

Pro-Actidil in hay fever and other allergies.

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**for rapid and effective
antihistamine therapy**



Pro-Actidil

**in hay fever and
other allergies**

The three separate layers
of the PRO-ACTIDIL *tablet
ensure a sustained and
controlled release of
antihistamine
(triprolidine hydro-
chloride) for up to 24
hours.



Normal dosage one tablet
a day. Relief is rapid and begins
within 10-30 minutes.

*Trade Mark

In cases of allergy-itch wash the parts affected with strong rum.
John Wesley, *Primitive Physic*. 23rd Edition 1791

Pro-Actidil

Triprolidine Hydrochloride Tablets

Indications

Hay fever
Vasomotor rhinitis
Allergic dermatoses, particularly if associated with urticaria
Seborrhoeic eczema
Pruritus
Allergic asthma
Angioneurotic oedema
Solar urticaria

PRO-ACTIDIL is particularly recommended for dermatoses because its 'round-the-clock' action combats the night-time itching and scratching common in such conditions.

Dosage

For adults and children over 10 years: one tablet should be swallowed whole every 24 hours – preferably between 6 and 7 pm (or 4 to 5 hours before retiring) so that, should drowsiness occur, it will do so during normal sleeping time.

Very severe cases may require 2 tablets in 24 hours.

Side-effects and Precautions

As with all antihistamines, patients should be warned to determine their individual response to the drug before driving or doing any mechanical work which requires concentration. Alcohol may enhance any sedative effect of antihistamine therapy.

Presentation

PRO-ACTIDIL (triprolidine hydrochloride) is available as 10 mg tablets
Basic cost to the NHS: 4s. 6d. for 10 tablets.

N.B. For young children ACTIDIL* Elixir is preferable, containing 2 mg triprolidine hydrochloride in each 5 ml.

Additional information is available on request.

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