

Sucralfate

What is sucralfate used to treat?

Sucralfate is a generic drug for Carafate®. It is a protectant drug that is used in the treatment and prevention of ulcers occurring in the mouth, esophagus, stomach, and small intestine. It is also used to prevent drug-induced ulcers of the stomach. The medication works by creating a coating or barrier over the ulcer protecting it from stomach acids so that it allows the ulcer to heal.

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

There are very few side effects of sucralfate. The most reported side effect is constipation, diarrhea, vomiting (especially in cats).

If you suspect any side effects, overdose, or an adverse reaction to sucralfate, call your vet office immediately or [A.S.P.C.A.'s Animal Poison Control Center](#) 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 sucralfate to treat my cat or dog?

Some signs of ulcers that can be displayed in your pet include the following: dark, tarry stools, vomiting, bloody diarrhea, abdominal pain, and lack of appetite.

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

Sucralfate can be obtained at a veterinary clinic or compounding pharmacy. You will need a valid prescription from your veterinarian if you plan to fill the medication at the pharmacy.

Professional Arts Pharmacy has the medication in stock, and we offer local pickup in Ellicott City, Maryland. If you reside in other states, your medication can be shipped and delivered within 1-2 days from the day of ordering. If you have questions about ordering this medication, please give us a call at 443-200-1200 or visit our website at www.WeMakeMeds.com.

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.