

Technology Guidance

Ustekinumab biosimilar for treating inflammatory conditions

Technology Guidance from the MOH Drug Advisory Committee

Guidance Recommendations

The Ministry of Health's Drug Advisory Committee has recommended ustekinumab biosimilar (Steqeyma) 45 mg/0.5 mL pre-filled syringe, 90 mg/1 mL pre-filled syringe, and 130 mg/26 mL vial for listing on the MOH Standard Drug List (SDL). The decision was based on the acceptable pricing proposal from the company.

Funding status

SDL subsidy will apply from 1 April 2026 to all registered indications of ustekinumab biosimilar (Steqeyma) 45 mg/0.5 mL pre-filled syringe, 90 mg/1 mL pre-filled syringe, and 130 mg/26 mL vial in Singapore.

SDL subsidy **does not** apply to other brand(s), formulation(s) or strength(s) of ustekinumab.

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