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Fentanyl

Trade Name:

Duragesic

Manufacturer/Distributor:

Janssen-Ortho

www.janssen-ortho.com

1-800-387-8781

Classification:

Opioid analgesic

ATC Class:

N02AB03 - Fentanyl

Status:

active

Date Marketed in Canada (yyyy/mm/dd):

2009/05/21

Presentation:

12, 25, 50, 75, 100 mcg/hour transdermal patches

Comments:

Update to product monograph for all strengths of Duragesic® transdermal patches. Dosage and administration section has had the following changes made: dose conversion guidelines for fentanyl transdermal patches. Serious or life-threatening hypoventilation can result if appropriate conversions are not used. See product monograph for details.

Further Information:

Updated product monograph can be viewed at: <http://janssen-ortho.com/JOI/en/product/products.asp>. Health Canada released a Dear Health Care Professional Letter on 2009/01/02. It may be viewed at: http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/dhp-mpps/medeff/advisories-avis/prof/_2009/fentanyl_hpc-cps-eng.php

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