

CETAMAX 500 TABLET

Paracetamol (500mg)

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What Cetamax 500 Tablet is used for
Cetamax 500 Tablet is used for the relief of fever and mild to moderate pain including headache, sinus pain and body aches associated with cold and flu.

How Cetamax 500 Tablet works

Cetamax 500 Tablet contains Paracetamol which belongs to a group of medicines called analgesic and antipyretic that helps to ease pain and reduce fever.

Before you use Cetamax 500 Tablet

- When you must not take it

Do not take this product if you are allergic (hypersensitivity) to Paracetamol or any other ingredients in this product. Do not take this product if you have severe and active liver impairment.

- Before you start to use it

This medicine should be given with care to people with liver or kidney problems, alcohol dependence, and those taking other medicines that affect the liver. Paracetamol can be taken during pregnancy and breast-feeding.

- Taking other medicines

Cetamax 500 Tablet may interfere with Warfarin and other coumarins (blood thinning medicine). Always check with your doctor if you are taking these medicines.

How to take Cetamax 500 Tablet

- How much to take

Adults and children above 12 years:
Take 1 to 2 tablets every 4 to 6 hours when required. Do not exceed 8 tablets per day.
Children 6 to 12 years:
Take ½ to 1 tablet every 4 to 6 hours when required. Do not exceed 4 tablets per day.

- When to take it

May be taken with or without food.

- How long to take it

Take as directed by your doctor or pharmacist.

- If you forget to take it

If you forget to take Cetamax 500 Tablet, take it as soon as you remember. Never double up on the next dose to make up for the one missed.

- If you take too much (overdose)

Symptoms include vomiting, stomach pain, low blood pressure, sweating and liver toxicity (presented as yellowing of eyes and skin, low glucose level and high acid level in the body). In case of overdose, prompt specific treatment is essential.

Call National Poison Centre (1800 888 099) or your doctor or go to the accident and emergency centre at your nearest hospital immediately.

While you are using Cetamax 500 Tablet

- Things you must do

Tell all the doctors, dentists and pharmacists who are treating you that you are taking Cetamax 500 Tablet. Do not exceed the recommended dosage. If pain persists more than 10 days, please consult a doctor.

- Things you must not do

Do not take this product to treat any other conditions unless it has been prescribed by your doctor.

- Things to be careful of

This preparation contains Paracetamol. Do not take any other Paracetamol containing medicines at the same time.

Side Effects

Allergy alert: Paracetamol may cause severe skin reactions. Symptoms may include skin reddening, blisters or rash. These could be signs of a serious condition. If these reactions occur, stop use and seek medical assistance right away.

You may report any side effects or adverse drug reactions directly to the National Centre for Adverse Drug Reaction Monitoring by calling Tel: 03-78835549, or visiting the website npra.moh.gov.my [Public → Reporting Side Effects to Medicines (ConSERF) or Vaccines (AEFI)].

Storage and Disposal of Cetamax 500 Tablet

- Storage

- Store below 30°C.
- Protect from light and moisture.
- Keep container tightly closed.
- Keep out of reach of children.

- Disposal

Do not take this after the expiry date. An expiry date is printed on the label and carton of the medicine.

Product Description

- What it looks like

Cetamax 500 Tablet is a blue coloured, diamond shaped and biconvex uncoated tablet with score on both sides.

- Ingredients

- Active Ingredients
Each tablet contains Paracetamol 500mg

- Inactive Ingredients
Gelatin, Magnesium Stearate, Corn Starch, Certolake Brilliant Blue, Sodium Starch Glycolate, Aerosil 200

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