

Oxacrip 300 Tablet

Oxcarbazepine 300mg Tablet

An Antiepileptic Medication for Seizure Control

Composition (Per Tablet):

- **Oxcarbazepine I.P.** – 300mg

Product Overview:

Oxcarbazepine is an **anticonvulsant** and **mood-stabilizing** medication used primarily for the treatment of **epilepsy** and **seizure disorders**. As a **prodrug**, it is metabolized into **monohydroxy derivative** (MHD) in the body, which is responsible for its anticonvulsant effects. Oxcarbazepine is a **sodium channel blocker**, which stabilizes hyperactive neural activity, thereby preventing the occurrence of seizures.

This medication is often used as **monotherapy or adjunctive therapy** for managing partial-onset seizures and generalized seizures in patients with **epilepsy**, and it can be a suitable alternative to **carbamazepine**, offering a better side effect profile.

Key Benefits:

- **Effective treatment for partial-onset seizures** in patients with epilepsy
- **Adjunctive therapy for generalized seizures**
- **Improves seizure control** with a lower risk of side effects compared to other anticonvulsants
- **Helps stabilize mood** in patients with comorbid mood disorders
- **Well-tolerated**, with fewer sedative effects

How It Works:

Oxcarbazepine works by **blocking sodium channels** in the brain. This prevents the propagation of **abnormal electrical impulses**, thereby helping to control **seizures** and **prevent their recurrence**.

It also helps in stabilizing mood in patients with **bipolar disorder** or other psychiatric conditions.

Indications:

- **Partial-onset seizures** (in epilepsy)
- **Generalized seizures**, including **tonic-clonic seizures**
- **Bipolar disorder** (as adjunctive therapy for mood stabilization)
- **Adjunct therapy** for the management of refractory seizures

Dosage & Administration:

- **Adults (Initial dose):** 300mg once daily, which may be adjusted based on patient response
- **Usual dose range:** 600-1200mg per day in divided doses
- **Elderly patients or those with renal impairment:** Dosage may need to be adjusted based on kidney function
- **Swallow the tablet whole with water;** do not crush or chew
- Can be taken **with or without food**
- **Follow your doctor's guidance** for appropriate dosing adjustments

Precautions & Warnings:

- Not recommended for use in patients with **severe liver or kidney impairment**
- Caution in patients with **hyponatremia (low sodium levels)**
- **Monitor for skin reactions** like rash or blistering, as they can be indicative of **serious allergic reactions**
- **Gradual dose adjustment** is advised when stopping Oxcarbazepine to avoid withdrawal effects
- Consult a doctor before use if **pregnant or breastfeeding**
- Avoid alcohol consumption, as it may enhance sedative effects

Side Effects (Generally Mild and Manageable):

- Drowsiness or dizziness
- Fatigue or weakness
- Nausea or vomiting
- Headache
- Double vision or blurred vision
- Rash or skin irritation (rare)
- **Low sodium levels (hyponatremia)** in some patients

Storage Instructions:

- Store in a **cool, dry place**, away from direct sunlight
- Keep out of reach of children
- Do not refrigerate or freeze

Why Choose This Product?

- **Proven efficacy in treating seizures**, especially partial-onset and generalized seizures
- **Lower side effect profile** compared to other anticonvulsants, especially in terms of sedation and cognitive effects
- **Flexible dosing regimen** for easy adjustment
- **Helps improve mood stabilization** in patients with psychiatric comorbidities

For optimal results, **follow your doctor's prescription** and **monitor** for any adverse effects. If any unusual symptoms occur, seek medical advice immediately.

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