

MATERIALS INFORMATION SHEET- Adrenaline (Epinephrine) Injection BP 1 in 1000.

PRODUCT NAME

Adrenaline (Epinephrine) Injection BP 1 in 1000.

MEDICINAL USE

Used in the treatment of acute allergy and anaphylactic shock.

PRINCIPAL CONSTITUENT

Adrenaline (epinephrine) as the acid tartrate.

APPEARANCE

Clear Colourless Solution

HEALTH HAZARD

Potential adverse reactions from prescribed doses and overdoses are described in the package leaflet and include: Anaphylaxis, possibly with severe bronchospasm, dizziness, headache, tremors, nausea, vomiting, sweating, weakness, anxiety, palpitations, tachycardia, hypertension (with risk of cerebral haemorrhage), hyperglycaemia, hypokalaemia and metabolic acidosis.

FIRE HAZARD

Extinguishant in its liquid form

STORAGE

As defined on the label

HANDLING

Handle glass ampoules with care. Wear hand protection when opening

SPILLAGE

Wear gloves if glass has broken. Absorb spillage onto absorbent material. Wash area well with soap and warm water. Dispose of as special pharmaceutical waste.

DISPOSAL

Treat as special pharmaceutical waste

EMERGENCY ACTION

SKIN CONTAMINATION

Wash the affected area thoroughly with soap and warm water

EYE CONTAMINATION

Irrigate with water for at least five minutes and seek urgent medical advice

INGESTION

Flush mouth with water and seek urgent medical advice

INHALATION

If liquid inhaled, seek urgent medical advice

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