

## (Mometasone and Formoterol) Metered dose inhaler with spacer and mask











200/5 mcg

## Reason for taking this medicine:

- To help reduce and prevent swelling in the lungs.
- This is a controller medicine to prevent asthma flare-ups and help control asthma symptoms. Use this medicine when you are in the green zone on your asthma action plan.
- This is a medicine that must be used every day.

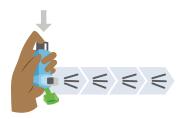
### How and when to take this medicine:

- Use a spacer and mask with this inhaler.
- Use 2 times each day: 2 puffs in the morning and 2 puffs in the evening.





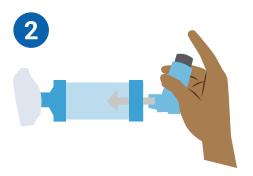


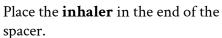


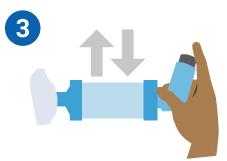
#### The **first time** you use this inhaler:

- Shake and then push down on the inhaler 4 times to prime or waste the inhaler.
- Spray the medicine into the air.
- The dose counter should show "120."







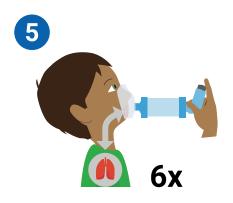


Shake well for 10 seconds.



Place mask tightly over the nose and mouth.

- Push down on the inhaler.
- Take slow, deep breaths.











Breathe in and out 6 times.

Wait 1 minute.

Repeat steps 3-5 for second puff.

#### Possible side effects:



- Dry mouth
- Sore throat
- · Hoarse voice
- Headache
- Fast heartbeat
- Can make you hyper or cause your body to shake.

#### 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:







- Rinse your mouth with water, brush teeth, or get a drink after every use. This can help avoid getting thrush.
- If you are suddenly having trouble breathing, **use your rescue inhaler.**
- Dulera® may take a few weeks before it starts to work.
  - Use this medicine until your doctor tells you to stop.
- Never put the metal canister in water.

- Clean plastic holder each week:
  - Dulera® has a built-in dose counter; do not remove the metal canister.
  - Use a cotton swab to clean the opening where the medicine sprays out of the canister.
- Clean spacer and mask each week:
  - You may place this in the top rack of a dishwasher.

#### OR

- Soak in warm soapy water for 15 minutes.
- Run water through it, shake off water, and set out to dry.
- Dulera® has a dose counter to tell you when the inhaler is empty.
- Refill your inhaler when the dose counter shows "020."

#### How to store:





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

