



If you get any side effects, talk to your doctor, pharmacist or nurse. This includes any possible side effects not listed in the package leaflet. In the UK you can also report side effects directly via the Yellow Card Scheme at www.mhra.gov.uk/yellowcard. In Ireland you can report side effects directly at www.hpra.ie. By reporting side effects you can help provide more information on the safety of this medicine.

Frequently Asked Questions for people with CF prescribed Bramitob®

What is Bramitob?

Bramitob contains an antibiotic called tobramycin. It belongs to the group of antibiotics called aminoglycosides.

What does Bramitob do?

Bramitob is an inhaled antibiotic used to manage lung infections caused by *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* in people with cystic fibrosis who are 6 years old or over.

For more information on lung infections and for how inhaled antibiotics work, you can watch our 'Lung Infections Animation' video which can be found [here](#).

When should Bramitob be taken?

You should take Bramitob twice a day, with doses taken as close to 12 hours apart as possible. Each course is to be taken for 28 days. You then have 28 days without taking Bramitob, before starting another 28-day treatment cycle. You should keep taking Bramitob in the way your doctor has told you, until they tell you to stop.

What should I do if I miss a dose?

If you forget a dose, take it as soon as you remember as long as there is 6 hours before your next dose. However, if there is less than 6 hours until your next dose, skip the missed dose. Do not inhale the contents of more than one container to make up for a missed dose.

How should I take Bramitob?

You should inhale the contents of one container in the morning and one in the evening. Bramitob should be taken through a clean, dry PARI LC PLUS or PARI LC SPRINT reusable nebuliser (for your own personal use only) and a suitable compressor. Ask your doctor or physiotherapist for advice on which compressor to use.

How long does it take to inhale each dose of Bramitob?

One dose of Bramitob is nebulised in about 15 minutes.

How should I store Bramitob?

You can store your Bramitob in a refrigerator (2-8°C) or Bramitob bags (intact or opened) may be stored for up to 3 months at no more than 25°C. Store your containers in the original packaging, in order to protect them from light.

Does my nebuliser need cleaning?

Your nebuliser will need cleaning and disinfecting after each dose. For a step by step guide please refer to the instructions provided with the nebuliser.

What are the possible side effects?

The tobramycin in Bramitob is one of a group of medicines that can occasionally cause hearing loss and dizziness. It is important that you tell your healthcare professional as soon as possible if you experience either of these or any other side effects while taking Bramitob. Kidney damage has also been associated with tobramycin and at risk patients should therefore consult their doctor.

If you would like information about other potential side effects, please see the patient information leaflet which is provided with your Bramitob, an online version of this can be found [here](#).