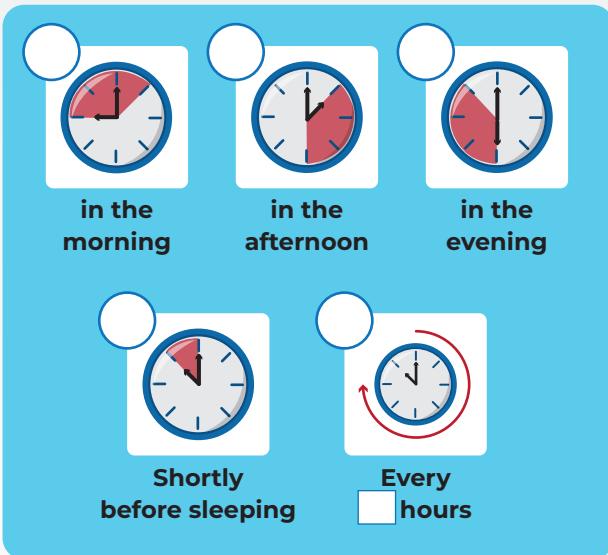




What you need to know if you have been prescribed an antibiotic

When to take your antibiotic:



How to take your antibiotic:



● Duration of antibiotic treatment:

You should stop your antibiotic treatment after [redacted] days.

● Possible side effects include:

Diarrhoea, nausea and vomiting, abdominal pain, loss of appetite, skin rashes, headache, dizziness, fungal infections (candida).

● Possible food and drug interactions:

- ▶ Combining the use of antibiotics with other medications or alcohol can modify the efficacy and increase the risk of adverse reactions.
- ▶ Ask your pharmacist or healthcare provider for any potential food and drug interactions.



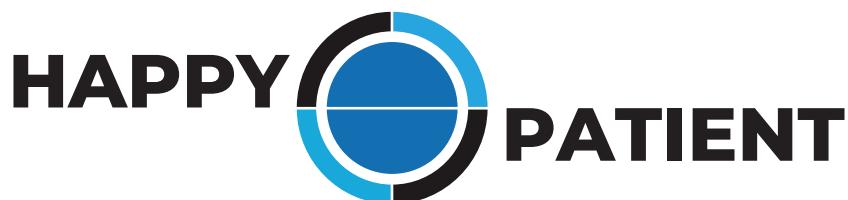
**Most side effects are mild and temporary.
If side effects become severe, you should contact a healthcare professional**

● **Please remember:**

- ▶ Antibiotics are only needed to treat certain infections caused by bacteria. Use of antibiotics can lead to antimicrobial resistance. This is why we need to use antibiotics only when necessary.
- ▶ Take the prescribed antibiotic treatment according to the prescription from the doctor.
- ▶ Don't share antibiotics with your family members, friends, or animals.
- ▶ Return any unused antibiotics to the pharmacy.
- ▶ Contact your healthcare provider if your symptoms get worse.
- ▶ Inform your healthcare provider and/or your pharmacist about any allergies you may have.
- ▶ If you are pregnant, breastfeeding, or planning to get pregnant, make sure that your healthcare provider and/or pharmacist is aware of it, to ensure safe use of the medication.

● **When to contact a pharmacist:**

- ▶ For any questions about the medication you use.
- ▶ For information about relief of symptoms or side effects.
- ▶ If you are unsure about any of the information you have received.
- ▶ If you are unsure about how or when to take your medication.



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