Kusuri-no-Shiori

Injection

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The information on this sheet is based on approvals granted by the Japanese regulatory authority. Approval details may vary by country. Medicines have adverse reactions (risks) as well as efficacies (benefits). It is important to minimize adverse reactions and maximize efficacy. To obtain a better therapeutic response, patients should understand their medication and cooperate with the treatment.

Brand name : Regitin injection 5mg
Active ingredient: Phentolamine mesilate
Dosage form: injection Print on wrapping:



Effects of this medicine

This medicine shows alpha-receptor blocking action to suppress blood pressure elevation caused by catecholamine. It also directly acts on vascular smooth muscle to dilate blood vessels. Since it reduces blood pressure when blood pressure elevation is caused by melanocytoma which produces excess levels of the catecholamine, it is used to diagnose melanocytoma by measuring the degree of blood pressure reduction following administration of this medicine.

It is usually used for blood pressure control before/during surgery and diagnosis of melanocytoma.

Before using this medicine, be sure to tell your doctor and pharmacist

- If you have previously experienced any allergic reactions (itch, rash, etc.) to any medicines.
 If you are a patient with coronary artery disease or hypotension.
 If you are pregnant or breastfeeding.
 If you are taking any other medicinal products. (Some medicines may interact to enhance or diminish medicinal effects. Beware of over-the-counter medicines and dietary supplements as well as other prescription medicines.)

Dosing schedule (How to take this medicine)

- Your dosing schedule prescribed by your doctor is ((to be written by a healthcare professional))
 Before surgery, administer by intravenous or intramuscular injection. During surgery, administer by intravenous injection. In any case, repeat injection as needed. For diagnosis, administer once by intravenous or intramuscular injection.
 For blood pressure control before/during surgery, the treatment span depends on your condition of blood pressure. For diagnosis, inject once.

Precautions while taking this medicine

• The medicine may cause dizziness, fatigue, syncope or drowsiness. Pay close attention when you drive a car or operate dangerous machinery.

Possible adverse reactions to this medicine

The most commonly reported adverse reactions include shock-like symptoms caused by sudden drop in blood pressure, tachycardia, arrhythmia, chest distress, angina-like attack, orthostatic hypotension, skin flush, hypersensitivity, headache, dizziness, sweating, nausea/vomiting and diarrhea. If any of these symptoms occur, consult with your doctor or pharmacist.

The symptoms described below are rarely seen as initial symptoms of the adverse reactions indicated in brackets. If any of these symptoms occur, stop taking this medicine and see your doctor immediately.

No pertinent entries.

The above symptoms do not describe all the adverse reactions to this medicine. Consult with your doctor or pharmacist if you notice any symptoms of concern other than those listed above.

Storage conditions and other information

For healthcare professional use only: Day Month Year

For further information, talk to your doctor or pharmacist.