

TO NOTICE
TO CONSUMERS

KNOW YOUR RIGHTS

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UNDER CALIFORNIA LAW CONCERNING MEDICINE
AND DEVICES PRESCRIBED TO YOU.

**YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO RECEIVE
MEDICINE AND DEVICES LEGALLY
PRESCRIBED TO YOU, UNLESS:**

- 1** The medicine or device is not in stock in the pharmacy.
- 2** The pharmacist, based upon his or her professional judgment determines providing the item:

Is against the law, could cause a harmful drug interaction or could have a harmful effect on your health.



This pharmacist may decline to fill your prescription for ethical, moral or religious reasons, but the pharmacy is required to help you get the prescription filled at this or another nearby pharmacy timely. The pharmacy may decline to provide the medicine or device if it is not covered by your insurance or if you are unable to pay for the item or any copayment you owe.

If the pharmacy is unable to fill your prescription, you are entitled to have the prescription returned to you or transferred to another nearby pharmacy. Ask about our procedure to help you get an item that we don't have in stock.

ANY QUESTIONS? ASK THE PHARMACIST!



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BE AWARE & TAKE CARE: Talk to your pharmacist!

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WHAT ARE YOU TAKING?

BEFORE TAKING ANY PRESCRIPTION MEDICINE, TALK TO YOUR
PHARMACIST; BE SURE YOU KNOW THE FOLLOWING:

- 1 What is the name of the medicine and what does it do?
- 2 How and when do I take it—and for how long? What if I miss a dose?
- 3 What are the possible side effects and what should I do if they occur?
- 4 Will the new medicine work safely with other medicines and herbal supplements I am taking?
- 5 What foods, drinks or activities should I avoid while taking this medicine?

At your request, this pharmacy will provide its current retail price of any prescription without obligation. You may request price information in person or by telephone. Ask your pharmacist if a lower-cost generic drug is available to fill your prescription. Prescription prices for the same drug vary from pharmacy to pharmacy. One reason for differences in price is differences in services provided.



ASK YOUR PHARMACIST IF YOU HAVE ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS.



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