## PABRON COUGH-D SYRUP

Triprolidine Hydrochloride/Pseudoephedrine Hydrochloride/Dextromethorphan Hydrobromide (1.25mg/30mg/15mg per 5ml)

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This leaflet answers some common questions about PABRON COUGH-D. It does not contain all the available information. It does not take the place of talking to your pharmacist or doctor.

All medicines have risks and benefits. Your pharmacist or doctor has weighed the risks of you taking PABRON COUGH-D against the benefits they expect it will have for you.

**Keep this leaflet with the medicine.** You may need to read it again.

## What PABRON COUGH-D is used for

PABRON COUGH-D is indicated for the relief of dry cough and nasal congestion.

## How PABRON PABRON COUGH-D works

PABRON COUGH-D contains triprolidine hydrochloride (HCl), pseudoephedrine hydrochloride (HCl) and dextromethorphan HBr as active ingredients.

## Triprolidine hydrochloride (HCl)

belongs to a group of medicines called antihistamines. It works by blocking a certain natural substance (histamine) that your body makes during an allergic reaction.

**Pseudoephedrine** hydrochloride (HCl) is a decongestant that shrinks blood vessels in the nasal passages. This leads to clearing of the stuffy or blocked nose.

## Dextromethorphan Hydrobromide

(HBr) is a cough suppressant which has central action on the cough center in the medulla (a part of brain). It has very little sedative activity.

Ask your pharmacist or doctor if you have any questions about this medicine.

## Before you use PABRON COUGH-D

#### -When you must not use it

Do not take PABRON COUGH-D if you are allergic to triprolidine HCL, pseudoephedrine HCL, dextromethorphan HBr or any components in this preparation.

Do not use PABRON COUGH-D if you have the following conditions:

- severe high blood pressure & coronary artery disease (heart disorder)
- taken monoamine oxidase inhibitors (antidepressants) in the last 2 weeks
- cough associates with asthma or excessive secretions
- in, or at risk of developing respiratory failure

### -Before you start to use it

Tell your doctor if you have or have had any of the following medical conditions:

- High blood pressure
- Heart disease
- Diabetes
- Overactive thyroid
- Increased pressure inside the eye
- Prostatic enlargement
- Kidney impairment
- Liver impairment

## Pregnancy and breast feeding:

Ask your doctor or pharmacist for advice before taking this medicine if you are pregnant or breast-feeding. Pseudoephedrine and triprolidine are found in breast milk in small amounts.

## -Taking other medicines

Tell your pharmacist or doctor if you are taking any other products (such as over the counter products, prescribed medicines and herbal products).

Inform your doctor if you are taking an antibacterial agent, furazolidone.

Use of sympathomimetic agents such as decongestant, tricyclic antidepressant, amphetamine-like psychostimulants and monoamine oxidase inhibitors, may occasionally cause a rise in blood pressure.

The content of Pseudoephedrine may interfere with alpha- and beta blocking medicines.

Avoid alcohol or other centrally acting sedatives.

Kindly consult your doctor or pharmacist if you are not sure whether you are taking any of the above medicines.

#### How to use PABRON COUGH-D

## -How much to use

Adult and Children above 12 years: 10ml

Children 6 -12 years:

5ml

Children 2 - 6 years:

2.5m

# Not to be used in children less than 2 years of age.

To be used with caution and on doctor's or pharmacist advice in children 2 to 6 years of age.

#### -When to use it

To be taken three times daily.

PABRON COUGH-D may be use as directed by your doctor or pharmacist.

### -How long to use it

Continue taking PABRON COUGH-D for as long as your doctor recommends.

## -If you forget to use it

If you forget to use at the right time, use it as soon as you remember, then carry on as before.

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. Bring any remaining medicine with you.

Overdose of Pabron Cough-D may cause:

- gastro-intestinal discomfort
- nausea
- vomiting
- drowsiness
- lethargy
- dizziness
- lack of muscle coordination
- low muscle tone
- breathing difficulty
- dryness of the skin and mucous membranes
- tachycardia (fast heart rate)
- high blood pressure
- abnormal high fever
- hyperactivity
- irritability
- convulsions
- difficulty with urination

## While you are using PABRON COUGH-D

#### -Things you must do

If you are about to start taking on any other new medicine, tell your pharmacist or doctor that you are taking PABRON COUGH-D.

Take your medicine exactly as your doctor has told you.

Tell your doctor immediately if you become pregnant while taking this medication

### -Things you must not do

Do not take more than the recommended dose unless your doctor tells you to.

Do not take any new medicines without consulting your doctor or pharmacist.

Do not give PABRON COUGH-D to anyone else, even if they have the same symptoms or condition as you.

#### -Things to be careful of

PABRON COUGH-D may cause drowsiness and impair performance in test of hearing vigilance. If affected, do not drive or operate machinery.

#### Side effects

All medicines can have side effects. Sometimes they are serious, most of the time they are not.

Possible side effects:

- central nervous depression or excitation
- sleep disturbance
- hallucination (hear, smell, taste or feel things that do not exist)
- skin rashes
- tachycardia (fast heart rate)
- dryness of mouth, nose and throat
- urinary retention
- nausea
- vomit
- gastrointestinal disturbance

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 <a href="mailto:npra.moh.gov.my">npra.moh.gov.my</a> (Public → Reporting Medicinal Problems / Side Effects / AEFI / Vaccine Safety).

## Storage and disposal of PABRON COUGH-D

### -Storage

Store below 30°C. Keep out of reach of children.

#### Disposal

Dispose the medicine after the expiry date. Consult your pharmacist on how to safely dispose of any medicines no longer required. Medicines should not be disposed of via wastewater or household waste.

These measures will help to protect the environment.

## **Product description**

## -What it looks like

PABRON COUGH-D is a dark brown syrup with herbal flavor, available in amber PET bottle of 120ml pack size.

### -Ingredients

## -Active ingredient:

Each 5ml syrup contains:-

- Triprolidine hydrochloride (HCl) 1.25mg
- Pseudoephedrine hydrochloride (HCl) 30mg
- Dextromethorphan HBr 15mg

## -Inactive ingredients:

Menthol, Liquid Caramel, Propylene Glycol, Sodium Benzoate, Sorbitol Solution 70%, Herbal Flavor, Saccharin Sodium & Purified Water.

-MAL number: MAL05101680ACZ

#### Manufacturer

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## **Product Registration Holder**

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