# **PREDNISONE**



## WHAT DOES IT DO? HOW WILL IT HELP ME?



Helps reduce a variety of inflammatory or immune reactions like a rash



May help reduce symptoms of asthma or difficulty breathing



Can help relieve pain



Can help prevent or relieve nausea and vomiting



Can help reduce fatigue

#### WHEN WILL IT WORK?

Tablet |

Oral solution





May start working in a few hours although it may take a few days to see the full effects

### **COMMON SIDE EFFECTS?**



Increased blood sugar



Swelling due to fluid retention

#### SERIOUS SIDE EFFECTS? CALL THE HOSPICE NURSE





Vision changes



Mental disturbances (e.g., insomnia, agitation, euphoria, paranoia)