Medicine Safety and You
Bupivacaine or Marcaine®

**New medicine:**
Bupivacaine

**Brand names:**
Marcaine®, Sensorcaine®

**Use:**
- To numb an area of the skin before care

**Potential side effects:**
- Irritation where the shot is given

All medicines have the potential to produce effects other than the intended use of the medicine. The chance of experiencing a side effect depends on the medicine, how it is used, what other medicines a person is taking, and individual traits such as age, weight, and other diseases. Some people have no side effects, some mild, some severe.

**If you experience any of these side effects, tell your doctor or nurse right away.**

**Please speak up at any time if you have any questions or concerns.**