

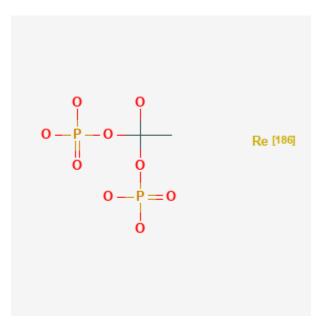
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# Rhenium-186 HEDP

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CASRN: 140709-07-5



## **Drug Levels and Effects**

## Summary of Use during Lactation

Information in this record refers to the use of rhenium-186 HEDP (rhenium-186 etidronate) as a therapeutic agent. No information is available on the therapeutic use of rhenium HEDP during breastfeeding. Because strontium can substitute for calcium in infant bones, the manufacturer and expert opinion recommend discontinuing breastfeeding before a nursing mother receives rhenium HEDP.[1]

## **Drug Levels**

Rhenium 186 emits a beta particle with a mean energy of 0.349 MeV and gamma emission with a 0.137 MeV photo peak. Its physical half-life is 3.7 days.[1]

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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.

#### References

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# **Substance Identification**

#### **Substance Name**

Rhenium-186 HEDP

## **CAS Registry Number**

140709-07-5

#### **Drug Class**

Breast Feeding

Lactation

Radiopharmaceuticals

Etidronic Acid