1. Record Nr. UNINA9910688590203321 Metformin: pharmacology and drug interactions / / Juber Akhtar [and Titolo three others], editor Pubbl/distr/stampa London:,:IntechOpen,,2021 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (154 pages) Disciplina 616.462061 Soggetti Metformin Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese Materiale a stampa **Formato** Livello bibliografico Monografia Type 2 diabetes (T2D), also known as non-insulin-dependent diabetes Sommario/riassunto mellitus (NIDDM), is a condition in which cells fail to respond to insulin properly. As the disease progresses, the body does not produce enough insulin. There are several classes of anti-diabetic medications available, including the oral agent metformin. This medication is recommended as first-line treatment for T2D, except for those patients with severe kidney or liver problems. This book discusses the molecular mechanism, pharmacokinetics, and uses of metformin, as well as presents information on adverse drug reactions, drug interactions, and

the potential use of metformin in tuberculosis.