# BROMHEXINE Elixir

## Dear patient,

Please read the following instructions carefully. They contain important information about the use of this medicine. If you have any further questions, please ask your doctor or pharmacist.

### **Information about BROMHEXINE**

BROMHEXINE is an extremely palatable elixir for oral use specially formulated to loosen congested bronchial secretions.

Each 5 mL of BROMHEXINE contains 4 mg of bromhexine hydrochloride.

Bromhexine hydrochloride is a mucolytic agent that enhances mucus transport by reducing mucus viscosity and by activating the ciliated epithelium (mucociliary clearance).

BROMHEXINE is indicated in the treatment of respiratory tract disorders associated with increased or altered mucus secretion such as tracheitis, bronchiectasis, and all types of bronchitis and respiratory tract infections.

# The way to take BROMHEXINE

Take BROMHEXINE exactly as directed. The usual recommended daily dosage is to be taken 3 times per day preferably after meals:

Age	Dosage
Adults and children over 10 years	10 mL 3 times per day
Children (5-10 years)	5 mL 3 times per day
Children (2-5 years)	2.5 mL 3 times per day

#### In case of overdose

In case of intake of high doses of this medication, inform your doctor at once and seek emergency medical attention, general measures should be adopted.

### In case of missed dose

Take the missed dose as soon as you remember unless the next intake is near. Go on taking the next scheduled dose as directed. Do not take a double dose at once.

# Contraindications

This drug is contraindicated in case of:

- -Known hypersensitivity to any of the components.
- -Children under 2 years of age
- -During lactation.

# **Precautions**

- -This drug should not be used in pediatric patients less than 2 years of age. Caution should be exercised when administering to pediatric patients 2 years of age and older.
- -This drug should be used with caution in patients with a history of, or existing, peptic ulceration.
- -Inform your doctor before using this medication in case of pregnancy.

### **Associations with other medications**

Please inform your doctor if other medicines are being taken or have been taken recently. No clinically relevant unfavorable interactions with other medications have been reported.

### **Adverse reactions**

This drug is usually well tolerated when used as directed. The most reported adverse reactions were mild gastro-intestinal disturbances (nausea, diarrhea, vomiting). These effects may be reduced when giving the drug with meals.

Inform your doctor if any side effect appears or becomes bothersome.

# Storage

Store at controlled room temperature (up to 30°C), protected from light and humidity, beyond the reach of children.

The expiry date is printed on the pack; don't use this medicine after this date.

# **Pack Presentation**

BROMHEXINE elixir, bromhexine hydrochloride 4 mg/5 mL, bottle of 90 mL with a dosing cup

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