



Ofloxacin IV Infusion 200 mg / 100 ml

Composition :

Each 100ml contains:

Ofloxacin	BP	0.2 gm
Sodium Chloride	BP	0.9 gm
Water for injection	BP	QS

INDICATIONS AND USAGE:

Ofloxacin is a synthetic 4-fluoroquinolone antibacterial agent with bactericidal activity against a wide range of Gram-negative and Gram-positive organisms.

It is used for the treatment of the following infections caused by susceptible microorganisms:

- Acute bacterial exacerbations of chronic bronchitis
- Community-acquired pneumonia
- Uncomplicated skin and skin structure infections

DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION:

These solutions are for Intravenous use only.

Dosage is to be directed by a physician and dependent upon age, weight, clinical condition of the patient and laboratory determinations. Parenteral drug products should be inspected visually for particulate matter and discoloration prior to administration.

CONTRAINDICATIONS:

Ofloxacin should not be used in patients with a past history of tendinitis. Ofloxacin, like other 4-quinolones, is contra-indicated in patients with a history of epilepsy or with a lowered seizure threshold.

WARNINGS & PRECAUTIONS:

Ofloxacin is not the drug of first choice for pneumonia caused by Pneumococci or Mycoplasma, or angina tonsillaris caused by β -haemolytic Streptococci.

OVERDOSE:

The most important signs to be expected following acute overdosage are CNS symptoms such as confusion, dizziness, impairment of consciousness and convulsive seizures, as well as gastrointestinal reactions such as nausea and mucosal erosions.

DRUG INTERACTIONS:

Ofloxacin, like other fluoroquinolones, should be used with caution in patients receiving drugs known to prolong the QT interval (e.g. Class IA and III anti-arrhythmics, tricyclic antidepressants, macrolides, antipsychotics).

ADVERSE REACTION

Blood and the lymphatic system disorders

Anaemia, Haemolytic anaemia, Leukopenia, Eosinophilia, Thrombocytopenia, Agranulocytosis, Bone marrow failure Immune system disorders Anaphylactic reaction, Anaphylactoid shock, Angioedema Metabolism and Nutrition disorders Anorexia, Hypoglycaemia

PREGNANCY AND LACTATION

Ofloxacin should not be used during pregnancy. Ofloxacin is excreted into human breast milk in small amounts.

EFFECT ON ABILITY TO DRIVE AND USE MACHINES

Since there have been occasional reports of somnolence, impairment of skills, dizziness and visual disturbances, patients should know how they react to Ofloxacin IV Infusion, before they drive or operate machinery. These effects may be enhanced by alcohol.

STORAGE CONDITION: Store at a temperature not exceeding 30°C. Protect from light.

SHELF LIFE: 24 Months

PRESENTATION: 100 ml BFS Polypropylene plastic containers

Manufactured in India:

