

CILOXAN

Ciprofloxacin

Ciloxan is a brand name for a medication called ciprofloxacin ophthalmic solution. It's an antibiotic eye drop used to treat various eye infections caused by susceptible bacteria. Ciprofloxacin is a fluoroquinolone antibiotic that works by inhibiting the growth and replication of bacteria.

Ciloxan is commonly prescribed to treat conditions such as conjunctivitis (pink eye) and corneal ulcers.

DRUG USES

Some of the common uses of Ciloxan include:

Conjunctivitis (Pink Eye): Ciloxan is often prescribed to treat bacterial conjunctivitis, an inflammation of the conjunctiva (the clear membrane covering the white part of the eye and the inner surface of the eyelids). Bacterial conjunctivitis can cause redness, itching, discharge, and discomfort in the eye.

Corneal Ulcers: Corneal ulcers are open sores on the cornea, the transparent front part of the eye. Ciloxan can be used to treat bacterial corneal ulcers, which can lead to pain, blurred vision, and sensitivity to light.

Bacterial Keratitis: Bacterial keratitis is an infection of the cornea caused by bacteria. Ciloxan can be effective in treating this condition, which can lead to inflammation, pain, and vision problems.

Prevention of Infection: Ciloxan can also be used to prevent eye infections after certain surgical procedures or injuries. It may be prescribed by a healthcare professional to reduce the risk of infection.