



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Health
FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION



08 MAY 2024

FDA ADVISORY

No. 2024-0753-A

PARA : SA LAHAT NG HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS AT SA PUBLIKO

PAKSA : Babala sa Publiko tungkol sa Paggamit ng Beripikadong Pekeng Gamot na "Anti-Rabies Serum (Equine) (Equirab) 200 IU/mL (1000 IU/5mL) Solution for Injection (I.M./S.C.) 5 mL Vial"

Pinapayuhan ng Food and Drug Administration (FDA) ang publiko laban sa pagbili at paggamit ng beripikadong pekeng gamot:



TUNAY / AUTHENTIC

(01)18904012433629 (17)250430
 (10)A06823015
 (21)BSLE000A120358LA9
 BATCH NO.: A06823015
 MFG. DATE: 05/2023
 EXP. DATE: 04/2025



5 mL Vial

ANTI-RABIES SERUM (EQUINE)

EQUIRAB
 200 IU/mL (1000 IU/5mL)
 Solution for Injection (I.M./S.C.)
 ANTI-SERA

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 Metro Manila, Philippines, 1500.

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 M.I.D.C., Ambarnath (E),
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FORMULATION
 Each mL Contains:
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INDICATION
 Equine Anti-Rabies Serum provides passive immunization against rabies. For prevention of rabies in patients at risk of being exposed to rabies after contact with a rabid animal or animal presumed to be rabid. Equine Anti-Rabies Serum itself does not constitute an Anti-Rabies treatment and should always be used in conjunction with rabies vaccine.

DOSAGE & ADMINISTRATION
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CAUTION
 Foods, Drugs, Devices and Cosmetics Act prohibits dispensing without prescription.

ADR REPORTING STATEMENT
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STORAGE CONDITION
 Store at temperatures between 2°C to 8°C. Do not freeze.

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MFG. LIC. NO. : KD-4
D.R. NO. : BR - 676



PEKE / COUNTERFEIT

(01) 18904012433629 (17) 250131
 (10) A06823006
 (21) BSLE000A92594784YQ
 BATCH NO.: A06823006
 MFG. DATE: 02/23
 EXP. DATE: 01/25



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Larawan 1. Paghahambing sa Tunay/Authentic at Peke/Counterfeit na Anti-Rabies Serum (Equine) (Equirab) 200 IU/mL (1000 IU/5mL) Solution for Injection (I.M./S.C.) 5 mL Vial (Batch No. A06823006, Expiry date 01/25)

PEKE / COUNTERFEIT



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MFG. LIC. NO. : KD-4
D.R. NO. : BR - 676

(01) 18904012433629 (17) 250131
(10) A06823007
(21) BSLE000A94684365FC

BATCH NO. : A06823007
MFG. DATE : 02/23
EXP. DATE : 01/25




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Larawan 2. Peke/Counterfeit na Anti-Rabies Serum (Equine) (Equirab) 200 IU/mL (1000 IU/5mL) Solution for Injection (I.M./S.C.) 5 mL Vial (Batch No. A06823007, Expiry date 01/25)

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(01) 18904012433629 (17) 250228
(10) A06823011
(21) BSLE000A2532444YTE

BATCH NO. : A06823011
MFG. DATE : 03/2023
EXP. DATE : 02/2025




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Larawan 3. Peke/Counterfeit na Anti-Rabies Serum (Equine) (Equirab) 200 IU/mL (1000 IU/5mL) Solution for Injection (I.M./S.C.) 5 mL Vial (Batch No. A06823011, Expiry date 02/2025)

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D.R. NO. : BR - 676

(01) 18904012433629 (17) 250331
(10) A06823012
(21) BSLE000A65695467PEV

BATCH NO.: A06823012
MFG. DATE: 04/2023
EXP. DATE: 03/2025




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Larawan 4. Peke/Counterfeit na Anti-Rabies Serum (Equine) (Equirab) 200 IU/mL (1000 IU/5mL) Solution for Injection (I.M./S.C.) 5 mL Vial (Batch No. A06823012, Expiry date 03/2025)

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(01) 18904012433629 (17) 250430
(10) A06823014
(21) BSLE000A8483552HFG

BATCH NO.: A06823014
MFG. DATE: 05/2023
EXP. DATE: 04/2025




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Larawan 5. Peke/Counterfeit na Anti-Rabies Serum (Equine) (Equirab) 200 IU/mL (1000 IU/5mL) Solution for Injection (I.M./S.C.) 5 mL Vial (Batch No. A06823014, Expiry date 04/2025)

Ang lahat ng *healthcare professionals* at publiko ay binabalaan tungkol sa paglipana ng nasabing pekeng gamot sa merkado na maaaring magdulot ng panganib sa kalusugan ng mga gagamit nito. Ang publiko ay pinapaalalahanan ring bumili lamang sa mga establisyementong lisensyado ng FDA.

Gayundin, ang lahat ng establisyemento ay binabalaang huwag magbenta ng pekeng gamot na nagtataglay ng mga nasabing katangian. Ang pagaangkat, pagbebenta at pamamahagi nito ay paglabag sa *Republic Act No. 9711 or the Food and Drug Administration Act of 2009, and Republic Act No. 8203 or the Special Law on Counterfeit Drugs*. Ang sino mang mapatunayang nagbebenta ng nasabing pekeng produkto ay mapaparusahan.

Hinihiling sa lahat ng *Local Government Units (LGUs) and Law Enforcement Agencies (LEAs)* na tiyaking ang pekeng produktong ito ay hindi maibebenta o magagamit sa kanilang mga nasasakupan.

Para sa karagdagang impormasyon at katanungan, maaring mag-*email* sa info@fda.gov.ph. Upang mag-*report* ng patuloy na pagtitinda o pangangalakal ng mga pekeng gamot, mag-*email* sa ereport@fda.gov.ph. Maaari ring tumawag sa *Center for Drug Regulation and Research* sa numerong (02) 8809-5596. Para sa mga hinihinalang hindi kanais-nais na reaksyon sa gamot, i-*report* agad sa FDA gamit ang *link* na ito: <https://bit.ly/FDAPHReportSideEffect> at kumpletuhin ang mga kinakailangang impormasyon.

Ang lahat ay hinihikayat na palaganapin ang mga nakasaad na impormasyon.


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