YSP PREDNISOLONE SYRUP 3MG/5ML

Prednisolone (3.0mg/5ml)

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What YSP PREDNISOLONE SYRUP 3MG/5ML is used for

It is used for treatment of bronchial asthma, allergic disease, rheumatoid diseases (gouty arthritis, rheumatoid arthritis), osteoarthritis, psoriasis and other inflammatory skin disease.

How YSP PREDNISOLONE SYRUP 3MG/5ML works

YSP PREDNISOLONE SYRUP 3MG/5ML decreases or prevents tissue responses to inflammatory processes, thereby reducing development of symptoms of inflammation.

Before you use YSP PREDNISOLONE SYRUP 3MG/5ML

- *When you must not take it*

Do not take this medicine if:

- you are allergic to *prednisolone* or any other ingredients of this medicine

- *Before you start to take it*

Tell your doctor if you are using any other medicines or you have any other health problems.

Talk to your doctor before taking YSP PREDNISOLONE SYRUP 3MG/5ML, if you have: Systemic sclerosis (an autoimmune disorder). Taking daily doses of 15 mg or more may increase the risk of a serious complication called scleroderma renal crisis which may cause your blood pressure to increase and reduce urination.

Talk to your doctor or pharmacist if you:

- have pheochromocytoma (a tumour of the adrenal gland)

Some medicines may increase the effects of YSP PREDNISOLONE SYRUP 3MG/5ML and your doctor may wish to monitor you carefully if you are taking these medicines (including some medicines for HIV such as cobicistat).

- *Taking other medicines*

PREDNISOLONE may cause unwanted effects if used together with other medicines such as anticonvulsant drug, rifampicin, cyclosporine, corticosteroids, Non-steroidal anti inflammatory drugs (NSAIDs), antacids and insulin.

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.

How to use YSP PREDNISOLONE SYRUP 3MG/5ML

- *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 on the label, ask your doctor or pharmacist for help.

- *When to use it*

YSP PREDNISOLONE SYRUP 3MG/5ML should be taken orally with food.

Use as directed by your doctor or pharmacist.

- *How long to use it*

Use YSP PREDNISOLONE SYRUP 3MG/5ML for the duration that the doctor recommends.

- *If you 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 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*

Use your medicine exactly as your doctor has told you.

Tell all the doctors, dentists and pharmacists treating you that you are using YSP PREDNISOLONE SYRUP 3MG/5ML.

Take YSP PREDNISOLONE SYRUP 3MG/5ML only with a doctor's prescription.

- *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 YSP PREDNISOLONE SYRUP 3MG/5ML to anyone else, even if they have the same symptoms or condition as you.

- *Things to be careful of*

Should be used with caution in patient with congestive heart failure, diabetes mellitus, osteoporosis, hypertension, glaucoma, epilepsy and patients with history of steroid myopathy or peptic ulceration. It should be used cautiously in pregnant lady and nursing mother.

Be careful driving or operating machinery until you know how YSP PREDNISOLONE SYRUP 3MG/5ML affects you.

Side effects

Like all medicines, YSP PREDNISOLONE SYRUP 3MG/5ML 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.

The side effects of prednisolone are nearly always due to its use in excess of normal physiological requirement. The side effects may include suppression of pituitary adrenal function, fluid and electrolyte disturbances, hyperglycemia, peptic ulcer, osteoporosis, behavioral disturbances, central obesity, acne and others.

You may report any side effects or adverse drug reactions directly to the

National Centre for Adverse Drug Reaction Monitoring visiting the website npra.gov.my [Consumers→ Reporting Side Effects to Medicines (ConSERF) or Vaccines (AEFI)]

Storage and Disposal of YSP PREDNISOLONE SYRUP 3MG/5ML

- *Storage*

Keep out of the reach and sight of children.
Store below 30ºC.

- *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*

Clear and red color solution with cherry flavour.

- Ingredients
  - Active ingredient:
    Prednisolone

  - Inactive ingredients:
    Sodium benzoate
    Disodium edetate
    Glycerine
    Propylene glycol
    Sorbitol
    Citric acid
    Sucralose
    Cherry flavour
    Ponceau.

- *MAL number:*

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