

CETACAINE SPRAY

ACTION: Topical Anesthetic

- **Active ingredients:** Benzocaine (14%), Butyl aminobenzoate (2%), Tetracaine hydrochloride (2%).
- Produces anesthesia in approximately 30 seconds. Effective only on mucous membranes.
- Controls pain and gagging.

INDICATIONS:

- Used to assist as anesthesia during nasal intubation of patients

CONTRAINDICATIONS:

- Cetacaine is for intranasal use only, and is not to be used in the eyes.
- Hypersensitivity of patients to any of the ingredients.

POTENTIAL SIDE EFFECTS:

- Systemic reactions to Cetacaine have not been reported.

ADULT DOSE/ROUTE:

- ⇒ Cetacaine should be sprayed directly into each nostril for one second or less, for normal anesthesia and suppression of the gag reflex prior to attempting nasal intubation.

PEDIATRIC DOSE/ROUTE:

- ⇒ Not indicated.

NOTES:

- Allow adequate time for Cetacaine to take effect.