KEFTAB

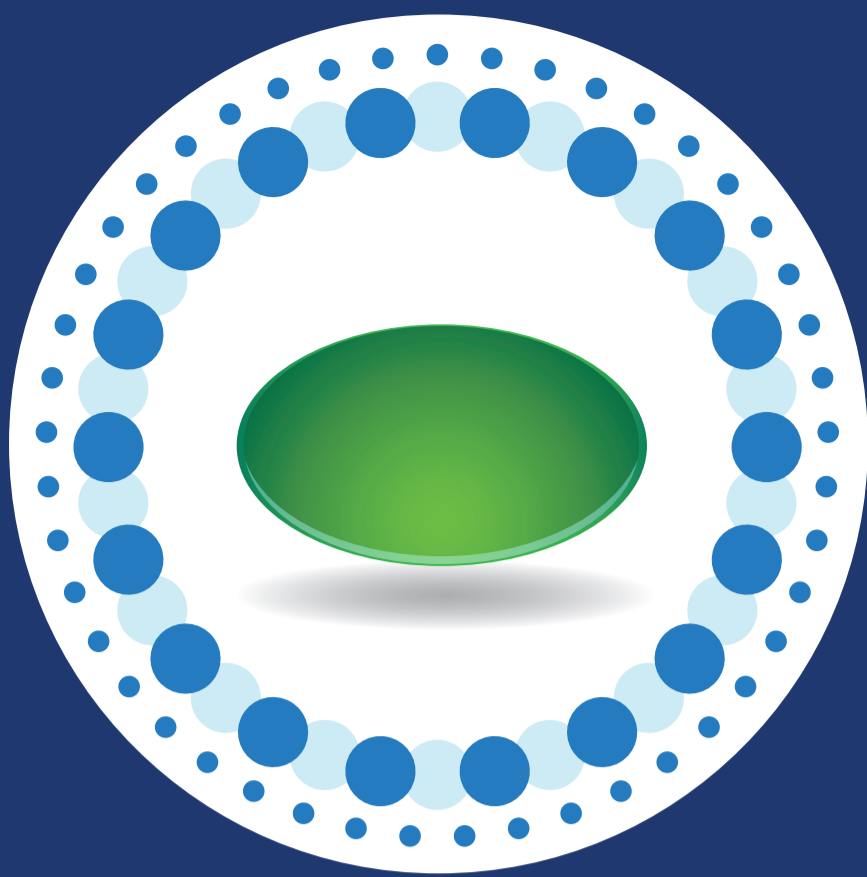## Cephalexin

DRUG USES

Keftab, an antibiotic in the cephalosporin class, is used to treat a variety of bacterial infections. Some of the common uses of Keftab include:

Respiratory Tract Infections: Keftab can be prescribed to treat infections of the respiratory tract, such as pneumonia, bronchitis, and tonsillitis.

Skin and Soft Tissue Infections: It is effective in treating skin infections like cellulitis, impetigo, and infected wounds.

Urinary Tract Infections (UTIs): Keftab is often used to treat uncomplicated UTIs caused by susceptible bacteria.

Bone and Joint Infections: It can be used to treat bone and joint infections caused by certain bacteria.

Ear Infections: Keftab may be prescribed for certain types of ear infections, particularly when caused by susceptible bacteria.

Strep Throat: Streptococcal throat infections, including strep throat, can be treated with Keftab.

Dental Infections: Keftab might be used to manage dental infections and other oral infections.

Bacterial Endocarditis Prophylaxis: In some cases, Keftab might be used as a prophylactic (preventive) measure against bacterial endocarditis before certain dental or surgical procedures in individuals with specific heart conditions.

Other Infections: Keftab could be used for various other infections, depending on the specific bacteria causing the infection and its susceptibility to the antibiotic.

It's important to note that Keftab is effective against a range of bacterial infections, but it might not be effective against infections caused by viruses. Additionally, the choice of antibiotic depends on factors such as the type of infection, the suspected or identified bacteria, the patient's medical history, and any allergies they might have.