

Metoprolol

Form:	5mg in 5ml
Reconstitution:	Already in solution
Administration Method:	<u>IV Injection</u> Inject slowly at a maximum rate of 1 - 2mg/minute. <u>IV Infusion (unlicensed)</u> Dilute required dose to 50ml of compatible infusion fluid and administer over 10 - 15 minutes.
Compatibility & Stability:	Sodium chloride 0.9% Glucose 5%
Special Notes:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Monitor ECG and blood pressure.

Information provided relates to Betaloc[®] manufactured by Astra Zeneca.

This information has been summarised to act as a guide for those administering IV medication. The monograph should be used in conjunction with the drug data sheet and BNF for information on dose, adverse effects, cautions and contra-indications. Further information is available from Pharmacy on 22146 or 22542