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PATIENT INFORMATION ON

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*Medicine To Treat:
Hypertension*

Angiotensin II Receptor Blockers

What are Angiotensin II Receptor Blockers Used for?

This is a new class of blood pressure lowering drugs. They act by blocking the action of a substance called angiotensin II at the blood vessel walls and thereby prevent the narrowing of blood vessels.

What are the Possible Side Effects of Angiotensin II Receptor Blockers?

The side effects are rare and include dizziness and light-headedness on getting up.

What Precautions Should I Take?

If you are pregnant or planning to conceive, you should inform your doctor. It should not be taken together with high doses of diuretics as this may give rise to low blood pressure.

What are the Commonly Used Angiotensin II Receptor Blockers?

- Losartan
- Irbesartan
- Valsartan

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