



Hull & East Riding Prescribing Committee

## JOINT FORMULARY FOR HULL AND EAST RIDING OF YORKSHIRE

### Purpose of formulary

This formulary aims to promote evidence based, safe and cost-effective prescribing throughout the Hull and East Riding area. HERPC has been disbanded and the HERPC joint formulary is currently being merged into the Humber Area Prescribing Committee Joint formulary. So for drugs classified after April 2022 the formulary status will be a Humber APC formulary status. The Humber APC formulary is located on <https://www.apcnlgformulary.nhs.uk/default.asp> please note only use this formulary for any merged chapters as listed in this document. As only the merged chapters are the Humber formulary; the unmerged chapters are the Northern Lincolnshire APC formulary.

### Format of formulary

The formulary provides recommendations on 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> line drug treatments based on BNF / BNFC classifications with the **expectation that the majority of prescribing by GPs and “non-specialist prescribers” would be from those drugs listed as 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> line treatments.**

Drugs listed in 3<sup>rd</sup> column of recommendations are treatments which should be prescribed by a specialist, prescribed as advised by a specialist or prescribed in line with specific national or local guidance.

At the end of each Chapter there is an additional list of drugs which should only be administered in an in-patient / specialist setting.

### Traffic Light Classification

Within Hull and East Riding drug treatment are classified as follows:

**Red** – specialist prescriber only

**Amber** – prescribed in accordance with approved shared care framework






**Blue** - Guideline Led prescribed on advice of specialist or in line with national / local guideline

**Green** – other items listed on formulary suitable for initiation and prescribing by any prescriber

Recommendations on 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> line drug treatments are colour coded as Red/Amber/Guideline Led where appropriate.

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> line recommendations which appear in standard font are suitable for initiation and prescribing by any prescriber (i.e. Green).

Drugs classified via the **Humber Area Prescribing Committee** are classified as follows:

 <b>GREEN</b>	Medicines suitable for routine use within primary care and Secondary care. May be initiated within primary care within their licensed indication, in accordance with nationally recognised formularies
 <b>AMB 1</b>	Specialist recommendation: These medicines are considered suitable for GP prescribing following specialist recommendation or via an APC approved prescribing guideline.
 <b>AMB 2</b>	Specialist initiation: These medicines are considered suitable for GP prescribing following specialist initiation, including titration of dose and assessment of efficacy. These medicines may also have an APC approved guideline to aid GPs in further prescribing.
 <b>AMB SCP</b>	AMBER SHARE CARE PROTOCOL- Specialist initiation with ongoing monitoring: Medicines that must be initiated by a specialist, and which require significant monitoring on an ongoing basis. Full agreement to share the care of each specific patient must be reached under the shared care protocol which must be provided to the GP. If a commissioned shared care is not available in CCG/place then these drugs must be treated as red drug (hospital only).
 <b>RED</b>	Red-Hospital initiation and continuation only

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### Further clinical information

Drug treatments listed are for oral administration unless otherwise stated.

Before prescribing, the information contained within these guidelines should be read in conjunction with the most recent British National Formulary ([www.bnf.org](http://www.bnf.org) or [www.bnfc.org](http://www.bnfc.org)) or the electronic medicines compendium ([www.emc.medicines.org.uk](http://www.emc.medicines.org.uk)) for contraindications, cautions, use in pregnancy/ breast feeding and other disease states (e.g. renal or hepatic impairment) and drug interactions.

### Development and maintenance of Joint Formulary

The Joint Formulary was developed and will be maintained by the Formulary Sub Committee of Hull and East Riding Prescribing Committee (HERPC). Recommendations are based on review of individual provider's formulary and guidelines, primary care prescribing data, NICE guidance, BNF and BNF for Children.

The Joint formulary was first approved by HERPC in April 2014.

The Joint Formulary is updated every 2 months and is subject to an on-going rolling review programme.

Further information on HERPC can be found at: [www.hey.nhs.uk/herpc.htm](http://www.hey.nhs.uk/herpc.htm)

Any queries or feedback on content of the Joint Formulary should be sent to [jane.morgan14@nhs.net](mailto:jane.morgan14@nhs.net)

Some differences remain between provider formularies and the Joint Formulary and will be reviewed as part of on-going review. Drugs listed in the Joint Formulary which are not listed in local provider formulary are listed in *italics*.

## **Implementation of the Joint Formulary**

### GP Practices

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> line recommendations will be incorporated into GP prescribing systems, with agreement of GP practice, as a tool to support clinical practice.

### Prescribing within secondary care and specialist services

Prescribers working within specialist services in primary and secondary care are expected to prescribe and make prescribing recommendations from drugs listed in the Joint Formulary, or where differences exist, from drugs listed within their individual organisation's formulary or guidelines.

Prescribing of drugs not listed in these formularies should only occur when approved by Chair of Drug & Therapeutics Committee (or equivalent) or Exceptional Treatment Panel.

### Audit

An audit of prescribing data compared to formulary recommendations may be used as a topic by GP practice for individual practice based audit or by CCG to audit overall prescribing patterns.

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## BNF CHAPTER 5: INFECTIONS

The Hull and East Riding Prescribing Committee Guideline for Treatment of Infections in Primary Care provides information on 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> line formulary options for treatment of common infections (see links below).

- [HERPC antimicrobial guidance](#)
- [UTIprimaryCareGuidance.pdf \(hey.nhs.uk\)](#)
- [GI Primary Care guidance](#)

### Traffic Light Status of Specialist Drugs for Treatment of Infection

BNF Section	Drugs approved for in-patient / specialist use only or on specialist advice
	<p><b>Key:</b>  <b>Red drug – specialist only / in-patient only</b>  <b>Amber drug – as per shared care framework</b>  <b>Blue - Specialist advised / guideline led as per specialist advice or as per guideline</b></p>
5.1.1 Penicillins	<p>Benzylpenicillin – primary care use STAT dose in suspected meningitis only  Amoxicillin IV, Flucloxacillin IV, co-amoxiclav IV  Temocillin  Piperacillin/Tazobactam  Pivmecillinam – see <a href="#">Guideline for Prescribing of Pivmecillinam</a>  Procaine benzylpenicillin</p>
5.1.2 Cephalosporins	<p>Cefotaxime or Ceftriaxone - primary care use STAT dose in suspected meningitis only  Ceftazidime, Ceftriaxone, Cefalexin, Cefuroxime, Ceftolazone/Tazobactam, Cefazolin, Cefiderocol</p>
5.1.2 Other Beta-lactams	<p>Aztreonam, Meropenem, Etrapanem</p>
5.1.3 Tetracyclines	<p>Tigecycline  Minocycline</p>
5.1.4 Aminoglycosides	<p>Gentamicin, Netilmicin, Amikacin, Tobramycin injection  Tobramycin Inhaled AMBER for existing patients pending repatriation  Amikacin (liposomal) nebulized (Arikayce®)</p>
5.1.5 Macrolides	<p>Clarithromycin IV, Erythromycin IV, azithromycin PO including prokinetic use as per respiratory guidance</p>

5.1.6 Clindamycin	Clindamycin IV
5.1.7 Other antibiotics	Sodium fusidate / fusidic acid Chloramphenicol IV/ Chloramphenicol Oral Teicoplanin, Vancomycin IV Dalbavancin <a href="#">Vancomycin Oral</a> Daptomycin Fidaxomicin – see <a href="#">Guideline for Prescribing of Fidaxomicin</a> Fosfomicin IV <a href="#">Fosfomicin Oral</a> Rifaximin for immunology use for immunodeficient patients with bacterial colonisation <a href="#">Rifaximin for hepatic encephalopathy-</a> Linezolid all forms Colistimethate sodium IV administration Colistimethate sodium powder for nebulised solution ( <i>Promixin</i> ) or Injection for nebulisation ( <i>Colomycin</i> ) Colomycin AMBER for existing patients pending repatriation Pristinamycin Spectinomycin Tedizolid
5.1.8 Sulphonamides and trimethoprim	Co-trimoxazole IV
5.1.9 Antituberculous Drugs	All specialist use only
5.1.10 Antileprotic drugs	All specialist use only
5.1.11 Metronidazole	Metronidazole IV
5.1.12 Quinolones	Ciprofloxacin IV, Ofloxacin oral, Moxifloxacin IV, Levofloxacin IV/Oral/Inhhaled , Moxifloxacin oral
5.1.13 Urinary tract infections	<a href="#">Methenamine hippurate</a>
5.2 Antifungal drugs	Fluconazole IV, Posaconazole, Voriconazole, Isavuconazole <a href="#">Itraconazole for fungal nail infections – see HERPC infection guidelines</a> , other indications – specialist only Amphotericin (all forms) Caspofungin, Anidulafungin Flucytosine Griseofulvin
5.3 Antiviral drugs	
	Tecovirimat for Mpox, Maribavir for CMV infection, Letermovir for CMV prophylaxis and treatment
5.3.1 HIV infection	All specialist use only

5.3.2 Herpes virus infection	Aciclovir IV, Valaciclovir, Famciclovir Ganciclovir, Valganciclovir,
5.3.3 Viral hepatitis	All Specialist Led as per NHSE/NICE Guidelines
5.3.4 Influenza	<a href="#">Oseltamavir, Zanamavir – see HPA guidance for influenza</a>
5.3.5 Respiratory syncytial virus	Palivizumab, Ribavirin,
5.4 Antiprotozoal drugs	Prophylaxis of malaria – see <a href="#">HPA guidance on Malaria Prevention</a> All other drugs and indications - specialist use only
5.5 Anthelmintics	Mebendazole - <a href="#">HERPC infection guidelines</a> Piperazine with Senna - <a href="#">HERPC infection guidelines</a> All other drugs and indications - specialist use only
Other agents	Uromune® UTI vaccine for treatment resistant UTI by Infectious Disease team at HUTH only

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## BNF CHAPTER 7: OBSTETRICS, GYNAECOLOGY AND URINARY TRACT DISORDERS:

### National guidance:

<https://pathways.nice.org.uk/pathways/contraception/methods-of-contraception>

<http://pathways.nice.org.uk/pathways/contraception>

<http://pathways.nice.org.uk/pathways/lower-urinary-tract-symptoms-in-men>

<http://pathways.nice.org.uk/pathways/urinary-incontinence-in-women>

<http://pathways.nice.org.uk/pathways/urinary-incontinence-in-neurological-disease>

### Local guidance:

[Guideline on Treatment of Overactive Bladder](#)

[Guideline for Management of Erectile Dysfunction in Primary Care](#)

[Erectile Dysfunction following Radical Prostatectomy](#)

[Prescribing Formulary for Catheter and Continence Equipment](#)

BNF Section	Description	First line choice(s)	Second line choice(s)	Other treatment options <b>KEY</b> Red drug – specialist only Amber drug – as per shared care framework Blue - Specialist advised / Guideline Led as per specialist advice or as per guideline
<b>7.2 TREATMENT OF VAGINAL AND VULVAL CONDITIONS</b>				
7.2.1	Treatment of vaginal and vulval conditions	Estriol 0.1% intravaginal cream ( <i>Ovestin</i> ) Estriol 0.01% intravaginal cream ( <i>Gynest</i> )	Estradiol vaginal tablets (Vagirux®)  Estradiol vaginal ring (Estring®)	Prasterone Pessaries
7.2.2	Vaginal and vulval infections: Candidiasis  Candidiasis in pregnancy  Bacterial vaginosis	Clotrimazole 500mg pessary & clotrimazole 2% cream  Clotrimazole 100mg pessary  Metronidazole oral	Fluconazole 150mg cap  Miconazole 2% cream  Metronidazole 0.75% Vaginal Gel	See also <a href="#">HERPC guidelines on Treatment of Infection in Primary Care</a>

(400mg BD for 7 days)

Clindamycin 2% Cream

**7.3 CONTRACEPTIVES**

**7.3.1 Combined hormonal contraceptives**

	Low strength oral	ethinylestradiol & desogestrel ( <i>Gedarel 20/150</i> )	Mercilon, <i>Femodette</i>	
	Low strength vaginal	Nuvaring		

	Ethinylestradiol & Desogestrel	Gedarel		<i>Lucette (Ethinylestradiol / Drospirenone)</i> Eloine (Ethinylestradiol/Drospirenone)
	Levonorgestrel & Ethinylestradiol	Microgynon ED Rigevidon, 30/150 Logynon	Microgynon	
	Ethinylestradiol & Gestodene		Femodene Femodene ED	
	Ethinylestradiol & Norethisterone	Brevinor Ovysmen	Trinovum	
	Nomegestrol Acetate & Estradiol	Zoely		<i>Zoely to be prescribed by specialist service until commissioning position approved by CCG</i>
	Ethinylestradiol & Norelgestromin	Transdermal Patch Evra		

**7.3.2 Progestogen-only contraceptives**

7.3.2.1	Oral	<i>Desogestrel</i> (May contain soya oil not suitable for patients with peanut allergy)	<i>Norethisterone</i>	
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7.3.2.2	Parenteral Injectable  Implant	Medroxyprogesterone IM ( <i>Depo-Provera</i> ®)  Etonorgestrel	Medroxyprogesterone SC ( <i>Sayana Press</i> ®)	
7.3.2.3	Intra-uterine progestogen only	Levonogestrel 20micrograms per 24 hours( <i>Levosert</i> ®) <i>Levonorgestrel 19.5mg</i> ( <i>Kyleena</i> ®) Levonorgestrel 20micrograms per 24hours ( <i>Mirena</i> ®) <i>Levongesterol</i> <i>20microgram/24 hours</i> ( <i>Benilexa one handed</i> ®)	Levonorgestrel 13.5mg ( <i>Jaydess</i> ®)	
7.3.3	Spermicidal contraceptives	Noxinol '9'		
7.3.4	Contraceptive devices	<i>Copper T 380A</i> <i>T-Safe 380A QuickLoad</i> <i>TT 380 Slimline</i>	<i>Load 375</i> <i>Mini TT 380 Slimline</i> <i>Nova-T 380</i>	<i>Gynefix</i>
7.3.5	Emergency contraceptives	Levonorgestrel ( <i>Upostelle</i> ) <i>Ulipristal (EllaOne)</i>		
<b>7.4 DRUGS USED FOR GENITO-URINARY DISORDERS</b>				
7.4.1	Drugs for urinary retention	Tamsulosin	Alfuzosin Doxazosin	
7.4.2	Drugs for urinary frequency and incontinence in men  Drugs for Stress urinary incontinence in women	Oxybutynin Tolterodine immediate release  Oxybutynin Tolterodine immediate release	Fesoterodine Solifenacin Trospium  Fesoterodine Solifenacin Duloxetine (Yentreve)	<a href="#">Prescribing Guideline for Overactive Bladder Mirabegron (men and women)</a>
7.4.3	Urological Pain	Potassium citrate		<i>Pentosan for interstitial cystitis</i> <i>Sodium hyaluronate (Cystistat)for interstitial cystitis</i>

7.4.4	Bladder instillations for catheter patency	Sodium chloride 0.9% Solution-G Solution—R	Chlorhexidine	
<b>7.4.5 DRUGS FOR IMPOTENCE</b>				
7.4.5	Phosphodiesterase inhibitors	Sildenafil	Vardenafil Tadalafil	<a href="#">Prescribing Guideline for Erectile Dysfunction</a> On specialist advice: Intracavernosal Alprostadil ( <i>Caverject</i> or <i>Viridal Duo</i> ) Urethral application Alprostadil ( <i>MUSE</i> ) Vacuum erection devices Topical Alprostadil Aviptadil and Phentolamine (Invicorp®)
	Other treatments			Unlicensed treatments: Intracavernosal Papaverine and Phentolamine

## Drugs approved for in-patient or specialist team administration only

<b>BNF Section</b>	<b>Drug name (s)</b>
7.1 Prostaglandins & Oxytocics	Dinoprostone, Carboprost Ergometrine, Oxytocin ( <i>Syntocinon</i> ), Oxytocin with ergometrine ( <i>Syntometrine</i> ), Misoprostol
7.1.1.1 Ductus Arteriosus	Maintenance of patency – Alprostadil Closure of ductus – Indometacin, ibuprofen IV
7.1.2 Mifepristone	Mifepristone
7.1.3 Myometrial relaxants	Atosiban
<b>Unlicensed drugs</b>	<b>Clinical Indication</b>
Dimethyl sulfoxide sterile solution	Urological use
Oxybutinin intra-vesical solution	Neurogenic bladder

## BNF CHAPTER 8: MALIGNANT DISEASE AND IMMUNOSUPPRESSION

### National guidance:

<http://pathways.nice.org.uk/pathways/early-and-locally-advanced-breast-cancer>

<http://pathways.nice.org.uk/pathways/familial-breast-cancer>

<http://pathways.nice.org.uk/pathways/prostate-cancer>

For other cancer pathways go to <http://pathways.nice.org.uk/> and select specific cancer pathway

[TA481 Immunosuppressive therapy for kidney transplant in adults](#)

[TA 482 Immunosuppressive therapy for kidney transplant in children and young people](#)

<http://pathways.nice.org.uk/pathways/multiple-sclerosis>

### Local guidance:

[Guideline on Prescribing Gonadorelin Analogues and Gonadotrophin Releasing Hormones Antagonists in the treatment of Prostate Cancer](#)

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### 8.1 CYTOTOXIC DRUGS

#### The drugs listed below MUST be prescribed by Specialist team (Listed A-Z)

This list includes oral chemotherapeutic agents and parenteral products requiring specialist administration.

Abemaciclib	Cyclophosphamide	Lapatinib	Rituximab
Afatinib	Dacarbazine	Lenvatinib	Ruxolitinib
Aflibercept	Dactinomycin	Liposomal Cytarabine	Sacituzumab govitecan
Alemtuzumab	Daratumumab	Lorlatinib	Selpercatinib
Alpelisib	Dasatinib	Lomustine	Sorafenib
Atezolizumab	Daunorubicin	Melphalan	Sunitinib
Asciminib	Docetaxel	Midostaurin	Tegafur with Uracil
Avacopan	Dostarlimab	Mitomycin	Temozolamide
Avelumab	Doxorubicin	Mitoxantrone	Temsirolimus
Azacitidine (IV and oral)	Durvalumab	Mogamulizumab	Tepotinib
Axitinib	Epirubicin	Nelarabine	Tioguanine (Thioguanine)
Amsacrine	Entrectinib	Nilotinib	Topotecan

Bendamustine Bevacizumab Bexarotene Bleomycin Bortezomib Brentuximab Busulfan Cabazitaxel Cabozantinib Capecitabine Carboplatin Carmustine Cemiplimab Cetuximab Chlorambucil Cisplatin Cladribine Clofarabine Crizanlizumab Crizotinib Cytarabine	Erlotinib Eribulin Estramustine Everolimus Etoposide Evolocumab Fludarabine Fluorouracil Gefitinib Gemcitabine Gemtuzumab Gilteritinib Glofitamab Hydroxycarbamide (Hydroxurea) Ibrutinib Idarubicin Ifosfamide Imatinib Irinotecan Ipilimumab Ivosidenib	Nintedanib Niraparib Nivolumab Obinutuzumab Ofatumumab Olaratumab Olaparib Osimertinib Paclitaxel Palbociclib Panobinostat Pazopanib Pemetrexed Pembrolizumab Pentostatin Pirtobrutinib Procarbazine Raltitrexed Ruxolitinib	Trabectedin Trastuzumab Treosulfan Tretinoin Trifluridine–tipiracil Trimetinib (with Dabrafenib) Tucatinib Vandetinib Vemurafenib Venetoclax Vinblastine Vincristine Vindesine Vinorelbine Zanubrutinib  <u>Supportive agents</u> Calcium Folate Disodium folinate Mesna
8.1 Cytotoxic drugs suitable for prescribing in primary care			<a href="#">Azathioprine &amp; Mercaptopurine for IBD</a> <a href="#">Oral Methotrexate for Immunosuppression</a>
<b>8.2 DRUGS AFFECTING IMMUNE RESPONSE</b>			
8.2.1	Cytotoxic immunosuppressants		Azathioprine <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Azathioprine &amp; Mercaptopurine for IBD</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Azathioprine for Immunosuppression</a></li> </ul> Mycophenolate mofetil and Mycophenolic acid <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Mycophenolate mofetil for Immunosuppression</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Mycophenolate mofetil &amp; mycophenolic acid (Myfortic) for renal transplant</a></li> </ul>
8.2.2	Corticosteroids and other immunosuppressants	Prednisolone – see 6.3.2	Ciclosporin <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Ciclosporin for Immunosuppression</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Ciclosporin for Renal Transplant</a></li> </ul> Tacrolimus for Renal Transplant



				<p><u>Sirolimus for Renal Transplant</u>  Everolimus  Voclosporin  Budesonide targeted release (Kinpeygo®) TA937</p>
8.2.3	Anti-lymphocyte monoclonal antibodies			<p>See drugs approved for in-patient or specialist administration  Alemtuzumab  Atalizumab  <u>Obinutuzumab – Approved as RED in line with NICE TA 343</u>  <u>Ocrelizumab</u>  <u>Ofatumumab</u>  Pertuzumab  Pembrolizumab  Rituximab</p>
8.2.4	Other immunomodulating drugs			<p>Interferon alfa  Interferon beta</p> <p>Peginterferon alfa</p> <p>Fingolimod  Glatiramer  Siponimod  Lenalinomide  Thalidomide  Pomalidomide  Carfilzomab  Teriflunomide  Ponesimod</p> <p>Dimethyl Fumarate  Diroximel Fumarate</p> <p>Cladribine Tablets  Ofatumumab</p>

See also drugs approved for in-patient or specialist administration only

8.3 SEX HORMONES AND HORMONE ANTAGONISTS IN MALIGNANT DISEASE				
8.3.1	Oestrogens	<a href="#">Diethylstilbestrol</a>		
8.3.2	Progesterone	<a href="#">Medroxyprogesterone</a>	<a href="#">Megestrol acetate</a>	
8.3.4.1	Hormone antagonists – breast cancer	<a href="#">Tamoxifen</a> <a href="#">Letrozole</a> <a href="#">Anastrozole</a>		<a href="#">Exemestane</a> <a href="#">Tamoxifen for chemoprevention of familial breast cancer</a> <a href="#">Fulvestrant</a> <a href="#">Anastrozole for chemoprevention of familial breast cancer</a> <a href="#">Raloxifene for chemoprevention of familial breast cancer</a>
8.3.4.2	Hormone antagonists – prostate cancer Gonadorelin analogues  Anti-androgens	<a href="#">Goserelin</a> <a href="#">Leuprorelin</a> <a href="#">Triptorelin (Amber 1)</a>  <a href="#">Cyproterone acetate</a>	<a href="#">Bicalutamide</a> <a href="#">Flutamide</a>	<a href="#">Degarelix</a>  <a href="#">Abiraterone</a> <a href="#">Enzalutamide (in line with TA316)</a> <a href="#">Darolutamide ( in line with TA660)</a> <a href="#">Apalutamide (in line with TA740 and TA741)</a>
8.3.4.3	Somatostatin analogues	<a href="#">Octreotide injection short acting (gastro indications)</a>		<a href="#">Somatostatin analogues</a> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Lanreotide (Somatuline LA and Somatuline Autogel)</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Octreotide (Sandostatin Lar)</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Octreotide Injection Short Acting ( Other Indications)</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Pegvisomant (Somavert) Injection</a></li> </ul> <p><a href="#">Pasireotide – NHSE IFR Only</a></p>

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<b>BNF Section</b>	<b>Drug name (s)</b>
8.1 Cytotoxic drugs	<i>See page43 -44</i>
8.2 Drugs affecting immune response	Rituximab Alemtuzumab ( <i>Cancer Services, Neurology</i> ) Natalizumab ( <i>Neurology</i> ) Ocrelizumab ( <i>Neurology</i> ) BCG Therapeutic Bladder Wash ( <i>Urology, Cancer Services</i> )
Systemic Mastocytosis	Avapritinib
<b>Unlicensed drugs</b>	<b>Clinical Indication</b>

## BNF CHAPTER 9: NUTRITION AND BLOOD

### National guidance:

<http://pathways.nice.org.uk/pathways/nutrition-support-in-adults>

<http://pathways.nice.org.uk/pathways/anaemia-management-in-people-with-chronic-kidney-disease>

<http://pathways.nice.org.uk/pathways/hyperphosphataemia-in-chronic-kidney-disease/hyperphosphataemia-in-chronic-kidney-disease-overview>

### Local guidance:

Clinical Guideline on Replacement with High-potency Vitamin D in patients with vitamin D insufficiency or deficiency

<http://www.hey.nhs.uk/herpc/guidelines/led/vitaminDHighPotency.pdf>

[Renavit Request Form](#)

[Guideline for the Management of Vitamin B12 and Folate Deficiency](#)

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<b>9.1 ANAEMIAS AND SOME OTHER BLOOD DISORDERS</b>				
9.1.1.1	Iron deficiency anaemia – oral iron	Ferrous fumarate	Ferrous sulphate Sodium feredetate	Feraccru (Ferric Maltol)
9.1.2	Drugs used in megaloblastic anaemia	<a href="#">Hydroxocobalamin injection</a> <a href="#">Cyanocobalamin</a>  <a href="#">Folic acid</a>		<a href="#">See HERPC Guideline</a>
9.1.3	Drugs used in hypoplastic, haemolytic & renal anaemias			<a href="#">Darbepoetin Alfa</a> <a href="#">Epoetin Alfa</a> <a href="#">Epoetin Beta</a> <a href="#">Eculizumab HST1</a> <a href="#">Roxadustat TA807</a>  <a href="#">Desferrioxamine (Iron overload)</a>
9.1.4	Drugs used in platelet disorders			<a href="#">Anagrelide</a> <a href="#">Romiplostim</a> <a href="#">Eltrombopag</a> <a href="#">Avatrombopag</a>

				Fostamatinib
9.1.6	Drugs used in neutropenia			Filgrastim Pegfilgrastim Lenograstim
<b>9.2 FLUIDS &amp; ELECTROLYTES</b>				
9.2.1.1	Oral potassium  Hyperkalaemia	Sando-K	Kay-Cee-L Liquid Potassium Chloride SR (if other forms unsuitable)	Calcium resonium (calcium polystyrene sulfonate) Resonium A (sodium polystyrene sulfonate) Sodium Zirconium Patiromer
9.2.1.2	Oral sodium and water: Oral rehydration salts  oral sodium	Oral rehydration salts		Sodium chloride M/R Sodium chloride oral solution 1mmol/ml
9.2.1.3	Oral bicarbonate			Sodium bicarbonate 500mg caps
<b>9.4 ORAL NUTRITION</b>				
9.4.1				
	Enteral nutrition	Products should only be prescribed on advice of dietitian or specialist nutrition team.		
<b>9.5 MINERALS</b>				
9.5.1.1	Calcium only	Calcium carbonate tabs	Calcium effervescent tabs 1g	Alliance Calcium Liquid
9.5.1.2	Hypercalcaemia & hypercalciuria			Cinacalcet Bisphosphonates – see section 6.6.2 Etelcalcetide Injection
9.5.1.3	Magnesium supplements	Magnesium-L-aspartate (Magnaspartate)		Magnesium glycerophosphate (MagnaPhate)
9.5.2.1	Phosphate supplements			Phosphate-Sandoz Sodium phosphate oral solution
9.5.2.2	Phosphate-binding agents	Calcium acetate (1 <sup>st</sup> line)		Sevelamer Lanthanum carbonate Calcium carbonate

				Aluminium hydroxide Sucroferric Oxyhydroxide (Velphoro®)
9.5.3	Fluoride			Sodium Fluoride 0.619% ( <i>Duraphat Toothpaste 2800 ppm &amp; 5000ppm</i> ) <i>Post chemotherapy treatment</i> Sodium Fluoride Mouthwash 0.05% <i>Post chemotherapy treatment</i>
9.5.4	Zinc			Zinc sulphate monohydrate ( <i>Solvazinc</i> )
9.5.5	Selenium			Selenium sodium selenite pentahydrate oral solution ( <i>Selenase</i> )
<b>9.6 VITAMINS</b>				
Multivitamin preparations are available for some pregnant women and children under 4 years via Healthy Start <a href="http://www.healthystart.nhs.uk/">http://www.healthystart.nhs.uk/</a>				
9.6.1	Vitamin A			Vitamin A Oral solution 150 000 units / ml
9.6.2	Vitamin B group	Thiamine tabs Pyridoxine tabs <a href="#">Vitamin B Compound Strong</a>		Pyridoxine S/F liquid Vitamin B Compound (tabs can be crushed)
9.6.3	Vitamin C	Ascorbic acid		
9.6.4	Calcium & Vitamin D  Vitamin D only	Calcium carbonate /colecalciferol 1.25gram/500 units 1.5gram/400 units 1.25gram/440 units ( <i>Cacit D3 effervescent granules</i> ) 2.5gram/880 units ( <i>Accrete D3 once a day</i> )  Colecalciferol follow guidelines		Alfacalcidol Calcitriol Paracalcitol  See HERPC guideline on <a href="#">Vitamin D prescribing</a> Ergocalciferol Oral solution Ergocalciferol injection
9.6.5	Vitamin E			Alpha tocopheryl

				Alpha tocopheryl acetate
9.6.6	Vitamin K			Menadiol sodium phosphate Phytomenadione
9.6.7	Multivitamin preparations	Abidec/Dalivit Drops  Forceval		DEKAS Plus/Essential for CF patients only Ketovite  <u>Renavit</u> (haemodialysis patients)
9.8.1	Metabolic disorders			Penicillamine Carnitine

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9.1.1.2 Parenteral iron	Iron dextran (Cosmofer) Iron sucrose complex (Venofer) Iron (III) isomaltoside 1000 ( <i>Monofer</i> ) – <i>Renal Medicine &amp; Cardiac Surgery</i> Iron (III) Isomaltoside ( <i>Diafer®</i> ) - <i>Renal Medicine Only</i>
9.2.2 Parenteral fluids	Glucose 5%, 10%, 20%, 50%  Sodium bicarbonate 1.26%, 4.2%, 8.4%  Sodium chloride 0.9% Sodium chloride 0.18%, 0.45%, 1.8%, 2.7%, 5%  Sodium chloride 0.18% and Glucose 4%, Sodium chloride 0.18% and Glucose 10% Sodium chloride 0.45% and Glucose 5%  Sodium lactate, compound  Potassium chloride 0.15% and Glucose 5%, Potassium chloride 0.15% and Glucose 10% (for GKI) Potassium chloride 0.3% and Glucose 5%, Potassium chloride 0.3% and Glucose 10% Potassium chloride 0.6% and Glucose 5%  Potassium chloride 0.15% and sodium chloride 0.9% Potassium chloride 0.3% and sodium chloride 0.9% Potassium chloride 0.6% and sodium chloride 0.9%  Potassium chloride 1.5% and sodium chloride 0.9% ( <i>treated as Controlled Drug</i> ) Potassium chloride 15% ( <i>treated as Controlled Drug</i> )  Potassium chloride 0.15%, sodium chloride 0.18% and glucose 10% Potassium chloride 0.15%, sodium chloride 0.45% and glucose 5% Potassium chloride 0.15%, sodium chloride 0.9% and glucose 5% Potassium chloride 0.15%, sodium chloride 0.18% and glucose 4% Potassium chloride 0.3%, sodium chloride 0.18% and glucose 4% Potassium chloride 0.3%, sodium chloride 0.45% and glucose 5% Potassium chloride 0.3%, sodium chloride 0.9% and glucose 5%



	Phosphate infusion ( <i>Polyfusor</i> )
9.2.2.2 Plasma substitutes	Gelatin IV (Volplex) Hydroxyethyl starch (Voluven® Volulyte®) Albumin Solution
9.3 Intravenous nutrition	Parenteral Nutrition ordered via nutrition team and via IFR for home patients
9.4 Enteral Nutrition	Pre-op
9.5.1.1 Parenteral calcium	Calcium chloride injection Calcium gluconate injection
9.5.1.3 Parenteral magnesium	Magnesium sulphate injection
9.5.5 Selenium	Selenium sodium selenite pentahydrate injection
9.6.2 Vitamin B	Pabrinex IV or IM
<b>Unlicensed drugs</b>	<b>Clinical Indication</b>
Vitamin A injection	Paediatrics
Pyridoxine injection	Paediatrics
Haem arginate	Porphyria
Biotin & Pyridoxal	Paediatrics

## BNF CHAPTER 10: MUSCULOSKELETAL AND JOINT DISEASES

<p><b>National guidance:</b>  <a href="http://pathways.nice.org.uk/pathways/musculoskeletal-conditions">http://pathways.nice.org.uk/pathways/musculoskeletal-conditions</a>  <a href="http://pathways.nice.org.uk/pathways/rheumatoid-arthritis">http://pathways.nice.org.uk/pathways/rheumatoid-arthritis</a>  <a href="http://Systemic Biological Therapy for Rheumatology Arthritis">http://Systemic Biological Therapy for Rheumatology Arthritis</a></p>				
<p><b>Local guidance:</b>                  Glucosamine in osteoarthritis <a href="http://www.hey.nhs.uk/herpc/guidelines/glucosamineGuidelines.pdf">http://www.hey.nhs.uk/herpc/guidelines/glucosamineGuidelines.pdf</a></p>				
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<b>10.1 DRUGS USED IN RHEUMATIC DISEASE AND GOUT</b>				
10.1.1	Non steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs	Ibuprofen Naproxen	<i>Meloxicam</i>	<p><b>Diclofenac (oral post op use, post op rectal use).</b>                      Long-term oral diclofenac is not recommended for routine NSAIDs prescribing. Diclofenac remains a formulary option but the cardiovascular safety must be considered on an individual basis. See MHRA advice.</p> <p>Diclofenac oral                      Indometacin                      Mefenamic acid                      Celecoxib                      Etoricoxib</p>
10.1.2.1	Systemic corticosteroids – see sections 6.3 (Corticosteroids) and 1.5 (Chronic bowel disorders)			
10.1.2.2	Local corticosteroid injection	Methylprednisolone acetate with/without lidocaine	Triamcinolone acetonide Hydrocortisone acetate	
10.1.3	Drugs which suppress the rheumatic disease process	<p><b>Specialist only</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Methotrexate</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Sulfasalazine</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Azathioprine</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Ciclosporin</a></li> </ul>		<p><b>Specialist only – as per NICE guidance</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Apremilast</li> <li>• Tocilizumab</li> <li>• Ustekinumab</li> <li>• Abatacept</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chloroquine</li> <li>• <a href="#">Hydroxychloroquine</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Leflunomide</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Mycophenolate mofetil</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Penicillamine</a></li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Infliximab</li> <li>• Sarilumab</li> <li>• Ixekizumab</li> <li>• Brodalumumab</li> <li>• Secukinumab</li> <li>• Cyclophosphamide</li> <li>• Adalimumab</li> <li>• Anakinra</li> <li>• Certolizumab Pegol</li> <li>• Etanercept</li> <li>• Baricitinib</li> <li>• Rituximab</li> <li>• Golimumab</li> <li>• Tofacitinib</li> <li>• <a href="#">Upadacitinib</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Filgotinib</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Bimekizumab</a></li> <li>• Risankizumab</li> <li>• Guselkumab</li> <li>• Belimumab</li> </ul> <p>For specialist administration only - see end of Chapter  <a href="#">Systemic Biological Therapy for Rheumatology Arthritis</a></p>
10.1.4	Gout and Cytotoxic induced hyperuricaemia	Naproxen Indometacin Allopurinol	Colchicine	Etoricoxib Febuxostat Probenecid Benzbromarone
<b>10.2 DRUGS USED IN NEUROMUSCULAR DISORDERS</b>				
10.2.1	Drugs which enhance neuromuscular transmission			Neostigmine Pyridostigmine
10.2.2	Skeletal muscle relaxants	Diazepam		Baclofen Dantrolene

				Tizanidine Sativex® by MS team only
10.2.2	Nocturnal leg cramps	Advice (e.g. passive stretching exercises)	Quinine sulfate	Quinine is not recommended for routine treatment and should not be used unless cramps cause regular disruption to sleep –see BNF for further guidance.
<b>10.3 DRUGS FOR RELIEF OF SOFT-TISSUE INFLAMMATION</b>				
10.3.1	Enzymes			Hyaluronidase
10.3.2	Rubefaciants and other topical antirheumatics:	Ibuprofen	Capsaicin	Suggest OTC treatment

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<b>BNF Section</b>	<b>Drug name (s)</b>
10.1.1 NSAIDS	Diclofenac IV (Dyloject) ( <i>Theatres</i> ) <i>Ibuprofen IV (post op pain)</i>
10.1.2 Corticosteroids	Dexamethasone sodium phosphate
10.1.3 Drugs which suppress the rheumatic disease process	Abatacept ( <i>Rheumatology</i> ) Tocilizumab ( <i>Rheumatology</i> ) Infliximab ( <i>Dermatology, Gastroenterology, Rheumatology</i> ) Rituximab ( <i>Rheumatology</i> ) Sarilumab
10.1.4 Cytotoxic induced hyperuricaemia	Rasburicase ( <i>Haematology/Oncology</i> )
10.2.1 Drugs which enhance neuromuscular transmission	Edrophonium ( <i>for Tensilon test</i> )
10.5.2 Soft Tissue Disorders	Collagenase Clostridium Histolyticum
<b>Unlicensed drugs</b>	<b>Clinical Indication</b>
Diaminopyridine	Myasthenia gravis

## BNF CHAPTER 11: EYE

<b>National guidance:</b> <a href="http://pathways.nice.org.uk/pathways/glaucoma/glaucoma-overview">http://pathways.nice.org.uk/pathways/glaucoma/glaucoma-overview</a>				
<b>Local guidance:</b> <a href="http://www.hey.nhs.uk/herpc/guidelines/ocularLubricant.doc">http://www.hey.nhs.uk/herpc/guidelines/ocularLubricant.doc</a> <a href="http://www.hey.nhs.uk/herpc/guidelines/glaucoma.pdf">http://www.hey.nhs.uk/herpc/guidelines/glaucoma.pdf</a>				
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<b>11.3 ANTI-INFECTIVE EYE PREPARATIONS</b>				
11.3.1	Anti-bacterials	Chloramphenicol eye drops + eye ointment Ciprofloxacin Eye Drops	Fusidic acid viscous eye drops Ofloxacin eye drops	Gentamicin eye drops Polihexanide Eye Drops Chlorhexidine eye drops Chlortetracycline eye ointment Vancomycin eye drops Propamidine eye drops
11.3.2	Antifungals			Voriconazole eye drops Natamycin eye drops
11.3.3	Antiviral eye drops	Aciclovir eye ointment	Ganciclovir Gel	Trifluothymidine eye drops
<b>11.4 CORTICOSTEROIDS AND OTHER ANTI-INFLAMMATORY</b>				
11.4.1	Corticosteroids <b>All specialist advised</b>	Prednisolone eye drops	Dexamethasone eye drops  Betamethasone eye drops	Fluorometholone eye drops  Dexamethasone/Polymixin B/Neomycin Sulphate ( <i>Maxitrol</i> ) eye drops or eye ointment Tobramycin / Dexamethasone eye drops ( <i>Tobradex</i> )
11.4.2	Other anti-inflammatory preparations Short term (1 week max)	Antazoline/Xylometazoline eye drops		Olopatadine eye drops

	Longer duration	Sodium cromoglicate eye drops	Nedocromil sodium eye drops	Ciclosporin 0.1% eye drops (Verkazia®) Ciclosporin 0.1% eye drops (Ikervis®) [other strengths are unlicensed preparations and are Red]  Ketotifen (Ketofall®)
<b>11.5 MYDRIATICS AND CYCLOPLEGICS All specialist advised</b>				
11.5	Antimuscarinics	Atropine eye drops	Cyclopentolate eye drops	Homatropine eye drops
<b>11.6 TREATMENT OF GLAUCOMA : All specialist advised. See <a href="#">Prescribing Guideline for Glaucoma</a></b>				
11.6	Beta-blockers eye drops	Timolol	Betaxolol	
	Prostaglandin analogues eye drops	Latanoprost	Travoprost Bimatoprost Tafluprost	
	Prostaglandin analogues with timolol eye drops	Latanoprost / timolol	Travoprost / Timolol Bimatoprost/Timolol ( <i>Ganfort®</i> ) Tafluprost/Timolol ( <i>Taptiqom®</i> )	
	Sympathomimetics	Brimonidine		
	Carbonic anhydrase inhibitors	Dorzolamide (generic) eye drops	Brinzolamide eye drops  Brinzolamide/Brimonidine (Simbrinza)	Acetazolamide used long term for patients with idiopathic intracranial hypertension, glaucoma patients awaiting or unsuitable for surgery, and patients with cystoid macular oedema secondary to inherited retinal diseases (specialist prescriber for short term post-op use)
	Carbonic anhydrase inhibitors with timolol eye drops	Dorzolamide / Timolol (generic)	Brinzolamide/Timolol ( <i>Azarga®</i> )	
	Miotics	Pilocarpine eye drops		
<b>11.8 MISCELLANEOUS OPHTHALMIC PREPARATIONS</b>				

11.8.1	Tear deficiency, ocular lubricants and astringents <a href="#">Conditions for which OTC products should not be routinely prescribed</a>	Polyvinyl alcohol eye drops Liquid paraffin eye ointment Carbomer eye drops or liquid gel	Hypromellose eye drops Macrogols eye drops ( <i>Systane</i> ) Carmellose single use eye drops	<p><a href="#">See Prescribing Guideline for Ocular Lubricants</a></p> <p>Sodium hyaluronate eye drops (<i>Artelac Rebalanc®</i> &amp; <i>HYLO-forte®</i>) Acetylcysteine eye drops</p> <p>Sodium chloride 0.9% eye drops Sodium Chloride 5% eye drops Ciclosporin 0.1% eye drops (<i>Ikervis®</i>) (unlicensed preparations in Red) Amber 1 Hyaluronic Acid (0.2%), Ectoin (2.0%) (<i>Hylo-dual®</i>) ophthalmology only</p>
11.8.2	Ocular peri-operative drugs			<p>Ketorolac eye drops Bromfenac eye drops NSAID eye drops are used long term for cystoid macular oedema (specialist prescriber for short term post-op use) Povidone iodine eye drops Apraclonidine eye drops Potassium ascorbate eye drops</p>
Misc	Vitamin supplementation for prevention of wet AMD			<p><b>CCG COMMISSIONING DECISIONS</b></p> <p>AREDS &amp; AREDS 2 not commissioned in Hull &amp; ERY CCG.</p>



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11.4.1 Corticosteroids	Dexamethasone intravitreal implant ( <i>Ophthalmology</i> ) Fluocinolone intravitreal implant ( <i>Ophthalmology</i> )
11.5 Mydriatics and cycloplegics	Tropicamide eye drops ( <i>Ophthalmic examination</i> ) Phenylephrine eye drops ( <i>Ophthalmic examination or procedures</i> )
11.7 Local anaesthetics	Tetracaine (Amethocaine) eye drops ( <i>Ophthalmic examination or procedures</i> ) Oxybuprocaine eye drops ( <i>Ophthalmic examination or procedures</i> ) Lidocaine (Lignocaine) with Fluorescein eye drops ( <i>Ophthalmic examination or procedures</i> ) Proxymetacaine eye drops ( <i>Ophthalmic examination or procedures</i> ) Tropicamide/Lidocaine/Phenylephrine (Mydraine)
11.8.2 Ocular diagnostic preparations	Fluorescein eye drops and <i>Fluorets</i> ( <i>Ophthalmic examination</i> ) Acetylcholine eye drops ( <i>Ophthalmic surgery</i> ) Povidone iodine minims ( <i>Ophthalmic surgery</i> ) HydroxyPropylMethylcellulose eye drops ( <i>Ophthalmic surgery</i> ) Balanced salt solution and Balanced salt solution plus ( <i>Ophthalmic surgery</i> ) Sodium hyaluronate prefilled syringes ( <i>Ophthalmic procedures</i> ) Sodium hyaluronate + lidocaine ( <i>Ophthalmic procedures</i> )
11.8.2 Subfoveal choroidal neovascularisation	Aflibercept ( <i>Ophthalmic surgery</i> ) Verteporfin ( <i>Ophthalmic surgery</i> ) Ranibizumab ( <i>Ophthalmic surgery</i> ) Bevacizumab ( <i>Ophthalmic surgery</i> ) Brolucizumab ( <i>Ophthalmic surgery</i> ) Faricimab ( <i>Ophthalmic surgery</i> )
11.8.2 Vitreomacular traction	Ocriplasmin ( <i>Ophthalmic surgery</i> )
<b>Unlicensed drugs</b>	<b>Clinical Indication</b>
Fluorescein sodium injection	Diagnostic ( <i>Ophthalmology</i> )
Alcohol 18% Eye Application	Debriding agent

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## BNF CHAPTER 14: IMMUNOLOGICAL PRODUCTS AND VACCINES

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<b>14.4 VACCINES AND ANTISERA</b>				
14.4 Vaccines and Antisera	<p>The following vaccines / diagnostics should be used in line with DoH Green Book: Immunisation against Infectious Disease  <a href="https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/immunisation-against-infectious-disease-the-green-book">https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/immunisation-against-infectious-disease-the-green-book</a></p> <p><b>N.B. The General Medical Services Contract and any locally agreed enhanced service specifications will provide information on the availability of vaccines below on the NHS.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Anthrax</li> <li>• BCG and Tuberculin PPD</li> <li>• Cholera</li> <li>• COVID-19 vaccines</li> <li>• Diphtheria vaccines</li> <li>• Haemophilus type b conjugate vaccine</li> <li>• Hepatitis A vaccine</li> <li>• Hepatitis B vaccine</li> <li>• Twinrix</li> <li>• Herpes zoster (shingles)</li> <li>• Human papillomavirus vaccines</li> <li>• Influenza vaccines</li> </ul> <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Japanese Encephalitis</li> <li>• Measles, Mumps and Rubella (MMR) vaccine</li> <li>• Meningococcal vaccines</li> <li>• Pertussis vaccine</li> <li>• Pneumococcal vaccines</li> <li>• Poliomyelitis vaccines</li> </ul>			

- Rabies vaccine
- Rotavirus vaccine
- RSV vaccine
- Rubella vaccine
- Smallpox
- Tetanus vaccines
- Tick-borne encephalitis
- Typhoid vaccines
- Varicella zoster vaccine (chickenpox)
- Yellow fever

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BNF Section	Drug name (s)
14.5 Immunoglobulins	Normal Human Immunoglobulin (various brands)
	Hepatitis B Immunoglobulin
	Tetanus Immunoglobulin
	Varicella Zoster Immunoglobulin
	Anti-D (Rh <sub>0</sub> ) immunoglobulin ( <i>Haematology</i> )
Unlicensed drugs	Clinical Indication
Antihuman Thymocyte Immunoglobulin (Equine)	<i>Haematology / Immunology</i>

## BNF CHAPTER 15: ANAESTHESIA

National guidance:				
Local guidance:				
BNF Section	Description	First line choice(s)	Second line choice(s)	Other treatment options <b>KEY</b> Red drug – specialist only Amber drug – as per shared care framework Blue - Specialist advised / Guideline Led as per specialist advice or as per guideline
<b>15.1 GENERAL ANAESTHESIA</b>				
15.1.1	Intravenous anaesthetics			Ketamine injection (palliative care)
15.1.3	Antimuscarinic injections	Hyoscine butylbromide		Glycopyrronium injection (palliative care)
15.1.4	Sedative and analgesic peri-operative drugs			Midazolam injection 10mg/2ml (palliative care)
15.1.7	Antagonists for central and respiratory depression			Flumazenil  Naloxone
<b>15.2 LOCAL ANAESTHESIA</b>				
15.2	Local infiltration	Lidocaine injection  Lidocaine + adrenaline injection	Bupivacaine injection	
	Surface anaesthesia	Lidocaine ointment  <i>Instillagel</i>  Tetracaine gel ( <i>Ametop</i> )	Lidocaine / Prilocaine cream ( <i>EMLA</i> )	Lidocaine plasters (commissioned for licensed indication only )



## Drugs approved for in-patient or specialist team administration only

BNF Section	Drug name (s)
15.1.1 Intravenous anaesthetics	Thiopental sodium injection ( <i>Theatres</i> ) Etomidate injection ( <i>Theatres</i> ) Ketamine injection ( <i>Theatres</i> ) Propofol injection ( <i>Theatres</i> )
15.1.2 Inhalational anaesthetics	Sevoflurane ( <i>Theatres</i> ) Isoflurane ( <i>Theatres</i> ) Desflurane ( <i>Theatres</i> )
15.1.3 Antimuscarinic drugs	Atropine sulphate injection ( <i>Theatres, Emergency use</i> )
15.1.4 Sedative and analgesic peri-operative drugs	Midazolam injection ( <i>Theatres/Endoscopy</i> ) Diazepam injection (?)  Diclofenac sodium injection, Ketoprofen injection, Ketorolac injection, Parecoxib injection  Alfentanil, Remifentanil, Fentanyl, Pethidine ( <i>Theatres/Critical care</i> )
15.1.5 Muscle relaxants	Atracurium besilate, Cisatracurium, Mivacurium chloride, Pancuronium bromide, Rocuronium bromide, Vecuronium bromide ( <i>Theatres</i> ) Suxamethonium bromide ( <i>Theatres</i> )
15.1.6 Anti-cholinesterases	Neostigmine ( <i>Theatres</i> ) Edrophonium ( <i>Theatres</i> ) Glycopyrronium-Neostigmine ( <i>Theatres</i> ) Suggamadex ( <i>Theatres</i> )
15.1.8 Drugs for malignant hyperthermia	Dantrolene sodium injection ( <i>Critical Care</i> )
15.2 Local anaesthesia	Bupivacaine, Levobupivacaine ( <i>Theatres</i> )

	Prilocaine ( <i>Theatres</i> ) Hyperbaric Prilocaine injection ( <i>Day Surgery only</i> )
	Ropivacaine injection and epidural infusion
	Lidocaine Topical Spray ( <i>Theatres / Endoscopy</i> )
	Cocaine ( <i>ENT</i> )
	LAT Gel (A&E)
<b>Unlicensed drugs</b>	<b>Clinical Indication</b>

## FORMULARY APPENDIX 1 – DRUGS RECOMMENDED IN NICE TA/NHSE COMMISSIONING POLICY WHICH ARE NOT IN FORMULARY

NICE TA	EXPLANATION
TA85 Renal Transplantation – Immunosuppressive Regimens (Adults)	Renal transplant operations are not performed by HUTH.
TA99 Renal Transplantation – Immunosuppressive Regimens for Children and Adolescents	Renal transplant operations are not performed by HUTH.
TA235 Osteosarcoma – Mifamurtide	Recommended for treatment in specified children, adolescents and young adults. This cohort of patients are referred to specialist provider.
TA305 Pixantrone Monotherapy for treating multiple relapsed or refractory aggressive non Hodgkins B-cell lymphoma	Available via chairs approval until submission received by D&T committee
TA378 Ramucirumab for treating advanced gastric cancer or gastro oesophageal junction adenocarcinoma previously treated with chemotherapy	Available via chairs approval until submission received by D&T committee
TA477 Autologous chondrocyte implantation for treating symptomatic articular cartilage defects of the knee	HUTH not a specialist centre
TA410 – Talimogene laherparepvec for treating unresectable metastatic melanoma	HUTH not a specialist centre
TA538 Dinutuximab beta for treating neuroblastoma	Recommended for treatment in specified children. This cohort of patients are referred to specialist provider, not used at HUTH
TA539 Lutetium (177Lu) oxodotreotide for treating unresectable or metastatic neuroendocrine tumours	Targeted radioisotope would not be used by HUTH
TA541 <a href="#">Inotuzumab ozogamicin for treating relapsed or refractory B-cell acute lymphoblastic leukaemia</a>	Available via chairs approval until submission received by D&T committee
TA554 Tisagenlecleucel for treating relapsed or refractory B-cell acute lymphoblastic leukaemia in people aged up to 25 years	HUTH not a specialist centre
TA559 <a href="#">Axicabtagene ciloleucel for treating diffuse large B-cell lymphoma and primary mediastinal large B-cell lymphoma after 2 or more systemic therapies</a>	HUTH not a specialist centre
TA567 Tisagenlecleucel for treating relapsed or refractory diffuse large B-cell lymphoma after 2 or more systemic therapies	HUTH not a specialist centre
TA572 <a href="#">Ertugliflozin as monotherapy or with metformin for treating type 2 diabetes</a>	Available via chairs approval until submission received by D&T committee

TA577 Brentuximab vedotin for treating CD30 positive cutaneous T-cell lymphoma.	HUTH not a specialist centre
TA583 <a href="#">Ertugliflozin with metformin and a dipeptidyl peptidase-4 inhibitor for treating type 2 diabetes</a>	Available via chairs approval until submission received by D&T committee
TA588 <a href="#">Nusinersen for treating spinal muscular atrophy</a>	HUTH not a specialist centre
TA591 <a href="#">Letermovir for preventing cytomegalovirus disease after a stem cell transplant</a>	Available via chairs approval until submission received by D&T committee
TA595 Dacomitinib for untreated EGFR mutation positive non small cell lung cancer	Available via chairs approval until submission received by D&T committee
TA617 <a href="#">Lusutrombopag for treating thrombocytopenia in people with chronic liver disease needing a planned invasive procedure</a>	Available via chairs approval until submission received by D&T committee
TA622 <a href="#">Sotagliflozin with insulin for treating type 1 diabetes</a>	Available via chairs approval until submission received by D&T committee
TA630 <a href="#">Larotrectinib for treating NTRK fusion-positive solid tumours</a>	Available via chairs approval until submission received by D&T committee
<a href="#">TA667</a> Caplacizumab with plasma exchange and immunosuppression for treating acute acquired thrombotic thrombocytopenic purpura	HUTH not a specialist centre
<a href="#">TA698</a> Ravulizumab for treating paroxysmal nocturnal haemoglobinuria	HUTH not a specialist centre Specialist centre is at Newcastle
<a href="#">TA 729</a> Sapropterin for treating hyperphenylalaninaemia in phenylketonuria	HUTH is not a specialist centre
<a href="#">HST16</a> Givosiran for treating acute hepatic porphyria	HUTH is not a specialist centre Specialist centre is Leeds
<a href="#">TA756</a> Fedratinib for treating disease-related splenomegaly or symptoms in myelofibrosis	Available via chairs approval until submission received by D&T committee
<a href="#">TA748</a> Mexiletine for treating the symptoms of myotonia in non-dystrophic myotonic disorders	Available via chairs approval until submission received by D&T committee
<a href="#">TA755</a> Risdiplam for treating spinal muscular atrophy	HUTH not specialist centre Adults – Sheffield Teaching Hospital Children – Leeds Teaching Hospitals or Sheffield Childrens Hospitals
<a href="#">HST17</a> Odevixibat for treating progressive familial intrahepatic cholestasis	HUTH not specialist centre Leeds Teaching Hospitals

<a href="#">HST19 Elosulfase alfa for treating mucopolysaccharidosis type 4A</a>	HUTH not specialist centre
<a href="#">HST20 Selumetinib for treating symptomatic and inoperable plexiform neurofibromas associated with type 1 neurofibromatosis in children aged 3 and over</a>	HUTH not a specialist centre Leeds Children's Hospitals Sheffield Children's Hospitals NHS Trust
<a href="#">TA758 Solriamfetol for treating excessive daytime sleepiness caused by narcolepsy</a>	Available via chairs approval until submission received by D&T committee
<a href="#">TA769 Palforzia for treating peanut allergy in children and Young people</a>	HUTH is not a paediatric immunology centre – Sheffield Teaching Hospitals and Leeds Teaching Hospitals
<a href="#">TA778 Pegcetacoplan for treating paroxysmal nocturnal haemoglobinuria</a>	HUTH not a specialist centre Specialist centre is at Newcastle
<a href="#">HST21 Setmelanotide for treating obesity caused by LEPR or POMC deficiency</a>	HUTH not a specialist centre Cambridge is specialist centre
<a href="#">TA781 Sotorasib for previously treated KRAS G12C mutation positive advanced non-small-cell lung cancer</a>	Available via chairs approval until submission received by D&T committee
<a href="#">TA809 Imlifidase for desensitisation treatment before kidney transplant in people with chronic blood disease</a>	HUTH is not a specialist centre Leeds Teaching Hospitals are specialist centre
<a href="#">TA814 Abrocitinib, tralokinumab or upadacitinib for treating moderate to severe atopic dermatitis</a>	Abrocitinib – via chairs approval until submission received by D&T committee
TA821 Avalglucosidase alfa for treating Pompe disease	HUTH not a specialist centre <b>Adult:</b> University College London Hospitals NHS FT University Hospitals Birmingham NHS FT Northern Care Alliance NHS FT Cambridge University Hospitals NHS FT The Royal Free London NHS FT  <b>Paediatric:</b> Birmingham Women and Children Hospitals NHS FT Great Ormond St Hospital NHS FT Manchester University NHS Foundation Trust
TA832 Relugolix–estradiol–norethisterone acetate for treating moderate to severe symptoms of uterine fibroids	Available via chairs approval until submission received by D&T committee
TA868 Vutrisiran for treating hereditary transthyretin-related amyloidosis	HUTH not a specialist centre

HST22 Ataluren for treating Duchenne muscular dystrophy with a nonsense mutation in the dystrophin gene	HUTH not a specialist centre
TA874 Polatuzumab vedotin in combination for untreated diffuse large B-cell lymphoma	HUTH not a specialist centre
HST24 Onasemnogene abeparvovec for treating presymptomatic spinal muscular atrophy	HUTH not a specialist centre
HST25 Lumasiran for treating primary hyperoxaluria type 1	HUTH not a specialist centre
HST26 Eladocagene exuparvovec for treating aromatic L-amino acid decarboxylase deficiency	HUTH not a specialist centre
HST15 Onasemnogene abeparvovec for treating spinal muscular atrophy	HUTH not a specialist centre
TA893 <a href="#">Brexucabtagene autoleucel for treating relapsed or refractory B-cell acute lymphoblastic leukaemia in people 26 years and over</a>	HUTH not a specialist centre
TA895 <a href="#">Axicabtagene ciloleucel for treating relapsed or refractory diffuse large B-cell lymphoma after first-line chemoimmunotherapy</a>	HUTH not a specialist centre
TA912 Cipaglucosidase alfa with miglustat for treating late-onset Pompe disease	HUTH not a specialist centre
TA913: Mavacamten for treating symptomatic obstructive hypertrophic cardiomyopathy	HUTH is not a specialist centre
TA915: Pegunigalsidase alfa for treating Fabry disease	HUTH is not a specialist centre
<a href="#">TA984: Tafamidis for treating transthyretin amyloidosis with cardiomyopathy</a>	HUTH is not a specialist centre