





FOR ALL DAY SYMPTOM RELIEF



# ZANTAC is the only H2 Receptor antagonist available OTC in Australia

**ZANTAC** contains ranitidine (as hydrochloride), a histamine-2 receptor antagonist (H2RA) medicine used for relief of heartburn and acid indigestion due to gastro-oesophageal reflux.

# The TGA has reinstated ZANTAC (ranitidine) tablets

In September 2019, the TGA removed all medicines containing ranitidine over concerns about the level of nitrosamine impurities, specifically N-Nitrosodimethylamine (NDMA). The TGA evaluates all registered medicines for safety and efficacy. Aspen Pharmacare Australia, the sponsor of **ZANTAC** tablets, has worked with the TGA to demonstrate that nitrosamines are controlled within the internationally established daily limits.

## **What remains unchanged?**

The active ingredient in **ZANTAC** tablets, ranitidine, remains unchanged.

The dose of ranitidine (as hydrochloride) is also the same. Available as 150 mg and 300 mg tablets.

# **ZANTAC** relieves heartburn and acid indigestion symptoms

## **ANTACIDS**

Neutralises existing stomach acid.1

MILD/ INTERMITTENT **SUFFERERS** 

Frequent daily dosing

Relief in few minutes; Lasts for 20 minutes - 2 hours4

### ANTACIDS + **ALGINATES**

Forms a barrier over the stomach contents which helps prevent acid from refluxing back up the oesophagus.

Relief in a few minutes:

### **H2 BLOCKERS**

Controls the production of stomach acid by attaching to H2-receptors in the stomach, resulting in less acid being produced.



Zantac 300 mg 1 tab per day

Relief starts in 30 minutes;1,23

## PROTON PUMP **INHIBITORS (PPIs)**

Bind to and block the proton pump in the stomach, inhibiting gastric acid secretion.

Dosage:

1 tab per day

Relief in 1-4 days;5 Lasts for 24 hours

SEVERE/ **FREQUENT SUFFERERS** 

# The **ZANTAC** Difference



# **Speed of Action**

Starts to work in as little as 30 minutes<sup>1,2,3</sup>

# **Long-Lasting**

With one easy-to-swallow tablet, Zantac provides up-to 12 hours of relief Zantac Double Strength provides up-to 24 hours of relief

## **Convenient**

Can be taken with or without food

## ALWAYS READ THE LABEL AND FOLLOW DIRECTIONS FOR USE.

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