



Cipromid® (Ciprofloxacin)

Properties:

Cipromid® is a ciprofloxacin hydrochloride monohydrate broad spectrum antibiotic.

Indications:

Cipromid® indicated for the treatment of the following infections: Respiratory tract, Middle ear (Otitis Media) and paranasal sinuses caused by gram-negative organisms including Pseudomonas or Staphylococcus, Eye infections, Kidney and urinary tract infections, inflammation of the ovaries and fallopian tubes (adnexitis), gonorrhea, Prostatitis, Infections of the gastrointestinal tract or of the biliary tract, peritonitis, Skin and soft tissue infections, bones and joint infections, Septicemia. The most sensitive organisms to ciprofloxacin are: E. coli, Shigella, Salmonella, Citrobacter, Klebsiella, Enterobacter, Serratia, Hafnia, Edwardsiella, Proteus, Providencia, Morganella, Yersinia, Vibrio, Aeromonas, Plesiomonas, Pasteurella, Haemophilus, Campylobacter, Pseudomonas, Legionella, Neisseria, Branhamella, Acinetobacter, Brucella, Staphylococcus, Listeria, Corynebacterium, Chlamydia.

Side effects:

Side effects are generally mild and well tolerated. Gastrointestinal tract like, epigastric pain, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, abdominal cramps, dyspepsia, flatulence, anorexia. Nervous system like: headache, tiredness, agitation, tremor, convulsions, nightmares, confusion, depression. Sense organs like: blurred vision, impaired hearing, tinnitus, taste disturbances. Hypersensitivity reactions such as rashes, pruritis, drug fever. Cardiovascular effects like, tachycardia, very rare hot flushes, migraine, syncope. Blood effects: changes in blood cells, blood coagulation may occur. Others like general weakness, muscle pains, transient impairment of kidney function might develop to temporary kidney failure. Effects on laboratory and urinary parameters, may increase in levels of transaminases and alkaline phosphatase particularly in patients with existing liver damage. Also may increase in metabolic products in blood like urea, creatinine, bilirubin, and glucose.

Contraindications:

Ciprofloxacin is contraindicated in patients with a history of hypersensitivity to the drug or any of the constituents. Ciprofloxacin must not be prescribed to growing children or adolescents, to pregnant women, or to nursing mothers.

Precautions:

Ciprofloxacin should be used with caution in patients with epilepsy or a history of CNS disorders, care is necessary in patients with impaired hepatic or renal function, glucose - 6 - phosphate dehydrogenase deficiency, or myasthenia gravis. An adequate fluid intake should be maintained during treatment with ciprofloxacin, and excessive alkalinity of the urine should be avoided because of the risk of crystalluria. Ciprofloxacin may interact with various compounds including antacids, iron preparations, opioids, theophylline, and warfarin.

Dosage and Administration:

The recommended adult dosage for acute sinusitis is 500 mg every 12 hours. Lower respiratory tract infections may be treated with 500 mg every 12 hours. For more severe or complicated infections, a dosage of 750 mg may be given every 12 hours. Severe complicated urinary tract infections or urinary tract infections caused by organisms not highly susceptible to Ciprofloxacin may be treated with 500 mg every 12 hours. For other mild / moderate urinary tract infections, the usual adult dosage is 250 mg every 12 hours. The recommended adult dosage for chronic bacterial prostatitis is 500 mg every 12 hours. Skin and skin structure infections and bone and joint infections may be treated with 500 mg - 750 mg every 12 hours depending on the severity of the case. For infectious diarrhea or typhoid fever Cipromid® is given as 500 mg every 12 hours. For the treatment of uncomplicated urethral and cervical gonococcal infections, a single 250 mg dose is recommended.

Presentation:

Cipromid® 250 Tablets: Ciprofloxacin (as hydrochloride monohydrate) USP 250 mg / film coated tablet, pack of 10 Tablets.

Cipromid® 500 Tablets: Ciprofloxacin (as hydrochloride monohydrate) USP 500 mg / film coated tablet, pack of 10 Tablets.

Cipromid® 750 Tablets: Ciprofloxacin (as hydrochloride monohydrate) USP 750 mg / film coated tablet, pack of 10 Tablets.

Hospital packs are available in different pack sizes.

This is a medicament

- Medicament is a product which affects your health, and its consumption contrary to instructions is dangerous for you.
- Follow strictly the doctor's prescription, method of use and the instructions of pharmacist who sold the medicament.
- The doctor and the pharmacist are experts in medicine, its benefits and risks.
- Do not by yourself interrupt the period of treatment prescribed for you.
- Do not repeat the prescription without consulting your doctor.