Piroxicam

What does piroxicam use to treat?

Piroxicam is a generic drug for Feldene®. It is a non-selective cyclooxygenase (COX) inhibitor and an anti-tumor drug. It is used primarily to treat bladder transitional carcinoma, as well as other cancers, such as colon, prostate, inflammatory mammary carcinoma, and transmissible venereal tumors in cats and dogs.

What are the side effects of piroxicam on cats or dogs?

The most common side effects are kidney damage, vomiting, and gastrointestinal ulceration which may cause signs like dark, tarry stools and bleeding.

If you suspect any side effects, overdose, or an adverse reaction to piroxicam, call your vet office immediately or <u>A.S.P.C.A.'s Animal Poison Control Center</u> at 888.426.4435. A change in dose or medication may be warranted based on the determination of the veterinarian.

How do I know if I need piroxicam to treat my cat or dog?

Some signs of some types of cancer that can be displayed in your pet include the following: abnormal swelling that persists or continues to grow. Regularly check your pet's skin for lumps and bumps, sores that do not heal, unexplained weight loss, loss of appetite, and pale gums.

Where can I get Piroxicam to treat my cat or dog?

Disclaimer: Not intended to be a replacement for professional veterinarian advice, diagnosis, or treatment. Always seek the advice of your veterinarian with any questions you may have regarding the medical condition of your pet. If you believe your pet has a medical emergency, call, or visit your vet office or your local veterinary emergency hospital immediately.