

**Medication information leaflet**  
**[Dequalinium Lozenges]**



**What is this medication for?**

Dequalinium lozenges have an antiseptic effect and is used for the symptomatic relief of sore throat.

**How should I take/use this medication?**

- Suck Dequalinium lozenges according to the instructions on the medicine label
- You may take this medication with or without food

**What should I do if I forget to take this medication?**

If you forget to take a dose, take it as soon as you remember. Then take your next dose at the usual time. Do not take two doses to make up for the missed dose.

**What precautions should I take?**

Inform your healthcare professional if:

- You are allergic to this medication or any of the other ingredients of this medication

**What are some common side-effects of this medication?**

- Dequalinium lozenges are generally free of side effects when taken at recommended doses
- Sometimes it may cause soreness of the tongue, mouth discomfort or a burning sensation in the mouth
  - Stop sucking Dequalinium lozenges if that happens

**What are some rare but serious side-effects that I need to seek medical advice immediately?**

The symptoms of a drug allergy include one or more of the following:

- Swollen face/eyes/lips/tongue
- Difficulty in breathing
- Itchy skin rashes over your whole body

If you experience any of these symptoms, you should stop your medication and see your healthcare professional immediately.

**How should I store this medication?**

Store in a cool and dry place, away from direct sunlight. Keep this medication away from children.

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