

Dalbavancin

Reserve Antimicrobial														
See CUH Antimicrobial Guidelines on Eolas for further information														
Form	500mg per vial dry powder for concentrate for solution for infusion.	Store below 25°C												
Reconstitution	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Slowly add 25 mL water for injection to each vialDo not shake.To avoid foaming, alternate between gentle swirling and inversion of vial until contents dissolved completely (approx. 5 minutes). <p>Dilute further before administration</p>													
Compatibility & Stability	Glucose 5% ONLY													
Administration	IV Infusion													
	Administer as an intravenous infusion over 30 minutes.													
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Infusion concentration should be between 1-5 mg/mL.														
Monitoring	Rapid administration can cause reactions including flushing of the upper body, urticaria, pruritis and/or rash. Stopping or slowing the infusion may result in cessation of these reactions.													
Extravasation	Dalbavancin has a low pH and may cause venous irritation and tissue damage in cases of extravasation. If a central venous access device is unavailable, administer via a large peripheral vein monitoring insertion site closely using a recognised phlebitis scoring tool. Re-site cannula at first signs of inflammation.													
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none">If a common intravenous line is being used to administer other drugs in addition to dalbavancin, the line should be flushed before and after each dalbavancin administration with glucose 5% solution for infusion.Do not mix dalbavancin with any other medicinal products or intravenous solutions.													

Information provided relates to Dalbavancin (Xydalba®) manufactured by AbbVie.

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