









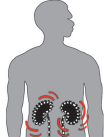
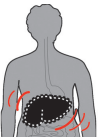










Active ingredients (generic names)	<p>FUROSEMIDE (FRUSEMIDE) (fur-rose-mide)</p>  <p>Other loop diuretics Not included in this monograph — see <i>AMH</i> for information:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bumetanide
What it is used for	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Pulmonary oedema (fluid in lungs)• Chronic heart failure• Reducing fluid build up associated with heart, liver and kidney trouble
How it works	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Slows down reabsorption of sodium and chloride (salt) in kidneys to stop fluid accumulating, and removes excess fluid 
Side effects	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Risk of side effects increases as dose increases• Body salts (electrolytes) out of balance (eg low potassium, low magnesium)• Muscle weakness and cramps — from dehydration and low potassium <div><p>Dizzy</p><p>Rash</p><p>Gout</p><p>Dehydration</p></div>

 <p>Warnings</p>	<div>     </div> <div> <p>Pregnant Breastfeeding Old people Kidney trouble</p> </div> <div>    </div> <div> <p>Liver trouble Gout Dehydration</p> </div> <p>Interactions — Do not use together without medical consult</p> <p>FUROSEMIDE (FRUSEMIDE) with</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NSAIDs • ACE inhibitors • Aminoglycosides • ARBs • Lithium • Thiazide diuretics • SGLT2 inhibitors (eg Dapaglifozin)
<p>Tell the patient</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do not take with NSAIDs (type of painkiller) • Might make you pee a lot, so take in morning. If taking twice a day take second dose at midday <div>   </div> <div> <p>Take in the morning to reduce night time waking</p> <p>Dizzy</p> </div> <p>Warning stickers (page 310): 16, medicine mixture also 6, 7b</p>
<p>Check</p>	<div>    </div> <div> <p>Weight Blood pressure Blood test</p> </div> <p>Check kidney function and electrolytes (UEC) before starting medicine, then every 6–12 months</p>