

LACORESS

lacosamide (la-KOE-sa-mide)

Consumer Medicine Information

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

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1. Why am I using LACORESS?

LACORESS contains the active ingredient lacosamide. LACORESS tablets is belongs to a group of medicines called antiepileptics. These medicines are thought to work by controlling brain chemicals which send signals to nerves so that seizures do not happen.

LACORESS tablets is used in patients over 4 years in combination with other medicines to control epilepsy.

LACORESS tablets can only be used by itself in patients over 16 years. Epilepsy is a condition where you have repeated seizures. There are many different types of seizures, ranging from mild to severe.

Your doctor may have prescribed this medicine for another reason.

Ask your doctor if you have any questions about why this medicine has been prescribed for you.

There is no evidence that LACORESS is addictive.

This medicine is available only with a doctor's prescription.

LACORESS is not recommended for use in children under the age of 4 years as its safety and effectiveness has not been established in this age group.