

OMNICEF

Cefdinir



Omnicef is the brand name for cefdinir, an antibiotic medication used to treat various bacterial infections. Cefdinir belongs to a class of antibiotics known as cephalosporins, which are effective against a wide range of bacteria.

DRUG USES

Here are some common uses of Omnicef:

Respiratory Tract Infections: Omnicef is often prescribed to treat respiratory tract infections, including:

Pharyngitis/Tonsillitis: Bacterial infections of the throat and tonsils.

Sinusitis: Infections of the sinuses.

Bronchitis: Infections of the bronchial tubes.

Pneumonia: Bacterial pneumonia, an infection of the lungs.

Skin and Soft Tissue Infections: It can be used for skin and soft tissue infections caused by susceptible bacteria, such as:

Cellulitis: A skin infection that can spread to the surrounding tissues.

Impetigo: A contagious skin infection often seen in children.

Ear Infections: Omnicef may be prescribed for ear infections (otitis media), especially in children.

It's crucial to take Omnicef exactly as prescribed and complete the full course of treatment, even if you start feeling better before you've finished all the medication. Stopping antibiotics prematurely can lead to antibiotic resistance and incomplete treatment of the infection.