

## **HYDROCORTISONE**

### **Type**

Corticosteroid

#### **Action**

Glucocorticoid drug that reduces inflammation and suppresses immune response

	Onset	Duration
IV/IM	1 – 2 hours	6 – 12 hours

#### Use

Symptomatic Adrenal crisis

#### **Contraindications**

Known or suspected allergy to corticosteroids, sodium succinate or sodium phosphate

# **Preparation**

• 100mg in 2mL (50mg:1mL) Act-O-Vial

## Dose

# **Symptomatic Adrenal crisis**

# All patients

Administer as per prescribed IM. Usual adult dose is 1mg/kg

