

SITAGLIPTIN SUN

sitagliptin fumarate

Consumer Medicine Information

This leaflet provides important information about using Sitagliptin SUN. **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 Sitagliptin SUN.**

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1. Why am I using Sitagliptin SUN?

Sitagliptin SUN contains the active ingredient sitagliptin fumarate. Sitagliptin SUN is a member of a class of oral anti-hyperglycaemic agents which improve glycaemic control in patients with type 2 diabetes by enhancing the levels of active incretin hormones.

Sitagliptin SUN is a member of a class of medicines you take by mouth called DPP-4 inhibitors (dipeptidyl peptidase-4 inhibitors) that lowers blood sugar levels in patients with type 2 diabetes mellitus. Type 2 diabetes mellitus is also called non-insulin-dependent diabetes mellitus, or NIDDM.

- Sitagliptin SUN helps to improve the levels of insulin after a meal.
- Sitagliptin SUN decreases the amount of sugar made by the body.
- Sitagliptin SUN works when blood sugar is high, especially after a meal. This is when the body needs the greatest amount of help in lowering blood sugar. Sitagliptin SUN also lowers blood sugar between meals.
- Sitagliptin SUN by itself is unlikely to cause low blood sugar (hypoglycaemia) because it does not work when your blood sugar is low.