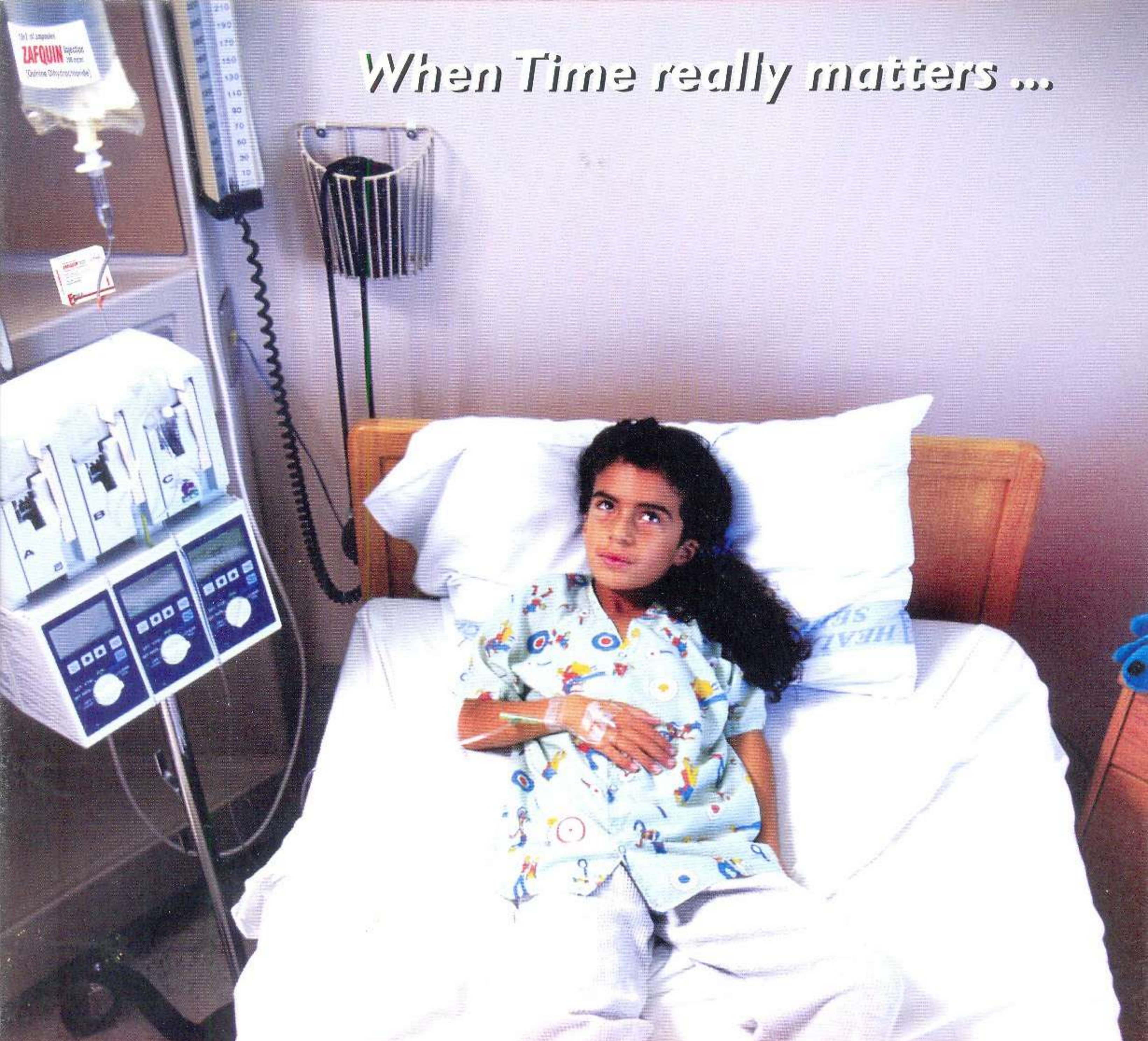


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## A Prompt and Effective Parenteral Antimalarial Therapy

- As per treatment policy of National Malaria Control Program the treatment of choice for severe malaria in Pakistan is Quinine because it is still effective against *P. falciparum* infection.
- Could be used as first line treatment for patients who fail to respond to chloroquine and are hypersensitive to sulfa drugs.
- A Valuable initial treatment for patient with uncomplicated malaria who is repeatedly vomiting and therefore unable to take oral drugs.
- Quinine is still the drug of choice for severe falciparum malaria in most countries.
- According to WHO Quinine is safe during pregnancy.

### Abridged Prescribing information:

**Composition:** Each ampoule contains 600 mg Quinine Dihydrochloride

**Indication:** chloroquine resistant falciparum malaria, alternative for chloroquine sensitive strains of *P. falciparum*, *P. malariae*, *P. ovale* & *P. vivax*.

**Contra-indication:** Contra-indicated in patients with a history of hypersensitivity to quinine, in the presence of haemolysis and in patients with tinnitus or optic neuritis.

**Precaution:** Should be used with caution in the patients with atrial fibrillation (Tachyarrhythmia) or other serious heart diseases, patients taking anticoagulant or in pregnancy.

**Dosage:** As directed by physician, generally as;

**Adults:** 300mg-600mg (1-2ml) three times daily (depending upon severity).

**Children:** 25mg-30mg per kg body weight per day (in three divided doses).

**Administration:** IM or slow IV or IV infusion. It should be diluted with water for injection atleast 10 times before administration.



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