



Treatment & medication

Esomeprazole

Other name: Nexium®.

What is it and how does it work?

A medicine that is given to protect the stomach.

What does it look like and how is it given?

- A tablet, capsule or suspension that is taken by mouth (oral).
- A clear liquid that is administered as an infusion into a vein (intravenous).

Short-term side effects (within 24 hours)

- Abdominal pain, diarrhea, constipation
- Nausea and vomiting
- Headache
- Reaction of the skin at the site of administration

Special instructions

- If your child vomits within 30 minutes after taking the medicine, please check prinsesmaximacentrum.nl/regimens under the heading 'Medicine' to see what you should do.
- The tablets may not be crushed.

This card lists the most common side effects and specifics of this medicine. If you want a complete list, please ask the doctor, nurse, or pharmacist.