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## **Revision of PRECAUTIONS**

## Diprophylline/dihydrocodeine phosphate/dl-methylephedrine hydrochloride/diphenhydramine salicylate/ acetaminophen/bromovalerylurea

October 12, 2023

Therapeutic category

Antitussives

## Non-proprietary name

Diprophylline/dihydrocodeine phosphate/dl-methylephedrine hydrochloride/diphenhydramine salicylate/acetaminophen/bromovalerylurea

## Safety measure

PRECAUTIONS should be revised.

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Revision in line with the Instructions for Electronic Package Inserts of Prescription Drugs, PSEHB Notification No. 0611-1 by the Director-General of Pharmaceutical Safety and Environmental Health Bureau, MHLW, dated June 11, 2021 (New instructions):

Revised language is underlined.

Current	Revision
2. CONTRAINDICATIONS (This drug is contraindicated to the	2. CONTRAINDICATIONS (This drug is contraindicated to the
following patients.)	following patients.)
Patients with aspirin asthma (induction of asthmatic attack due to	(deleted)
nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory drug, etc.) or a history of the disease	
[It is considered that the inhibitory activity of prostaglandin	
synthesis is involved in the onset of aspirin asthma.]	
Patients with peptic ulcer [Symptoms may be exacerbated.]	(deleted)
Patients with serious renal disorder	(deleted)
Patients with serious blood abnormalities [Serious outcomes may	(deleted)
occur.]	
Patients with serious cardiac function failure [The balance of the	(deleted)
cardiovascular system may be compromised, and cardiac failure	
may be aggravated.]	
9. PRECAUTIONS CONCERNING PATIENTS WITH SPECIFIC	9. PRECAUTIONS CONCERNING PATIENTS WITH SPECIFIC
BACKGROUNDS	BACKGROUNDS

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9.1 Patients with Complication or History of Diseases, etc.	9.1 Patients with Complication or History of Diseases, etc.
Patients with abnormal cardiac function	Patients with abnormal cardiac function
Symptoms may be exacerbated.	Symptoms may be exacerbated or cardiac failure may be
	aggravated.
Patients with <u>a history of</u> peptic ulcer	Patients with peptic ulcer or a history of the disease
Recurrence of peptic ulcer may be promoted.	Symptoms may be exacerbated or recurrence may be promoted.
Patients with blood abnormalities or a history of the disease	Patients with blood abnormalities or a history of the disease
<u>Blood disorder</u> may <u>occur</u> .	Symptoms may be exacerbated or recurrence may be promoted.
(N/A)	Patients with aspirin asthma (induction of asthmatic attack due to
	nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory drug) or a history of the disease
	It is considered that the inhibitory activity of prostaglandin synthesis
	is involved in the onset of aspirin asthma, and the symptoms may
	be exacerbated or recurrence may be promoted.
9.2 Patients with renal impairment	9.2 Patients with renal impairment
Patients with serious renal impairment	(deleted)
This drug should not be administered. Serious outcomes may	
occur.	
Patient with renal impairment or a history of the disease (excluding	Patients with renal impairment or a history of the disease
those with serious renal impairment)	Dose reduction and prolongation of dosing intervals should be

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Renal function may worsen.	considered. Symptoms may be exacerbated or recurrence may be
	promoted.

N/A: Not Applicable. No corresponding language is included in the current PRECAUTIONS.

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