

# PARACETAMOL:

## Reports of Fixed Drug Eruptions

Paracetamol is **very rarely** associated with **fixed drug eruptions (FDEs)**.

**99**

total reports in Malaysia\*

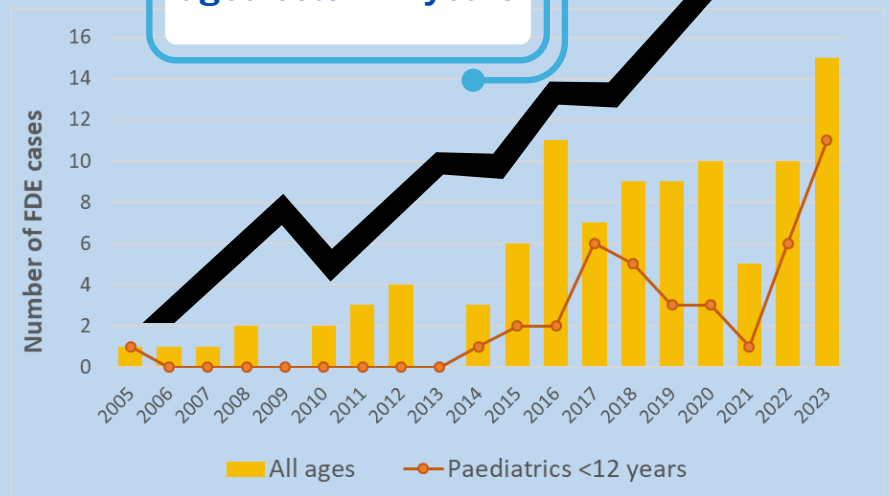
**41%**

in children aged below 12 years

\* From Jan 2005 - Mar 2024

### WHAT'S NEW?

**Increasing trend particularly involving children aged below 12 years**



### PLEASE REMIND PATIENTS (OR THEIR CAREGIVERS) :

- ✓ to **watch out** for these early signs and symptoms of FDE: **skin reddening, blisters, rash.**
- ✓ to **STOP** using the medicine immediately and seek **medical attention** if these signs and symptoms occur.

### REPORT

Please report any adverse events to the NPRA.

Your reports will help the NPRA to take steps to reduce the risk.

Any queries?

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Where to report?



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