

Cisapride

What is cisapride used to treat?

Cisapride is a generic drug for Propulsid. It is a gastroprokinetic agent that is used to stimulate the smooth muscle that lines the digestive tract so that it enhances the movement of the gastrointestinal (GI) system in both dogs and cats. It helps to treat conditions such as stasis, reflux, and constipation/megacolon. Also, cisapride can help increase muscle contractions and allow the movement of materials out of the stomach.

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

Cisapride is generally well-tolerated in cats and dogs.

Side effects are uncommon but vomiting, diarrhea, or abdominal pain and discomfort may occur. If you suspect any side effects, overdose, or an adverse reaction to cisapride, call your vet office immediately or [A.S.P.C.A.'s Animal Poison Control Center](http://www.aspc.org) 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 cisapride to treat my cat or dog?

Some signs of gastrointestinal (GI) disorder that can be displayed in your pet include abdominal pain, bloating, vomiting, diarrhea, constipation, dehydration, decreased appetite, and weight loss.

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

Cisapride 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.