




Dronedarone

Drug information

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Generic Name	Brand Name	Dosage form	Appearance
Dronedarone	Multaq	400mg Tablets	

1. Why do I need this medicine ?

Treatment or prophylaxis for atrial arrhythmia

2. Before taking this medicine , what do I need to tell the doctor?

- (1) If you are allergic to Dronedarone or any of the ingredients in Multaq tablets.
- (2) If you are pregnant, planning for pregnancy, or breastfeeding.
- (3) If you have any other heart conditions.
- (4) If you are taking other medicines simultaneously (especially immunosuppressants, anticonvulsants, and antituberculosis drugs) or herbs , make sure to inform your doctor or pharmacist in order to avoid drug interaction.

3. What information should I know about this medicine?

- (1) Avoid concurrent use of grapefruit products.
- (2) Make sure to inform your doctor if you experience any of the following symptoms:
 - signs of heart failure: shortness of breath, asthma at rest or worsening edema
 - signs of liver damage: loss of appetite, nausea, vomiting, asthenia, yellowing of the skin and eyes (jaundice), unusual dark urine or pain in right upper abdomen

4. Possible Side Effect

If any of the following symptoms occur and cannot be relieved, please contact your doctor as soon as possible: bradycardia, gastrointestinal and hepatic effects (diarrhea, nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain or indigestion), dermatologic effects (redness, rash, or pruritus)

5. What should I do if I forget to take my medication?

- (1) If you forgot to take your medication, please take the medication as soon as you remember.
- (2) If it is already close to the time for next dose, please skip this one dose, and take the next dose of medication on time.
- (3) Remember not to take double dosing in a single medication intake.

6. Storage and Stability

- (1) Store the medicine at room temperature, avoid heat or moisture.
- (2) Keep out of the reach of children.
- (3) Dispose of expired or unused medicines properly.

※ Please consult your doctor or pharmacist if you have any questions.

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