CLOPIVID 75 mg TABLET

Clopidogrel (75mg)

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What Clopivid is used for

Clopivid is used to prevent blood clots after a recent heart attack or stroke, and in patient with certain disorders of the heart or blood vessels.

How Clopivid works

Clopivid contained Clopidogrel as active ingredient which belongs to a group of medicines called anti-platelet.

Platelets are very small blood cells which clump together during blood clotting. By preventing this clumping, anti-platelet reduces the chances of blood clots forming (thrombosis).

Before you use Clopivid

- When you must not use it

Do not take this medicine if:

- If you are allergic (hypersensitive) to Clopidogrel or any other ingredients of Clopivid.
- If you have any bleeding disorder or medical condition that has risk of internal bleeding such as stomach ulcer or brain bleeding.
- If you have severe liver disease.
- If you are pregnant or breastfeeding.

- Before you start to use it

Tell your doctor if:

- You have any risk of bleeding such as stomach ulcer or any blood disorder that may cause internal bleeding.
- You have a medical condition known as Thrombotic Thrombocytopenic Purpura (TTP),

a blood disorder that causes blood clots to form in small blood vessels around the body and hence, leads to a low platelet count.

- You have any recent serious injury.
- You have undergone any recent surgery or have any planned surgery (including dental) in the next 7 days.
- You have had any clot in the brain (ischaemic stroke) occurred within the last 7 days.
- You have any kidney or liver problems.
- You are breastfeeding or plan to breastfeed.
- You are pregnant, think you are pregnant, or plan to get pregnant.
- You have allergies to any other medicines, foods, dyes or preservatives.

- Taking other medicines

Talk to your doctor or pharmacist if you are taking any other medicines in any form including any that you buy or obtained without a prescription. Some medicines interfere with Clopidogrel.

They include:

- Other anti-platelet agent or medicines used to treat or prevent blood clots such as aspirin, heparins, warfarin and ticlopidine. There may also be others.
- Non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs (NSAIDs) used to treat arthritis, period pain, inflammation, aches and pain
- Phenytoin, a medicine used to treat epilepsy
- Tolbutamide, a medicine used to treat diabetes
- Tamoxifen, a medicine used to treat breast cancer
- Fluvastatin, a medicine used to lower cholesterol

Other interactions not stated may occur. Talk to your doctor or pharmacist if you have any other concerns.

How to use Clopivid

- How much to use

The usual dose is one 75-mg tablet once daily.

Clopivid is not recommended for children and adolescent.

Swallow the tablet(s) with a full glass of water.

Do not crush or chew the tablets.

- When to use it

To be taken orally with or without food, at the same time each day.

- How long to use it

You are advised to take it as long as your doctor tells you to.

- If you forget to use it

If it is almost time for your next dose, skip the dose you missed and take your next dose at the usual time.

Otherwise, take it as soon as you remember, and then go back to taking your medicine as you would normally.

Do not take a double dose to make up for the forgotten individual doses.

- <u>If you use too much (overdose)</u>

Contact your doctor immediately as soon as you realise you have taken too much.

You may experience high risk of bleeding if you take more than you should.

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While you are using Clopivid

- Things you must do
- Tell any other doctors, dentists, or pharmacists who are treating you that you are taking Clopidogrel.
- Tell your doctor immediately if you become pregnant.
- Go to your doctor regularly for any check-up or blood tests.
- Tell your doctor if you decide to breast-feed your baby.
- Tell your doctor immediately if you are injured while taking Clopidogrel.
- Recognise the signs and symptoms of bleeding:
 - unexpected bleeding or bleeding that lasts a long time.
 - blood in your urine (pink, red or brown urine)
 - red or black stools (looks like tar)
 - bruises that happen without a known cause or get larger
 - cough up blood or blood clots
 - vomit blood or your vomit looks like coffee grounds

- Things you must not do

Do not:

- give this medicine to anyone else, even if their symptoms seem similar to yours
- take your medicine to treat any other complaints unless you are told by your doctor or pharmacist
- stop taking the medicine or change the dosage on your own before asking your doctor

- Things to be careful of

Be careful while driving or operating machinery until you know how Clopivid affects you.

Drinking alcohol will make it worse. Watch your intake.

Side effects

All medicines can cause unwanted side effects. These effects can be serious but

most of the time, they are mild and temporary.

Tell your doctor immediately if you think you are experiencing any of the following possible unwanted side effects while taking the medicine.

Some more common side effects:

- dyspepsia (indigestion), abdominal or stomach pain
- headache and dizziness
- chest pain
- flu-like symptoms

Other unwanted side effects not listed may occur. Tell your doctor immediately.

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 portal.bpfk.gov.my

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Storage and Disposal of Clopivid

- Storage

Keep out of reach of children. Protect from light and moisture.

Store Clopivid 75 mg Tablet below 25° C.

- Disposal

No specific instructions. Please ask your pharmacist how to dispose unused medicines properly.

Product description

- What it looks like

Pink, round and bevel-edged with shallow convex faces film coated tablet.

- Ingredients
 - Active ingredient

Each Clopivid 75 mg Tablet contains 75 mg Clopidogrel Hydrogen Sulphate equivalent to Clopidogrel 75 mg per tablet.

-Inactive ingredients
Colloidal Silicon Dioxide
Hydroxypropyl Methylcellulose
Kollidon VA
Iron Oxide Red
Isopropyl Alcohol
Microcrystalline Cellulose.
Propylene Glycol
Crospovidone
Sodium Starch Glycolate
Talc
Magnesium stearate
Isopropyl Alcohol
Titanium Dioxide

- <u>MAL Number:</u> MAL06061677A

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Product Registration Holder

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