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1. ANAESTHETICS; PREOPERATIVE MEDICINES

1.1 General anesthetics and oxygen

1.1.1 Inhalational medicines

1	Halothane	Inhalation.(liquid)
2	Isoflurane	Inhalation.(liquid)
3	Nitrous oxide	Inhalation.(cylinder)
4	Oxygen	Inhalation (medicinal gas)
5	Oxygen/helium mixture	Inhalation

1.1.2 Injectable medicines

6	Thiopentone Sodium	Injection: 0.5 gm;1 gm
7	Ketamine	Injection: 50 mg/ml
8	Propofol	Injection: 10 mg/ml; 20 mg/ml

1.2 Local anesthetics

9	Bupivacaine	Injection: 0.25%; 0.5% Injection for spinal anesthesia: 0.5% (hydrochloride) in 4 ml ampoule to be mixed with 7.5% glucose solution
10	Lidocaine	Injection: 2% Gel: 2% Ointment: 5% Cream: 5% Oral gel: 2%; 2.5 %
11	Lidocaine + epinephrine (adrenaline)	Injection: 2% + 5 mcg/ml
12	Ephedrine	Injection: 30 mg/ml(For use in spinal anaesthesia during delivery; to prevent hypotension)

1.3 Preoperative medication and sedation for short-term procedures

13	Atropine	Injection: 1 mg/1ml
14	Midazolam	Injection: 5 mg/ml
15	Morphine	Injection: 10 mg; 20 mg Tablet: 30 mg
16	Pethidine	Injection: 100 mg/ 2 ml

2.MEDICINES FOR PAIN AND PALLIATIVE CARE

2.1 Non-opioids and non-steroidal anti-inflammatory medicines (NSAIMs)

17	Acetylsalicylic acid	Tablet: 300 mg; 500 mg
18	Diclofenac Na	Injection:75 mg Tablet:50 mg
19	Ibuprofen	Tablet: 200 mg; 400 mg Suspension:100 mg/5ml Suppository: 100 mg; 300 mg;500 mg
20	Ketoprofen	Injection:100 mg/2 ml
21	Paracetamol*	Oral liquid: 120 mg/5 ml Tablet: 500 mg Injection: 1 % Oral drops: 10 mg/100ml *Not recommended for anti-inflammatory use due to lack of proven benefit to that effect).

2.2 Opioid analgesics

22	Codeine	Tablet: 30 mg
23	Fentanyl	Injection: 0.05 mg/ml Transdermal patch: 12 mcg/hr; 25 mcg/hr; 50 mcg/hr; 75 mcg/hr; 100 mcg/hr
24	Pethidine	Injection: 100 mg/ 2 ml
25	Tramadol	Injection: 50 mg Tablet: 50 mg
26	Morphine	Injection: 10 mg; 20 mg Tablet: 30 mg

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27	Methadone*	Tablet: 5 mg;10 mg Oral liquid: 5 mg/ 5mL; 10 mg/ 5mL Concentrate for oral liquid: 5 mg/ mL; 10 mg/ mL *For the management of cancer pain
2.3 Medicines used to treat gout		
28	Colchicine	Tablet: 0.6 mg
29	Allopurinol	Tablet: 100 mg ;300 mg
2.4 Disease modifying agents used in rheumatoid disorders (DMARDs)		
30	Azathioprine	Tablet: 50 mg
31	Hydroxychloroquine	Solid oral dosage form: 200 mg
32	Methotrexate	Tablet:2.5 mg injection:50 mg
33	Sulfasalazine	Tablet: 500 mg
34	Etanercept	Injection:25; 50 mg
35	Leflunamide	Tablet: 10; 20; 100 mg
2.5 Medicines for other common symptoms in palliative care		
36	Amitriptyline	Tablet: 10 mg; 25 mg; 75 mg.
37	cyclizine[c]	Tablet: 50 mg. Injection: 50 mg/ mL.
38	Dexamethasone	Tablet: 2 mg[c]; 4 mg. Injection: 4 mg/ mL. Oral liquid: 2 mg/5 mL.
39	Diazepam	Tablet: 5 mg; 10 mg. Injection: 5 mg/ mL. Oral liquid: 2 mg/5 mL. Rectal solution: 2.5 mg; 5 mg; 10 mg.
40	Docusate sodium	Capsule: 100 mg. Oral liquid: 50 mg/5 mL.
41	Fluoxetine (a)	Solid oral dosage form: 20 mg (a)>8 years
42	Haloperidol	Solid oral dosage form: 0.5 mg; 2 mg; 5 mg. Injection: 5 mg in 1- mL ampoule. Oral liquid: 2 mg/ mL.
43	Hyoscine butylbromide	Injection: 20 mg/ mL
44	Hyoscine hydrobromide	Injection: 400 mcg/ mL; 600 mcg/ mL. Transdermal patches: 1 mg/72 hr.
45	Lactulose	Oral liquid: 3.1–3.7 g/5 mL.
46	Loperamide	Solid oral dosage form: 2 mg.
47	Metoclopramide	Injection: 5 mg/mL in 2-mL ampoule. Oral liquid: 5 mg/5 mL. Solid oral form: 10 mg (hydrochloride).
48	Midazolam	Solid oral dosage form: 7.5 mg; 15 mg. Injection: 1 mg/ mL; 5 mg/ mL. Oral liquid: 2 mg/ mL[c].
49	Ondansetron[c] (a)	Solid oral dosage form: Eq 4 mg base; Eq 8 mg base. Injection: 2 mg base/ mL in 2- mL ampoule . Oral liquid: 4 mg base/5 mL. (a) >1 month.
50	Senna	Oral liquid: 7.5 mg/5 mL.
3. ANTIALLERGICS AND MEDICINES USED IN ANAPHYLAXIS		
51	Prednisolone	Tablet: 1 mg; 5 mg;20 mg Syrup: 5 mg/ml[c] Injection: 250 mg; 500 mg; 1g
52	Chlorpheniramine	Tablet: 4 mg Injection: 5 mg/ml Syrup: 2 mg/5ml
53	Dexamethasone	Tablet: 0.5 mg; 0.75 mg; 8 mg Injection: 4 mg/ml; 8 mg/ml Syrup: 2 mg/5ml

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54	loratadine	Tablet: 10 mg Oral liquid: 1 mg/ mL
55	Epinephrine (adrenaline)	Injection: 1 mg/ml
56	Hydrocortisone	Tablet: 10 mg Injection: 100 mg; 250 mg; 500 mg
57	Betamethasone	injection:2 mg/ml
4. ANTIDOTES AND OTHER SUBSTANCES USED IN POISONINGS		
4.1 Non-specific		
58	Charcoal; activated	Powder: 25g
4.2 Specific		
59	DL Methionine	Tablet: 250 mg
60	Acetylcysteine	Injection: 200 mg/ml Oral liquid: 10% [c]; 20% [c] Sachets:200; 600 mg
61	Atropine	Injection: 1 mg/ml
62	Calcium gluconate	Injection: 100 mg/ml
63	Hydroxocobalamine	Injection:1 mg/ml
64	Naloxone	Injection: 400 mcg/1ml
65	Penicillamine	Solid oral dosage form: 250 mg
66	Pralidoxime	injection:1000 mg/vial
67	Methylthioninium chloride (methylene blue)	Injection: 10 mg/ mL
68	potassium ferric hexacyano-ferrate(II) -2H ₂ O(Prussian blue)	Powder for oral administration
69	fomepizole	Injection: 5 mg/ mL; 1 g/ mL
70	Sodium nitrite	Injection: 30 mg/ml
71	Sodium thiosulfate	Injection: 250 mg/ml
72	Deferoxamine	Powder for injection: 500 mg
73	Dimercaprol	Injection in oil: 50 mg/ml
74	Sodium calcium edetate	Injection: 200 mg/ml
75	Succimer(DMSA)	Solid oral dosage form: 100 mg
5. ANTICONVULSANTS/ANTIEPILEPTICS		
76	Carbamazepine	Syrup: 100 mg/5ml Tablet : 100 mg; 200 mg; 400 mg Oral drops:100 mg/5ml Supp: 125 mg; 250 mg
77	Diazepam	Supp: 5 mg Tablet: 2 mg; 5 mg Injection: 10ml
78	Gabapentin	Capsule:100 mg; 300 mg; 400 mg; 600 mg; 800 mg Solution:250 mg/5ml
79	Lamotrigine*	Tablet: 25 mg; 50 mg; 100 mg; 200 mg. Tablet (chewable; dispersible): 2 mg; 5 mg; 25 mg; 50 mg; 100 mg; 200 mg. *as adjunctive therapy for treatment-resistant partial or generalized seizures.
80	Lorazepam	Injection: 2 mg/ml Tablet: 2 mg
81	Magnesium sulfate*	Injection: 500 mg/ml Injection: 10% in 5ml * For use in eclampsia and severe pre-eclampsia and not for other convulsant disorders
82	Phenobarbital	Injection: 200 mg/ml; 40 mg/ml Oral liquid: 15 mg/5ml Tablet: 100 mg
83	Phenytoin	Capsule: 50 mg; 100 mg Injection: 250 mg/5ml; 50 mg/ml Syrup: 30 mg/5ml

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84	Midazolam*	Solution for oromucosal administration: 5 mg/mL; 10 mg/mL Ampoule: 1 mg/ mL; 10 mg/mL *for buccal administration when solution for oromucosal administration is not available
85	Valproic acid (sodium valproate)	Syrup: 250 mg/5ml Tablet: 500 mg; 250 mg Injection: 500 mg/5ml Oral drops: 200 mg/ml
86	Ethosuximide	Capsule: 250 mg. Oral liquid: 250 mg/5 ml
6. ANTI-INFECTIVE MEDICINES		
6.1.1 Intestinal anthelmintics		
87	Albendazole	Tablet: 200 mg Syrup: 20 mg/ml
88	Levamisole	Tablet: 40 mg Suspension: 40 mg/5ml
89	Mebendazole	Tablet: 100 mg Suspension: 100 mg/5ml
90	Niclosamide	Tablet: 500 mg
91	Praziquantel	Tablet: 600 mg Syrup: 600 mg/5ml
6.1.2 Antifilarials		
92	Albendazole	Tablet: 200 mg Syrup: 20 mg/ml
93	Diethylcarbamazine	Tablet: 50 mg; 100 mg
94	Ivermectin	Tablet : 3 mg; 6 mg lotion: 1% Suspension: 10 mg/10ml
6.1.3 Antischistosomes and other antitrepatode medicines		
95	Praziquantel	Tablet: 600 mg syrup: 600 mg/5ml
96	Triclabendazole	Tablet: 250 mg
6.2 Antibacterials		
6.2.1 Beta Lactam medicines		
97	Amoxicillin	Suspension: 125/5ml; 250/5ml [c] Capsule: 250 mg; 500 mg; 1g Powder for injection: 250 mg; 500 mg; 1g FIRST CHOICE - community acquired pneumonia (mild to moderate) - community acquired pneumonia (severe)[c] - complicated severe acute malnutrition[c] - exacerbations of COPD - lower urinary tract infections - otitis media - pharyngitis - sepsis in neonates and children [c] - sinusitis - uncomplicated severe acute malnutrition [c] SECOND CHOICE - acute bacterial meningitis

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98	Amoxicillin + clavulanic acid	<p>Oral liquid: 156 mg/5 ml; 312 mg/5 ml; 228/5ml; 457/5ml; 600 mg/5ml[c] Tablet: 375 mg; 625 mg; 1gm Injection: 600 mg; 1.2g</p> <p>FIRST CHOICE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - community acquired pneumonia (severe)[c] - complicated intraabdominal infections (mild to moderate) - exacerbations of COPD - hospital acquired pneumonia - low-risk febrile neutropenia - lower urinary tract infections - sinusitis - skin and soft tissue infections <p>SECOND CHOICE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - bone and joint infections - community-acquired pneumonia (mild to moderate) - community acquired pneumonia (severe) - otitis media
99	Ampicillin	<p>Injection: 250 mg; 500 mg; 1g Tablet: 500 mg; 250 mg Syrup: 250 mg/5ml ; 125 mg/5ml</p> <p>FIRST CHOICE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - community acquired pneumonia (severe) [c] - complicated severe acute malnutrition[c] - sepsis in neonates and children[c] <p>SECOND CHOICE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - acute bacterial meningitis
100	Benzathine benzylpenicillin	<p>Powder for injection: 1.2 million U[c]</p> <p>FIRST CHOICE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - syphilis
101	Benzylpenicillin	<p>Powder for injection: 0.6 million U; 1.2million U</p> <p>FIRST CHOICE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -community acquired pneumonia (severe) [c] - complicated severe acute malnutrition [c] - sepsis in neonates and children[c] - syphili <p>SECOND CHOICE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - acute bacterial meningitis[c]
102	Cefalexin	<p>Powder for reconstitution with water: 125 mg/5 mL; 250 mg/5 mL . Solid oral dosage form: 250 mg.</p> <p>SECOND CHOICE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - exacerbations of COPD - pharyngitis - skin and soft tissue infections
103	Cefazolin* (a)	<p>Powder for injection: 250 mg; 500 mg; 1 g (a) >1 month *also indicated for surgical prophylaxis.</p> <p>SECOND CHOICE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - bone and joint infections

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104	Cefixime(WATCH GROUP)	<p>Capsule: 200 mg; 400 mg Syrup : 100 mg/5ml</p> <p>SECOND CHOICE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - acute invasive bacterial diarrhoea / dysentery - Neisseria gonorrhoeae
105	Ceftriaxone*(a) (WATCH GROUP)	<p>Powder for injection: 250 mg; 500 mg; 1 g *Do not administer with calcium and avoid in infants with hyperbilirubinaemia. (a) >41 weeks corrected gestational age.</p> <p>FIRST CHOICE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - acute bacterial meningitis -community acquired pneumonia (severe) - complicated intraabdominal infections (mild to moderate) - complicated intrabdominal infections (severe) - hospital acquired pneumonia - Neisseria gonorrhoeae - pyelonephritis or prostatitis (severe) <p>SECOND CHOICE:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> acute invasive bacterial diarrhoea / dysentery - bone and joint infections - pyelonephritis or prostatitis (mild to moderate) - sepsis in neonates and children [c]
106	Phenoxymethylpenicillin	<p>Suspension: 250 mg/5 ml Tablet: 250 mg</p> <p>FIRST CHOICE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - community acquired pneumonia (mild to moderate) - pharyngitis
107	Cefotaxime* (WATCH GROUP)	<p>Injection: 250 mg; 500 mg; 1g *3rd generation cephalosporin of choice for use in hospitalized neonates.</p> <p>FIRST CHOICE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - acute bacterial meningitis -community acquired pneumonia (severe) - complicated intraabdominal infections (mild to moderate) - complicated intrabdominal infections (severe) - hospital acquired pneumonia -pyelonephritis or prostatitis (severe) <p>SECOND CHOICE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - bone and joint infections - pyelonephritis or prostatitis (mild to moderate) - sepsis in neonates and children [c]
108	Cloxacillin *	<p>Capsule: 500 mg; 1 g Powder for injection: 500 mg in vial. Powder for oral liquid: 125 mg /5 mL. *used in conjunction with other antibacterials and flucloxacillin may be used as alternative.</p> <p>FIRST CHOICE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - bone and joint infections - skin and soft tissue infections <p>SECOND CHOICE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - sepsis in neonates and children[c]

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109	piperacillin + tazobactam(WATCH GROUP)	<p>Powder for injection: 2 g + 250 mg; 4 g + 500 mg (as sodium salt) in vial</p> <p>FIRST CHOICE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - complicated intraabdominal infections (severe) - high-risk febrile neutropenia - hospital acquired pneumonia
110	meropenem*(a) (WATCH GROUP)	<p>Powder for injection: 500 mg; 1 g in vial (a) >3 months</p> <p>SECOND CHOICE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - acute bacterial meningitis in neonates [c] - complicated intraabdominal infections (severe) - high-risk febrile neutropenia <p>*imipenem + cilastatin is an alternative except for acute bacterial meningitis where meropenem is preferred)</p>
111	Ceftazidime (WATCH GROUP)	Injection: 250 mg; 500 mg; 1 g
112	Aztreonam (RESERVE GROUP)	Powder for injection: 1 g; 2 g in vial
6.2.2 Other antibacterials		
113	Clindamycin	<p>Capsule: 150mg; 300 mg</p> <p>Injection: 150 mg/ml</p> <p>SECOND CHOICE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - bone and joint infections
114	Cefadroxil	<p>Capsule: 250 mg; 500 mg; 1g</p> <p>Suspension: 125 mg; 250 mg; 500 mg/5ml</p> <p>Oral drops: 100 mg/ml</p>
115	Metronidazole	<p>Injection: 500 mg in vial.</p> <p>Oral liquid: 200 mg/5 mL.</p> <p>Suppository: 500 mg; 1 g.</p> <p>Tablet: 200 mg to 500 mg.</p> <p>FIRST CHOICE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - C. difficile infection - complicated intraabdominal infections (mild to moderate) - complicated intrabdominal infections (severe) - Trichomonas vaginalis <p>SECOND CHOICE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - complicated intraabdominal infections (mild to moderate)
116	Neomycin	<p>Tablet: 500 mg; 350IU</p> <p>Suspension: 125 mg</p>
117	Cefradine	Injection: 1gm
118	Clarithromycin*	<p>Capsule: 250 mg; 500 mg</p> <p>Suspension: 125 mg/ 5ml; 250 mg/ 5ml</p> <p>Injection: 500 mg vial</p> <p>FIRST CHOICE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -community acquired pneumonia (severe) <p>SECOND CHOICE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - pharyngitis <p>*clarithromycin is also listed for use in combination regimens for eradication of H. pylori in adults.</p>

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119	Doxycycline(a)	Capsule: 100 mg; 50 mg [c] (a) Use in children <8 years only for life-threatening infections when no alternative exists.
		FIRST CHOICE - Chlamydia trachomatis - cholera SECOND CHOICE - cholera [c] - community acquired pneumonia (mild to moderate) - exacerbations of COPD
120	Chloramphenicol	Injection: 1g Capsule: 250 mg; 500 mg Suspension: 125 mg/5ml; 250 mg/5ml; 500 mg/5ml
		SECOND CHOICE - acute bacterial meningitis
121	Vancomycin (WATCH GROUP)	Injection: 500 mg; 1g
		SECOND CHOICE - C. difficile infection
122	Co-Trimoxazole (sulphamethoxazole + trimethoprim)	Suspension: (40 mg/200 mg)/5ml Tablet: 80 mg/400 mg; 800 mg/160 mg
		FIRST CHOICE - lower urinary tract infections SECOND CHOICE - acute invasive diarrhoea / bacterial dysentery
123	Ciprofloxacin (WATCH GROUP)	Tablet: 250 mg; 500 mg; 750 mg Injection: 2 mg/ml (50ml; 100ml)[c]
		FIRST CHOICE - acute invasive bacterial diarrhoea / dysentery - low-risk febrile neutropenia - pyelonephritis or prostatitis (mild to moderate) SECOND CHOICE - cholera - complicated intraabdominal infections (mild to moderate)
124	Nitrofurantoin	Tablet: 50 mg; 100 mg Suspension: 25 mg/5ml [c]
		FIRST CHOICE - lower urinary tract infections
125	Levofloxacin	Injection: 500 mg Tablets:250 mg; 500 mg; 750 mg
126	Erythromycin	Tablet:500 mg Syrup: 250 mg/5ml
127	Azithromycin (WATCH GROUP)	Tablet: 250 mg; 500 mg Syrup: 250 mg
		FIRST CHOICE - Chlamydia trachomatis - Cholera [c] - Neisseria gonorrhoeae SECOND CHOICE - Acute invasive bacterial diarrhoea / dysentery - Neisseria gonorrhoeae
128	Spiramycin	Tablet: 500 mg Syrup: 250 mg/5ml
129	Moxifloxacin	Tablet: 500 mg
130	linezolid	Tablet: 600 mg injection: 2 mg/ml syrup: 100 mg/5ml

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131	Amikacin	Injection: 100 mg; 250 mg; 500 mg FIRST CHOICE -pyelonephritis or prostatitis (severe) SECOND CHOICE - high-risk febrile neutropenia - sepsis in neonates and children [c]
132	Gentamicin	Injection: 20 mg; 40 mg; 80 mg FIRST CHOICE - community acquired pneumonia (severe) [c] - complicated severe acute malnutrition [c] - sepsis in neonates and children [c] SECOND CHOICE - Neisseria gonorrhoeae
6.2.3 Antileprosy medicines		
133	Clofazimine	Capsule: 100 mg
134	Dapsone	Tablet :50 mg; 100 mg
135	Rifampicin	Capsule: 150 mg; 300 mg Suspension: 100 mg/5ml; 200 mg/5 ml Injection: 600 mg
6.2.4 Antituberculosis medicines		
136	Pyrazinamide	Tablet: 500 mg
137	Ethambutol	Tablet: 500 mg
138	Rifampicin + Isoniazid + Pyrazinamide + Ethambutol	Tablet: 150 mg + 75 mg + 400 mg + 275 mg
139	Rifampicin + Isoniazid + Pyrazinamide	Tablet: 120 mg + 50 mg + 30 mg
140	Isoniazid +B6	Tablet: 100 mg +150 mg
141	Rifampicin + Isoniazid	Tablet: 300 mg +150 mg
142	Streptomycin	Injection: 1g
143	linezolid	Injection for intravenous administration: 2 mg/ mL in 300 mL bag Powder for oral liquid: 100 mg/5 mL Tablet: 400 mg; 600 mg
144	Isoniazid	Tablet:150 mg
145	Rifapentine	Tablet: 150 mg *For treatment of latent TB infection (LTBI) only
146	Ethionamide	Tablet:500 mg
6.3 Antifungal medicines		
147	Fluconazole	Capsule: 50 mg; 150 mg; 200 mg Injection: 2 mg/ml
148	clotrimazole	Vaginal cream: 1%; 10%. Vaginal tablet: 100 mg; 500 mg.
149	Griseofulvin	Tablet: 125 mg; 500 mg Suspension: 125 mg/5ml [c]
150	Nystatin	Syrup: 100 000 U/ml[c] Tablet: 500 000 U
151	Amphotericin B	Injection: 50 mg/15ml
152	Voriconazole*	Tablet: 50 mg; 200 mg Powder for injection: 200 mg in vial Powder for oral liquid: 40 mg/mL *For treatment of chronic pulmonary aspergillosis and acute invasive aspergillosis.
153	Flucytosine	Capsule: 250 mg Infusion: 2.5g in 250ml
154	Itraconazole	Capsule: 100 mg Oral liquid: 10 mg/ml

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6.4 Antiviral medicines

6.4.1 Antiherpes medicines

155	Aciclovir	Suspension: 200 mg/5ml [c]; 400 mg/5ml Tablet: 200 mg; 400 mg ;800 mg Injection : 250 mg; 500 mg; 1 gm
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6.4.2 Antiretrovirals

6.4.2.1 Nucleoside/Nucleotide reverse transcriptase inhibitors

156	Abacavir (ABC)	Oral liquid: 100 mg/5ml[c] Tablet: 300 mg
157	Lamivudine (3TC)	Oral liquid: 50 mg/5ml[c] Tablet: 150 mg
158	Stavudine (d4T)	Capsule:20; 30 mg; 40 mg Powder for oral liquid: 5 mg/5ml
159	Tenofovir disoproxil fumarate (TDF)	Tablet: 300 mg
160	Zidovudine (ZDV or AZT)	Capsule: 100 mg; 250 mg Oral liquid: 50 mg/5ml Infusion: 10 mg/ml Tablet: 300 mg

6.4.2.2 Non-nucleoside reverse transcriptase inhibitors

161	Nevirapine (NVP) (a)	Oral liquid: 50 mg/5ml Tablet: 200 mg (a)> 6 weeks
162	Efavirenz (EFV or EFZ) (a)	Capsule: 50 mg; 100 mg; 200 mg. Tablet: 200 mg (scored); 600 mg. (a) >3 years or >10 kg weight.
163	Etravirine	Tablet: 100 mg

6.4.2.3 Protease inhibitors

164	Atazanavir (a)	Solid oral dosage form: 150 mg; 200 mg (a)>25 kg
165	Darunavir	Tablet: 75 mg; 400 mg; 600 mg; 800 mg
166	Lopinavir + Ritonavir (LPV/r)	Oral liquid: 400 mg + 100 mg/5 mL. Tablet (heat stable): 100 mg + 25 mg; 200 mg + 50 mg.
167	Ritonavir	Oral liquid: 400 mg/5 mL. Tablet (heat stable): 25 mg; 100 mg.
168	Saquinavir (SQV)(a)	Solid oral dosage form: 200 mg; 500 mg (as mesilate). (a)>25 kg

6.4.2.4 fixed dose combinations

169	Abacavir + Lamivudine	Tablet (dispersible; scored): 60 mg (as sulfate) + 30 mg
170	Efavirenz + Emtricitabine* + Tenofovir	Tablet: 600 mg + 200 mg + 300 mg (disoproxil fumarate equivalent to 245 mg tenofovir disoproxil). *Emtricitabine (FTC) is an acceptable alternative to 3TC; based on knowledge of the pharmacology; the resistance patterns and clinical trials of antiretrovirals.
171	Emtricitabine + tenofovir	Tablet: 200 mg + 300 mg
172	Lamivudine + Nevirapine + Stavudine	Tablet: 150 mg + 200 mg + 30 mg. Tablet (dispersible): 30 mg + 50 mg + 6 mg
173	Lamivudine + Nevirapine + Zidovudine	Tablet: 30 mg + 50 mg + 60 mg[c]; 150 mg + 200 mg + 300 mg.
174	Lamivudine + Zidovudine	Tablet: 150 mg + 300 mg

6.4.2.5 Integrase Inhibitors

175	Dolutegravir	Tablet: 50 mg.
176	Raltegravir*	Tablet: 100 mg ; 25 mg *for use in pregnant women and in second-line regimens in accordance with WHO treatemnt guidelines.

6.4.3 Medicines for hepatitis C

6.4.3.1 Nucleotide polymerase inhibitors

177	sofosbuvir	Tablet: 400 mg
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6.4.3.2 Protease inhibitors

178	Simeprevir	Capsule 150 mg
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6.4.3.3 NS5A inhibitors

179	Daclatasvir	Tablet: 30 mg; 60 mg (as hydrochloride)
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6.4.3.4 Non-nucleoside polymerase inhibitors

180	Dasabuvir	Tablet: 250 mg
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6.4.3.5 Other antivirals

181	Pegylated alpha interferon + ribavirin	Pegylated alpha interferon: 180 micrograms (peginterferon alfa-2a); 80 microgram; 100 microgram (peginterferon alfa-2b). Ribavirin: 200 mg
182	Ledipasvir + Sofosbuvir	Tablet: 90 mg + 400 mg.

6.4.4 Antihepatitis B medicines

6.4.4.1 Medicines for hepatitis B - Nucleoside/Nucleotide reverse transcriptase inhibitors

183	Entecavir	Oral liquid: 0.05 mg/ mL Tablet: 0.5 mg; 1 mg
184	Tenofovir disoproxil fumarate (TDF)	Tablet: 300 mg (tenofovir disoproxil fumarate – equivalent to 245 mg tenofovir disoproxil).

6.4.5 Other antivirals

185	Oseltamivir	Capsule: 75 mg. Oral powder: 12 mg/ml
186	Valacyclovir	Tablet: 500 mg
187	Valganciclovir*	Tablet: 450 mg . *For the treatment of cytomegalovirus retinitis (CMVr).
188	Ganciclovir	Injection
189	Ribavirin	Solid oral dosage form: 200 mg; 400 mg; 600 mg

6.5 Antiprotozoal medicines

6.5.1 Antiamoebic and anti giardiasis medicines

190	Diloxanide (a)	Tablet: 500 mg (furoate) (a) >25 kg
191	Metronidazole	Injection: 5 mg/ml Suspension: 125 mg /5 ml Tablet: 250 mg; 500 mg

6.5.2 Antileishmaniasis medicines

192	Amphotericin B	Powder for injection: 50 mg in vial.
193	Na stibogluconate	Injection: 100 mg/ml
194	Miltefosine	Solid oral dosage form: 10 mg; 50 mg.
195	Paromomycin	Solution for intramuscular injection: 750 mg of paromomycin base (as the sulfate).

6.5.3 antimalarial

6.5.3.1 For curative treatment

196	Amodiaquine	Tablet: 200 mg
197	Artemether	Oily injection: 20 mg/ml; 80 mg/ml Suspension: 300 mg/ml
198	Artemether + lumefantrine	Tablet: 20 mg + 120 mg
199	Artesunate*	Tablet: 50 mg; 60 mg Ampoules : 60 mg *To be used in combination with either amodiaquine, mefloquine or sulfadoxine + pyrimethamine.
200	Artesunate + amodiaquine	Tablet: (25 mg + 67.5 mg); (50 mg + 135 mg); (100 mg + 270 mg)
201	Chloroquine	Suspension: 80 mg/5 ml Tablet: 250 mg Injection: 200 mg/5ml
202	Doxycycline	Capsule: 100 mg
203	Mefloquine* (a)	Tablet: 250 mg (as hydrochloride). (a) >5 kg or (a) >3 months * To be used in combination with artesunate 50 mg.
204	Sulfadoxine + pyrimethamine*	Tablet: 500 mg + 25 mg. * Only in combination with artesunate 50 mg.

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205	Quinine	Tablet: 300 mg
206	Premaquine	Tablet: 15 mg
6.5.3.2 For prophylaxis		
207	Chloroquine	Suspension:80 mg/5ml Tablet: 250 mg Injection: 200 mg/5ml
208	Doxycycline	Capsule: 100 mg.
209	Mefloquine	Tablet: 250 mg.
6.5.4 Antipneumocystosis and antitoxoplasmosis medicines		
210	Pyrimethamine	Tablet: 25 mg
211	Sulfadiazine	Tablet: 500 mg
212	Sulfamethoxazole + trimethoprim	Suspension: (40 mg/200 mg)/5ml [c] Tablet: 80 mg + 400 mg[c]; 800 mg + 160 mg
213	Pentamidine	Tablet: 200 mg; 300 mg
7. ANTIMIGRAINE MEDICINES		
7.1 For treatment of acute attack		
214	Acetylsalicylic acid	Tablet: 300 mg; 500 mg
215	Ibuprofen [c]	Tablet: 200 mg; 400 mg Suspension:100 mg/5ml Suppository: 100 mg; 30 mg; 500 mg
216	Paracetamol	Oral liquid: 120 mg/5 ml [c] Tablet: 500 mg Injection: 1% Oral drops: 10 mg/100ml
217	Ergotamine	Capsule: 1.5 mg
218	Zolmitriptan	Tablet:2.5 mg; 5 mg
7.2 For prophylaxis		
219	Propranolol	Tablet: 10 mg; 40 mg Amp.:1 mg/1ml
8. ANTINEOPLASTIC; IMMUNOSUPPRESSIVES AND MEDICINES USED IN PALLIATIVE CARE		
8.1 Immunosuppressive medicines		
220	penicillamine	Capsule:250 mg
221	Azathioprine	Tablet : 50 mg
222	Ciclosporin	Capsule: 25 mg; 50 mg; 100 mg Syrup: 100 mg/ml;50 mg/ml Injection: 50 mg/1ml
223	Allopurinol	Tablet: 100 mg; 300 mg
224	Asparaginase	Injection: 10000 IU
225	Bleomycin	Powder for injection: 15.000U
226	Calcium folinate	Injection: 3 mg/ml; 10 mg/ml; 50 mg/5ml Tablet: 15 mg
227	Chlorambucil	Tablet: 2 mg
228	Cyclophosphamide	Tablet: 50 mg Injection: 500 mg;1 g
229	Cytarabine	Powder for injection: 20 mg/ml; 100 mg/1ml
230	Dacarbazine	Powder for injection: 100 mg; 200 mg
231	Dactinomycin	Powder for injection: 500 mcg
232	Daunorubicin	Powder for injection : 50 mg; 20 mg/4ml
233	Docetaxel	Injection: 20 mg/0.5ml; 20 mg/ml; 40 mg/ml
234	Doxorubicin	Injection: 2 mg/ml
235	Etoposide	Injection: 20 mg/ml Capsule : 50 mg
236	Fluorouracil	Injection: 25 mg/ml; 50 mg/ml; 100 mg/ml
237	Hydroxycarbamide	Solid oral dosage form: 500 mg
238	Thalidomide	Capsule:50 mg
239	Bortezomib	Injection :3.5 mg
240	Fludarabine	Injection: 50 mg/6ml Tablet:10 mg
241	Irinotecan	Injection: 40 mg/2ml; 100 mg/5ml

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242	Bevacizumab	Injection:100 mg/4ml
243	Trastuzumab	Injection: 60 mg; 150 mg
244	Rituximab	Injection: 500 mg/5ml; 100 mg/10ml
245	Sorafenib	Tablet:40 mg
246	Sunitinib	Tablet:25 mg
247	Cisplatin	Injection: 50 mg/50 mL; 100 mg/100 mL
248	Cetuximab	Injection:200 mg/100ml; 100 mg/50ml
249	Carboplatin	Injection: 10 mg/ml
250	Oxaloplatin	Injection: 50 mg; 100 mg
251	Pemetrexed	Injection:100 mg; 500 mg
252	Gemcetabine	Injection:200; 1000 mg
253	Capcetabine	Tablets:150 mg; 200 mg
254	Epirubicine	Injection:2 mg/ml
255	Panitumumab	Injection:200 mg/10ml
256	Ifosfamide	Injection: 1g; 2g
257	Mercaptopurine	Tablet: 50 mg
258	Mesna	Injection:100 mg/ml Tablet: 400 mg; 500 mg; 600 mg.
259	Methotrexate	Injection: 2.5 mg/ml; 100 mg/ml Tablet: 2.5 mg
260	Paclitaxel	Injection: 6 mg/ml
261	Procarbazine	Capsule: 50 mg
262	Thioguanine	Solid oral dosage form: 40 mg
263	Vinblastine	Injection: 1 mg/ml
264	All-trans retinoid acid (ATRA)	Capsule: 10 mg.
265	Vinorelbine	Injection: 10 mg/mL in vial; 50 mg/5 mL in vial
266	Nilotinib	Capsule: 150 mg; 200 mg.
267	Dasatinib	Tablet: 20 mg; 50 mg; 70 mg; 80 mg; 100 mg; 140 mg
268	Bendamustine	Injection: 45 mg/0.5 mL; 180 mg/2 mL.
269	Imatinib	Tablet: 100 mg; 400 mg.
270	Vincristine	Powder for injection: 1 mg/ ml
271	zoledronic acid	Concentrate solution for infusion: 4 mg/5 mL in vial. Solution for infusion: 4 mg/100 mL in bottle.
8.2 Hormones and antihormones		
272	Dexamethasone	Tablet: 0.5 mg; 0.75 mg
273	Methylprednisolone	Injection: 40 mg/ml ;1g ;500 mg Tablet: 4 mg; 8 mg
274	Prednisolone	Oral liquid: 5 mg/ml Tablet: 5 mg; 25 mg Injection: 25 mg/ml
275	Tamoxifen	Tablet: 10 mg ;20 mg
276	hydrocortisone	Powder for injection: 100 mg in vial
277	Letrozole	Tablet:2.5 mg
278	Anastrozole	Tablet:1 mg
279	Exmestane	Tablet:25 mg
280	Goserelin	Injection: 3.6 mg; 10.8 mg
281	Leuprorolin	Injection Depot: 7.5 mg; 11.5 mg; 22.5 mg; 30 mg
282	Bicalutamide	Tablet: 50 mg
9. Antiparkinsonism medicines		
283	Benzatropine Mesylate	Tablet: 2 mg Injection: 1 mg/ml
284	Carbidopa + Levodopa	Tablet: 10/100; 12.5/50; 25/100; 25/205
285	Biperiden	Injection: 5 mg/1ml Tablet: 2 mg
10. Medicines affecting the blood		
10.1 Antianaemia medicines		
286	Ferrous salt	Syp: 125 mg/5ml Tablet: 200 mg

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287	Ferrous salt + folic acid	Tablet equivalent to 60 mg iron + 400 mcg folic acid Tablet contains: 250 mcg folic acid + 183 mg ferrous fumarate 300 mcg folic acid + 200 mg ferrous fumarate 350 mcg folic acid + 256.3 mg iron sulphate
288	Iron	Injection IM: 100 mg
289	Folic acid	Tablet: 0.5 mg; 5 mg
290	erythropoiesis-stimulating agents*	Injection: pre-filled syringe 1000IU/ 0.5 mL; 2000IU/ 0.5 mL; 3000IU/ 0.3 mL; 4000IU/ 0.4 mL; 5000IU/ 0.5 mL; 6000IU/ 0.6 mL; 8000IU/ 0.8mL; 10 000IU/ 1 mL; 20 000IU/ 0.5 mL; 40 000IU/ 1 mL * these agents apply to epoetin alfa; beta and theta; darbepoetin alfa; methoxy polyethylene glycol-epoetin beta; and their respective biosimilars.
291	Hydroxocobalamin	Injection: 500 mcg; 1 mg/ml
10.2 Medicines affecting coagulation		
292	Heparin Sodium	Injection: 5000 IU
293	Low molecular weight heparin	Prefilled syringe (all available concentrations)
294	Phytomenadione	Injection: 1 mg/ml[c]; 10 mg/ml Tablet: 10 mg; 5 mg
295	Protamine sulfate	Injection: 10 mg/ml
296	Tranexamic acid	Injection: 100 mg/ml in 10ml ampoule; 100 mg/ml in 5ml Tablet: 500 mg
297	Warfarin	Tablet: 1 mg; 2 mg; 3 mg; 5 mg
298	Desmopressin	Injection: 4 micrograms/ mL (as acetate) in 1- mL ampoule. Nasal spray: 10 micrograms (as acetate) per dose.
299	Ethamesylate	Tablet: 250 mg; 500 mg Injection: 250 mg/2ml
11. BLOOD PRODUCTS OF HUMAN ORIGIN		
11.1 Plasma-derived medicines		
11.1.1 Human immunoglobulins		
300	Anti-D immunoglobulin	Injection: 250 micrograms in single-dose vial.
301	Anti-rabies immunoglobulin	Injection: 150 IU/ mL in vial.
302	Anti-tetanus immunoglobulin	anti-tetanus immunoglobulin.
11.1.2 Blood coagulation factors		
303	Factor VIII concentrate	Injection
304	Factor IX complex (coagulation factors; II; VII; IX; X) concentrate	Injection
12. CARDIOVASCULAR MEDICINES		
12.1 Antianginal medicines		
305	Isosorbide dinitrate	Sublingual tablet: 5 mg; 10 mg
306	Isosorbide mononitrate	Tablet: 20 mg; 30 mg; 40 mg; 80 mg; 100 mg
307	Bisoprolol	Tablet: 2.5 mg; 5 mg; 10 mg.
308	Glyceryl trinitrate	Sublingual table: 500 mcg Injection: 5 mg/ml; 1 mg/ml S.R. capsule: 2.5 mg
309	Verapamil	Tablet: 80 mg; 40 mg; 240 mg Injection: 5 mg/2ml
12.2 Antiarrhythmic medicines		
310	Bisoprolol	Tablet: 2.5 mg; 5 mg; 10 mg.
311	Digoxin	Oral liquid: 50 mcg/ml. Tablet: 250 mcg Injection 0.025%
312	Epinephrine (adrenaline)	Injection: 1 mg/ml
313	Propafenone	Capsules or Tablets: 150 mg
314	Lidocaine	Injection: 20%

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315	Verapamil	Tablet: 80 mg; 40 mg; 240 mg Injection 5 mg/2 ml
316	Amiodarone	Injection: 150 mg Tablet: 200 mg
12.3 Antihypertensive medicines		
317	Lisinopril	Tablet: 5 mg; 10 mg; 20 mg
318	Lisinopril + hydrochlorothiazide	Tablet: 20 + 12.5 mg
319	Valsartan	Tablet: 40 mg; 80 mg; 160 mg; 320 mg
320	Amlodipine	Tablet: 5 mg ;10 mg
321	Bisoprolol	Tablet: 2.5 mg; 5 mg; 10 mg
322	Captopril(capotril)	Tablets or Capsules: 50 mg
323	Sod.nitroprusside	Ampoules:50 mg
324	Enalapril	Tablet: 5 mg; 10 mg; 20 mg.
325	losartan	Tablet: 25 mg; 50 mg; 100 mg
326	Indapamide	Tablet: 1.5 mg; 2.5 mg
327	Hydralazine	Powder for injection: 20 mg
328	perindopril	Tablet:5 mg; 10 mg
329	Hydrochlorothiazide	Solid oral dosage form: 12.5 mg; 25 mg
330	Methyldopa	Tablet: 250 mg; 500 mg
331	Hydralazine	Tablet:10 mg; 25 mg; 50 mg; 100 mg
12.4 Medicines used in heart failure		
332	Dobutamine	Injection: 250 mg/20ml
333	Bisoprolol	Tablet: 2.5 mg; 5 mg; 10 mg
334	Digoxin	Oral liquid: 50 mcg/ml Tablet: 250 mcg Injection: 0.025%
335	Ivabradine	tablet:5 mg; 7.5 mg
336	Lisinopril	Tablet: 5 mg; 10 mg; 20 mg
337	Furosemide	Injection: 10 mg/ml Tablet:20 mg; 40 mg; 500 mg
338	Hydrochlorothiazide	Solid oral dosage form: 12.5 mg; 25 mg
339	Dopamine	Injection: 40 mg/ml
12.5 Antithrombotic medicines		
12.5.1 Anti-platelet medicines		
340	acetylsalicylic acid	Tablet: 100 mg
341	Clopidogrel	Tablet: 75 mg
12.5.2 Thrombolytic medicines		
342	streptokinase	Powder for injection: 1.5 million IU in vial
12.6 Lipid-lowering agents		
343	Atorvastatin	Tablet: 10 mg; 20 mg; 80 mg
344	Fenofibrate(micronized)	Tablet: 160 mg; 200 mg
12.7 fibrinolytic		
345	Streptokinase	Vial: 750; 000 I.U.; 1500; 000 I.U
13. DERMATOLOGICAL MEDICINES (topical)		
13.1 Antifungal medicines		
346	Econazole	Powder Topical cream: 1%
347	Miconazole	Cream or ointment: 2% Powder: 0.4gm/20g Lotion: 2%
348	Terbinafine	Cream: 1% or Ointment: 1%
13.2 Anti-infective medicines		
349	Fusidic acid	Ointment or cream: 2%
350	Erythromycin+ zinc acetate	Lotion
351	Potassium permanganate	Aqueous solution: 1:10 000.
352	Silver sulfadiazine (a)	Cream: 1% (a)>2 months
353	Mupiracin	Cream:2%

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354	Gentamycin	Ointment:0.3% Cream:.03%
13.3 Anti-inflammatory and antipruritic medicines		
355	Betamethasone	Ointment: 0.05% Cream: 0.1%
356	Calamine	Lotion
357	Hydrocortisone	Cream or ointment: 1%
13.4 Medicines affecting skin differentiation and proliferation		
358	Benzoyl peroxide	Gel: 5%; 10%
359	Coal tar	Solution: 5%
360	fluorouracil	Ointment: 5%.
361	podophyllum resin	Solution: 10% to 25%.
362	Salicylic acid	Lotion: 6%
363	Urea	Cream : 10%
13.5 Scabicides and pediculicides		
364	Benzyl benzoate (a)	Lotion: 25% Gel: 10% Cream: 10% (a)> 2 years
365	Permethrin	Cream or Lotion or Ointment: 2.5%; 5% Shampoo: 1%
14. DIAGNOSTIC AGENTS		
14.1 Ophthalmic medicines		
366	Tropicamide	Eye drops: 0.5%; 1%
367	Fluorescein	Eye drops: 1% (sodium salt).
14.2 Radiocontrast media		
368	Diatrizoate Meglumine	Injection
369	Iodised Oil	Injection
370	Iopamidol	Injection: 200 mg; 612 mg/ml; 755 mg/ml
371	Amidotrizoate	Injection: 140 mg to 420 mg iodine (as sodium or meglumine salt)/ml in 20ml ampoule
372	Barium sulfate	Oral powder
373	Iohexol	Injection: 140 mg to 350 mg iodine/ml in 5ml; 10ml; 20ml ampoules.
15. DISINFECTANTS AND ANTISEPTICS		
15.1 Antiseptics		
374	Povidone Iodine	Solution: 7.5%; 10%
375	Chlorhexidine	Mouth Wash: 125 mg/100ml; 0.1gm/100ml Topical solution: 1%
376	Iodine free antiseptic solution	solution
377	Ethanol	Solution: 70%
15.2 Disinfectants		
378	Chlorine base compound	Powder: (0.1% available chlorine) for solution.
379	Chloroxylenol	Solution: 4.8%.
380	Glutaral	Solution: 2%
381	Alcohol based hand rub	Solution containing isopropyl alcohol 75% volume/volume
16. DIURETICS		
382	Amiloride + hydrochlorothiazide	Tablet: 5 mg +50 mg
383	Furosemide	Injection: 10 mg/ml ampoule. Tablet: 20 mg[c]; 40 mg; 500 mg.
384	Hydrochlorothiazide	Solid oral dosage form: 12.5 mg; 25 mg
385	Mannitol	Injectable solution: 10%; 20%
386	Spironolactone	Tablet: 25 mg; 50 mg; 100 mg
387	Chlorthalidone	Tablet: 25 mg; 50 mg
17. GASTROINTESTINAL MEDICINES		
388	Pancreatic enzymes	Soild Oral dosage form

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17.1 Antiulcer medicines

389	Omeprazole	Injection: 40 mg Capsule: 20 mg; 40 mg
390	Ranitidine	Tablet: 150 mg; 300 mg Injection: 50 mg/5ml; 25 mg/ml
391	Aluminium Hydroxide Gel & Magnesium salts or comb.	Tablet Suspension

17.2 Antiemetic medicines

392	Dexamethasone	Tablet: 0.5 mg; 0.75 mg Suspension: 2 mg/5ml Injection: 4 mg/ml
393	Metoclopramide (a)	Injection: 10 mg Tablet: 10 mg Oral liquid: 5 mg/5 mL [c] Suppository: 20 mg (a) Not in neonates
394	Domperidone	Tablet: 10 mg Suspension: 1 mg/1ml Suppository: 10 mg; 30 mg; 60 mg
395	Ondansetron (a)	Injection: 4 mg/2ml Tablet: 4 mg; 8 mg (a) >1 month.

17.3 Anti-inflammatory medicines

396	Sulphasalazine	Retention enema Suppository: 500 mg Tablet: 500 mg
397	Hydrocortisone	Retention enema Suppository: 25g Tablet: 10 mg Injection: 100 mg; 250 mg; 500 mg

17.4 Laxatives

398	Glycerin	Suppository: infant Suppository: Adult
399	Bisacodyl	Tablet: 5 mg; 10 mg Suppository: 5 mg inf; 10 mg adult
400	Lactulose	Syrup: 67gm/100ml
401	Senna	Tablet: 7.5 mg; 20 mg

17.5 Medicines used in diarrhoea

402	Nifuroxazide	Capsule: 200 mg Suspension: 200 mg/5ml
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17.5.1 Oral rehydration

403	Oral rehydration salts	Glucose: 75 mEq Sodium: 75 mEq or mmol/L Chloride: 65 mEq or mmol/L Potassium: 20 mEq or mmol/L Citrate: 10 mmol/L Osmolarity: 245 mOsm/L Glucose: 13.5 g/L Sodium chloride: 2.6 g/L Potassium chloride: 1.5 g/L Trisodium citrate dihydrate: 2.9 g/L
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17.5.2 Medicines for diarrhoea in children

404	Zinc sulfate	Solid oral dosage form: 20 mg Powder for oral suspension: 10 mg/5ml; 20 mg/5ml
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17.6 Liver diseases		
405	Silymarin containing comp.	Solid oral dosage form: 140 mg Powder for oral suspension: 1 gm/100ml
17.7 Antispasmodic		
406	Mebeverine	Solid oral dosage form: 100 mg; 200 mg Suspension: 10 mg/ml
407	Tiemonium methylsulphate 5 mg/2ml	Injection
18. HORMONES; OTHER ENDOCRINE MEDICINES AND CONTRACEPTIVES		
18.1 Adrenal hormones and synthetic substitutes		
408	Desmopressin Acetate	Tablet: 0.1 mg; 0.2 mg Sublingual table: 60 mcg; 120 mcg Nasal spray: 10 mcg/dose Injection: 15 mcg/ml; 4 mcg/ml
409	Fludrocortisone	Tablet: 0.1 mg
410	Hydrocortisone	Tablet: 10 mg Injection: 100 mg; 250 mg; 500 mg
18.2 Androgens		
411	Testosterone	Injection: 250 mg/ml Capsule: 40 mg
18.3 Contraceptives		
18.3.1 Oral hormonal contraceptives		
412	Ethinylestradiol + levonorgestrel	Tablet: 35 mcg + 150 mcg
413	Ethinylestradiol + norethisterone	Tablet: 30 mcg + 1 mg; 30 mcg + 1.5 mg
18.3.2 Estrogen		
414	Estrogen	Tablet: 0.625 mg; 1.25 mg; 0.3 mg; 0.45 mg
18.3.3 progesterones		
415	Progesterone	Supp: 200 mg; 400 mg
18.3.4 Injectable hormonal contraceptives		
416	Medroxyprogesterone acetate	Injection : 150 mg / 1ml
417	Progesterone acetate	Injection : 100 mg / 2ml
18.3.5 Intrauterine devices		
418	Copper containing device	
419	Levonorgestrel-releasing intrauterine system	Intrauterine system with reservoir containing 52 mg of levonorelrel
18.3.6 Barrier methods		
420	Condoms	
421	Diaphragms	
18.3.7 Implantable contraceptives		
422	Etonogestrel-releasing implant	Single-rod etonogestrel-releasing implant
423	levonorgestrel-releasing implant	Uni-rod; Two-rod and five-rod levonorgestrel-releasing implant
18.3.8 Intravaginal contraceptives		
424	Progesterone vaginal ring*	Progesterone-releasing vaginal ring containing 2.074 g of micronized progesterone. *For use in women actively breastfeeding at least 4 times per day
18.4 Emergency contraceptive		
425	levonorgestrel	Tablet: 1.5 mg
18.5 Insulins and other medicines used for diabetes		
426	Glibenclamide	Tablet: 2.5 mg; 5 mg.
427	Glucagon	Injection: 1 mg
428	Insulin injection (soluble)	Injection: 100 IU/ml
429	Intermediate acting insulin	Injection: 100 IU/ml
430	Insulin mix	Injection: 70/30 IU/ml; 50/50 IU/ml
431	Glimpride	Tablet: 1 mg; 2 mg; 3 mg; 4 mg
432	Metformin	Tablet : 500 mg; 850 mg; 1000 mg
433	Gliclazide	Tablet: 60 mg; 30 mg; 80 mg

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18.6 Ovulation inducers

434	Clomifene	Tablet: 50 mg
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18.7 Thyroid hormones and antithyroid medicines

435	levothyroxine	Tablet: 25 mcg[c]; 50 mcg; 100 mcg
436	Carbimazole	Tablet: 5 mg
437	Propyl thiouracil	Tablet: 50 mg

19. IMMUNOLOGICALS

19.1 Diagnostic agents

438	Tuberculin; purified protein derivative (PPD)	Injection
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19.2 Sera and immunoglobulins

439	Anti-Scorpion Serum	Injection
440	Gas-Gangrene Antitoxin (Polyvalent)	Injection
441	Hyperimmunoglobulins Hepatitis HB	Injection
442	Anti-D immunoglobulin (human)	Injection
443	Antitetanus immunoglobulin (human)	Injection
444	Anti snake venom	Injection
445	Diphtheria antitoxin	Injection
446	Rabies immunoglobulin	Injection

19.3 Vaccines

447	Diphtheria + Tetanus Toxoids + Pertussis Vaccine	Injection
448	Mumps + Measles + Rubella Virus Vaccine	Injection
449	Typhoid + Paratyphoid A&B+ Tetanus	Injection
450	Poliomyelitis Vaccine (inactivated)	Injection
451	BCG vaccine	Injection
452	Haemophilus influenzae type b vaccine	Injection
453	Hepatitis B vaccine	Injection
454	Meningococcal meningitis vaccine	Injection
455	Pneumococcal vaccine	Injection
456	Poliomyelitis vaccine	Oral
457	Rabies vaccine	Injection
458	Tetanus vaccine	Injection
459	Typhoid vaccine	Injection
460	Varicella zoster	Injection
461	Rota vaccine	Injection
462	Influenza vaccine	Injection
463	Yellow fever vaccine	Injection

20.1 central Muscle Relaxant

463	Orphenadrine	Injection: 30 mg Tablet: 100 mg
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20.2 Neuromuscular Blockers

464	Atracurium	Injection: 10 mg/ml
465	Suxamethonium	Injection: 50 mg/ml
466	Vecuronium[c]	Injection: 4 mg; 10 mg

20.3 Choline Esterase Inhibitors

467	Neostigmine	Injection: 2.5 mg/ml Tablet: 15 mg
468	Pyridostigmine	Tablet: 60 mg Tablet S.R: 180 mg Syrup: 60 mg/5ml

21. OPHTHALMOLOGICAL PREPARATIONS

21.1 Anti-infective agents

469	Chloramphenicol	Eye drops: 0.5% Eye Ointment: 1%
470	Oxytetracycline+ Polymyxin	Eye Ointment
471	Sulfacetamide sodium	Eye drops: 15 %; 20 %; 30 %
472	Gentamicin	Eye drops: 0.3% Eye Ointment: 0.3%
473	Azithromycin	Solution (eye drops): 1.5%.

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474	Erythromycin*	Ointment: 0.5% [c] *Infections due to Chlamydia trachomatis or Neisseria gonorrhoea.
475	Tetracycline	Eye ointment: 1%
476	Aciclovir	Eye Ointment: 3%
477	Ofloxacin	Eye drops: 0.1%; 0.3%
21.2 Anti-inflammatory agents		
478	Diclofenac	Eye drops: 0.1%
479	Prednisolone	Eye drops: 0.5%; 1% Eye gel: 0.5%
21.3 Local anaesthetics		
480	Benoxinate	Eye drops: 0.4%
21.4 Miotics and antiglaucoma medicines		
481	Acetazolamide	Solid oral dosage form: 250 mg; 500 mg
482	Pilocarpine	Eye drops: 1%; 2%; 3%; 4%
483	Timolol	Eye drops: 0.25%; 0.5% Eye gel: 0.5%
484	Latanoprost	Eye drops: 0.005%
485	Tropicamide	Eye drops: 0.5%; 1%
21.5 Mydriatics		
486	Atropine (a)	Eye ointment : 0.01 Eye drops : 0.01 (a) >3 months.
487	Cyclopentolate	Eye drops: 0.5%; 1%
21.6 Anti-vascular endothelial growth factor (VEGF) preparations		
488	bevacizumab	Injection: 25 mg/ mL.
21.6 other eye drops		
489	Naphazoline + Chlorpheniramine	Eye drops: 0.056% + 0.01%
22. OXYTOCICS AND ANTIOXYTOCICS		
22.1 Oxytocics		
490	Methyl ergometrine	Injection: 200 mcg/1ml
491	Misoprostol*	Tablet: 200 micrograms Vaginal tablet: 25 micrograms. *Only for use for induction of labour where appropriate facilities are available.
492	Oxytocin	Injection: 5IU; 10IU
22.2 Antioxytocics (tocolytics)		
493	Ritodrin	Tablet: 10 mg Injection: 10 mg/ml
23. PERITONEAL DIALYSIS SOLUTION		
494	Intraperitoneal dialysis solution (of appropriate composition)	Parenteral solution: calcium chloride+dextrose+sod.chloride+mag.chloride+sod. Chloride+sod.acetate+sod.metabis ulfite
24. MEDICINES FOR MENTAL AND BEHAVIOURAL DISORDERS		
24.1 Medicines used in psychotic disorders		
495	Chlorpromazine[c]	Injection: 25 mg/ml Oral liquid: 25 mg/5 ml Tablet: 25 mg; 100 mg
496	Trifluoperazine	Tablet : 1 mg; 5 mg
497	Fluphenazine	Injection: 25 mg
498	Risperidone	Solid oral dosage form: 0.25 mg to 6.0 mg.
499	Clozapine	Solid oral dosage form: 25 to 200 mg.
500	Haloperidol[c]	Injection: 5 mg/ml Oral liquid: 2 mg/ml Solid oral dosage form: 0.5 mg; 1.5 mg; 5 mg; 10 mg
501	Haloperidol decanoate	Injection: 50 mg/ml; 100 mg/ml

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24.2 Medicines used in mood disorders

24.2.1 Medicines used in depressive disorders

502	Amitriptyline	Tablet: 10 mg; 25 mg; 50 mg S.R capsule: 75 mg
503	Fluoxetine	Solid oral dosage form: 20 mg Delayed release capsule: 90 mg

24.2.2 Medicines used in bipolar disorders

504	Carbamazepine	Tablet: 100 mg; 200 mg S.R. tablet: 200 mg; 400 mg Syrup: 2% Rectal Suppository: 125 mg; 250 mg
505	lithium carbonate	C.R. tablet: 400 mg
506	Valproic acid /sodium valproate	Tablet: 100 mg; 200 mg; 500 mg Syrup : 200 mg/5ml M.r. capsule: 100 mg; 200 mg; 300 mg; 500 mg Injection: 500 mg/5ml

24.3 Medicines for anxiety disorders

507	Diazepam	Tablet: 2 mg; 5 mg; 10 mg Syrup: 2 mg/5ml Suppository: 5 mg; 10 mg Injection: 5 mg/ml I.v/I.m
508	Bromazepam	Tablet: 1.5 mg; 3 mg; 6 mg

24.4 Medicines used for obsessive compulsive disorders

509	Clomipramine	Capsule: 10 mg; 25 mg S.R. capsule: 75 mg
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24.5 Medicines for disorders due to psychoactive substance use

510	Methadone	This medicine should only be used within an established support programme.
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25. MEDICINES ACTING ON THE RESPIRATORY TRACT

25.1 Medicines for chronic obstructive pulmonary disease

511	Beclomethasone	Inhalation (aerosol): 50 mcg/ dose; 100 mcg/dose; 250 mcg/dose
512	Budesonide [c]	Inhalation powder in capsule + inhaler device: 200 mcg
513	Adrenaline	Injection: 1 mg/ml
514	Ipratropium bromide	Inhalation (aerosol): 20 mcg/dose
515	Ipratropium bromide+Albuterol sulfate	Nebulizer vial: 100 mcg/20 mcg
516	Terbutaline	Tablet: 2.5 mg; 5 mg Syrup: 0.3 mg/ml
517	salbutamol+ beclomethasone	aerosol (200 doses):100 mcg+ 50 mcg
518	Budesonide +formoterol	tubular:320 mcg+ 9 mcg
519	Salbutamol	Inhalation (aerosol): 100 mcg/dose; 200 mcg/dose Tablet: 2 mg; 4 mg; 8 mg Syrup: 2 mg/5ml Injection: 0.5 mg/ml; 1 mg/ml
520	Sodium cromoglycate	Spinhaler capsule: 20 mg
521	Formetrol	Inhalation:12 mcg
522	Fluticasone+Salmeterol	Inhalation:50 mcg; 100 mcg; 125 mcg; 250 mcg; 500 mcg
523	Omalizumab	Injection:150 mg/1.2ml

25.2 Antihistamines

524	Chlorpheniramine Maleate	Tablet: 4 mg Syrup: 2 mg/5ml
525	Desloratadine	Tablet: 10 mg Syrup: 1 mg/ml
526	Levocetirizine	Tablet: 4 mg Syrup: 0.5 mg/ml

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25.3 Nasal decongestants		
527	Pseudoephedrine	Tablet: 60 mg S.R. tablet: 120 mg Syrup: 10 mg/5ml
528	Pseudo ephedrine + Loratidine	Tablet: 120 mg + 5 mg
25.4 Bronchodilators		
529	Aminophylline or other theophylline salts	Injection: 25 mg/ml Syrup: 0.116g/5ml Suppository: 250 mg infantile; 360 mg adult
530	Anhydrous theophylline	S.R. tablet: 100 mg; 200 mg; 300 mg; 400 mg Syrup: 60 mg/5ml
25.5 Cough Suppressant		
531	Dextromethorphan	Tablet: 10 mg Syrup: 7.5 mg/5ml; 10 mg/5ml Oral drops: 10 mg/ml
25.6 Mucolytics		
532	Carbocysteine	Capsule: 375 mg Syrup: 125 mg/5ml; 250 mg/5ml
533	Ambroxol	Tablet: 30 mg S.R. Capsule: 75 mg Oral Drops: 7.5 mg/ml Syrup: 15 mg/5ml injection: 15 mg/2ml
534	Bromhexine	Tablet: 8 mg Elixir: 4 mg/5ml Oral drops: 30 mg/15ml
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535	Guaiphenesin containing preparation	
25.8 immunosuppressive Corticosteroid agents		
536	Hydrocortisone	Tablet: 10 mg Injection: 100 mg; 250 mg; 500 mg
537	Prednisolone	Tablet: 5 mg; 25 mg Syrup: 5 mg/5ml Injection: 25 mg
538	Dexamethasone	Injection: 4 mg/ml Syrup: 2 mg/5ml Tablet: 0.5 mg; 0.75 mg
539	Triamcinolone	Injection: 40 mg/ml Tablet: 4 mg
26. SOLUTIONS CORRECTING WATER; ELECTROLYTE AND ACID-BASE		
26.1 Oral		
540	Oral rehydration salts	Glucose: 75 mEq Sodium: 75 mEq or mmol/L Chloride: 65 mEq or mmol/L Potassium: 20 mEq or mmol/L Citrate: 10 mmol/L Osmolarity: 245 mOsm/L Glucose: 13.5 g/L Sodium chloride: 2.6 g/L Potassium chloride: 1.5 g/L Trisodium citrate dihydrate: 2.9 g/L
541	Potassium chloride	Tablet: 600 mg Syrup: 6%; 3.3g/100ml
26.2 Parenteral		
542	Ringer Lactate Solution	Injectable solution
543	Ringer acetate solution	Injectable solution
544	Human Albumin	Injectable solution: 20%
545	Isoprenaline	Injectable solution: 200 mcg/ml

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546	Glucose	Injectable solution: 5% (isotonic); 10% (hypertonic); 25% (hypertonic); 50% (hypertonic)
547	Glucose with sodium chloride	Injectable solution: 4% glucose; 0.18% sodium chloride Injectable solution: 5% glucose; 0.9% sodium chloride [c]
548	Potassium chloride	Injection: 0.15%; 4%; 7.5% [c]; 15% [c]
549	Sodium chloride	Injection: 0.45%; 0.9%
550	Sodium bicarbonate	Injection: 4.2%; 8.4%
551	Sodium lactate	Injection: 1/6 molar
26.3 Miscellaneous		
552	Water for injection	2ml; 5ml; 10ml ampoules
27. VITAMINS AND MINERALS		
553	Ascorbic acid	Tablet: 50 mg.
554	Vit.B12	Injection: 1 mg Tablet: 1 mg
555	Vitamin B containing at least(B1; B6; B12)	Tablet Syrup Injection
556	Vit. K1 (Phytomenandione)	Tablet: 5 mg; 10 mg Injection: 10 mg/ml
557	Vit. D + Calcium	Tablet:
558	Calcium carbonate	Tablet: 500 mg; 1200 mg
559	Alfacalcidole	Tablet: 0.25 mcg; 0.5 mcg; 1 mcg Capsules: 0.25 mcg; 0.5 mcg; 1 mcg Injection: 2 mcg/ml Oral drops: 2 mcg/ml
560	Cholecalciferol (Vit. D3)	Oral drops: 2800 I.U./ml Injection: 200000 I.U.
561	Iodine	Oral solution: 5% Oral solutio KI: 10%
562	Vitamin B6 (Pyridoxine)	Tablet: 50 mcg Injection: in combination
563	Vitamin A	Capsule: 25 000 I.U.
564	Vitamin B2 (Riboflavin)	Tablet: 5 mg
565	Calcium gluconate	Injection: 10%
28. EAR; NOSE AND THROAT CONDITIONS IN CHILDREN		
566	Chloramphenicol	Ear drops: 5%
567	Ciprofloxacin [c]	Topical drops: 0.3%
568	Xylometazoline (a)	Nasal spray: 0.1% Nasal drops: 0.05% [c]; 0.1% (a) Not in children less than 3 months
569	Budesonide [c]	Nasal spray: 32 mcg/dose; 64 mcg
570	Sodium cromoglycate	Nasal drops: 2%; 4%
29. Anti-vertigo medicines		
571	Cinnarizine	Tablets: 25 mg; 100 mg
572	Cyclizine	Injection: 50 mg
573	Betahistine	Tablets: 8 mg; 16 mg
574	Dimenhydrinate	Tablets: 50 mg
30. SPECIFIC MEDICINES FOR NEONATAL CARE		
30.1 Medicines administered to the neonate		
575	Caffeine citrate [c]	Injection: 20 mg/ml (equivalent to 10 mg caffeine base/ml) Oral liquid: 20 mg/ml (equivalent to 10 mg caffeine base/ml)
576	Chlorhexidine [c]	Solution or gel: 7.1%
577	Ibuprofen (a)	Solution for injection: 5 mg/ml oral drops: 5%; 4% (a) >3 months (except IV form for patent ductus arteriosus)

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578	Surfactant	Suspension for intratracheal instillation: 25 mg/ mL or 80 mg/ mL.
579	Prostaglandin E	Prostaglandin E1: 0.5 mg/ml in alcohol. (ALPROSTADIL) Prostaglandin E2: 1 mg/ml Prostaglandin E1(ALPROSTADIL) Injection: 20 mcg Prostaglandin E2 (DINOPROSTONE) Inj: 10 mg/ml; 1 mg/0.75 ml; 5 mg/ml
30.2 Medicines administered to the mother		
580	Dexamethasone	Injection: 4 mg/ mL dexamethasone phosphate (as disodium salt)
31. MEDICINES FOR DISEASES OF JOINTS		
31.1 Medicines used to treat gout		
581	Allopurinol	Tablet: 100 mg.
31.2 Disease-modifying agents used in rheumatoid disorders (DMARDs)		
582	Chloroquine	Tablet: 100 mg; 150 mg
583	Azathioprine	Tablet: 50 mg
584	Hydroxychloroquine	Solid oral dosage form: 200 mg
585	Methotrexate	Tablet: 2.5 mg
586	Penicillamine	Solid oral dosage form: 250 mg
587	Sulfasalazine	Tablet: 500 mg
31.3 Juvenile joint diseases		
588	Acetylsalicylic acid *(acute or chronic use)	Suppository: 50 mg to 150 mg. Tablet: 100 mg to 500 mg. * For use for rheumatic fever; juvenile arthritis; Kawasaki disease)
32. medicines for Oral Ulcers		
589	Triamcinolon	Ointement 0.1% ; 0.5%
590	Fusafungine	Nasal/Oromucosal spray solution 1% w/v.
33. medicines for fissures		
591	Prednisolone+Lidocaine containing preparation	Ointment and Suppository
592	Hydrocortisone+Lidocaine containing preparation	Ointment and Suppository
Table 1: Medicines with age or weight restrictions		
1	Surfactant	Suspension for intratracheal instillation: 25 mg/ml or 80 mg/ml.
2	Atazanavir	>25 kg
3	Atropine	>3 months
4	Benzyl benzoate	>2 years
5	Betamethasone topical preparations	Hydrocortisone preferred in neonates
6	Cefazolin	>1 month
7	Ceftriaxone	>41 weeks corrected gestational age
8	Chlorphenamine	>1 year
9	Diloxanide	>25 kg
10	Doxycycline	>8 years (except for serious infections e.g. cholera)
11	Efavirenz	>3 years or >10 kg
12	Emtricitabine	>3 months
13	Fluoxetine	>8 years
14	Ibuprofen	>3 months (except IV form for patent ductus arteriosus)
15	Meropenem	>3 months
16	Mefloquine	>5 kg or >3 months
17	Metoclopramide	Not in neonates
18	Nevirapine (NVP)	> 6 weeks
19	Ondansetron	>1 month
20	Saquinavir	>25 kg
21	Silver sulfadiazine	>2 months
22	Tetracaine	Not in preterm neonates
23	Trimethoprim	>6 months

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24	Xylometazoline	>3 months
Term		Definition
1	Solid oral dosage form	Refers to tablets or capsules or other solid dosage forms such as melts That are immediate release preparations. It implies that there is no difference in clinical efficacy or safety between the available dosage forms
2	Tablets	Refers to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Uncoated or coated (film-coated or sugar-coated) tablets that are intended to be swallowed whole; • Unscored and scored; • Tablets that are intended to be chewed before being swallowed; • Tablets that are intended to be dispersed
3	Tablets (qualified)	Refers to a specific type of tablet: Chewable tablets that are intended to be chewed before being swallowed; Dispersible tablets that are intended to be dispersed in water or another suitable liquid before being swallowed;
4	Capsules	Refers to hard or soft capsules. The term capsule without qualification is never intended to allow any type of modified release capsule.
5	Capsules (qualified)	The term capsule with qualification refers to gastro resistant (such capsules may sometimes be described as enteric coated or as delayed release); prolonged release or another modified release form.
6	Granules	Preparations that are issued to patient as granules to be swallowed Without further preparation; to be chewed; or to be taken in or with water or another suitable liquid. The term granules without further qualification is never intended to allow any type
7	Oral powder	Preparations that are issued to patient as powder (usually as single dose) to be taken in or with water or another suitable liquid.
8	Oral liquid	Liquid preparations intended to be swallowed i.e. oral solutions; suspensions; emulsions and oral drops; including those constituted from powders or granules; but not those preparations intended for oromucosal administration e.g. gargles and mouthwashes.
9	Injection	Refers to solutions; suspensions and emulsions including those constituted from powders or concentrated solutions.
10	Injection (qualified)	Route of administration is indicated in parentheses where relevant.
11	Injection (oily)	The term injection is qualified by (oily) in relevant entries.
12	Intravenous infusion	Refers to solutions and emulsions including those constituted from powders or concentrated solutions.
13	Mode of administration	Term to be used
14	To the eye	Eye drops; eye ointments.
15	Topical	For liquids: lotions; paints. For semisolids: cream; ointment.
16	Rectal	Suppositories; gel or solution.
17	Vaginal	Pessaries or vaginal tablets.
18	Inhalation	Powder for inhalation; pressurized inhalation; nebulizer.

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19	Group 1 - KEY ACCESS ANTIBIOTICS	To improve both access and clinical outcomes antibiotics that were first or second choice antibiotics in at least one of the reviewed syndromes are designated as key ACCESS antibiotics, emphasizing their role as the antibiotics that should be widely available, affordable and quality-assured
20	Group 2 - WATCH GROUP ANTIBIOTICS	This group includes antibiotic classes that have higher resistance potential and so are recommended as first or second choice treatments only for a specific, limited number of indications. These medicines should be prioritized as key targets of stewardship programs and monitoring.
21	Group 3 - RESERVE GROUP ANTIBIOTICS	This group includes antibiotics that should be treated as “last resort” options that should be accessible, but whose use should be tailored to highly specific patients and settings, when all alternatives have failed (e.g., serious, life-threatening infections due to multi-drug resistant bacteria). These medicines could be protected and prioritized as key targets of national and international stewardship programs involving monitoring and utilization reporting, to preserve their effectiveness.

The (a) symbol indicates that there is an age or weight restriction on use of the medicine; details for each medicine can be found in Table 1

[c] symbol is placed next to an individual medicine or strength of medicine it signifies that there is a specific indication for restricting its use to children

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