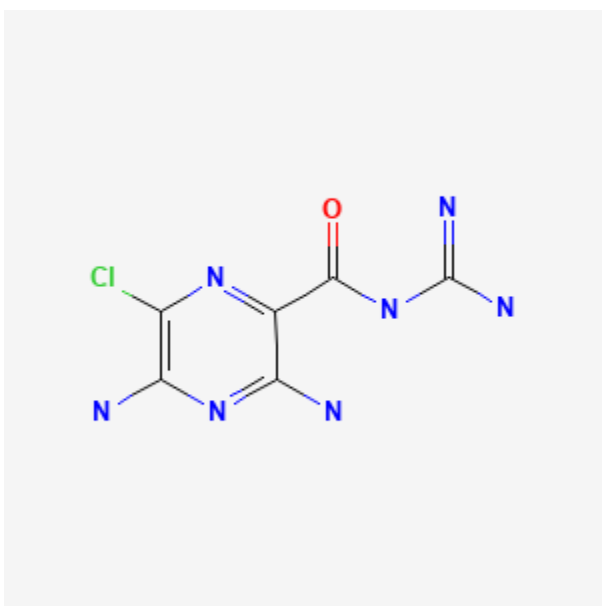




Amiloride

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Drug Levels and Effects

Summary of Use during Lactation

No information is available on the use of amiloride during breastfeeding, so an alternate drug may be preferred.

Drug Levels

Relevant published information was not found as of the revision date.

Effects in Breastfed Infants

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Effects on Lactation and Breastmilk

Intense diuresis can suppress lactation;^[1,2] however, it is unlikely that amiloride alone is sufficiently potent to cause this effect.

Alternate Drugs to Consider

Spironolactone

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Substance Identification

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Drug Class

Breast Feeding

Lactation

Diuretics