

Loverin®

Dicycloverine Hydrochloride

Tablet/Syrup

Description

Dicycloverine Hydrochloride (Dicyclomine Hydrochloride) is a tertiary amine used to prevent gastrointestinal smooth muscle spasm. It works due to its antimuscarinic effects.

Indications

Symptomatic relief of gastrointestinal disorders characterized by smooth muscle spasm.

Dosage and Administration

Adult : 10–20 mg 3 times daily. *Child* : 6–24 months 5–10 mg 3–4 times daily, 15 minutes before feeds. 2–12 years : 10 mg 3 times daily. Should not be given in infants under 6 months.

Contraindications

Dicycloverine is contra-indicated in angle-closure glaucoma, myasthenia gravis, paralytic ileus, pyloric stenosis and prostatic enlargement.

Adverse Reactions

Side effects of Dicycloverine include constipation, transient bradycardia (followed by tachycardia, palpitations and arrhythmias), reduced bronchial secretions, urinary urgency and retention, dilatation of the pupils with loss of accommodation, photophobia, dry mouth, flushing and dryness of the skin. Side effects that occur occasionally include confusion (particularly in the elderly), nausea, vomiting and giddiness.

Drug Interactions

Concomitant use of drugs having antimuscarinic effects can increase side effects such as dry mouth, urine retention, and constipation; it may (antihistamines, MAOIs

etc) also lead to confusion in the elderly.

Use in Pregnancy and Lactation

For pregnancy and lactating mother adequate data is not available.

Pharmaceutical Precautions

Store in cool and dry place & away from children.

Commercial Pack

Loverin® tablet: Box containing 50 tablets in 5X10's blister strips. Each tablet contains Dicycloverine Hydrochloride BP 10 mg.

Loverin® syrup: Available in 50 ml bottle. Each 5 ml contains Dicycloverine Hydrochloride BP 10 mg.



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