NHSGGC Regional Sector:
Authorised NCIII List for Neurosciences:

Department	Designated Lead	Nominated Pharmacy Lead(s)	Designated Contacts within On-Site Pharmacy Department	Nominated Nursing Lead(s)	NCIIIs Approved for Use	Indication	Licensed Status LM / ULM / LM but unlicensed indication	Aseptic Manipulation /Preparation Required	Storage in Clinical Area Authorised	Approved Dose Range	Upper Limit	Folder/ Information Storage Location	Location of Intralipid for Potential LA Toxicity
INS Ward 61 Ward 63 Ward 64 Ward 65 Ward 66 Ward 67 Ward 68 Neuro-theatres	Mr James Manfield and Mr Michael Canty, INS, QEUH awaiting sign off by Dr Bryan Dawson, 01.08.24) Deputy: Dr Roddy O'Kane, Consultant Neuro-surgeon, INS, QEUH	Claire Saleh (on mat leave) Deputy: Caitlin Fyfe	Claire Saleh (on mat leave) Deputy: Caitlin Fyfe Scott Nicol / Andy Parker	Pamela Philp	Intra-ventricular gentamicin vials 5mg/ml, very occasionally intrathecal	Bacterial meningitis	Licensed medicine	No – authorised for storage in ward 61. Subject to NCIII controls within and on leaving pharmacy.	Yes	Usually 5mg per day	5mg*	Ward 61 Beside Fridge.	N/A
					Intra-ventricular vancomycin PFS 20mg/8ml	Bacterial meningitis	Unlicensed medicine	No – authorised for storage in ward 61. Subject to NCIII controls within and on leaving pharmacy.	Yes	Depends on space / age of child / pressure	Max 8ml		
					Vancomycin 125mg/50ml supplied in 50ml syringes	Shunt washing (intrathecal quality)	Unlicensed medicine	Yes, prepared in pharmacy PPU	Yes	N/A – for topical use only.			
					Intrathecal baclofen 10, 50, 500 & 2000micro-grams/ml	Spasticity	Licensed medicine	Yes, prepared in pharmacy PPU.	No - ordered on named patient basis from pharmacy.	Not applicable.	1000micro-grams/day. Occasionally higher doses may be necessary & prescriptions must be checked by 2 consultants.	Ward 61 Beside Fridge.	
					Intrathecal baclofen 100, 200, 300, 400, 1000 & 3000micro-grams/ml	Spasticity	Unlicensed medicine						
				Awaiting final approval, for review by AUC	Intrathecal amikacin**	Resistant gram negative organisms (e.g. E Coli, Pseudomonas etc)	Licensed medicine but unlicensed use	Yes, prepared in pharmacy.	No - ordered on named patient basis from pharmacy.	10-30mg	30mg		

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				Awaiting final approval, for review by AUC	Intrathecal daptomycin**	Resistant gram positive organisms (e.g. Glycopep-tide Resistant Enterococci)	Licensed medicine but unlicensed use	Yes	No	5 to 10mg daily (in no more than 5ml)	10mg		N/A
				Recorded for information only due to the potential for local spread to the intrathecal space – NOT managed as an NCIII	Percutaneous glycerol injection (5ml ampoule), administered by injection into the trigeminal cistern	Medically refractory trigeminal neuralgia	ULM	No	Yes – product will be stored in theatres clearly annotated for TGN use	0.3 – 0.6ml Typical dose is 0.5ml	0.6ml	Ward 61 beside fridge	N/A
Neuro-surgery OPD	Mr James Manfield and Mr Michael Canty, INS, QEUH Deputy: Dr Roddy O'Kane, Consultant Neuro-surgeon, INS, SGUH Ext 62021	Claire Saleh (on mat leave) Deputy: Caitlin Fyfe	Claire Saleh (on mat leave) Deputy: Caitlin Fyfe Scott Nicol	SCN Elaine Kennedy Sheila Matheson (trained and certified approved by Karen McCarron, 31.05.22)	Intrathecal baclofen 50, 500 & 2000micro-grams/ml	Spasticity	Licensed medicine	Yes, prepared in pharmacy PPU.	No - ordered on named patient basis from pharmacy.	Not applicable.	1000micro-grams/day. Occasionally higher doses may be necessary & prescriptions must be checked by 2 consultants.	Outpatients Department	N/A
					Intrathecal baclofen 100, 200, 300, 400, 1000 & 3000micro-grams/ml	Spasticity	Unlicensed medicine						
					Intrathecal clonidine	Removed from the register at the request of Miss Littlechild, 25.08.2014.							

** All requests for rarely used antimicrobials approved and on the intrathecal register, will at the time of individual patient need, require final approval for use on an individual patient basis by the Designed Lead, Microbiology Lead, Antimicrobial Pharmacist, Clinical Pharmacist and Aseptic Lead (or approved deputies), with the submission of a ULM form, which must be signed off and authorised before releasing the product.