

**⚠ HIGH ALERT****maraviroc (Rx)**

(mah-rav'er-rock)

**Selzentry***Func. class.:* Antiretroviral*Chem. class.:* Fusion inhibitor,  
CCR5-receptor antagonist

**ACTION:** Interferes with entry into HIV-1 by inhibiting the fusion of the virus and the cell membrane

**USES:** CCR5-tropic HIV in combination with other antiretroviral agents for treating experienced patients

**CONTRAINDICATIONS:** Hypersensitivity, dialysis, renal impairment

**Precautions:** Pregnancy, ~~for~~ Asian patients, breastfeeding, renal/hepatic/cardiac disease, electrolyte imbalance, dehydration, immune reconstitution syndrome, infection, MI, orthostatic hypotension, children, geriatric patients, Graves' disease, Guillain-Barré syndrome, polymyositis, fever, serious rash

**Black Box Warning:** Hepatitis

**DOSAGE AND ROUTES****Those not taking any CYP3A inducers/inhibitors**

- **Adult/adolescent ≥16 yr:** PO 300 mg bid

**Those taking CYP3A4 inhibitors with/without a CYP3A inducer**

- **Adult/adolescent ≥16 yr:** PO 150 mg bid

**Those taking CYP3A4 inducers without a strong CYP3A inhibitor**

- **Adult/adolescent ≥16 yr:** PO 600 mg bid

**Renal dose**

- **Adult:** PO CCr ≥30 mL/min, no dose adjustment; CCr <30 mL/min, use is contraindicated

**Available forms:** Tabs 150, 300 mg

**Administer:**

- May give without regard to meals, with 8 oz water; swallow whole; do not crush, chew, break
- Store at room temperature

**SIDE EFFECTS**

**CV:** MI, cardiac ischemia, orthostatic hypotension

**CNS:** Dizziness, depression, viral meningitis, disturbances in consciousness, peripheral neuropathy, paresthesia, dysesthesia, fever

**EENT:** Gingival hyperplasia, visual changes

**GI:** Diarrhea, constipation, dyspepsia, pseudomembranous colitis, hepatotoxicity

**INTEG:** Rash, urticaria, pruritus, folliculitis

**MS:** Joint pain, leg pain, muscle cramps

**RESP:** Cough, upper respiratory tract infection, sinusitis, bronchitis, pneumonia, bronchospasm, obstruction, dyspnea

**SYST:** Herpes virus, lipodystrophy, malignancy

**PHARMACOKINETICS**

Metabolized by P450 system; CYP3A metabolism; excreted 20% urine, 76% feces; protein binding 76%; terminal half-life 14-18 hr

**INTERACTIONS**

**Increase:** maraviroc levels—CYP3A inhibitors (amiodarone, aprepitant, chloramphenicol, clarithromycin, conivaptan, cycloSPORINE, dalfopristin, danazol, diltiazEM, erythromycin, estradiol, fluconazole, fluvoxamine, imatinib, isoniazid, itraconazole, ketoconazole, miconazole, nefazodone, niCARDipine, propoxyphene, RU-486, tamoxifen, telithromycin, troleandomycin, verapamil, voriconazole, zafirlukast); reduce dose

**Decrease:** maraviroc levels—CYP3A4 inducers (efavirenz, aminoglutethimide, barbiturates, bexarotene, bosentan, carbamazepine, dexamethasone, griseofulvin, modafinil, nafcillin, OXcarbazepine, phenytoin, fosphenytoin, rifabutin, rifAMPin, rifapentine, topiramate, tipranavir); increase dose

**Drug/Herb**

- Decreased maraviroc effect: St. John's wort