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Usual Adult Dose for:

-Chronic Myelogenous Leukemia

-Head and Neck Cancer

-Sickle Cell Anemia

Dosage: 15 mg/kg/day orally as a single dose

Maximum dose: 35 mg/kg/day



THAROLAX (hydroxyurea) capsules, for oral use .
THAROLAX is indicated to reduce the frequency of painful crises and to reduce the need for blood transfusions in patients with sickle cell anemia with recurrent moderate to severe painful crises.



Hydroxycarbamide, also known as hydroxyurea, is a medication used in sickle-cell disease, chronic myelogenous leukemia, cervical cancer, and polycythemia vera. In sickle-cell disease it decreases the number of attacks. It is taken by mouth.

Hydroxyurea is used to treat chronic myeloid leukemia, ovarian cancer, and certain types of skin cancer (squamous cell cancer of the head and neck). Hydroxyurea is also used to reduce pain episodes and the need for blood transfusions in people with sickle cell anemia.

THAROLAX is indicated for the treatment of:

Resistant chronic myeloid leukemia.

Locally advanced squamous cell carcinomas of the head and neck (excluding the lip) in combination with chemoradiation.

DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION

Dosing Information

THAROLAX is used alone or in conjunction with other antitumor agents or radiation therapy to treat neoplastic diseases. Individualize treatment based on tumor type, disease state, response to treatment, patient risk factors, and current clinical practice standards.

Base all dosage on the patient's actual or ideal weight, whichever is less.

Monitor blood counts at least once a week during THAROLAX therapy. Severe anemia must be corrected before initiating therapy with THAROLAX. Consider dose modifications for other toxicities.

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THAROLAX® (hydroxyurea capsules, USP) is supplied as 200mg,300mg,400mg & 500 mg capsules.

Store at 25°C (77°F); excursions permitted to 15°C-30°C (59°F-86°F)

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