

EU Risk Management Plan (Hydroxychloroquine)

Part VI - sRMP

Summary of risk management plan for Hydroxychloroquine Medical Valley (Hydroxychloroquine sulphate)

This is a summary of the risk management plan (RMP) for Hydroxychloroquine Medical Valley. The RMP details important risks of Hydroxychloroquine Medical Valley, and how more information will be obtained about Hydroxychloroquine Medical Valley's risks.

Hydroxychloroquine Medical Valley's summary of product characteristics (SmPC) and its package leaflet give essential information to healthcare professionals and patients on how Hydroxychloroquine Medical Valley should be used.

Important new concerns or changes to the current ones will be included in updates of Hydroxychloroquine Medical Valley 's RMP.

I. The medicine and what it is used for

Hydroxychloroquine Medical Valley is authorised for:

Prevention and treatment of malaria, rheumatoid arthritis, dermatological conditions and discoid and systemic lupus erythematosus in adults.

For children: treatment of juvenile idiopathic arthritis and discoid and systemic lupus erythematosus. (see SmPC for the full indication).

It contains Hydroxychloroquine sulphate as the active substance, and it is given by oral route.

II. Risks associated with the medicine and activities to minimise or further characterise the risks

Important risks of Hydroxychloroquine Medical Valley, together with measures to minimise such are outlined below.

Measures to minimise the risks identified for medicinal products can be:

- Specific information, such as warnings, precautions, and advice on correct use, in the package leaflet and SmPC addressed to patients and healthcare professionals;
- Important advice on the medicine's packaging;
- The authorised pack size — the amount of medicine in a pack is chosen so to ensure that the medicine is used correctly;
- The medicine's legal status — the way a medicine is supplied to the patient (e.g. with or without prescription) can help to minimise its risks.

Together, these measures constitute *routine risk minimisation* measures.

In addition to these measures, information about adverse reactions is collected continuously and regularly analysed so that immediate action can be taken as necessary. These measures constitute routine pharmacovigilance activities.

II.A List of important risks and missing information

Important risks of Hydroxychloroquine Medical Valley are risks that need special risk management activities to further investigate or minimise the risk, so that the medicinal product can be safely taken. Important risks can be regarded as identified or potential. Identified risks are concerns for which there is sufficient proof of a link with the use of Hydroxychloroquine Medical Valley. Potential risks are concerns for which an association with the use of this medicine is possible based on available data, but this association has not been established yet and needs further evaluation. Missing information refers to information on the safety of the medicinal product that is currently missing and needs to be collected (e.g. on the long-term use of the medicine).

List of important risks and missing information	
Important identified risks	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Overdose• Severe hypoglycaemia• Visual disturbance• Gastrointestinal effects
Important potential risks	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Patients with hepatic and renal insufficiency• Cardiac conduction disorders• Haematological effects• Musculoskeletal effects• Dermatitis• Use in pregnancy• Use in breastfeeding
Missing information	None.

II.B Summary of important risks

The safety information in the proposed Product Information is aligned to the reference medicinal product.

II.C Post-authorisation development plan

II.C.1 Studies which are conditions of the marketing authorisation

There are no studies which are conditions of the marketing authorisation or specific obligation of Hydroxychloroquine Medical Valley.

II.C.2 Other studies in post-authorisation development plan

There are no studies required for Hydroxychloroquine Medical Valley.