



- are breast-feeding or planning to breast-feed. It is not known if DYSPORT® passes into breast milk

**Tell your doctor about all the medicines you take,** including prescription and over-the-counter medicines, vitamins and herbal products. Using DYSPORT® with certain other medicines may cause serious side effects. **Do not start any new medicines until you have told your doctor that you have received DYSPORT® in the past.**

**Especially tell your doctor if you:**

- have received any other botulinum toxin product in the last four months

- have received injections of botulinum toxin, such as Myobloc® (rimabotulinumtoxinB), Botox® (onabotulinumtoxinA) or Xeomin® (incobotulinumtoxinA) in the past; be sure your doctor knows exactly which product you received

- have recently received an antibiotic by injection

- take muscle relaxants

- take an allergy or cold medicine

- take a sleep medicine

**Ask your doctor if you are not sure if your medicine is one that is listed above.**

Know the medicines you take. Keep a list of your medicines with you to show your doctor and pharmacist each time you get a new medicine.

**How should I take DYSPORT®?**

- DYSPORT® is an injection that your doctor will give you

- DYSPORT® is injected into the affected muscles

- If you are an adult, your doctor may give you another dose of DYSPORT® after 12 weeks or longer, if it is needed

- If you are an adult being treated for CD or upper limb spasticity or you are a child (2 to 17 years of age) being treated for lower limb spasticity, your doctor may change your dose of DYSPORT®, until you and your doctor find the best dose for you. Children should not be retreated sooner than every 12 weeks.

- The dose of DYSPORT® is not the same as the dose of any other botulinum toxin product **What should I avoid while taking DYSPORT®?**

DYSPORT® may cause loss of strength or general muscle weakness, blurred vision, or drooping eyelids within hours to weeks of taking DYSPORT®. **If this happens, do not drive a car, operate machinery, or do other dangerous activities.** See **"What is the most important information I should know about DYSPORT®?"**

**What are the possible side effects of DYSPORT®?**

**DYSPORT® can cause serious side effects.** See **"What is the most important information I should know about DYSPORT®?"**

**The most common side effects of DYSPORT® in people with cervical dystonia include:**

- muscle weakness

- dry mouth

- feeling of tiredness

- muscle pain

- problems speaking

- eye problems

- difficulty swallowing

- headache

**The most common side effects of DYSPORT® in people with glabellar lines include:**

- stuffy or runny nose and sore throat

- injection site pain

- upper respiratory infection

- blood in urine

- headache

- injection site reaction

- swelling of eyelids

- drooping eyelids

- sinus infection

- nausea

**The most common side effects of DYSPORT® in adults with upper limb spasticity include:**

- urinary tract infection

- muscle weakness

- musculoskeletal pain

- fall

- depression

- stuffy or runny nose and sore throat

- dizziness

**The most common side effects of DYSPORT® in children (2 to 17 years of age) with lower limb spasticity include:**

- upper respiratory infection

- stuffy or runny nose and sore throat

- flu

- cough

- fever

**Tell your doctor if you have any side effect that bothers you or that does not go away.**

**These are not all the possible side effects of DYSPORT®. For more information, ask your doctor or pharmacist.**

Call your doctor for medical advice about side effects. You may report side effects to FDA at 1-800-FDA-1088.

**General information about DYSPORT®:**

Medicines are sometimes prescribed for purposes other than those listed in a Medication Guide.

This Medication Guide summarizes the most important information about DYSPORT®. If you would like more information, talk with your doctor. You can ask your doctor or pharmacist for information about DYSPORT® that is written for healthcare professionals.

**What are the ingredients in DYSPORT®?**

Active ingredient: (botulinum toxin Type A)

Inactive ingredients: human albumin and lactose. DYSPORT® may contain cow's milk protein. Distributed by: Ipsen Biopharmaceuticals, Inc. Basking Ridge, NJ 07920 and Galderma Laboratories, L.P. Fort Worth, TX 76177; Manufactured by: Ipsen Biopharm Ltd., Wrexham, LL13 9UF, UK U.S. License No. 1787

For more information about DYSPORT®, call 877-397-7671 or go to www.dysport.com or www.DysportUSA.com.

This Medication Guide has been approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration

*Breathing Difficulty*

Breathing difficulties were reported by approximately 3% of patients following DYSPORT® administration and in 1% of placebo patients in clinical trials during the double-blind phase. These consisted mainly of dyspnea. The median time to onset from last dose of DYSPORT® was approximately one week, and the median duration was approximately three weeks.

Other adverse reactions with incidences of less than 5% in the DYSPORT® 500 Units group in the double-blind phase of clinical trials included dizziness in 3.5% of DYSPORT®-treated patients and 1% of placebo-treated patients, and muscle atrophy in 1% of DYSPORT®-treated patients and in none of the placebo-treated patients.

**Laboratory Findings**

Patients treated with DYSPORT® exhibited a small increase from baseline (0.23 mol/L) in mean blood glucose relative to placebo-treated patients. This was not clinically significant among patients in the development program but could be a factor in patients whose diabetes is difficult to control.

**Electrocardiographic Findings**

ECG measurements were only recorded in a limited number of patients in an open-label study without a placebo or active control. This study showed a statistically significant reduction in heart rate compared to baseline, averaging about three beats per minute, observed thirty minutes after injection.

**Glabellar Lines**

In placebo-controlled clinical trials of DYSPORT®, the most common adverse reactions (≥2%) following injection of DYSPORT® were nasopharyngitis, headache, injection site pain, injection site reaction, upper respiratory tract infection, eyelid edema, eyelid ptosis, sinusitis, nausea, and blood present in urine.

Table 6 reflects exposure to DYSPORT® in 398 patients 19 to 75 years of age who were evaluated in the randomized, placebo-controlled clinical studies that assessed the use of DYSPORT® for the temporary improvement in the appearance of glabellar lines (see *Clinical Studies* [14]). Adverse reactions of any cause occurred in 48% of the DYSPORT®-treated patients and 33% of the placebo-treated patients.

**Table 6. Most Common Adverse Reactions with > 1% Incidence in Pooled, Placebo-Controlled Trials for Glabellar Lines**

Adverse Reaction by Body System	DYSPORT® n=398 (%)*	Placebo n=496 (%)*
<b>Any Adverse Reaction</b>	48	33
<b>Eye Disorders</b>		
Eyelid Edema	2	0
Eyelid Ptosis	2	<1
<b>Gastrointestinal Disorders</b>		
Nausea	2	1
<b>General Disorders and Administration Site Conditions</b>		
Injection Site Pain	3	2
Injection Site Reaction	3	<1
<b>Infections and Inestations</b>		
Nasopharyngitis	10	4
Upper Respiratory Tract Infection	3	2
Sinusitis	2	1
<b>Investigations</b>		
Blood Present in Urine	2	<1
<b>Nervous System Disorders</b>		
Headache	9	5

\* Patients who received treatment with placebo and DYSPORT® are counted in both treatment columns.

In the overall safety database, where some patients received up to twelve treatments with DYSPORT®, adverse reactions were reported for 57% (1426/2491) of patients. The most frequently reported of these adverse reactions were headache, nasopharyngitis, injection site pain, sinusitis, URI, injection site bruising, and injection site reaction (numbness, discomfort, erythema, tenderness, tingling, itching, stinging, warmth, irritation, tightness, swelling). Adverse reactions that occurred after repeated injections in 2–3% of the population included bronchitis, influenza, pharyngolaryngeal pain, cough, contact dermatitis, injection site swelling, and injection site discomfort.

The incidence of eyelid ptosis did not increase in the long-term safety studies with multiple re-treatments at intervals ≥ three months. The majority of the reports of eyelid ptosis were mild to moderate in severity and resolved over several weeks. (see *Dosage and Administration* [2.3]).

**Upper Limb Spasticity in Adults**

Table 7 lists the most frequently reported adverse reactions (≥2%) in any DYSPORT® dose group and more frequent than placebo in double-blind studies evaluating the treatment of upper limb spasticity in adults with DYSPORT®.

**Table 7. Most Common Adverse Reactions Observed in at Least 2% of Patients Treated in Pooled, Double-Blind Trials of Adult Patients with Upper Limb Spasticity Reported More Frequently than with Placebo**

Adverse Reaction	500 Units (N=197) %	DYSPORT® 1000 Units (N=194) %	Placebo (N=279) %
<b>Infections and infestations</b>			
Nasopharyngitis	4	1	1
Urinary tract infection	3	1	2
Influenza	1	2	1
Infection	1	2	1
<b>Musculoskeletal and connective tissue disorders</b>			
Muscular weakness	2	4	1
Pain in extremity	0	2	1
Musculoskeletal pain	3	2	2
Back pain	1	2	1
<b>Nervous system disorders</b>			
Headache	1	2	1
Dizziness	3	1	1
Convulsion	2	2	1
Syncope	2	2	0
Hypoaesthesia	0	2	<1
Partial seizures	0	2	0
<b>General disorders and administration site conditions</b>			
Fatigue	2	2	0
Asthenia	2	1	<1
<b>Injury, poisoning and procedural complications</b>			
Fall	2	3	2
Injury	2	2	1
Contusion	1	2	<1
<b>Gastrointestinal disorders</b>			
Diarrhea	1	2	<1
Nausea	2	1	1
Sinus distention	0	2	1
<b>Investigation</b>			
Blood triglycerides increased	2	1	0
<b>Respiratory, thoracic and mediastinal disorders</b>			
Cough	1	2	1
<b>Vascular disorders</b>			
Hypertension	1	2	<1
<b>Psychiatric disorders</b>			
Depression	2	3	1

*Less Common Adverse Reactions*

In a pooled analysis of clinical studies, adverse reactions with an incidence of less than 2% reported in DYSPORT® treatment groups included dysphagia 0.5%, gait disturbance 0.5%, hypertension 0.5%, and senescation of heaviness 0.3%. Injection site reactions (ie, pain, bruising, haemorrhage, and injection site erythema/haematoma etc.) have occurred following administration of DYSPORT®.

**Lower Limb Spasticity in Pediatric Patients**

Table 8 reflects exposure to DYSPORT® in 160 patients, 2 to 17 years of age, who were evaluated in the randomized, placebo-controlled clinical study that assessed the use of DYSPORT® for the treatment of unilateral or bilateral lower limb spasticity in pediatric cerebral palsy patients [see *Clinical Studies* (14.4)]. The most commonly observed adverse reactions (≥10% of patients) are: upper respiratory tract infection, nasopharyngitis, influenza, pharyngitis, cough and pyrexia.

**Table 8: Adverse Reactions Observed in ≥ 4% of Patients Treated in the Double-Blind Trial of Pediatric Patients with Lower Limb Spasticity and Reported More Frequently than with Placebo**

Adverse Reactions	Unilateral		Bilateral		
	Placebo (N=79) %	Dysport® 10 units/kg (N=43) %	Dysport® 15 units/kg (N=50) %	Dysport® 20 units/kg (N=37) %	Dysport® 30 units/kg (N=30) %
<b>Infections and infestations</b>					
Nasopharyngitis	5	9	12	16	10
Upper respiratory tract infection	13	9	20	5	10
Influenza	8	0	10	14	3
Pharyngitis	8	5	0	11	3
Bronchitis	3	0	0	8	7
Rhinitis	4	5	0	3	3
Variella	1	5	0	5	0
Ear infection	3	2	4	0	0
Respiratory tract infection viral	0	5	2	0	0
Gastroenteritis viral	0	2	4	0	0
<b>Gastrointestinal disorders</b>					
Vomiting	5	0	6	8	3
Nausea	1	0	2	5	0
<b>Respiratory, thoracic and mediastinal disorders</b>					
Cough	6	7	6	14	10
Oropharyngeal pain	0	7	6	14	0
<b>General disorders and administration site conditions</b>					
Pyrexia	5	7	12	8	7
<b>Musculoskeletal and connective tissue disorders</b>					
Pain in extremity	5	0	2	5	0
Muscle weakness	1	5	0	0	0
<b>Nervous system disorders</b>					
Convulsion/Epilepsy	0	7	4	0	7

**6.2 Postmarketing Experience**

Because adverse reactions are reported voluntarily from a population of uncertain size, it is not always possible to reliably estimate their frequency or establish a causal relationship to drug exposure.

The following adverse reactions have been identified during post-approval use of DYSPORT®: vertigo, photophobia, influenza-like illness, arylomaty, burning sensation, facial paresis, hypoesthesia, erythema, and excessive granulation tissue.

**6.3 Immunogenicity**

All therapeutic proteins, there is a potential for immunogenicity. The incidence of antibody formation is highly dependent on the sensitivity and specificity of the assay. In addition, the observed incidence of antibody positivity in an assay may be influenced by several factors including assay methodology, sample handling, timing of sample collection, concomitant medications, and underlying disease. For these reasons, comparison of the incidence of antibodies across products in this class may be misleading.

*Cervical Dystonia*

About 3% of subjects developed antibodies (binding or neutralizing) over time with DYSPORT® treatment.

**Glabellar Lines**

Testing for antibodies to DYSPORT® was performed for 1554 subjects who had up to nine cycles of treatment. Two subjects (0.13%) tested positive for binding antibodies at baseline. Three additional subjects tested positive for binding antibodies after receiving DYSPORT® during the study. None of the subjects tested positive for neutralizing antibodies. **Upper Limb Spasticity:**

From 230 subjects treated with DYSPORT® and tested for the presence of binding antibodies, 5 subjects were positive at baseline and 17 developed antibodies after treatment. Among those 7 subjects, 10 subjects developed neutralizing antibodies. An additional 51 subjects from a separate repeat-dose study were tested for the presence of neutralizing antibodies only. None of the subjects tested positive.

In total, from the 281 subjects treated in the long-term studies and tested for the presence of neutralizing antibodies, 3.6% developed neutralizing antibodies after treatment. In the presence of binding and neutralizing antibodies to DYSPORT® some patients continue to experience clinical benefit.

**Lower Limb Spasticity in Pediatric Patients**

From 226 subjects treated with DYSPORT® and tested for the presence of binding antibodies, 5 subjects previously received botulinum toxins were positive at baseline and 9 patients developed binding antibodies after injections. Among those 9 subjects, 3 subjects developed neutralizing antibodies, while one subject developed neutralizing antibodies from the 5 subjects testing positive for binding antibodies at baseline who previously received botulinum toxin injections.

From a separate repeat-dose study, 203 subjects were tested for the presence of neutralizing antibodies. Two subjects were positive for neutralizing antibodies at baseline and 5 subjects developed neutralizing antibodies after treatment. In total, from the 423 patients tested for binding antibodies, 2.1% developed neutralizing antibodies after treatment. In the presence of binding and neutralizing antibodies to DYSPORT®, some patients continued to experience clinical benefit.

**7 DRUG INTERACTIONS**

No formal drug interaction studies have been conducted with DYSPORT®.

Patients treated concomitantly with botulinum toxins and aminoglycosides or other agents interfering with neuromuscular transmission (ie, curare-like agents) should be observed closely because the effect of the botulinum toxin may be potentiated. Use of anticholinergic drugs after administration of DYSPORT® may potentiate systemic anticholinergic effects such as blurred vision.

The effect of administering different botulinum neurotoxin products at the same time or within several months of each other is unknown. Excessive weakness may be exacerbated by another administration of botulinum toxin prior to the resolution of the effects of a previously administered botulinum toxin.

Excessive weakness may also be exacerbated by administration of a muscle relaxant before or after administration of DYSPORT®.

**8 USE IN SPECIFIC POPULATIONS**

**8.1 Pregnancy**

**Risk Summary**

There are not adequate and well-controlled clinical studies with DYSPORT® in pregnant women.

DYSPORT® should only be used during pregnancy if the potential benefit justifies the potential risk to the fetus.

DYSPORT® produced embryo-fetal toxicity in relation to maternal toxicity when given to pregnant rats and rabbits at doses lower than or similar to the maximum recommended human dose (MRHD) of 1000 Units on a body weight (Units/kg) basis (see *Data*). In the U.S. general population, the estimated background risk of major birth defects and miscarriage in clinically recognized pregnancies is 2-4% and 15-20%, respectively. The background risk of major birth defects and miscarriage for the indicated populations is unknown.

*Data*

In a study in which pregnant rats received daily intramuscular injections of DYSPORT® (2.2, 6.6, or 22 Units/kg on gestation days 6 through 17 or intermittently 44 Units/kg on gestation days 6 and 12 only) during organogenesis, increased early embryonic death was observed with both schedules at the highest tested doses (22 and 44 Units/kg), which were associated with maternal toxicity. The no-effect dose for embryo-fetal developmental toxicity was 2.2 Units/kg (less than the maximum recommended human dose [MRHD] on a body weight basis).

In a study in which pregnant rabbits received daily intramuscular injections of DYSPORT® (0.3, 3.3, or 6.7 Units/kg) on gestation days 6 through 19 or intermittently (13.3 Units/kg on gestation days 6 and 13 only) during organogenesis, no embryofetal data were available at the highest dose administered daily (6.7 Units/kg) because of premature death in all dams at that dose. At the lower daily doses for with intermittent dosing, no adverse developmental effects were observed. All doses for which data were available are less than the MRHD on a body weight basis.

In a study in which pregnant rats received 6 weekly intramuscular injections of DYSPORT® (4.4, 11.1, 22.2, or 44 Units/kg) beginning on day 6 of gestation and continuing through parturition to weaning, an increase in stillbirths was observed at the highest dose tested, which was maternally toxic. The no-effect dose for pre- and post-natal developmental toxicity was 2.2 Units/kg (similar to the MRHD).

**8.2 Lactation**

**Risk Summary**

There are no data on the presence of DYSPORT® in human or animal milk, the effects on the breastfed child, or the effects on milk production.

The developmental and health benefits of breastfeeding should be considered along with the mother's clinical need for DYSPORT® and any potential adverse effects on the breastfed infant from DYSPORT® or from the underlying maternal condition.

**8.3 Females and Males of Reproductive Potential**

**Fertility**

In rats, DYSPORT® produced adverse effects on mating behavior and fertility [see *Nonclinical Toxicology* (13.1)].

**8.4 Pediatric Use**

**Cervical Dystonia**

Safety and effectiveness in pediatric patients have not been established [see *Warnings and Precautions* (5.2)].

**Glabellar Lines**

DYSPORT® is not recommended for use in pediatric patients less than 18 years of age.

**Upper Limb Spasticity**

Safety and effectiveness in pediatric patients have not been established [see *Warnings and Precautions* (5.2)].

**Lower Limb Spasticity in Pediatric Patients**

The safety and effectiveness of DYSPORT® injected into proximal muscles of the lower limb for the treatment of spasticity in pediatric patients has not been established [see *Warnings and Precautions* (5.2) and *Adverse Reactions* (6.1)]. Safety and effectiveness in pediatric patients with lower limb spasticity below 2 years of age have not been evaluated [see *Warnings and Precautions* (5.2)].

*Juvenile Animal Data*