This medicine contains maltitol and sorbitol. If you have been told by your doctor that you have an intolerance to some sugars, contact your doctor before taking this medicinal product.

This medicine contains small quantities of ethanola (alcohol), less than 100 mg per sachet.

When in doubt, please ask your doctor or pharmacist.

3. How to take Carbocisteine oral solution in sachet

Always take this medicine exactly as described in this leaflet or as your doctor or pharmacist has told you. Check with your doctor or pharmacist if you are not sure.

Mode of administration

Oral route:

FOR ADULTS AND CHILDREN OVER 15 YEARS ONLY

Do not use this medicine in children under 15 years.

Pharmacology

The standard dose is 750 mg of carbocisteine 3 times a day, or one 10 ml sachet 3 times a day.

If your symptoms improve, your dose may be lowered to 2 sachets per day (taken separately).

If symptoms (cough) persist, consult your doctor.

If you take more Carbocisteine oral solution in sachet than you should:

Contact your doctor or pharmacist.

If you forget to take Carbocisteine oral solution in sachet:

Do not take a double dose to make up for a forgotten dose.

If you have any further questions on the use of this medicine, ask your doctor or pharmacist.

4. Possible side effects

Like all medicines, Carbocisteine oral solution in sachet can cause side effects, although not everybody gets them.

Gastrointestinal disorders

Very common: stomach pains, nausea, diarrhoea. In such cases, it is advised to reduce the dosage.

Skin and subcutaneous tissue disorders

Rare: itching, rash, erythematous rash, or swelling in the face

Reporting of side effects

If you get any side effects, talk to your doctor, pharmacist or nurse. This includes any possible side effects not listed in this leaflet.

You can also report side effects directly via the Yellow Card Scheme at: http://www.mhra.gov.uk/yellowcard. By reporting side effects you can help provide more information on the safety of this medicine.