**MEDICATION:** Prochlorperazine (Compazine®)

**USES:** To assist in decreasing nausea and/or vomiting before, during, and after chemotherapy

**ADMINISTRATION:** Oral, Suppository, Intravenous, or Intramuscular

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**Potential Side Effects:**
- Drowsiness, dry mouth, constipation
- Trouble urinating, skin rash
- Rapid breathing or heartbeat
- Extra-pyramidal symptoms such as facial or neck tightness, thick tongue or slurred speech, droopy mouth, lip smacking, muscle spasms, or jerky movements of the tongue, head, jaw, legs, or arms (see additional instructions)

(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:**
- If you experience any of the extra-pyramidal symptoms as described above, Benadryl® can relieve these symptoms. Ask your doctor.
- Do not drive a vehicle or operate machinery if you feel drowsy after taking the drug.
- Do not drink alcohol while taking this medication.
- Inform your doctor if you have seizure disorder, heart, liver, or lung disease, or any other medical problem.
- Stand up slowly after you have been sitting or lying down to decrease dizziness.
- This medicine may make your skin more sensitive to the sun. Try not to spend long periods in direct sunlight and protect your skin from the sun.