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# **CISAPRIDE**

**(Brand Name: Propulsid  
no longer commercially available)**

**STRENGTH:** Compounded to either capsules or oral liquid, strength is custom made for each patient.

**ROUTE OF ADMINISTRATION:** ORAL  
May be given with or without food.

**ACTION OF MEDICATION:** Pro-kinetic agent for the entire GI tract from the stomach down. Usually used to treat constipation.

**MOST COMMON SIDE EFFECTS REPORTED:** Abdominal cramps, vomiting, diarrhea. These are generally controlled by modifying the dose.

**SEVERE SIDE EFFECTS REPORTED:** None though there is concern that certain drug interactions could create the heart rhythm issues that led to removal of this medicine from the human market. See link below for information on drug interactions.

**STORAGE:** Keep away from light and store at room temperature. Do not refrigerate.

**IF YOU MISS A DOSE:** Do not double up on the next dose. Simply give the medication when it is remembered or pick up with the next dose, allowing at least the proper interval between doses according to the label instructions.

**OTHER INFORMATION:** This product was removed from the human market because of heart rhythm issues and drug interactions. These problems have not been observed in veterinary patients.

For a more detailed presentation, visit:

<https://www.marvistavet.com/cisapride.pml>