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# LEVOMEPRMAZINE

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[SAS Category A](#) (item requires approval by TGA)

<b>Presentation</b>	<p><b>Tablet:</b> 25mg (SAS) <b>Ampoule:</b> 25mg/1mL (SAS)</p>
<b>Dose</b>	<p><b><u>Nausea and Vomiting (Palliative Care)</u></b> <b>Route: Oral</b> Seek Specialist Advice <b>Route : Deep Intramuscular injection</b> Seek Specialist Advice <b>Route 3: Subcutaneous Injection or continuous infusion</b> Seek Specialist Advice</p>
<b>Administration</b>	<p><b>Route 1:</b> Oral route Seek Specialist Advice  <b>Route 2:</b> Deep intramuscular injection Seek Specialist Advice</p>
<b>Pregnancy</b>	<p><b>1<sup>st</sup> Trimester:</b> Consider alternative <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Trimester:</b> Consider alternative <b>3<sup>rd</sup> Trimester:</b> Consider alternative</p>
<b>Breastfeeding</b>	<p>Consider alternative</p>
<b>Monitoring</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ APPROVED for use for nausea and vomiting from partial bowel obstruction where there is inadequate control from combinations of products already available in the Hospital upon specialist advice</li> <li>➤ Also known as methotrimeprazine</li> </ul>
<b>Clinical Guidelines and Policies</b>	<p><a href="#">Palliative Care</a></p>
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