**Mianserin 10 mg AND 20 mg TABLETS**

**WHAT IT IS USED FOR**

Mianserin is used to treat disorders associated with increased agitation and anxiety, such as depression and mania. It is also used to treat anxiety disorders and conditions characterized by high levels of excitement and activity.

**WHAT MIANSERIN IS AND WHO IT IS FOR**

Mianserin is a medication that is prescribed for certain medical conditions. It is used to treat disorders associated with increased agitation and anxiety, such as depression and mania.

**HOW TO TAKE MIANSERIN**

The usual dose is:

- Initially 30 - 40 mg a day either as a single dose or in 2 divided doses, preferably with a glass of water.
- The usual range is 60 to 120 mg a day, in 2 divided doses.

**POSSIBLE SIDE EFFECTS**

The following side effects have been reported:

- **Drowsiness**: You may experience feeling tired or drowsy. This may improve with time or if you take the tablet before bedtime.
- **Nausea**: You may have a feeling of sickness in your mouth or throat. This may improve with time or if you take the tablet before bedtime.
- **Sedation**: You may feel sleepy or drowsy. This may improve with time or if you take the tablet before bedtime.
- **Tremors**: You may feel tremors in your hands, legs, or other muscles. This may improve with time or if you take the tablet before bedtime.
- **Skin rash**: You may have a rash.
- **Joint stiffness**: You may feel joint stiffness.
- **Joint pain**: You may have joint pain.
- **Abnormal sweat**: You may have abnormal sweat.
- **Numbness**: You may have numbness in your hands, feet, or other body parts.
- **Urine retention**: You may have difficulty passing urine.
- **Twitching**: You may have twitching.
- **Blotchy skin**: You may have blotchy skin.
- **Erectile dysfunction**: You may have difficulty with erection.
- **Impotence**: You may have difficulty with sexual performance.
- **Decreased libido**: You may have decreased sexual desire.
- **Sexual problems**: You may have sexual problems.
- **Stomach cramps**: You may have stomach cramps.
- **Stomach pain**: You may have stomach pain.
- **Diarrhoea**: You may have diarrhoea.
- **Vomiting**: You may have vomiting.
- **Increased appetite**: You may have increased appetite.
- **Weight gain**: You may gain weight.
- **Muscle twitches**: You may have muscle twitches.
- **Sore throat**: You may have a sore throat.
- **Cough**: You may have a cough.
- **Increased blood pressure**: You may have increased blood pressure.
- **Angina**: You may have angina.
- **Chest pain**: You may have chest pain.
- **Fainting**: You may have fainting.
- **Palpitations**: You may have palpitations.
- **Restlessness**: You may have restlessness.

**HOW TO TREAT MIANSERIN**

Always take Mianserin exactly as your doctor has told you. You should check with your doctor or pharmacist if you are not sure.

**OVERDOSE**

If you think that you or someone else may have taken too much Mianserin, call your doctor or go to the nearest hospital casualty department at once.

**SIDE EFFECTS THAT YOU MUST REPORT TO YOUR DOCTOR**

If you experience any of the following side effects, tell your doctor or pharmacist immediately:

- **Seizures**: You may have seizures.
- **Hallucinations**: You may have hallucinations.
- **Nausea**: You may have nausea.
- **Vomiting**: You may have vomiting.
- **Dizziness**: You may have dizziness.
- **Sweating**: You may have sweating.
- **Blotchy skin**: You may have blotchy skin.
- **Joint pain**: You may have joint pain.
- **Joint stiffness**: You may have joint stiffness.
- **Abnormal sweat**: You may have abnormal sweat.

**NOTES**

- **Keep this leaflet. You may need to read it again.**
- **This leaflet cannot take the place of advice from your doctor or pharmacist.**
- **If you think that you or someone else may have taken too much Mianserin, call your doctor or go to the nearest hospital casualty department at once.**
- **Always take Mianserin exactly as your doctor has told you.**
- **Check with your doctor or pharmacist if you are not sure.**