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✚ REGULATORY NEWS

- **CODEINE-CONTAINING MEDICINES**
Not to be used in children below 12 years for cough and cold
- **EPOETIN BETA**
Increased risk of retinopathy in preterm infants cannot be excluded

✚ DRUGS SAFETY

- **INFLAMMATORY BOWEL DISEASE: ANTI-TNF DRUGS TIED TO RISK FOR DEMYELINATING DISEASES**
Diana Swift
- **DRUG-INDUCED LESIONS OF THE OESOPHAGEAL MUCOSA**
- **BACLOFEN AND PREGNANCY: BIRTH DEFECTS AND WITHDRAWAL SYMPTOMS**

✚ THE INTERESTING FACTS

- **BOTULOTOXIN CAN BE USED IN HEART SURGERY**
- **SCIENTISTS HAVE SHOWN THE WAY FROM BASIC RESEARCH TO DRUG APPEARANCE**
- **POLAR MICROORGANISMS CAN HELP TO OVERCOME CANCER**

✚ PRACTICAL RECOMENDATIONS

- **PARKINSON'S DISEASE: INITIAL TREATMENT OF MOTOR DISORDERS**
- **TOPICAL ANTIINFLAMMATORY THERAPY OF ATOPIC DERMATITIS: UP-TO-DATE APPROACH**
Prof. D.Sh. Macharadze

✚ EVIDENCE BASED MEDICINES

- **ANTITHROMBOTIC TREATMENT AFTER AN ACUTE CORONARY SYNDROME**
- **RIVAROXABAN 2.5 mg**
New indication
No justification for using this anticoagulant after an acute coronary syndrome