

FLAZON 500 mg

Pharmaceutical form: Vaginal suppositories.

Composition: Each vaginal suppository contains: Active ingredient - metronidazole 500 mg.
Inactive ingredient – Polyethylene glycol 1500 and 400.

Pharmacological group: Antiprotozoal drug.

Indications:

This drug is indicated in the local treatment of some vaginal infections: Trichomonas vaginitis and non-specific vaginitis.

Contraindications:

Flazon is contraindicated in patients with hypersensitivity to Metronidazole or other Nitroimidazole derivatives.

Posology and method of administration:

FOR ADULTS ONLY:

-Trichomonas vaginitis: One vaginal suppository per day, inserted deep into the vagina, for 10 days, in combination with oral treatment.

-Non-specific vaginitis: One vaginal suppository per day, inserted deep into the vagina, for 7 days, in combination with oral treatment if necessary.

Your partner should be treated simultaneously even if he / she does not show any clinical signs. In all cases strictly follow the Physician's prescription.

Undesirable effects:

Stop using Flazon and see a doctor.

1. You have an allergic reaction. The signs may include: swelling of the hands, feet, ankles, face, lips or throat which may cause difficulty in swallowing or breathing, an itchy, lumpy rash (hives) or nettle rash (urticaria);
2. A serious but very rare side effect is a brain disease (encephalopathy). Symptoms vary but you might get a fever, stiff neck, headache, or see or hear things that aren't there. You might also have problems using your arms and legs, problems with speaking or feel confused;
3. You develop skin rashes including Stevens-Johnson syndrome or toxic epidermal necrolysis. These can appear as reddish target-like spots or circular patches often with central blisters on the trunk, skin peeling, ulcers of the mouth, throat, nose, genitals and eyes and can be preceded by fever and flu-like symptoms. Stop using Flazon if you develop these symptoms and contact your doctor or seek medical attention immediately;
4. You develop a red, scaly widespread rash with bumps under the skin and blisters accompanied by fever at the initiation of treatment (acute generalised exanthematous pustulosis). Stop using Flazon if you develop these symptoms and contact your doctor or seek medical attention immediately;
5. Yellowing of the skin and eyes. This could be due to a liver problem (jaundice);

6. Unexpected infections, mouth ulcers, bruising, bleeding gums, or severe tiredness. This could be caused by a blood problem;
7. Severe stomach pain which may reach through to your back (pancreatitis).

Precautions and Warnings:

Talk to your doctor or pharmacist before using Flazon if:

- You have or have ever had a liver problem;
- You are having kidney dialysis;
- You have a disease of the nervous system.

Flazon with alcohol:

- Do not drink any alcohol while you are using Flazon and for 48 hours after finishing your course. Drinking alcohol while using Flazon might cause unpleasant side effects, such as feeling sick (nausea), being sick (vomiting), stomach pain, hot flushes, very fast or uneven heartbeat (palpitations) and headache.

Pregnancy and Lactation:

- Since it penetrates breast milk, this drug is not recommended during lactation.
- In case of pregnancy or lactation you always have to ask your Physician or Pharmacist for advice before the beginning of the treatment.

Package:

5 vaginal suppositories in a strip, 2 strips and leaflet insert in a paperboard box.

SHELF LIFE:

3 years.

Respect the expiry date indicated on the packaging.

STORAGE:

Store below 25°C.

Keep out of the reach of children.

LEGAL STATUS:

Prescription only.