# Chlorphenamine Intravenous for Adults

## Who can administer

May be administered by registered competent doctor or nurse/midwife

## Available preparations

Chlorphenamine 10mg per 1ml ampoule

## Reconstitution

Already in solution

**Draw up using a 5 micron filter needle**

## Infusion fluids

Not required - product ready for use

## Methods of intravenous administration

**Slow intravenous injection**

- Administer over 1 minute
- May be further diluted with Sodium chloride 0.9% to a convenient volume to aid administration [ref 1]

## Dose in adults

**Usual dose**

- Give 10mg to 20mg stat
- Maximum dose is 40mg in twenty four hours

## Storage

- Store below $25^{0}$C
- Protect from light

## References

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1: Injectable medicines guide downloaded from Medusa 13/01/2025

## Therapeutic classification

Antihistamines

Search terms added: chlorpheniramine , Piriton