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Ceftizoxime Alapivoxil

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The alapivalate ester prodrug form of ceftizoxime, a semi-synthetic, broad-spectrum, beta-lactamase-resistant, third-generation cephalosporin with antibacterial activity. After oral administration of ceftizoxime alapivoxil, the ester bond is cleaved, releasing active ceftizoxime.