











Dear Patient,

Please read the following instructions for use carefully, for they contain important information about what you should pay attention to when using this medication. If you have any questions please consult your doctor or pharmacist.

Instructions for use



Iliadin 0.025% Decongestant Nasal Drops for small children aged between 1 and 6 years

Composition of drug

1ml Iliadin 0.025% Decongestant Nasal Drops contains in an aqueous solution 0.25mg Oxymetazoline Hydrochloride.

Description

Clear, colourless solution.

Excipients

Citric acid monohydrate, benzalkonium chloride solution 50% (as a preservative), sodium citrate, glycerol 85%, purified water.

Expiry date

Please note the expiry date on the package. The drug should not be used after the expiry date has elapsed. After opening the pack, Iliadin 0.025% Decongestant Nasal Drops should not be used longer than 6 months.

Storage conditions

Store at or below 30°C. Keep medicament out of reach of children.

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Indications

Acute cold, paranasal sinusitis, syringitis, otitis media.

Dosage, mode of administration



Iliadin 0.025% Decongestant Nasal Drops is indicated in children aged between 1 and 6 years.

Iliadin 0.025% Decongestant Nasal Drops is intended for intranasal application. Unless otherwise prescribed, instill 1-2 drops of Iliadin 0.025% Decongestant Nasal Drops into each nostril 2-3 times daily.

Interactions

The concomitant use of oxymetazoline containing nasal drops and of medicines with a hypertensive effect (e.g. MAO inhibitors and tricyclic antidepressants) may lead to an increase in blood pressure due to their cardiovascular activity.

Overdose or swallowing of Iliadin 0.025% Decongestant Nasal Drops and use of tricyclic antidepressants or MAO inhibitors simultaneously or immediately prior to administration of Iliadin 0.025% Decongestant Nasal Drops can lead to an increase blood pressure.

Duration of treatment

Unless specifically prescribed by the doctor, Iliadin 0.025% Decongestant Nasal Drops should only be used for short periods of time (5 to 7 days). A treatment-free period of several days should precede any repeated use.

Permanent use of decongestant rhinological agents may attenuate their effect. The abuse of local rhinological agents may cause mucosal atrophy and reactive hyperaemia with rhinitis

Longer use of oxymetazoline may cause damage to the mucosal epithelium with inhibition of ciliary activity. This may possibly result in irreversible damage to the mucosa with rhinitis sicca.

Long term use and overdosage must be avoided, especially in children. Medical supervision is indicated in patients with chronic rhinitis. Dosage higher than recommended may only be used under supervision.

Precautions for use

Medical supervision is indicated in patients with chronic rhinitis. Iliadin 0.025% Decongestant Nasal Drop should only be used after the consultation with a physician during pregnancy and lactation. The recommended dosage must not be exceeded.

Pharmacotherapeutic group

Rhinological agents (chemically defined), α-sympathomimetic. The active ingredient of Iliadin 0.025% Decongestant Nasal Drops has a sympathomimetic, vasoconstrictive, and thus a decongestant effect on the mucous membranes.

The effect of Iliadin 0.025% Decongestant Nasal Drops sets in within a few minutes. The effect persists for up to 12 hours.

Side effect

Occasionally, burning or dryness of the nasal mucosa and sneezing. In rare cases- after the effect has worn off- an intense sensation of "blocked" nose (reactive hyperaemia) and epistaxis might be seen. With topical intranasal use, overdosage leads occasionally to

systemic sympathomimetic effects like palpitations, accelerated pulse (tachycardia) and increase in blood pressure.

Somnolence, sedation, headache, hallucination and convulsions (especially in children), hypersensitivity reactions (angioedema. rash, pruritus), insomnia, restlessness and tiredness have been observed in very rare cases.

Effects on ability to drive and use machines

No impairment is to be expected if used as recommended, Systemic effects with involvement of the cardiovascular or central nervous system cannot be excluded after prolonged administration or intake of oxymetazoline containing cold remedies in dose higher than $% \left(x\right) =\left(x\right) +\left(x$ recommended . In these cases the ability to drive a vehicle or operate machinery can be impaired.

Overdose

- Overdosage may occur after nasal or accidental oral administration. The clinical picture following intoxication with imidazol-derivatives may be unclear due to the occurrence of episodes of hyperactivity alternated with episodes of depression of the nervous system and of the cardiovascular and pulmonary

Symptoms of an overdose may be hypertension, tachycardia, palpitations, cardiac arrhythmia, cardiac arrest, sweating, agitation, convulsion, mydriasis, nausea, vomiting, cyanosis, fever, spasms, circulatory collapse, pulmonary oedema, respiratory and psychic disorders, drowsiness, paleness, miosis, decrease in body temperature, bradycardia, shock-like hypotension, apnoea and coma.

In children, in particular, overdose often causes dominating central nervous effects wilth convulsions and coma, bradycardia, apnoea as well as hypertension possibly followed by hypotension.

Therapeutic measure after overdosage: In-house intensive care therapy is indicated in cases of severe overdose. Administration of medicinal charcoal, sodium sulfate, or gastric lavage should be performed immediately as oxymetazoline may be absorbed rapidly. Vasopressors are contraindicated.

Contraindications

Rhinitis sicca, hypersensitivity to the active ingredient or to any of the excipients, infants and small children below 1 year of age.

In the following cases this drug may only be used after carefully weighing the risk-to-benefit ratio:

- Patients treated with monamine oxidase inhibitors (MAO-inhibitors) and other drugs potentially increasing blood
- Increased intraocular pressure, especially narrow-angle
- Severe cardiovascular diseases (e.g. coronary heart disease, hypertension)
- Phaeochromocytoma
- Metabolic disorders (e.g. hyperthyroidism, diabetes mellitus, porphyria).
- Hyperplasia of the prostate

Because of the benzalkonium chloride which is contained as preservative, Iliadin 0.025% Decongestant Nasal Drops must not be used in known hypersensitivity to this substance.

Presentation and package size

Iliadin 0.05% aqueous solution for adults and children of school age: 10ml pipette bottle or 10ml spray bottle.

Iliadin 0.025% aqueous solution for small children: 10ml pipette bottle

Iliadin 0.01% aqueous solution for infants: 5ml pipette bottle or 5ml metered drop (preservative free).

Availability of some presentations may be subjected to local variation

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