

APX-METFORMIN

Active ingredient(s): metformin hydrochloride

Consumer Medicine Information

This leaflet provides important information about using APX METFORMIN. **You should also speak to your doctor or pharmacist if you would like further information or if you have any concerns or questions about using APX METFORMIN.**

the blood, which can lead to serious medical problems.

APX-METFORMIN is used to control blood glucose (the amount of sugar in the blood) in people with diabetes mellitus.

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1. Why am I using APX-METFORMIN?

APX-METFORMIN contains the active ingredient metformin hydrochloride. APX-METFORMIN belongs to a group of medicines called biguanides. APX-METFORMIN lowers high blood glucose (hyperglycaemia) by helping your body make better use of the insulin produced by your pancreas.

People with type 2 diabetes are unable to make enough insulin or their body does not respond properly to the insulin it does make. This causes a buildup of glucose in