

WATER FOR INJECTIONS BP

CONSUMER MEDICINE INFORMATION

What is in this leaflet

This leaflet contains some common questions about Water for Injections. It does not contain all the available information. It does not take the place of talking to your doctor, nurse or pharmacist.

If you have any concerns about taking this medicine, ask your doctor or nurse.

Keep this leaflet.

You may need to read it again.

What WATER FOR INJECTIONS BP is used for

Water for Injections is sterile water used to dilute or dissolve drugs.

Carefully follow all directions given to you by your doctor. They may differ from the information contained in this leaflet.

Before you are given WATER FOR INJECTIONS BP

When you must not use it

Water for Injections will only be used if the package is undamaged,

the use-by (expiry) date marked on the pack has not been passed and the solution is clear, colourless and free of particles.

It must not be injected unless it has been used to dissolve or dilute necessary drugs to be administered by your doctor or nurse.

Taking other medicines

Tell your doctor if you are taking any other medicines, including any that you buy without a prescription from your pharmacy, supermarket or health food shop.

Your doctor, nurse or pharmacist can tell you what to do if you are taking any of these medicines.

If you have not told your doctor about any of these things, tell them before you are given any injection.

How WATER FOR INJECTIONS BP is given

Water for Injections will be used to dissolve or dilute other drugs, which may then be given by injection.

Injections are usually given in your upper arm muscle (intramuscularly), under the skin (subcutaneously) or directly into a vein (intravenously) by a doctor or trained nurse.

Storage

Your doctor or pharmacist will store Water for Injections under the recommended conditions.

It should be kept in a cool dry place where the temperature stays below 25 degrees C.

Disposal

Your doctor nurse or pharmacist will safely dispose of any Water for Injections that is not used.

Product Description

What it looks like

Water for Injections is a clear, colourless solution in a plastic ampoule or vial. Water for Injections can be identified by an Australian Registration Number, which is found on the packaging:

AUST R 49284 Water for Injections BP 2mL Steriluer(R) ampoule

AUST R 49286 Water for Injections BP 5mL Steriluer(R) ampoule

AUST R 49287 Water for Injections BP 10mL Steriluer(R) ampoule

AUST R 49288 Water for Injections BP 20mL Steriamp(R) ampoule

AUST R 49298 Water for Injections BP 100mL Plastic vial

Ingredients

Water for Injections contains Water for Injections BP. It does not contain a preservative.

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