



# Alka-Seltzer Plus®

## Maximum Strength Severe Sinus, Allergy & Cough Liquid Gels

### Drug Facts

Active ingredients (in each capsule)	Purposes
Acetaminophen 325 mg.....	Pain reliever/fever reducer
Dextromethorphan hydrobromide 10 mg.....	Cough suppressant
Doxylamine succinate 6.25 mg.....	Antihistamine
Phenylephrine hydrochloride 5 mg.....	Nasal decongestant

### Uses

- temporarily relieves these symptoms due to hay fever or other upper respiratory allergies:
  - runny nose
  - sneezing
  - itching of the nose or throat
  - itchy, watery eyes
- temporarily relieves these symptoms due to a cold:
  - nasal congestion
  - sinus congestion and pressure
  - headache
  - minor aches and pains
  - cough
- temporarily reduces fever

### Warnings

**Liver warning:** This product contains acetaminophen. Severe liver damage may occur if you take

- more than 4,000 mg of acetaminophen in 24 hours
- with other drugs containing acetaminophen
- 3 or more alcoholic drinks every day while using this product

**Allergy alert:** Acetaminophen may cause severe skin or severe allergic reactions. Symptoms may include:

- skin reddening
- blisters
- rash
- hives
- facial swelling
- asthma (wheezing)
- shock

If a skin or general allergic reaction occurs, stop use and seek medical help right away.

**Do not use to sedate children.**

### Do not use

- with any other drug containing acetaminophen (prescription or nonprescription). If you are not sure whether a drug contains acetaminophen, ask a doctor or pharmacist.
- if you are now taking a prescription monoamine oxidase inhibitor (MAOI) (certain drugs for depression, psychiatric, or emotional conditions, or Parkinson's disease), or for 2 weeks after stopping the MAOI drug. If you do not know if your prescription drug contains an MAOI, ask a doctor or pharmacist before taking this product.
- if you have ever had an allergic reaction to this product or any of its ingredients
- in children under 12 years of age

### Ask a doctor before use if you have

- liver disease
- heart disease
- high blood pressure
- thyroid disease
- diabetes
- glaucoma
- cough with excessive phlegm (mucus)
- a breathing problem such as emphysema or chronic bronchitis
- difficulty in urination due to enlargement of the prostate gland
- persistent or chronic cough such as occurs with smoking, asthma, or emphysema

### Ask a doctor or pharmacist before use if you are

- taking the blood thinning drug warfarin
- taking sedatives or tranquilizers

### When using this product

- do not exceed recommended dosage**
- may cause marked drowsiness
- avoid alcoholic drinks
- alcohol, sedatives, and tranquilizers may increase drowsiness
- be careful when driving a motor vehicle or operating machinery
- excitability may occur, especially in children



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**Stop use and ask a doctor if**

- pain, cough, or nasal congestion gets worse or lasts more than 7 days
- fever gets worse or lasts more than 3 days
- redness or swelling is present
- new symptoms occur
- cough comes back or occurs with rash or headache that lasts. These could be signs of a serious condition.
- nervousness, dizziness, or sleeplessness occurs

**If pregnant or breast-feeding**, ask a health professional before use. **Keep out of reach of children.** In case of overdose, get medical help or contact a Poison Control Center right away. Quick medical attention is critical for adults as well as for children even if you do not notice any signs or symptoms.

**Directions**

- do not take more than the recommended dose
- adults and children 12 years and over: take 2 capsules with water every 4 hours. Do not exceed 10 capsules in 24 hours or as directed by a doctor.
- children under 12 years: do not use

**Other information**

- store at room temperature. Avoid excessive heat above 40°C (104°F)

**Inactive ingredients** D&C yellow #10, FD&C blue #1, gelatin, glycerin, polyethylene glycol, povidone, propylene glycol, purified water, shellac, sodium hydroxide, sorbitol sorbitan solution, titanium dioxide

**Questions or comments?** 1-800-986-0369 (Mon-Fri 9AM - 5PM EST)