Do not use nicotine inhalator:

If you have an allergy to nicotine or to any of the other ingredients

If you are pregnant or breast-feeding

If you have a stomach ulcer, duodenal ulcer, hiatal hernia

If you have diabetes

If you have phaeochromocytoma (a tumour of the adrenal gland that can affect blood pressure) – your doctor will have told you theophylline, or other medicines that may affect your blood pressure.

If you have asthma, emphysema or bronchitis

If you have a heart condition not requiring you to be in hospital, using NRT is better than continuing to smoke.

If you are in hospital because of heart disease (including heart attack, disorders of heart rate or rhythm, angina, high blood pressure or stroke).

If you are taking any other medicines that may interact with nicotine or any of the other ingredients.

If you are taking any other medicines that may affect the way your blood sugar levels are controlled (for example, you may find your insulin or medication requirements alter).

If you are being treated with clozapine or ropinirole. Stopping smoking or cutting down may require the dose of these medicines to be reduced.

If you have epilepsy – monitor your blood sugar levels more often when starting to use nicotine inhalator as you may need to adjust the medication and/or monitor your epilepsy.

If you are taking any other medicines such as antihypertensives, cholesterol or hypnotics. Stopping smoking or cutting down may require the dose of these medicines to be adjusted.

If any of these apply, talk to your doctor, nurse or pharmacist.

You may also find your insulin or medication requirements alter. Your doctor will have told you theophylline, or other medicines that may affect your blood pressure.

If you have a heart condition not requiring you to be in hospital, using NRT is better than continuing to smoke.

If you are in hospital because of heart disease (including heart attack, disorders of heart rate or rhythm, angina, high blood pressure or stroke).

If you are taking any other medicines that may interact with nicotine or any of the other ingredients.

If you are taking any other medicines that may affect the way your blood sugar levels are controlled (for example, you may find your insulin or medication requirements alter).

If you are being treated with clozapine or ropinirole. Stopping smoking or cutting down may require the dose of these medicines to be reduced.

If any of these apply, talk to your doctor, nurse or pharmacist.

You may also find your insulin or medication requirements alter. Your doctor will have told you theophylline, or other medicines that may affect your blood pressure.
If you have used nicorette® inhalator too much:

These effects include:

- increased appetite or weight gain
- anxiety
- feeling low
- irritable or aggressive

If you do get any of these effects contact your doctor or your nearest hospital Accident and Emergency department immediately. Take the leaflet and the pack with you.

If a child uses an inhalator or swallows a cartridge:

Contact a doctor or your nearest hospital Accident and Emergency department immediately if a child under 12 years uses your inhalator, or chews, sucks or swallows a cartridge. Take the leaflet and the pack with you.

Nicotine inhalation or ingestion by a child may result in severe poisoning. Nicotine inhalation or ingestion by a child may result in severe poisoning. Nicotine in high doses can be very dangerous and sometimes fatal if taken by mouth.

Effects related to stopping smoking (nicotine withdrawal):

You may experience unwanted effects because by stopping smoking you have reduced the amount of nicotine you are taking. You may also experience these effects if you are not used to having tobacco smoke.

Such as these effects include:

- feeling faint
- feeling sick (nausea)
- headache
- side-effects for nicorette® inhalator

However, these reactions are due to nicotine, therefore you can also get these effects when nicotine is obtained by smoking.

Side-effects for nicorette® inhalator

If you notice any of the following: fast heart beat/rate, abnormal breathing of the chest, chest pain or pressure, shortness of breath or allergy reactions (itching of the face, mouth, lips, throat and tongue, itching of the skin, swelling of the face, mouth, lips, throat and tongue), you may experience nausea (feeling sick), vomiting, feeling faint, allergic reactions (hypersensitivity) (may affect up to 1 in 10 people): hives (urticaria), rash, swelling of the face, mouth, lips, throat and tongue, itching of the skin, swelling of the face, mouth, lips, throat and tongue.

Other side-effects can include:

- unusual weakness
- pain in jaw
- numbness or tingling of the mouth
- dry mouth
- taste disturbance or loss of taste
- vomiting
- increased appetite or weight gain
- muscle tightness
- dry mouth, lip pain
- redness of the skin
- unusual weakness
- pain in jaw
- numbness or tingling of the mouth
- dry mouth
- taste disturbance or loss of taste
- vomiting
- increased appetite or weight gain
- muscle tightness
- dry mouth, lip pain
- redness of the skin
- unusual weakness
- pain in jaw
- numbness or tingling of the mouth
- dry mouth
- taste disturbance or loss of taste
- vomiting
- increased appetite or weight gain
- muscle tightness
- dry mouth, lip pain
- redness of the skin
- unusual weakness
- pain in jaw
- numbness or tingling of the mouth
- dry mouth
- taste disturbance or loss of taste
- vomiting
- increased appetite or weight gain
- muscle tightness
- dry mouth, lip pain
- redness of the skin
- unusual weakness
- pain in jaw
- numbness or tingling of the mouth
- dry mouth
- taste disturbance or loss of taste
- vomiting
- increased appetite or weight gain
- muscle tightness
- dry mouth, lip pain
- redness of the skin
- unusual weakness
- pain in jaw
- numbness or tingling of the mouth
- dry mouth
- taste disturbance or loss of taste
- vomiting
- increased appetite or weight gain
- muscle tightness
- dry mouth, lip pain
- redness of the skin
- unusual weakness
- pain in jaw
- numbness or tingling of the mouth
- dry mouth
- taste disturbance or loss of taste
- vomiting
- increased appetite or weight gain
- muscle tightness
- dry mouth, lip pain
- redness of the skin
- unusual weakness
- pain in jaw
- numbness or tingling of the mouth
- dry mouth
- taste disturbance or loss of taste
- vomiting
- increased appetite or weight gain
- muscle tightness
- dry mouth, lip pain
- redness of the skin
- unusual weakness
- pain in jaw
- numbness or tingling of the mouth
- dry mouth
- taste disturbance or loss of taste
- vomiting
- increased appetite or weight gain
- muscle tightness
- dry mouth, lip pain
- redness of the skin
- unusual weakness
- pain in jaw
- numbness or tingling of the mouth
- dry mouth
- taste disturbance or loss of taste
- vomiting
- increased appetite or weight gain
- muscle tightness
- dry mouth, lip pain
- redness of the skin
- unusual weakness
- pain in jaw
- numbness or tingling of the mouth
- dry mouth
- taste disturbance or loss of taste
- vomiting
- increased appetite or weight gain
- muscle tightness
- dry mouth, lip pain
- redness of the skin
- unusual weakness
- pain in jaw
- numbness or tingling of the mouth
- dry mouth
- taste disturbance or loss of taste
- vomiting
- increased appetite or weight gain
- muscle tightness
- dry mouth, lip pain
- redness of the skin
- unusual weakness
- pain in jaw
- numbness or tingling of the mouth
- dry mouth
- taste disturbance or loss of taste
- vomiting
- increased appetite or weight gain
- muscle tightness
- dry mouth, lip pain
- redness of the skin
- unusual weakness
- pain in jaw
- numbness or tingling of the mouth
- dry mouth
- taste disturbance or loss of taste
- vomiting
- increased appetite or weight gain
- muscle tightness
- dry mouth, lip pain
- redness of the skin
- unusual weakness
- pain in jaw
- numbness or tingling of the mouth

You can also report side effects directly via the Yellow Card Scheme at: www.medicinesauthority.gov.mt/adrportal

By reporting side-effects you can help provide more information on the safety of this medicine.

However, these reactions are due to nicotine, therefore you can also get these effects when nicotine is obtained by smoking.

If you get any side-effects, talk to your doctor, pharmacist or nurse. This includes any possible side-effects not listed in this leaflet. You can also report side-effects directly via the Yellow Card Scheme at: www.medicinesauthority.gov.mt/adrportal

By reporting side-effects you can help provide more information on the safety of this medicine.

You can also report side-effects directly via the Yellow Card Scheme at: www.medicinesauthority.gov.mt/adrportal

5 Cleaning, storing and disposal

Cleaning the inhalator

Clean the empty mouthpiece several times a week by rinsing it in water.

Storing the inhalator and cartridges

Keep NICORETTE® inhalator out of the sight and reach of children and animals. Nickel in high doses is dangerous and sometimes fatal if taken by small children.

Do not store above 20°C.

6 Further information

What’s this medicine? In what form is it available?

This leaflet was prepared in June 2017.© Niconex Laboratories Ltd, Maidenhead, Berkshire, SL6 3UG, UK.

This leaflet was prepared in June 2017. © Niconex Laboratories Ltd, Maidenhead, Berkshire, SL6 3UG, UK.

Each pack contains a plastic tray sealed with foil containing 15 mg of nicotine, the active ingredient, held in a NICORETTE® inhalator cartridges before you are ready to use.

What the medicine looks like

NICORETTE® inhalator consists of a plastic mouthpiece into which you insert a skin-like cartridge containing 15 mg of nicotine, the active ingredient, held in a NICORETTE® inhalator cartridges before you are ready to use.

You can also report side-effects directly via the Yellow Card Scheme at: www.medicinesauthority.gov.mt/adrportal

The pack also contains mouthwash to give the nicotine a slight minty taste.

Pack sizes: 4, 20 or 36.

Each pack contains mouthwash to give the nicotine a slight minty taste.

Pack sizes: 4, 20 or 36.

Each pack contains mouthwash to give the nicotine a slight minty taste.

Pack sizes: 4, 20 or 36.

Each pack contains mouthwash to give the nicotine a slight minty taste.

Pack sizes: 4, 20 or 36.

Each pack contains mouthwash to give the nicotine a slight minty taste.

Pack sizes: 4, 20 or 36.

Each pack contains mouthwash to give the nicotine a slight minty taste.

Pack sizes: 4, 20 or 36.

Each pack contains mouthwash to give the nicotine a slight minty taste.

Pack sizes: 4, 20 or 36.

Each pack contains mouthwash to give the nicotine a slight minty taste.

Pack sizes: 4, 20 or 36.

Each pack contains mouthwash to give the nicotine a slight minty taste.

Pack sizes: 4, 20 or 36.

Each pack contains mouthwash to give the nicotine a slight minty taste.

Pack sizes: 4, 20 or 36.

Each pack contains mouthwash to give the nicotine a slight minty taste.

Pack sizes: 4, 20 or 36.

Each pack contains mouthwash to give the nicotine a slight minty taste.

Pack sizes: 4, 20 or 36.

Each pack contains mouthwash to give the nicotine a slight minty taste.

Pack sizes: 4, 20 or 36.

Each pack contains mouthwash to give the nicotine a slight minty taste.

Pack sizes: 4, 20 or 36.

Each pack contains mouthwash to give the nicotine a slight minty taste.

Pack sizes: 4, 20 or 36.

Each pack contains mouthwash to give the nicotine a slight minty taste.

Pack sizes: 4, 20 or 36.

Each pack contains mouthwash to give the nicotine a slight minty taste.

Pack sizes: 4, 20 or 36.

Each pack contains mouthwash to give the nicotine a slight minty taste.

Pack sizes: 4, 20 or 36.

Each pack contains mouthwash to give the nicotine a slight minty taste.

Pack sizes: 4, 20 or 36.

Each pack contains mouthwash to give the nicotine a slight minty taste.

Pack sizes: 4, 20 or 36.