How to Administer Mifegymiso

MIFE = mifepristone MISO = misoprostol h = hours d = days



MIFEPRISTONE (MIFE)

The patient should take MIFE 200mg orally on a day agreed by the patient and the prescriber.

If **vomiting** occurs < 1 h after taking MIFE, contact the prescriber or pharmacist.





MISOPROSTOL (MISO)

The patient should take a dose of MISO 800mcg buccally or vaginally 24-48 h after taking MIFE.



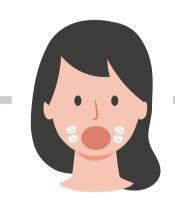
Always take MISO, even if bleeding starts following MIFE administration.



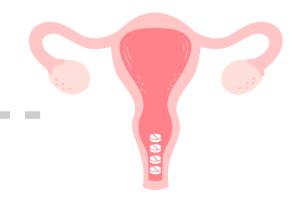
If MISO is **forgotten** and > 48 h have passed since MIFE: **take MISO** right away and inform the prescriber at follow-up.



MISO administration







RUCCAL ROUTE



Place 4 MISO tablets between the cheek and gum (2 on each side of the mouth).



Leave in place for 30 mins.



Swallow leftover fragments with water.

If **vomiting** during buccal absorption: contact prescriber or pharmacist.

If **vomiting** around 30 mins or later after swallowing MISO: **take no action**

VAGINAL INSERTION



Empty the bladder first.



Wash hands.



Use fingers to push the 4 MISO tablets one at a time up into the vagina as far as possible.



As recommended by some experts, lie down for 30 mins after MISO is inserted.

If tablets **fall out** before bleeding starts: reinsert the tablets

If tablets **fall out** while bleeding: **take no action**



Note: Depending on clinical experience, providers may prescribe a **second dose of MISO** for patients:

- with gestational age over 63 days to increase the effectiveness of the regimen.
- who experience no bleeding within the first 24 h after the first dose of MISO.

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