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Revision of PRECAUTIONS

Hydrocortisone sodium succinate (preparations not indicated for lymphoid tumours) Hydrocortisone sodium phosphate

January 10, 2024

Therapeutic category

Adrenal hormone preparations

Non-proprietary name

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Safety measure

PRECAUTIONS should be revised.

Pharmaceuticals and Medical Devices Agency

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.

Current	Revision
Important Precautions	Important Precautions
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	hydrocortisone preparations (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.

Note: Hydrocortisone sodium succinate (preparations not indicated for lymphoid tumours) and hydrocortisone sodium phosphate are designated as drugs requiring preparation of a Drug Guide for Patients.

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

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.

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