ETHANOLAMINE OLEATE

Class: Sclerosing agent

Indications: used for bleeding esophageal varices

Available dosage form in the hospital:

ETHANOLAMINE OLEATE 5% .5 ML/AMP

Trade Names:

Dosage:
Esophageal varices (sclerotherapy): Injection: 1.5-5 mL per varix, up to 20 mL total or 0.4 mL/kg for a 50 kg patient; doses should be decreased in patients with severe hepatic dysfunction and should receive less than recommended maximum dose.

Renal Impairment:
No dosage adjustment provided in manufacturer's labeling.

Hepatic Impairment:
No dosage adjustment provided in manufacturer's labeling.

Common side effect:
1% to 10%:
Central nervous system: Pyrexia.
Gastrointestinal: Esophageal ulcer, esophageal stricture.
Respiratory: Pleural effusion, pneumonia.
Miscellaneous: Retrosternal pain.

Pregnancy Risk Factor: C