

### Alka-Seltzer Plus Cold & Flu Maximum Strength Night PowerMax Gels

#### **Drug Facts**

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

#### Uses

- temporarily relieves these symptoms due to a cold or flu:
- minor aches and pains
- cough
- nasal congestion
- headache
- sinus congestion and pressure
- runny nose

• sneezing

- · sore throat
- · 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
- facial swelling asthma (wheezing) shock

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

**Sore throat warning:** If sore throat is severe, persists for more than 2 days, is accompanied or followed by fever, headache, rash, nausea, or vomiting, consult a doctor promptly.

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 glaucoma
- thyroid disease
- diabetes
- 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 No. 10, FD&C blue No. 1, gelatin, glycerin, polyethylene glycol, potassium aluminum silicate, 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)



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