

# ERYCIN FILM COATED TABLET

Erythromycin (250mg)

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## What ERYCIN TABLET is used for

ERYCIN TABLET is used to treat bacterial infections such as respiratory tract infections, skin and soft tissues infections, ear and oral infections.

## How ERYCIN TABLET works

ERYCIN TABLET contains erythromycin as active ingredient, which is an antibiotic that stops the bacteria growth, and eventually kills them.

## Before you use ERYCIN TABLET

### -When you must not use it

Do not take this medicine if you are allergic to erythromycin or any other ingredients of this medicine (listed in Product Description).

### -Before you start to use it

#### *Pregnancy and lactation*

Please consult your doctor or pharmacist if you are pregnant, planning for pregnancy or breast-feeding before using any medicine.

Please tell your doctor if you have:

- Liver problems.
- Heart problems.

### -Taking other medicines

Tell your doctor if you are taking any other medicines, including any that you buy without a prescription from a pharmacy, supermarket or health food shop.

Tell your doctor if you are taking these medications:

- Medicines that may affect your liver or hearing.
- Cimetidine and cisapride (medicine used to treat and prevent heartburn).
- Carbamazepine and phenytoin (medicine used to treat seizures).

- Cyclosporine (medicines used to prevent organ rejection after organ transplant).
- Lovastatin (medicine used to reduce cholesterol level).
- Terfenadine and astemizole (medicines used to treat allergic conditions).
- Theophylline (medicine used in asthma or other breathing issues).
- Digoxin (medicine used to treat congestive heart failure).
- Ergotamine, dihydroergotamine (medicine used to treat migraine).
- Hexobarbital, triazolam (sedative medication).
- Oral anticoagulant (blood thinning medication).

Your doctor or pharmacist may have more information on medicines to be careful with or to avoid while taking this medication.

## How to use ERYCIN TABLET

### -How much to use

Follow all directions given to you by your doctor and pharmacist carefully. They may differ from the information contained in this leaflet. If you do not understand the instructions, ask your doctor or pharmacist for help.

*Adults:* Take 2 tablet every 12 hour or 1 tablet every 6 hours or as directed by your doctor.

For severe infection, the dose might be increased up to 16 tablets per day, taken in divided doses.

### *For Preventing Streptococcal Infections:*

If you have a history of rheumatic disease, take 1 tablet, twice a day for continuous prevention.

### -When to use it

Take 2 or 4 times per day, or as directed by your doctor or pharmacist. ERYCIN TABLET should be taken on an empty stomach or immediately before meals.

### -How long to use it

Take ERYCIN TABLET for the duration that the doctor recommends.

*For Streptococcal Infections:* Take this medication for at least 10 days.

### -If you forget to use it

If you miss a dose of ERYCIN TABLET, take the missed dose as soon as you remember. However, if it's almost time for the next dose, skip the missed dose and continue the regular dosing schedule. Do not take a double dose to make up for a missed one.

### -If you use too much (overdose)

Contact your doctor immediately or go to the Emergency Department of your nearest hospital if you or anyone else may have use too much of this medicine. Do this even if there are no signs of discomfort or poisoning. You may need urgent medical attention.

## While you are using it

### -Things you must do

- Take ERYCIN TABLET only with a doctor's prescription.
- Use your medicine exactly as your doctor has told you.
- Tell all the doctors, dentists and pharmacists treating you that you are using ERYCIN TABLET.
- Tell your doctor immediately if you become pregnant while using this medication.

### -Things you must not do

- Do not stop using the medicine unless advised by your doctor.
- Do not use any new medicines without consulting your doctor or pharmacist.
- Do not give ERYCIN TABLET to anyone else, even if they have the same symptoms or condition as you.

### -Things to be careful of

#### *Driving and using machines*

Be careful driving or operating machinery until you know how ERYCIN TABLET affects you.

## Side effects

Like all medicines, ERYCIN TABLET can cause side effects, although not everybody gets them. Visit your doctor or pharmacist immediately if you experience any side effects after using this medicine.

*Common side effects:* Stomach discomfort, nausea, vomiting, or diarrhea. These are usually dose related. Rarely, severe inflammation of the inner lining of the large intestine may occur.

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**Allergic reactions:** Skin reactions such as rashes or hives may occur. In rare cases, serious allergic reactions like anaphylaxis may happen.

ERYCIN TABLET may cause severe allergy and serious skin reactions.

Stop using ERYCIN TABLET and seek medical assistance immediately if you experience any of the following symptoms: skin reddening, blisters, rash, fever, sore throat, or eye irritation.

**Other side effects:**

**Hearing issues:** There have been rare reports of temporary hearing loss, mostly in people with kidney problems or those taking high doses of the medication.

In rare cases, there have been reports of confusion, hallucinations, seizures, or dizziness, though it's unclear if they are directly caused by this medicine.

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](http://npra.gov.my) [Consumers→ Reporting Side Effects to Medicines (ConSERF) or Vaccines (AEFI)].

## Storage and Disposal of ERYCIN TABLET

### -Storage

Keep in a tight container, store below 30°C, protect from light & moisture.

### -Disposal

ERYCIN TABLET should be disposed when your doctor or pharmacist tells you to stop taking this tablet or it has passed the expiry date. Ask your pharmacist how to dispose medicines that are no longer required.

## Product description

### -What it looks like

ERYCIN TABLET is a red color film coated round tablet, score line on one side, and the other side is marked with the letters "YSP".

### -Ingredients

-Active Ingredient

Erythromycin

-Inactive Ingredients

Sodium Citrate

Povidone

Sodium Starch Glycolate

Magnesium Aluminium Silicate

Cellulose

Polyethylene Glycol

Hydroxypropyl Methylcellulose

Corn Starch

Dimethicone

Sunset Yellow Lake

Sunset Yellow

Ponceau 4R

Titanium Dioxide

### -MAL number

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## Manufacturer and Product Registration Holder

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