

UPHADYL PAED EXPECTORANT

Diphenhydramine hydrochloride/Ammonium chloride (7mg/67.5mg per 5ml)

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What Uphadyl Paed Expectorant is used for

Uphadyl Paed Expectorant is used for cough and allergy associated with respiratory illness e.g. common cold, flu and airway inflammation.

How Uphadyl Paed Expectorant works

Diphenhydramine hydrochloride is an antihistamine that suppresses the urge to cough and dries up secretions in the nose and chest. Ammonium chloride is an expectorant that helps loosen phlegm.

Before you use Uphadyl Paed Expectorant

- When you must not use it

Do not use Uphadyl Paed Expectorant if your child is allergic to Diphenhydramine Hydrochloride or Ammonium Chloride or any of the other ingredients listed at the end of the leaflet.

Do not use Uphadyl Paed Expectorant if your child is taking monoamine oxidase inhibitors (MAOI) (a treatment for depression).

- Before you start to use it

Before taking Uphadyl Paed Expectorant you must tell your doctor or pharmacist if your child have, or have had, any of the medical conditions.

If you are not sure if your child have, or have had, any of these conditions, you should raise those concerns with your doctor or pharmacist.

- Taking other medicines

Inform your doctor or pharmacist before taking Uphadyl Paed Expectorant.

Before using Uphadyl Paed Expectorant, it is important to tell your doctor or pharmacist if your child is taking any other medicines, obtained with or without a doctor's prescription.

Uphadyl Paed Expectorant may enhance alcohol and medicines used to help your child relax, sleep or relieve anxiety including barbiturates, hypnotics, sedatives and tranquilizers.

How to use Uphadyl Paed Expectorant

- How much to use

Follow the instructions carefully. If you do not understand the instructions on the label, ask your doctor, or pharmacist for help.

Children above 2 years: 5 to 10 ml, 3 to 4 times daily.

- When to use it

3 to 4 times daily. Use as directed by your doctor or pharmacist.

- How long to use it

Continue taking Uphadyl Paed Expectorant as your doctor recommended. If symptoms persist, consult your doctor.

- If you forget to use it

Consult your doctor or pharmacist on what you should do if your child forget to use it.

Take the missed dose as soon as you remember. If it is almost time for your next dose, wait until then to take the medicine and skip the missed dose. Do not take a double dose to make up for the missed dose.

- If you use too much (overdose)

Contact your doctor immediately or go to the Emergency Department of your nearest hospital, if you think your child or anyone else may have taken too much of this medicine.

Do this even if there are no signs of discomfort or poisoning. Your child may need urgent medical attention.

While you are using Uphadyl Paed Expectorant

- Things you must do

- Tell all the doctors, dentists and pharmacists treating your child that your child is taking Uphadyl Paed Expectorant.

- Things you must not do

- Do not take more than the recommended dose unless your pharmacist or doctor tells you.
- Do not take any new medicines without consulting your doctor or pharmacist.
- Do not give Uphadyl Paed Expectorant to anyone else, even if they have the same symptoms or condition as your children.

- Things to be careful of

When used for treatment of cough and cold:

- Not to be used in children less than 2 years of age.

- To be used with caution and doctor's/pharmacist's advice in children 2 to 6 years of age.

Side effects

Like all medicines, Uphadyl Paed Expectorant can cause side effects, although not everybody gets them. If side effects persist, do not take the medicine and refer to the doctor.

Tell your doctor if you notice any of the following side effects or notice any other effects not listed:

- Common effect: Sedation
- Gastric intestinal disturbances such as nausea, vomiting, diarrhoea or constipation and epigastric pain.
- Headache
- Blurred vision
- Ringing in the ears
- Elation or depression
- Irritability
- Nightmare
- Loss of appetite
- Difficulty in urination
- Dryness of mouth
- Tightness of chest and tingling
- Heaviness and weakness of the hands.

Tell your doctor or pharmacist if you notice anything else that is making you feel unwell.

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

Storage and disposal of Uphadyl Paed Expectorant

- Storage

Store in dry place below 30°C. Protect from light. Keep out of reach of children. Shake well before use. Keep container tightly closed.

- Disposal

Medicines should not be disposed of via wastewater or household waste. Ask your pharmacist how to dispose of medicines. These measures will help to protect the environment.

Product description

- What it looks like

Brown, flavoured and homogenous syrup.

- Ingredients

Active ingredient:

- Diphenhydramine Hydrochloride
- Ammonium chloride

Inactive Ingredients:

- Menthol
- Sorbitol 70% solution
- Saccharin sodium
- Citric acid
- Liquid caramel
- Sugar
- Sodium Benzoate
- Purified water
- Raspberry flavour
- Strawberry flavour
- Trisodium citrate

- MAL number

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Manufacturer

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