1. What is the name of the medication?

2. What is this medication for?
   - How does it help my condition or symptom?

3. How do I take this medication?
   - How much?
   - How often?
   - Does this medication need to be taken at a specific time?
   - If it’s a once-a-day dose, is it best to take it in the morning or at night?
   - Should I take this medication with or without food?
   - What foods, drinks, other medicines, or activities should I avoid while taking this medication?
   - Are there any other special instructions for this medication?

4. How long will I take this medication?
   - Will I need a refill?

5. What side effects can I expect? What should I do if they occur?

6. What should I do if I miss a dose?

7. Does this new prescription mean I should stop taking any other medicines I’m taking now?

8. Will this medication work safely with my other medications, including other prescription medications, over-the-counter medications, vitamins, and other supplements? (Provide medication list as reference)

9. When should I expect the medication to begin to work, and how will I know if it’s working?

10. Is there any additional information I should know about this medication?

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