**CHLOROMYXIN**

**Eye Drops**

**Composition**
Each ml contains:
- Chloramphenicol 2.00 mg
- Polymyxin B Sulphate 2500 I.U.

**Action**
Chloramphenicol is a broad spectrum antibiotic, highly effective against a wide range of Gram-positive and Gram-negative organisms.

Polymyxin B has a narrower field of activity, mainly against Gram-negative organisms such as Pseudomonas aeruginosa.

Together, these two antibiotics possess an antibacterial spectrum of activity covering most organisms implicated in blepharitis and conjunctivitis.

**Indications**
Treatment of eye infections associated with inflammation, such as blepharitis and conjunctivitis, caused by susceptible microorganisms.

**Contraindications**
Known hypersensitivity to any of the components of the preparation.

**Warnings**
Bone marrow hypoplasia including aplastic anemia and even death has been reported following the local application of chloramphenicol.

**Adverse Reactions**
Blood dyscrasias have been reported in association with the use of chloramphenicol.

Allergic sensitivity is the most-commonly encountered adverse reaction.

**Precautions**
If sensitisation or irritation occurs, discontinue use.

The prolonged use of antibiotics may occasionally result in overgrowth of nonsusceptible organisms, including fungi.

**Dosage and Administration**
Instil 1-2 drops in the conjunctival sac every hour, until improvement occurs. Thereafter the interval between applications may be increased treatment should be continued for a least 48 hours after the eye appears normal.

**Pharmaceutical Precautions**
Store in a refrigerator (between 2-8 °C)

**Presentation**
Dropper bottle of 7 ml.