

# Drug Info

## MEPERIDINE + PROMETHAZINE ORAL

### BEFORE USING THIS MEDICINE:

- \* Inform your Doctor or Pharmacist if you are allergic to any prescription or non-prescription medicine; taking other medicines or have other medical problems; pregnant, planning a pregnancy, or breastfeeding.
- \* Check with your Doctor, Pharmacists, or Nurse if information in this leaflet causes you special concern or if you want additional information about your medicine and its use.
- \* Inform your doctor if you have any of these conditions : EPILEPSY; PEPTIC ULCER; GLAUCOMA; CHRONIC OBSTRUCTIVE PULMONARY DISEASE (COPD); ASTHMA; KIDNEY DISEASE; LIVER PROBLEMS.

### COMMON USES FOR THIS MEDICINE:

- 1- For the treatment of PAIN, GENERALIZED

### HOW TO USE THIS MEDICINE:

Use this medicine exactly as directed on the label, unless instructed differently by your doctor

- \* Take this medicine WITH food, a meal, or a snack. Do not take on an empty stomach.
- \* DO NOT EXCEED recommended dosage; excessive use may lead to adverse effects or loss of effectiveness. Do not adjust the dose unless instructed.
- \* Do not DISCONTINUE this medicine ABRUPTLY after prolonged usage.

### WHAT TO DO IF YOU MISS A DOSE:

This medicine is usually used as needed. If you miss a dose administer when or if needed. No double doses.

### HOW TO STORE THIS MEDICINE:

Keep in original closed container in a dark, cool, and dry place away from children. Discard unneeded medicine.

### STOP TAKING THIS MEDICINE AND GET EMERGENCY HELP IMMEDIATELY IF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING OCCURS (SEE SYMPTOMS BELOW):

Narrowing of airway passage; Shortness of breath, fast or irregular breathing, fever, joint pain, fast pulse, lightheadedness or fainting, swelling of face, hives, & itching.

### CALL YOUR DOCTOR IMMEDIATELY IF YOU EXPERIENCE:

Blurred vision; Difficult urination; Thickening of bronchial secretion; Yellowing of eyes or skin; Unusual movements of eye, face, limb; Shortness of breath; Irregular heartbeat; Low blood pressure; Hot sensation and redness of face.

### OTHER SIDE EFFECTS:

Drowsiness; Sedation; Constipation; Nausea; Sleepiness; Dizziness; Headache; Vomiting; Dry mouth; Confusion; Dry throat; Sweating; Coordination difficulty; Stomach discomfort or pain; Nasal congestion; Decreased appetite; Increased appetite; Diarrhea; Nervousness; Weight gain; Depression; Hallucinations; Paralysis of the intestine; Skin rash; Decreased urination; Feeling of general discomfort; Restlessness; Unusual tiredness or weakness; Muscle weakness.

If symptoms are mild but do not go away or are bothersome, check with your doctor. IF ANY OF THE ABOVE SIDE EFFECTS IS SEVERE, CALL YOUR DOCTOR IMMEDIATELY.

### PRECAUTIONS AND WARNINGS:

- \* STOP TAKING MEDICINE & GET EMERGENCY HELP IMMEDIATELY IF A HYPERSENSITIVITY OR ANAPHYLACTIC REACTION occurs: (see symptoms below):-
  - \* shortness of breath, fast or irregular breathing, fever, joint pain, fast pulse, lightheadedness or fainting, swelling of face, hives, & itching.
- \* Safety of use during pregnancy has not been established. This medicine SHOULD NOT BE USED DURING PREGNANCY unless benefit justifies potential risk to the fetus. CALL YOUR DOCTOR.
- \* This medicine may cause drowsiness, dizziness, or blurred vision. DO NOT drive or operate machines until you know how you react to this medicine.

- \* AVOID concurrent use of alcohol or other CNS depressants as it may intensify the drowsiness, dizziness, or lightheadedness effect of this medicine.
- \* This medicine may cause increased sensitivity to the sun. You should AVOID prolonged or excessive exposure to direct and/or artificial sunlight.
- \* Because of INTERACTIONS, report the use of any other prescription or nonprescription medicines, including natural/herbal remedies, to your doctor.
- \* The results of some MEDICAL or LAB tests may be affected by this medicine. Inform the doctor in charge that you are taking this medicine.
- \* Inform your doctor if you have a history of SEIZURES or conditions that lower the seizure threshold e.g. Alzheimer dementia.
- \* Prolonged use of this medication may cause physical and psychological dependence, do not exceed recommended dose.