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TRIMEPRAZINE/PREDNISOLONE

(Brand Name: Temaril-P)

STRENGTH: 10 mg Trimeprazine, 2 mg Prednisolone

ROUTE OF ADMINISTRATION: ORAL.

May be given with or without food.

ACTION OF MEDICATION: Combination of a corticosteroid (prednisolone) and an antihistamine (trimeprazine). It is an anti-inflammatory approved for both cough and itch.

MOST COMMON SIDE EFFECTS REPORTED: Drowsiness especially if combined with other sedating drugs. Increased thirst and hunger. Increased tendency to pant.

SEVERE SIDE EFFECTS REPORTED: Can promote pre-existing infection. Can destabilize diabetes mellitus. Can destabilize heart disease by causing salt retention.

STORAGE: Keep this medication in a dry place protected from light.

IF YOU MISS A DOSE: Do not double up on the next dose but give the next dose when it is remembered.

OTHER INFORMATION: The goal is to control symptoms at and then taper to the lowest dose that continues to control symptoms.

For a more detailed presentation, visit:

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