

Zita

Azithromycin USP 1%
Sterile Eye Drops

Composition:

Each ml of Zita Eye Drops contains Azithromycin Dihydrate USP equivalent to Azithromycin 10 mg.

Description:

Azithromycin is a macrolide antibiotic. It interferes with the protein synthesis of susceptible bacteria by binding to the 50S ribosomal subunit resulting bacterial death. It is effective against most ocular infections due to *Chlamydia pneumoniae*, *Chlamydia trachomatis*, *Moraxella catarrhalis*, *Mycoplasma hominis*, *Mycoplasma pneumoniae* & *Neisseria gonorrhoeae*.

Indications:

Zita Eye Drops is indicated for the treatment of bacterial conjunctivitis caused by CDC coryneform group, *Haemophilus influenzae*, *Staphylococcus aureus*, *Streptococcus mitis*, and *Streptococcus pneumoniae*. It is also indicated for the treatment of infections in the anterior segment of the eye.

Dosage & Administration:

Children of one year of age and adults: Instill 1 drop in the affected eye(s) twice daily for the first two days then once daily for the next five days.

Children less than one year of age: Not recommended.

Contraindications:

Hypersensitivity to Azithromycin.

Side-effects:

Eye irritation, contact dermatitis, corneal erosion, dry eye & punctate keratitis.

Drug Interaction:

Drug interaction studies have not been conducted with Azithromycin Eye Drops.

Use in Pregnancy and lactation:

It is a drug of pregnancy category-B. There is no adequate and well-controlled study in pregnant women. So, Azithromycin should be used during pregnancy only if clearly needed.

Precautions:

Zita Eye Drops is indicated for topical ophthalmic use only and should not be administered systemically, injected subconjunctivally or introduced directly into the anterior chamber of the eye.


Storage:

Store in a cool and dry place. Do not use longer than 30 days after first opening. Keep out of the reach of the children.

How Supplied:

Plastic dropper bottle containing 2.5 ml sterile Eye Drops.

Manufactured by :

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