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DEXMEDETOMADINE **(Brand Name: Sileo)**

STRENGTH: 0.1 mg/ml

ROUTE OF ADMINISTRATION: ORAL GEL,
DELIVERED IN CHEEK POUCH.

ACTION OF MEDICATION: Alpha-2 agonist, used for noise related panic or other forms of panic.

MOST COMMON SIDE EFFECTS REPORTED: Gums can become pale. Heart rate and blood pressure can drop. These are of no significance for healthy patients.

SEVERE SIDE EFFECTS REPORTED: Reduction in blood pressure or heart rate could be significant if a patient has underlying health problems.

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

IF YOU MISS A DOSE: Wait two hours to give another dose. This medication can be given up to 5 times per day as long as at least 2 hours pass between doses.

OTHER INFORMATION: The applicator can be confusing. It is crucial that you use it correctly. If you are not sure, see the link below for video demonstration. Do not feed for 15 minutes after giving this medication. The dosing syringe is only good for 4 weeks after it is opened. Be sure the medication is delivered in the cheek pouch and not inside the mouth. If you are unfamiliar with the use of the dosing syringe, please watch this video:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=G8Gm6wOxAe4>

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For a more detailed presentation, visit:

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