# Possible Side Effects of Epirubicin (Table Version Date: April 8, 2024)

| **COMMON, SOME MAY BE SERIOUS**  In 100 people receiving Epirubicin, more than 20 and up to 100 may have: |
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| * Infection, possibly in the blood, especially when white blood cell count is low * Bruising, bleeding * Anemia which may require transfusion * Red urine * Sores in mouth which may cause difficulty swallowing * Diarrhea, nausea, vomiting * Absence of or irregular menstrual periods * Swelling and redness of the eye * Tiredness * Hair loss * Flushing, itching, or rash |

| **OCCASIONAL, SOME MAY BE SERIOUS**  In 100 people receiving Epirubicin, from 4 to 20 may have: |
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| * Damage to the heart * Abnormal heartbeat which may cause fainting * Blood clot in lung, which may cause swelling, pain, shortness of breath * Allergic reaction which may cause rash, low blood pressure, wheezing, shortness of breath, swelling of the face or throat * Body aches * Dry or itchy eyes, blurred vision * Swelling, redness, pain or tissue damage at the site of the medication injection or radiation |

| **RARE, AND SERIOUS**  In 100 people receiving Epirubicin, 3 or fewer may have: |
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| * Heart failure which may cause shortness of breath, swelling of ankles, and tiredness * Tumor lysis syndrome which may cause kidney damage which may require dialysis * Damage to the bone marrow that may result in a new cancer (leukemia) caused by chemotherapy |