

TERLIPRESSIN ACETATE 1MG VIAL

Class: Hormone, Posterior Pituitary

Indications: Treatment of acute esophageal variceal hemorrhage

Available dosage form in the hospital:

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Dosage:

I.V.: 2 mg followed by 1 or 2 mg every 4-6 hours until bleeding is controlled, for up to 72 hours

Common side effect:

Abdominal cramps, chest pain, abnormal heart rhythm, nausea, headache, transient blanching and increased arterial pressure

Pregnancy Risk Factor: D