**MEDICATION:** Trastuzumab (Herceptin®)

**USES:** To treat breast cancer

**ADMINISTRATION:** Intravenous

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**Potential Side Effects:**
- Tingling of fingers or toes
- Nausea and vomiting, diarrhea
- Mouth sores
- Headache, dizziness
- Loss of appetite
- Skin rash
- Pain occasionally at tumor site
- Trouble sleeping
- Fever or chills during first infusion
- Swelling of ankles or legs
- **Fast or irregular heartbeat**
- **Shortness of breath, or breathing trouble, increased cough**

(If you experience any of the side effects listed in **Bold** please contact your doctor immediately. The side effects listed above are those that occur most frequently. Other side effects may occur; please contact your doctor to report any new medical problems!)

**Warnings:**
- Inform your doctor if you are:
  1. allergic to any food or medicine,
  2. taking any non-cancer related prescriptions or over the counter drugs
- Ask your doctor or pharmacist before using any new medications including: prescriptions, over-the-counter drugs, vitamins or herbal supplements.

**Additional Instructions:**
- This drug may affect the heart. Your doctor will monitor your heart function throughout therapy.