

Bupivacaine

You will receive Bupivacaine, in the hospital, after your Minimally Invasive Cardiac Surgery Coronary Artery Bypass Graft (MICS CABG).

Other names for this medication

Marcaine
Sensorcaine

How this medication is used

This medication is delivered by your pain control pump to relieve moderate to severe pain.

The pain pump will be stopped before you leave the hospital.

Tell your nurse right away if you notice:

- feeling dizzy or light-headed
- numbness of your lips, tongue or around your mouth
- problems hearing, seeing or talking
- stiff muscles
- trembling
- seizure

While taking this medication you may notice

- nausea
- pins and needles
- headache
- slow or fast heart beat
- vomiting
- problem passing urine
- fever or chills
- anxiety
- decreased feeling or sensitivity in skin
- trouble breathing

Tell your nurse if you are worried about any of these signs.