**Nitrofurantoin Antibiotic**

Nitrofurantoin is an effective antibiotic used to prevent and treat infections of the bladder, kidney and other parts of the urinary tract but it has been linked to side effects affecting the lungs and liver.

If you are taking Nitrofurantoin seek medical advice if you experience trouble breathing, shortness of breath, a lingering cough, coughing up blood or mucus or pain or discomfort when breathing. These may be symptoms of a side effect affecting your lungs.

Talk to your doctor or another healthcare professional promptly if you develop yellowing of the skin or eyes, itching or joint pain and swelling. These may be symptoms of a side effect affecting the liver.