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2.1 Positive inotropic drugs

Digifab Injection	Formulary
Digoxin Tablets	Formulary
Digoxin Elixir (Paediatric)	Formulary
Digoxin Injection	Formulary
Milrinone 10mg/10ml Injection	Formulary

2.2 Diuretics

Bendroflumethiazide Tablets	Formulary
Chlorothiazide 250mg/5ml Suspension	Formulary
Indapamide M/R Tablets	Formulary
Indapamide Tablets	Formulary
Metolazone Tablets	Formulary
Bumetanide Tablets	Formulary
Bumetanide Liquid	Formulary
Bumetanide Injection	Formulary
Furosemide Tablets	Formulary
Furosemide Injection	Formulary
Furosemide Sf Solution	Formulary
Amiloride Tablets	Formulary
Amiloride Sf Solution	Formulary
Eplerenone Tablets	Formulary
Spironolactone Tablet	Formulary
Spironolactone Suspension	Formulary
Co-Amilorfruse Tablets	Formulary
Mannitol Infusion	Formulary

2.3 Anti-arrhythmic drugs

Adenosine Infusion	Formulary
Adenosine Injection	Formulary
Amiodarone Tablets	Formulary
Amiodarone Injection	Formulary
Disopyramide Capsules	Formulary
Disopyramide Injection	Formulary
Dronedarone Tablets	Restricted to management by Consultant Cardiologists.
Flecainide Tablets	Formulary
Flecainide Injection	Formulary
Flecainide Syrup	Formulary
Lidocaine in Glucose Infusion	Formulary
Lidocaine Sterile Solution	Formulary
Propafenone Tablets	Formulary

2.4 Beta-adrenoceptor blocking drugs

Atenolol Tablets	Formulary
Atenolol Sf Syrup	Formulary
Atenolol Injection	Formulary
Bisoprolol Tablets	Formulary
Carvedilol Tablets	Formulary
Esmolol Infusion	Formulary
Labetalol Tablets	Formulary
Labetalol Injection	Formulary
Metoprolol Tablets	Formulary
Metoprolol M/R Tablets	Formulary

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Metoprolol Injection	Formulary
Nebivolol Tablets	Formulary
Propranolol Tablets	Formulary
Propranolol Sf Solution	Formulary
Propranolol M/R Capsules	Formulary
Sotalol Tablets	Formulary

2.5 Hypertension and heart failure

Hydralazine Injection	Formulary
Hydralazine Tablets	Formulary
Sodium Nitroprusside Injection	Formulary
Clonidine Patches	Formulary
Clonidine Tablets	Formulary
Clonidine Injection	Formulary
Clonidine Suspension	Formulary
Methyldopa Tablets	Formulary
Moxonidine Tablets	Formulary
Guanethidine Injection	Formulary
Doxazosin Tablets	Formulary
Doxazosin M/R Tablets	Formulary
Phenoxybenzamine Injection	Formulary
Prazosin Tablets	Formulary
Terazosin Tablets	Formulary
Captopril Liquid	Formulary
Captopril Tablets	Formulary
Enalapril Tablets	Formulary
Lisinopril Tablets	Formulary

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Ramipril Capsules	Formulary
Candesartan Tablets	Formulary
Irbesartan Tablets	Formulary
Losartan Tablets	Formulary
Valsartan Capsules	Formulary
Aliskiren Tablets	Formulary

2.6 Nitrates, calcium-channel blockers, and other antianginal drugs

Glyceryl Trinitrate Patches	Formulary
Glyceryl Trinitrate M/R Buccal Tablets	Formulary
Glyceryl Trinitrate S/L Spray	Formulary
Glyceryl Trinitrate S/L Tablets	Formulary
Glyceryl Trinitrate Injection	Formulary
Isosorbide Mononitrate Tablets	Formulary
Isosorbide Mononitrate M/R Capsules	Formulary
Amlodipine Tablets	Formulary
Diltiazem M/R Capsules	Formulary
Diltiazem M/R Tablets	Formulary
Nifedipine Capsules	Formulary
Nifedipine M/R Tablets	Formulary
Nifedipine Oral Drops	Formulary
Nifedipine M/R Capsules	Formulary
Nimodipine Infusion	Restricted to prevention and treatment of ischaemic neurological deficits following sub-arachanoid haemorrhage
Nimodipine Tablets	Restricted to prevention and treatment of ischaemic neurological deficits following sub-arachanoid haemorrhage

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Verapamil M/R Tablets	Formulary
Verapamil Tablets	Formulary
Verapamil M/R Capsules	Formulary
Verapamil Injection	Formulary
Ivabradine Tablets	Formulary
Nicorandil Tablets	Formulary
Naftidrofuryl Capsules	Formulary
Papaverine Hydrochloride Injection	Formulary
Tolazoline Injection	Formulary

2.7 Sympathomimetics

Dobutamine Injection	Formulary
Dopamine Injection	Formulary
Dopexamine Injection	Formulary
Isoprenaline Injection	Formulary
Ephedrine Injection	Formulary
Metaraminol Injection	Formulary
Midodrine Tablets	Formulary
Noradrenaline Injection	Formulary
Phenylephrine Injection	Formulary
Adrenaline 1/10,000 Injection	Formulary

2.8 Anticoagulants and protamine

Bivalirudin Injection	Formulary
Argatroban	Formulary
Dalteparin Injection	Formulary
Danaparoid Injection	Restricted to patients who cannot tolerate other injectable anticoagulants – on the

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recommendation of a Consultant
Haematologist.

Epoprostenol Injection	Formulary
Fondaparinux Syringe	Formulary
Heparin Sodium Injection	Formulary
Iloprost Injection	Formulary
Apixaban	Formulary
Dabigatran Etexilate Capsules	Formulary
Phenindione Tablets	Restricted to use in patients who cannot tolerate warfarin
Rivaroxaban Tablets	Formulary
Warfarin Tablets	Formulary
Protamine Sulphate Injection	Formulary

2.9 Antiplatelet drugs

Abciximab Injection	Formulary
Aspirin Dispersible Tablets	Formulary
Clopidogrel Tablets	Formulary
Dipyridamole Tablets	Formulary
Dipyridamole M/R Capsules	Formulary
Dipyridamole Sf Suspension	Formulary
Prasugrel Tablet	Restricted use to patients who have undergone PCI.
Ticagrelor Tablets	Formulary
Tirofiban Infusion	Formulary

2.10 Stable angina, acute coronary syndromes, and fibrinolysis

Alteplase Injection	Formulary
Streptokinase Injection	Formulary

Tenecteplase Injection

Urokinase Injection R

2.11 Antifibrinolytic drugs and haemostatics

Knox Mouthwash

Thrombin Injection Formulary

Tisseel Disposable Kit FormularyTranexamic Acid Tablets FormularyTranexamic Acid Injection FormularyTranexamic Acid Mouthwash FormularyTranexamic Acid Solution Formulary

2.12 Lipid-regulating drugs

Atorvastatin Tablets

Bezafibrate Tablets

Bezafibrate M/R Tablets

Colesevelam Tablets	Formulary
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Colestyramine Sachets	Formulary
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Ezetimibe Tablets FormularyFenofibrate F/C Tablets FormularyFenofibrate Capsules Formulary

Omacor Capsules Formulary

Simvastatin Tablets

2.13 Local sclerosants

Ethanolamine Oleate Injection	Formulary
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Ferric Subsulphate (Monsel's Solution)	Formulary
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Sodium Tetradecyl Sulphate Injection