

Questions you Should Ask About the Veteran's Medication

- What is the medication for?
- How should the medication be taken?
- Should it be taken with or without food?
- Are there any foods that should be avoided?
- How long is the medication to be taken? How many times per day? Does this medication need to be taken at certain times a day?
- Will this drug interact with the medications the Veteran is currently taking (including over-the-counter medications)?
- Are there medications to be avoided while on this medication?
- What are possible side effects? Can we do anything to avoid or minimize possible side effects?
- How will we know the prescribed medication is working?