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## PHARMACOVIGILANCE UNIT, KMCHIHSR

## **DRUG SAFETY ALERT**

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Indian Pharmacopoeia Commission (IPC) after the preliminary analysis of Adverse Drug Reactions (ADRs) from the PvPI database reveals that the following suspected drug is associated with the ADR as given below.

S.NO	SUSPECTED DRUG	INDICATION	ADVERSE DRUG REACTION
1	Cephalosporin	Cephalosporins are beta- lactam antimicrobials used to manage a wide range of infections from Gram- positive and Gram-negative bacteria	Purpura
2	Amikacin	Indicated in the treatment of serious infections due to amikacin sensitive organisms	Blurred Vision

Healthcare Professionals, Patients/Consumers are advised to closely monitor the possibility of the above ADR associated with the use of above suspected drug. If, such reaction is encountered, please report to the Pharmacovigilance unit, KMCHIHSR via **Email** (<a href="mailto:pharmacovigilance@kmchihsr.edu.in">pharmacovigilance@kmchihsr.edu.in</a> / Landline No (04226806808).