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# EziDrops eye drop applicator wide (DH481)

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## Special warning

* When using eye drops please follow your doctor’s instructions. Continue taking your medication until instructed otherwise by your doctor. If you need assistance speak to your doctor or practice nurse.
* After the first drop, wait 5-10 minutes before inserting any further eye drop medication, to prevent the first from being washed away.
* Never use drops after the expiry date.
* Hand in any unused or expired medicines to your local pharmacist.
* If you use soft contact lenses, remove them before inserting eye drops and wait at least 15 minutes before re-inserting them.
* Store eye drops and all medicines out of the reach of children.
* This applicator is for the newer shaped bottles on the market with a wider head and smaller nozzle. This includes brands such as Novelia or Aptar. Please refer to the image on the website for clarity or please ask someone to check this on your behalf.

## General description

EziDrops has been designed to assist in the easy application of eye drops. The applicator’s ergonomic design allows you to use any type of eye drop bottle, whilst the handle allows convenience in holding the applicator over the eye. The applicator sits around the eye and blocks any light, thus helping the user to apply the eye drops, without seeing the drop coming into the eye itself.

## Using the product

Wash the EziDrops applicator before each use.

First, sit down on a chair, or if you prefer, lie down.

Hold the EziDrops applicator by the handle and turn it upside down with one hand. With the other hand, put your eye drops bottles’ nozzle directly into the centre of the EziDrops applicator.

Now raise both the bottle and applicator onto the eye whilst tilting your head backwards looking directly at the ceiling.

With both eyes open, either shift your eyes away towards the ceiling or look directly up into the applicator at the nozzle of the bottle. Then gently squeeze the bottle to release a drop into the EziDrops applicator.

Once you feel the drop fall into your eye, remove the EziDrops applicator and wipe off any excess liquid.

## Hints and Tips

* To clean, wash in warm soapy water. Rinse and dry thoroughly.
* It is recommended that EziDrops is used for the whole course of treatment for an eye disorder.
* In hospitals and clinics, the EziDrops may be autoclaved on a low-pressure cycle for 30 minutes. Release clip to allow moisture to evaporate. The EziDrops can be cleaned in sterilising fluid. Rinse and dry thoroughly.

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