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Description of the Product
Pinkish to red suspension with tutti-frutti flavor, slightly sweet, sour and bland taste.

What is in the Medicine?
Carbocisteine is rapidly and well absorbed from the gastrointestinal tract with peak plasma concentrations occurring about 2 hours after an oral dose. It appears to penetrate into lung tissue and respiratory mucus. Carbocisteine is excreted in the urine as unchanged drug and metabolites. Acetylation, decarboxylation, and sulfoxidation have been identified as the major metabolic pathways. Sulfoxidation may be governed by genetic polymorphism. Carbocisteine is absorbed from the gastrointestinal tract and excreted in the urine as unchanged drug and metabolites.

Strength of the Medicine
Each mL contains:
Carbocisteine, PP1 ..... 50 mg

What is this Medicine used for?
Carbocisteine is used in the treatment of disorder of the respiratory tract associated with excessive mucus.

How much and how often should you use this Medicine?
INFANTS:
12-24 months old 1.25 mL
9-11 months old 1.00 mL
6-8 months old 0.75 mL
3-5 months old 0.50 mL
< 3 months old 0.25 mL
All doses to be taken three (3) to four (4) times a day.
Or as prescribed by a physician.

When should you not take this Medicine?
Active peptic ulcer and known hypersensitivity to Carbocisteine.

Care that should be taken when taking this Medicine?
Use with caution in patient with history of gastric or duodenal ulcer. Must be avoided in patients with active ulceration

Undesirable Effects of this Medicine
Nausea, headache, gastric discomfort, diarrhea, gastrointestinal bleeding and skin rashes have occasionally occurred with Carbocisteine.

What to do when you have taken more than the recommended dosage?
Gastric lavage followed by observation may be beneficial therapy for overdosage. Gastrointestinal disturbance is the most likely symptom of Carbocisteine overdosage.

Pregnancy and Lactation
Pregnancy
The safety of Carbocisteine for use during pregnancy has not been established. It should not be used in pregnant women unless, in the judgement of the physician, the expected benefits substantially outweigh the potential risk to the fetus.

Lactation
It is not known if Carbocisteine is excreted in breastmilk. Because many drugs are excreted in breastmilk, a decision should be made whether to discontinue nursing or to discontinue Carbocisteine taking into account the importance of the drug to the mother and potential risk to the infant.

How should you keep this Medicine?
Store at temperatures not exceeding 30°C.

ADR REPORTING STATEMENT
"For suspected adverse drug reaction, report to the FDA: www.fda.gov.ph"
Seek medical attention immediately at the first sign of any adverse drug reaction.

Availability
Amber Glass Bottle x 15mL w/ medicine dropper (Box of 1's).

SHAKE WELL BEFORE USE

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