

CLOMIPHENE

Any medication questions? Pharmacy counseling available at 866-206-7936.

IMPORTANT: HOW TO USE THIS INFORMATION: This is a summary and does NOT have all possible information about this product. This information does not assure that this product is safe, effective, or appropriate for you. This information is not medical advice and does not substitute for the advice of your health care professional. Always ask your health care professional for complete information about this product and your specific health needs.

USES: This medication is used to treat infertility in women. It works by stimulating an increase in the amount of hormones that support the growth and release of a mature egg (ovulation). This medication is not recommended for women whose ovaries no longer make eggs properly (primary pituitary or ovarian failure).

Clomiphene is also used in males off-label to increase testosterone. Clomiphene blocks the hormone estrogen from interacting with the pituitary gland. When estrogen interacts with the pituitary gland, less luteinizing hormone (LH) and follicle-stimulating hormone (FSH) are produced. This leads to a decrease in testosterone and therefore decreased sperm production. Because clomiphene blocks estrogen's interaction with the pituitary gland, there's an increase in LH, FSH, and testosterone in the body.

HOW TO USE: Clomiphene must be taken by mouth exactly as directed by your doctor to be most effective. It is important to follow your dosing schedule carefully.

Your dosage is based on your medical condition and response to therapy. Do not take it more often or for a longer time than prescribed by your doctor.

SIDE EFFECTS: Stomach upset, bloating, abdominal/pelvic fullness, flushing, breast tenderness, headache, or dizziness may occur. If any of these side effects persist or worsen, tell your doctor or pharmacist promptly.

Remember that this medication has been prescribed because your doctor judged that the benefits to you are greater than the risk of side effects. Many people using this medication do not have serious side effects.

Tell your doctor right away if you have any serious side effects, such as mental/mood changes. Vision changes (e.g., blurred vision, seeing spots or flashes) may sometimes occur during clomiphene treatment, especially if you are exposed to bright light. These side effects usually go away a few days or weeks after treatment is stopped. However, in rare cases, vision changes may be permanent. Get medical help right away if any of the following occur: vision problems/changes, eye pain.

A very serious allergic reaction is rare. However, get medical help right away if you notice any symptoms of a serious allergic reaction, including: rash, itching/swelling (especially of the face/tongue/throat), severe dizziness, trouble breathing.

This is not a complete list of possible side effects. If you notice other effects not listed above, contact your doctor or pharmacist.

Call your doctor for medical advice about side effects. You may report side effects to FDA at 1-800-FDA-1088 or at www.fda.gov/medwatch.

PRECAUTIONS: Before taking clomiphene, tell your doctor if you are allergic to it; or if you have any other allergies. This product may contain inactive ingredients, which can cause allergic reactions or other problems. Talk to your doctor or pharmacist for more details.

Before using this medication, tell your doctor or pharmacist your medical history, especially of: liver disease, thyroid/adrenal gland problems, tumor in the brain (pituitary tumor), High levels of fat/triglycerides in the blood.

This drug may make you dizzy or cause vision changes. Alcohol or marijuana (cannabis) can make you more dizzy. Do not drive, use heavy machinery, or do anything that needs alertness



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or clear vision until you can do it safely. Limit alcoholic beverages. Talk to your doctor if you are using marijuana (cannabis).

DRUG INTERACTIONS: Drug interactions may change how your medications work or increase your risk for serious side effects. This document does not contain all possible drug interactions. Keep a list of all the products you use (including prescription/nonprescription drugs and herbal products) and share it with your doctor and pharmacist. Do not start, stop, or change the dosage of any medications without your doctor's approval. Some products that may interact with this drug include: GONADORELIN

OVERDOSE: If someone has overdosed and has serious symptoms such as passing out or trouble breathing, call 911. Otherwise, call a poison control center right away at 1-800-222-1222. Symptoms of overdose may include: vomiting, abdominal/pelvic pain, vision problems.

NOTES: Do not share this medication with others. Laboratory and/or medical tests (e.g., hormone levels, testosterone levels) should be performed regularly to monitor your progress or check for side effects. Consult your doctor for more details.

MISSED DOSE: If you miss a dose, contact your doctor promptly for further instructions. Do not double the dose to catch up unless your doctor directs you to do so.

STORAGE: Store at room temperature away from light and moisture. Do not store in the bathroom. Keep all medications away from children and pets.