

ELAPRASE WEIGHT-BASED DOSING AND INFUSION GUIDE

ELAPRASE Indications and Usage

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**For Healthcare
Professionals**

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IMPORTANCE OF WEIGHT-BASED DOSING

Hunter syndrome is caused by a deficiency in the activity of the lysosomal enzyme iduronate -2-sulfatase (I2S).¹ In a healthy individual, every cell in the body, except red blood cells, expresses the I2S enzyme.²

ELAPRASE is a purified form of the I2S enzyme, designed to replace the deficient or malfunctioning I2S enzyme in Hunter syndrome patients.¹

The recommended dose of ELAPRASE is dependent on the body weight of the Hunter syndrome patient.¹ It is therefore important to weigh patients before each infusion to ensure correct dosing.



IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

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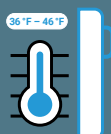
STORING AND HANDLING ELAPRASE VIALS

This guide has been designed to inform you how ELAPRASE vials should be stored and handled correctly.

ELAPRASE is supplied as a sterile injection in a 5 mL Type I glass vial and each carton contains a single vial. Elaprase vials are single use.



Pick up the vials of ELAPRASE carefully. Do not shake ELAPRASE.¹



Store ELAPRASE vials in the carton in a refrigerator at 36°F to 46°F (2°C to 8°C) to protect from light. Do not freeze.¹



When it is time to use ELAPRASE, check the expiration date on the vial. ELAPRASE should not be used after the expiration date on the vial.¹



Prior to infusion, the appropriate dose of ELAPRASE will be diluted in a 100 mL bag of 0.9% Sodium Chloride Injection, USP for intravenous infusion. The diluted ELAPRASE is then infused at room temperature.¹



If immediate use is not possible, the diluted solution should be stored refrigerated at 36°F to 46°F (2°C to 8°C) for up to 24 hours. Any unused product or waste material should be discarded and disposed of in accordance with local requirements.¹

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DOSE CALCULATION

Recommended dose of ELAPRASE

The recommended dosage regimen of ELAPRASE is 0.5 mg per kg of body weight, administered once weekly as an intravenous (IV) infusion.¹

Calculation legend

The patient weight: “patient weight” in kg

The recommended dose: 0.5 mg/kg¹

The concentration of ELAPRASE solution: 2 mg/mL¹

The volume of one vial: 3 mL¹



IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

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DOSE CALCULATION (CONTINUED)

Calculation example

Patient weight: 21 kg

- Step 1:** 21 kg x 0.5 mg/kg = 10.5 mg
- Step 2:** 10.5 mg ÷ 2 mg/mL = 5.25 mL
- Step 3:** 5.25 mL ÷ 3 mL/vial = 1.75 vials
- Step 4:** Withdraw 5.25 mL ELAPRASE, using 2 vials
- Step 5:** Dispose of unused product



Calculation process

$$\frac{(\text{"patient weight" kg} \times 0.5 \text{ mg/kg})}{2 \text{ mg/mL}} = \text{volume (mL) ELAPRASE solution needed}$$

$$\frac{(\text{"patient weight" kg} \times 0.5 \text{ mg/kg}) / 2 \text{ mg/mL}}{3 \text{ mL}} = \text{number of vials required}$$

Visit www.ELAPRASE.com/HCP/dosing-and-administration/dosing-calculation to use the ELAPRASE dose calculator.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

Risk of Acute Cardiorespiratory Failure: Caution should be exercised when administering ELAPRASE to patients susceptible to fluid overload, or patients with acute underlying respiratory illness or compromised cardiac and/or respiratory function for whom fluid restriction is indicated. These patients may be at risk of serious exacerbation of their cardiac or respiratory status during infusions. Appropriate medical support and monitoring measures should be readily available during ELAPRASE infusion, and some patients may require prolonged observation times that should be based on the individual needs of the patient.

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PREPARING ELAPRASE

elaprase
(idursulfase)

Supplies for infusion:

1. Required supplies for diluting ELAPRASE solution

100 mL bag of 0.9% Sodium Chloride Injection, USP.¹

Low-protein-binding infusion set equipped with a low-protein-binding 0.2 micrometer (μm) in-line filter.¹

ELAPRASE should not be infused with other products in the infusion tubing.¹

2. Additional infusion supplies*

Blunt fill or filter needle to withdraw drug from vial(s).³

50 mL bag of 0.9% Sodium Chloride Injection, USP (flush infusate).³

IV needle/catheter and insertion supplies.³

Infusion control device.

*These additional infusion supplies are recommendations only. They should be reconciled with appropriate institution policies and procedures, other manufacturers' guidelines, required regulations, and medical judgment.



IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

Adverse Reactions: In clinical trials, the most frequent serious adverse reactions following ELAPRASE treatment were hypoxic episodes. Other notable serious adverse reactions that occurred in the ELAPRASE treated patients but not in the placebo treated patients included one case each of: cardiac arrhythmia, pulmonary embolism, cyanosis, respiratory failure, infection, and arthralgia.

The most common adverse reactions occurring in at least three patients ($\geq 9\%$) aged five years and older were headache, pruritus, musculoskeletal pain, urticaria, diarrhea, and cough. The most common adverse reactions occurring in at least three patients ($\geq 10\%$) aged seven years and younger were pyrexia, rash, vomiting, and urticaria. In all clinical trials, the most common adverse reactions requiring medical intervention were hypersensitivity reactions, and included rash, urticaria, pruritus, flushing, pyrexia, and headache.

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PREPARING ELAPRASE (CONTINUED)

Preparation instructions

ELAPRASE is diluted in 0.9% Sodium Chloride Injection, USP for administration by intravenous infusion. The amount of ELAPRASE that is added to the 100 mL bag of 0.9% Sodium Chloride Injection, USP is determined by the patient's weight.¹ Use aseptic technique when preparing and administering ELAPRASE.

1. Having calculated the volume of ELAPRASE needed (based on the patient's weight), remove the required number of ELAPRASE vials from the refrigerator and allow them to reach room temperature.¹

2. Before withdrawing the ELAPRASE solution from the vials, visually inspect each vial for particulate matter and discoloration:¹

The ELAPRASE solution should be clear to slightly opalescent and colorless.¹

Do not use if the solution is discolored or if there is particulate matter in the solution.¹

Do not shake the ELAPRASE solution.¹

3. Withdraw the calculated volume of ELAPRASE from the appropriate number of vials and add to a 100 mL bag of 0.9% Sodium Chloride Injection, USP for IV infusion.¹

Label the ELAPRASE solution with the patient name, product name, dose, discard date, and time (or as per institution policy).³

ELAPRASE vials are single-use only. Any unused product or waste material should be discarded and disposed of in accordance with local requirements.¹

4. Mix gently. Do not shake the solution.¹

ELAPRASE does not contain preservatives; therefore, after dilution with saline, the infusion bags should be used immediately.¹

If immediate use is not possible, see Storage and Stability.¹

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

Immunogenicity: In clinical trials in patients 5 years and older, 32 of 63 (51%) patients tested positive for anti-idursulfase IgG antibodies (Ab) at least one time. Of the 32 Ab-positive patients, 23 of 32 (72%) tested positive for Ab at three or more different time points (persistent Ab). The incidence of hypersensitivity reactions was higher in patients who tested positive for Ab than those who tested negative.

Thirteen of 32 (41%) Ab-positive patients also tested positive for antibodies that neutralize idursulfase uptake into cells (neutralizing antibodies, NAb) or enzymatic activity at least one time, and 8 (25%) of Ab-positive patients had persistent NAb. There was no clear relationship between the presence of either Ab or NAb and therapeutic response.

In the clinical trial in patients 7 years and younger, 19 of 28 (68%) patients treated with ELAPRASE 0.5 mg/kg once weekly tested Ab-positive, with 16 of 19 (84%) having persistent Ab. In addition, 15 of 19 (79%) Ab-positive patients tested positive for NAb, with 14 of 15 (93%) having persistent NAb.

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ADMINISTRATION INSTRUCTIONS

1. **ELAPRASE is intended for IV use only. Obtain or assess IV access.³**

2. **Administer the diluted ELAPRASE solution to patients using a low-protein-binding infusion set equipped with a low-protein-binding 0.2 micrometer (µm) in-line filter.¹**

ELAPRASE should not be infused with other products in the infusion tubing.¹

3. **Start the infusion control device to regulate the flow of the ELAPRASE solution at the prescribed infusion rate:³**

The total volume of infusion should be administered over a period of 3 hours, which may be gradually reduced to 1 hour if no hypersensitivity reactions are observed.¹

The initial infusion rate should be 8 mL per hour for the first 15 minutes.¹

If the infusion is well tolerated, the rate of infusion may be increased by 8 mL per hour increments every 15 minutes.¹

The infusion rate should not exceed 100 mL per hour.¹

Patients may require longer infusion times if hypersensitivity reactions occur; however, infusion times should not exceed 8 hours.¹

The infusion rate may be slowed, temporarily stopped, or discontinued for that visit in the event of hypersensitivity reactions. See Section 5.1 of the Warnings and Precautions section of the Prescribing Information.¹



IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

Postmarketing Experience: Late-emergent symptoms and signs of anaphylactic reactions have occurred up to 24 hours after initial treatment and recovery from an initial anaphylactic reaction. In addition, patients experienced repeated anaphylaxis over a two to four month period, up to several years after initiating ELAPRASE treatment.

Serious adverse reactions that resulted in death included cardiorespiratory arrest, respiratory failure, respiratory distress, cardiac failure, and pneumonia.

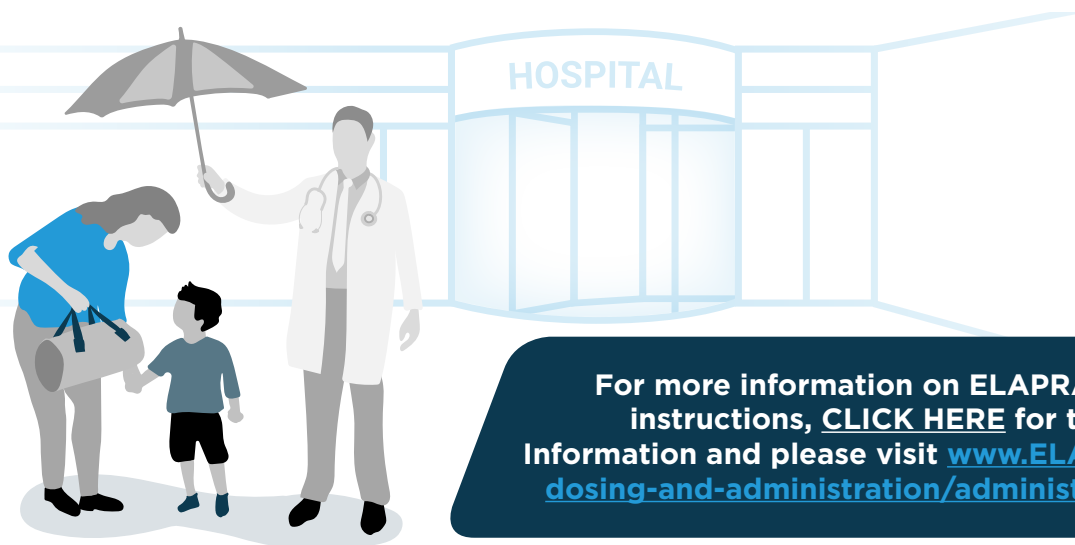
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ADMINISTRATION INSTRUCTIONS (CONTINUED)

4. After the ELAPRASE solution has been infused, remove the ELAPRASE drug bag from the IV administration set and replace with the bag containing 50 mL of 0.9% Sodium Chloride Injection, USP. Flush through the volume of drug remaining in the IV tubing to ensure full dosing.³

These administration guidelines are recommendations only. They should be reconciled with appropriate institution policies and procedures, other manufacturers' guidelines, required regulations, and medical judgment.

Physicians can consider whether home infusions may be an option for patients that tolerate ELAPRASE infusions well.



For more information on ELAPRASE administration instructions, [CLICK HERE](http://www.ELAPRASE.com/HCP/dosing-and-administration/administration-instructions) for the Full Prescribing Information and please visit www.ELAPRASE.com/HCP/dosing-and-administration/administration-instructions

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STORAGE AND STABILITY

Store ELAPRASE vials in the carton at 36°F to 46°F (2°C to 8°C) to protect from light.¹

Do not freeze or shake. Do not use ELAPRASE after the expiration date on the vial.¹

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Other than during infusion, do not store the diluted ELAPRASE solution at room temperature.¹

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HYPERSENSITIVITY REACTIONS, INCLUDING ANAPHYLAXIS

Management of hypersensitivity reactions, including anaphylaxis

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In postmarketing reports, patients receiving ELAPRASE experienced anaphylactic reactions up to several years after initiating treatment. Some patients were reported to have repeated anaphylactic events over a 2–4 month time period. Anaphylactic reactions have been managed by:

- Discontinuing treatment¹
- Using a slower infusion rate¹
- Premedication¹
- Treatment with antihistamines¹
- Inhaled beta-adrenergic agonists¹
- Corticosteroids¹
- Oxygen¹
- Vasopressors.¹

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To report SUSPECTED ADVERSE REACTIONS, contact Takeda at 1-877-TAKEDA7 or FDA at 1-866-FDA-1088 or www.fda.gov/medwatch

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