

Medicine	Indication	Further Information	Type	LSCMMG planned
Fatty acid enema	Diversion Colitis	Requested by FWG, previously approved by ELMMB	Moderate	September 2025
Mexiletine RAG change	Ventricular arrhythmias unresponsive to other antiarrhythmic agents or where other agents are contraindicated	Requested by Liverpool Heart and Chest Hospital NHS Foundation Trust. Cheshire and Mersey had the drug reclassified as Amber (patient retained)	Major	September 2025
L-Ornithine aspartate sachets	Treatment of patients with overt hepatic encephalopathy unresponsive to lactulose and rifaximin	Requested by Consultant Gastroenterologist, ELHT	Major	September 2025
K Vita	Treatment of drug-resistant epilepsy	Ketogenic diet is advised by NICE guideline 217 for drug-resistant epilepsy. K Vita is a ketogenic diet product that has been subject of 3 IFRs this year.	Major	October 2025
Pentosan polysulfate sodium	Treatment of ketamine uropathy	Raises at Formulary Working Group. Increasingly being requested for indication. On formulary Red for Bladder pain syndrome.	Moderate	October 2025
Actimorph	Treatment of pain, non-palliative patients	Requested by Morecambe Bay ICB locality	Moderate	TBC – awaiting application
Itraconazole	Treatment of pityriasis versicolor	Request to change RAG rating to Green for indication, requested by Advanced Locality Pharmacist, Pennine locality	Major	October 2025
Clascoterone	Treatment of acne vulgaris in people 12 years and over	Requested by Dermatology Pharmacist, ELHT	Major	October 2025