

**Composition: Cefaking Injection:** Each vial contains sterile Cefoperazone 1000mg as cefoperazone Sodium USP.

**Indications:** Cefaking is indicated for the treatment of the following infections when caused by susceptible organisms: Respiratory Tract Infections, Peritonitis & Other Intra-abdominal Infections, Bacterial Septicemia, Skin and Skin Structures Infections, Pelvic Inflammatory Disease, Endometritis & Other Infections of the Female Genital Tract, Urinary Tract Infections, Enterococcal Infections etc.

**Dosage and administration:** The usual adult daily dose of sterile Cefoperazone is 2 to 4 gm per day administered in equally divided doses every 12 hours. In severe infections or infections caused by less sensitive organisms, the total daily dose and/or frequency may be increased. Patients have been successfully treated with a total daily dosage of 6 to 12 gm divided into 2, 3 or 4 administrations ranging from 1.5 to 4 gm per dose. When treating infections caused by *Streptococcus pyogenes*, therapy should be continued for at least 10 days. Or, as directed by the registered physician.

**Side effects :** Hypersensitivity: As with all Cephalosporins, hypersensitivity manifested by skin reactions (1 patient in 45), drug fever (1 in 260), or a change in Coombs' Test (1 in 60) has been reported. These reactions are more likely to occur in patients with a history of allergies, particularly to Penicillin.

**Contraindication :** Cefoperazone is contraindicated in patients with hypersensitivity to Cefoperazone or any of the excipients.

**Use in pregnancy and lactation :** Pregnancy Category B. There are no adequate and well-controlled clinical studies in pregnant or breastfeeding women. It should only be used in pregnant women if the potential benefit justifies the potential risk to the foetus. Since it is not known if

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Cefoperazone is distributed into milk, the drug should be used with caution in nursing women.

**Drug interactions :** A false-positive reaction for glucose in the urine may occur with Benedict's or Fehling's solution.

**Precautions :** Cefoperazone is extensively excreted in bile. The serum half-life of Cefoperazone is increased 2 to 4 fold in patients with hepatic disease and/or biliary obstruction. In general, total daily dosage above 4 gm should not be necessary in such patients. If higher dosages are used, serum concentrations should be monitored.

**Storage :** Store in a cool and dry place below 30°C. Protect from light. Keep out of the reach of children.

**Packing :** Blister pack of sterile Cefoperazone USP 1000 mg powder accompanied by one ampoule of 10ml water for injection BP for IM/IV injection.