List of medicines falling under NHSE/I specialised commissioning not on the SEL Joint Medicines Formulary (out of area requests) Last updated - October 2021



The aim of this list is to advise prescribers on out of area prescribing requests for NHS England-commissioned medicines that are not included in the local SEL Joint Formulary. GPs may be requested to prescribe by outer SEL Trusts and should refer to the list below to determine RAGG status.

Requests for GPs to prescribe non-formulary drugs should be returned to the specialist and not prescribed in primary care. Inclusion of a drug on the list does not confer that a drug is commissioned for use within SEL trusts, please refer to the SEL joint formulary.

RAGG ratings and descriptions for all formulary drugs within SEL can be accessed as follows:

ADULTS: via the SEL Joint Formulary website

PAEDIATRICS: via the Paediatric Formulary app, available on both iOS and Android devices. Search 'Paediatric Formulary' in the app store.

Unless otherwise stated, this list covers adults only

Drug Name	Common Brand Name(s)	RAGG status (Adults unless otherwise stated)	Indication for RAGG status	National /Regional Guidance	Comments/ reason for inclusion or RAG	Shared care/ Transfer of care guidance/ additonal information
Ambrisentan (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Volibris	RED	All uses	Consensus statement National Pulmonary Hypertension Centre	Pulmonary hypertension specialist only	
Amifampridine phosphate (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Firdapse	RED	All uses	NHS England Policy	Lambert-Eaton myasthenic syndrome	
Amprenavir (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Agenerase	RED	All uses	BHIVA Guidelines	HIV	
Becaplermin (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Regranex	RED	All uses		Specialist use only	
Carglumic Acid (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Carbaglu	RED	All uses		Hyperammonaemia	
Clofarabine (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Evoltra	RED	All uses		Acute lymphoblastic leukaemia	
Colestilan (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Bindren	RED	All uses	NHSE, Trust guidelines	No exisiting shared care, NHSe commissioned	
Doripenem (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Doribax	RED	All uses		Hospital acquired pneumonia, complicated intra- abdominal infections, complicated UTIs	
Estramustine phosphate (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Estracyt	RED	All uses		Specialist use only	
Fampridine (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Fampyra	RED	All uses	NHS England Policy	Multiple sclerosis	

Fosaprepitant (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Ivemend	RED	All uses		Chemotherapy-associated nausea and vomiting	
Galsulfase (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Naglazyme	RED	All uses		mucopolysaccharidosis VI	
Ganirelix (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Orgalutran	RED	All uses		Specialist use only, package of commissioned service	
Ibandronic Acid (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Bondronat, lasibon	RED	Reduction of bone damage in bone metastases in breast cancer		Part of specialist package of care	
Ibritumomab (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Zevalin	RED	All uses		Rituximab relapsed or refractory CD20 + follicular βcell non Hodgkin's lymphoma	
Idursulfase (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Elaprase	RED	All uses		Mucopolysaccharidosis II	
Imiglucerase (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Cerezyme	RED	All uses		Gaucher's diseas	
Indinavir (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Crixivan	RED	All uses	BHIVA Guidelines/NICE	HIV	
Lapatinib (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Tyverb	RED	All uses		Specialist use only	
Laronidase (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Aldurazyme	RED	All uses		Mucopolysaccharidosis	
Lutropin α (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Luveris	RED	All uses	NICE	Specialist use only, package of commissioned service	
Maribavir (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Camvia	RED	All uses		Prevention of Cytomegalovirus CMV	
Mecasermin (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Increlex	RED	All uses	NHS England Policy	Specialist use only	
Miglustat (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Zavesca	RED	All uses		Gaucher's diseas	
Miltefosine (not on SEL Joint Formulary)		RED	All uses		Acanthamoeba keratitis.	
Motavizumab (not on SEL Joint Formulary)		RED	All uses		Specialist use only	
Naptumomab estafenatox (not on SEL Joint Formulary)		RED	All uses		Renal cell carcinoma	

Nelarabine (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Atriance	RED	All uses		Acute lymphoblastic leukaemia T-ALL & T-LBL cell	
Nelfinavir (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Viracept	RED	All uses	BHIVA Guidelines/NICE	HIV	
Neuradiab (not on SEL Joint Formulary)		RED	All uses		Treatment of glioblastoma multiforme	
Nimotuzumab (not on SEL Joint Formulary)		RED	All uses		Pancreatic cancer	
Palifermin (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Kepivance	RED	All uses		Oral Mucositis due to myeloablation	
Paliperidone oral (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Invega	RED	All uses	NICE	Not on SEL JF formulary, however may be indicated for specific patients e.g. HIV	
Pericyazine oral (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Neulactil	RED	All uses		Not on SEL JF formulary and rarely prescribed so primary care unfamiliar	
Perphenazine oral (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Fentazin	RED	All uses		Not on SEL JF formulary and rarely prescribed so primary care unfamiliar	
Piracetam (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Nootropil	RED	All uses		Adjunctive treatment of cortical myoclonus	
Porfimer sodium (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Photofrin	RED	All uses	NICE	NSCLC, oesophageal Ca	
Ranpirnase (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Onconase	RED	All uses		Malignant mesothelioma	
Rifaximin (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Xifaxanta (200mg tablets)	RED	All uses including travellers diarrhoea		Not on SEL JF. The 550mg formulation of rifaximin (Targaxan) is on the SEL formulary for use in hepatic encephalopathy in line with NICE (see AMBER list).	
Sitaxentan (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Thelin	RED	All uses	Consensus statement National Pulmonary Hypertension Centre	Pulmonary hypertension specialist only	
Sodium Clodronate IV (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Bonefos	RED	All uses		Specialist use only	
Sodium Polystyrene Sulphonate (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Resonium A	RED	All uses		Hyperkalaemia associated with anuria or severe oliguria and in dialysis patients	
Spheramine (not on SEL Joint Formulary)		RED	All uses		Implant for Parkinson's disease	

Tadalafil (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Cialis	RED	Pulmonary Hypertension	Consensus statement National Pulmonary Hypertension Centre	Specialist use only	
Talactoferrinum alpha (not on SEL Joint Formulary)		RED	All uses		Renal cell carcinoma	
Tarenflurbil (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Flurizan	RED	All uses		Alzheimer's disease	
Tegafur with Uracil (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Uftoral	RED	All uses	NICE	Specialist use only	
Tetrahydrobiopterin (not on SEL Joint Formulary)		RED	All uses		Phenylketonuria	
Tetrathiomolybdate (not on SEL Joint Formulary)		RED	All uses		Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis	
Tiludronic acid (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Skelid	RED	All uses		Pagets disease of bone	
Tinzaparin sodium (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Innohep	RED	All uses		Not on SEL JF. GPs not famililiar with prescribing.	
Tipranavir (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Aptivus	RED	All uses	BHIVA Guidelines/NICE	HIV	
Tolcapone (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Tasmar	RED	All uses		Parkinson's Disease	
Treprostinil (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Remodulin	RED	All uses		Specialist use only	
Urofollitropin (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Metrodin High purity	RED	All uses	NICE	Specialist use only, package of commissioned service	
Zalcitabine (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Hivid	RED	All uses	BHIVA Guidelines/NICE	HIV	
Ziconotide (not on SEL Joint Formulary)	Prialt	RED	All uses		Specialist use only	