

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

PURIXAN® (pure-ee-zan)

(mercaptopurine)

oral suspension

20 mg/mL

Read these Instructions for Use before you start taking PURIXAN, and each time you get a refill. There may be new information. This information does not take the place of talking to your healthcare provider about your medical condition or your treatment.

Important information about measuring PURIXAN oral suspension

- **Always use the oral dispensing syringe provided with your PURIXAN oral suspension to make sure you measure the right amount.**
- You will be provided:
 - 1 bottle of PURIXAN oral suspension
 - 1 bottle adapter
 - 2 oral dispensing syringes (one 1 mL and one 5 mL)

If you did not receive an oral dispensing syringe with your PURIXAN oral suspension, ask your pharmacist to give you one.

You will also need disposable gloves.


Important Information You Need to Know Before Administering PURIXAN:	
1. Wash your hands well with soap and water before and after administering a dose.	
2. Put on disposable gloves before handling PURIXAN.	
3. Shake the bottle vigorously for at least 30 seconds to make sure that the medicine is well mixed (See Figure A).	

Figure A

4. Remove the child-resistant bottle cap (see Figure B).

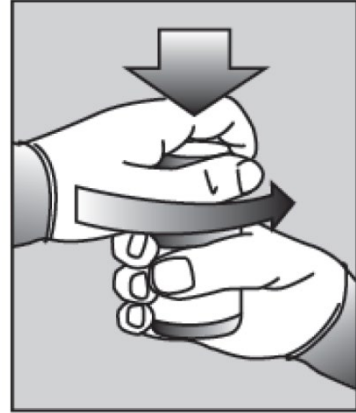


Figure B

5. Push the ribbed end of the bottle adapter into the neck of the bottle until it is firmly in place. The bottom edge of the adapter should fully contact the top rim of the bottle (See Figure C). Do not remove the adapter from the bottle after it is inserted.

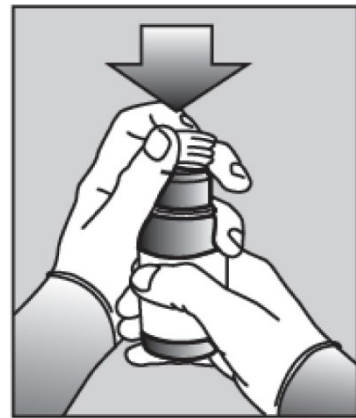


Figure C

Preparing a dose of PURIXAN:

6. Hold the bottle upright. Remove the bottle cap by turning in the direction of the arrow (See Figure B).
7. Push the tip of the oral dispensing syringe into the hole in the bottle adapter (See Figure D and Figure E).

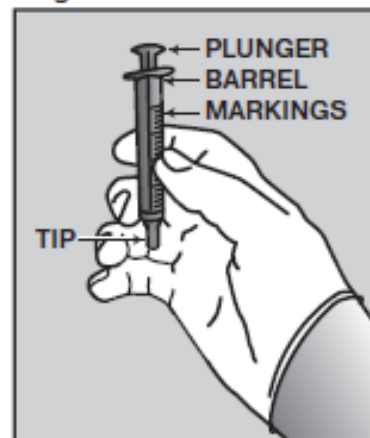


Figure D

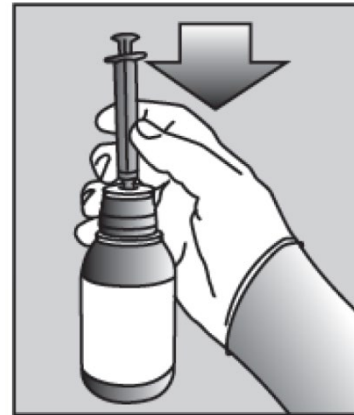


Figure E

8. Turn the bottle upside down (See Figure F).

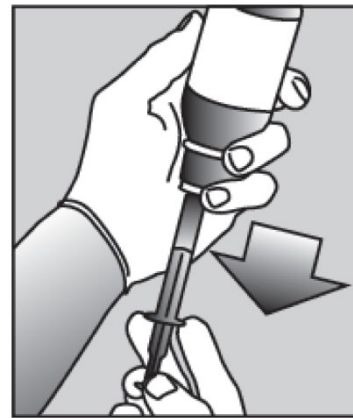


Figure F

9. Pull back slowly on the plunger of the oral dispensing syringe to withdraw the prescribed dose of PURIXAN. Pull the plunger back to the mL mark on the syringe that corresponds to the dose prescribed (Figure F). If you are not sure about how much medicine to draw into the oral dispensing syringe, always ask your doctor, pharmacist or nurse for advice.

10. Leave the oral dispensing syringe in the bottle adapter and turn the bottle right-side up. Place the bottle onto a flat surface. Hold the oral dispensing syringe by the barrel and carefully remove it from the adapter. **Do not** hold the oral dispensing syringe by the plunger, because the plunger may come out.

11. Place the tip of the oral dispensing syringe in your mouth and aim the tip toward the inside of your cheek.

12. Gently squirt the PURIXAN oral suspension into your mouth by pushing on the plunger until the oral dispensing syringe is empty. Swallow the medicine.

- **Do not** forcefully push on the plunger.

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do not squirt the medicine to the back of your mouth or throat. This may cause you to choke. 	
13. Remove the oral dispensing syringe from your mouth.	
14. Swallow the dose of oral suspension then drink some water, making sure no medicine is left in your mouth.	
15. Put the cap back on the bottle with the adapter left in place. Close the cap tightly.	
16. Wash the oral dispensing syringe with warm soapy water and rinse well. Hold the oral dispensing syringe under water and move the plunger up and down several times to make sure the inside of the oral dispensing syringe is clean. Let the oral dispensing syringe dry completely before you use it again for dosing. Do not throw away the oral dispensing syringe after use.	

Ingredients in PURIXAN

Active ingredient: mercaptopurine

Inactive ingredients: xanthan gum, aspartame, concentrated raspberry juice, sucrose, ethyl parahydroxybenzoate sodium, methyl parahydroxybenzoate sodium, potassium sorbate, sodium hydroxide, and purified water.

Storing PURIXAN

- Store PURIXAN between 59°F to 77°F (15°C to 25°C), in a dry place. Do not store above 25°C.
- Store the oral dispensing syringe in a clean place, with the medicine.
- PURIXAN oral suspension should be used within 8 weeks after opening the bottle. Dispose of (throw away) any unused medicine after 8 weeks.
- Do not use after the expiry date which is stated on the carton and the bottle after 'EXP'.
- Keep the bottle tightly closed to prevent spoilage of the medicine and reduce the risk of accidental spillage.
- **Keep PURIXAN oral suspension and all medicines out of the reach of children, preferably in a locked cupboard. If a child accidentally takes PURIXAN, it could cause death.** Ask your pharmacist how to dispose of (throw away) PURIXAN that is no longer needed.

Disposing of PURIXAN

- Ask your pharmacist how to dispose of PURIXAN that is expired or no longer required. Medicines should not be disposed of via wastewater or household waste.

Clean Up Spillage of PURIXAN

Use appropriate personal protective equipment (disposable gloves and eye protection). Mop up and contain spill material in a compatible container. Wash your hands thoroughly afterwards.

PURIXAN Contact with Skin, Eyes, or Clothes

- Remove and launder contaminated clothing.
- Wash skin or eyes immediately with water.

Contact with skin or eyes can cause hypersensitive reactions resulting in rash, redness, itching and inflammation. If symptoms appear, seek medical attention.

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