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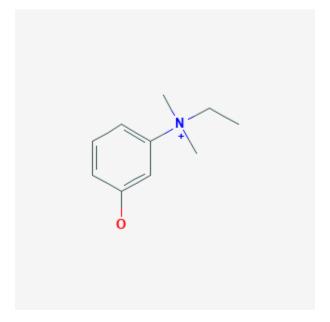
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# **Edrophonium**

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CASRN: 312-48-1



## **Drug Levels and Effects**

## **Summary of Use during Lactation**

No information is available on the use of edrophonium during breastfeeding. However, because of its short half-life and quaternary ammonium structure, it is unlikely to be excreted into breastmilk or orally absorbed by the infant. Administering the drug just after breastfeeding and waiting 2 to 3 hours before breastfeeding again should avoid any adverse reactions in the infant.

### **Drug Levels**

Maternal Levels. Relevant published information was not found as of the revision date.

*Infant Levels.* Relevant published information was not found as of the revision date.

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#### **Effects in Breastfed Infants**

Relevant published information was not found as of the revision date.

#### **Effects on Lactation and Breastmilk**

Relevant published information was not found as of the revision date.

## **Substance Identification**

#### **Substance Name**

Edrophonium

## **CAS Registry Number**

312-48-1

## **Drug Class**

**Breast Feeding** 

Lactation

Cholinesterase Inhibitors

Diagnostic Agents

Parasympathomimetics