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Source of information: leaflet (note: the instructions might differ according to the brand of the acquired inhaler)

Testing your inhaler

The inhaler is packaged in a tray. Don't open the tray until you are ready to take a dose of your medicine. When you are ready to use your inhaler, peel back the lid to open the tray. The tray contains a desiccant sachet, to reduce moisture. Throw this desiccant sachet away. Don't open, eat or inhale it.

Using your inhaler





When you take the inhaler out of its tray, it will be in the 'closed' position. Don't open the inhaler until you are ready to inhale a dose of medicine. Don't shake it.





Slide the cover down until you hear a "click". Your medicine is now ready to be inhaled. The dose counter counts down by 1 to confirm.





While holding the inhaler away from your mouth, breathe out as far as is comfortable. Don't breathe out into the inhaler.



mouthpiece Put the between your lips, and close your lips firmly around it. Don't block the air vent with your fingers.



Take one long, steady, deep breath in.



Hold this breath for as long as possible (at least 3-4 seconds). Remove the inhaler from your mouth.





Breathe out slowly and gently.





Slide the cover upwards as far as it will go, to cover the mouthpiece.