

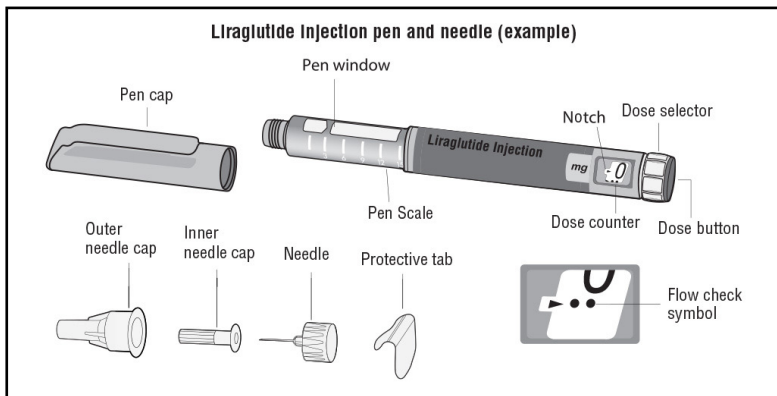
# teva | liraglutide injection 18 mg/3 mL (6 mg/mL)

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

Read these instructions carefully before using your liraglutide injection pen. Do not use your pen without proper training from your healthcare provider. Make sure that you know how to give yourself an injection with the pen before you start your treatment.

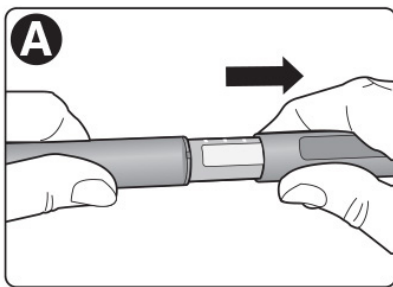
**⚠ If you are blind or have poor eyesight and cannot read the dose counter on the pen, do not use this pen without help.** Get help from a person with good eyesight who is trained to use the liraglutide injection pen.

Check your pen to make sure that it contains liraglutide injection, then look at the picture below to get to know the different parts of your pen and needle.

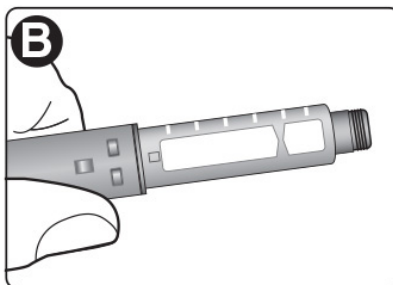


Your pen is a prefilled, dial-a-dose, single-patient-use pen. It contains 18 mg of liraglutide, and you can select doses of 0.6 mg, 1.2 mg, 1.8 mg, 2.4 mg and 3 mg. Your pen is compatible with universal fit disposable pen needles up to a length of 8 mm, including NovoFine®. Compatible needles will state ISO11608-2 on the outer packaging. Your pen is not compatible with NovoTwist® disposable needles. Pen needles are not included with your liraglutide injection pen.

### Step 1: Prepare your pen with a new needle



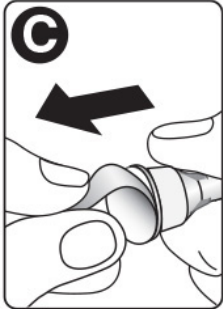
- **Wash your hands** with soap and water.
- **Check the name and colored label** of your pen, to make sure that it contains liraglutide injection. This is especially important if you take more than 1 type of medicine.
- **Pull off the pen cap.**



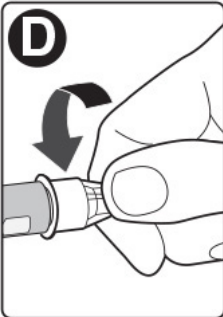
- **Check that liraglutide injection in your pen is clear** and colorless. Look through the pen window. If liraglutide injection looks cloudy, do not use the pen.

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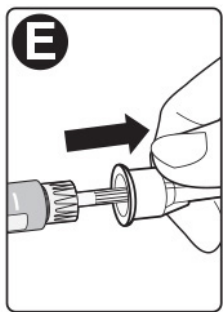
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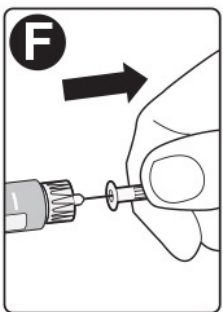
- **Take a new needle**, and tear off the paper tab.



- **Push the needle straight onto the pen**. Turn until it is on tight.




- **Pull off the outer needle cap**. Do not throw it away.



- **Pull off the inner needle cap** and throw it away. A drop of liraglutide injection may appear at the needle tip. This is normal, but you must still check the liraglutide injection flow, if you use a new pen for the first time.

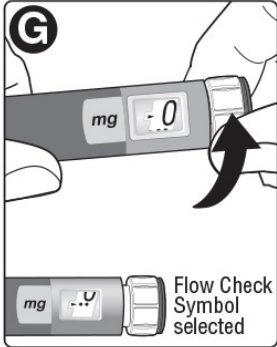
 **Always use a new needle for each injection.** This will prevent contamination, infection, leakage of liraglutide injection, and blocked needles leading to the wrong dose. **Never use a bent or damaged needle.**

 **Do not attach a new needle** to your pen until you are ready to take your injection.

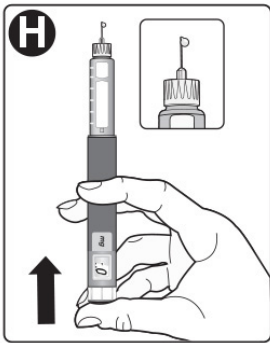
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### Step 2: Check the liraglutide injection flow with each new pen





- Check the liraglutide injection flow **before your first injection with each new pen**. If your liraglutide injection pen is already in use, go to Step 3 “Select your dose”.
- Turn the dose selector **until the dose counter shows the flow check symbol**.



- Hold the pen with the needle pointing up. **Press and push in the dose button** until the dose counter shows 0. The black arrow indicating 0 must appear in the notch. A drop of liraglutide injection will appear at the needle tip.

- **If no drop appears**, repeat Step 2 up to six times. If there is still no drop, change the needle and repeat Step 2 one more time. **Do not use the pen** if a drop of liraglutide injection still does not appear. Contact Teva at 1-888-838-2872.

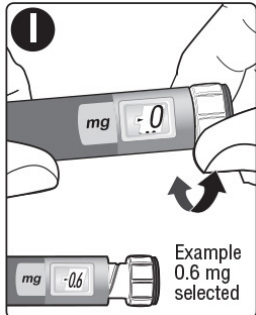
 **Always make sure that a drop appears** at the needle tip before you use a new pen for the first time. This makes sure that liraglutide injection flows. If no drop appears, you will **not** inject any liraglutide injection, even though the dose counter may move. **This may mean that there is a blocked or damaged needle.**

 A small drop may remain at the needle tip, but it will not be injected. **Only check the liraglutide injection flow before your first injection with each new pen.**

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### Step 3: Select your dose



- Turn the dose selector until the dose counter shows your dose (0.6 mg, 1.2 mg, 1.8 mg, 2.4 mg or 3 mg).

Make sure you know the dose of liraglutide injection you should use.

If you select the wrong dose, you can turn the dose selector forward or backwards to the correct dose.



**Always use the dose counter and the black arrow in the notch to see how many mg you select.**

You will hear a “click” every time you turn the dose selector and it will extend from the pen body as the dose increases.

**Do not set the dose by counting the number of clicks you hear.**

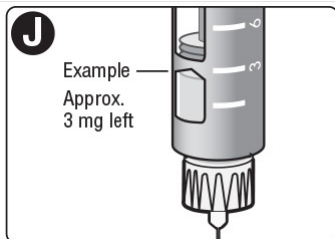
Do not use the pen scale to set the dose. It does not show exactly how much liraglutide injection is left in your pen.

**Only doses of 0.6 mg, 1.2 mg, 1.8 mg, 2.4 mg or 3 mg can be selected with the dose selector.** The black arrow indicating the selected dose must appear in the notch to make sure that you get a correct dose.

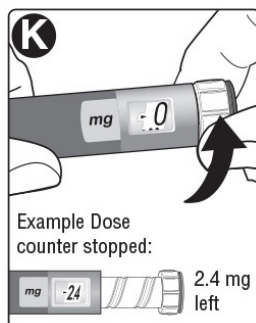


The dose selector changes the dose. Only the dose counter and black arrow in the notch will show how many mg you select for each dose. You can select up to 3 mg each dose. When your pen contains less than 3 mg the dose counter stops before 3 mg is shown.

### How much liraglutide injection is left?



- The **pen scale** shows you about how much liraglutide injection is left in your pen.



- **To see how much liraglutide injection is left**, use the dose counter: Turn the dose selector until the **dose counter** stops. If it shows 3 mg, **at least 3 mg** are left in your pen. If the **dose counter stops before 3 mg**, there is not enough liraglutide injection left for a full dose of 3 mg.



If you need more liraglutide injection than what is left in your pen, you may split your dose between your current pen and a new pen, only if trained or told by your healthcare provider. Use a calculator to plan the doses as instructed by your healthcare provider.

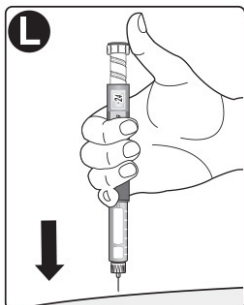


**Be very careful to calculate correctly.** If you are not sure how to split your dose using 2 pens, then select and inject the dose you need with a new pen.

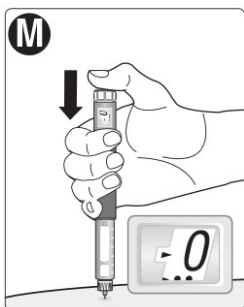
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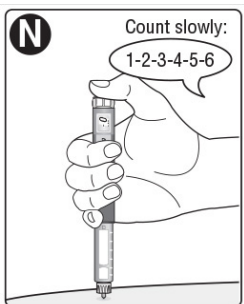
### Step 4: Inject your dose



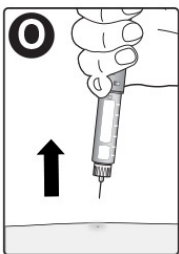
- **Insert the needle into your skin** as your healthcare provider has shown you.
- **Make sure you can see the dose counter.** Do not cover it with your fingers. This could stop the injection.




- **Press and push down the dose button until the dose counter shows 0.** The dose selector will retract into the body of the pen and will stop when the dose counter shows 0. The black arrow indicating 0 must appear in the notch.



- **Keep the needle in your skin after** the dose counter has returned to 0 and **count slowly to 6.**
- If the needle is removed earlier, you may see a stream of liraglutide injection coming from the needle tip. If this happens, the full dose will not be delivered.



- **Remove the needle from your skin.** If blood appears at the injection site, press lightly. Do not rub the area.

 **Always watch the dose counter to know how many mg you inject.** Push the dose button down until the dose counter shows 0.

### How to identify a blocked or damaged needle:

- If 0 does not appear in the dose counter after continuously pressing the dose button, you may have used a blocked or damaged needle.
- If this happens you have not received any liraglutide injection even though the dose counter has moved from the original dose that you have set.

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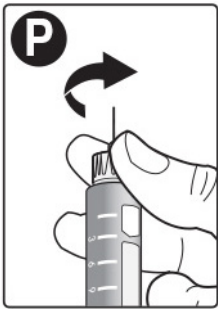
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### How to handle a blocked needle:

- Change the needle as described in Step 5, and repeat all steps starting with Step 1. Make sure you select the full dose you need.
- **Never touch the dose counter when you inject.** This can stop the injection.

 You may see a drop of liraglutide injection at the needle tip after injecting. This is normal and does not affect your dose.

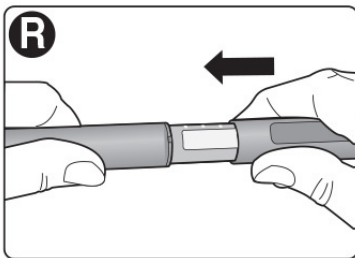
### Step 5: After your injection




- **Carefully remove the needle from the pen.** Do not put the needle caps back on the needle, to avoid needle sticks.




- **Place the needle in a sharps container** right away to reduce the risk of needle sticks.



- **Put the pen cap on** your pen after each use to protect liraglutide injection from light.

 If you do not have a sharps container, follow a 1-handed needle recapping method. Carefully slip the needle into the outer needle cap. Dispose of the needle in a sharps container as soon as possible.

 **Never try to put the inner needle cap back on the needle.** You may stick yourself with the needle.

**Always remove the needle from your pen.**

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 **Always dispose of the needle after each injection.**

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- **Do not throw away in the household trash.** Put the needle and any empty liraglutide injection pen or any pen used for 30 days still containing liraglutide injection in a FDA-cleared sharps disposal container right away after use.
- If you do not have a FDA-cleared sharps disposal container, you may use a household container that is:
  - made of a heavy-duty plastic
  - can be closed with a tight-fitting, puncture-resistant lid, without sharps being able to come out upright and stable during use
  - leak-resistant
  - properly labeled to warn of hazardous waste inside the container
- When your sharps disposal container is almost full, you will need to follow your community guidelines for the right way to dispose of your sharps disposal container. There may be state or local laws about how you should throw away used needles and syringes. For more information about the safe sharps disposal, and for specific information about sharps disposal in the state that you live in, go to the FDA's website at: <http://www.fda.gov/safesharpsdisposal>
- Do not dispose of your used sharps disposal container in your household trash unless your community guidelines permit this. Do not recycle your used sharps disposal container.
- Safely dispose of liraglutide injection that is out of date or no longer needed.

### Additional important information

- Caregivers must **be very careful when handling used needles** to prevent needle sticks and cross infection.
- Never use a syringe to withdraw liraglutide injection from your pen.
- **Always carry an extra pen and new needles** with you, in case of loss or damage.
- Always keep your pen and needles **out of reach of others**, especially children.
- **Do not share your liraglutide injection pen or needles with anyone else.** You may give an infection to them or get an infection from them.
- **Always keep your pen with you.** Do not leave it in a car or other place where it can get too hot or too cold.

### Caring for your pen

- **Do not drop your pen or** knock it against hard surfaces. If you drop it or suspect a problem, attach a new needle and check the liraglutide injection flow before you inject.
- **Do not try to repair your pen** or pull it apart.
- **Do not expose your pen to dust, dirt or liquid.**
- **Do not wash, soak, or lubricate your pen.** If necessary, clean it with mild detergent on a moistened cloth.

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### Storage information

- Store your **new, unused** liraglutide injection pens in the refrigerator at 36°F to 46°F (2°C to 8°C).
- **Store your pen in use** for 30 days at 59°F to 86°F (15°C to 30°C) or in a refrigerator at 36°F to 46°F (2°C to 8°C).
- The liraglutide injection pen you are using should be thrown away after 30 days, even if it still has liraglutide injection left in it.
- **Do not** freeze liraglutide injection. **Do not** use liraglutide injection if it has been frozen.
- Unused liraglutide injection pens may be used until the expiration date printed on the label, if kept in the refrigerator.
- Keep liraglutide injection away from heat and out of the light.

Please see the full Prescribing Information, including **Boxed Warning and Medication Guide**.



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