



NEONATAL MEDICATION PROTOCOLS

FRAMYCETIN EYE DROPS
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DRUG:	FRAMYCETIN EYE DROPS
PRESENTATION:	Ophthalmic solution Each mL contains: Framycetin 5mg Benzalkonium Chloride preservative
ACTION & INDICATION:	Aminoglycoside antibiotic eye drop with activity against both gram-positive and gram-negative bacteria.
DOSE:	1 or 2 drops 4 hourly with feeds for 4 days Eye toilet / care should be performed prior to the administration of each dose.
ADVERSE EFFECTS:	Do not use eye drops for more than 5 days as chemical conjunctivitis may occur. Local hypersensitivity reactions
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