

Clindamycin HCl 150 mg Capsule

CLINDAMYCIN - ORAL

(Prescription medication.)

Minimum/Maximum Adult Daily Dose:

Dose: 300 - 1800 mg (milligram)

Units: 2 - 12 Capsule

Uses:

An antibiotic used to treat a wide variety of bacterial infections.

How to Use This Medication:

Clindamycin should be taken with food and a full glass of water or other liquid unless your doctor directs you otherwise. The oral solution of this product must be shaken well before using. Solution retains potency for 14 days at room temperature. Antibiotics work best when the amount of medicine in your body is kept at a constant level. Do this by taking the medication at evenly spaced intervals throughout the day and night. Continue to take this medication until the full prescribed amount is finished even if symptoms disappear after a few days. Stopping the medication too early may allow bacteria to continue to grow resulting in a relapse of the infection.

Side Effects:

This medication may cause stomach upset, diarrhea, nausea, vomiting, and rectal itching which should disappear in a few days as your body adjusts to the medication. If these symptoms persist or become severe, inform your doctor. If diarrhea becomes a problem, do not take any anti-diarrhea medications. Contact your doctor.

Precautions:

If you have had colitis or any gastrointestinal disease, liver or kidney disease, or an allergic reaction to clindamycin or tartrazine (a yellow dye), tell your doctor before you use clindamycin. Women who are pregnant or breast-feeding should inform their doctors before taking this drug.

This drug may cause an allergic reaction in patients with a history of sensitivity to the following: Clindamycin and Lincomycin.

Interactions:

Before you use this drug, tell your doctor about any other drugs you are taking, including non-prescription drugs.

Drug Tips:

This medication has been prescribed for your current condition only. Do not use it later for another infection or give it to someone else. A different medication may be necessary in those cases.

Missed Dose:

If you should miss a dose, take it as soon as remembered unless it is almost time for the next dose. If it is nearly time for the next dose, skip the missed dose and resume your usual dosing schedule. Do not "double-up" the dose.

Storage:

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Related Drugs:

Clindamycin HCl 150 mg Capsule is available by *Prescription*. Below are the names and availability of other drug forms that also have the generic name **Clindamycin HCl**. Some may not be available at all pharmacies, and others may be that are not listed here. Check with your doctor or pharmacist.

Cleocin HCl 150 mg Capsule - *Prescription*

Clindamycin HCl 150 mg Capsule - *Prescription*

Cleocin HCl 75 mg Capsule - *Prescription*

Cleocin HCl 300 mg Capsule - *Prescription*

Clindamycin HCl 150 mg Capsule belongs to the class **Anti-Infective Agents / Antibiotics / Miscellaneous Antibiotics**. View other drugs in that class by changing the drug list sort. To do this, click on the Sort button over a Drug List.