

CELOXIB 200

Celecoxib INN 200mg

COMPOSITION: Each capsule contains Celecoxib INN 200 mg.

DESCRIPTION: Celecoxib (**Celoxib**) is a nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory drug which exhibits anti-inflammatory, analgesic and antipyretic activity. It is particularly inhibitor in cyclooxygenase (COX)-2. Peak plasma levels of celecoxib occurs approximately 3 hours after an oral administration. In healthy object it is highly protein bound. It is eliminated predominantly by hepatic metabolism with poor unchange drug which recovered in the urine and feces.

INDICATION: **Celoxib 200** is indicated for the treatment of pain and inflammation of osteoarthritis and adult rheumatoid arthritis. It is also indicated to reduce the number of adenomatous colorectal polyps in Familial Adenomatous Polyposis (FAP) and as an adjunct to endoscopic surveillance and surgery.

DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION

Osteoarthritis : For relief of the signs and symptoms of osteoarthritis the recommended oral dose is 200 mg per day administered as a single dose or as 100 mg twice per day.

Rheumatoid arthritis : For the relief of the signs and symptoms of rheumatoid arthritis the recommended oral dose is 100 to 200 mg twice daily.

Familial adenomatous polyposis : The recommended dose is 400 mg twice daily to be taken with food.

CONTRA-INDICATION: Celecoxib is contraindicated in patients with known hypersensitivity to it, who may have demonstrated allergic type reactions to sulphonamide or who have experienced asthma, urticaria or allergic type reactions after taking aspirin or other NASIDs.

USE IN PREGNANCY AND LACTATION: Celecoxib should be used during pregnancy only if the potential benefit justifies the potential risk to fetus. It is not known whether celecoxib is excreted in human milk. Because many drugs are excreted in human milk and because of potential for serious adverse reactions in nursing infants from celecoxib, a decision should be made whether to discontinue nursing or to discontinue the drug, taking into account the importance of the drug to the mother.

SIDE-EFFECTS:

Gastrointestinal: Constipation, diverticulitis, dyspepsia, dry mouth, tenesmus, eructation, esophagitis, gastritis, gastroenteritis, gastroesophageal reflux, hemorrhoids, hiatal hernia, melena, stomatitis, tooth disorder, vomiting.

Cardiovascular : Aggravated hypertension.

OTHERS: Blurred vision, glaucoma, allergic reaction, asthenia, chest pain, generalized edema, face edema, fatigue, fever, hot flushes, peripheral pain.

WARNING AND PRECAUTIONS: Celecoxib should not be expected to substitute for corticosteroids or to treat corticosteroid insufficiency. Patients on prolonged corticosteroid therapy should have their therapy tapered slowly if a decision is made to discontinue corticosteroids. Celecoxib should be prescribed with extreme caution in patients with a prior history of ulcer disease, G.I bleeding, hepatic and renal insufficiency, heart failure. those taking diuretics and ACE inhibitors, pre-existing asthma, elderly patients.

DRUG INTERACTION: ACE inhibitors, furosemide and thiazides. aspirin lithium, fluconazole, methotrexate. warfarin.

PACKAGING: Each carton contains 2x10's capsules in blister pack.

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