

## PATIENT INFORMATION LEAFLET

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### SCHEDULING STATUS:

S2

### PROPREITARY NAME AND DOSAGE FORM:

#### **BURNLOC (Capsules)**

Lansoprazole 15 mg

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## 1. WHAT BURNLOC CONTAINS:

The active substance is lansoprazole 15 mg

Contains sugar: Sucrose [101 mg] 0.1 g

The other ingredients are gelatine, hypromellose, macrogol 6 000, mannitol, maize starch, N-methylglucamine, polysorbate 80, purified water, quinolone yellow, sodium laurilsulfate, talc, titanium dioxide.

## 2. WHAT BURNLOC IS USED FOR:

**BURNLOC** contains the active substance lansoprazole.

Lansoprazole belongs to a group of medicines called proton pump inhibitors.

**BURNLOC** is used to treat conditions in which there is too much acid in the stomach.

**BURNLOC** is used for the short-term symptomatic relief of heartburn and acid indigestion at a maximum daily dose of 15 mg for a maximum period of 14 days.

## 3. BEFORE YOU USE BURNLOC:

### Do not take **BURNLOC**:

- If you are hypersensitive (allergic) to lansoprazole or any of the other ingredients in **BURNLOC**.
- If you are breastfeeding or pregnant.
- If you suffer from liver impairment.

**If any of the following happens, stop using BURNLOC and tell your doctor or pharmacist:**

- Hypersensitivity reactions, non-specific symptoms of decreased kidney function such as a general sense of being unwell, nausea, eating disorder, etc. All these symptoms may be indicative of inflammation of the kidneys which possibly may lead to kidney failure.

**Take special care with BURNLOC:**

- If you are taking warfarin as **BURNLOC** can alter the effect of warfarin.
- If you are diabetic as **BURNLOC** contains sugar.

**Taking BURNLOC with food and drink:**

- **BURNLOC** should preferably be taken before eating.

**Pregnancy and breastfeeding:**

- Always tell your health care provider if you are taking any other medicine. If you are pregnant or breast feeding your baby please consult your health care provider for advice before taking this medicine

**Driving and using machinery:**

- Do not drive; operate machinery or perform potentially hazardous tasks as **BURNLOC** causes drowsiness which could lead to accidents.

**Important Information about some of the ingredients of**

**BURNLOC:**

- If you have been told by your doctor that you have an intolerance for some sugars, contact you're your doctor before taking **BURNLOC**.
- BURNLOC contains sucrose which may have an effect on the control of your blood sugar if you have diabetes mellitus.

**Taking other medicines with BURNLOC:**

- Always tell your healthcare professional if you are taking any other medicine. (This includes complementary or traditional medicines.)
- Consult your doctor or pharmacist if you are taking warfarin, as **BURNLOC** can alter its effect.

**4. HOW TO TAKE BURNLOC:**

Do not share medicines prescribed for you with any other person.

One capsule **BURNLOC** should be taken daily orally in the morning before food for up to 14 days.

Do not chew.

You should consult your doctor if the symptoms continue or worsen for more than 14 days.

Remember to take your medicine

**If you take more BURNLOC than you should:**

In the event of over dosage, consult your doctor or pharmacist. If neither is available, contact the nearest hospital or poison control centre

**If you forget to take BURNLOC:**

Do not take a double dose to make up for forgotten individual doses.

**5. POSSIBLE SIDE EFFECTS**

**BURNLOC** capsules can have side effects.

Not all side effects reported for this medicine are included in this leaflet. Should your general health worsen or if you experience any untoward effects while taking this medicine, please consult your health care professional for advice

Tell your doctor if you notice any of the following:

- nausea (feeling sick)
- diarrhoea
- headache
- dizziness
- somnolence (sleepiness)
- insomnia
- tremor
- dry mouth

- swelling or inflammation of the tongue
  - alopecia (hair loss)
  - blurred vision
  - fever
  - taste abnormalities
  - constipation
  - abdominal cramps or stomach pains
  - muscle cramps
  - flatulence or wind
  - enlarged breasts in males
  - secretion of breast milk in males and females not breastfeeding
  - skin rash
  - Hypersensitivity reactions, non-specific symptoms of decreased kidney function such as a general sense of being unwell, nausea, eating disorder, etc.
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These are all mild, side effects of **BURNLOC**.

If you notice any side effects not mentioned in this leaflet, please inform your doctor or pharmacist.

## 6. **STORING AND DISPOSING OF BURNLOC:**

Store all medicines out of reach of children.

- Store in a cool, dry place, at or below 25 °C.
- Protect from light / moisture
- Do not store in a bathrooms.
- Store in the original package.
- Do not use after the expiry date stated on the carton.

Return all unused medicine to your pharmacist.

Do not dispose of unused medicine in drains or sewerage systems.

#### **7. PRESENTATION OF BURNLOC**

**BURNLOC** is available in pack sizes of 7 and 14 capsules packaged in an aluminium blister. Each blister strip contain 7 capsules.

#### **8. IDENTIFICATION OF BURNLOC**

**BURNLOC**: No. 3 hard capsules of gelatine, opaque yellow cap and body, containing white or almost white, spherical microgranules.

#### **9. REGISTRATION NUMBER**

A39/11.4.3/0116

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