



NEBRASKA CANCER SPECIALISTS

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Lovenox ®

Generic name: enoxaparin

Drug type: Lovenox is an anti-coagulant used to prevent and treat blood clots.

How Lovenox is given:

- Lovenox is given by subcutaneous (the layer between the skin and muscle) injection.
- Lovenox is generally given on a daily basis, at about the same time. The number of days you receive Lovenox will be prescribed by your doctor.

Lovenox side effects:

Important things to remember about the side effects of Lovenox:

- Most people do not experience all of the side effects listed.
- Side effects are almost always reversible and will usually go away after treatment is complete.
- There are many options to help minimize or prevent side effects.

The following are possible side effects experienced by some patients receiving Lovenox:

- Injection site bleeding
- Injection site pain
- Blood in the urine

When to contact your doctor or health care provider:

Contact your health care provider immediately, day or night, if you should experience any of the following symptoms:

- Shortness of breath
- Rapid heartbeat
- Bleeding that does not stop after a few minutes

Always inform your health care provider if you experience any unusual symptoms.