**Medication:** Disulfiram (Antabuse®)

**Uses:** To prevent further ingestion of alcohol in chronic alcoholics

**Administration:** Oral or Intravenous

**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

**Additional Instructions:**
- If you drink alcohol while you are taking this medicine, you will get a headache, vomit, and feel chest pain.
- Avoid all alcohol-containing beverages and foods while taking this medicine. Read the list of ingredients on foods and over-the-counter medicines before using them. Alcohol may be included as an ingredients in many foods or other products, including:
  - salad dressings
  - soups
  - fruit desserts
  - mouthwash
  - vinegars
  - sauces, gravies and marinades
  - fruitcake
  - cold remedies and other medicines
- If you are eating in a restaurant or at a friend’s house, ask if the foods contain wine, beer, liquor or other alcoholic beverages.
- Some of the alcohol may evaporate when alcoholic beverages are used in cooking. But you cannot be sure that food is safe to eat if it has been cooked.
- Avoid alcohol for at least 2 weeks after you stop taking this medicine.