

Food - Drug Interactions

Does the food you eat affect the medicine you are taking?

Procarbazine (Matulane®)

What is this medicine used for?

It is used with other cancer medicines to treat Hodgkin's disease and other kinds of cancer.

What foods should I avoid if I take procarbazine?

Alcohol	Caffeine	Coffee
Soda Pop	Chocolate	Smoked Fish
Bologna	Liver	Pickled Fish
Pepperoni	Salami	Broad Beans
Sauerkraut	Avocado	Raspberries
Soy Sauce	Peanuts	Soya Beans
Snow Peas	Caviar	Summer Sausage
Fava Beans	Miso Soup	Cheese



You should avoid alcohol while taking procarbazine, and up to 2 - 4 weeks after you finish taking the medicine!

What could happen if I take procarbazine and these foods at the same time?

Nausea
Vomiting
Headache

Flushing (Your whole
body or part of your
body will heat up)

