

# THE BASICS OF HYOSCYAMINE



## HOW DOES IT WORK? HOW WILL IT HELP ME?



Reduces secretions which can improve congestion



Blocks chemicals that can cause nausea



Less congestion in your nose and lungs will make it easier to breathe



Will relieve your nausea

## WHEN WILL IT WORK? HOW LONG WILL IT LAST?



⌚ Will start working within a few minutes

⌚ Lasts for 4-6 hours

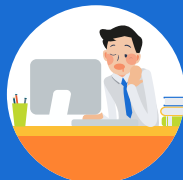
## COMMON SIDE EFFECTS

Dryness in ears, nose, throat, or mouth



Sucking on hard candy or ice chips can help reduce dryness of throat

Drowsiness



Be careful when rising from a seated position

Constipation



Will not go away on its own. Use daily bowel regimen (e.g., senna [Senokot] or polyethylene glycol [Miralax] to prevent or treat.

## SERIOUS SIDE EFFECTS? CALL THE HOSPICE NURSE



Difficulty urinating



Blurry vision



Headache



Rapid heart rate