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

Injection

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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:Arixtra for S.C. Injection 7.5mg**

**Active ingredient:**Fondaparinux sodium

**Dosage form:**injection

**Print on wrapping:**

## Effects of this medicine

This medicine suppresses blood clot formation (thrombosis) by selectively inhibiting blood coagulation factor Xa. It is usually used to treat acute pulmonary thromboembolism and acute deep vein thrombosis.

## 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 bleeding (retroperitoneal bleeding, intracranial bleeding, intraspinal bleeding etc.), acute bacterial endocarditis or renal disorder.
・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, inject this medicine subcutaneously, once a day.
・Ask your doctor for details on the duration of treatment.

## Precautions while taking this medicine

## Possible adverse reactions to this medicine

The most commonly reported adverse reactions include bleeding, liver dysfunction, rash, anemia and coagulation disorder. 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.**

・subcutaneous bleeding, abdominal pain, headache [bleeding]
・yellow discoloration of the skin and the conjunctiva (yellow discoloration) [liver dysfunction, jaundice]
・facial pallor, cold sweat, hives [shock, anaphylaxis]

**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

## For healthcare professional use only / /

For further information, talk to your doctor or pharmacist.