# 'Migril': ergotamine compound tablets.

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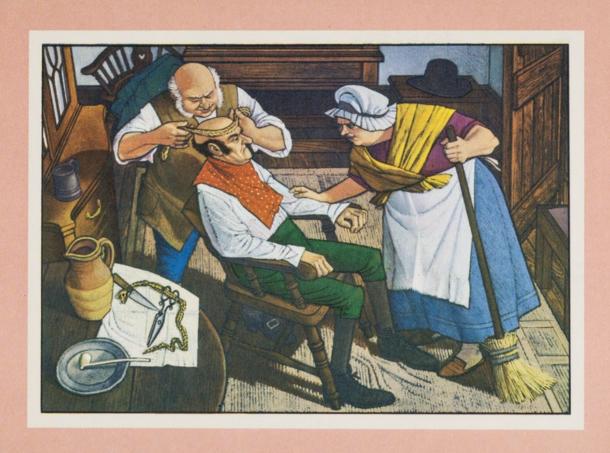
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Ergotamine Compound Tablets

#### Indications

'Migril' is indicated for the symptomatic treatment of migraine.

#### Dosage

1 to 2 tablets at the first warning of an attack, followed by  $\frac{1}{2}$  or 1 tablet at hourly or half-hourly intervals, if required. The smallest effective dose should be chosen. Not more than 4 tablets should be taken during any single attack, or more than 12 tablets in any one week. Children should be given proportionately less.

### Contra-indications and Side-effects

'Migril' is contra-indicated in peripheral vascular disease, angina pectoris, kidney and liver diseases, pregnancy and febrile conditions. Rarely there may be undue sensitivity to ergotamine; if, therefore, a patient under treatment feels a sensation of coldness or aching in his extremities, he should take no more of the tablets. Side-effects include abdominal pain or fatigue in the limbs.

#### Presentation

'Migril' brand Ergotamine Compound, scored compression-coated tablets containing:

Ergotamine tartrate, 2 mg. Cyclizine hydrochloride, 50 mg. Caffeine hydrate, 100 mg.

Basic cost to N.H.S.: 6s. 11d. for 10 tablets. Additional information is available on request.



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