Package leaflet: Information for the user
Piperacillin/Tazobactam 2 g/0.25 g Powder for Solution for Infusion
Piperacillin/Tazobactam 4 g/0.5 g Powder for Solution for Infusion

Piperacillin (as Sodium) with Tazobactam (as Sodium)

Please read all of this leaflet carefully before you start taking Piperacillin/Tazobactam. It contains detailed information for you.

1. What Piperacillin with Tazobactam is and what it is used for

Piperacillin with Tazobactam is a medicine prescribed for you only to treat bacterial infections. It contains a combination of piperacillin and tazobactam.

For further details on this product, please read the Summary of Product Characteristics.

2. What you need to know before you are given Piperacillin with Tazobactam

2.1. Why this treatment may be prescribed for you

The following table summarises the treatment frequency and indication or condition:

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<th>Table</th>
<th>Treatment Frequency</th>
<th>Indication or Condition</th>
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<td>Every six hours</td>
<td>Severe pneumonia</td>
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<td>Every eight hours</td>
<td>Complicated urinary tract infections</td>
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<td>Every 12 hours</td>
<td>Ventilator-associated pneumonia</td>
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2.2. If you are allergic to any of the active substances

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<td>4 g piperacillin / 0.5 g tazobactam administered every six hours.</td>
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2.3. If you are pregnant, think you may be pregnant or are trying to become pregnant

In this case, you should inform your doctor or other healthcare professional immediately. If you develop symptoms during the treatment, in this case, you should inform your doctor or other healthcare professional immediately.

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2.4. If you have diabetes or related disorders

In this case, you should inform your doctor or other healthcare professional immediately.

2.5. If you are taking certain medicines (called anticoagulants) to avoid an excess of blood clotting

In this case, you should inform your doctor or other healthcare professional immediately.

2.6. If you are receiving this product

In this case, you should inform your doctor or other healthcare professional immediately.

2.7. If you are allergic to piperacillin or tazobactam or any of the other substances in this medicine

In this case, you should inform your doctor or other healthcare professional immediately.

2.8. If you are taking certain other medicines (including hospital-acquired and ventilator-associated pneumonia)

In this case, you should inform your doctor or other healthcare professional immediately.

2.9. If you have liver or kidney problems or are receiving treatment with certain medicines

In this case, you should inform your doctor or other healthcare professional immediately.

2.10. If you are allergic to any of the active substances (e.g. tablets enhancing urination, or some medicines for cancer) taking for piperacillin and tazobactam to leave your body

In this case, you should inform your doctor or other healthcare professional immediately.

3. How to take the medicine

3.1. The right dose, especially if you have to take this medicine for a long time.

3.2. How long you will be given the medicine

Your doctor will advise you if you should have this medicine.

3.3. What you should do if you forget to take your medicine

Your doctor will calculate the dose depending on your child's weight, blood cell counts is 80 mg/10 mg/kg of body weight of piperacillin/tazobactam given every six hours. The usual dose for children with low white blood cell counts is 160 mg/20 mg/kg of body weight (in three or four doses over the day).

Patients with kidney problems

For patients on haemodialysis, one additional dose of piperacillin/tazobactam may be needed to make sure that the dose is at the right level.

4. Possible side effects

4.1. How often you should use this medicine

Your doctor may want to test your blood to make sure that your treatment is at the right level, especially if you have to take this medicine for a long time.

4.2. How this medicine can affect the way your body works

4.3. Thrombin and prothrombin time

4.4. Other medicines and Piperacillin with Tazobactam

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5. How to deal with side effects

5.1. If you develop symptoms during the treatment, in this case, you should inform your doctor or other healthcare professional immediately.

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6. How to store the medicine

6.1. Keep this medicine out of the reach of children

6.2. Do not take any medicine for the diarrhoea without first checking with your doctor.

6.3. Do not exceed the maximum dose of 4 g / 0.5 g per dose over a long time.

7. Disposal

7.1. Do not flush this product down the toilet

7.2. Do not dispose of this product via wastewater

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9.44 mmol (217 mg) of sodium.

20-40 Maximum dose suggested:

Every eight hours Complicated urinary tract infections

Every six hours Severe pneumonia

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Questions and answers to give you.

This medicine is prescribed for you only.
As you will be given Piperacillin with Tazobactam by a doctor or other healthcare professional, you are only likely to be given the medicine in hospital. However, if you experience side effects after you have been given it by a doctor or other healthcare professional, immediately tell your doctor or nurse. If you experience any further questions or the use of this medicine ask your doctor or other health care professionals immediately.

If you think you have been given a dose of Piperacillin with Tazobactam that is incorrect, please tell your doctor or nurse immediately.

If you think you have been given an incorrect dose of Piperacillin with Tazobactam, please tell your doctor or nurse immediately.

If you think you have been given too much, please tell your doctor or nurse immediately.

Any side effects not listed in this leaflet, please tell your doctor or nurse immediately.

If you are given more Piperacillin with Tazobactam than you should have been given, please tell your doctor or other healthcare professional immediately.

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