

Gabapentin

Other name: Neurontin®.

What is it?

A medicine that is given to treat nerve pain.

What does it look like and how is it given?

A capsule or a drink that is taken by mouth (oral).

Side effects

- Drowsiness, fatigue
- Dizziness
- Increased risk of viral infections, such as colds, flu, laryngitis, bronchitis, or a middle ear infection
- Urge to make intense movements
- Irritability, excitement, nervousness, or aggressive behavior

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.
- Warn the doctor or nurse if your child has convulsions or spasms.

Specifics

The dose will be increased according to a schedule.