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The editorial group responsible for this previously published document have withdrawn it from publication.

REASON FOR WITHDRAWAL

The Abstract and Plain language summary are available in Spanish in Appendix 7.

The authors declare that there is unlikely to be any further studies to be included in this review and so it should be published as a 'stable review'.

At November 2013, the decision was made to withdraw this review and start a new protocol which will comply with current Cochrane standards.

FEEDBACK

Availability of dipyrone in South Africa

Summary

What trade names are used for 'Dipyrone' in South Africa and which companies are distributing it? {SD: Should this be dated?}

Reply

We have referred to: Martindale: The Complete Drug Reference, 32nd Edition, Pharmaceutical Press, London which states that dipyrone is available in South Africa only as a combination drug (Hyoscine butylbromide/dipyrone).

The proprietary preparations are:

Baralgan, Norifortan, Scopex Co (manufactured by Hoechst)

Buscopan (manufactured by Boehringer Ingelheim)

Dipyrone is not listed on the World Health Organisation's 'Essential Drugs List'.

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WHAT'S NEW

Date	Event	Description
3 March 2014	Amended	This review will be replaced by a new protocol in preparation

HISTORY

Protocol first published: Issue 3, 2001

Review first published: Issue 3, 2001

Date	Event	Description
25 November 2013	Amended	This review has been withdrawn, seePublished notes.
5 April 2011	Amended	Byline altered; Fuensanta Meseguer added to acknowl- edgements as was not involved in the update of this review
8 February 2011	Amended	Contact details updated.
10 November 2010	Review declared as stable	The authors declare that there is unlikely to be any further studies to be included in this review and so it should be published as a 'stable review'
24 September 2010	Amended	Contact details updated.
20 July 2010	New citation required but conclusions have not changed	Data on use of rescue medication in original studies added to analyses. Review rewritten to conform with new Cochrane standards and methods
11 March 2010	New search has been performed	New searches run. No new studies identified for in- clusion.
28 May 2008	Amended	Converted to new review format.
23 May 2003	Feedback has been incorporated	Feedback incorporated

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