





ADULT

LABETALOL - ORAL

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Presentation	Tablet: 100mg, 200mg
Dose	<u>Hypertension</u> Oral: Initially 100mg twice a day, titrate according to response to 200-400mg twice a day. Maximum of 2400mg in 3 or 4 doses.
Administration	<u>Oral</u> Give consistently in relation to food to avoid fluctuations in levels. Absorption is increased by food
Pregnancy	1st Trimester: Considered safe to use 2nd Trimester: Monitoring required 3rd Trimester: Monitoring required
Breastfeeding	Considered safe to use
Clinical Guidelines and Policies	Hypertension in Pregnancy - Medical Management
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