protein kinase inhibitors (cont.)</b>							
Sunitinib	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE NOT STOCKED</b>
Tivozanib	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE NOT STOCKED</b>
Trametinib	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE TA396 NOT STOCKED</b>
<b>Topoisomerase I inhibitors</b>							
Tretinoin	Red			BNF for children	BNF	emc	<b>RESTRICTED Haematology Consultants only</b>
<b>Taxanes</b>							
Paclitaxel	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	<b>RESTRICTED Haematology Consultants only</b>
Cabazitaxel	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	<b>RESTRICTED Haematology Consultants only</b>

8.2 Drugs affecting the immune response							GMMG
8.2.1 Antiproliferative immunosuppressants							
Azathioprine	Amber	PbR X	NICE	BNF for children	BNF	emc	
Mycophenolate Mofetil	Amber	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	
Belatacept	U	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Renal Transplant Consultants only NOT STOCKED
Nulojix® 25mg/mL injection							
8.2.2 Corticosteroids & other immunosuppressants							
Tacrolimus		NICE	MMC	BNF for children	BNF	emc	
see below							
Antithymocyte immunoglobulin (Rabbit)		PbR X	NICE	BNF for children	BNF	emc	
Ciclosporin (Deximunel®) & I.V. (Sandimmun®)			NICE	MMC	BNF for children	emc	
see below							
Sirolimus		NICE	MMC	BNF for children	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Renal Consultants only
see below							
Basiliximab		PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF for children	emc	RESTRICTED Renal Consultants only
injection							
Immunosuppressants - e.g. ciclosporin, tacrolimus, sirolimus	Amber				Red	If no SCP	
8.2.3 Anti-lymphocyte monoclonal antibodies							
Alemtuzumab	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Renal Consultants only under Patient Access Scheme
Atezolizumab	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Urology Consultants only in line with NICE
Avelumab	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Dermatology Consultants only in line with NICE
Blinatumomab	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Haematology Consultants only in line with NICE
Burosumab				MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED X-linked hypophosphatemia
Daratumumab		PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Haematology Consultants only in line with NICE
Obinutuzumab	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Haematology Consultants only in line with NICE
Ofatumumab	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Haematology Consultants only in line with NICE
Pertuzumab	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Haematology Consultants only in line with NICE
Rituximab				BNF for children	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Renal Consultants only
see also section 10.1.3		PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	

**8.2.4 Other immunomodulating drugs****Interferon alfa**

Interferon alfa-2a	Red	BNF for children			
Roferon-A®	PbR X	BNF	emc		
Interferon alfa-2b	Red	BNF for children			
IntronA®	PbR X	BNF	emc		
Peginterferon alfa-2a	Red	BNF for children	RESTRICTED Gastro Consultants only		
Pegasys®	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc
Peginterferon alfa-2b	Red	BNF for children	RESTRICTED Gastro Consultants only		
ViraferonPeg®	PbR X	MMC	BNF	emc	

**Interferon beta**

Interferon beta-1a	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE TA527 NOT STOCKED
Interferon beta-1b	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE TA527 NOT STOCKED

**BCG bladder instillation**

BCG bladder instillation	Red						RESTRICTED Specialist use only
Immucyst®				BNF	emc		

**Dimethyl Fumarate**

Dimethyl Fumarate	Red						RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE TA320
Tecfidera® 120mg; 240mg capsules			NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	

**Fingolimod**

Fingolimod Hydrochloride							RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE TA254
0.5mg capsules		PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	

**Other Agents**

Dinutuximab beta	Red						RESTRICTED Specialist use in line with CDF and NICE
4.5mg/mL injection		PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	
Glatiramer acetate	Red						RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE TA527 NOT STOCKED
injection		PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	
Lenalidomide	Red						RESTRICTED Haematology Consultants only
capsules		PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	
Mifamurtide	Red						RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE TA235 NOT STOCKED
Intravenous infusion			NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	
Natalizumab	Red						RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE TA127 NOT STOCKED
infusion		PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	
Nivolumab	Red						RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE
10mg/mL infusion		PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	
Ocrelizumab	Red						RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE TA533 NOT STOCKED
30mg/mL infusion		PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	
Olaparib	Red						RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE TA381 NOT STOCKED
capsules; tablets		PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	
Pomalidomide	Red						RESTRICTED Haematology only / also in line with NICE TA427
capsules		PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	
Teriflunomide	Red						RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE TA303 NOT STOCKED
tablets		PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	
Thalidomide	Red						RESTRICTED Haematology Consultants only
capsules		PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	

<b>8.3 Sex hormones &amp; hormone antagonists in malignant disease</b>		<b>GMMG</b>
<b>8.3.1 Oestrogens</b>		
Diethylstilbestrol		<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>
	<b>BNF</b> 	
<b>8.3.2 Progestogens</b>		
Medroxyprogesterone Acetate	 <b>BNF</b> 	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>
Megestrol Acetate		<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>
	<b>BNF</b> 	
<b>8.3.3 Androgens</b>		
Testolactone	 <b>BNF</b> 	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>
<b>8.3.4 Hormone Antagonists</b>		
<b>8.3.4.1 Breast Cancer</b>		<b>NICE NG101</b>
Aminoglutethimide		<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>
	<b>BNF</b> 	
Anastrozole	 <b>NICE</b>  <b>BNF</b> 	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>
Exemestane	 <b>NICE</b>  <b>BNF</b> 	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>
Letrozole	 <b>NICE</b> <b>BNF</b> 	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>
Tamoxifen	 <b>NICE</b> <b>BNF</b> 	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>
<b>8.3.4.2 Gonadorelin analogues &amp; gonadotrophin-releasing hormone antagonists</b>		
<b>Gonadorelin analogues</b>		
Buserelin		<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>
see also section 6.7.2	<b>BNF</b> 	
Goserelin	 <b>BNF</b> 	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>
see below (also section 6.7.2)		
Leuprorelin Acetate	 <b>BNF</b> 	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>
see below (also section 6.7.2)		
Triptorelin	 <b>BNF</b> 	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>
see below (also section 6.7.2)		
Goserelin/Leuprorelin - Licensed Indications (pre-op management prior to endometrial ablation/fibroid surgery)		
Goserelin/Leuprorelin/Triptorelin - Licensed Indications (prostate cancer (all), breast cancer (goserelin))		
Goserelin/Leuprorelin/Triptorelin - Precocious puberty and for testosterone castration in sex offenders (unlicensed in goserelin and leuprorelin)		
Goserelin/Leuprorelin/Triptorelin - For all other unlicensed indications (including long term use > 6 months)		

<b>Anti-androgens</b>								
Bicalutamide	Green	 						
Cyproterone Acetate see also section 6.4.2		  						
Flutamide		 						
Enzalutamide	Red	   						
Abiraterone	Red	   						
<b>Gonadotrophin-releasing hormone antagonists</b>								
Degarelix 80mg; 120mg injection		   						
<b>Other</b>								
Radium-223 dichloride Xofigo® 1,100 kBq/mL injection		  						
<b>8.3.4.3 Somatostatin analogues</b>								
Lanreotide injection (GMMMG restrictions - see below)	PbR X	  						
Octreotide injection (GMMMG restrictions - see below)	PbR X	  						
Lutetium (177Lu) oxodotreotide injection (GMMMG restrictions - see below)	PbR X	   	  					
Lanreotide/Octreotide - Licensed Indications								
Lanreotide/Octreotide - Unlicensed Indications		Amber						
		Red						

8.4 Miscellaneous preparations		
Glucarpidase (Voraxaze®) 1,000 unit injection (see also sections 1.10, 10.4 & 13.14)		   
Trifluridine / Tipiracil hydrochloride tablets		   

# Section 9: Nutrition & blood

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## Trust Guidelines

Adult medicines and prescribing guidelines  
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## NICE Guidance

Preventing recurrent hypomagnesaemia: oral magnesium glycerophosphate (ESUOM4)  
Coeliac disease: recognition, assessment and management (NG20)  
Nutrition support in adults (CG32)  
Chronic Kidney disease (stage 4 or 5): management of hyperphosphataemia (CG157)  
Eculizumab for treating atypical haemolytic uraemic syndrome (HST1)  
Elosulfase alfa for treating mucopolysaccharidosis type IVa (HST2)  
Migalastat for treating Fabry disease (HST4)  
Eliglustat for treating type 1 Gaucher disease (HST5)  
Asfotase alfa for treating paediatric-onset hypophosphatasia (HST6)  
Hyperparathyroidism - cinacalcet (TA117)  
Thrombocytopenic purpura - romiplostim (TA221)  
Thrombocytopenic purpura - eltrombopag (TA293)  
Erythropoiesis-stimulating agents (epoetin & darbepoetin) for treating anaemia in chemotherapy (TA323)  
Etelcalcetide for treating secondary hyperparathyroidism (TA448)

## GMMMG Formulary

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<b>9.1 Anaemias and some other blood disorders</b>					<b>GMMG</b>	
<b>9.1.1 Iron deficiency anaemias</b>						
<b>9.1.1.1 Oral iron</b>						
Ferrous Sulfate					<b>1<sup>st</sup> line use</b>	
standard preparations only						
Ferrous Fumarate						
Sodium Feredetate						
liquid only preparation						
<b>Iron &amp; folic acid</b>						
Ferrous Sulfate						
Ferrous Fumarate						
<b>9.1.1.2 Parenteral iron</b>						
Ferric Carboxymaltose	Red				<b>RESTRICTED</b>	
Ferinject® injection						
Iron (III) Isomaltoside 1000	Red				<b>RESTRICTED</b>	
Monofer® injection						
Iron Sucrose	Red				<b>RESTRICTED</b>	
Venofer® injection						
<b>9.1.2 Drugs used in megaloblastic anaemias</b>						
Hydroxocobalamin					<b>1<sup>st</sup> line use</b>	
Intramuscular injection						
<b>9.1.3 Drugs used in hypoplastic, haemolytic &amp; renal anaemias</b>						
<b>Erythropoietins</b>						
Darbepoetin Alfa	Red				<b>RESTRICTED Renal Consultants only</b>	
Epoetin Alfa	Red				<b>RESTRICTED Renal Consultants only</b>	
Epoetin Beta	Red				<b>RESTRICTED Renal Consultants only</b>	
<b>Sickle-cell disease</b>						
Hydroxycarbamide	Amber				<b>RESTRICTED Haematology Consultants only</b>	
<b>Iron overload</b>						
Deferasirox	Red				<b>RESTRICTED Haematology Consultants only</b>	
Deferiprone	Red				<b>RESTRICTED Haematology Consultants only</b>	
Desferrioxamine Mesilate	Red				<b>RESTRICTED Haematology Consultants only</b>	
<b>Paroxysmal nocturnal haemoglobinuria &amp; atypical haemolytic uraemic syndrome</b>						
Eculizumab					<b>RESTRICTED Haematology Consultants only</b>	

<b>9.1.4 Drugs used in platelet disorders</b>					
Anagrelide	Red		 <b>BNF</b> for children	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Eltrombopag	Red	PbR X	  <b>BNF</b> for children	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only  <b>MHRA</b> Regulating Medicines and Medical Devices
Romiplostim		PbR X	  <b>BNF</b> for children	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
<b>9.1.6 Drugs used in neutropenia</b>					
Filgrastim	Red	PbR X	 <b>BNF</b> for children	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Lenograstim	Red	PbR X	 <b>BNF</b> for children	 	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Haematology Consultants only
Pegfilgrastim	Red	PbR X	 <b>BNF</b> for children	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Paediatric Haematology Consultants only
<b>9.1.7 Drugs used to mobilise stem cells</b>					
Plerixafor		PbR X	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> - initiation on advice of Haematology Consultant only	NHSE Commissioning

<b>9.2 Fluids and electrolytes</b>		<b>GMMG</b>
<b>9.2.1 Oral preparations for fluid &amp; electrolyte imbalance</b>		
<b>9.2.1.1 Oral potassium</b>		
Potassium Chloride	  	
(Sando-K®) Liquid (Kay-Cee-L®)		
<b>Potassium removal</b>		
Calcium Polystyrene Sulfonate	  	
Calcium Resonium®		
<b>9.2.1.2 Oral sodium and water</b>		
Sodium Chloride (Slow Sodium®)	  	
600mg M/R tabs		
<b>Oral Rehydration Therapy (ORT)</b>		
Oral Rehydration Salts (ORS)	  	
<b>9.2.1.3 Oral bicarbonate</b>		
Sodium Bicarbonate	  	
500mg caps; 8.4% (1mmol/mL) oral solution		
<b>9.2.2 Parenteral preparations for fluid &amp; electrolyte imbalance</b>		
<b>9.2.2.1 Electrolytes &amp; water</b>		
<b>Intravenous sodium</b>		
Sodium Chloride	  	
<b>Sodium chloride with other ingredients</b>		
Sodium Chloride & Glucose	  	
Sodium Chloride, Calcium Chloride & Potassium Chloride (Ringer's solution)	  	
Sodium Chloride, Calcium Chloride, Potassium Chloride & Sodium Lactate	  	
<b>Intravenous glucose</b>		
Glucose	  	
<b>Intravenous potassium</b>		
Potassium Chloride and Glucose	  	
Potassium Chloride and Sodium Chloride	  	
Potassium Chloride, Sodium Chloride & Glucose	  	
<b>Bicarbonate and lactate</b>		
Sodium Bicarbonate	  	
1.26%, 2.74%, 4.2% & 8.4% available		
<b>Water</b>		
Water for Injections	  	

<b>9.2.2.2 Plasma &amp; plasma substitutes</b>	
Dextran	
Dextran 40 - 10% in sodium chloride 0.9%	
Dextrose Acid Citrate ACDA	
Gelatin (Gelofusine® infusion)	  

## 9.3 Intravenous nutrition

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**Prescribers should seek advice from the CMFT Nutrician Support Team (pager service 07659 526240) or the Dietetic Support Teams (General x64668; Renal x64478; Gastro x65781)**

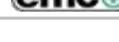
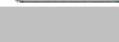
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## 9.4 Oral nutrition

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<b>9.5 Minerals</b>		<b>GMMG</b>
<b>9.5.1 Calcium and magnesium</b>		
<b>9.5.1.1 Calcium supplements</b>		
<b>Oral preparations</b>		
Calcium Carbonate	Green	  
Cacit®, Calcichew®, Calcium-500®		
Calcium Carbonate & Calcium Lactate Gluconate		  
Sandocal® 1000		
<b>PARENTERAL PREPARATIONS</b>		
Calcium Gluconate		  
Calcium Chloride		  
<b>with vitamin D</b>		
see section 9.6.4		  
<b>with risedronate sodium &amp; colecalciferol</b>		
see section 6.6.2		 
<b>9.5.1.2 Hypercalcaemia &amp; hypercalciuria</b>		
Cinacalcet	Red (2 <sup>nd</sup> HPT) Amber (1 <sup>st</sup> HPT)	NICE   
		<b>RESTRICTED as per NICE TA117</b>
Etelcalcetide		NICE   
		<b>RESTRICTED as per NICE TA448</b>
<b>9.5.1.3 Magnesium</b>		<b>NICE ESUOM4</b>
Magnesium Aspartate Dihydrate		 
Magnaspionate®		MMC  
Magnesium Glycerophosphate		  
Magnesium Sulphate		  
Magnesium Sulphate 20%; 50%		
<b>9.5.2 Phosphorus</b>		
<b>9.5.2.1 Phosphate supplements</b>		
Phosphates (Polyfusor®)	Red	  
		<b>I.V. preparation</b>
Phosphates (Phosphate-Sandoz®)		  
		<b>Effervescent tabs</b>
<b>9.5.2.2 Phosphate-binding agents</b>		<b>NICE CG157</b>
Aluminium Hydroxide	Green	  
Calcium Carbonate	Green	  
see also section 9.5.1.1		
Calcium Acetate	Green	   
Calcium Acetate / Magnesium Carbonate (Osvaren®)	Green	MMC  
		<b>RESTRICTED Renal Consultants only</b>

Lanthanum	Green	<b>MMC</b>  	<b>RESTRICTED Renal Consultants only</b>
Sevelamer Carbonate	Green	 <b>MMC</b>  	<b>RESTRICTED Renal Consultants only</b>
Sucroferric Oxyhydroxide	Red	<b>MMC</b>  	<b>RESTRICTED Renal Consultants only - 3<sup>rd</sup> line</b>
<b>9.5.3 Fluoride</b>			
Sodium Fluoride tablets, paediatric drops, dental rinse		  	
<b>9.5.4 Zinc</b>			
Zinc Sulfate Solvazinc® 125mg effervescent tabs; Zincomed® 220mg capsules		  	

<b>9.6 Vitamins</b>		<b>GMMG</b>
<b>9.6.1 Vitamin A</b>		
Vitamin A 150,000units/mL drops	  	
Vitamin A Palmitate 100,000units/2mL injection	  	
Vitamins A & D capsules	  	
<b>9.6.2 Vitamin B group</b>		
Pyridoxine Hydrochloride	  	
Thiamine	  	
Vitamin B Compound	  	
Vitamin B Compound Strong	  	
Vitamins B & C Parbrinex® Intramuscular (IM) & Intravenous (IV) injection	 	
<b>9.6.3 Vitamin C (Ascorbic acid)</b>		
Ascorbic acid	  	
<b>9.6.4 Vitamin D</b>		
Alfacalcidol	   	
Calcitriol	  	
<b>Vitamin D and calcium</b>		
Colecalciferol Calcichew D3® Forte tablets	  	<b>1<sup>st</sup> line use</b>
Calcium & Ergocalciferol calcium 97mg/vitamin D 400units	  	
Colecalciferol Cacit® D3 effervescent granules	  	
<b>9.6.5 Vitamin E (Tocopherols)</b>		
Alpha Tocopheryl Acetate (Vitamin E) 500mg/5mL liquid	  	
Alpha Tocopheryl Acetate (Vitamin E) 75 unit capsules	  	
<b>9.6.6 Vitamin K</b>		
Phytomenadione Konakion® MM & Konakion® MM Paediatric	   	
Menadiol Sodium Phosphate	   	

<b>9.6.7 Multivitamin preparations</b>		
Vitamins B,C Renavit® tablets	<b>MMC</b> <b>BNF</b> <b>emc</b>	<b>RESTRICTED</b>
Vitamins A,D,E,K Paravit-CF®	<b>MMC</b> <b>BNF</b> <b>emc</b>	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Paediatric CF patients

## 9.7 Bitters & tonics

**Mixtures containing simple and aromatic bitters are traditional remedies for loss of appetite;  
there is no evidence to support their use**

<b>9.8 Metabolic disorders</b>						
<b>9.8.1 Drugs used in metabolic disorders</b>						
Wilson's Disease						
Penicillamine						
see also section 10.1.3						
Trientine Dihydrochloride	Red					<b>3<sup>rd</sup> line use</b>
Carnitine Deficiency						
Levocarnitine		PbR X				<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>
Fabry's disease						
Agalsidase Alfa		PbR X				<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only - not stocked</b>
Migalastat		PbR X	NICE			
						<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE HST4</b>
Mucopolysaccharidosis						
Galsulfase		PbR X				
						<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only - not stocked</b>
Laronidase		PbR X				
						<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only - not stocked</b>
Elosulfase		PbR X	NICE			
						<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE HST2</b>
Nephropathic cystinosis						
Cystagon® (Mercaptamine)						
NB: prescribe as CYSTAGON®		PbR X				
Tyrosinemia type I						
Nitisinone		PbR X				
						<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>
Urea cycle disorders						<b>BIMDG</b>
Carnitumic Acid		PbR X				
						<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>
Sodium Phenylbutyrate		PbR X				
						<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>
Homocystinuria						<b>BIMDG</b>
Betaine	Red					
		PbR X				
						<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>
Sodium Benzoate						
		PbR X				
						<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>
Uridine						
Other metabolic disorders						
Eliglustat		PbR X	NICE			
						<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE HST5</b>
Asfotase alfa		PbR X	NICE			
						<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only in line with NICE HST6</b>
9.8.2 Acute porphyrias						
Haem Arginate		PbR X				

# Section 10: Musculoskeletal & Joint Diseases

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  - Antimalarials
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[Biosimilar Medicines \(KTT15\)](#)  
[Osteoarthritis \(CG177\)](#)  
[Rheumatoid arthritis in adults: management \(NG100\)](#)  
[Ataluren for treating Duchenne muscular dystrophy with a nonsense mutation in the dystrophin gene \(HST3\)](#)  
[Hyperuricaemia - febuxostat \(TA164\)](#)  
[Psoriasis - ustekinumab \(TA180\)](#)  
[Rheumatoid arthritis - drugs for treatment after failure of a TNF inhibitor \(TA195\)](#)  
[Psoriatic arthritis - etanercept, infliximab and adalimumab \(TA199\)](#)  
[Psoriatic arthritis - golumumab \(TA220\)](#)  
[Rheumatoid arthritis \(after the failure of previous DMARDs\) - golumumab \(TA225\)](#)  
[Arthritis \(juvenile idiopathic, systemic\) - tocilizumab \(TA238\)](#)  
[Rheumatoid arthritis - tocilizumab \(rapid review TA198\) \(TA247\)](#)  
[Vasculitis \(anti-neutrophil cytoplasmic antibody-associated\) - rituximab \(with glucocorticoids\) \(TA308\)](#)  
[Ustekinumab for treating active psoriatic arthritis \(rapid review of TA313\) \(TA340\)](#)  
[Abatacept, adalimumab, etanercept and tocilizumab for treating juvenile idiopathic arthritis \(TA373\)](#)  
[Adalimumab, etanercept, infliximab, certolizumab, golumumab, tocilizumab & abatacept for rheumatoid arthritis \(TA375\)](#)  
[TNF-alpha inhibitors for ankylosing spondylitis and non-radiographic axial spondyloarthritis \(TA383\)](#)  
[Belimumab for treating active autoantibody-positive systemic lupus erythematosus \(TA397\)](#)  
[Certolizumab pegol for treating rheumatoid arthritis after inadequate response to a TNF-alpha inhibitor \(TA415\)](#)  
[Certolizumab pegol and secukinumab for treating active psoriatic arthritis after inadequate response to DMARDs \(TA445\)](#)  
[Collagenase clostridium histolyticum for treating Dupuytren's contracture \(TA459\)](#)  
[Adalimumab and dexamethasone for treating non-infectious uveitis \(TA460\)](#)  
[Baricitinib for moderate to severe rheumatoid arthritis \(TA466\)](#)  
[Autologous chondrocyte implantation for treating symptomatic articular cartilage defects of the knee \(replaces TA89\) \(TA477\)](#)  
[Tofacitinib for moderate to severe rheumatoid arthritis \(TA480\)](#)  
[Sarilumab for moderate to severe rheumatoid arthritis \(TA485\)](#)  
[Lesinurad for treating chronic hyperuricaemia in people with gout \(TA506\)](#)  
[Autologous chondrocyte implantation using chondrosphere for symptomatic articular cartilage defects of the knee \(TA508\)](#)  
[Tocilizumab for treating giant cell arteritis \(TA518\)](#)  
[Ixekizumab for treating active psoriatic arthritis after inadequate response to DMARDs \(TA537\)](#)  
[Tofacitinib for treating active psoriatic arthritis after inadequate response to DMARDs \(TA543\)](#)

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## 10.1 Drugs used in rheumatic diseases & gout



### 10.1 Drugs used in rheumatic diseases & gout

#### 10.1.1 Non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs (NSAIDs)

		NICE NG100
Ibuprofen 200mg; 400mg; 600mg tablets		1 <sup>st</sup> line use
Naproxen 250mg; 500mg tablets		
Diclofenac Sodium 50mg tablets		RESTRICTED - acute post-operative pain
Flurbiprofen 50mg tablets		
Mefenamic Acid 250mg; 500mg tablets		
Meloxicam 7.5mg; 15mg tablets		
Sulindac 100mg; 200mg tablets		
Etodolac 600mg tablets		RESTRICTED Consultant Anaesthetist use only
Phenylbutazone 100mg; 200mg tablets		RESTRICTED Specialist use only, ankylosing spondylitis
<b>10.1.2 Corticosteroids</b>		
<b>10.1.2.1 Systemic corticosteroids</b>		NICE NG100
Prednisolone		
<b>10.1.2.2 Local corticosteroid injections</b>		NICE NG100
Hydrocortisone Acetate 25mg/mL injection		
Methylprednisolone Acetate 40mg/mL injection		
Triamcinolone Acetonide 10mg/mL; 40mg/mL injection		
Triamcinolone Hexacetonide 20mg/mL injection		RESTRICTED Paediatric Rheumatology Consultants only
<b>10.1.3 Drugs that suppress the rheumatic disease process</b>		
<b>Gold</b>		NICE NG100
Auranofin tablets	Amber	RESTRICTED Rheumatology Consultants only
Sodium Aurothiomalate injection	Amber	RESTRICTED Rheumatology Consultants only
<b>Penicillamine</b>		
Penicillamine tablets	Amber	RESTRICTED Rheumatology Consultants only
<b>Antimalarials</b>		
Hydroxychloroquine Amber		RESTRICTED Rheumatology Consultants only

Drugs affecting the immune response							NICE NG100
Azathioprine	Amber		BNF for children	BNF	emc		RESTRICTED Rheumatology Consultants only
see also section 8.2.1							
Ciclosporin	Amber		BNF for children	BNF	emc		RESTRICTED Consultants only
see also sections 8.2.2 & 13.5.3			MMC	BNF	emc		
Leflunomide	Amber		MMC	BNF	emc		RESTRICTED Rheumatology Consultants only
Methotrexate	Amber (oral)	Red (parenteral)	BNF for children	BNF	emc		RESTRICTED Consultants only
see also sections 1.5.3, 8.1.3 & 13.5.3			MMC	BNF	emc		
Cytokine modulators							
Abatacept	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Rheumatology Consultants only
Adalimumab	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Consultants only in line with NICE guidance
see also sections 1.5.3 & 13.5.3							
Anakinra	Red	PbR X		MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Consultants only in line with NICE guidance
Baricitinib	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Rheumatology Consultants only in line with NICE
Belimumab	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Consultants only. Financial approval for each patient
Certolizumab	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Rheumatology Consultants in line with NICE
see also section 13.5.3							
Etanercept	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Consultants only; in line with NICE guidance
Golimumab	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Consultants only in line with NICE guidance
Infliximab	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Consultants only in line with NICE guidance
Ixekizumab	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Consultants only in line with NICE guidance
80mg/1mL injection (see also section 13.5.3)							
Rituximab	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Consultants only in line with NICE guidance
see also section 8.2.3							
Sarilumab		PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Rheumatology Consultants only in line with NICE
Secukinumab	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Rheumatology Consultants only in line with NICE
Tocilizumab	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Consultants only in line with NICE guidance
Tofacitinib	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Rheumatology Consultants only in line with NICE
Ustekinumab	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	RESTRICTED Dermatology TA340 / Gastro 3 <sup>rd</sup> line Crohn's
see also section 13.5.3							
<b>10.1.4 Gout and cytotoxic induced hyperuricaemia</b>							
<b>Acute attacks of gout</b>							
Colchicine			BNF	emc			

<b>Long-term control of gout</b>		
Allopurinol		  
Febuxostat	Green	   
<b>Hyperuricaemia associated with cytotoxic drugs</b>		
Rasburicase		   
<b>10.1.5 Other drugs for rheumatic diseases</b>		
		   
		<b>NICE CG177</b>
		<b>NICE TA477</b>
		<b>NICE TA508</b>

## 10.2 Drugs used in neuromuscular disorders



### 10.2.1 Drugs that enhance neuromuscular transmission

#### Anticholinesterases

Pyridostigmine Bromide		1 <sup>st</sup> line use
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Neostigmine		
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Edrophonium Chloride		RESTRICTED - diagnosis of myasthenia gravis Licensed product discontinued
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### 10.2.2 Skeletal muscle relaxants

Baclofen		1 <sup>st</sup> line use
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10mg tablets; 5mg/mL oral solution		
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Dantrolene Sodium		
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25mg; 100mg capsules		
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Diazepam		
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see also sections 4.1.2, 4.8 & 15.1.4.1		
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Tizanidine	Amber		RESTRICTED Consultant Neurologist only
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2mg; 4mg tablets		
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Nocturnal leg cramps		
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Quinine Sulfate		
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see also section 5.4.1		
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10.2.3 Drugs used in muscular dystrophy		
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Ataluren		Specialist use only in line with NICE HST3
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oral suspension sachets		
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Nusinersen		Specialist use only for Spinal Muscular Atrophy (SMA) type 1 Named patient access
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injection		
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## 10.3 Drugs for the relief of soft-tissue inflammation



### 10.3.1 Enzymes

*Collagenase Clostridium histolyticum*

Xiapex®



**Specialist use only in line with NICE TA459**

Hyaluronidase



**RESTRICTED extravasation**

### 10.3.2 Rubefacients & other topical antirheumatics

Piroxicam

0.5% gel



Capsaicin

cream, patch



**Patch restricted to peripheral neuropathic pain specialists at TGH**

## 10.4 Miscellaneous preparations

Glucarpidase (Voraxaze®)



1,000 unit injection (see also sections 1.10, 8.4 & 13.14)



2<sup>nd</sup> line rescue therapy in patients with delayed methotrexate excretion

## Section 11: Eye

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### 11.3 Anti-infective eye preparations

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- 11.3.3 Antivirals

### 11.4 Corticosteroid & other anti-inflammatory preparations

- 11.4.1 Corticosteroids
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### 11.5 Mydriatics & cycloplegics

### 11.6 Treatment of glaucoma

### 11.7 Local anaesthetics

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[Glaucoma: diagnosis and management \(NG81\)](#)  
[Macular degeneration \(age related\) ranibizumab & pegaptanib \(TA155\)](#)  
[Macular oedema \(retinal vein occlusion\) - dexamethasone \(TA229\)](#)  
[Macular oedema \(diabetic\) - ranibizumab \(TA274\)](#)  
[Macular oedema \(retinal vein occlusion\) - ranibizumab \(TA283\)](#)  
[Macular degeneration \(wet age-related\) - aflibercept \(1<sup>st</sup> line\) \(TA294\)](#)  
[Vitreomacular traction - ocriplasmin \(TA297\)](#)  
[Choroidal neovascularisation \(pathological myopia\) - ranibizumab \(TA298\)](#)  
[Diabetic macular oedema - fluocinolone acetonide intravitreal implant \(rapid review of TA271\) \(TA301\)](#)  
[Macular oedema \(central retinal vein occlusion\) - aflibercept solution for injection \(TA305\)](#)  
[Aflibercept for treating diabetic macular oedema \(TA346\)](#)  
[Dexamethasone intravitreal implant for treating diabetic macular oedema \(TA349\)](#)  
[Ciclosporin for treating dry eye disease that has not improved despite treatment with artificial tears \(TA369\)](#)  
[Aflibercept for treating visual impairment caused by macular oedema after branch retinal vein occlusion \(TA409\)](#)  
[Adalimumab and dexamethasone for treating non-infectious uveitis \(TA460\)](#)  
[Holoclar for treating limbal stem cell deficiency after eye burns \(TA467\)](#)  
[Aflibercept for treating choroidal neovascularisation \(TA486\)](#)  
[Cenegermin for treating neurotrophic keratitis \(TA532\)](#)

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## 11.3 Anti-infective eye preparations

### 11.3.1 Antibacterials

Chloramphenicol	 	
0.5% eye drops, 1% eye ointment		
Fusidic Acid (ophthalmic)	 	
1% eye drops		
Amikacin (ophthalmic)		  <b>RESTRICTED microbial keratitis. Consultant Ophthalmologist only</b>
2.5% eye drops		<b>NOT STOCKED</b>
Amphotericin	 	<b>RESTRICTED Consultant Ophthalmologist only</b>
0.15% eye drops		
Ceftazidime (ophthalmic)		  <b>RESTRICTED Consultant Ophthalmologist only</b>
5% eye drops		<b>NOT STOCKED</b>
Cefuroxime (ophthalmic)		  <b>RESTRICTED Consultant Ophthalmologist only</b>
5% eye drops		
Chlorhexidine (ophthalmic)		  <b>RESTRICTED acanthamoeba keratitis. Consultant only</b>
0.02% eye drops		
Ciprofloxacin (ophthalmic)	 	<b>RESTRICTED microbial keratitis. Consultant Ophthalmologist only</b>
0.3% eye drops		
Erythromycin (ophthalmic)		  <b>RESTRICTED superficial eye infections</b>
0.5% eye ointment		
Gentamicin (ophthalmic)		  <b>RESTRICTED Consultant Ophthalmologist only</b>
1.5% eye drops (Use with cefuroxime eye drops)		
Levofloxacin (ophthalmic)	 	<b>RESTRICTED Consultant only corneal ulcers/ keratitis</b>
0.5% eye drops		
Ofloxacin	 	<b>RESTRICTED Consultant Ophthalmologist only</b>
0.3% eye drops		
Penicillin (ophthalmic)		  <b>RESTRICTED microbial keratitis. Consultant Ophthalmologist only</b>
2,500 units/mL eye drops		
Polyhexamethylene Biguanide (PHMB)		 
0.02% eye drops		<b>NOT STOCKED</b>
Polymyxin B Sulfate	 	<b>RESTRICTED gram negative bacteria, including pseudomonas</b>
eye ointment		
Propamidine Isetionate	 	<b>RESTRICTED Consultant Ophthalmologist only</b>
0.1% eye drops		
Vancomycin (ophthalmic)		  <b>RESTRICTED gram positives, including MRSA but not VRE</b>
5% eye drops		<b>NOT STOCKED</b>
Natamycin		  <b>RESTRICTED fungal keratitis, conjunctivitis, fungal blepharitis</b>
5% eye drops		
<b>11.3.3 Antivirals</b>		
Aciclovir	 	
3% eye ointment		
Trifluorothymidine		 
1% eye drops		

## 11.4 Corticosteroid & other anti-inflammatory preparations



### 11.4.1 Corticosteroids

Betamethasone		
0.1% eye drops & ointment		
Dexamethasone		
0.1% eye drops & minims		
Dexamethasone (Intravitreal implant)		RESTRICTED as per NICE TA229; TA349 & TA460
700micrograms intravitreal implant		
Fluocinolone Acetonide		RESTRICTED as per NICE TA301 and uveitis (off-label)
190micrograms intravitreal implant		
Prednisolone		
0.5% eye drops; 1% eye drops; 0.5% minims		
Fluorometholone		
0.1% eye drops		
Triamcinolone Acetonide (Triesence®)		RESTRICTED uveitis; sympathetic ophthalmia
40mg/mL injectable suspension		
<b>Corticosteroids preparations with antibiotics</b>		
Betamethasone / Neomycin Sulphate		
0.1% / 0.5% eye drops (Betnesol-N®)		
Dexamethasone / Neomycin Sulphate / Polymyxin B Sulphate		
1 mg/mL : 3500 IU/mL : 6000 IU/mL (Maxitrol® eye drops & ointment)		
<b>11.4.2 Other anti-inflammatory preparations</b>		
Sodium Cromoglicate		
2% eye drops		
Antazoline with Xylometazoline		
0.5% eye drops		
Azelastine		RESTRICTED allergic conjunctivitis, children only
0.05% eye drops		
Lodoxamide		RESTRICTED allergic conjunctivitis
0.1% eye drops		
Olopatadine		RESTRICTED Seasonal allergic conjunctivitis
1mg/mL eye drops		
Potassium Ascorbate		RESTRICTED for management of chemical burns to the cornea
10% eye drops		

## 11.5 Mydriatics & cycloplegics



### Antimuscarinics

Atropine Sulphate

1% minims



Cyclopentolate Hydrochloride

1% eye drops, 0.5%, 1% minims



Tropicamide

0.5%, 1% eye drops, 0.5%, 1% minims



### Sympathomimetics

Phenylephrine Hydrochloride

2.5%, 10% minims



**10% contraindicated in children & the elderly**

### Sympathomimetics with tropicamide

Phenylephrine Hydrochloride with Tropicamide (Mydriaser®)

5.4mg / 280micrograms ophthalmic insert



**RESTRICTED Pre-operative mydriasis in cataract patients**

## 11.6 Treatment of glaucoma

**NICE NG81**

<b>Beta-blockers</b>		
Timolol		
0.25%, 0.5% eye drops		
Timolol once daily		
0.25%, 0.5% long-acting ophthalmic gel		
Betaxolol		
0.25%, 0.5% eye drops, 0.25% minims		
Levobunolol Hydrochloride		
0.5% eye drops		
<b>Prostaglandin analogues and prostamides</b>		
Travoprost		
40 microgram/mL eye drops		
Latanoprost		
50 microgram/mL eye drops		
Latanoprost (preservative free)		
50 microgram/mL preservative free eye drops		
Bimatoprost		
100 microgram/mL eye drops		
<b>Prostaglandin analogues (combination products)</b>		
Bimatoprost / Timolol (Ganfort®)		
100microgram/mL / 0.5% eye drops		
<b>Sympathomimetics</b>		
Brimonidine Tartrate		
0.2% eye drops		
Apraclonidine		RESTRICTED to delay laser treatment / surgery in uncontrolled glaucoma
0.5% eye drops		
<b>Carbonic anhydrase inhibitors &amp; systemic drugs</b>		
Acetazolamide		
250mg tablets; Diamox SR® 250mg capsules		
Brinzolamide		
10mg/mL eye drops		
Dorzolamide		
2% eye drops; also preservative free		
Dorzolamide / Timolol (Cosopt®)		
2% eye drops; also preservative free		
Brinzolamide / Brimonidine (Simbrinza®)		RESTRICTED glaucoma patients in whom monotherapy provides insufficient IOP reduction
2% eye drops		
<b>Miotics</b>		
Pilocarpine		
1%, 2%, 4% eye drops, 2% minims		
Pilocarpine		
4% ophthalmic gel		

## 11.7 Local anaesthetics



### Ocular Local anaesthetics

Lidocaine (Lignocaine) and Fluorescein (minims)

4% / 0.25% eye drops



Oxybuprocaine (minims)

0.4% eye drops



Proxymetacaine (minims)

0.5% eye drops



Tetracaine (Amethocaine) (minims)

1%, 2% eye drops





## 11.8 Miscellaneous ophthalmic preparations

### Other preparations

Ciclosporin (eye)	<b>U</b>		<b>RESTRICTED Consultant Ophthalmologist only</b>
2% eye drops			
Ciclosporin (Ikervis®)			<b>RESTRICTED Consultant Ophthalmologist only in line with NICE TA369</b>
1mg/mL eye drops			
Sodium Chloride	<b>U</b>		
5% eye drops			
Botulinum toxin type A			<b>RESTRICTED Consultant Ophthalmologist only</b>
Xeomin® solution for injection			
<b>11.8.1 Tear deficiency, ocular lubricants &amp; astringents</b>			
Hypromellose			
0.3% eye drops			
Carbomers (Viscotears®)			
0.2% eye drops			
Polyvinyl alcohol (Liquifilm Tears®)			
1.4% eye drops			
Hydroxyethylcellulose (Minims® Artificial Tears)			
eye drops			
Carmellose Sodium (Celluvisc®)			
0.5% eye drops			
Liquid Paraffin (Laci-Lube®)			
ointment			
Acetylcysteine (llube®)	<b>U</b>		
5% eye drops			
Sodium Chloride (minims)			
0.9% eye drops			
Sodium Hyaluronate (Hylo-Forte®)			
0.2% eye drops			
Alteplase			<b>RESTRICTED Consultant Ophthalmologist only</b>
25microgram in 0.1mL Intravitreal injection			
Poly (carboxymethylglucose sulfate) (Cacicol®)			<b>RESTRICTED Consultant Ophthalmologist only</b>
eye drops (0.33mL)			<b>NOT STOCKED</b>
<b>11.8.2 Ocular diagnostic &amp; peri-operative preparations &amp; photodynamic treatment</b>			
<b>Ocular diagnostic preparations</b>			
Fluorescein Sodium			
1%; 2% preservative free eye drops			
<b>Ocular peri-operative drugs</b>			
Ketorolac Trometamol			<b>RESTRICTED Consultant Ophthalmologist only</b>
0.5% eye drops			
Apraclonidine			<b>RESTRICTED Consultant Ophthalmologist only</b>
0.5% eye drops; 1% preservative free eye drops			
Acetylcholine Chloride			<b>RESTRICTED Consultant Ophthalmologist only</b>
1% intraocular irrigation			
Bromfenac (Yellox®)			<b>RESTRICTED Consultant only for pseudophakic CMO</b>
0.9 mg/mL eye drops			

Nepafenac (Nevanac®) 1 mg/mL eye drops	<b>MMC</b>  	<b>RESTRICTED.</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> line post cataract surgery in diabetics. 2 <sup>nd</sup> line CMO
Povidone-Iodine 5% eye drops	 <b>MMC</b>  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Consultant Ophthalmologist only
Densiron® 68 (Heavy Silicone oil) 10mL syringe	 <b>MMC</b> 	<b>RESTRICTED</b> intraocular tamponade of inferior retinal breaks
Silicone oil 1300CST injection 10mL syringe	 <b>MMC</b> 	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Consultant Ophthalmologist only
Silicone oil 5700CST injection 10mL syringe	 <b>MMC</b> 	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Consultant Ophthalmologist only
<b>Subfoveal choroidal neovascularisation</b>		
Bevacizumab 100mg in 4mL vial	 <b>MMC</b>  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Consultant Ophthalmologist only
Ranibizumab 10mg/mL injection	  <b>MMC</b>  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Consultant Ophthalmologist only
Verteporfin 15mg vial	 <b>MMC</b>  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Consultant Ophthalmologist only
Aflibercept 40mg in 1mL injection	  <b>MMC</b>  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Consultant Ophthalmologist only
<b>Vitreomacular traction</b>		
Ocriplasmin 0.5 mg in 0.2mL injection	  <b>MMC</b>  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Consultant Ophthalmologist only

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[Otitis media \(acute\): antimicrobial prescribing \(NG91\)](#)

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## 12.1 Drugs acting on the ear



### 12.1.1 Otitis externa

#### Astringent preparations

Aluminium Acetate



#### Anti-inflammatory preparations

Betamethasone Sodium Phosphate (Betnesol®)



0.1% ear drops

Prednisolone Sodium Phosphate (Predsol®)



0.5% ear drops

#### Anti-inflammatory with antibacterial preparations

Dexamethasone / Neomycin Sulphate (Otomize®)



0.1% / 3250u per mL ear spray

Dexamethasone / Framycetin Sulphate / Gramicidin (Sofradex®)



0.05% / 0.5% / 0.005% ear/eye drops

Flumetasone Pivalate / Clioquinol (Locorten-Vioform®)



0.02% / 1% ear drops

Hydrocortisone / Gentamicin



1% / 0.3% ear drops

Hydrocortisone / Neomycin Sulfate / Polymyxin B Sulphate (Otosporin®)



10mg per mL : 3400u per 1mL : 10,000u per 1mL (10mL ear drops)

#### Anti-infective preparations

Clotrimazole



1% ear drops

#### 12.1.3 Removal of ear wax

Chlorobutanol / Arachis oil (Cerumol®)



ear drops

Olive oil ear drops



ear drops

Sodium Bicarbonate



5% ear drops

## 12.2 Drugs acting on the nose



### 12.2.1 Drugs used in nasal allergy

#### Antihistamines

Azelastine Hydrochloride

140micrograms nasal spray



#### Corticosteroids

Beclometasone Dipropionate

50micrograms nasal spray



**1<sup>st</sup> line use**

Betamethasone Sodium Phosphate

0.1% nose drops



Mometasone Furoate

50micrograms nasal spray



**1<sup>st</sup> line use nasal polyps**

Fluticasone Furoate (Avamys®)

27.5micrograms nasal spray



Fluticasone Propionate / Azelastine (Dymista®)

50micrograms / 137micrograms nasal spray



**RESTRICTED ENT referral to 1<sup>RY</sup> Care / Paeds 3<sup>rd</sup> line use**

#### Cromoglicate

Sodium Cromoglicate

4% nasal spray



### 12.2.2 Topical nasal decongestants

#### Sympathomimetics

Ephedrine Hydrochloride

0.5%; 1% nasal drops



**1<sup>st</sup> line use**

Sodium Chloride

0.9% nasal drops



Xylometazoline Hydrochloride

0.1% nasal drops



#### Antimuscarinics

Ipratropium Bromide

0.03% nasal spray



Rhinorrhoea associated with allergic & non-allergic rhinitis

### 12.2.3 Nasal preparations for infection

Chlorhexidine Dihydrochloride / Neomycin (Naseptin®)

0.1% / 0.5% nasal cream



**1<sup>st</sup> line use staphylococcal infections**

Mupirocin

2% nasal ointment



**RESTRICTED only if MRSA has been identified**

## 12.3 Drugs acting on the oropharynx



### 12.3.1 Drugs for oral ulceration & inflammation

#### Local Analgesics

Benzydamine Hydrochloride

0.15% oral rinse; 0.15% spray



Carmellose Sodium

30g protective paste



#### Corticosteroids

Hydrocortisone



### 12.3.2 Oropharyngeal anti-infective drugs

#### Oropharyngeal fungal infections

Nystatin

100,000 units/mL oral suspension



Amphotericin



Miconazole

2% oral gel



### 12.3.4 Mouthwashes, gargles & dentifrices

Chlorhexidine Gluconate

0.2% mouthwash



### 12.3.5 Treatment of dry mouth

#### Local treatment

AS Saliva Orthana®



BioXtra®

oral gel



#### Systemic treatment

Pilocarpine

5mg tablets



**RESTRICTED Consultant use only  
following irradiation for head & neck  
cancer**

## Section 13: Skin

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Biosimilar Medicines (KTT15)  
 Atopic eczema in children (CG57)  
 Surgical site infection (CG74)  
 Psoriasis: assessment and management (CG153)  
 Pressure Ulcers (CG179)  
 Pubic lice CKS (2011)  
 Scabies CKS (2011)  
 Acne vulgaris CKS (2014)  
 Head lice CKS (2015)  
 Atopic dermatitis (eczema) - topical steroids (TA81)  
 Atopic dermatitis (eczema) - pimecrolimus and tacrolimus (TA82)  
 Psoriasis - efalizumab and etanercept (TA103)  
 Psoriasis - infliximab (TA134)  
 Psoriasis - adalimumab (TA146)  
 Altretinoin for the treatment of severe chronic hand eczema (TA177)  
 Psoriasis - ustekinumab (TA180)  
 Melanoma (stage III or IV) - ipilimumab (TA268)  
 Melanoma (BRAF V600 mutation positive, unresectable metastatic) - vemurafenib (TA269)  
 Ustekinumab for treating active psoriatic arthritis (rapid review of TA313) (TA340)  
 Secukinumab for treating moderate to severe plaque psoriasis (TA350)  
 Adalimumab for treating moderate to severe hidradenitis suppurativa (TA392)  
 Nivolumab in combination with ipilimumab for treating advanced melanoma (TA400)  
 Apremilast for treating moderate to severe plaque psoriasis (replaces TA368) (TA419)  
 Apremilast for treating active psoriatic arthritis (TA433)  
 Ixekizumab for treating moderate to severe plaque psoriasis (TA442)  
 Adalimumab, etanercept and ustekinumab for treating plaque psoriasis in children and young people (TA455)  
 Dimethyl fumarate for treating moderate to severe plaque psoriasis (TA475)  
 Brodalumab for treating moderate to severe plaque psoriasis (TA511)  
 Guselkumab for treating moderate to severe plaque psoriasis (TA521)  
 Dupilumab for treating moderate to severe atopic dermatitis (TA534)

EMA (efalizumab)

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<b>13.2 Emollient &amp; barrier preparations</b>			<b>GMMG</b>
<b>13.2.1 Emollients</b>			
<b>Non-Proprietary emollient preparations</b>			
Aqueous cream BP cream	  <b>BNF</b>		
Emulsifying ointment BP ointment	  <b>BNF</b>		
Liquid & white soft paraffin ointment	  <b>BNF</b>		
Paraffin, white soft BP white petroleum jelly	  <b>BNF</b>		
Paraffin, yellow soft BP yellow petroleum jelly	  <b>BNF</b>		
<b>Proprietary emollient preparations</b>			
Diprobase®	  <b>BNF</b>		
Doublebase®	  <b>BNF</b>		
Hydromol®	  <b>MMC</b>   <b>BNF</b>		
Oilatum®	  <b>BNF</b>		
<b>Preparations containing urea</b>			
Balneum® Plus	  <b>BNF</b>		
<b>With antimicrobials</b>			
Dermol® & Dermol® 500	  <b>MMC</b>   <b>BNF</b>		<b>RESTRICTED</b> patients unable to tolerate 1 <sup>st</sup> / 2 <sup>nd</sup> line antimicrobial washes
<b>13.2.1.1 Emollient bath and shower preparations</b>			
Balneum® & Balneum Plus®	  <b>BNF</b>		
Oilatum®	  <b>BNF</b>		
<b>With antimicrobials</b>			
Dermol® 600 bath emolient	  <b>BNF</b>		
Oilatum® Plus bath emolient	  <b>BNF</b>		<b>2<sup>nd</sup> line MRSA decolonisation therapy</b>
<b>13.2.2 Barrier preparations</b>			<b>Nappy care guidelines</b>
<b>Proprietary barrier preparations</b>			
Metanium® ointment	  <b>BNF</b>		<b>2<sup>nd</sup> line only at parental request</b>
Sudocrem® cream	  <b>BNF</b>		<b>2<sup>nd</sup> line only at parental request</b>

13.3 Topical local anaesthetics & antipruritics		GMMG
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Crotamiton	  	
cream; lotion		
Mepyramine Maleate		
2% w/w cream		

## 13.4 Topical corticosteroids

### Corticosteroid only preparations

#### HYDROCORTISONE

Canesten HC®

hydrocortisone 1% plus clotrimazole 1% cream



BNF



GMMG

NICE TA81

Potency

Mild

Daktacort®

hydrocortisone 1%, miconazole nitrate 2% cream; ointment



BNF



Mild

Eurax-Hydrocortisone®

hydrocortisone 0.25%, crotamiton 10% cream



BNF



Mild

Fucidin H®

hydrocortisone 1%, fusidic acid 1% cream



BNF



Mild

#### BETAMETHASONE ESTERS

Betamethasone valerate

0.025% ointment, cream



BNF



Potency

Betnovate-RD®

Betamethasone valerate 0.025% cream; ointment



BNF



Moderate

#### CLOBETASONE BUTYRATE

Eumovate® (Clobetasone Butyrate)

0.05% cream; ointment



BNF



Moderate

#### BETAMETHASONE ESTERS

Betamethasone valerate

0.1% ointment; cream; lotion; scalp lotion



BNF



Potency

Betnovate®

0.1% cream; ointment; scalp application; lotion



BNF



Potent

Betnovate-C®

Betamethasone valerate 0.1% plus clioquinol 3% cream; ointment



BNF



Potent

Betnovate-N®

Betamethasone valerate 0.1% plus neomycin 0.5% cream; ointment



BNF



Potent

Diprosalic®

Betamethasone dipropionate 0.05%, salicylic acid 3% ointment



BNF



Potent

Fucibet®

Betamethasone valerate 0.1% plus fusidic acid 2% cream



BNF



Potent

Betnovate®

DERMATOLOGY ONLY

ointment 25% in coal tar



BNF



Potent

#### CLOBETASOL PROPIONATE

Dermovate®

clobetasol propionate 0.05% ointment; cream; lotion; scalp lotion



BNF



Potency

Very potent

Dermovate NN®

clobetasol propionate 0.05% plus neomycin plus nystatin cream



BNF



Very potent

Etrivex®

Primary Care referral

clobetasol propionate 500 micrograms/g shampoo

MMC

BNF



RESTRICTED - 1ry Care referral

<b>13.5 Preparations for eczema &amp; psoriasis</b>								
<b>13.5.1 Preparations for eczema</b>								
Altretinoin	 Red	(chronic hand eczema)	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants only
10mg; 30mg capsules								
<b>13.5.2 Preparations for psoriasis</b>								
<b>Topical preparations for psoriasis</b>						<b>NICE CG153</b>		
Calcipotriol							<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants only	
Dovonex® ointment; with Betamethasone (Dovobet® 0.05% ointment)								
Dithranol							<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants only	
Dithocream®, 0.1% & 0.25%								
Salicylic acid							<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants only	
Zinc & Salicylic acid paste BP (Lassar's Paste)								
Tacalcitol (Curatoderm®)							<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants only	
lotion; ointment								
<b>Tars</b>								
Coal tar paste BP							<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants only	
paste								
Cocois®							<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants only	
scalp ointment								
<b>Oral retinoids for psoriasis</b>								
Acitretin	 Red	(predominantly due to safety concerns in pregnancy)					<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants only	
10mg; 25mg capsules								
<b>Dimethyl Fumarate</b>								
Dimethyl Fumarate	 Red						<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants only in line with NICE	
30mg; 120mg tablets			PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	
<b>13.5.3 Drugs affecting the immune response</b>								
Azathioprine							<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants only	
25mg; 50mg tablets (see also section 8.2.1)								
Ciclosporin							<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants only	
25mg, 50mg & 100mg caps; 100mg/1mL oral soln; Infusion (see also section 8.2.2)								
Methotrexate							<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants only	
2.5mg tablets (see also sections 8.1.3 & 10.1.3)								
Pimecrolimus							<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants only	
1% cream								
Tacrolimus (specially made by SRFT)								<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants only
0.03%; 0.1% ointment								

<b>Cytokine Modulators</b>							(see also section 10.1.3)
Adalimumab injection (see also section 10.1.3)	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants only
Brodalumab 140mg/mL injection	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants only in line with NICE
Certolizumab 200mg injection (see also section 10.1.3)	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants only in line with NICE
Dupilumab 150mg/mL injection	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants only in line with NICE
Etanercept injection (see also section 10.1.3)	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants only
Guselkumab 100mg/mL injection	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants only in line with NICE
Infliximab 100mg injection (see section 10.1.3)	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants only in line with NICE
Ixekizumab 80mg/1mL injection	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants in line with NICE
Ustekinumab injection (see section 10.1.3)	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology NICE TA180 & 455 / Gastro 3 <sup>rd</sup> line Crohn's
Secukinumab 150mg/1mL injection	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Consultants only in line with NICE
Apremilast 10mg; 20mg; 30mg tablets	Red	PbR X	NICE	MMC	BNF	emc	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants in line with NICE

## 13.6 Acne & Rosacea

### 13.6.1 Topical preparations for acne



NICE CKS: Acne

For mild to moderate acne, use topical benzyl peroxide or a topical retinoid 1<sup>st</sup> line. Topical antibiotic should be reserved for patients who have not responded to other topical preparations.

#### Benzyl peroxide & azelaic acid

Benzoyl Peroxide		1 <sup>st</sup> line
4% cream; 5% gel		

Azelaic acid (Skinoren®)

20% cream

#### Topical antibacterials for acne

Clindamycin (Dalacin T®)		2 <sup>nd</sup> / 3 <sup>rd</sup> line
1% topical lotion		

Erythromycin (Zineryt®)

40mg/mL erythromycin; zinc acetate 12mg/mL lotion

#### Topical retinoids & related preparations for acne

Adapalene (Differin®)		1 <sup>st</sup> line
0.1% cream; 0.1% gel		

#### Topical retinoids with antibacterial

Isotretinoin with Erythromycin (Isotrexin®)		RESTRICTED Dermatology Consultants only
isotretinoin 500micrograms/1g; erythromycin 20mg/1g gel		

### 13.6.2 Oral preparations for acne

Oral antibiotics should be reserved for moderate to severe acne or where topical preparations have failed. Please refer to chapter 5.

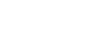
Lymecycline		RESTRICTED GP referral only
408mg capsules (see also section 5.1.3)		

#### Hormone treatment for acne

Co-cyprindiol		RESTRICTED GP referral only
Cyproterone acetate 2mg / ethinylestradiol 35micrograms tablets		

#### Oral retinoid for acne

Isotretinoin <span style="background-color: red; padding: 2px;">Red</span> (due to safety concerns in pregnancy)		RESTRICTED Dermatology Consultants only
5mg; 10mg; 20mg; 40mg capsules		

<b>13.7 Preparations for warts &amp; calluses</b>		
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Salicylic acid ointment; liquid	  	
Silver Nitrate pencil	  	<b>RESTRICTED Dermatology Consultants only</b>
<b>Anogenital warts</b>		
Podophyllotoxin 0.15% cream	  	<b>1<sup>st</sup> line</b>
Imiquimod 5% cream	   	<b>RESTRICTED GUM Consultant only</b>

<b>13.8 Sunscreens &amp; camouflagers</b>			<b>GMMG</b>
<b>13.8.1 Sunscreen preparations</b>			
<b>Photodamage</b>			
Methyl-5-Aminolevulinate  160mg/g cream	<b>MMC</b>		<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants & Vulval Intraepithelial Neoplasia (VIN) only
Diclofenac Sodium (Solaraze®)  3% gel	<b>BNF</b> for children		<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants
Fluorouracil / salicylic acid (Actikerall®)  0.5% / 10% cutaneous solution	<b>MMC</b>		<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants moderately thick hyperkeratotic AK (grade I/II)
Ingenol Mebutate (Picato®)  150 micrograms/g gel (face & scalp); 500 micrograms/g gel (trunk & extremities)	<b>MMC</b>		<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants for recommendation to GP's / not stocked

<b>13.9 Shampoos &amp; other preparations for scalp / hair conditions</b>		<b>GMMG</b>
<b>Shampoos</b>		
Ketoconazole (Nizoral®) 2% shampoo	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> persistent / severe seborrhoeic dermatitis / dandruff
Capasal® coal tar 1%, coconut oil 1% &, salicylic acid 0.5% shampoo	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants only
Cetrimide with Undecenoic acid (Ceanel Concentrate®) cetrimide 10%, undecenoic acid 1% & phenylethyl alcohol 7.5% shampoo	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants only
<b>Other scalp preparations</b>		
Polytar® 40mg/mL coal tar scalp shampoo	  	
<b>Hirsutism</b>		
Eflornithine (Vaniqa®) 11.5% cream	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants only

## 13.10 Anti-infective skin preparations

### 13.10.1 Antibacterial preparations

**Topical antibacterials should generally be avoided for the treatment of infections**

#### 13.10.1.1 Antibacterial preparations only used topically

Mupirocin	  	
2% cream; ointment		
Fusidic acid	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> superficial impetigo
2% cream; ointment		
Metronidazole	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> topical treatment of rosacea
0.75% topical gel; cream		
Silver Sulfadiazine	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Treatment & prophylaxis of infected burns
1% w/w cream		

#### 13.10.2 Antifungal preparations

Amorolfine	   	<b>1<sup>st</sup> line</b> antifungal for finger & toenail infections
5% nail lacquer		
Benzoic acid ointment, compound, BP	  	<b>1<sup>st</sup> line</b> treatment of ringworm
benzoic acid 6%, salicylic acid 3%, in emulsifying ointment		
Clotrimazole	  	<b>1<sup>st</sup> line</b> fungal skin infections
1% cream		
Miconazole	  	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> line</b> fungal skin infections
2% cream		
Terbinafine	  	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> line</b> fungal skin infections
1% cream		

#### 13.10.3 Antiviral preparations

Aciclovir	  	<b>1<sup>st</sup> line</b>
5% cream		

#### 13.10.4 Parasiticidal preparations

		NICE CKS: Head lice
		NICE CKS: Pubic lice
		NICE CKS: Scabies

Scabies, Head, Body & Pubic lice guidelines

Malathion	  	
0.5% aqueous solution		

#### Permethrin

1% crème rinse; 5% dermal cream	  	
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#### 13.10.5 Preparations for minor cuts & abrasions

Proflavine cream, BPC	  	
0.1% cream		

#### Brulidine

0.15% w/w cream		
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#### Preparations for boils

Magnesium Sulfate		
paste, BP		

#### Skin tissue adhesive

Histoacryl®	  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Theatres only
0.5mL skin adhesive		

<b>13.11 Skin cleaners, antiseptics &amp; desloughing agents</b>		<b>GMMG</b>
<b>13.11.1 Alcohols &amp; saline</b>		
Isopropyl Alcohol 70%	  	
Sodium Chloride 0.9% irrigation solution	  	
<b>13.11.2 Chlorhexidine salts</b>		
Chlorhexidine Gluconate	  	
<b>13.11.4 Iodine</b>		
Alcoholic Iodine solution BP	  	
Iodine weak solution	  	
Povidone-Iodine	  	
<b>13.11.6 Oxidisers &amp; dyes</b>		
Hydrogen Peroxide solution, BP 3% solution; 6% solution	  	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>
Potassium Permanganate	  	<b>RESTRICTED Specialist use only</b>
<b>13.11.7 Desloughing agents</b>		
<b>CONTACT THE TISSUE VIABILITY TEAM on x64042</b>		

<b>13.12 Antiperspirants</b>		<b>GMMG</b>
<b>Aluminium salts</b>		
Aluminium Chloride Hexahydrate 20% solution	 <b>BNF</b> 	
<b>Glycopyrronium Bromide</b>		
Glycopyrronium Bromide (Robinul®)	 <b>MMC</b>  	
Glycopyrrolate 0.5% cream	  <b>MMC</b>  	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Diabetes Consultants only for gustatory sweating

## 13.13 Topical circulatory preparations

### *Topical circulatory preparations*

Hirudoid®

0.3% cream; 0.3% gel



## 13.14 Miscellaneous preparations

8-Methoxysoralen 10mg tablets	<b>U</b>	<b>MMC</b>	<b>emc</b>	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants only
Fumaric Acid Esters (Fumaderm®) tablets	<b>U</b>	<b>MMC</b>	<b>emc</b>	<b>RESTRICTED</b> Dermatology Consultants only
Glucarpidase (Voraxaze®) 1,000 unit injection (see also sections 1.10, 8.4 & 10.4)	<b>U</b>	<b>PbR X MMC</b>	<b>emc</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> line rescue therapy in patients with delayed methotrexate excretion</b>
Hyaluronic acid / Lidocaine (Juvederm® / Belotero®)	<b>U</b>	<b>MMC</b>	<b>emc</b>	<b>RESTRICTED (unlicensed) vocal cord paralysis</b>

# Section 14: Immunological products & vaccines

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## 14.4 Vaccines & antisera

- Bacillus Calmette-Guérin (BCG) vaccines
- Botulism antitoxin
- Diphtheria vaccines (children under 10yrs old)
- Diphtheria vaccines (children over 10yrs old & adults)
- Haemophilus type B conjugate vaccine
- Hepatitis A vaccine
- Hepatitis B vaccine
- Human papilloma virus vaccine
- Influenza vaccine
- Measles, Mumps & Rubella (MMR) vaccine
- Meningococcal vaccines
- Pneumococcal vaccines
- Poliomyelitis vaccines
- Rabies vaccines
- Tetanus vaccines
- Typhoid vaccines
- Varicella-zoster vaccines

## 14.5 Immunoglobulins

- 14.5.1 Normal immunoglobulin
- 14.5.2 Disease-specific immunoglobulins
- 14.5.3 Anti-D ( $\text{Rh}_0$ ) immunoglobulin

## Trust Guidelines

[Adult medicines and prescribing guidelines](#)  
[Paediatric medicines and prescribing guidelines](#)  
[Neonatal guidelines \(link to Staffnet site\)](#)  
[Guidelines for the Prescribing and Administration of Intravenous Immunoglobulin](#)  
[Immunoglobulin follow up form](#)  
[Immunoglobulin Prescribing and Administration Guidelines](#)  
[Immunoglobulin Prescribing Flow Chart](#)  
[Immunoglobulin request form](#)  
[National Demand Programme for Immunoglobulin - Clinical Info](#)  
[Non-formulary Conversion Table](#)

## NICE Guidance

[Pregnancy - routine anti-D prophylaxis for rhesus negative women \(TA156\)](#)

## GMMMG Formulary

[Formulary Homepage](#)  
[Chapter 14: Immunological products & vaccines \(Complete\) IN DEVELOPMENT](#)  
[GMMMG Adult Red/Amber/Green; DNP and Grey Drug List](#)  
[GMMMG Paediatric Red/Amber/Green Drug List](#)

## Other Links

[National Immunoglobulin Database](#)  
[DH: Clinical guidelines for immunoglobulin use \(2<sup>nd</sup> edition update\)](#)  
[Immunoglobulin handbook \(HPA\)](#)

## 14.4 Vaccines & antisera

### **Bacillus Calmette-Guérin (BCG) vaccines**

Bacillus Calmette-Guérin (BCG) vaccine injection	  	
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BCG vaccine diagnostic agent (Tuberculin purified protein derivative (PPD))

injection	  	
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### **Botulism antitoxin**

Botulism antitoxin injection	  	<b>RESTRICTED Emergencies only</b>
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### **Diphtheria vaccines (children under 10yrs old)**

Pediacel® injection	  	
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Infanrix-IPV+Hib®

injection	  	
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Infanrix-IPV®

injection	  	
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Repevax®

injection	  	
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### **Diphtheria vaccines (children over 10yrs old & adults)**

Revaxis® injection	  	
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### **Haemophilus type B conjugate vaccine**

Haemophilus Influenzae B vaccine Hiberix®	  	
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Haemophilus Influenzae B & Meningitis C vaccine

Monitorix®	  	
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### **Hepatitis A vaccine**

Hepatitis A vaccine single component Havrix Monodose®; Havrix Junior Monodose®; Vaqta® Paediatric	  	
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### **Hepatitis B vaccine**

Hepatitis B single component Engerix B®; Engerix B® Paediatric	  	
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Hepatitis B single component

HBvaxPRO®; HBvaxPRO® Paediatric	  	
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### **Human papilloma virus (HPV) vaccine**

Human Papilloma Virus (HPV) quadrivalent vaccine Gardasil®	  	<b>RESTRICTED to Consultant Paediatric Immunologist</b>
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### **Influenza vaccine**

Influenza vaccine injection, intranasal	  	
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### **Measles, Mumps & Rubella (MMR) vaccine**

Measles, Mumps & Rubella vaccine injection	  	
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### **Meningococcal vaccines**

Meningococcal Polysaccharide A, C, W135 & Y vaccine injection	  	
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Meningococcal group B vaccine

Bexsero® injection	  	<b>RESTRICTED to childhood immunisation schedule &amp; high risk patients</b>
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Meningococcal group C vaccine injection	 	
<b>Pneumococcal vaccines</b>		
Pneumococcal Polysaccharide vaccine injection	 	
<b>Poliomyelitis vaccines</b>		
Poliomyelitis vaccine inactivated	 	
<b>Rabies vaccines</b>		
Rabies vaccine inactivated Rabipur®		<b>RESTRICTED Not Stocked</b>
<b>Tetanus vaccines</b>		
Tetanus vaccine adsorbed	 	
<b>Typhoid vaccines</b>		
Typhoid polysaccharide vaccine Typhim Vi®	 	
<b>Varicella-zoster vaccines</b>		
Varicella-Zoster live attenuated vaccine Varivax®	 	

## 14.5 Immunoglobulins

### 14.5.1 Normal immunoglobulin

Red

(for ITP &amp; home treatment programmes)

#### For intramuscular use

Normal Immunoglobulin injection

PbR X



BNF



RESTRICTED Specialist use only

#### For subcutaneous use

Normal Immunoglobulin injection

PbR X



BNF



RESTRICTED Specialist use only

#### For intravenous use

Human normal Immunoglobulin

PbR X



BNF



RESTRICTED Specialist use only

### 14.5.2 Disease-specific immunoglobulins

#### Hepatitis B immunoglobulin

Hepatitis B Immunoglobulin



BNF



RESTRICTED Not Stocked

#### Tetanus immunoglobulin

Tetanus Immunoglobulin



BNF



#### Varicella-Zoster immunoglobulin

Varicella-Zoster Immunoglobulin

Green



BNF



RESTRICTED Not Stocked

#### Cytomegalovirus (CMV) immunoglobulin

Human normal Immunoglobulin (CMV)

MMC



BNF



RESTRICTED Specialist use only

### 14.5.3 Anti-D (Rh0) immunoglobulin

Anti-D (Rh<sub>0</sub>) Immunoglobulin

NICE



BNF



# Section 15: Anaesthesia

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## 15.1 General anaesthesia

- 15.1.1 Intravenous anaesthetics
- 15.1.2 Inhalational anaesthetics
- 15.1.3 Antimuscarinic drugs
- 15.1.4 Sedative & analgesic post-operative drugs
  - 15.1.4.1 Benzodiazepines
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  - Non-depolarising neuromuscular blocking drugs
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- 15.1.6 Drugs for reversal of neuromuscular blockade
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## 15.2 Local anaesthesia

- Local Anaesthetic Toxicity
- Other agents

## Trust Guidelines

Adult medicines and prescribing guidelines  
Paediatric medicines and prescribing guidelines  
Neonatal guidelines (link to Staffnet site)  
Paediatric Anaesthesia Website  
Children's Pain Management Website  
PICU Emergency Drugs Calculator  
[Non-formulary Conversion Table](#)

## NICE Guidance

[Sedation in children and young people \(CG112\)](#)

## GMMMG Formulary

[Formulary Homepage](#)  
Chapter 15: Anaesthesia (Complete) **IN DEVELOPMENT**  
GMMMG Adult **Red/Amber/Green**; DNP and Grey Drug List  
GMMMG Paediatric **Red/Amber/Green** Drug List

## 15.1 General anaesthesia

### 15.1.1 Intravenous anaesthetics

Etomidate



Ketamine

Amber

(Palliative Care)

Red

(chronic pain)



Propofol

MMC



Thiopental Sodium



### 15.1.2 Inhalational anaesthetics

#### Volatile liquid anaesthetics

Isoflurane

MMC



Sevoflurane



Desflurane

MMC



RESTRICTED Theatres only

#### Nitrous oxide

Nitrous Oxide



Nitrous Oxide 50% &amp; Oxygen 50%



Entonox®

### 15.1.3 Antimuscarinic drugs

Atropine Sulfate



adults 600microgram/1mL I.M. or I.V.

Glycopyrronium Bromide



adults 200-400microgram I.V.

Hyoscine Hydrobromide



400microgram/mL injection

### 15.1.4 Sedative & analgesic post-operative drugs

#### 15.1.4.1 Benzodiazepines

NICE CG112

Diazepam



see also sections 4.1.2 &amp; 4.8.2

Lorazepam



see also sections 4.1.2 &amp; 4.8.2

Midazolam

Green buccal



see also section 4.8.2

Temazepam



see also section 4.1.1

#### 15.1.4.2 Non-opioid analgesics

Ketorolac Trometamol



I.M. or I.V. injection

MMC



Parecoxib



I.M. or I.V. injection

RESTRICTED Theatres only - acute postoperative pain

**15.1.4.3 Opioid analgesics**

Alfentanil



Fentanyl



see also section 4.7.2

Remifentanil

**15.1.4.4 Other drugs for sedation**

Dexmedetomidine

**RESTRICTED ICU only****15.1.5 Neuromuscular blocking drugs****Non-depolarising neuromuscular blocking drugs**

Atracurium Besilate



Cisatracurium

**RESTRICTED Consultant only**

Mivacurium



Rocuronium Bromide



Vecuronium Bromide

**Depolarising neuromuscular blocking drugs**

Suxamethonium Chloride

**15.1.6 Drugs for reversal of neuromuscular blockade****Anticholinesterases**

Neostigmine Metilsulfate



Neostigmine Metilsulfate with Glycopyrronium Bromide

**Other drugs for reversal of neuromuscular blockade**

Sugammadex

**RESTRICTED - Consultant  
(Emergency) use in Theatres only  
Complete Trust incident & audit forms****15.1.7 Antagonists for central & respiratory depression**

Doxapram Hydrochloride



see also section 3.5.1

Flumazenil



Naloxone Hydrochloride

**15.1.8 Drugs for malignant hyperthermia**

Dantrolene Sodium



15.2 Local anaesthesia		AAGBI SAFETY GUIDELINE
<b>15.2 Local anaesthesia</b>		
<b>Lidocaine Hydrochloride</b>		
Lidocaine	  	
0.5%, 1% & 2% injection		
<b>with adrenaline</b>		
Lidocaine with Adrenaline	  	
1%, 2% injection		
<b>for surface anaesthesia</b>		
Lidocaine (Instillagel®)	  	
2% gel		
Lidocaine with Prilocaine (EMLA® cream)	  	
5% cream		
Lidocaine	  	
4% topical solution		
Lidocaine (Laryngojet®)	  	
4% (160mg/4mL) jet spray		
Lidocaine	  	
5% ointment		
Lidocaine (Xylocaine®)	  	
10% spray		
<b>Bupivacaine Hydrochloride</b>		
Bupivacaine	  	
0.25% Infusion (500mL)		
Bupivacaine (Marcain Heavy®)	  	
0.5% Injection		
<b>with adrenaline</b>		
Bupivacaine and Adrenaline	  	
0.25% with 1:200,000 injection		
Bupivacaine and Adrenaline	  	
0.5% with 1:200,000 injection		
<b>with other ingredients</b>		
Bupivacaine and Fentanyl	  	
0.125% with 1mg/500mL infusion		
Bupivacaine and Sodium Chloride	  	
0.08% in 0.9%		
Bupivacaine Hydrochloride with Glucose	  	
20mg with 320mg/4mL spinal injection		
<b>Levobupivacaine</b>		
Levobupivacaine (Chirocaine®)	   	
25mg/10mL; 50mg/10mL; 75mg/10mL injection; epidural 250mg/200mL		
Levobupivacaine with Fentanyl	  	
0.1% with 2microgram/mL epidural		

<b>Prilocaine Hydrochloride</b>			
Prilocaine (Citanest®)		  	
1% injection			
Prilocaine with Felypressin		  	
3% cartridges (30mg/mL Citanest with 0.54micrograms/mL Octapressin®)			
<b>Ropivacaine Hydrochloride</b>			
Ropivacaine		  	For Consultant use on CDU (elective CS), Theatre 1 (ortho) & wards 1 & 2 (following surgery in Theatre 1)
injection; infusion		  	
<b>Tetracaine (Amethocaine)</b>			
Tetracaine		  	RESTRICTED children under 1yr by specific doctor request or /V team
4% gel		  	
<b>Local Anaesthetic Toxicity</b>			
Intralipid 20%		  	
20% injection		 	
<b>Other agents</b>			<b>AAGBI SAFETY GUIDELINE</b>
Cocaine		  	
5% solution		 	
Ethyl Chloride		  	
Cryogesic® spray		 	
Mepivacaine Hydrochloride		  	
3% injection		 	
Neomycin Sulfate / Fluocinolone Acetonide / Lidocaine Hydrochloride		 	RESTRICTED Paediatrics. Intra-urethral steroid ointment
Nefluan® gel (10g)			