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PATIENT PACKAGE INSERT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PHARMACISTS' REGULATIONS (PREPARATIONS) - 1986

Read this package insert carefully
in its entirety before using this medicine

NUROFEN®

Liquid capsules 200 mg

COMPOSITION
Each capsule contains:
Ibuprofen 200 mg

Inactive ingredients
Polyethylene glycol 600, Vitamin E, Povidone K17, Gelatin, Maltitol liquid, Sorbitol liquid, Purified water, Ponceau 4R, Opacode MS-78-18011 or Opacode S-1-7020, Titanium dioxide, Shellac, dewaxed.

THERAPEUTIC GROUP
Non-Steroidal Anti-Inflammatory Drugs (NSAIDs).

THERAPEUTIC ACTIVITY
Nurofen® is intended for the relief of mild to moderate pain, such as: headache, toothache, menstrual pain, backache and muscular pain, anti-inflammatory for rheumatic diseases, for the reduction of fever.

WHEN SHOULD THE PREPARATION NOT BE USED?

Do not use this medicine if you are pregnant.
Do not use this medicine if you are sensitive to the medicine or to any of its ingredients, if you experienced in the past an allergic reaction to any analgesic drug, if you have just undergone, or are about to undergo heart surgery.
Do not take this medicine simultaneously with other medicines belonging to the NSAIDs group.
Do not use this medicine if you suffer, or have suffered in the past, from peptic ulcer.

Do not take this medicine without consulting a doctor before starting treatment

If you are breastfeeding or if you suffer, or have suffered in the past, from gastric disorders such as: heartburn, abdominal pains, coagulation disorders, hypertension, heart and kidney diseases, impaired function of the respiratory system (e.g., asthma), the liver, lupus erythematosus, connective tissue diseases, if you use diuretics, if you are over 60 years of age, if taking medicine from this group or any other analgesic drug has caused serious side effects.

HOW WILL THIS MEDICINE AFFECT YOUR DAILY LIFE?

In certain people this medicine may cause drowsiness, dizziness or blurred vision. If you feel these effects after using the medicine, you should be cautious when engaging in activities such as driving a car or operating dangerous machinery **and in any other activity which requires alertness.**
Children should be cautioned against engaging in activities such as bicycle riding or playing near roads and the like.

This medicine may cause particular sensitivity upon exposure to the sun. Therefore, avoid exposing yourself to the sun and use appropriate protection (long clothes, a hat, sunscreen agents, etc.).

WARNINGS
Do not use this medicine frequently or for a long period without consulting your doctor. During prolonged treatment with this medicine, the following tests should be performed: blood, urine, liver and kidney function as well as ophthalmological examinations.
If you are sensitive to any type of food or medicine, inform your doctor before commencing treatment with this medicine.
Inform your doctor if you are about to undergo an operation (including dental operation) or laboratory tests, as this treatment may affect the test results.
Taking this medicine may cause stomach bleeding especially if:
- you are over 60 years of age.
- you take other medicines belonging to the NSAIDs group.
- you consume more than 3 alcoholic drinks a day.

Taking this medicine in a higher than recommended dosage or for a prolonged period may increase the risk of stroke or heart attack and stomach bleeding.
This medicine may cause allergic reactions such as: skin rash, itch, skin blistering, swelling of the face, shortness of breath, worsening of asthma, shock.
If fever persists for more than 3 days, or if pain persists for more than 10 days, discontinue treatment and refer to the doctor.

DRUG INTERACTIONS
If you are taking another drug concomitantly, or if you have just finished treatment with another medicine, including non-prescription medicines and nutritional supplements, inform the attending doctor, in order to prevent hazards or lack of efficacy arising from drug interactions. This is especially important for medicines belonging to the following groups: aspirin, salicylates and/or other anti-inflammatory drugs, anticoagulants (e.g., coumarin and its derivatives), antihypertensives (e.g., beta blockers), corticosteroids, methotrexate (for cancer and psoriasis), diuretics e.g., furosemide and thiazides, lithium, probenecid, zidovudine (for AIDS).

SIDE EFFECTS
In addition to the desired effect of the medicine, adverse reactions may occur during the course of taking this medicine, such as: diarrhea, nausea, abdominal pain, dizziness, heartburn.

Effects that require special attention
Facial edema, swelling of the tongue, larynx, shortness of breath, tachycardia, hypotension, severe shock (rare): refer to your doctor immediately!
Visual or hearing disturbances, upper abdominal pain, rash, skin peeling, symptoms of meningitis, e.g., stiff neck, headache, nausea, vomiting, fever, stiffness and pain in the spinal column (rare): refer to your doctor immediately!
If you experience fainting, bloody vomiting, bloody or black stools: discontinue treatment and refer to the doctor immediately!
In the event that you experience side effects not mentioned in this leaflet, or if there is a change in your general health, consult your doctor immediately.

DOSAGE
Adults and children over 12 years of age: 1-2 capsules, afterwards if necessary 1-2 capsules every 4-6 hours.
Do not take more than 6 capsules in 24 hours.
Do not exceed the recommended dosage.
The smallest effective dosage should be used.
Use by children under 12 years of age will be under medical supervision.
For the relief of menstrual pain: start treatment immediately upon onset of pain.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE
Do not chew, crush or divide the capsule! Swallow the medicine with water.
Take the medicine with or after a meal.

AVOID POISONING!
This medicine and all other medicines must be stored in a safe place out of the reach of children and/or infants, in order to avoid poisoning.
If you have taken an overdose, or if a child has accidentally swallowed the medicine, proceed immediately to a hospital emergency room and bring the package of the medicine with you.
Do not induce vomiting unless explicitly instructed to do so by a doctor!
Do not take medicines in the dark! Check the label and the dose each time you take your medicine.
Wear glasses if you need them.

STORAGE
Do not store above 25°C.
Even if kept in their original container and stored as recommended, medicines may be kept for a limited period only. Please note the expiry date of the medicine! In case of doubt, consult the pharmacist who dispensed the medicine to you.
Do not store different medications in the same package.

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