

## **Gynanstatin PIL**

## What is in your medicine?

The name of this medicine is GYNANSTATIN and each pessary contains Nystatin in a strength of 100,000 Units.

### How do GYNANSTATIN work?

GYNANSTATIN contain Nystatin, an antifungal antibiotic which is active against candida albicans and a wide range of yeasts and yeast-like fungi. If you are not sure why you have been prescribed GYNANSTATIN, then please ask your doctor.

### What are GYNANSTATIN for?

GYNANSTATIN are used for the treatment Candidal vaginitis. Check before you take GYNANSTATIN Pessaries. Before taking this medicine, tell your doctor if you have ever had any unusual or allergic reactions to Nystatin or any of the other ingredients of GYNANSTATIN, or other antibiotic medicines.

## Use in pregnancy

In pregnancy care should be taken when using the applicator supplied for inserting the pessary, to prevent the possibility of injury to the uterus.

### When and how to take GYNANSTATIN?

GYNANSTATIN should be taken by inserting the pessaries into the vagina, using the applicator provided.

## **Dosage:**

**Adults, including the elderly:** 1 or 2 pessaries should be inserted high into the vagina for 14 consecutive nights, or longer, regardless of whether you have your period or not

**Children:** Not recommended for use in children.

## What to do if too many pessaries are taken at the same time?

If you accidentally use more pessaries at the same time than recommended, contact your doctor or hospital out-patients department.



# What to do if you miss a dose?

If you miss a dose, skip the missed dose and go back to your regular dosage schedule. Do not double the dose.

### What side effects can GYNANSTATIN have?

There are no known side-effects to GYNANSTATIN, except the possibility of hypersensitivity to Nystatin or to any of the ingredients listed. If you experience an allergic reaction or any other undesirable effects you should contact your doctor.

## **Storing your medicine**

- You must keep the medicine in a safe place where children cannot get it. Your medicine could harm them.
- Store below 25°C and protect from light.
- On the label you will find the words "Expiry Date" followed by numbers indicating the day, month and year. This is the date when the medicine is no longer fit for use. Do not use GYNANSTATIN after this date.

### Kind attention

This medicine is for you. Never give it to someone else, even if their symptoms are the same as yours. This leaflet does not contain the complete information about your medicine. If you have any questions or are not sure about anything, ask your doctor or pharmacist who have access to additional information.