



ADULT Medication Monograph

METHYLENE BLUE (Provedye®)

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Class	Diagnostic Aid
Presentation	Ampoule: 50mg/10mL (ProveDYE®)
Storage	Store at room temperature, below 25°C
Dose	<p><u>Diagnostic Aid (Intraoperative)</u></p> <p>IV Injection: to assist with the visualisation of ureteric jets at cystoscopy</p> <p>Irrigation fluid at hysteroscopy/laparoscopy: to confirm tubal patency</p>
Compatibility	<p>Provedye® is compatible with sodium chloride 0.9%</p> <p>NB: Different brands of Methylene Blue have a range of compatibilities with Sodium Chloride – Check each product or contact Pharmacy</p>
Administration	<p><u>IV Injection</u></p> <p>Inject over at least 5 minutes. May be diluted if required</p> <p><u>Intrauterine irrigation/flush</u></p> <p>Compatible with Sodium Chloride</p> <p><u>Flushes</u></p> <p>Flush with Sodium Chloride</p>
Monitoring	<p>Monitor for necrosis caused by extravasation</p> <p>Causes staining of skin, saliva, mucous membranes, urine and faeces</p>

References	Provepharm Ltd. Methylene blue (Provedye®). Product information leaflet. [cited 2020 March 12].
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