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Brainfarma's batch of nimesulide is forbidden

Prohibition of B16k batch 1609 of Brainfarma's nimesulide was motivated by failure to test Instituto Adolfo Lutz.

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Anvisa interdicted (http://pesquisa.in.gov.br/imprensa/jsp/visualiza/index.jsp?jornal=1&pagina=111&data=14/08/2017) a batch of the drug nimesulide from Brainfarma Indústria Química e Farmacêutica. The interdiction reaches lot **B16k 1609 of Nimesulide (nimsesulide), oral suspension, 50mg / ml.**

The drug was banned after being failed in two tests: content of active principle and drip test, in the evaluation of the Adolfo Lutz Institute, in São Paulo.

The active substance content assesses whether the amount of drug, its concentration, is correct. If the content is higher or lower than indicated on the package, the treatment of the patient may end up being affected.

The drip test measures the amount of drops that should be used to reach the dose the doctor has recommended. When this is not correct the patient may end up taking a little more or a little less than the recommended amount, which can also affect the quality of the treatment.

What should I tell my health care provider before I take this medicine?

The interim injunction, determined by Resolution - RE No. 2,165, of August 11, 2017, is preventive and has validity of 90 days for a check to confirm or discard the result.

During the interdiction period, the batch in question shall not be marketed or used. Other batches of nimesulide from this laboratory or from other manufacturers are released.

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