



## Section 13: Appendix 1: Medications

### THIAMINE

Pregnancy Category - A

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<b>ACTIONS</b>	Allows the normal breakdown of glucose
<b>INDICATIONS</b>	Suspected thiamine deficiency in malnourished or alcoholic patients prior to giving dextrose
<b>CONTRAINDICATIONS</b>	Known hypersensitivity
<b>PRECAUTIONS</b>	Rare anaphylactic reactions
<b>SIDE EFFECTS</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Known hypersensitivity</li><li>2. Restlessness</li><li>3. Anaphylactic reaction</li><li>4. Nausea</li><li>5. Weakness</li></ol>
<b>SUPPLIED</b>	100 mg / 1 ml vial
<b>ADULT DOSAGE</b>	100 mg IVP or IM prior to dextrose
<b>PEDIATRIC DOSAGE</b>	Not recommended in the pre-hospital setting
<b>PROTOCOL USE</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Adult Altered Level of Consciousness</li><li>• Adult Diabetic Emergencies</li></ul>