Composition : Ciprofloxacin 250mg, 500mg & 750mg Tablet & 250mg/5ml Suspension

**Indications :** Ciprofloxacin is a synthetic, 4quinolone derivative with bactericidal activities against a wide range of gram-negative and grampositive organisms. Ciprofloxacin is indicated for the treatment of the following infections caused by sensitive bacteria like Severe systemic infections, Respiratory tract infections, Ear, nose and throat infections, Urinary tract infections, Skin & soft tissue infections, Gastro-intestinal infections, Eye infections, Biliary tract infections, Intra abdominal infections, Bone and joint infections, Pelvic infections and gonorrhoea.

**Dosage and administration :** The dosage range for adults is 250mg to750mg twice daily.

In Gonorrhoea single dose of 250mg.

In infections of the lower and upper urinary tract-250mg-500mg twice daily depending on severity. Ciprozid

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provides the most reliable basis for dose adjustment. Duration of treatment : 5 - 10 days.

Or, as directed by the registered physician.

**Contraindication :** Known hypersensitivity to any component of the drug.

**Precautions and Warnings :** Ciprofloxacin should be used with caution in epileptics and patients with a history of CNS disorders. Ciprofloxacin is not recommended in pregnant women and nursing mothers.

Side effects : Nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain, diarrhoea, headache, dizziness, disorderly sleep, rash, photosensitivity may rarely occur. Pregnancy : Category C by FDA

Pediatric Dosage Guideline :

Infection	Route of Administration	Dose (mg/kg)	Frequency	Total Duration
Complicated Urinary Tract or Pyelonephritis (Patients from 1 to 17 years of age)	Oral	10 mg/kg to 20 mg/kg (maximum 750 mg per dose; not to be exceeded even in patients weighing >51kg)	Every 12 hours	10-21 days
Inhalational Anthrax (Post Exposure)	Oral	15 mg/kg (maximum 500 mg per dose)	Every 12 hours	60 days

**In respiratory tract infections :** 250mg - 750mg twice daily for both upper and lower respiratory tract infections, depending on severity.

Cystic fibrosis- In adults the recommended dosage is 500mg, 750mg twice daily.

**Impaired renal function**: Dosage adjustments are not usually required, except in patients with severe renal impairment (serum creatinine>265 micromol/1 or creatinine clearance<20ml/ minute). If adjustment is necessary, this may be achieved by reducing the total daily dose by half, although monitoring of drug serum levels Packing : Ciprozid : 5 x 10's blister per box.
Ciprozid-Ds : 3 x 10's blister per box.
Ciprozid-750 : 3 x 10's blister per box.
Ciprozid-Suspension : 60ml suspension.