

New Products - Madeline

Madeline (**desogestrel, ethinyloestradiol**) is a combined oral contraceptive. It is contraindicated in the following conditions. Severe hepatic disease (with abnormal LFTs), hepatic tumour, venous (e.g. DVT, PE) or arterial thrombosis (e.g. MI, CVA), prodromal condition (e.g. TIA, angina) (or history); thrombosis predisposition (e.g. activated protein C resistance, hyperhomocysteinaemia, antiphospholipid antibodies, antithrombin III, protein C or S deficiency); severe, multiple risk factors for venous, arterial thrombosis; diabetes with vascular involvement; history of migraine with focal neurological symptoms; pancreatitis (or history if associated with severe hypertriglyceridaemia); undiagnosed vaginal bleeding; known or suspected sex steroid influenced malignancy; and in pregnancy including suspected pregnancy. Madeline is available as a blister pack of 28's containing 21 active tablets (desogestrel 150 microgram, ethinyloestradiol 30 microgram) and 7 placebo tablets.

This list is a summary of only some of the changes that have occurred over the last month. Before prescribing, always refer to the full product information.