Caution: DHE must not be given to or continued in patients who develop the following conditions:
- Pregnancy
- History of ischemic heart disease
- History of Prinzmetal's angina
- Severe peripheral vascular disease
- Onset of chest pain following administration of test dose
- Within 24 hours of receiving any triptan or ergot derivative
- Elevated blood pressure
- Patients with hemiplegic or basilar-type migraines*
* Basilar-type migraine is defined as three of the following features: diplopia, dysarthria, tinnitus, vertigo, transient hearing loss or mental confusion (Headache Classification Subcommittee of the International Headache Society, 2004)