Contraindications with plavix

DRUG INTERACTIONS. CYP2C19 Inhibitors. Clopidogrel is metabolized to its active metabolite in part by CYP2C19. Concomitant use of drugs that inhibit the cytochrome P450 system, specifically CYP2C19, may increase the exposure to clopidogrel and its active metabolite, thereby increasing the antiplatelet effect and the risk of bleeding. Concurrent use of clopidogrel (Plavix) and other CYP2C19 inhibitors such as clopidogrel, aspirin, amlodipine, and atorvastatin is contraindicated. 

Clopidogrel is contraindicated in patients with hypersensitivity (e.g., anaphylaxis) to clopidogrel or any component of the product [see ADVERSE REACTIONS (6.2)]. Plavix is contraindicated in patients with a known hypersensitivity to clopidogrel or any component of the product. The effectiveness of Plavix depends on its activation to an active metabolite by the cytochrome P450 system, principally CYP2C19 [see WARNINGS].

Concurrent use of clopidogrel (Plavix) and atorvastatin (Lipitor) is contraindicated. Raghubir N. Comment on S Afr Med J. 2006 Jun;96(6):474. Concurrent use of clopidogrel (Plavix) and atorvastatin (Lipitor) is contraindicated. Raghubir N. Comment on S Afr Med J. 2006. 1 HIGHLIGHTS OF PRESCRIBING INFORMATION These highlights do not include all the information needed to use PLAVIX safely and effectively. See full prescribing information for healthcare professionals. Includes: indications, dosage, adverse reactions, pharmacology and more. 1. Heart Advis. 2011 Jul;14(7):8. Three years ago I received a drug-coated stent and was put on aspirin and Plavix. My cardiologist recently retired, and my new. Common use Expressly and actively inhibits aggregation of platelets (clotting) and dilatates coronary vessels. Plavix can be used to diminish the danger of heart. Use that is common. Plavix is employed to reduce the risk of heart attacks and strokes caused by blood clots is increased in patients with a recent history of stroke.