

# Size: 100x200mm

## Patient Information Leaflet

### Cloxivid-250 (Cloxacillin Sodium Capsules USP 250mg)

#### Read all of this leaflet carefully before you start using this medicine:

- Keep this leaflet. You may need to read it again.
- If you have any further questions, ask your doctor or pharmacist.
- This medicine has been prescribed for you. Do not pass it on to others. It may harm them, even if their symptoms are the same as yours.
- If any of the side effects gets serious, or if you notice any side effects not listed in this leaflet, please tell your doctor or pharmacist.

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#### a) WHAT CLOXVID-250 IS AND WHAT IT IS USED FOR

Cloxivid-250 contains a medicine called Cloxacillin Sodium. Cloxivid-250 is used to treat infections that are caused by certain bacteria. Antibacterial drugs like Cloxivid-250 treat only bacterial infections. They do not treat viral infections.

Cloxivid-250 is an antibiotic that works by:

- Stopping the growth of bacteria.
- Killing bacteria.

#### b) BEFORE YOU TAKE CLOXVID-250

##### Do not take Cloxivid-250 if:

- You have had an allergic reaction to Cloxivid-250 or other medicines such as cephalosporins or penicillins.

To help avoid side effects and ensure proper use, talk to your healthcare professional before you take Cloxivid-250. Talk about any health conditions or problems you may have, including if you:

- Have severe kidney disease with or without significant liver disease
- Are pregnant or could become pregnant during treatment
- Are breast feeding

#### Other medicines and Cloxivid-250:

Tell your doctor if you are taking any other medicines, including any that you buy without a prescription from a pharmacy.

#### c) HOW TO TAKE CLOXVID-250

- Take Cloxivid-250 1-2 hours before eating.
- Although you may feel better early in treatment, Cloxivid-250 should be used exactly as directed.
- Misuse or overuse of Cloxivid-250 could lead to the growth of bacteria that will not be killed by Cloxivid-250 (resistance). This means that Cloxivid-250 may not work for you in the future.
- Do not share your medicine.

#### Usual Dose:

Adults: 250 mg to 500 mg every 6 hours. Do not take more than 6000 mg daily.

Children weighing less than 5 kg (11 lbs): 250 mg per day.

Children weighing more than 5 kg (11 lbs): 50 mg / kg / day.

**Overdose:** If you think you have taken too much Cloxivid-250, contact your healthcare professional, hospital emergency department or regional poison control centre immediately, even if there are no symptoms.

#### d) POSSIBLE SIDE EFFECTS

These are not all the possible side effects you may feel when taking Cloxivid-250. If you experience any side effects not listed here, contact your healthcare professional.

- Upper stomach pain
- Flatulence

Other side effects may occur that usually do not need medical attention. These side effects may go away during treatment as your body adjusts to the medicine. However, check with your doctor for any side effect that seems unusual or that is especially bothersome.

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Serious side effects and what to do about them:

Rare:

- an allergic reaction (difficulty in breathing, closing of the throat, swelling of the lips, face or tongue; hives or a rash)
- redness, or itching
- severe nausea, vomiting, or diarrhea This is not a complete list of side effects. For any unexpected effects while taking Cloxivid-250, contact your doctor or pharmacist.

#### e) HOW TO STORE CLOXVID-250

Store in a dry & dark place below 30°C, protected from moisture.

#### F) FURTHER INFORMATION

##### What Cloxivid-250 contains

The active substance is: Cloxacillin Sodium USP.

Other Ingredients are: Sodium Starch Glycolate USP, Magnesium Stearate USP, Purified Talcum USP, Sodium Lauryl Sulphate USP & EHG Capsules "2" Size.

##### What Cloxivid-250 look like

Size '2' hard gelatin capsules containing white to off white granular powder.

**Packing Size:** 10x10 Alu/PVC Blister.



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