INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE ZEPBOUND® [ZEHP-bownd]

(tirzepatide)

injection, for subcutaneous use

2.5 mg/0.5 mL single-dose vial 5 mg/0.5 mL single-dose vial 7.5 mg/0.5 mL single-dose vial 10 mg/0.5 mL single-dose vial 12.5 mg/0.5 mL single-dose vial 15 mg/0.5 mL single-dose vial

Important information you need to know before injecting ZEPBOUND

Read this Instructions for Use before you start taking ZEPBOUND and each time you get a new vial. There may be new information. This information does not take the place of talking to your healthcare provider about your medical condition or your treatment.

Do not share your needles or syringes with other people. You may give other people a serious infection or get a serious infection from them.

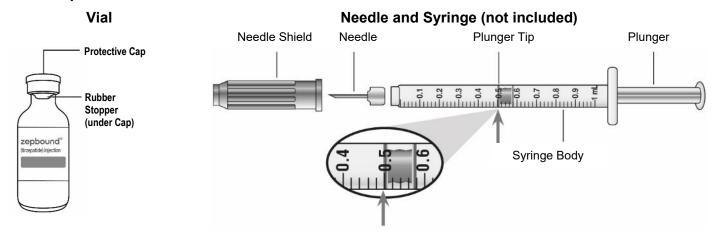
Talk to your healthcare provider about how to inject ZEPBOUND the right way.

- ZEPBOUND is a single-dose vial.
- ZEPBOUND is used 1 time each week.
- Inject under the skin (subcutaneously) only.
- You or another person may inject into your stomach (abdomen) or thigh.
- Another person can inject into the back of your upper arm.

Gather supplies needed to give your injection

- 1 single-dose ZEPBOUND vial
- 1 syringe and 1 needle, supplied separately (for example, use a 1 mL syringe and needle as recommended by your healthcare provider)
- 1 alcohol swab
- gauze
- 1 sharps container for throwing away used needles and syringes. **See** "Disposing of used needles and syringes" at the end of these instructions.

Guide to parts



Note: The needle and syringe are not included. The needle and syringe recommended by your healthcare provider may look different than the needle and syringe in this Instructions for Use.

Preparing to inject ZEPBOUND

Remove the vial from the refrigerator.

Check the vial label to make sure you have the right medicine and dose, and that it has not expired.

Make sure the medicine:

- is not frozen
 is colorless to slightly yellow
- is not cloudy
 does not have particles

Always use a new syringe and needle for each injection to prevent infections and blocked needles. Do not reuse or share your syringes or needles with other people. You may give other people a serious infection or get a serious infection from them.

Wash your hands with soap and water.

Step 1: Pull off the plastic protective cap. Do not remove the rubber stopper.	
Step 2: Wipe the rubber stopper with an alcohol swab.	

Step 3: Remove the outer wrapping from the syringe.	
Step 4:	
Remove the outer wrapping from the needle.	
The syringe that your healthcare provider recommended may have a pre-attached needle. If the needle is attached, skip to step 6.	
Step 5:	
Place the needle on top of the syringe and turn until it is tight and firmly attached.	
Step 6:	
Remove the needle shield by pulling straight off.	
Step 7:	
Hold the syringe in one hand with the needle pointing up. With the other hand pull down on the plunger until the plunger tip reaches the line on the syringe indicating that 0.5 mL of air has been drawn into the syringe.	0.1 -0.2 -0.3 -0.4
Step 8:	
Push the needle through the rubber stopper of the vial.	
Step 9:	
Push the plunger all the way in. This puts air into the vial and makes it easier to pull the solution from the vial.	

Step 10:	
Turn the vial and syringe upside down. Make sure that the tip of the needle is in the liquid and slowly pull the plunger down until the plunger tip is past the 0.5 mL line.	-0.1 -0.2 -0.3 -0.4 -0.5
If there are air bubbles, tap the syringe gently a few times to let any air bubbles rise to the top.	
Step 11:	
Slowly push the plunger up until the plunger tip reaches the 0.5 mL line.	- 5.1 - 5.2 - 5.3 - 5.4
Step 12:	
Pull the syringe out of the rubber stopper of the vial.	

Injecting ZEPBOUND

- Inject exactly as your healthcare provider has shown you. Your healthcare provider should tell you if you should pinch the skin before injecting.
- Change (rotate) your injection site within the area you choose for each dose to reduce your risk of
 getting lipodystrophy (pits in skin or thickened skin) and localized cutaneous amyloidosis (skin with lumps)
 at the injection sites.
- Do not inject where the skin has pits, is thickened, or has lumps.
- Do not inject where the skin is tender, bruised, scaly or hard, or into scars or damaged skin.
- Do not mix ZEPBOUND with any other medicine.
- **Do not** inject ZEPBOUND in the same injection site used for other medicines.

Step 13:	/~ \
Choose your injection site.	/
You can inject ZEPBOUND under the skin (subcutaneously) of your stomach area (abdomen) or thighs.	
Someone else can inject in your stomach area, thighs, or the back of the upper arms.	
Step 14:	
Insert the needle into your skin.	
Step 15:	The state of the s
Push down on the plunger to inject your dose.	
The needle should stay in your skin for at least 5 seconds to make sure you have injected all of your dose.	
Step 16:	56
Pull the needle out of your skin.	
If you see blood after you take the needle out of your skin, press the injection site with a piece of gauze or an alcohol swab. Do not rub the area.	
Do not recap the needle. Recapping the needle can lead to a needle stick injury.	

Disposing of used needles and syringes

- Put your used needle and syringe in an FDA-cleared sharps disposal container right away after use. **Do not** throw away (dispose of) loose needles and syringes in your household trash.
- If you do not have an FDA-cleared sharps disposal container, you may use a household container that is:
 - made of a heavy-duty plastic,
 - can be closed with a tight-fitting, puncture-resistant lid, without sharps being able to come out,
 - upright and stable during use,
 - leak-resistant, and
 - properly labeled to warn of hazardous waste inside the container.
- When your sharps disposal container is almost full, you will need to follow your community guidelines for the right way to dispose of your sharps disposal container. There may be state or local laws about how you

should throw away used needles and syringes. For more information about safe sharps disposal, and for specific information about sharps disposal in the state that you live in, go to the FDA's website at: http://www.fda.gov/safesharpsdisposal.

• **Do not** dispose of your used sharps disposal container in your household trash unless your community guidelines permit this. **Do not** recycle your used sharps disposal container.

Storing ZEPBOUND

- Store all unopened vials in the refrigerator at 36°F to 46°F (2°C to 8°C).
- You may store the unopened vial at room temperature up to 86°F (30°C) for up to 21 days.
- Do not freeze. Do not use if ZEPBOUND has been frozen.
- Store the vial in the original carton to protect from light.
- Throw away all opened vials after use, even if there is medicine left in the vial.

Keep ZEPBOUND vials, syringes, needles, and all medicines out of the reach of children.

If you have any questions or problems with your ZEPBOUND, contact Lilly at 1-800-Lilly-Rx (1-800-545-5979) or call your healthcare provider for help.

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