



## Other drugs / medicines

Do not take indigestion remedies at the same time as this medicine. If you need to take indigestion remedies, take them at least two hours before or after your dose of azithromycin.

## Possible side effects

You may experience the following side-effects after taking the treatment. However in most cases, these effects are mild and will pass.

Feeling nauseous (sick) and / or vomiting (being sick)

Stomach cramps / pains

Diarrhoea

Headache

Dizziness

As long as you do not actually vomit within 3 hours of taking your medication it should still be effective. If you vomit within less than 3 hours of taking your medication or if you are worried about any side-effects you experience, please contact the clinic.

## What are the risks?

Azithromycin is well tolerated with a low incidence of side effects.

## Follow up

If you do have sex during treatment (even with a condom), please contact the clinic on **01392 284960** and speak to a nurse for more information.

## Further information

For more information about azithromycin, please read the information leaflet that comes with your drug or medicine.

For further information about sexual health, please visit our website at [www.devonsexualhealth.nhs.uk](http://www.devonsexualhealth.nhs.uk)

## References

Electronic Medicines Compendium <http://www.medicines.org.uk/>

Electronic BNF <https://bnf.nice.org.uk/>

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