TOOPRIN TABLETS

Aspirin (300mg)

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What Tooprin Tablets is used for

Tooprin Tablets is used for the relief of mild to moderate pain such as:

- Headache.
- Toothache and period pain.
- Rheumatic pain.

It is also used to reduce fever.

How Tooprin Tablet works

Tooprin Tablets contains Aspirin. It has a painkiller, anti-inflamatory and anti-pyretic (to reduce fever) action.

Before you use Tooprin Tablets

- When you must not use it

Do not take Tooprin Tablets if:

- You are children under 16 years of age.
- You are allergy or hypersensitive to aspirin.
- You are someone with glucose-6-phosphate dehydrogenase deficiency.
- You are having blood disorder.
- You are having impairment of the blood clotting ability.
- It is not prescribed by a qualified doctor or pharmacist for you.
- You are pregnant, trying to get pregnant or think you may be pregnant.
- You are breast-feeding. Ask your doctor or pharmacist for advice before taking any medicine.

-Before you start to use it

Tell your doctor if:

- You are with heart and blood vessel disease or risk factors for heart and blood vessel disease.
- You have high blood pressure.

- You are someone with fluid retention or heart failure.
- You have stomach and intestinal event.
- You are taking any other medicines (including those not prescribed by your doctor).
- You are having stomach ulcer, blood clotting problems or indigestion, impaired kidney function or dehydration.

-Taking other medicines

You should tell your doctor if you are taking the following medicine as it may interact with your Tooprin Tablets:

- Alcohol.
- Coumarin (used to prevent blood clot) and sulphinpyrazone (used to treat gout).
- Barbiturates and other sedatives.

It may still be all right for you to take Tooprin Tablets and your doctor will be able to decide what is suitable for you.

How to use Tooprin Tablets

-How much to use

For oral administration only. Adults: 1-2 tablets 3 or 4 times daily.

-When to use it

Your doctor will decide when it is appropriate for you to use Tooprin Tablets according to the type of condition you have.

-How long to use it

Continue taking Tooprin Tablets for as long as doctor recommends.

-If you forget to use it

Consult your doctor or pharmacist on what you should do if you forget to use it.

Take the missed dose as soon as you remember. If it is almost time for your next dose, wait until then to take the medicine and skip the missed dose. Do not take a double dose to make up for the missed dose.

-If you use too much (overdose)

Contact your doctor immediately or go to the Emergency Department of your nearest hospital, if you think you or anyone else may have taken too much of this medicine. Do this even if there are no signs of discomfort or poisoning. You may need urgent medical attention.

While you are using it

-Things you must do

- Take your medicine exactly as your doctor has told you.
- Tell all the doctors, dentists and pharmacists treating you that you are taking Tooprin Tablets.
- Tell your doctor immediately if you become pregnant while talking this medication.

-Things you must not do

- Do not stop taking the medicine unless advised by your doctor.
- Do not take any new medicines without consulting your doctor.
- Do not give Tooprin Tablets to anyone else, even if they have the same symptoms or condition as you.

-Things to be careful of

- Tooprin is not recommended for infants and children under 16 years old.
- Avoid prolonged usage in high dosage.

Side effects

Like all medicines, Tooprin Tablets can cause side effects although not everybody gets them. You are advised to consult doctor/ pharmacist for further information. The following common side effects have been reported:

- Mild symptoms of intoxication: Dizziness, ringing in the ears, sweating, nausea and vomiting, mental confusion.
- Serious of toxicity: over breathing, fever, ketosis (raised level of ketone in the body), respiratory alkalosis (increased gas exchange in the lungs) and metabolic acidosis (abnormal

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- increase in the acidity of the blood and body tissue).
- Depression of the Central Nervous System (CNS) may lead to coma, cardiovascular collapse and respiratory failure.
- Irritation of the gastric lining and resultant indigestion, erosion, ulceration, and vomiting of blood.
- Iron-deficiency anaemia.
- Asthmatic individuals who are sensitive to aspirin may provoke various reactions including rashes, and other skin eruptions, angioneurotic oedema (Quinke's disease), rhinitis (inflammation of the mucous membrane inside the nose), and severe even fatal breathing difficulties.
- Prolonged administration of large doses of aspirin has been associated with kidney disorder.

You may report any side effects or adverse drug reactions directly to the National Centre for Adverse Drug Reaction Monitoring by calling Tel: 03-78835550, or visiting the website npra.moh.gov.my (Public → Reporting Medicinal Problems / Side Effects / AEFI / Vaccine Safety).

Storage and disposal of Tooprin Tablets

-Storage

Keep Tooprin Tablets out of reach of children.

Store below 30°C. Keep container well closed and protect from light.

-Disposal

Do not use Tooprin Tablets after the expiry date which is stated on the carton.

Medicines should not be disposed of via wastewater or household waste. Ask your pharmacist how to dispose of medicines no longer required. These measures will help to protect the environment.

Product description

-What it looks like

Tooprin Tablets is flat, round, double layered, yellow and white tablets, 11mm in diameter, with a single

score-line on the yellow part and marked KOTRA logo on the white part.

-Ingredients

- Active Ingredient: Aspirin
- Inactive Ingredients:
 Corn Starch, PVP K30, Lactose,
 Quinoline Yellow, Stearic Acid,
 Dioctyl Sodium Sulphosuccinate,
 Aerosil and Isopropyl Alcohol.

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