



LacriPure

Saline Solution

Instructions for Use (Package Insert) LacriPure Saline Solution

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY AND KEEP THIS INSERT FOR FUTURE REFERENCE.

DESCRIPTION			
LacriPure is a unit dose non-preserved, 0.9% NaCl (normal saline) solution indicated for rinsing of soft (hydrophilic), rigid gas permeable, hybrid and hard contact lenses prior to lens insertion. The rinsing removes debris and bacteria following proper lens disinfection. This sterile, normal saline solution can be used to fill the concave posterior surface of large diameter (scleral) lenses prior to insertion to provide a more natural environment than currently approved multipurpose solutions which contain preservatives and osmolarity agents that are not designed to be held against the cornea for extended periods of time.			
ACTIONS			
LacriPure rinses soft (hydrophilic), rigid gas permeable, hybrid and hard contact lenses and helps to remove particulate material that may cause irritation and/or discomfort.			
INDICATIONS (USES)			
LacriPure is indicated for use following proper lens disinfection as recommended by the eye care practitioner. LacriPure is indicated for rinsing of soft (hydrophilic), rigid gas permeable, hybrid and hard contact lenses prior to lens insertion. This solution may also be used as an insertion solution for large diameter (scleral) contact lenses, as a rinse for contact lens cases and may be used as needed throughout the day to rinse contact lenses.			
CONTRAINDICATIONS (REASONS NOT TO USE)			
Do not use this product if you are allergic to any ingredient.			
TAMPER EVIDENT			
For your protection, this carton has a tamper evident seal. Do not use if imprinted seal is damaged or missing at time of purchase. Single use vial should not be used if opened or damaged.			
WARNINGS			
• DO NOT use LacriPure for the storage of contact lenses. • This product should only be used for rinsing contact lenses, lens cases or as an insertion solution. • Use of saline for storage may cause serious and sight-threatening eye infections such as Acanthamoeba, causing corneal ulcers and possibly permanent loss of sight. • Use only if tab and unit dose vial are intact. • Intended for single use. • Discard any unused portion of the solution.			
DIRECTIONS			
1. Always wash and rinse your hands before handling your contact lenses. 2. Always handle one lens, left or right, first in order to avoid mix-ups. 3. Following proper lens disinfection, twist off the tab of the LacriPure single use vial completely to open. 3.1 For soft (hydrophilic), rigid gas permeable, hybrid and hard contact lenses, apply several drops to each lens surface to rinse the lenses prior to insertion. 3.2 For large diameter (scleral) contact lenses, rinse both sides of the lens and fill the back surface prior to insertion. 3.3 For contact lens cases, rinse all inner surfaces of the case and lens vial caps. 3.4 For rinsing lenses throughout the day, remove the lens, rinse both surfaces with several drops of LacriPure and re-insert the lenses. 4. Use only the solutions recommended by your eye care practitioner. 5. Discard single use vial after each use. Do not reuse. For more information, see the Patient Care guide for your specific contact lenses.			
LENS CASE CARE Instructions			
• Empty and clean contact lens cases with digital rubbing using fresh, sterile disinfecting solutions/contact lens cleaner. Never use water. Cleaning should be followed by rinsing with LacriPure or with fresh, sterile disinfecting solutions (never use water) and wiping the lens cases with fresh, clean tissue is recommended. Never air-dry or recap the lens case lids after use without any additional cleaning methods. If air drying, be sure that no residual solution remains in the case before allowing it to air dry. • Replace your lens case according to the directions given to you by your eye care practitioner or the labeling that came with your case. • Contact lens cases can be a source of bacterial growth. WARNING: Do not store your lenses or rinse your lens case with water or any non-sterile solution. Only use fresh multi-purpose solution so you do not contaminate your lenses or lens case. Use of non-sterile solution can lead to severe infection, vision loss or blindness. PROBLEMS WITH CONTACT LENSES AND LENS CARE PRODUCTS COULD RESULT IN SERIOUS INJURY TO THE EYE. It is essential that you follow your eye care practitioner's directions and all labeling instructions for proper use of your lenses and lens care products including the lens storage case. EYE PROBLEMS, INCLUDING CORNEAL ULCERS CAN DEVELOP RAPIDLY AND LEAD TO LOSS OF VISION, DAILY WEAR LENSES ARE NOT INDICATED FOR OVERNIGHT WEAR AND SHOULD NOT BE WORN WHILE SLEEPING. IF YOU EXPERIENCE EYE DISCOMFORT, EXCESSIVE TEARING, VISION CHANGES, OR REDNESS OF THE EYE, IMMEDIATELY REMOVE YOUR LENSES AND PROMPTLY CONTACT YOUR EYE CARE PRACTITIONER. It is recommended that contact lens wearers see their eye care practitioner twice each year or if directed, more frequently. Studies have shown that smokers have a higher incidence of adverse reactions. To avoid contaminating your solution, do not transfer to other bottles or containers. Reuse of solution or use of water with lenses may lead to contamination resulting in eye injury and potential loss of vision. See below for additional important safety information. Important Safety Information: • Always follow the product directions for use. Failure to follow product directions may lead to vision loss. • Visit your eye care practitioner regularly. • Always wash and dry hands before handling lenses. • Do not use tap water, bottled water or saliva with lenses or lens case. • Only use fresh solution to clean and disinfect contact lenses. • Discard any remaining solution in your lens case after each disinfection cycle. (Never reuse solution.) • Saline or rewetting drops will not disinfect your lenses. • Always replace your solutions, lenses and lens case as directed. • Not for use with heat (thermal) disinfection. • Store at room temperature. • Use before the expiration date marked on the carton and container. • Keep this and all medication out of the reach of children.			
WATER ACTIVITY INSTRUCTIONS			
• Do not expose your contact lenses to water while you are wearing them. WARNING: Water can harbor microorganisms that can lead to severe infection, vision loss or blindness. If your lenses have been submerged in water when swimming in pools, lakes or oceans, you should replace them (soft, frequent replacement lenses) or thoroughly clean and disinfect them (RGP and hard lenses) before insertion. Ask your eye care practitioner for recommendations about wearing your lenses during any activity involving water.			
PRECAUTIONS			
• Never reuse or top this solution. • Always wash and rinse your hands before handling your lenses.			
ADVERSE REACTIONS (PROBLEMS AND WHAT TO DO)			
The following problems may occur: • Eyes stinging, burning or itching (irritation). • Excessive watering (tearing) of the eyes. • Unusual eye secretions. • Redness of the eyes. • Reduced sharpness of vision (visual acuity). • Blurred vision. • Rainbows or halos around objects. • Sensitivity to light (photophobia). • Dry eyes. If you notice any of the above problems, immediately remove and examine your lenses. If the problem stops and the lenses appear to be undamaged, thoroughly clean, rinse and disinfect the lenses and reinsert them. Do not reinsert a damaged lens. If the problem continues or a lens appears to be damaged, IMMEDIATELY remove your lenses and IMMEDIATELY consult your eye care practitioner. If any of the above problems occur, a serious condition such as infection, corneal ulcer, neovascularization, or iritis may be present. Seek immediate professional identification of the problem and treatment to avoid serious eye damage.			
HOW SUPPLIED (PACKAGING)			
LacriPure is supplied in sterile 5 mL disposable single use plastic vials that are packaged in cartons of 7 (not available in Canada) or 98 units each. The containers and cartons are marked with a lot number and expiration date.			

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