A.34 Pretomanid – multidrug-resistant or rifampicin-resistant tuberculosis – EML		
Draft recommendation		⊠ Recommended
		□ Not recommended
		Justification:
		TB is a public health crisis and a health security threat with increasing MDR/RR TB globally. Pretomanid in combination with bedaquiline and linezolid for MDR/RR TB has proven both cost and cost effective and safe and in fluoroquinoline resistant with BPaLM which is the regimen with moxifloxacin has proven efficacious and safe.
		Due to its shorter and less pill regimen, it improved the patient compliances with better patient experience and thus preventing further resistance.
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:
Does adequate evidence exist for the safety/harms associated with the proposed medicine?		⊠ Yes
		□ No
(this may be evidence	vidence included in the	□ Not applicable
application, and/or additional evide		Comments:
identified dur	ing the review process)	Hepatotoxicity for which liver enzymes and clinicl sigsn and symptoms has to be watched
Are there any adverse effects of		□ Yes
monitoring?	at may require special	⊠ No
		□ Not applicable
		Comments:

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Are there any special requirements for	⊠ Yes
the safe, effective and appropriate use of the medicines?	□No
(o.g. loboratory diagnostic and /or	□ Not applicable
(e.g. laboratory diagnostic and/or monitoring tests, specialized training for health providers, etc)	Comments: DST but this is a WHO essential list for diagnostics
Are there any issues regarding cost, cost-effectiveness, affordability and/or	☐ Yes
access for the medicine in different	⊠ No
settings?	□ Not applicable
	Comments:
Are there any issues regarding the registration of the medicine by national	☐ Yes
regulatory authorities?	⊠ No
(e.g. accelerated approval, lack of	□ Not applicable
regulatory approval, off-label indication)	Comments:
Is the proposed medicine	⊠ Yes
recommended for use in a current WHO	□No
guideline?	□ Not applicable
(refer to: https://www.who.int/publications/who-	Comments:
guidelines)	