

AXCEL PARACETAMOL-250 SUSPENSION

Paracetamol (250mg/5ml)

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What Axcel Paracetamol-250 Suspension is used for

Axcel Paracetamol-250 Suspension is used to relieve:

- Fever.
- Symptoms of cold and influenza.
- Teething pain.
- Headache.

How Axcel Paracetamol-250 Suspension works

Paracetamol consists of analgesic (medicine to relieve pain) and antipyretic (medicine that reduces fever) properties. Paracetamol relieves pain of moderate intensity such as headache and muscle, joint, and any nerve disorder outside the central nervous system. It can also be used to reduce fever.

Before you use Axcel Paracetamol-250 Suspension

-When you must not use it

Do not take Axcel Paracetamol-250 Suspension if:

- You are having kidney disease.
- 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 allergic to any medicines, food and dyes.
- You are taking any other medicines (including those not prescribed by your doctor) especially those which contains paracetamol
- You are having impaired kidney or liver functions.

-Taking other medicines

You should tell your doctor or pharmacist if you are taking the following medicine as it may interact with your Axcel Paracetamol-250 Suspension:

- Oral anticoagulants (medicine used to prevent the formation of blood clots).
- Medicines containing Paracetamol.

It may still be all right for you to take Axcel Paracetamol-250 Suspension and your doctor will be able to decide what is suitable for you.

How to use Axcel Paracetamol-250 Suspension

-How much to use

To be administration orally. Shake well before use.

Children:

1-6 years old: 2.5-5ml.

7-12 years old: 5-10ml.

Children 3 month to 1 year are advised to use Axcel Paracetamol-120 Syrup.

-When to use it

To be used 3 or 4 times a day.

Your doctor will decide when it is appropriate for you to use Axcel Paracetamol-250 Suspension according to the type of condition you have.

-How long to use it

Continue taking Axcel Paracetamol-250 Suspension for as long as your 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 Axcel Paracetamol-250 Suspension.
- Tell your doctor immediately if you become pregnant while taking 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 or pharmacist.
- Do not give Axcel Paracetamol-250 Suspension to anyone else, even if they have the same symptoms or condition as you.

-Things to be careful of

- Long term use of medicine should be avoided.

Side effects

Like all medicines, Axcel Paracetamol-250 Suspension can cause side effects although not everybody gets them. You are advised to consult doctor/ pharmacist for further information. The

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following common side effects have been reported:

- Skin rash.
- Other allergic reactions occur occasionally.
- Cutaneous hypersensitivity reactions including skin rashes, swelling of the deep layers of skin, Steven Johnson Syndrome/ Toxic Epidermal.

Allergy alert: Paracetamol may cause severe skin reactions. Symptoms may include skin reddening, blisters or rash. These could be sign 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: 03-78835550, or visiting the website npra.moh.gov.my (Public → Reporting Side Effects to Medicines (ConSERF) or Vaccines (AEFI)).

Storage and disposal of Axcel Paracetamol-250 Suspension

-Storage

Keep Axcel Paracetamol-250 Suspension out of reach of children. Store below 30°C. Keep container well closed and protect from light.

-Disposal

Do not use Axcel Paracetamol-250 Suspension 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

Axcel Paracetamol-250 Suspension (Orange):
Orange coloured and orange flavoured suspension.

Axcel Paracetamol-250 Suspension (Strawberry):
Pinkish white suspension with strawberry flavour.

-Ingredients

- Active Ingredient:
Axcel Paracetamol-250 Suspension (Orange):
Paracetamol.

Axcel Paracetamol-250 Suspension (Strawberry):
Paracetamol.

- Inactive Ingredients:
Axcel Paracetamol-250 Suspension (Orange):
Refined Sugar, Xanthan Gum, Propylene Glycol, Methyl paraben, Saccharin Sodium, Purified Water, Orange Flavour and Sunset Yellow.

Axcel Paracetamol-250 Suspension (Strawberry):
Suspension (Orange):
Refined Sugar, Xanthan Gum, Propylene Glycol, Methyl paraben, Saccharin Sodium, Purified Water, Cherry Red, Strawberry Flavour, Sodium Dihydrogen Phosphate Anhydrous, Sodium Citrate.

-MAL Number

Axcel Paracetamol-250 Suspension (Orange):
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