

A Convenience Packed Medical Food & Drug

## **Therapoxyphene-325<sup>TM</sup>**



- ▶ **Theramine<sup>TM</sup> 90 Capsules**
- ▶ **Propoxyphene Napsylate 50 mg + Acetaminophen 325 mg 30 Tablets**

No Refills Without  
Physician Authorization

**Rx Only**  
NDC# 68405-8008-36  
of this co-pack

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### **Propoxyphene - Acetaminophen: Why is this medication prescribed?**

Propoxyphene is a medication used to treat pain. It is an opioid analgesic chemically similar to methadone. Propoxyphene is about half to two-thirds as potent as codeine, meaning that 90 to 120mg of propoxyphene provides as much pain relief as 60mg of codeine. This is comparable to the pain relief achieved by 600mg of aspirin. Opioid analgesics, including propoxyphene, reduce pain by blocking the receptors in the brain that are involved in the perception of pain. Acetaminophen is a non-narcotic analgesic (pain reliever) and acts by decreasing the formation of prostaglandins, therefore relieving pain.

### **Theramine<sup>TM</sup> - Why is this medication prescribed?**

**Theramine** is a Medical Food product designed to aid in the nutritional management of pain syndromes. **Theramine** stimulates production of serotonin, GABA, norepinephrine, nitric oxide and acetylcholine, the neurotransmitters that are involved in pain and inflammation. If the timing and secretion of these neurotransmitters are effectively modulated, acute, and chronic pain disorders are more effectively managed. **Theramine** provides L-arginine at a low dose along with choline and L-glutamine used to inhibit the NMDA and opioid receptors.

**Theramine** aids in the nutritional management of serotonin, GABA, and acetylcholine requirements in patients with pain syndromes.

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