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Drug Safety Alerts

The preliminary analysis of SUSARs from the PvPI database reveals that the following drugs are associated with the risks as given below.

Table

Sl. No	Suspected Drugs	Indication	Adverse Reactions
1	Clomipramine	Obsessive-compulsive disorder; panic disorder	Melasma
2	Glimepiride	Type 2 diabetes mellitus	Lichenoid Drug Eruption
3	Metoprolol	Supraventricular arrhythmia, angina pectoris, hypertension, myocardial infarction; migraine prophylaxis; hyperthyroidism, heart failure	Lichenoid Drug Eruption
4	Levamisole	For the treatment of roundworm and hookworm infestations	Skin Exfoliation

Health care professionals, Patients/Consumers are advised to closely monitor the possibility of the above adverse events associated with the use of above drugs. If such events are encountered please report to the NCC-PvPI either by filling of Suspected Adverse Drug Reactions Reporting Form/Medicines Side Effect Reporting Form for Consumer (http://www.ipc.gov.in) or by PvPI Helpline No. 1800-180-3024.