

# ROXITHROMYCIN-WGR TABLETS

*Roxithromycin*

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## Consumer Medicine Information

This leaflet provides important information about using ROXITHROMYCIN-WGR.

**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 ROXITHROMYCIN-WGR.**

*Where to find information in this leaflet:*

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### 1. Why am I using ROXITHROMYCIN-WGR?

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**ROXITHROMYCIN-WGR contains the active ingredient roxithromycin.**

ROXITHROMYCIN-WGR is an antibiotic that belongs to a group of medicines called macrolides. These antibiotics work by killing or stopping the growth of the bacteria that are causing your infection.

ROXITHROMYCIN-WGR, like other antibiotics, does not work against viral infections such as the flu.

ROXITHROMYCIN-WGR is used to treat infections in different parts of the body caused by bacteria. For example:

- acute pharyngitis (sore throat and discomfort when swallowing)
- tonsillitis
- sinusitis
- acute bronchitis (infection of the bronchi causing coughing)
- exacerbation of chronic bronchitis
- pneumonia (lung infection characterised by fever, malaise, headache)
- skin and soft tissue infections
- non gonococcal urethritis
- impetigo (bacterial infection causing sores on the skin).