

# Drug Information Sheet("Kusuri-no-Shiori")

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The information on this sheet is based on approvals granted by the Japanese regulatory authority. Approval details may vary by country. Medicines have adverse reactions (risks) as well as efficacies (benefits). It is important to minimize adverse reactions and maximize efficacy. To obtain a better therapeutic response, patients should understand their medication and cooperate with the treatment.

## Brand name:Trandate Tablets 100mg

**Active ingredient:**Labetalol hydrochloride

**Dosage form:**white tablet, diameter: 8.1 mm, thickness: 3.4 mm

**Print on wrapping:**(face) トランデート 100mg, トランデート 100 (back) Trandate 100mg, トランデート 100mg, T100, aspen



## Effects of this medicine

This medicine decreases blood pressure by blocking beta-receptors and selectively blocking alpha 1-receptors, shows moderate and stable antihypertensive effect by decreasing peripheral vascular resistance with little effect on cardiac output, and suppresses rapid increase in blood pressure on awakening in the early morning.

It is usually used to treat essential hypertension and hypertension due to pheochromocytoma.

## Before using this medicine, be sure to tell your doctor and pharmacist

- If you have previously experienced any allergic reactions (itch, rash, etc.) to any medicines.  
If you have: diabetic ketoacidosis or metabolic acidosis, bradycardia, heart disease, bronchial asthma, bronchospasm, hypoglycemia, diabetes mellitus, thyroid disease, liver disease or renal disease.
- If you are pregnant or breastfeeding.
- If you are taking any other medicinal products. (Some medicines may interact to enhance or diminish medicinal effects. Beware of over-the-counter medicines and dietary supplements as well as other prescription medicines.)

## Dosing schedule (How to take this medicine)

- Your dosing schedule prescribed by your doctor is<< to be written by a healthcare professional>>
- In general, for adults, take 50 mg of the active ingredient at a time, 3 times a day. If the effect is insufficient, the dosage may be gradually increased up to 150 mg of the active ingredient at a time, 3 times a day. The dosage may be adjusted according to your disease, age or symptoms. This preparation contains 100 mg of the active ingredient in a tablet. Strictly follow the instructions.
- If you miss a dose, take the missed dose as soon as possible. However, if it is almost time for the next dose, skip the missed dose and continue your regular dosing schedule. You should never take two doses at one time.
- If you accidentally take more than your prescribed dose, consult with your doctor or pharmacist.
- Do not stop taking this medicine unless your doctor instructs you to do so.

## Precautions while taking this medicine

- This medicine may cause dizziness or light-headed feeling due to decreased blood pressure. Pay close attention when driving a car, working at heights or operating dangerous machinery.
- If you take this medicine for a long time, receive heart function tests (pulse/blood pressure/electrocardiogram/X-ray, etc.) regularly.

## Possible adverse reactions to this medicine

The most commonly reported adverse reactions include dizziness/dizziness on standing up, headache, malaise, nausea/vomiting, rash, itch, fever, breathing difficulty, angioedema and decreased lacrimal secretion. If any of these symptoms occur, consult with your doctor or pharmacist.

**The symptoms described below are rarely seen as initial symptoms of the adverse reactions indicated in brackets. If any of these symptoms occur, stop taking this medicine and see your doctor immediately.**

- shortness of breath, hard to breathe, general edema [congestive heart failure]
- general malaise, nausea, yellow discoloration of the skin or conjunctiva [liver disorder, jaundice]
- muscle pain, joint pain, skin dryness [SLE (systemic lupus erythematosus)-like symptoms, psoriasis]
- stiffness and pain of muscle, muscle weakness [myopathy]

**The above symptoms do not describe all the adverse reactions to this medicine. Consult with your doctor or pharmacist if you notice any symptoms of concern other than those listed above.**

## Storage conditions and other information

- Keep out of the reach of children. Store away from direct sunlight, heat and moisture.
- Discard the remainder. Do not store them. Ask the pharmacy or medical institution on how to discard them.

**For healthcare professional use only** / /

For further information, talk to your doctor or pharmacist