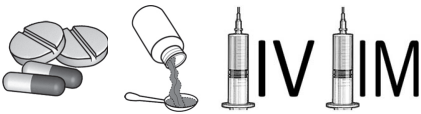









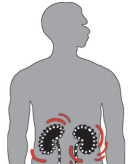
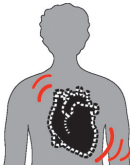
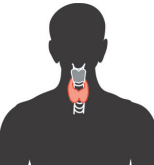







Active ingredients (generic names)	DIGOXIN (di-jox-in) 		
What it is used for	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Chronic heart failure• Irregular heartbeat (atrial fibrillation)		
How it works	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Makes heartbeat stronger• Slows heart to stop fluttery irregular heartbeat		
Side effects	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Loss of appetite (anorexia) <div><p>Nausea</p></div> <div><p>Diarrhoea</p></div> <div><p>Blurred vision/ Coloured (yellow, green or white) haloes around objects</p></div> <div><p>Confusion</p></div> <div><p>Dizzy</p></div> <div><p>Slow pulse (heart rate)</p></div>		

 <p>Warnings</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Digoxin is a strong medicine. Problems can occur if patient given too much — check doses carefully <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;"> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>Old people</p> </div> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>Kidney trouble</p> </div> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;"> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>Heart trouble</p> </div> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>Thyroid problems</p> </div> </div>
<p>Tell the patient</p> 	<p>Interactions — Do not use together without medical consult</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Digoxin interacts with a lot of different medicines — always check with doctor or pharmacist before adding another medicine • Make sure you tell other doctors and health people you are taking this medicine • Regular blood tests are needed <div style="text-align: center;">   </div> <p>Return to clinic straight away if nausea, vomiting, anorexia (no appetite) — Signs of overdose</p>
<p>Check</p>	<p>Warning stickers (page 310): 5</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If using with a diuretic — check potassium, calcium and magnesium levels • Monitor digoxin levels as advised by doctor <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;"> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>Pulse (heart rate)</p> </div> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>Blood test</p> </div> </div> <p>Check kidney function (UEC) before starting medicine, then every 3–6 months</p>