

Nogapendekin alfa inbakicept-pmIn (Anktiva)

About This Medicine

NOGAPENDEKIN ALFA INBAKICEPT (noe GAP en DE kin AL fa in BAK i sept) treats bladder cancer. It works by helping your immune system slow or stop the spread of cancer cells. It is given into the bladder (intravesical).

This medicine may be used for other purposes; ask your care team if you have questions.

Possible Side Effects

- Fever
- Chills
- Increased level of potassium in your blood
- Muscle and bone pain
- Effects on the bladder. This medicine may cause irritation and bleeding in the bladder. You may have blood in your urine. You may have pain or burning when you pass urine, and/or feel like you have to pass urine often.
- Urinary tract infection
- Changes in your kidney function

Note: Each of the side effects above was reported in 15% or greater of people treated with nogapendekin alfa inbakicept-pmIn. All possible side effects are not included. Your side effects may be different depending on your cancer diagnosis, condition, or if you are receiving other medicines in combination. Please discuss any concerns or questions with your care team.

Warnings and precautions

- Delaying cystectomy (removal of the bladder) in some bladder cancer patients can increase the risk of developing invasive or metastatic bladder cancer. Discuss this risk with your care team.

Important Information

- You should keep this medicine in your bladder for 2 hours before you urinate. If you can't keep it in your bladder for 2 hours, you may urinate sooner if necessary.

- It is recommended that you urinate in a seated position after your treatment in order to avoid splashing urine.
- Your urine may have a red-tinged color for the first 24 hours after treatment.
- Wash your hands with soap and water after using the bathroom. Your caretakers should not handle your urine with bare hands and should wear latex gloves.

Treating Side Effects

- Drink enough fluids to keep your urine pale yellow and to flush your bladder.

Food and Medicine Interactions

- There are no known interactions of nogapendekin alfa inbakicept-pmIn with food.
- This medicine may interact with other medicines. Tell your care team about all the prescription and over-the-counter medicines and dietary supplements (vitamins, minerals, herbs, and others) that you are taking at this time. Also, check with your care team before starting any new prescription or over-the-counter medicines, or dietary supplements to make sure that there are no interactions.

When to Call Your Care Team

Call your care team if you have any of these symptoms and/or any new or unusual symptoms:

- Fever of 100.4° F (38° C) or higher

Reproduction Warnings

- **Pregnancy warning:** This medicine may cause serious birth defects. If you can become pregnant, use birth control while taking this medicine and for 1 week after the last dose. Let your care team right away if you think you might be pregnant.
- **Breastfeeding warning:** Talk with your care team about breastfeeding during treatment. You may need to stop breastfeeding.
- **Fertility warning:** The effect of this medicine on fertility is not known. If you plan to have children, talk with you care team.

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