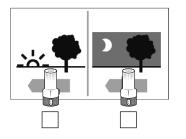


Reason for taking this medicine:

- To help reduce and prevent swelling in the lungs.
- This is a controller medicine and will not help if you are coughing, wheezing or have shortness of breath.
- This is a medicine that must be used every day.

How and when to take this medicine:



Use 1 or 2 times each day, as directed by your doctor.

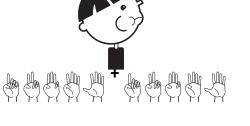
- 1. Open the inhaler
- Hold inhaler upright with the colored base on the bottom.

- Hold the bottom and twist the white cap to the left, you will hear and feel a click.
- Lift the cap off.
- Make sure the arrow is lined up with the dose counter.
- Do not shake the inhaler.

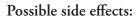




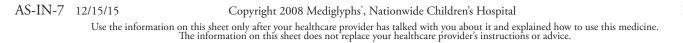
- 2. Inhale a dose
- Turn your head to the side and <u>breathe out</u>
 - Do not breathe into the inhaler
- Close mouth tightly around the mouthpiece.
- Breathe in fast and deep through the mouthpiece.
 <u>SUCK LIKE A MILKSHAKE!</u>
- You may not feel or taste the medicine.
- 3. Hold your breath for 10 seconds.



4. Replace the cap and twist it to the right until it clicks. The cap must be closed to load the next dose.



- Dry mouth
 Sore throat
 Hoarse voic
 - Hoarse voiceHeadache



Call the doctor or clinic if:

- You are exposed to chickenpox or measles.
- You can see blood when you spit.
- You have white spots in the mouth, called thrush.
- You have questions about this medicine or how to use it.

Important things to remember:





water



Fill mouth with water

Spit out water

- <u>Rinse your mouth out with water, brush teeth, or get a drink</u> <u>after every use. This can help avoid getting thrush.</u>
- If you suddenly have trouble breathing, <u>use your rescue inhaler</u>, <u>albuterol.</u>
- Asmanex[®] may take a few weeks before it starts to work.
 - Use this medicine until your doctor tells you to stop.
- Wipe the mouthpiece with a dry cloth after each use.
- <u>Refill your inhaler every 30 days or when the dose counter</u> shows "05".

How to store:

- Store in cool dry cabinet.
- Do not store in bathroom.
- Keep out of reach of children.

