Public Summary

Summary for ARTG Entry: 95953 SIMVAR 40 simvastatin 40 mg tablet blister pack

ARTG entry for Medicine Registered
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ARTG Start Date 26/11/2003
Product category Medicine
Status Active
Approval area Drug Safety Evaluation Branch

Conditions

Conditions applicable to all therapeutic goods as specified in the document "Standard Conditions Applying to Registered or Listed Therapeutic Goods Under Section 28 of the Therapeutic Goods Act 1989" effective 1 July 1995.

Conditions applicable to the relevant category and class of therapeutic goods as specified in the document "Standard Conditions Applying to Registered or Listed Therapeutic Goods Under Section 28 of the Therapeutic Goods Act 1989" effective 1 July 1995.

Products

1. SIMVAR 40 simvastatin 40 mg tablet blister pack

Permitted Indications

Indication Requirements
No Indication Requirements included on Record

Standard Indications
No Standard Indications included on Record

Specific Indications

SIMVAR 40 is indicated as an adjunct to diet for treatment of hypercholesterolaemia. Prior to initiating therapy with SIMVAR 40, secondary causes of hypercholesterolaemia (e.g. poorly controlled diabetes mellitus, hypothyroidism, nephrotic syndrome, dysproteinemias, obstructive liver disease, other drug therapy, alcoholism) should be identified and treated. SIMVAR is indicated in patients at high risk of CHD (with or without hypercholesterolaemia), including patients with diabetes, history of stroke or other cerebrovascular disease, peripheral vessel disease, or with existing CHD to reduce the risk of cardiovascular death, major cardiovascular events including stroke, and hospitalisation due to angina pectoris. These effects do not replace the need to independently control known causes of cardiovascular mortality and morbidity such as hypertension, diabetes and smoking. SIMVAR 40 is indicated as an adjunct to diet in adolescent boys and girls who are at least one year post-menarche, 10-17 years of age, with heterozygous familial hypercholesterolaemia (HeFH). Prior to initiating therapy with SIMVAR 40 secondary causes of hypercholesterolaemia (e.g. poorly controlled diabetes mellitus, hypothyroidism, nephrotic syndrome, dysproteinemias, obstructive liver disease, other drug therapy, alcoholism) should be identified and treated.

Warnings

See Product Information and Consumer Medicine Information for this product

Additional Product information

Container information

Type Blister Pack
Material PVC/PE/PVDC/Al
Life Time 3 Years
Temperature Store below 30 degrees Celsius
Closure Not recorded
Conditions Store in a Dry Place

Pack Size/Poison information

Pack Size
5 tablets
30 tablets

Components

1. SIMVAR 40 simvastatin 40 mg tablet blister pack

Dosage Form Tablet, film coated
Route of Administration Oral
Visual Identification Brick red, oval shaped, film coated tablet, coded with 'E35' on one side and plain on other side.

Active Ingredients

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