# Possible Side Effects of Bendamustine (Table Version Date: July 12, 2022)

| **COMMON, SOME MAY BE SERIOUS**  In 100 people receiving Bendamustine, more than 20 and up to 100 may have: |
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| * Cough * Anemia which may cause tiredness, or may require blood transfusions * Infection, especially when white blood cell count is low * Bruising, bleeding * Constipation, diarrhea, nausea, vomiting * Loss of appetite * Fever, tiredness * Headache |

| **OCCASIONAL, SOME MAY BE SERIOUS**  In 100 people receiving Bendamustine, from 4 to 20 may have: |
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| * Chest pain * Low blood pressure which may cause feeling faint * Abnormal heartbeat which may cause fainting * Swelling or pain of arms, legs * Allergic reaction which may cause rash, low blood pressure, wheezing, shortness of breath, swelling of the face or throat * Severe blood infection * Scarring of the lungs, shortness of breath * Damage to the bone marrow (irreversible) which may cause infection, bleeding, may require transfusions * Damage to the liver which may cause yellowing of eyes and skin, swelling * Kidney damage which may cause swelling, may require dialysis * Painful or difficult urination * Sores in mouth which may cause difficulty swallowing and pain * Changes in taste, dry mouth * Swelling, pain, and redness at the site of the medication injection * Abdominal pain, back pain, pain in joints * Anxiety, depression, drowsiness * Weight loss, chills, dizziness * Excessive sweating, night sweats * Blisters on the skin * Rash, itching * A new cancer resulting from treatment of a prior cancer |

| **RARE, AND SERIOUS**  In 100 people receiving Bendamustine, 3 or fewer may have: |
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| * Heart failure which may cause shortness of breath, swelling of ankles, and tiredness * High blood pressure which may cause dizziness, blurred vision * Brain damage, progressive multifocal leukoencephalopathy (PML), which may cause tiredness, changes in thinking * Stevens-Johnson syndrome which may cause severe skin rash with blisters and peeling which can involve mouth and other parts of the body * Drug reaction with eosinophilia and systemic symptoms (DRESS) which may cause a skin rash developing 1-8 weeks after a drug is given, which may be accompanied by fever, lymph node swelling, and organ failure |