



ADR

Tip of the Month

DIANE-35 indications

DIANE-35 is indicated for the treatment of severe acne, unresponsive to oral antibiotics and other available treatments. It is not indicated for the purposes of contraception. If patients meet any of the following criteria, DIANE-35 should **not** be prescribed due to risk of adverse reactions:

Medical conditions/medications
Concomitant use with another hormonal contraceptive
History of or actual thrombophlebitis or thromboembolic disorders
History of or actual cerebrovascular disorders
History of or actual myocardial infarction or coronary arterial disease
History of cholestatic jaundice, previous or existing liver tumours or active liver disease
Known or suspected carcinoma of the breast or estrogen-dependent neoplasia
Pregnancy is suspected or diagnosed
Any ocular lesion arising from ophthalmic vascular disease, such as partial or complete loss of vision or defect in visual fields
Severe diabetes with vascular changes
History of migraine with aura
Very high blood pressure; e.g., systolic >160 or diastolic >100 mmHg
Very high blood lipids

Please report all suspected adverse drug reactions (ADRs).