

Cenolon® Injection

Triamcinolone Acetonide 40 mg

Presentation

Cenolon® Injection: Each vial contains 1 ml suspension of Triamcinolone Acetonide BP 40 mg.

Description

Triamcinolone Acetonide is a synthetic corticosteroid having glucocorticoid activity with marked anti-inflammatory action. Triamcinolone Acetonide has an extended duration of effect which may be permanent, or sustained over a period of several weeks.

Indication & Uses

Post-traumatic osteoarthritis, synovitis or osteoarthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, acute and sub-acute bursitis, epicondylitis, acute non-specific tenosynovitis, acute gouty arthritis, psoriatic arthritis, ankylosing spondylitis, juvenile rheumatoid arthritis, pemphigus, severe erythema multiforme (Stevens-Johnson syndrome), exfoliative dermatitis, bullous dermatitis herpetiformis, severe seborrheic dermatitis, severe psoriasis, bronchial asthma, contact dermatitis, atopic dermatitis, seasonal or perennial allergic rhinitis.

Dosage and Administration

Dosage: Children 6 to 12 years: initial dose is 40 mg

Adults and children over 12 years of age: initial dose is 60 mg. Dosage is usually adjusted within the range of 40 to 80 mg. For local areas, dose for adults is up to 10 mg for smaller areas and up to 40 mg for larger areas.

Administration: This formulation is indicated for Intramuscular (IM) and Intra-articular (IA) use only.

Side effects

Allergic dermatitis, edema, erythema, impaired wound healing, increased sweating, purpura, rash, sterile abscess, aggravation of infections, cushing's syndrome, altered menstrual cycle, bradycardia or tachycardia, cardiac arrest, cardiac arrhythmia, circulatory collapse, hypertension, pulmonary edema, syncope, vasculitis, activation of latent or aggravation of existing diabetes, fluid retention, potassium loss, sodium retention, abdominal distention, bowel/bladder dysfunction, nausea, peptic ulcer with possible perforation and hemorrhage, calcinosis, muscle weakness, post injection flare (following IA use), convulsion, depression, emotional instability, euphoria, insomnia, vertigo, hiccups, weight gain, anaphylaxis etc.

Precaution

Triamcinolone Acetonide injection should be used cautiously in patients with ocular herpes simplex, nonspecific ulcerative colitis, active or latent peptic ulcer, renal insufficiency, hypertension, osteoporosis, cushing's syndrome, diabetes mellitus, congestive heart failure, chronic nephritis.

Use in Pregnancy and Lactation

Pregnancy: Category C. Triamcinolone Acetonide injection should be used during pregnancy if the possible benefits of the medication justify the potential hazards to the fetus.

Lactation: Triamcinolone acetonide may appear in human milk and could suppress growth. Caution should be exercised when Triamcinolone Acetonide is administered to a nursing mother.

Contraindications

Triamcinolone Acetonide injection is contraindicated in patients with a hypersensitivity to the active or inactive ingredients. Intramuscular corticosteroid preparations are contraindicated for idiopathic thrombocytopenic purpura.

Commercial Pack

Cenolon® Injection: Each box contains 1 vial of 1 ml injection.

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