1. What Prednisolone Oral Solution is and what it is used for

Prednisolone Oral Solution is a glucocorticoid used for the treatment of a number of medical conditions. It is available in oral solution (prednisolone 10 mg/ml Oral Solution).

2. When you need to know before you take Prednisolone Oral Solution

Do not take Prednisolone Oral Solution:

- if you are allergic to any of the other ingredients of this medicine (see section 4.4). In a small number of cases, a severe allergic reaction may include a rash and sweaty skin, difficulty breathing, swelling of the face, mouth, lips, or throat (dangerous high blood pressure) (read the side effects on the label). If the swelling affects your breathing, call 999/112 or go to your nearest emergency department.
- if you have an infection which affects your entire body (unless you are receiving treatment for the infection)
- if any of your close family has had these illnesses;
- if you are receiving treatment for the infection;
- if you have Scleroderma (also known as systemic sclerosis, an illness that affects the skin and muscles of the body, and the joints, lungs, heart, and blood vessels);
- if any of your close family has had these illnesses;
- if you have an infection which affects your entire body (unless you are receiving treatment for the infection);
- if you have or have a family history of the following:
- if there is a possibility that you may be pregnant (see section 4.6); or your child is being treated in a hospital.

3. How to take Prednisolone Oral Solution

Always take this medicine exactly as your doctor or pharmacist has told you. Check the label on the bottle before you start taking Prednisolone Oral Solution. If you take too much, contact your doctor or local hospital straight away.

4. Possible side effects

Side effects may occur but do not cause alarm. They are usually temporary and are associated with the medicine. In a small number of cases, a severe allergic reaction may include a rash and sweaty skin, difficulty breathing, swelling of the face, mouth, lips, or throat (dangerous high blood pressure) (see section 4.4).

5. How to store Prednisolone Oral Solution

Keep your doctor’s or pharmacist’s name and contact number with you.

6. Contents of the pack and other information

For full details see the leaflet that comes with your medicine. This includes the manufacturer’s contact details and reporting information if you think you have had a side effect from this medicine.

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