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Stugeron 15 (cinnarizine) Product Information:

Presentation:

White tablets containing cinnarizine 15mg.

Uses:

Control of motion sickness.

Dosage:

Adults, elderly and children over 12 years: Two tablets, two hours before travelling and one tablet every 8 hours during the journey. Children 5-12 years of age: one half the adult dose.

Contraindications:

Known hypersensitivity to cinnarizine or to any of the excipients.

Warnings and precautions:

Stugeron may cause epigastric discomfort; taking it after meals may diminish gastric irritation. In patients with Parkinson's disease, Stugeron should only be given if the advantages outweigh the possible risk of aggravating the disease. Use of cinnarizine should be avoided in porphyria. Use with care in patients with hepatic or renal insufficiency. As Stugeron contains sucrose and lactose, patients with fructose or galactose intolerance, the Lapp lactase deficiency, glucose-galactose malabsorption or sucrase-isomaltase insufficiency should not take this medicine. Stugeron may cause somnolence especially at the start of treatment, therefore caution should be taken when alcohol, central nervous system (CNS) depressants or tricyclic antidepressants are used concomitantly. May cause drowsiness, especially at the start of treatment; patients affected in this way should not drive or operate machinery.

Fertility, pregnancy and lactation:

Not recommended.

Side-effects:

Common: Somnolence; Nausea; Dyspepsia; Weight increase

Uncommon: Vomiting; Abdominal Pain (Upper) Hyperhidrosis; Lichenoid Keratosis (including lichen planus); Fatigue

Not known: Dyskinesia; Extrapyrarnidal disorder; Parkinsonism; Tremor; Cholestatic jaundice; Subacute cutaneous lupus erythematosus; Muscle rigidity. Cases of hypersensitivity, headache and dry mouth have been reported.

RRP (ex-VAT): £3.70

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