**Medication:** Zoledronic Acid (Zometa®)

**Uses:** To lower the amount of calcium in the blood and to prevent and treat bone metastasis associated with cancer

**Administration:** Intravenous

**Potential Side Effects:**
- Lowered blood pressure
- Mild fever
- Flu-like symptoms such as fever, chills, bone pain and aching muscles
- Bone pain
- Fatigue, insomnia, anxiety
- Allergic Symptoms such as itching, hives, rash or swelling in extremities, chest pain and trouble breathing

(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. currently taking any non-cancer related drugs.
- Ask your doctor or pharmacist before using any new medications including: prescriptions, over-the-counter drugs, vitamins or herbal supplements.

**Additional Instructions:**
- Decreased blood levels of calcium, phosphate, and magnesium. These will be monitored by your doctor.