

Streamlined Individual Patient Use (IPU) Request: Eltrombopag

25 mg, 50 mg, 75 mg and 100 mg tablets

Eltrombopag is not listed on the High Cost Medicines formulary but is available as a streamlined Individual Patient Use (IPU) request for first-line treatment in combination with ciclosporin (CsA) and horse anti-thymocyte globulin (h-ATG) in paediatric patients with severe aplastic anaemia (SAA) in compliance with criteria below.

Where SAA is defined as marrow cellularity <25% (or 25 –50% with < 30% residual haematopoietic cells), plus at least 2 of:

- (i) neutrophils < $0.5 \times 10^9/l$,
- (ii) platelets < $20 \times 10^9/l$
- (iii) reticulocyte count < $20 \times 10^9/l$

The following information is required to be provided by the **prescriber** prior to dispensing.

Patient details:

Patient name:
Patient UR number:
Patient Date of Birth:
Patient location (site/hospital): The Women's and Children's Hospital

Patient eligibility for eltrombopag: (all criteria must be met)

1. Patient has been diagnosed with SAA and is a paediatric patient
and
2. Patient has not previously received immunosuppressive treatment for SAA
and
3. Patient is to receive eltrombopag in combination with ciclosporin and horse anti-thymocyte globulin



Prescriber eligibility for eltrombopag: (both criteria must be met)

1. Consultant haematologist

and

2. Prescriber agrees to provide the following information at 6 months following initiation of treatment (or earlier if applicable):

- Haematological response achieved (Yes/No)
 - i. If not, planned future treatment?

I certify that the above information is correct _____	
Date:	
Prescriber Name:	
Position:	
Clinical unit:	
Telephone No:	Pager No:

This form must be completed and returned to Pharmacy prior to supply

Information for pharmacy

This form should be retained in the pharmacy department and a copy forwarded to:

- The Executive Officer
South Australian Medicines Evaluation Panel
Medicines and Technology Policy and Programs
Level 8, Citicentre
11 Hindmarsh Sq
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