

Precautions

If you experience allergic reaction after taking medication, consult doctor for advice as soon as possible. You may also obtain a “Drug Allergy Record Card” from healthcare professionals and record the symptoms and severities of medication allergies. Showing this card to your doctors, nurses and pharmacists when you seek medical consultation allows them to provide the correct medications based on your allergic history.

姓名 (Name): _____
病人編號 (Patient No.) _____
持咭人對下列藥物有敏感反應:
Holder of this card is allergic to the following:

藥物名稱 Drug Name	敏感反應 Reaction



**This guidance is for reference only.
You should always follow your doctor' s
instructions.
Check with your doctor or pharmacist if you
have any questions.
Do not share your medications with other
people.**

**如有任何查詢，歡迎聯絡我們
For enquiry, please feel free to contact us**

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What is drug allergy ?

Drug allergy occurs when your immune system over-reacts to foreign substance (ie. the “drug”). Allergic reactions range from minor symptoms such as rash, itchiness; to serious symptoms like facial or throat swelling, difficulty breathing, or anaphylactic shock.

Allergic reactions vary in symptom and severity, and each person may experience them differently. Minor symptoms usually resolve upon discontinuation of the offending medication and supportive care. If you experience serious allergic symptoms, stop taking the offending medication and seek medical attention immediately.



Serious allergic reactions which require immediate medical attention :

- Shortness of breath
- Wheeze or hoarse voice
- Difficulty in speech
- Swelling of the lips, tongue or throat
- Rapid pulse
- Nervousness or fainting
- Loss of consciousness
- Hives all over the body



Other allergic reactions which require medical consultation:

- Hives or rashes spreading on the skin
- Skin peeling with unknown cause
- Skin necrosis
- Persistent fever
- Allergic reaction in the eye, mouth and other body parts
- Swelling of the face, tongue or lips
- Itchiness, redness, heat on the skin

