A.20	Imipenem + cilastatin + relebactam – bacterial infections due to multidrug- resistant organisms – EML	
Draft recommendation		□ Recommended ☑ Not recommended Justification: Limited data Testing for susceptibility not available Cost not indicated Questions around stewardship
Does the proposed medicine address a relevant public health need?		 Yes □ No □ Not applicable Comments:
Does adequate evidence exist for the efficacy/effectiveness of the medicine for the proposed indication? (this may be evidence included in the application, and/or additional evidence identified during the review process)		☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not applicable Comments: 1RCT (RESTORE-IMI 2)
Does adequate evidence exist for the safety/harms associated with the proposed medicine? (this may be evidence included in the application, and/or additional evidence identified during the review process)		 Yes □ No □ Not applicable Comments: From the clinical trial, no excess safety events reported
	adverse effects of at may require special	☐ Yes ☑ No ☐ Not applicable Comments:

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Are there any special requirements for the safe, effective and appropriate use of the medicines?	
(e.g. laboratory diagnostic and/or monitoring tests, specialized training for health providers, etc)	□ Not applicable Comments: Improved laboratory diagnostics
Are there any issues regarding cost, cost- effectiveness, affordability and/or access for the medicine in different settings?	☐ Yes ☑ No ☐ Not applicable Comments: It is not clear what the cost is
Are there any issues regarding the registration of the medicine by national regulatory authorities? (e.g. accelerated approval, lack of regulatory approval, off-label indication)	☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not applicable Comments: Only registered in a few countries
Is the proposed medicine recommended for use in a current WHO guideline? (refer to: https://www.who.int/publications/whoguidelines)	☐ Yes ☑ No ☐ Not applicable Comments: