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Sulopenem Etzadroxil

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An orally available ester prodrug form of sulopenem, a thiopenem with broad-spectrum antibacterial activity against most gram-positive and gram-negative bacteria. After oral administration of sulopenem etzadroxil, the ester bond is cleaved, releasing active sulopenem. Sulopenem is not active against *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*. In addition, this agent is fairly stable against hydrolysis by various beta-lactamases.