

# Breezhaler

#### **TECHNIQUE**

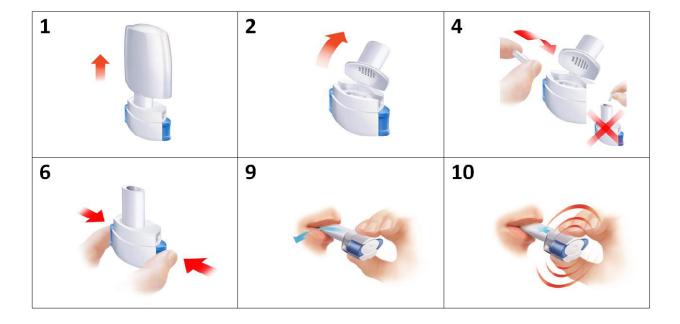
- 1. Pull off the cap.
- 2. Open inhalation device: Hold the base of the inhaler firmly and tilt the mouthpiece to open the inhalation device.
- 3. Prepare the capsule.
- 4. Insert the capsule: Place the capsule into the capsule chamber.
- 5. Close the inhalation device. You should hear a 'click' if it is closed properly.
- 6. Pierce the capsule. Do not press the piercing buttons more than once.
- 7. Release the buttons fully.
- 8. Breathe out. Never blow into the mouthpiece.
- 9. Hold the inhaler such that that buttons are place on the left and right.
- 10. Place the mouthpiece in your mouth and close your lips firmly around the mouthpiece. **Breathe in rapidly but steadily, as deeply as you can.**
- **11. Note**: As you breathe in through the inhalation device, the capsule spins around in the chamber and you should hear a whirring noise.
- 12. Hold your breath for at least 5-10 seconds. Then breathe out.
- **13. Remove the capsule**: Open the mouthpiece again, remove the empty capsule by tipping it out, and discard it. Close the inhalation device and replace the cap.
- **14. Mark daily dose tracker**: Put a mark in today's box if it helps to remind you of when your next dose is due.

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### Maintenance and Cleaning

- Never wash the inhaler with water. Always keep the inhaler and capsules in a dry place.
- Always use the new inhaler that comes with your new medication pack (use a new inhaler each month).
- Do not store the capsules in the inhaler. Capsules must only be removed from the blister pack immediately before use.

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