Risperidone Cas No.: 106266-06-2

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Systematic (IUPAC) name

4-[2-[4-(6-fluorobenzo[d]isoxazol-3-yl)-1-piperidyl]ethyl]-3-methyl-2,6-diazabicyclo[4.4.0]deca-1,3-dien-5-one

Identifiers

CAS number 106266-06-2 ATC code N05AX08 PubChem 5073 DrugBank APRD00187

Chemical data

Formula C23H27FN4O2 Mol. mass 410.485 g/mol SMILES eMolecules & PubChem

CH₂—CH₂—N

Pharmacokinetic data

Bioavailability 70% (oral)
Metabolism Hepatic (CYP2D6-mediated)
Half life 3–20 hours
Excretion Urinary
Therapeutic considerations
Pregnancy cat. C
Legal status Prescription only

Routes Oral and extended-release intramuscular injection

Risperidon is an atypical antipsychotic used to treat adolescent schizophrenia, the mixed and manic states associated with bipolar disorder, and irritability in children with autism.

Risperidone, a psychotropic agent belonging to the chemical class of benzisoxazole derivatives. The chemical designation is 3-[2-[4-(6-fluoro-1,2-benzisoxazol-3-yl)-1-piperidinyl]ethyl]-6,7,8,9-tetrahydro-2-methyl-4H-pyrido [1,2-a]pyrimidin-4-one. Its molecular formula is C23H27FN4O2 and its molecular weight is 410.49.Risperidone is a white to slightly beige powder. It is practically insoluble in water, freely soluble in methylene chloride, and soluble in

methanol and 0.1 N HCl.

Risperidon Tablets are available in 0.25 mg, 0.5 mg, 1 mg (white), 2 mg, 3 mg, and 4 mg (green) strengths. Risperidon tablets contain the following inactive ingredients: colloidal silicon dioxide, hypromellose, lactose, magnesium stearate, microcrystalline cellulose, propylene glycol, sodium lauryl sulfate, corn.

The 0.25 mg, 0.5 mg, 2 mg, 3 mg, and 4 mg tablets also contain talc and titanium dioxide. The 0.25 mg tablets contain yellow iron oxide; the 0.5 mg tablets contain red iron oxide.

Risperidon is also available as a 1 mg/mL oral solution. Risperidon Oral Solution contains the following inactive ingredients: tartaric acid, benzoic acid, sodium hydroxide, and purified water.



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Uses

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How to use

Take this medicine by mouth with a glass of water. Follow the directions on the prescription label. You can take it with or without food. If it upsets your stomach, take it with food. Take your medicine at regular intervals. Do not take it more often than directed. Do not stop taking except on your doctor's advice.

The dosage is based on your medical condition and response to therapy. Continue to take this medication as directed, even if you are feeling better and thinking more clearly.

Use this medication regularly in order to get the most benefit from it. Remember to use it at the same time each day.

Side Effects

Dizziness, drowsiness, fatigue, nausea, constipation, runny nose, increased appetite, weight gain, nervousness, acne, dry skin, difficulty concentrating, decreased sexual ability/desire or difficulty sleeping may occur. If any of these effects persist or worsen, contact your doctor.

This medication may in rare instances increase your blood level of a certain hormone In females, an increase in prolactin levels may result in unwanted breast milk, the end of menstruation or difficulty becoming pregnant. In males, it may result in decreased sexual ability, inability to produce sperm, or enlarged breasts. If you develop any of these symptoms, tell your doctor immediatel.

Precautions

Before taking risperidone, tell your doctor, if you are allergic to it; or if you have any other allergies.

Risperidone can cause an increase in blood sugar levels and can increase the risk of developing diabetes. Tell your healthcare provider if you develop signs of diabetes while taking risperidone. Possible signs of diabetes can include increased thirst, increased urination, or hunger.

If you have diabetes, your blood sugar should be monitored carefully and regularly during treatment with risperidone to make sure your diabetes is not becoming more severe.

Do not stop taking this medicine without first checking with your doctor. Your doctor may want you to reduce gradually the amount you are taking before stopping completely. This is to prevent side effects and to keep your condition from becoming worse

MISSED DOSE

If you miss a dose, take it as soon as remembered; do not take it if it is near the time for the next dose, instead, skip the missed dose and resume your usual dosing schedule. Do not "double-up" the dose to catch up.







STORAGE: Store this medicine at room temperature away from light and moisture. Per the U.S. manufacturer, store the US product between 59 and 77 degrees F (15-25 degrees C).

Do not store in the bathroom. Keep all medicines away from children and pets.

DOSAGE

The dose of Risperidone will be started gradually over the first days of treatment. Your doctor will probably recommend the following dosage to start with:

Day 1: 2mg (as a single dose or as 1 mg in the morning and 1 mg in the evening):

Day 2: 4mg (as a single dose or as 2mg in the morning and 2mg in the evening).

However, if you have not used Risperidone before, your doctor may recommend a more gradual increase.

The dosage will then be set to suit your needs but will normally be 4mg to 6mg a day, either as a single dose or split into two doses, one to be taken in

the morning and one to be taken in the evening. Some patients may require less than 4mg for a good effect.



Important:

Never take more than a total of 16mg per day.

Take this medication by mouth exactly as prescribed. This drug may be taken with or without food. During the first few days your doctor may gradually increase your dose to allow your body to adjust to the medication.

If you are using the liquid form of this medication, measure your dose with a special measuring spoon or device. Do not use a household spoon because it may not provide the correct dose.

The dosage is based on your medical condition and response to therapy. Continue to take this medication as directed, even if you are feeling better and thinking more clearly.

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