



Losec[®] goes Pharmacist-Only: What you need to know

A team of presenters to include:
Leading Gastroenterologist
The Pharmacist's perspective by the NZ College of Pharmacists
Bayer Medical & Marketing

Learn the place of Pharmacist-Only Losec[®] in the treatment of heartburn and acid reflux, covering:

- indications, safety, efficacy, clinical data
- relevant signs & symptoms and whether treatment is indicated or requires medical referral
- management options including antacids, H₂-receptor antagonists and proton pump inhibitors (PPIs)
- the mechanism of action of PPIs and their contraindications, adverse reactions, and interactions
- symptom frequency and severity and how this influences treatment choice
- prior use of Losec[®] and whether this affects management
- patient age and effect on management options

Pharmacy practice aspects to be covered will include:

- Advice for the customer on how to best take Losec[®]
- Your Professional and Ethical responsibilities when supplying Pharmacist-Only Losec[®]
- An explanation of the MUPS[®] tablet formulation
- Protocol for sale of Losec[®] (omeprazole) as a Pharmacist-Only Medicine
- Bayer support program for your pharmacy