

PROMOVIA

60 mg/4 mL

Medical device based on Hyaluronic acid sodium salt MW for intra-articular use

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

PROMOVIA is a sterile, biodegradable, isotonic, injectable gel, for intra-articular use. PROMOVIA consists of Medium chain (1.2 -1.5 x 10⁶ Dalton) hyaluronic obtained from Streptococcus equi bacteria, formulated to a concentration of 15 mg/ml in a physiologic buffer. PROMOVIA is characterised by viscoelastic properties, therefore allows to facilitate the normalisation of the viscosity of the synovial fluid present in the intra-articular cavity.

Each box contains one syringe of PROMOVIA and a product leaflet and implant card. A set of two labels showing the batch number is contained in the box. One of these labels should be attached to the patient's file and the other should be given to the patient to ensure traceability.

The needles are not included in the package.

COMPOSITION

Sodium hyaluronate 15 mg/ml, sodium chloride, sodium dihydrogen phosphate dihydrate, dibasic sodium phosphate dodecahydrate, WFI grade water.

EXPECTED CLINICAL BENEFITS

Primary endpoint of clinical benefits is based on the percentage of patients with therapeutic success, defined as alleviation and/or remission of pain symptoms and difficulty to perform daily normal actions for those who are prone to joint degenerative diseases or trauma.

PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

PROMOVIA is based on hyaluronic acid medium molecular weight. Hyaluronic acid in his form (high viscosity solution with viscoelastic and lubricant properties) has the capability to adsorb the impact and to avoid additional shock in already traumatized joints.

INTENDED PURPOSE

PROMOVIA is a synovial fluid substitute which, thanks to its viscoelastic and lubricant properties, promotes the restoration of rheological conditions of the joints, altered in degenerative or post-traumatic conditions. The product, improving the characteristics of the synovial fluid, exerts a protective action of the joints and helps the improvement of joint function and the reduction of pain symptoms. PROMOVIA acts only at the joint where it is injected, without exerting any systemic action. Population of use: male and female over 18 years old.

WARNINGS - PRECAUTIONS FOR USE

PROMOVIA è suitable only for intra-articular injections and must only be dispensed by a doctor who has received specific training on the intra-articular injections technique.

The structures in which the products could be administered will be, for example, the following:

- orthopaedics clinics;
- Hospitals
- rehabilitation clinics in which there is one (or more) specialized doctor/doctors in intra-articular injections;
- private clinics;
- health centers;
- rheumatologists' clinics in which there is one (or more) specialized doctor/doctors in intra-articular injections.

Before use, check the integrity of the syringe and the expiration date. Do not use needles other than those listed.

The product should not be injected in the presence of a infected or severely inflamed joint.

The infiltration must be avoided in the case of infections in place or inflammatory conditions of the skin in proximity of the injection.

As no clinical experience is available for the use of Hyaluronan in children, treatment with is not recommended in these cases.

Better not use during concomitant therapies or other therapies with other medical device and other medicinal product in light of the fact that no evidence is been collected regarding concomitant therapies with the medical device or with product which could be related to the metabolism of this medical device. The device must not be used in pregnant or breastfeeding women, as has not been tested in such cases. therapies. The device must be not be used in patients with ascertained individual hypersensitivity to any of the ingredients of the product.

PROMOVIA must be administered with caution to patients with a history of hypersensitivity to other drugs and patients with liver failure or impairment.

After the intra-articular injection it is advisable to recommend to the patient to avoid physical activities demanding stress for the articulation and resume normal activities after a few days.

After the intra-articular injection it is advisable to recommend to the patient to avoid driving for at least 48 hours.

PROMOVIA is a disposable product, the quality and sterility are guaranteed only if the syringe is sealed. Any residue must be discarded and not reused even after new sterilisation.

Do not use the product if the package is already opened or damaged.

The assembled syringe must be discarded immediately after use, regardless of whether or not the solution has been completely

administered. After use, dispose according to applicable national practice.

DO NOT RE-USE: quality and sterility can be guarantee only for an originally closed syringes. The re- use of the product creates a potential infection risk for patients and users.

DO NOT RE-STERILIZED

If the sterile package will be unintentionally opened before the use, discharge the synges.

There are no known risks of overdose because the product is well tolerated but it is better not to exceed a total amount of 16 mL of gel injection during the year to avoid accumulation in joints.

INCOMPATIBILITIES

There are incompatibilities between sodium hyaluronate and quaternary ammonium compounds, such as solutions of benzalkonium chloride. Contact between PROMOVIA and these substances should be therefore avoided.

SIDE EFFECTS

There may be some temporary side reactions following injection of PROMOVIA such as pain, stiffness, warmth, redness or swelling. This side effects could appear especially with the high volume (4 mL). High volume could be too much related to particular joints cavity (like in women).

These secondary manifestations may be relieved by applying ice on the treated articulation. Usually these effects disappear after a short time (3- 5 days maximum). If symptoms persist, seek medical attention. Any other unwanted side effects associated with the PROMOVIA injection must be reported to the doctor.

As for any intra-articular treatment, septic arthritis may rarely occur when general precautions for injections are not observed or the site of injection is not aseptic. More rarely, cases of hematoma and arthralgia are reported, as well as skin rash, such as urticaria and pruritus.

METHODS OF USE

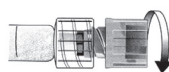
Remove any joint effusion before injecting PROMOVIA; for the removal of the effusion and the injection of PROMOVIA the same needle must be used. Remove the protective cap of the syringe, with particular attention to avoid contact with the opening. Firmly screw the needle, of diameter between 18 and 22 g, at the collar of Luer lock, following the instruction given below. Before injection the site should be treated with appropriate disinfectant. Inject PROMOVIA adopting aseptic technique. Inject only into the joint cavity. In case of necessity use imaging technique to make the injections.

It is recommended to perform an initial cycle of 3/5 treatments every 3 weeks followed, if necessary by maintenance session after 6 months, based on medical advice..

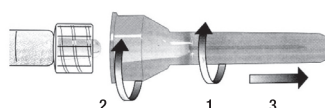
The treatment cycle and the dosage of the syringe must be choose by the doctor based on the conditions of the patient, the severe of the condition and the joint cavity.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR ASSEMBLY OF THE SYRINGE NEEDLE

- A. Carefully unscrew the cap of the tip of the syringe, being particularly careful to avoid contact with the opening.



- B. Gently grip the needle guard and mount the needle on the luer-loc® mount, screwing it tight until a slight counter-pressure is felt in order to ensure an airtight grip and prevent leakage of the liquid during administration. The cover of the needle must be held firmly during the procedure to avoid any leaking and malfunctioning. The cover must be pull and not unscrew to avoid the loss of connection between the needle and the syringes.



If the luer is not well connected or there is leak of product or the aspect is not in compliance the syringes must be discarded.

When the injections is about to be prepared the operator must no take the syringes from the plunger rod. This is to avoid a disassembling.

When the operator is about to make the injection he cannot touch the needle or the final part of the luer to avoid to contaminate the area.

After the use, the syringe and the needle must be throw away immediately without touching the needle to avoid injuries.

ADVERSE EVENTS

Unknown, if the correct methods of use and instructions given in the illustrative are observed. Any use outside the normal use described in this leaflet should be avoided.

Any adverse event or serious accident must be reported to the Manufacturer in the contacts below and to the Competent Authority of the member state in which the patient / user is established.

OVERALL QUALITY/QUANTITATIVE INFORMATIONS OF EXPOSURE

With one injection of product the patient could have an exposure to the following ingredients in the following amount:

Hyaluronic acid: 15 mg/mL total amount

Total amount of salts for buffer and osmolality: 9,8 mg/ mL

STORAGE

Store PROMOVIA at 2-25°C (36-77°F) in a dry place in the original box. Protect from light, heat and frost. Keep out of reach of children.

LANGUAGES AVAILABLE ON THE LEAFLET

The leaflet contains only Italian and English languages.

For other languages go to the website or go to QR code on the box.

The SSCP (Summary of Safety and clinical performance) will be available on Eudamed and on the website of the Manufacturer in case Eudamed will be not fully operative.

CONTENTS OF THE PACK

Pre-filled syringe containing 4 ml of non pyrogenic gel, sterilised using moist heat and implant card (PROMOVIA 60 mg)




HOW TO USE IMPLANT CARD

Implant card is given with the medical device.

The aim of introducing an IC has been to achieve three main objectives:

1. Enable the patient to identify the implanted devices and to get access to other information related to the implanted device (e.g. via EUDAMED, and other websites).
2. Enable patients to identify themselves as persons requiring special care in relevant situations e.g. security checks.
3. Enabling e.g. emergency clinical staff or first responder to be informed about special care/needs for relevant patients in case of emergency situations.




















Some information is been already printed by the Manufacturer. The blank space must be filled by the final user in handwritten way as the following:

-  Patient Name or patient ID.
The final user must be filled this space with the name of the patients (full name).
-  Date of implantation.
The final user must put the date of the impantation of the medical device (in this case injection date).
-  Name and Address of the implanting healthcare institution/provider.
Who perform the injections and in which hospital/clinic.

LAST REVISED

Revision 01 of 30/07/2024

INDEX OF SYMBOLS

-  Read instruction for use
-  Limit of temperature
-  Sterile fluid path sterilize agent steam/moist heat
-  Don't use if package is damage
-  Do no re-sterilize
-  Keep dry
-  Single use
-  Manufacturer
-  Manufacturing date
-  Keep away from heating sources
-  LOT Batch number
-  Expiration date
-  MD Medical device
-  REF Catalogue number
-  Single sterile packaging sterilize with moist heat with protective package outside
-  CE CE mark
-  Do not leave the packaging free in the environment
-  Website information of the Manufacturer
-  UDI Symbol for identification of UDI

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