

Gabapentin

What is gabapentin used to treat?

Gabapentin is a generic drug for Neurontin®. It is an anti-seizure and pain medication that is used with other medications to treat seizures and is also used to treat chronic pain, primarily nerve pain in both cats and dogs. It is also used to help with pain associated with surgery.

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

The most common side effects include sleepiness, incoordination, occasional diarrhea, vomiting, and depression.

If you suspect any side effects, overdose, or an adverse reaction to gabapentin, 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 gabapentin to treat my cat or dog?

Some signs of seizures that can be displayed in your pet include the following: become unsteady and have trouble walking or balancing, fall to the side, and lose consciousness.

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

Gabapentin 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.