

TANATRIL[®] 5

Imidapril Hydrochloride 5 mg

What is in this leaflet

This leaflet answers some of the common questions people ask about TANATRIL[®] 5. It does not contain all the information that is known about TANATRIL[®] 5.

It does not take the place of talking to your doctor or pharmacist.

All medicines have risks and benefits. Your doctor will have weighed the risks of you taking TANATRIL[®] 5 against the benefits they expect it will have for you.

If you have any concerns about taking this medicine, ask your doctor or pharmacist.

Keep this leaflet with the medicine.

You may need to read it again.

What is the medication for

TANATRIL[®] 5 is used to treat hypertension which is a high blood pressure.

How it works

TANATRIL[®] 5 contains imidapril hydrochloride which is in a class of drugs called angiotensin-converting enzyme (ACE) inhibitors. ACE is an enzyme in a body that is necessary in the formation of a chemical called angiotensin II. Angiotensin II causes the narrowing of arteries, thereby increasing blood pressure. ACE inhibitors prevent the formation of angiotensin II, hence widening the blood vessels and helping lower the blood pressure. TANATRIL[®] 5 can be used on its own or alongside other medicines to help lower the blood pressure.

Before you use

You must not take this product when you are:

- having or ever had an allergic reaction
- having a swelling below the skin surface, usually occurs around the eyes and lips.
- undergo hemodialysis.
- pregnant or may possibly be pregnant.

Before you start to take this product, make sure your doctor knows if you are having any heart problem, kidney problem, stroke and ischemia (restriction of blood supply to the brain).

Inform your doctor if you are taking other medicines, including those available to buy without prescription, herbal or complementary medicines.

How to take

- Take TANATRIL[®] 5 exactly as directed by your doctor
- Remove the drug from the container (PTP sheet) prior to use.
- This drug should be swallowed whole with a drink of water. This means you must not crush or chew the tablet.
- This drug is usually taken once a day. Try to take this drug at the same times each day to avoid missing any doses
- If you forget to take a dose, take it as soon as you remember and then continue as normal. If when you remember it is nearly time for your next dose, take the next dose on time and leave out the missed dose. Do not take two doses together to make up for a missed dose.
- If you suspect that you or someone else has taken too much of this drug, stop taking this drug and contact your doctor or go to the hospital and

take the drug or empty container of the drug with you.

While you are using it

- Keep your regular doctor's appointment so that your progress can be monitor, especially when you undergo diuretic therapy and strict dietary salt restriction.
- Treatment with this drug is usually life long.
- Take caution in conducting activities which requiring alertness such as driving car, working at heights or operating machinery.
- This drug is not recommended within 24 hours prior to surgery
- This product is not recommended for nursing mothers, if necessitated, breast feeding should be avoided.
- If you buy any medicines, check with your pharmacist that they are safe to take with TANATRIL[®] 5.
- This medicine is for you. Never give it to other people even if their condition appears to be the same as yours

Side effects

Along with their useful effects, all medicines can cause unwanted side-effects although not everyone experiences them. These usually improve as your body adjusts to the new medicine, but speak with your doctor or pharmacist if any of the following side-effects continue or become troublesome:

- Cough, pharynx strange sensation and discomfort.
- Dizziness
- Hypotension (low blood pressure)
- Headache, light headed
- Rash, pruritus

In rare cases, symptoms described below may be the sign of side effects indicated in the brackets []. If they occur, stop taking your

medicine and check with your doctor immediately.

- Unable to breath smoothly, swelling face/tongue/throat, hives [Angioedema]
- Bleeding from the nose or gums, bruises on limbs [Thrombocytopenia]
- Urine volume decreased, facial/limbs swelling, dullness [Acute renal failure, exacerbation of renal impairment]
- Fever, widespread skin redness, bloodshot eyes, lip sore [Erythroderma (Exfoliative dermatitis), Oculo-muco-cutaneous syndrome (Stevens Johnson syndrome), Pemphigus-like symptoms]

Other side effects not listed here may occur. Check with your doctor or pharmacist if you have any worrisome symptom.

After using this medication

- Keep all medicines out of the reach and sight of children.
- Store below 30°C, avoid humidity after opening.
- Never keep out-of-date or unwanted medicines. Take them to your local pharmacy which will dispose of them to you.

Product Description

What it looks like?

TANATRIL[®] 5 occurs as a white plain tablet.

Registered Pack Size:

Boxes of 30 tablets (10 tablets x 3) in blister

Boxes of 100 tablets (10 tablets x 10) in blister

Ingredients:

Imidapril hydrochloride, Lactose 200 mesh, Macrogol 6000, Magnesium Stearate

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