

PRESMEDIC PARACETAMOL SUSPENSION

250MG/5ML

Paracetamol (250 mg in 5 ml)

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What Presmedic Paracetamol Suspension is used for

Presmedic Paracetamol Suspension is used to relieve fever, headache and symptoms of colds and flu, toothache, discomfort of teething and fever after vaccination.

How Presmedic Paracetamol Suspension works

Presmedic Paracetamol Suspension contains Paracetamol that helps to block pain stimulation and it acts on heat-regulating center in brain. This results in increase in blood flow through skin, sweating and heat loss.

Before you use Presmedic Paracetamol Suspension

- When you must not use it

Do not take this medicine if:

- You have ever had an allergic reaction to paracetamol.
- You have severe and active liver impairment.

This preparation contains PARACETAMOL. Do not take any other paracetamol containing medicines at the same time.

If you are not sure whether you should start taking this medicine, talk to your pharmacist or doctor.

- Before you start to use it

Tell your doctor if you are taking or have recently taken any other medicines, including medicines obtained without a prescription, as they may interact with Presmedic Paracetamol Suspension.

Allergy alert: Paracetamol may cause severe skin reactions. Symptoms may include skin reddening, blisters or rash. These could be signs of a serious condition. If these reactions occur, stop use and seek medical assistance right away.

- Taking other medicines

The use of anti-psychotic medicines such as barbiturate, tricyclic antidepressants and alcohol may increase liver toxicity of the paracetamol.

Medicine to treat vomit and nausea such as metoclopramide and medicines to treat gastric acid in stomach such as domperidone may increase the absorption if paracetamol in blood.

Cholesterol medicine such as colestyramine may reduce paracetamol absorption.

Taking paracetamol in a prolonged regular daily basis and anticoagulant concurrently will increase the risk of bleeding.

Regular use of paracetamol may reduce effectiveness of zidovudine (antiviral medicines).

Other interactions not stated may occur. Talk to your doctor or pharmacist if you have any other concerns.

How to use Presmedic Paracetamol Suspension

- How much to use

Presmedic Paracetamol Suspension may be taken with or without food.

For children aged 6 to 12 years:

Give in 6 hourly intervals; not more than 4 times a day.

Age	Dose
6 years	5 ml – 7 ml
7 – 9 years	7 ml – 10 ml
10 – 12 years	10 ml – 15ml

The above table is based on the average weight-age grid of children.

If you know the body weight of your child, it's always more accurate to use the weight to arrive at the correct dose.

Please refer below.

Using the body weight of your child, you can calculate the dose of Presmedic Paracetamol Suspension your child needs. Calculation is based on recommended dose of 15 mg per body weight in kg (BW).

Table below provides the dose of Presmedic Paracetamol Suspension to be given, based on body weight:

Child's Weight		Dose
In kg	In lb	
10	22	3 ml
15	33	4.5 ml
20	44	6 ml
30	66	9 ml

Note: 1 kg = 2.2 lb

- When to use it

Take the medicine every day before or after meal, not more than 4 times a day with at least 6 hours interval.

- How long to use it

Take this medicine as long as doctor prescribed you.

- If you forget to take Presmedic Paracetamol Suspension

It is important to take your medicine every day as regular treatment works better.

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Take one as soon as you remember, unless it is nearly time to take the next dose. Never take two doses together. If your symptoms persist, see your doctor.

- If you use too much (overdose)

Contact your doctor or casualty department. Do not drive if you have taken too many doses.

While you are using Presmedic Paracetamol Suspension

- Things you must do

Take the medicine everyday as your doctor prescribed.

- Things you must not do

Do not take more than the recommended dose.

- Things to be careful of

- Do not take any other paracetamol containing medicines at the same time.
- Paracetamol may cause severe skin reactions. Symptoms may include skin reddening, blisters or rash. These could be signs of a serious condition. If these reactions occur, stop use and seek medical assistance right away.

Side effects

Like all medicines, Presmedic Paracetamol Suspension can have side effects, but not everybody gets them.

The following side effects may occur:

- Skin rashes
- Allergic reactions
- Angioedema (skin swollen)
- Stevens Johnson Syndrome (flu, fever and skin rashes)
- Toxic epidermal necrolysis (type of severe skin reactions)

You may report any side effects or adverse drug reactions directly to the National Centre for Adverse Drug Reaction Monitoring visiting the website npra.moh.gov.my [Consumers→Reporting Side Effects to Medicines (ConSERF) or Vaccines (AEFI)].

Storage and Disposal of Presmedic Paracetamol Suspension

- Storage

Keep out of reach of children. Store below 30°C. Protect from light and freezing.

- Disposal

Medicines should not be disposed of via wastewater or household waste. Ask your pharmacist how to dispose of medicines no longer required. These measures will help to protect the environment.

Product description

- What it looks like

Pink, viscous suspension with raspberry flavour.

- Ingredients

- Active ingredients

Each 5ml of syrup contains 250mg of Paracetamol

- Inactive ingredients

- Colloidal Silicon Dioxide
- Silicone Antifoam Emulsion
- Methyl Hydroxybenzoate
- Propyl Hydroxybenzoate
- Propylene Glycol
- Edetate Calcium Disodium
- Ponceau 4R Lake
- Titanium Dioxide
- Xanthan Gum
- Glycerin
- Sorbitol 70%
- Acesulfame Potassium
- Sucralose
- Citric Acid
- Raspberry Flavour
- Purified water

- MAL Number:

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