

Sulpenin for combined penicillin and sulphonamide therapy.

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SULPENIN

FOR COMBINED
PENICILLIN AND
SULPHONAMIDE
THERAPY

INDICATIONS

Hæmolytic streptococcal infections, including tonsillitis, erysipelas, mastoiditis, lymphadenitis, otitis media, scarlet fever; staphylococcal infections; pneumococcal infections; gonococcal infections; mixed infections of the urinary, respiratory, and gastro-intestinal tracts; prophylaxis of secondary bacterial infections in measles and influenza, and prophylaxis before and after surgical procedures.

PRESENTATION

Sulpenin Tablets are available in tubes of 10 and bottles of 100 tablets.



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SULPENIN

THERE'S STRENGTH
IN COMBINED ACTION

By utilising the synergistic action known to exist between penicillin and the sulphonamides the antibacterial range is increased and the tendency for the bacteria to develop mutant strains resistant to one or other of the drugs is reduced. Sulpenin, containing penicillin, sulphadiazine and sulphamerazine in balanced dosage, provides a convenient means of applying combined therapy in the treatment of many infections due to susceptible micro-organisms. It may be of value when laboratory diagnosis is impracticable or impossible and the sensitivity of the organisms cannot be determined.

Each Sulpenin Tablet contains:

PENICILLIN	100,000 units
SULPHADIAZINE	0.25 gramme
SULPHAMERAZINE	0.25 gramme



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DOSAGE TABLE

Sulpenin Tablets should be given
30 minutes before meals and at bedtime.

	INITIAL DOSE		MAINTENANCE DOSES	
	No. of tablets to be given		No. of tablets to be given four times daily	
Age	Normal Use	Severe Infections	Normal Use	Severe Infections
ADULT	4	6	1—2	2—3
15—20	4	5	1—2	2
10—15	3	4	1	1—2
5—10	2	3	1	1—1½
2—5	2	3	½	1
BELOW 2	1	2	½	1

The doses suggested above are adequate and should NOT be exceeded. Patients receiving Sulpenin should be given abundant fluids and alkalis, e.g. potassium citrate, concurrently.

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