

DOCTORS FOSTER^{and}SMITH[®] PHARMACY

Patient Information Sheet

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For questions or to consult with a pharmacist, call 1-800-447-3021

Stanozolol

(Winstrol-V, Winstrol)

Generic Name

Stanozolol

Generic products are available.

Common Brand Names

Winstrol-V (veterinary form)

Winstrol (human form)

Storage

Store at room temperature in a tight, light resistant, childproof container.

Uses

Stanozolol is an anabolic steroid that is used in veterinary medicine to increase appetite, cause weight gain, and treat certain types of anemia.

Dose and Administration

Always follow the dosage instructions provided by your veterinarian.

If you miss a dose, give it as soon as you remember. If it is almost time for the next dose, skip the one you missed and go back to the regular schedule. Do not give 2 doses at once.

Unless otherwise directed by your veterinarian, give stanozolol with food.

If you have difficulty giving the medication, contact your veterinarian.

This medication should only be given to the pet for whom it was prescribed.

It may take several weeks before stanozolol produces the desired effect (e.g., increase the red blood cell count in cases of anemia).

Possible Side Effects

Stanozolol acts like a male hormone. It may cause female animals to exhibit male behavior (e.g., mounting) or not come into heat.

May cause water retention and swelling (usually in the limbs).

Stanozolol may increase calcium levels in the blood. This can affect the heart and cause unusual tiredness, weakness, or an irregular heart beat.

Consult your veterinarian if you notice any of the above side effects.

If your pet experiences an allergic reaction to the medication, signs may include facial swelling, hives, scratching, sudden onset of diarrhea, vomiting, shock, seizures, pale gums, cold limbs, or coma. If you observe any of these signs, contact your veterinarian immediately.

Precautions

Not for use in animals hypersensitive (allergic) to stanozolol.

Do not use in pregnant or lactating animals (female animals nursing their young).

Do not use in male animals intended for breeding.

Use with extreme caution in cats. It can cause severe liver disease.

Do not use in animals with water retention, heart disease, kidney disease, pituitary gland disease, or those being treated for diabetes insipidus.

Do not use in animals with mammary cancer or prostate disease.

Consult with your veterinarian regarding the physical examinations and laboratory testing necessary prior to and during treatment with stanozolol.

Stanozolol is a controlled substance. You will need a new prescription from your veterinarian every 6 months.

Drug and Food Interactions

Notify your veterinarian of any other medications, including vitamins and supplements, your pet is taking while your pet is receiving stanozolol.

Stanozolol may affect the glucose level in the blood and alter the insulin requirements in diabetic animals.

May have increased risk of swelling if used with corticosteroids.

Stanozolol may alter laboratory tests for thyroid and liver function.

Signs of Toxicity/Overdose

May cause liver disease, resulting in jaundice (yellowing of the skin and eyes) and vomiting. An overdose may cause increased water retention and swelling. If you observe any of these signs in your pet, contact your veterinarian immediately.

Keep this and all other medications out of the reach of children and pets.