

FEXOFENADINE (ALLEGRA) PATIENT INFORMATION

Fexofenadine (Allegra) is an antihistamine that is used for the treatment of many different skin conditions. It is very safe and effective medicine when used in the proper fashion.

Fexofenadine (Allegra) is a simple medication to take. The dose is one 60 mg pill twice per day, one in the morning and one at night. Do not take more than two pills per day.

The major advantage of fexofenadine (Allegra) is that it is a non-sedating antihistamine. This is, fexofenadine does not produce drowsiness. Most other antihistamines do cause some degree of drowsiness.

Like all medications, fexofenadine has potential side effects including stomach upset and allergic reactions. These are unusual with fexofenadine and occur in less than 1% of patients.

Again, Fexofenadine (Allegra) is a very safe and effective medication in the treatment of different skin reactions or hives. Do not take more than two pills per day. If you have any other questions about your treatment with this medication please ask me before you leave the office.