

WHAT DOES FYCOMPA TREAT?

- Generalized seizures
- Partial Complex seizures

WHAT ARE THE POSSIBLE SIDE EFFECTS OF FYCOMPA?

- Sleepiness
- Irritability
- Dizziness
- Vertigo
- Hostility
- Headaches

THIS INFORMATION IS NOT A COMPLETE LIST OF ALL POSSIBLE REACTIONS TO FYCOMPA. IT IS IMPORTANT THAT YOU SPEAK TO YOUR DOCTOR OR PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT ABOUT THIS MEDICATION AND THE BENEFITS/RISKS. DO NOT CHANGE THE DOSE OR FORM OF MEDICINE WITHOUT FIRST DISCUSSING IT WITH OUR OFFICE.

Generic: Perampanel

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FYCOMPA COMES IN MULTIPLE FORMS, INCLUDING:

TABLETS:

2MG • 4MG

6MG • 8MG • 10MG • 12MG

SOLUTION:

0.5MG/ML

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WHAT SYMPTOMS SHOULD I REPORT IMMEDIATELY?

- Extreme sleepiness
- Confusion
- Unsteady walking
- Slurred speech
- Vomiting
- Loss of appetite
- Suicidal Ideation

WHAT ARE THE SYMPTOMS OF TOO MUCH MEDICINE?

- Dizzy
- Unsteady
- “drunk like” actions
- Blurry vision
- Vomiting
- Unexplained bleeding

CONTACT THE DOCTOR IMMEDIATELY WITH ANY OF THESE SYMPTOMS

HOW DO I TAKE FYCOMPA?

- Fycompa can be taken with or without food.
- Depending on your dose/formulation, you may take Fycompa up to two times a day.
- Liquid Fycompa should be used within 90 days of opening the bottle.

WHY DO YOU NEED REGULAR BLOOD LEVELS?

When checking your blood level, we will check the liver enzymes and blood cell counts to ensure those are still within range while on this medication. Fycompa does not require a medication blood level check.

WHAT OVER THE COUNTER MEDICATIONS SHOULD I AVOID WITH FYCOMPA?

- There are no medications that should be avoided with Fycompa

IS FYCOMPA ADDICTIVE?

No. Fycompa does not have addictive properties. However, suddenly stopping this medication without consulting your doctor can lead to seizures. Tapering off of Fycompa is simple, but is done so gradually to prevent rebound seizures.

I'M PREGNANT, IS IT SAFE TO TAKE FYCOMPA?

No. If you believe you are pregnant or are trying to get pregnant, contact our office. Studies have shown that Fycompa while taken during pregnancy can cause delay in sexual maturation and toxicity. **DO NOT STOP taking your Fycompa suddenly. CONTACT our office to discuss your options and treatment.**

IF YOU OR YOUR CHILD HAS TAKEN AN OVER DOSE OF MEDICATION, CALL 911 IMMEDIATELY!