

Amisulpride

Antipsychotic



Your medication

Amisulpride



What is this leaflet for?

This leaflet is to help you understand more about your medicine.

Your medicine could look different to the pictures on this leaflet.



Amisulpride is also called Solian.

Amisulpride is available as tablets and liquid.



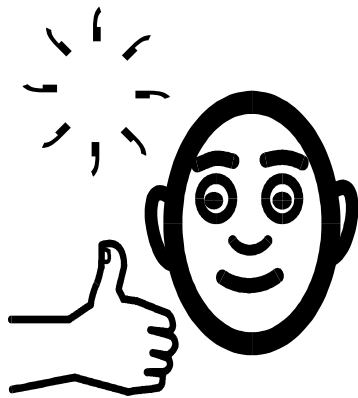
What is Amisulpride used for?

Amisulpride is commonly used to treat psychosis and mania.

It is also used in people having behavioural problems.



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What will Amisulpride do?

Amisulpride should help you feel calm and relaxed.

It could take some time for Amisulpride to have its full effect.



What are the side effects of Amisulpride?

Side effects are the unwanted effects of any medicine on the body.

Not everyone taking a medicine will get side effects.

Many side effects will go away with time. But some side effects may last for longer.

Some side effects can be serious.

You should tell your doctor if you have any side effect.

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What are the side effects of Amisulpride?

- feeling dizzy
- feeling restless
- stiffness in arms or legs
- difficulty in sleeping
- feeling tense
- feeling sleepy
- increase in weight
- changes in blood sugar level
- changes in cholesterol levels
- changes in heart function
- rash or feeling itchy
- in women, it can effect periods.



You will need to have the following tests done as part of the metabolic syndrome monitoring:

Tracing of your heart - ECG

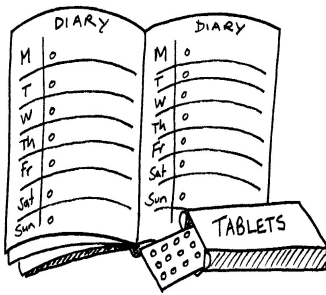
Blood pressure

Weight

Waist circumference

Blood tests

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How and when to take Amisulpride?

The label on your Amisulpride packet should tell you when and how much you should take.



What else can help?

Eating healthy

Doing some exercises.



Participating in activities that you like.



If you forget to take the tablet

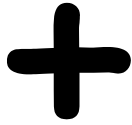
Tell your carer or doctor straight away.



When to stop taking Amisulpride?

You should carry on taking your medicine unless your doctor asks you to stop.

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Some medicines do not work well together.

You should tell your doctor about any other medicines you are taking.



What should not be done while taking Amisulpride?

Drinking alcohol when on Amisulpride could make you feel drowsy.



Doctor's comments

Help and support



Your doctor:
Telephone Number:



Your Psychiatrist: Dr S Bhaumik
Telephone Number:



Your Community Nurse:
Telephone Number:

Other professionals involved:

Patient  UK
The same health information as provided
by GPs to patients during consultations

Other resources:

www.patient.co.uk

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0845
Direct 4647



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