

ANTACIDS

INDICATIONS:

1. **Gastritis**
2. **Heart burn**
3. **Gastro esophageal reflux**

SAFETY ALERT:

1. **Drug interactions:** antacids reduce absorption of tetracyclins, iron salts, H2 blockers, diazepam, phenothiazines, indomethacin, phenytoin, isoniazide, ethambutol, nitrofurantoin, ketoconazole.
2. **Side effects:** flatulence, abdominal discomfort