

Lacosamide

Form	200mg per 20mL ampoule	Store below 25°C
Reconstitution	Already in solution Product with particulate matter or discolouration should not be used.	
Compatibility & Stability	Sodium chloride 0.9% Glucose 5%	
Administration	IV Infusion Can be given undiluted, or add required dose to 50-100mL of compatible fluid, and administer over 15 - 60 minutes. Give doses greater than 200mg over at least 30 minutes.	
Extravasation	Lacosamide has a low pH and may cause venous irritation and tissue damage in cases of extravasation. ⁽⁸⁾ 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	Conversion to or from oral and intravenous administration can be done directly without titration. The total daily dose and twice daily administration should be maintained.	

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