Avost Plus

Travoprost Timolol

Composition

Avost Plus Sterile Eye Drops: Each ml contains Travoprost USP 0.04 mg and Timolol Maleate BP equivalent to Timolol 5 mg.

Preservative

Benzalkonium Chloride.

Description

This Sterile Ophthalmic Solution contains Travoprost and Timolol which reduce intraocular pressure (IOP) by complementary mechanisms of action. Travoprost is a prostaglandin analogue which reduces IOP by increasing trabecular outflow & uveoscleral outflow. Timolol is a non-selective beta adrenergic receptor blocker that does not have significant intrinsic sympathomimetic, direct myocardial depressant, or local anesthetic (membrane stabilizing) activity. It lowers IOP by decreasing the formation of aqueous humor in the ciliary epithelium.

Indications and usage

This Sterile Ophthalmic Solution is indicated for the treatment of elevated intraocular pressure in patients with open angle glaucoma or ocular hypertension who are insufficiently responsive to single therapy with prostaglandin analogue or topical beta blocker.

Dosage and administration

Instill one drop in the conjunctival sac of the affected eye(s) once daily at about the same time each day, preferably in the evening.

Contraindications

Contraindicated in patients who are hypersensitive to Travoprost, Timolol or any of the components of this preparation.

Precautions

For ophthalmic use only. Patients should remove their contact lenses prior to instilling this preparation and should not insert their lenses until 15 minutes after instillation of the preparation.

Side-effects

The most frequently reported treatment-related side-effect was ocular hyperemia. Approximately 3% of patients discontinued treatment due to conjunctival hyperemia.

Drug Interactions

Studies have not been conducted.

Use in pregnancy & Lactation

Use in pregnancy: There are no adequate and well-controlled studies in pregnant women. It should not be used during pregnancy.

Use in lactation: Caution should be exercised when it is administered to a nursing mother.

Storage

Store at 2° – 25° C. No refrigeration required.

Presentation

Avost Plus Sterile Eye Drops: Each plastic dropper bottle contains 3 ml sterile eye drops

