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Revision of PRECAUTIONS

Dexamethasone palmitate

January 10, 2024

Therapeutic category

Adrenal hormone preparations

Non-proprietary name

Dexamethasone palmitate

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
8. IMPORTANT PRECAUTIONS (N/A)	8. IMPORTANT PRECAUTIONS <u>It has been reported that tumour lysis syndrome occurred when dexamethasone preparations (oral dosage form and injections) were administered to patients with lymphoid tumours. If rapid electrolyte abnormalities, acute kidney injury, etc. are observed after administration of this drug, appropriate measures should be taken with consideration given to the possibility of tumour lysis syndrome.</u>

Note: Designated as a drug requiring preparation of a Drug Guide for Patients

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

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