

DOSAGE

Adults

Type of infection	Route	Dose	Frequency	Total Daily Dose
Uncomplicated Gonorrhea	I.M.	250 mg	Single dose	-

ADMINISTRATION

Intramuscular: The reconstituted solution of ROCEPHIN should be administered by deep intragluteal injection. It is recommended that not more than 1g be injected at a single site. Pain on intramuscular injection is usually mild and less frequent when ROCEPHIN is administered in sterile 1% Lidocaine solution.

RECONSTITUTION

For Intramuscular Use

Reconstitute ROCEPHIN powder with the appropriate diluents:

- Sterile Water for Injection
- 0.9% Sodium Chloride Injection
- 5% Dextrose Injection
- Bacteriostatic Water for Injection
- 1% Lidocaine Solution

Regular Volume Reconstitution Table (I.M.)*

Vial Size	Volume to be Added to Vial (ml)	Approximate Available Volume (mL)	Approximate Average Concentration (g/ml)
0.25g	0.9	1.0	0.25

*Shake well until dissolved

Stability and Storage Recommendations

ROCEPHIN sterile powder should be stored at a controlled room temperature (between 15-30°C) and protected from light.

Reconstituted Solutions – Stability and Storage Recommendations

1. For Intramuscular Use:

Solutions should be reconstituted immediately before use. If storage is required, these solutions may be stored under refrigeration and should be used within 48 hours.

FOR MODERATE AND SEVERE INFECTIONS AND FOR USE IN INFANTS AND CHILDREN SEE PRODUCT MONOGRAPH.

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