

# Cefazolin-AFT

Active ingredient(s): Cefazolin sodium

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## Consumer Medicine Information

This leaflet provides important information about using Cefazolin-AFT. **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 Cefazolin-AFT**

*Where to find information in this leaflet:*

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## 1. Why am I using Cefazolin-AFT ?

**Cefazolin-AFT contains the active ingredient cefazolin sodium.**

Cefazolin-AFT is an antibiotic used to treat infections in different parts of the body caused by bacteria.

Cefazolin-AFT will not work against infections caused by viruses such as colds or the flu.

Cefazolin-AFT belongs to a group of antibiotics called cephalosporins. These antibiotics work by killing the bacteria that are causing your infection.

Ask your doctor if you have any questions about why Cefazolin-AFT has been prescribed for you. Your

doctor may have prescribed Cefazolin-AFT for another reason.

Cefazolin-AFT is available only with a doctor's prescription. It is not addictive.

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## 2. What should I know before I use Cefazolin-AFT?

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### Warnings

**Do not use Cefazolin-AFT if:**

- you are allergic to cefazolin sodium, other cephalosporins or any of the ingredients listed at the end of this leaflet. Some of the symptoms of an allergic reaction may include asthma, wheezing, shortness of breath, swelling of the face, lips or tongue which may cause difficulty in swallowing or breathing, skin rash, itching or hives. Always check the ingredients to make sure you can use this medicine.
- you have had a serious allergic reaction to any penicillins. You may be more likely to have an allergic