

PURE RED CELL APLASIA (PRCA)

- Incidence of anemia is higher when MMF is administered at higher doses (1.5 g twice daily).
- Dose reduction and discontinuation usually successfully reverse PRCA though caution should be taken to avoid increasing risk of graft rejection.
- Repeated bone marrow examinations can be carried out to confirm improvement.

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