

MUCOLIX ELIXIR

Bromhexine Hydrochloride (4mg/5ml)

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What Mucolix Elixir is used for

Mucolix is indicated in bronchitis, chronic asthma, productive coughs and other respiratory conditions in which stubborn or excessive mucus (phlegm) is a problem.

How Mucolix Elixir works

Bromhexine Hydrochloride is a mucolytic agent which helps to liquefy and loosen thick phlegm in the airway.

Before you use Mucolix Elixir

-When you must not use it

Do not use Mucolix Elixir:

- if you are allergic to bromhexine or any other ingredients in this medicine.
- for children below 2 years old without medical advice.
- if you are pregnant or plan to become pregnant.
- if you are breastfeeding or plan to start breastfeeding.

-Before you start to use it

Tell your doctor or pharmacist before using Mucolix Elixir if you have liver problems, kidney problem and stomach ulcers.

-Using other medicines

Tell your doctor if you are taking any antibiotics (medicines used to treat infection) or other medicines, including any that you buy without a prescription from a pharmacy, supermarket or health food shop.

How to use Mucolix Elixir

-How much to use

Adult and children over 12 years: 10ml

Children 6 to 12 years: 5ml

Children 2 to 6 years: 2.5ml

-When to use it

To be taken 3 times daily, or following the advice from your doctor or pharmacist.

-How long to use it

Follow the advice from your doctor or pharmacist.

If symptoms do not improve within 14 days and/or symptoms increase in spite of treatment, consult your doctor or pharmacist before continuing use.

-If you forget to use it

Use it as soon as you remember, unless it is nearly time for your next dose, skip the missed dose. Then go on as before. Never double up on the next dose to make up for the one missed.

-If you use too much (overdose)

Overdose may cause nausea, vomiting and diarrhoea.

Seek immediate medical attention if you have used too much or are worried with your condition.

While you are using Mucolix Elixir

-Things you must do

- Always wash your hands before handling the medicine.
- Take the medicine at the same time each day.

-Things you must not do

Do not use this medicine by yourself without the advice from your doctor or pharmacist.

-Things to be careful of

This medicine may affect your ability to drive or use machines. If the medicine makes you feel sick, dizzy or tired, or give you a headache, do not drive or use machines and contact your doctor immediately.

Side Effects

- Nausea
- Diarrhea
- Indigestion
- A bloated feeling in the stomach
- Difficulty in breathing
- Skin rashes
- Swelling of face, lips, mouth, tongue or throat

Mucolix Elixir may cause severe allergy and serious skin reactions. Stop using Mucolix Elixir and seek medical assistance immediately if you experience any of the following symptoms:

- 1) Severe allergy: breathing difficulties, light headedness, skin swellings or rash

- 2) Severe skin reaction: skin reddening, blisters, rash, fever, sore throat or eye irritation

Seek immediate medical attention if you experience any side effects or allergic reactions.

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

Storage and Disposal of Mucolix Elixir

-Storage

Store below 30°C. Protect from light.

Keep out of the reach of children.

Do not use this medicine after expiry date.

-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

Colourless, kiwi flavoured syrup.

-Ingredients

-Active ingredient

Bromhexine Hydrochloride.

-Inactive Ingredients

Sorbitol Solution 70%, Sodium Benzoate, Citric Acid Anhydrous, Purified Water, Kiwi Flavour, Ethanol 96%, Glycerin, Syrup.

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