INFORMATION FOR THE PATIENT **MYLAN-BECLO AQ**

Nasal Spray

(Beclomethasone Dipropionate Aqueous Suspension) 50 mca/metered dose

Before using your MYLAN-BECLO AQ Nasal Spray, please read this leaflet carefully and follow these instructions.

Directions for use



1. Remove the dust cap from the nasal applicator. Shake the bottle.



2. The very first time the spray is used, prime the pump by pressing downwards on the white collar using your index and middle fingers while supporting the base of the bottle with your thumb. Press down until a fine spray appears. The spray is now ready for use. It should be necesary to prime the pump only when using the spray for the first time, unless it is infrequently used or disassembled.



3. Gently blow your nose. Close one nostril. Tilt your head forward slightly and, keeping the bottle upright, carefully insert the nasal applicator into the other nostril.



4. For each spray your physician has instructed you to take, press firmly downwards once on the white collar using your index and middle fingers. while supporting the base of the bottle with your thumb. Breathe gently inwards through the nostril, then breathe out through your mouth.



5. Repeat the procedure for your other nostril.

Replace the dust cap.

Dosage

It is essential that you use MYLAN-BECLO AQ nasal spray regularly at the intervals recommended by your doctor. Do not stop or change dosage without consulting your doctor. Children should use MYLAN-BECLO AQ nasal spray under the supervision of an adult who is aware of proper use.

The usual dose for patients of all ages who received no previous systemic steroid is 2 applications (100 mcg of beclomethasone dipropionate) into each nostril twice daily. Maximum daily dose should not exceed 12 applications (600 mcg of beclomethasone dipropionate) in adults and 8 applications (400 mcg of beclomethasone dipropionate) in children. MYLAN-BECLO AQ nasal spray should not be used in children under 6 years of age.

After taking your medicine

Contact your doctor if:

- · you do not detect any improvement in 3 weeks
- · nasal irritation occurs
- · coloured (yellow or green) nasal secretions appear
- · repeated nasal bleeding occurs

Caution

MYLAN-BECLO AQ nasal spray is not intended to give instant relief of your nasal congestion but to correct the underlying disorder responsible for your symptoms. It may take a few days (and up to 2 weeks) before you notice any improvement.

Cleaning

To clean the nasal applicator, remove the dust cap, press gently upwards on the white collar and the nasal applicator will come free. Wash the applicator and dust cap under cold water. Dry and replace the applicator with the dust cap back in postition.

If the nasal applicator becomes blocked, remove the dust cap, pull off the complete pump mechanism and soak it in warm water for a few minutes. Rinse with cold water, dry and refit to bottle.

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Discard 3 months after first using the spray.



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