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- If paracetamol is taken every day or for a long time (several months or more), it may lead to liver and kidney problems but if the right amount is taken over a short period of time there should be no problems, but liver function tests may be affected.

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5. How to store Paracetamol Oral Suspension
- Keep out of the sight and reach of children.
- Do not store above 25°C. Protect from light. Store in the original package.
- Do not use after the expiry date (month, year) on the label and carton. The expiry date refers to the last day of that month.
- If it is out of date or you no longer want it, take it back to the pharmacy.
- Do not use Paracetamol Suspension if you notice anything wrong with the medicine. Talk to your pharmacist.

6. Contents of the pack and other information
What Paracetamol Suspension contains
The active substance is paracetamol.

The other ingredients are methyl and propyl parahydroxybenzoate (E218 and E216), propylene glycol (E1520), xanthan gum (E415), liquid sorbitol (E420), sucrose, mango flavour, pineapple flavour (containing tartrazine (E102) and carmoisin (E122)), sweetness enhancer, sodium citrate and purified water.

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Other medicines and Paracetamol:
Tell your doctor if your child is taking any of these medicines:
- barbiturates (sleeping tablets)
- tricyclic antidepressants (such as amitriptyline)
- colestyramine (used to treat high cholesterol)
- warfarin (used to thin the blood and prevent clotting)
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Paracetamol Suspension contains tartrazine and carmoisine, methyl and propyl parahydroxybenzoate, sorbitol, propylene glycol and sorbitol.

This medicine contains:
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- Methyl and propyl parahydroxybenzoates – may cause allergic reactions (possibly delayed).
- Sorbitol. This medicine contains 682.0mg sorbitol per 5ml spoonful. Sorbitol is a source of fructose.
- Propylene glycol. This medicine contains 163.9mg propylene glycol per 5ml spoonful. If you are unable to break down fructose, talk to your doctor before you (or your child) take or receive this medicine.
- This medicine contains less than 1mmol sodium per ml, that is to say essentially ‘sodium-free’.
- This medicine may contain tartrazine and carmoisine (colours). If you or your child have an allergy to these, please contact your pharmacist before taking this medicine.
- This medicine contains 2.5ug of sucrose per 1ml spoonful.

Using this medicine
Check the table below to see how much medicine to use.
- This medicine contains 250mg of paracetamol in one 5ml spoonful.
- Take this medicine by mouth only.
- Never give more medicine than shown in the table.
- It is important to shake the bottle for at least 10 seconds before use.
- Always use the spoon supplied with the pack. Do not overfill the spoon. Do not use the 1.25ml graduation marking on the spoon for dosing this product.
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- There may be no symptoms during the first 24 hours although paleness, nausea (feeling sick), sweating, vomiting (being sick), loss of appetite and abdominal pain may occur.

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