

Cefaclor:

Class: Antibiotic.

Indications: Treatment of susceptible bacterial infections including otitis media, lower respiratory tract infections, acute exacerbations of chronic bronchitis, pharyngitis and tonsillitis, urinary tract infections, skin and skin structure infections.

Available dosage form in the hospital: 125MG/5ML SUSP, 250MG CAP, 250MG/5ML SUSP, 500MG CAP, 750MG TAB.

Trade Names:

Dosage:

Treatment of infections: Oral: Dosing range: 250-500 mg every 8 hours

Renal Impairment:

-Cl_{cr} 10-50 mL/minute: Administer 50% to 100% of dose

-Cl_{cr} <10 mL/minute: Administer 50% of dose

-Hemodialysis: Moderately dialyzable (20% to 50%)

Common side effect:

Rash (maculopapular, erythematous, or morbilliform) , Diarrhea ,Eosinophilia

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Pregnancy Risk Factor: B