

## Afrasia Health Stress Support

### PATIENT INFORMATION LEAFLET

#### SCHEDULING STATUS

Unscheduled

#### Afrasia Health Stress Support capsules

Withania somnifera (Ashwagandha)

Ocimum tenuiflorum (Holy Basil)

Bacopa monnieri (Bacopa/Brahmi)

**Sugar free**

#### COMPLEMENTARY MEDICINE:

**This unregistered medicine has not been evaluated by the SAHPRA for its quality, safety or intended use.**

#### Read all of this leaflet carefully because it contains important information for you.

Afrasia Health Stress Support is available without a doctor's prescription, for you to maintain your health. Nevertheless, you still need to use Afrasia Health Stress Support carefully to get the best results from it.

- Keep this leaflet. You may need to read it again.
- Ask your healthcare provider or pharmacist if you need more information or advice.

#### What is in this leaflet

1. What Afrasia Health Stress Support is and what it is used for
2. What you need to know before you take Afrasia Health Stress Support
3. How to take Afrasia Health Stress Support
4. Possible side effects
5. How to store Afrasia Health Stress Support
6. Contents of the pack and other information

#### 1. What Afrasia Health Stress Support is and what it is used for

Afrasia Health Stress Support is a traditional use herbal supplement, and is used to assist in relief of occasional stress.

#### 2. What you need to know before you take Afrasia Health Stress Support

##### Do not take Afrasia Health Stress Support:

- if you are hypersensitive (allergic) to any of the ingredients of Afrasia Health Stress Support (listed in section 6).
- if you are taking medication that suppresses or reduces the strength of your body's immune system.

#### Warnings and precautions

If your general health worsens while taking Afrasia Health Stress Support, please consult your healthcare provider.

#### Other medicines and Afrasia Health Stress Support

Always tell your healthcare provider if you are taking any other medicine. (This includes all complementary or traditional medicines.) Please consult your healthcare provider before taking Afrasia Health Stress Support if you are currently taking barbiturates (medication that acts as a central nervous system depressant), as the combination may increase the sedative effect.

#### Afrasia Health Stress Support with food and drink

See section 3 (How to take Afrasia Health Stress Support).

#### Pregnancy, breastfeeding and fertility

The safety and efficacy of Afrasia Health Stress Support capsules during pregnancy and lactation have not been established. This medicine should therefore not be taken during pregnancy and lactation.

If you are pregnant or breastfeeding, think you may be pregnant or are planning to have a baby, please consult your doctor, pharmacist or other healthcare provider for advice before taking this medicine.

#### Driving and using machines

It is unlikely that Afrasia Health Stress Support capsules will affect the ability to drive or operate machines.

It is not always possible to predict to what extent Afrasia Health Stress Support may interfere with the daily activities of a patient. Patients should ensure that they do not engage in the above activities until they are aware of the measure to which Afrasia Health Stress Support affects them.

#### 3. How to take Afrasia Health Stress Support

Do not share your medicines with any other person.

Always take Afrasia Health Stress Support exactly as described in this leaflet, or as your doctor or pharmacist has told you. Check with your doctor or pharmacist if you are not sure.

The usual dose is:

Adults: Take 1 capsule twice daily with water before meals, or as directed by your healthcare provider.

#### If you take more Afrasia Health Stress Support that you should

In the event of overdosage, consult your doctor or pharmacist. If neither is available, contact the nearest hospital or poison centre.

#### If you forget to take Afrasia Health Stress Support

Do not take a double dose to make up for the forgotten individual doses.

#### 4. Possible side effects

Afrasia Health Stress Support can have side effects.

Ashwagandha: Frequent side effects include mild to moderate drowsiness that lasts for a short time, upper gastrointestinal discomfort (which may present as upper abdominal pain, indigestion, or bloating), and diarrhoea.

Bacopa: Frequent side effects may include flu-like symptoms, gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, dry mouth, increased bowel movements and muscle weakness or pain.

Not all side effects reported for Afrasia Health Stress Support are included in this leaflet. Should your general health worsen or if you experience any untoward effects while taking Afrasia Health Stress Support, please consult your healthcare provider for advice.

If you notice any side effects not mentioned in this leaflet, please inform your doctor or pharmacist.

#### Reporting of side effects

If you get side effects, talk to your doctor or pharmacist.

You can report side effects to [info@afasiahealth.co.za](mailto:info@afasiahealth.co.za).

You can also report side effects to SAHPRA via the "6.04 Adverse Drug Reaction Reporting Form" found online under SAHPRA's publications: <https://www.sahpra.org.za/Publications/Index/8>.

By reporting side effects, you can help provide more information on the safety of Afrasia Health Stress Support.

#### 5. How to store Afrasia Health Stress Support

- Store all medicines out of reach of children.
- Store in a cool dry place, at or below 25°C, and keep away from direct light.
- Keep the container tightly closed.
- Do not use after the expiry date printed on the container.
- Return all unused medicine to your pharmacist.
- Do not dispose of unused medicine in drains and sewerage systems (e.g. toilets).

#### 6. Contents of the pack and other information

##### What Afrasia Health Stress Support contains

Each capsule contains the following active ingredients:

Withania somnifera (Ashwagandha)	250 mg
Ocimum tenuiflorum (Holy Basil) (leaf extract)	50 mg
Bacopa monnieri (Bacopa/Brahmi) (10% bacoside)	50 mg

The other ingredients are microcrystalline cellulose, silicon dioxide, magnesium stearate.

The capsules are free of gluten, sugar and lactose.

##### What Afrasia Health Stress Support looks like and contents of the pack

Pack size of 60 white capsules in a white plastic bottle, in a carton.

Pack size of 20 white capsules, made up of 2 x blister strips each with 10 capsules per blister enclosed in a cardboard carton.

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#### Access to the corresponding Professional Information

The Professional information leaflet is available at:

<https://www.afasiahealth.co.za/>

## PASIËNTINLIGTINGSBLAD

### SKEDULERINGSSTATUS

Ongeskeduleer

#### Afrasia Health Stress Support kapsules

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Bacopa monnieri (Bacopa/Brahmi)

#### Suikervry

#### KOMPLEMENTÊRE MEDISYNE:

Hierdie ongeregistreerde medisyne is nie deur die SAHPRA geëvalueer vir sy gehalte, veiligheid of beoogde gebruik nie.

Lees hierdie hele inligtingsblad noukeurig deur want dit bevat inligting wat belangrik is vir jou.

Afrasia Health Stress Support is beskikbaar sonder 'n dokter se voorskrif, vir jou om jou gesondheid te onderhou. Nietemin, moet jy Afrasia Health Stress Support versigtig gebruik om die beste resultate daaruit te kry.

- Hou hierdie inligtingsblad. Dit mag nodig wees dat jy dit weer lees.
- Vra gerus jou gesondheidsorgverskaffer of apteker indien jy verdere inligting of advies nodig het.

#### Wat is in hierdie inligtingsblad

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#### 1. Wat Afrasia Health Stress Support is en waarvoor dit gebruik word

Afrasia Health Stress Support is 'n tradisionele kruie-aanvulling en word gebruik om af en toe stres te verlig.

#### 2. Wat jy moet weet voordat jy Afrasia Health Stress Support neem

Moet nie Afrasia Health Stress Support neem:

- indien jy hipersensitief (allergies) is vir enige van die bestanddele van Afrasia Health Stress Support (sien **Wat Afrasia Health Stress Support bevat**).
- as jy medisyne gebruik wat die sterkte van jou liggaam se immuunstelsel onderdruk of verminder.

#### Waaskuwings en voorsorgmaatreëls

Indien jou algemene gesondheid verswak gedurende die gebruik van Afrasia Health Stress Support, raadpleeg jou gesondheidsorgverskaffer.

#### Ander medisyne en Afrasia Health Stress Support

Sê altyd vir jou gesondheidsorgverskaffer indien jy enige ander medisyne neem. (Dit sluit alle komplementêre of tradisionele medisyne in.)

Raadpleeg jou gesondheidsorgverskaffer voordat jy Afrasia Health Stress Support neem, as jy tans barbiturate gebruik (medisyne wat as 'n sentrale senuweestelsel depressant werk), aangesien die kombinasie die kalmerende effek kan verhoog.

#### Afrasia Health Stress Support met voedsel en drank

Sien afdeling 3 (**Hoe om Afrasia Health Stress Support te neem**).

#### Swangerskap, borsvoeding en vrugbaarheid

Die veiligheid en effektiwiteit van Afrasia Health Stress Support kapsules tydens swangerskap en borsvoeding is nie vasgestel nie. Hierdie medisyne moet dus nie tydens swangerskap en borsvoeding geneem word nie.

Indien jy swanger is of jou baba borsvoed, dink dat jy swanger mag wees of beplan om swanger te raak, raadpleeg asseblief jou dokter, apteker of ander gesondheidsorgverskaffer voordat jy die medisyne neem.

#### Bestuur en die gebruik van masjiene

Dit is onwaarskynlik dat Afrasia Health Stress Support 'n invloed sal hê op jou vermoë om 'n voertuig te bestuur en masjiene te gebruik. Dit is nie altyd moontlik om te voorspel in watter mate Afrasia Health Stress Support die daaglikse aktiwiteite van 'n pasiënt kan beïnvloed nie. Pasiënte moet toesien dat hulle nie aan bogenoemde aktiwiteite deelneem nie, totdat hulle bewus is van die uitwerking wat Afrasia Health Stress Support op hulle sal hê.

#### 3. Hoe om Afrasia Health Stress Support te neem

Moet nie jou medisyne met enige ander persoon deel nie. Neem Afrasia Health Stress Support altyd presies soos aangedui in hierdie inligtingsblad, of soos jou dokter of apteker vir jou verduidelik het. Vra gerus jou dokter of apteker indien jy onseker is.

Die gewone dosis is:

Volwassenes: Neem 1 kapsule twee keer per dag saam met water, voor etes, of soos voorgeskryf deur jou gesondheidsorgverskaffer.

#### As jy meer Afrasia Health Stress Support neem as wat jy moet

In geval van oordosering, raadpleeg jou dokter of apteker. Indien nie een van hulle beskikbaar is nie, kontak die naaste hospitaal of gifsentrum.

#### As jy vergeet om Afrasia Health Stress Support te neem

Moet nie 'n dubbele dosis neem om vir die vergete dosis op te maak nie.

#### 4. Moontlike nuwe-effekte

Afrasia Health Stress Support kan nuwe- effekte hê.

Ashwagandha: Gereelde nuwe-effekte kan die volgende insluit: ligte- tot matige slaperigheid wat vir 'n kort rukkie duur, ongemak in die boonste spysverteringskanaal (wat kan voorkom as boonste buik, spysvertering of opgeblasenheid) en diarree .

Bacopa: Gereelde nuwe-effekte kan griepagtige simptome, gastro-intestinale irritasie, naarheid, droë mond, verhoogde dermbewegings en spierswakheid of pyn insluit.

Nie alle nuwe-effekte wat vir Afrasia Health Stress Support gerapporteer is, word in hierdie inligtingsblad ingesluit nie. Indien jou algemene gesondheid verswak of indien jy enige ongunstige effekte onderwind terwyl jy Afrasia Health Stress Support neem, raadpleeg asseblief jou gesondheidsorgverskaffer.

Indien jy enige nuwe-effekte opmerk wat nie in hierdie inligtingsblad genoem word nie, sê asseblief vir jou dokter of apteker daarvan.

#### Aanmelding van nuwe-effekte

Indien jy nuwe-effekte ondervind, bespreek dit met jou dokter of apteker. Jy kan nuwe-effekte by [info@afasiahealth.co.za](mailto:info@afasiahealth.co.za) rapporteer. Jy kan ook nuwe-effekte aan SAHPRA rapporteer deur die "6.04 Adverse Drug Reaction Reporting Form" te gebruik, aanlyn gevind onder SAHPRA se publikasies: <https://www.sahpra.org.za/Publications/Index/8> .

Deur nuwe-effekte te rapporteer kan jy help om meer inligting rakende die veiligheid van Afrasia Health Stress Support te verskaf.

#### 5. Hoe om Afrasia Health Stress Support te bêre

- Bêre alle medisyne buite die bereik van kinders.
- Bêre in 'n koel droë plek, teen of benede 25°C, en hou weg van direkte lig.
- Hou die houder dig toe.
- Moet nie gebruik word na die vervaldatum wat op die houder gedruk is nie.
- Neem alle ongebruikte medisyne terug na jou apteker.
- Moet nie ongebruikte medisyne in dreine en rioelstelsels (bv. toilette) weggooi nie.

#### 6. Inhoud van die verpakking en ander inligting

##### Wat Afrasia Health Stress Support bevat

Elke kapsule bevat die volgende aktiewe bestanddele:

Withania somnifera (Ashwagandha)	250 mg
Ocimum tenuiflorum (Holy Basil) (blaar uittreksel)	50 mg
Bacopa monnieri (Bacopa/Brahmi) (10% bacoside)	50 mg

Die ander bestanddele is mikrokristallyne sellulose, silikondioksied, magnesiumstearaat.

Die kapsules bevat geen gluten, suiker en laktose.

##### Hoe Afrasia Health Stress Support lyk en die inhoud van die verpakking

Pakgrootte van 60 wit kapsules in 'n wit plastiekbottel, in 'n karton. Pakgrootte van 20 wit kapsules, bestaan uit 2 x blisterstroke elk met 10 kapsules per blister wat binne-in 'n kartonhouer is.

##### Houer van Registrasiesertifikaat

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