



Preferred Drug List

NEW DRUG REVIEW

Proprietary Name: Durabac™ Forte Tablets

Common Name: APAP/Magnesium Salicylate/Phenyltoloxamine/Caffeine

PDL Category: Analgesics - Miscellaneous

<u>Comparable Products</u>	<u>Preferred Drug List/ Recommended Drug List Status</u>
Butalbital-Acetaminophen-Caffeine cap 50-325-40 mg	Preferred
Fiorinal®	Preferred
Acetaminophen tab 500 mg	Preferred

Summary

Indications and Usage: Relief of mild to moderate pain due to headache, muscle or joint soreness, spasms, neuralgia, sinusitis, menstrual cramps, toothache, arthritis, etc. Helps restore mental alertness when experiencing fatigue or drowsiness

Dosage Forms: Tablets; 500mg APAP - 500mg Magnesium Salicylate - 20mg Phenyltoloxamine - 50mg Caffeine

Recommended Dosage: Adults and children 12 years of age and older: 1 tablet every 4 hours; maximum of 4 tablets in 24 hours

Common Adverse Drug Reactions: Nausea, vomiting, heartburn, tremor

Contraindications: Hypersensitivity to any of the components of the product; concurrent use with anticoagulants, renal or hepatic dysfunction

Manufacturer: ProEthic Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

Analysis: Durabac™ Forte Tablets combines analgesic and antipyretic properties of magnesium salicylate and acetaminophen with the mild antihistamine properties of phenyltoloxamine. Other products exist on the PDL, both single ingredient and combination products, that effectively treat generalized pain without causing significant drowsiness that have preferred status and are more cost effective.

IME Recommendation:

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