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Abstract:

Epoprostenol sodium is recommended for the treatment of high-risk patients with pulmonary arterial hypertension. The use of high doses of this drug has been associated with long-term survival. Due to its short half-life, its solution must be prepared frequently and administered as a continuous intravenous infusion. According to the prescribing information, a solution of a new thermostable form of epoprostenol (Veletri; Actelion Pharmaceuticals, Allschwil, Switzerland) can be administered at room temperature for 48 hours, provided the concentration is >15,000 ng/ml.

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