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Veterinary Medicines

PRESCRIPTION ANIMAL REMEDY • KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN • FOR ANIMAL TREATMENT ONLY

Equine Metronidazole PASTE

For the treatment of anaerobic bacterial and protozoal infections caused by metronidazole-sensitive organisms



ACTIVE CONSTITUENTS:
Metronidazole 500mg/g

PACK SIZE:
1 kg pail

INDICATIONS: For the treatment of infections in horses caused by anaerobic bacteria and protozoa sensitive to metronidazole, including *B.fragilis* (penicillin resistant), *Fusobacterium* and *Clostridial* spp.

PRECAUTIONS: DO NOT USE in animals with renal or hepatic disorders or dysfunction.

Metronidazole is relatively non-toxic, however, over-dosage or prolonged treatment beyond the specified five days may result in reversible neurological depression, ataxia and impairment of the hepatic function.

DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION: HORSES: Administer orally. May also be administered per rectum. Give 20ml Equine Metronidazole Paste (equivalent to 10g metronidazole) per 500kg bodyweight every 12 hours for 5 days or as directed by a veterinarian. The recommended dose is 20mg of metronidazole per kg of bodyweight per 12 hours.

FOALS: 10mg/kg every 12 hours.

Insufficient data is available on use in pregnant mares to recommend the use of the product during pregnancy.

MEAT WITHHOLDING PERIOD (HORSES): NOT TO BE USED in horses intended for human consumption.

RACING/EVENT WITHHOLDING PERIOD: If used in performance animals, the regulations of the relevant authorities regarding medication should be observed.

FIRST AID: If poisoning occurs, contact a doctor or Poisons Information Centre. Phone Australia 131126 or in New Zealand 0800 764 766.

DISPOSAL: Dispose of empty container by wrapping with paper and putting in garbage.

STORAGE: Store below 30°C (Room Temperature). Protect from light.

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