## Instructions for Use

Important information to know before you give Maviret to your child.

# Step 1 – Get the number of sachets as advised by your child's doctor

The following number of sachets are needed once every day:

- o 3 sachets if your child weighs 12 kg to less than 20 kg
- 4 sachets if your child weighs 20 kg to less than 30 kg
- o 5 sachets if your child weighs 30 kg to less than 45 kg

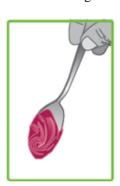
If your child weighs 45 kg or more, talk to your child's doctor about tablets.

You will need to mix the granules (in sachets) with 1-2 teaspoons (5-10 mL) of recommended food listed below.

Do not give more than 5 sachets per day.

### Step 2 - Choose suitable food to mix with granules

Suitable food should stick to the spoon. It must be soft, low in water content and can be swallowed without chewing.



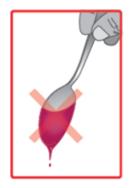
For example:

- Greek yogurt
- Cream/soft cheese
- Peanutbutter
- Chocolate hazelnut spread
- Thick iam
- Other food that sticks to the spoon

Ma viret should be taken at the same time or straight after a meal or snack. The food used to mix the granules does not replace the meal or snack to take with Ma viret.

Do not use food that your child is a llergic to.

Do not use food if it drips off a spoon as the medicine may dissolve quickly, taste bitter or doesn't work as well.



For example:

- Liquids or watery food
- Apple sauce
- Food or liquid that is heated or frozen
- Bread or other food that requires chewing
- Yogurt other than Greek yogurt
- Baby Food
- Food that drips off the

spoon

Speak to your child's doctor or pharmacist for more information a bout suitable food.

#### **Step 3 - Gather materials**

Place the following on a clean surface:

- Sachets
- Soft food
- Bowl to use for mixing
- Teaspoon
- Scissors

#### Step 4 - Measure food



Place a small amount (1-2 teaspoon or 5-10 mL) of soft food into a bowl.

Place the food in the bowl first as this will help contain the very small granules inside the sachets.

### **Step 5 - Prepare sachet**

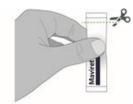


Look for the dotted line on the sachet (this is the top).

Hold the sachet upright and tap the top of the sachet. Keep tapping until all the granules inside fall to the bottom.

Feel the top of the sachet to make sure all granules are at the bottom.

### Step 6 - Cut top of sachet



Pinch the sachet in the centre, above the granules inside.

Use scissors to cut the top of the sachet completely off.

Be careful as the granules

are very small and can fall out easily.

Step 7 - Pour sachet



Make sure the sachet is fully open.

Carefully pour all granules out of the sachet into the bowl of food. The granules are different colours: pink and yellow.

Tap sachet to get all the granules out.

Repeat for each sachet for your child's daily dose.

**Step 8 - Check sachet** 



Look inside each sachet to make sure there are no granules left inside.

Do not leave any granules behind as the medicine will not work as well if the full dose is not taken.

Step 9 - Mix



Use the tea spoon to gently stir the granules into the food. Do not crush the granules. If the granules are crushed, they will taste bitter.

Give it to your child immediately - do not store the mixture.

If not given within 5 minutes, the mixture may taste bitter. If not given within 15 minutes, the medicine may not work as well. Throw a way and start again.

Step 10 - Give the medicine



Scoop a small amount of mixture onto the teaspoon.

Make sure your child swallows the mixture without chewing. Repeat until your child has taken all the mixture.

If any granules are left, add more food and mix. Then finish the dose.

Make sure your child takes the full dose of the medicine. If your child does not take the full dose, contact your healthcare provider.

If your child misses a dose:

- If it is less than 6 hours until the next dose, skip the missed dose. Do not take a double dose to make up for a missed dose.
- If it is 6 hours or more until the next dose, take the missed dose and then take the next dose at the usual time.

**Step 11 - Confirm dose for tomorrow** 



Check to make sure there are enough sachets for your child's next dose of Maviret.

Contact your child's doctor or pharmacist for replacement sachets or to refill your prescription.

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