

Patient card

Patient card for Topamax – For women and girls who are able to become pregnant Contraception and Pregnancy Prevention

What you must know

- Topamax is a medicine for epilepsy and migraine headaches.
- Topamax can seriously harm an unborn child if taken during pregnancy.

What you must do

- Read the package leaflet and Patient Guide carefully before use.
- Use highly effective contraception during your treatment with topiramate and for at least 4 weeks after the last topiramate dose. Your doctor will advise you on the most suitable method for you.
- Visit your doctor to review your treatment at least once a year.
- If you think you have become pregnant, talk to your doctor straight away.
- If you are thinking about having a child, do not stop using contraception before you have talked to your doctor.
- If you have epilepsy, do not stop using topiramate unless your doctor tells you to, as your condition may become worse.

Ask your doctor to give you the Patient Guide.

Keep this card.

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