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Information about Paroxetine

This is an easy way to say...Par...ox...e...teen





Paroxetine is a medication that will help if you have depression and obsessive compulsive disorder. It is also used to help people with anxiety and panic attacks

Paroxetine can sometimes be called a different name like Seroxat.

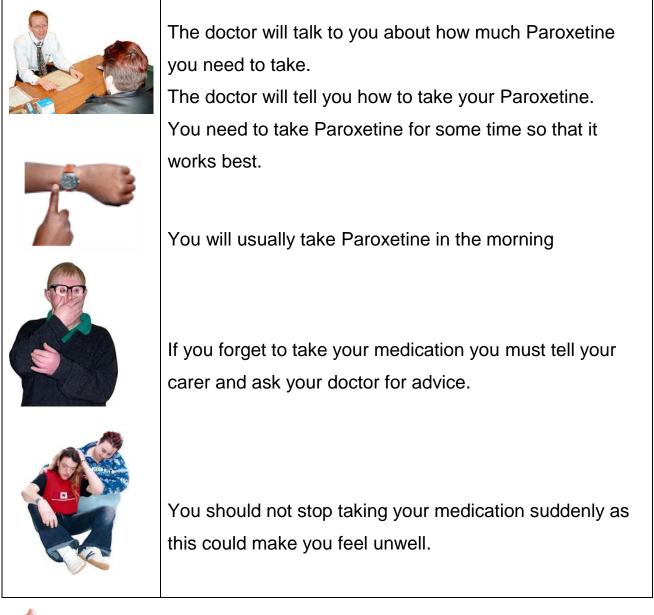
Paroxetine can be taken as tablets or liquid medicine.

What is Paroxetine?

Where do I get Paroxetine?

 You can only get this medication with a prescription. The doctor or consultant Will ask you questions about your health
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 May also check your blood pressure Will ask you if you are taking other medication

How do I take Paroxetine?





What is good about Paroxetine?

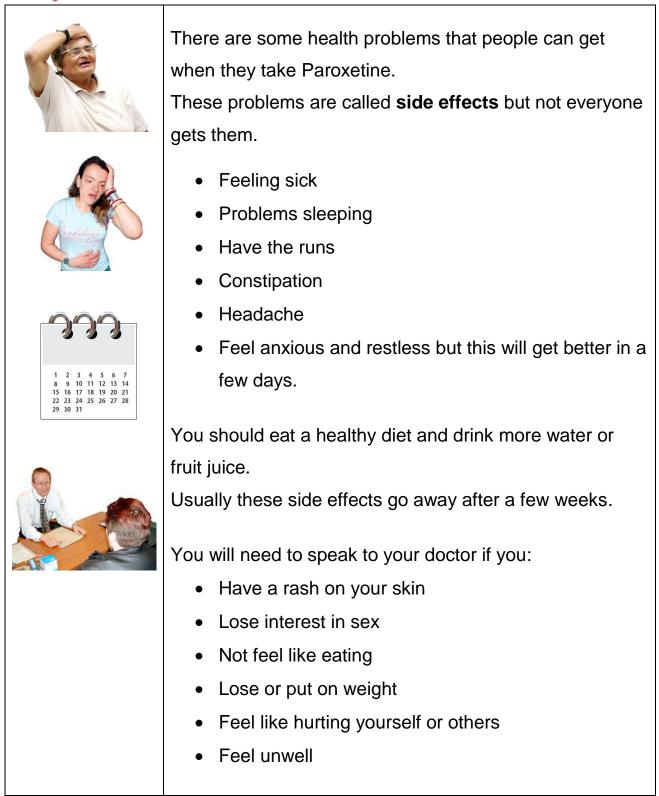
Paroxetine can help depression and obsessive compulsive disorder.

It is also used to help people with anxiety and panic attacks.

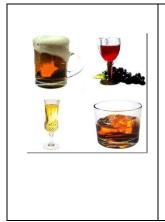
Paroxetine can help you get better quicker. Paroxetine also helps you to stop feeling anxious or tense.



What is not good about Paroxetine?



What other things do I need to talk to the doctor about?



You should talk to your doctor if

- You are worried about your medication
- You want to know how much alcohol is safe to drink when taking medication
- You are planning to have a baby

The information in this easy read leaflet should always be discussed with the service user and it should not be provided without support.

The full information sheet about Paroxetine medication should also be given to the service user, carers and staff.

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