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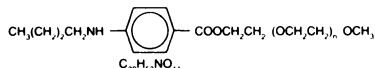


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**CONTRAINDICATIONS:** Hypersensitivity to benzonatate or related compounds.

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**PRECAUTIONS:** Benzonatate is chemically related to anesthetic agents of the para-aminobenzoic acid class (eg, procaine, tetracaine) and has been associated with adverse CNS effects possibly related to a prior sensitivity to related agents or interaction with concomitant medication. **Information for patients:** Release of TESSALON from the perle in the mouth can produce a temporary local anesthesia of the oral mucosa and choking could occur. Therefore, the perles should be swallowed without chewing. **Usage in pregnancy:** Pregnancy Category C. Animal reproduction studies have not been conducted with TESSALON. It is also not known whether TESSALON can cause fetal harm when administered to a pregnant woman or can affect reproduction capacity. TESSALON should be given to a pregnant woman only if clearly needed. **Nursing mothers:** It is not known whether this drug is excreted in human milk. Because many drugs are excreted in human milk, caution should be exercised when TESSALON is administered to a nursing woman.

**Carcinogenesis, mutagenesis, impairment of fertility:** Carcinogenicity, mutagenicity, and reproduction studies have not been conducted with TESSALON. **Pediatric use:** Safety and effectiveness in children below the age of 10 has not been established.

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**CNS:** sedation, headache, dizziness, mental confusion, visual hallucinations.

**GI:** constipation, nausea, GI upset. **Dermatologic:** pruritus, skin eruptions.

**Other:** nasal congestion, sensation of burning in the eyes, vague "chilly" sensation, numbness of the chest, hypersensitivity. Rare instances of deliberate or accidental overdose have resulted in death.

**OVERDOSAGE:** Overdose may result in death. The drug is chemically related to tetracaine and other topical anesthetics and shares various aspects of their pharmacology and toxicology. Drugs of this type are generally well absorbed after ingestion. **Signs and Symptoms:** If perles are chewed or dissolved in the mouth, oropharyngeal anesthesia will develop rapidly. CNS stimulation may cause restlessness and tremors which may proceed to clonic convulsions followed by profound CNS depression. **Treatment:** Evacuate gastric contents and administer copious amounts of activated charcoal slurry. Even in the conscious patient, cough and gag reflexes may be so depressed as to necessitate special attention to protection against aspiration of gastric contents and orally administered materials. Convulsions should be treated with a short-acting barbiturate given intravenously and carefully titrated for the smallest effective dosage. Intensive support of respiration and cardiovascular-renal function is an essential feature of the treatment of severe intoxication from overdose. Do not use CNS stimulants.

**DOSE AND ADMINISTRATION:** Adults and children over 10: usual dose is one 100 mg perle t.i.d. as required. If necessary, up to 6 perles daily may be given.

**HOW SUPPLIED:** Perles, 100 mg (yellow); Bottles of 100 NDC 0456-0688-01. Perles, 100 mg (yellow); bottles of 500 NDC 0456-0688-02. Store at controlled room temperature (59°-86°F, 15°-30°C).

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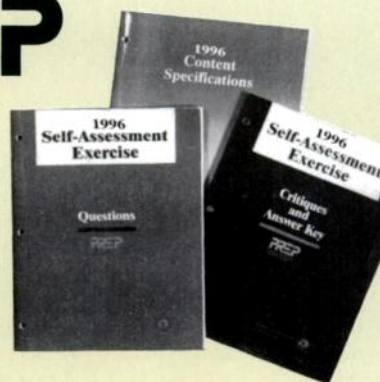
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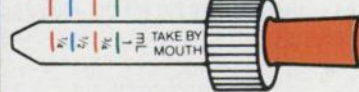
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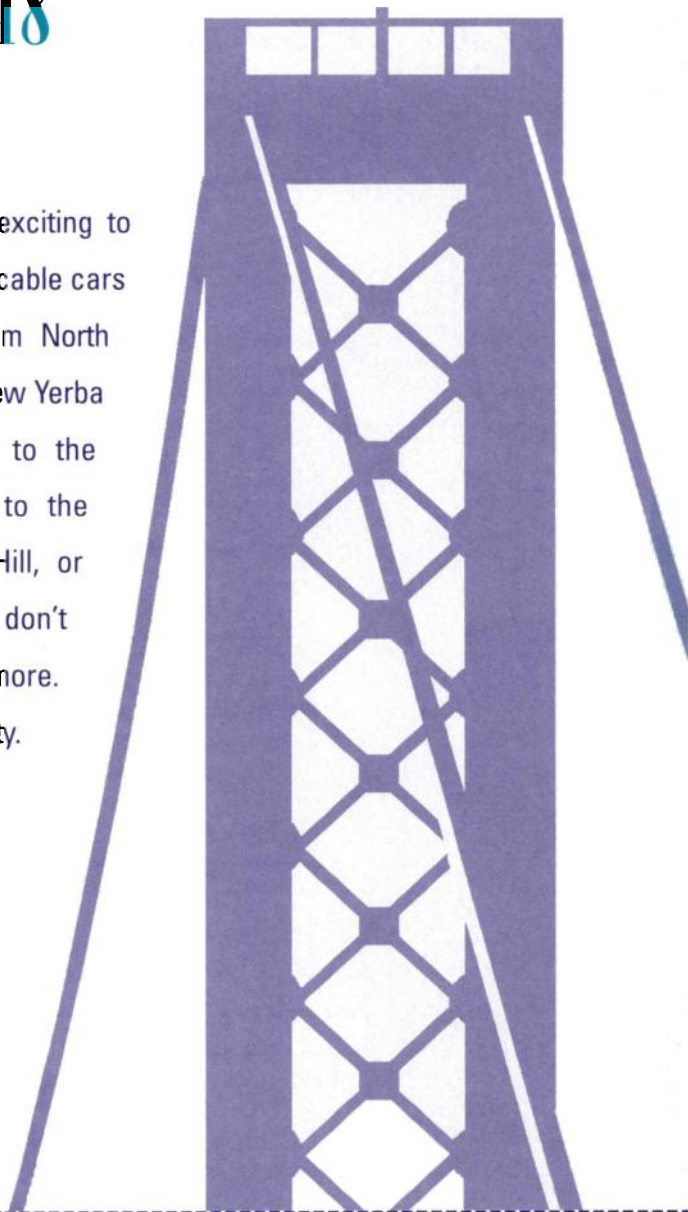
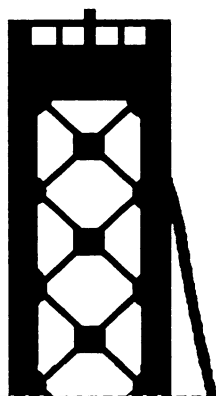
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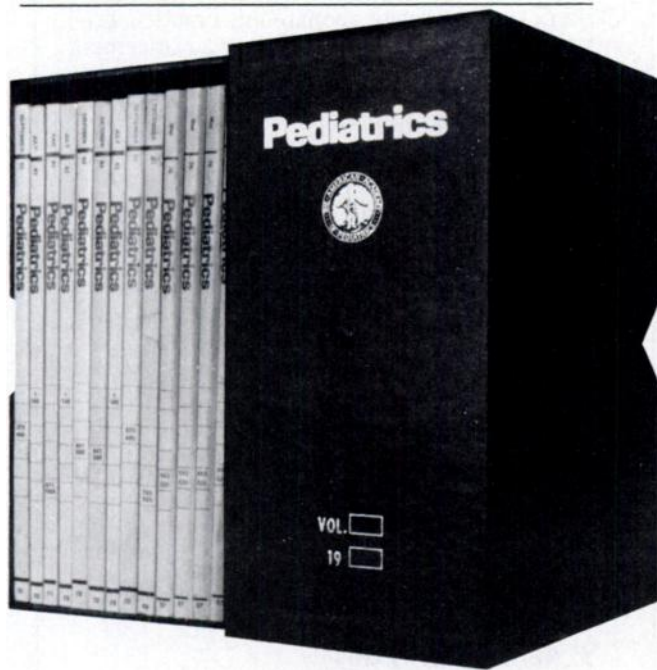
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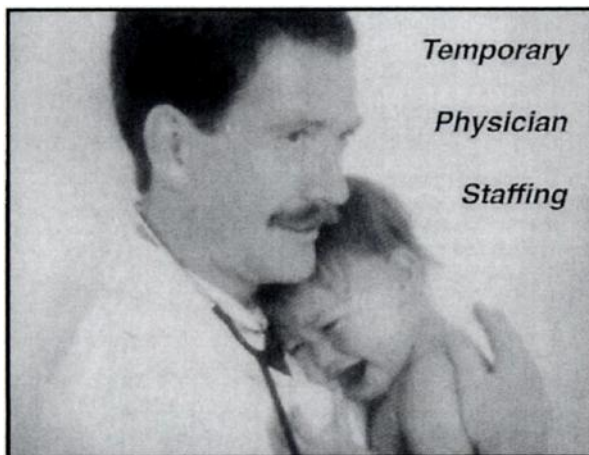
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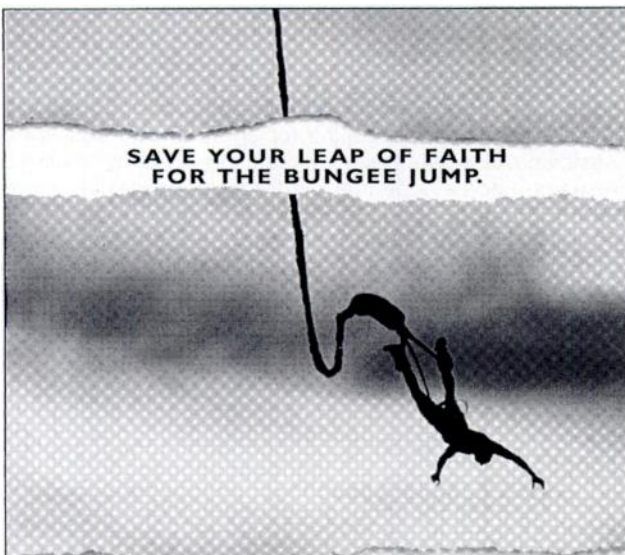
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CONTACT: Max Jackson, Superintendent  
Arlington Developmental Center  
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**Hemoglobin Levels:** Small decreases (usually not exceeding one gram) in hemoglobin and hematocrit with an apparent dose response relationship have been observed following chronic administration. If there are no signs of bleeding, it is probably not clinically important.

In two ibuprofen postmarketing studies a decrease in hemoglobin of 1 gm or more was observed.

**Aseptic Meningitis:** While rare, aseptic meningitis with fever and coma has occurred in patients on ibuprofen. Although more likely to occur in patients with systemic lupus erythematosus and related connective tissue diseases, it has been reported in adults without an underlying chronic disease. If signs or symptoms of meningitis develop in a patient on ibuprofen, consider the possibility of its being related to ibuprofen.

**Renal Effects:** Like other NSAIDs, long-term administration of ibuprofen to animals has resulted in renal papillary necrosis and other abnormal renal pathology. In humans, acute interstitial nephritis with hematuria, proteinuria, and occasionally nephrotic syndrome have been reported. A second form of renal toxicity is seen in patients with prerenal conditions leading to reduction in renal blood flow or blood volume. In these patients, NSAIDs may cause a dose-dependent reduction in prostaglandin formation and precipitate overt renal failure; patients with impaired renal function, heart failure, liver dysfunction, those taking diuretics, and the elderly are at greatest risk. Monitor renal function in patients at high risk who take ibuprofen chronically if they have signs or symptoms of azotemia. Discontinuation of NSAIDs is typically followed by recovery. Since ibuprofen is eliminated primarily by the kidneys, closely monitor patients with significant renal impairment and anticipate a dosage reduction to avoid drug accumulation.

**Information for Patients:** Physicians may wish to discuss potential risks (see

**WARNINGS, PRECAUTIONS, ADVERSE REACTIONS)** and likely benefits with patients.

**Drug Interactions:** **Coumarin-type Anticoagulants:** Short-term studies did not show a significant effect of ibuprofen on a variety of clotting factors when given with coumarin-type anticoagulants. However, bleeding has been reported when ibuprofen or other NSAIDs were administered to patients on these medications; use caution when administering ibuprofen to such patients.

**Aspirin:** In animal studies, concomitant aspirin/NSAID therapy yielded a net decrease in anti-inflammatory activity with lowered NSAID blood levels. Single dose bioavailability studies in normal volunteers failed to show an effect of aspirin on ibuprofen levels.

**Methotrexate:** In vitro studies indicate that ibuprofen could enhance the toxicity of methotrexate. Use caution if ibuprofen is administered concomitantly.

**H<sub>2</sub> Antagonists:** In human volunteers, coadministration of cimetidine or ranitidine with ibuprofen had no substantive effect on ibuprofen serum concentrations.

**Furosemide:** Ibuprofen can reduce the natriuretic effect of furosemide and thiazides in some patients. During concomitant ibuprofen therapy, observe the patient closely for signs of renal failure and to assure diuretic efficacy.

**Lithium:** Ibuprofen elevated plasma lithium levels (15%) and reduced renal lithium clearance (19%) in normal volunteers. Observe patients carefully for lithium toxicity. Read lithium package insert before its use.

**Diabetes:** Each 5 mL of CHILDREN'S ADVIL® SUSPENSION contains 2.5 g of sucrose; consider this when treating patients with impaired glucose tolerance. It also contains sorbitol, 350 mg/5 mL. Although in clinical trials CHILDREN'S ADVIL® SUSPENSION was not associated with more diarrhea than controls, if diarrhea develops, the physician may wish to review other sources of sorbitol in the patient's diet.

**Pregnancy/Nursing Mothers:** Administration of ibuprofen is not recommended during pregnancy or for use by nursing mothers.

**Infants:** Safety and efficacy in children <6 months old have not been established.

**ADVERSE REACTIONS:** The most frequent type of adverse reaction is gastrointestinal (GI). In adult clinical trials involving chronic ibuprofen administration, 4%-16% of patients reported one or more GI complaints.

**Incidence Greater Than 1% (but <3%) During Controlled Clinical Trials in Adults, Probable Causal Relationship:** Nausea,\* epigastric pain,\* heartburn,\* diarrhea, abdominal distress, nausea and vomiting, indigestion, constipation, abdominal cramps or pain, fullness of the GI tract (bloating and flatulence), dizziness,\* headache, nervousness,\* rash\* (including maculopapular type), pruritus, tinnitus, decreased appetite, edema, fluid retention (generally responds promptly to drug discontinuation, see **PRECAUTIONS**).

**Precise Incidence Unknown (but <1%), Probable Causal Relationship (see **PRECAUTIONS**):** Gastric or duodenal ulcer with bleeding and/or perforation, GI hemorrhage, melena, gastritis, hepatitis, jaundice, abnormal liver function tests, pancreatitis, depression, insomnia, confusion, emotional lability, somnolence, aseptic meningitis with fever and coma, vesiculobullous eruptions, urticaria, erythema multiforme, Stevens-Johnson syndrome, alopecia; hearing loss, amblyopia (blurred and/or diminished vision, scotomata and/or changes in color vision); neutropenia, agranulocytosis, aplastic anemia, hemolytic anemia (sometimes Coomb's positive), thrombocytopenia with or without purpura, eosinophilia, decreases in hemoglobin and hematocrit; congestive heart failure in patients with marginal cardiac function, elevated blood pressure, palpitations; syndrome of abdominal pain, fever, chills, nausea and vomiting, anaphylaxis, bronchospasm (see **CONTRAINDICATIONS**); acute renal failure, decreased creatinine clearance, polyuria, azotemia, cystitis, hematuria; dry eyes and mouth, gingival ulcers, rhinitis.

**Precise Incidence Unknown (but <1%), Causal Relationship Unknown:** Parosmias, hallucinations, dream abnormalities, pseudotumor cerebri; toxic epidermal necrolysis, phototoxic skin reactions, conjunctivitis, diplopia, optic neuritis, cataracts; bleeding episodes (e.g., epistaxis, menorrhagia); gynecostasia, hypoglycemic reactions, acidosis, arrhythmias (sinus tachycardia, sinus bradycardia); serum sickness, lupus erythematosus syndrome, Henoch-Schönlein vasculitis, angioedema; renal papillary necrosis.

\* Reactions occurring in 3%-9% of adult patients treated with ibuprofen.

Reactions occurring in <3% are unmarked.

**OVERDOSEAGE:** Induce emesis or perform gastric lavage. Oral activated charcoal may be useful in addition to supportive therapy. Because the drug is acidic and excreted in the urine, administration of alkali and induction of diuresis may be beneficial.

**DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION:** Do not exceed 3200 mg total daily dose. Fever: Children 6 months to 12 years of age—5 mg/kg if baseline temperature is 102.5°F or below, or 10 mg/kg if baseline temperature is greater than 102.5°F, every 6-8 hours; Adults—400 mg every 4-6 hours. Mild to moderate pain in adults: 400 mg every 4 to 6 hours prn. Juvenile Arthritis: 30-40 mg/kg/day in 3 or 4 divided doses. RA and OA: 1200-3200 mg daily in 3 or 4 divided doses (adults). Dysmenorrhea: 400 mg every 4 hours prn.

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