

Instructions for Use

Beclomethasone Dipropionate (be'' kloe meth' a sone dye proe' pee oh nate) HFA Inhalation Aerosol

It is important that you read these instructions before using beclomethasone dipropionate HFA inhalation aerosol.

Correct and regular use of the inhaler will prevent or lessen the severity of asthma attacks.

- **Do not** use the beclomethasone dipropionate HFA inhalation aerosol actuator with a canister of medicine from any other inhaler.
- **Do not** use a beclomethasone dipropionate HFA inhalation aerosol canister with an actuator from any other inhaler, including another beclomethasone dipropionate HFA inhalation aerosol inhaler.

The parts of your beclomethasone dipropionate HFA inhalation aerosol:

- There are 2 main parts of your beclomethasone dipropionate HFA inhalation aerosol inhaler including the:
 - metal canister that holds the medicine (See Figure A)
 - plastic actuator that sprays the medicine from the canister (See Figure A)

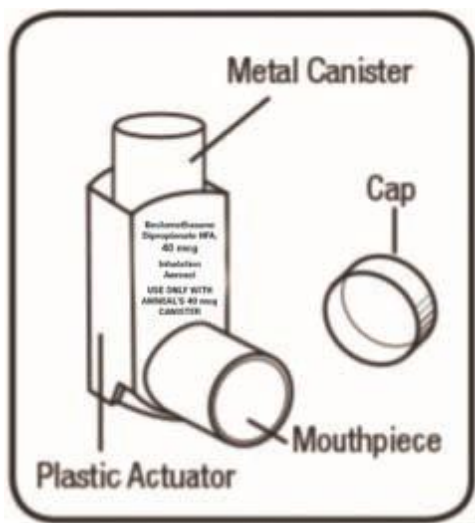


Figure A

- The inhaler has a cap that covers the mouthpiece of the actuator to protect it from dust (See Figure A). The cap should be removed before use.
- The inhaler comes with a dose counter located on the back of the actuator (See Figure B). The dose counter window will show you the number of actuations (puffs) of medicine remaining in units of **one (1)**. The inhaler contains “**120**” actuations (puffs).

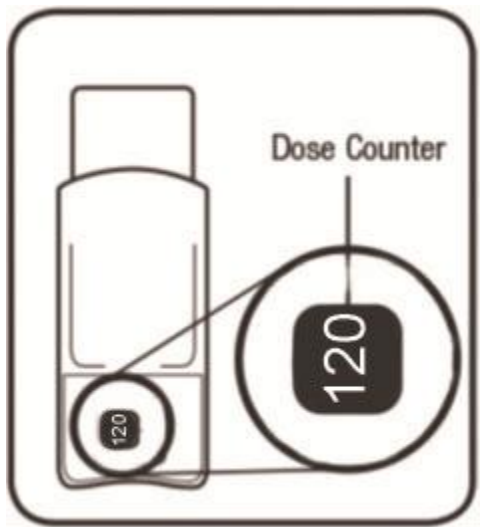


Figure B

- The first time you use beclomethasone dipropionate HFA inhalation aerosol inhaler, the dose counter will show “120” actuations remaining (See Figure B). Each time you press the metal canister, a puff of medicine is released and the dose counter will count down.
- When the dose counter reaches 0, it will continue to show 0 and you should replace your beclomethasone dipropionate HFA inhalation aerosol inhaler.
- The dose counter cannot be reset and is permanently inserted into the actuator. Never change the numbers for the dose counter or touch the white component inside the actuator.

Do not remove the metal canister from the plastic actuator.

Before using your beclomethasone dipropionate HFA inhalation aerosol inhaler:

Remove the cap from the mouthpiece of the actuator (See Figure C). Check the mouthpiece for objects before use. Make sure the metal canister is fully inserted into the actuator.

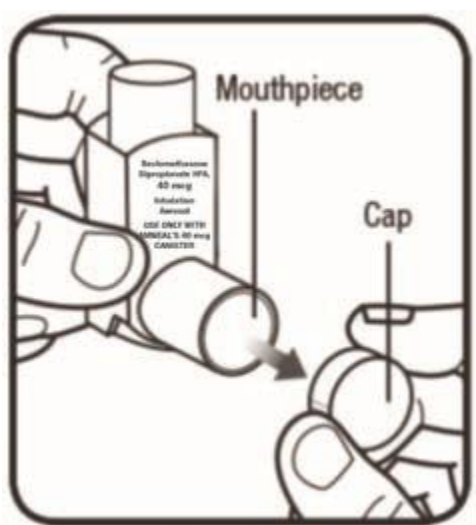


Figure C

Priming your beclomethasone dipropionate HFA inhalation aerosol inhaler:

Before you use your beclomethasone dipropionate HFA inhalation aerosol inhaler for the first time or if you have not used your beclomethasone dipropionate HFA inhalation aerosol inhaler for more than 10 days, you will need to prime your beclomethasone dipropionate HFA inhalation aerosol inhaler.

- Before priming, the inhaler will show “122” in the dose counter window until it has been primed 2 times, at which point the total number of actuations will be displayed (See Figure D).

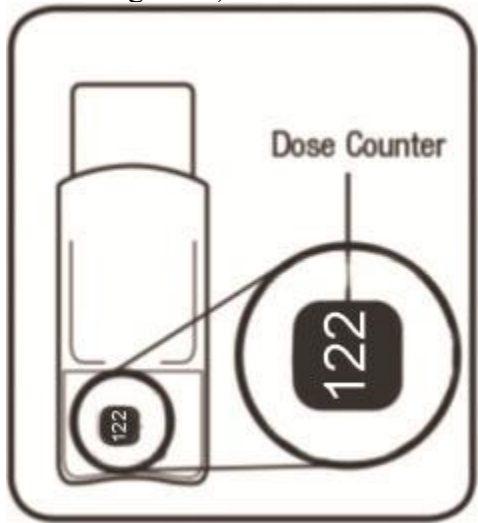


Figure D

- Hold the beclomethasone dipropionate HFA inhalation aerosol inhaler in the upright position and with the mouthpiece pointing away from you.
- Press down on the metal canister **2** times and release **2** actuations (puffs) into the air and away from your face.
- After priming 2 times, the dose counter should read “**120**”.
 - Your beclomethasone dipropionate HFA inhalation aerosol inhaler is now ready to use.

Using your beclomethasone dipropionate HFA inhalation aerosol inhaler:

Step 1: Remove the cap from the mouthpiece of the actuator (See Figure C). Check the mouthpiece for objects before use. Make sure the metal canister is fully inserted into the actuator.

Step 2: Breathe out as fully as you comfortably can. Hold the inhaler in the upright position (See Figure E). Close your lips around the mouthpiece, keeping your tongue below it.

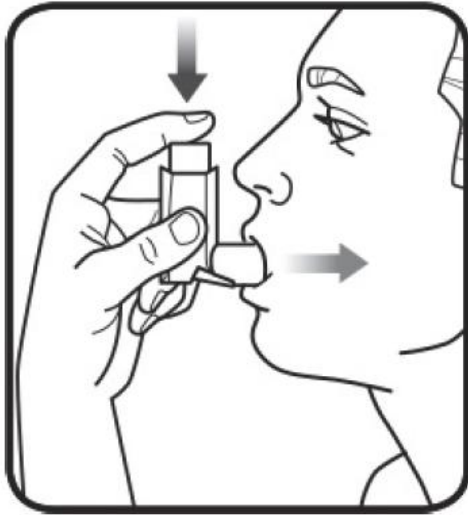


Figure E

Step 3: While breathing in deeply and slowly, press down on the metal canister with your finger (See Figure E). When you have finished breathing in, hold your breath as long as you comfortably can (5 to 10 seconds).

Step 4: Take your finger off the metal canister and remove the inhaler from your mouth. Breathe out gently.

If your healthcare provider has told you to take more than 1 inhalation per dose, repeat steps 1 through 4.

After using your beclomethasone dipropionate HFA inhalation aerosol inhaler:

- Replace the cap over the mouthpiece right away after use.
- You should rinse your mouth with water **without swallowing** after you finish using beclomethasone dipropionate HFA inhalation aerosol.
- Clean the mouthpiece of your beclomethasone dipropionate HFA inhalation aerosol inhaler weekly with a clean, dry tissue or cloth.
- **Do not** wash or put any part of your inhaler in water.

When to replace your beclomethasone dipropionate HFA inhalation aerosol inhaler:

- It is important that you pay attention to the number of actuations (puffs) left in your beclomethasone dipropionate HFA inhalation aerosol inhaler by reading the dose counter.
- **When the dose counter on the actuator reads “20”,** you should refill your prescription or ask your healthcare provider if you need another prescription for beclomethasone dipropionate HFA inhalation aerosol inhaler.
- When the dose counter reaches **“0” throw away your beclomethasone dipropionate HFA inhalation aerosol inhaler** or by the expiration date on the beclomethasone dipropionate HFA inhalation aerosol inhaler package, whichever comes first.
- **Do not** use beclomethasone dipropionate HFA inhalation aerosol past the expiration date.

This Patient Information and Instructions for Use has been approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration.