

BUCANIL SYRUP

Terbutaline sulfate 0.3mg/mL

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What BUCANIL SYRUP is used for

BUCANIL SYRUP is used to relieve reversible bronchospasm (tightening of muscles around the air passages in the lungs), asthma, bronchitis (inflammation of the air passages) and emphysema (abnormal enlargement of air spaces in the lungs).

How BUCANIL SYRUP works

Terbutaline is a beta-adrenergic stimulant with effects on smooth and skeletal muscle, which helps to open up the airways and relieve chest tightness, wheezing and cough in asthmatic patient.

Before you use BUCANIL SYRUP

When you must not take it

If you are allergic towards terbutaline sulfate.

Before you start to take it

Consult your doctor or pharmacist regarding the consumption of BUCANIL SYRUP if you have any of the following:

- heart disorders
- hyperthyroidism (overactivity of the thyroid gland) or diabetes
- history of seizure
- unusual responsiveness to sympathomimetic amines

Pregnancy and lactation

Ask your doctor or pharmacist for advice before taking any medicine.

Please consult your doctor before taking this medicine if you are pregnant, trying to get pregnant or think you may be pregnant or if you are breastfeeding.

Caution is recommended during 1st trimester of pregnancy.

Taking other medicines

Concurrent use of BUCANIL SYRUP with antihypertensive (blood pressure lowering medication), beta-blocker (medication for cardiovascular diseases) and adrenergic bronchodilators (medication for asthma and chronic bronchitis) may cause unwanted effects. Seek for your doctor or pharmacist advice if you are taking any of the medication mentioned or other medicines, including those without a prescription.

How to take BUCANIL SYRUP

How much to take

Adults: 10 or 15ml three times a day. Administered at six hours intervals. Maximum 50ml a day.

Children 7 to 15 years: 5 to 10ml three times in 24 hours period.

Children: 0.25ml/kg body weight three times in 24 hours period.

When to take it

BUCANIL SYRUP should be taken according to the time advised by your doctor or pharmacist. It can be taken with or without food.

How long to take it

BUCANIL SYRUP should be taken as your doctor advised you to do so.

If you forgot to take it

If you miss a dose of BUCANIL SYRUP and you are taking it regularly, take it as soon as possible. If it is approaching time for the next dose, do not double the dose to make up for the forgotten dose, unless advised by your health care provider. Do not take 2 doses at once.

If you take too much (overdose)

Symptoms of overdose are, severe muscle cramping, severe chest pain, trembling, severe pounding of heart, and unusual anxiety. Seek your doctor's advice if you experience any of the symptoms mentioned above.

While you are using BUCANIL SYRUP

Things you must do

Follow your doctor's instruction when you are taking BUCANIL SYRUP. It should only be given to pregnant or nursing mother under doctor's supervision.

Things you must not do

Do not stop taking this medicine or change the dosing regimen without instruction from your doctor. Do not give BUCANIL SYRUP to anyone else, even if they have the same condition as you.

Things to be careful of

Increasing use of BUCANIL SYRUP may indicate severe chest pain, severe muscle cramping, trembling, severe pounding of heart, and unusual anxiety. Under this condition, please consult your doctor for further treatment plan. It should be administered cautiously to patients with thyroid disorders and diabetes.

Side effects

BUCANIL SYRUP may cause nervousness, restlessness, trembling, sweating, increased blood pressure, nausea, vomiting, drowsiness, dizziness, increased heartbeat and headache.

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 (Consumers → Reporting)

Storage and Disposal of BUCANIL SYRUP

Storage

Store below 30°C, protect from light & moisture.

Disposal

BUCANIL SYRUP should be disposed when your doctor or pharmacist tells you to stop taking this syrup or it has passed the expiry date. Medicines should not be disposed of via wastewater or household waste. Ask your pharmacist how to dispose medicines that are no longer required.

Product description

What it looks like

BUCANIL SYRUP is a clear, colourless to yellowish solution.

Ingredients

Active ingredient-

Terbutaline sulfate

Inactive ingredients-

Sorbitol

Methylparaben

Propylparaben
Sucrose
Citric acid
Sodium citrate
Glycerin
Plum oil

MAL no.

MAL 19987356A

**Manufacturer and Product Registration
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