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What *SANBEACETIN*® 600 is used for

SANBEACETIN is used for treatment of respiratory affections characterized by a lot of thick and viscous secretions: acute bronchitis, chronic bronchitis (inflammation of the airways that carry air to your lungs) and its exacerbations (worsening); pulmonary emphysema (damages to the air sacs (alveoli) in your lungs), mucoviscidosis (abnormal mucus production in lungs) and bronchiectasis (abnormal widening of airways).

How *SANBEACETIN*® 600 works

Acetylcysteine has strong fluidification activity to mucus and pus secretion. It acts by reducing inflammation and increasing mucosa regeneration speed.

Before you use *SANBEACETIN*® 600

When you must not use it

- You are allergic to *SANBEACETIN*® 600
- You are allergic to any of the other ingredients of *SANBEACETIN*® 600
- You are children below two (2) years of age

If any of the above applies to you, talk to your doctor or pharmacist.

Pregnancy and lactation

Pregnancy category B.

Not known whether acetylcysteine is distributed into milk.

Ask your doctor or pharmacist for advice before taking any medicine.

- Before you start to use it

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How to use *SANBEACETIN*® 600

- How much to use

Adults:

1 effervescent tablet of *SANBEACETIN*® 600 a day (preferably in the evening).

- When to use it

Dissolve 1 effervescent tablet into a glass of water ($\pm$ 200 mL).

- How long to use it

Continue taking *SANBEACETIN*® 600 for as long as your doctor recommends.

- If you forget to use it

Consult your doctor or pharmacist on what you should do 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 think you or anyone else may have taken too much of this medicine. Do this even if there are no signs of discomfort or poisoning. You may need urgent medical attention.

Taking too many tablets may cause irritation, pyrosis (burning sensation of upper abdomen), stomachache, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.

While you are using it

- Things you must do

Take your medicine exactly as your doctor has told you.

Tell all the doctors, dentists and pharmacists treating you that you are taking *SANBEACETIN*® 600.

Tell your doctor immediately if you become pregnant while taking this medication.

- Things you must not do

Do not stop taking the medicine unless advised by your doctor.

Do not take any new medicines without consulting your doctor.

Do not give *SANBEACETIN*® 600 to anyone else, even if they have the same symptoms or condition as you.

- Things to be careful of

Patient with gastric, should be administered after food.

Side effects

Allergic reaction (hypersensitivity) have been reported in patients receiving acetylcysteine, including bronchospasm (a sudden constriction of lung airways), swelling, rashes and itching of the skin.

Other side effects reported with acetylcysteine include nausea, vomiting, fever, temporary loss of consciousness, sweating, pain in joint, blurred vision, disturbances of liver function.

SANBEACETIN® 600 may cause severe allergy and serious skin reactions. Stop using *SANBEACETIN*® 600 and seek medical assistance immediately if you experience any of the following symptoms:

- Severe allergy: breathing difficulties, light headedness, skin swellings or rash.
- Severe skin reaction: skin reddening, blisters, rash, fever, sore throat or eye irritation.

Visit your doctor or pharmacist immediately if you experience any side effects after taking 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 [Consumers→ Reporting Side Effects to Medicines (ConSERF) or Vaccines (AEFI)].

Storage and Disposal of

SANBEACETIN® 600

- Storage

Keep out of the reach and sight of children.

Keep in tightly closed container below 30 °C and dry place.

- 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

SANBEACETIN® 600 is a round flat tablet, white with yellow spot. 1 tablet dissolved in 200 mL, the solution is rather turbid, colorless and sweet-sour.

- Ingredients

- Active ingredient

The active substance is acetylcysteine. Each effervescent tablet contains 600 mg of acetylcysteine.

- Inactive ingredients

The inactive ingredients are citric acid monohydrate, sodium hydrogen carbonate, propylene glycol 6000, sucralose, orange durarome, beta cyclodextrin and mannitol DC.

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