

Daratumumab (Darzalex[®], Darzalex Faspro[®])

Daratumumab is a monoclonal antibody used to treat multiple myeloma.

How Is It Given?

- clear liquid by IV (intravenous)
- by injection (subcutaneous)

What Side Effects May Occur?

This is a partial list of the side effects you may have with this medicine. You may have some, all or none of those listed, or you may have other side effects not listed. Most side effects last only a short time.

Common:

- reaction during infusion such as fever, chills or headache
- nausea (upset stomach)
- fatigue (tiredness)
- lowered white blood cell, red blood cell and platelet counts

Less common:

- constipation
- diarrhea (loose, watery stools)
- fever
- decreased appetite
- headache

Special Notes

- You may be given acetaminophen (Tylenol[®]), diphenhydramine (Benadryl[®]) and a steroid to take 1 to 3 hours before each infusion to help reduce any side effects.
- You will receive your first dose slowly. If your first dose is well tolerated, additional doses can be given faster.
- Tell your nurse right away if you have any shortness of breath, fever or chills while you are receiving this medicine.
- For medicine given by injection, the dose will be injected into your abdomen. It will take about 3 to 5 minutes to give the dose.

When To Call Your Doctor

You should call your doctor if you have:

- shortness of breath
- fever or chills
- swollen feet, ankles or legs.

Ask your doctor, nurse or pharmacist if you want more complete medicine information or if you have questions.