

T-1249



T-1249 is a type of medicine called a fusion inhibitor. Fusion inhibitors work by blocking the entry of HIV into cells.

HIV/AIDS-Related Uses

T-1249 is an investigational medicine that is not yet approved by the FDA for use outside of clinical trials. It is being studied for the treatment of HIV infection. This medicine does not cure or prevent HIV infection or AIDS and does not reduce the risk of passing the virus to other people.

T-1249 may be effective in patients who are not responding to treatment with enfuvirtide (also known as T-20 or Fuzeon), an FDA-approved fusion inhibitor.

Development of T-1249, including future clinical trials, is currently on hold because of technical challenges.

Dosage Information

T-1249 is given as an injection under the skin.

Contraindications

Individuals should tell a doctor about any medical problems before taking this medicine.

Possible Side Effects

Along with its desired effects, T-1249 may cause some unwanted effects. While not all of these effects are known, headaches, fever, swollen lymph nodes, thrush, and diarrhea have been reported. Significantly decreased white blood cell count and severe allergic reactions have also been reported.

Drug and Food Interactions

A doctor should be notified of any other medications being taken, including prescription, nonprescription (over-the-counter), or herbal medications.

Clinical Trials

For information on clinical trials that involve T-1249, visit the ClinicalTrials.gov web site at

<http://www.clinicaltrials.gov>. In the Search box, enter: T-1249 AND HIV Infections.

Manufacturer Information

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