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Revision of Precautions

Clopidogrel sulfate/aspirin

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Therapeutic category

Blood and body fluid agents-miscellaneous

Non-proprietary name

Clopidogrel sulfate/aspirin

Safety measure

Precautions should be revised in the package insert.

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Revision in line with the Instructions for Package Inserts of Prescription Drugs, PAB Notification No. 606 by the Director General of Pharmaceutical Affairs Bureau, MHW, dated April 25, 1997 (Old instructions): Revised language is underlined.

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Patients receiving selexipag

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N/A: Not Applicable, because the section is not included in the current package insert.

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