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# TYLOSIN

**(BRAND NAME: Tylan)**

**STRENGTH:** Oral Powder (usually compounded into capsules).

**ROUTE OF ADMINISTRATION:** Oral.

May be given with or without food. This medication is famous for its bitter taste. This is mitigated by using capsules.

**ACTION OF MEDICATION:** Tylosin is a macrolide class antibiotic used in the treatment of specific GI infections as well as in the treatment of chronic diarrheas not responsive to other therapies.

**MOST COMMON SIDE EFFECTS:** Upset stomach. Generally this can be mitigated by giving tylosin with food.

**SEVERE SIDE EFFECTS:** None reported.

**STORAGE:** Follow the instructions from the compounding pharmacy.

**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:** Some patients require indefinite treatment to control diarrhea. Tylosin famously tastes terrible and is best given in capsules to avoid tasting it.

For a more detailed presentation, visit:

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