# Possible Side Effects of 5-Fluorouracil, Cisplatin, Vincristine (Table Version Date: January 25, 2021)

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| **COMMON, SOME MAY BE SERIOUS** In 100 people receiving 5-Fluorouracil, Cisplatin, Vincristine, more than 20 and up to 100 may have: |
| * Infection, especially when white blood cell count is low * Anemia which may require blood transfusions * Bruising, bleeding * Kidney damage which may cause swelling, may require dialysis * Hearing loss including ringing in ears * Constipation, which may be severe, as a result of a bowel blockage * Diarrhea, nausea, vomiting * Sores in mouth which may cause difficulty swallowing * Swelling of lower legs * Numbness, pain and tingling of arms, legs, fingers and/or toes, loss of balance * Weakness and difficulty walking * Confusion * Headache, jaw pain and/or muscle pain * Hand-foot syndrome (palmar-plantar erythrodysesthesia) redness, pain or peeling of palms and soles * Increased risk of sunburn, itching, blisters on the skin, dry skin * Swelling, pain or redness at the site of injection * Hair loss |

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| **OCCASIONAL, SOME MAY BE SERIOUS** In 100 people receiving 5-Fluorouracil, Cisplatin, Vincristine, from 4 to 20 may have: |
| * Chest pain * Abnormal heartbeat, which may cause fainting * Stroke, which may cause paralysis, weakness, headache * Altered mental status, confusion, dizziness, disorientation, intense feelings of joy, difficulty walking and balancing, coma * Paralysis * Allergic reaction which may cause rash, low blood pressure, wheezing, shortness of breath, swelling of the face or throat * Internal bleeding which may cause black tarry stools * Blood clot * High blood pressure which may cause headaches, dizziness, blurred vision or low blood pressure which may cause feeling faint * Visual disturbances, blurred vision, abnormal eye movement, drooping eyelids, discomfort from light and watering eyes, chance of blindness * Sores in stomach which may cause belly pain * Loss of appetite, weight loss * Difficulty emptying the bladder or urinating, excessive, frequent, or painful urination * Hoarseness * Tiredness * Change in skin or nails, rash * Change in taste |

| **RARE, AND SERIOUS** In 100 people receiving 5-Fluorouracil, Cisplatin, Vincristine, 3 or fewer may have: |
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| * Heart attack or heart failure, which may cause shortness of breath, swelling of ankles, and tiredness * Brain damage, Posterior Reversible Encephalopathy syndrome, which may cause headache, seizure, blindness * A new cancer (including leukemia) resulting from treatment of a prior cancer * Seizure |