

Exarane

enoxaparin sodium

Consumer Medicine Information

This leaflet provides important information about using Exarane. **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 Exarane.**

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1. Why am I using Exarane?

Exarane contains the active ingredient enoxaparin sodium. Exarane is an anticoagulant that belongs to a group of medicines called Low Molecular Weight Heparin (LMWH). These medicines help to prevent clots from getting bigger and stopping new clots from forming.

Exarane is used to prevent clotting following hospital procedures or illness.

Exarane is also used to treat deep vein thrombosis and heart problems including unstable angina and heart attack when taken with aspirin.

Exarane is used to stop blood clots forming in the tubes of your kidney dialysis machine.

2. What should I know before I use Exarane?

Warnings

Do not use Exarane if:

- you are allergic to enoxaparin sodium, heparin or any other medicines derived from heparin, or any of the ingredients listed at the end of this leaflet.
- always check the ingredients to make sure you can use this medicine.
- you have, or have ever had any of the following medical conditions:
 - major bleeding disorders
 - certain types of injury to the brain including stroke
 - stomach or bowel problems, such as ulcers or ulcerative colitis