

SULFAFURAZOLE (SULPHISOXAZOLE) (Group 3)**A. Evidence for carcinogenicity to humans (*inadequate*)**

No significant association with cancer at any site was observed during 1969-1976 among 11 659 members of a prepaid health plan prescribed sulfafurazole during 1969-1973¹.

B. Evidence for carcinogenicity to animals (*inadequate*)

Sulfafurazole was tested for carcinogenicity in mice and rats by oral administration; no increase in tumour incidence was observed².

C. Other relevant data

No data were available to the Working Group.

References

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