

# HOVID-PARACETAMOL SUSPENSION

## 250MG/5ML (SUGAR FREE)

Paracetamol (250 mg in 5 ml)

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### What Hovid-Paracetamol Suspension is used for

Hovid-Paracetamol Suspension is used to relief fever, headache and symptoms of colds and flu, toothache, discomfort of teething and fever after vaccination.

### How Hovid-Paracetamol Suspension works

Hovid-Paracetamol Suspension contains Paracetamol that helps to block pain stimulation and it acts on heat-regulating center in brain. This results in increase in blood flow through skin, sweating and heat loss.

### Before you use Hovid-Paracetamol Suspension

#### - When you must not use it

Do not take this medicine if:

- You have ever had an allergic reaction to paracetamol.
- You have severe and active liver impairment.

This preparation contains PARACETAMOL. Do not take any other paracetamol containing medicines at the same time.

If you are not sure whether you should start taking this medicine, talk to your pharmacist or doctor.

#### - Before you start to use it

Tell your doctor if you are taking or have recently taken any other medicines, including medicines obtained without a prescription, as they may interact with Hovid-Paracetamol Suspension.

Allergy alert: Paracetamol may cause severe skin reactions. Symptoms may include skin reddening, blisters or rash. These could be signs of a serious condition. If these reactions occur, stop use and seek medical assistance right away.

#### - Taking other medicines

The use of anti-psychotic medicines such as barbiturate, tricyclic antidepressants and alcohol may increase liver toxicity of the paracetamol.

Medicine to treat vomit and nausea such as metoclopramide and medicines to treat gastric acid in stomach such as domperidone may increase the absorption if paracetamol in blood.

Cholesterol medicine such as colestyramine may reduce paracetamol absorption.

Taking paracetamol in a prolonged regular daily basis and anticoagulant concurrently will increase the risk of bleeding.

Regular use of paracetamol may reduce effectiveness of zidovudine (antiviral medicines).

Other interactions not stated may occur. Talk to your doctor or pharmacist if you have any other concerns.

### How to use Hovid-Paracetamol Suspension

#### - How much to use

Hovid-Paracetamol Suspension may be taken with or without food.

For an accurate dosing, weigh your child and work out the dosage based on

a15mg of Paracetamol for every kg body weight.

It is only for oral administration.

Minimum dosing interval: 4 hours. The lowest dose necessary to achieve efficacy should be used.

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

Take the medicine everyday before or after meal, not more than 4 times a day with at least 6 hours interval.

#### - How long to use it

Take this medicine as long as doctor prescribed you.

#### - If you forget to take Hovid-Paracetamol Suspension

It is important to take your medicine every day as regular treatment works better.

Take one as soon as you remember, unless it is nearly time to take the next dose. Never take two doses together. If your symptoms persist, see your doctor.

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

Contact your doctor or casualty department. Do not drive if you have taken too many dose.

### While you are using Hovid-Paracetamol Suspension

#### - Things you must do

Take the medicine everyday as your doctor prescribed.

#### - Things you must not do

Do not take more than the recommended dose.

#### - Things to be careful of

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### Side effects

Like all medicines, Hovid-Paracetamol Suspension can have side effects, but not everybody gets them.

The following side effects may occur:

- Skin rashes
- Allergic reactions
- Angioedema (skin swollen)
- Stevens Johnson Syndrome (flu, fever and skin rashes)
- Toxic epidermal necrolysis (type of severe skin reactions)

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

### Storage and Disposal of Hovid-Paracetamol Suspension

#### - Storage

Keep out of reach of children.

Store below 30°C. Protect from light and freezing.

#### - 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

Pink, viscous suspension with raspberry flavour.

### - Ingredients

#### - Active ingredients

Each 5ml of syrup contains 250mg of Paracetamol

#### - Inactive ingredients

- Colloidal Silicon Dioxide
- Silicone Antifoam Emulsion
- Methyl Hydroxybenzoate
- Propyl Hydroxybenzoate
- Propylene Glycol
- Edetate Calcium Disodium
- Ponceau 4R Lake
- Titanium Dioxide
- Xanthan Gum
- Glycerin
- Sorbitol 70%
- Acesulfame Potassium
- Sucralose
- Citric Acid
- Raspberry Flavour

### - MAL Number:

MAL15095032XZ

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### Product Registration Holder

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