

LAGEVRIO® Capsules

Active ingredient(s): molnupiravir

Consumer Medicine Information

This leaflet provides important information about taking LAGEVRIO. **You should also speak to your doctor or pharmacist if you would like further information or if you have any concerns or questions about taking LAGEVRIO.**

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1. Why am I taking LAGEVRIO?

LAGEVRIO contains the active ingredient molnupiravir.

LAGEVRIO has provisional approval to treat COVID-19 in adults who are at increased risk for hospitalisation or death.

The decision to approve this medicine has been made on the basis of results of data available at the time of provisional approval. More evidence is required to be submitted when available to fully confirm the benefit and safety of LAGEVRIO for this use.

LAGEVRIO is an antiviral drug that works against the virus that causes COVID-19.

You are being given LAGEVRIO for the treatment of coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19). LAGEVRIO may help you to feel better and stay out of hospital.

What is COVID-19?

- COVID-19 is caused by a virus called SARS CoV-2.
- You can get COVID-19 through contact with another person who has the virus.

COVID-19 illnesses have ranged from very mild (including some with no reported symptoms) to severe, including illness resulting in death. While information so far suggests that most COVID-19 illness is mild, serious illness including breathing problems can happen and may cause some of your other medical conditions to become worse.

Older people and people of all ages with severe, long lasting (chronic) medical conditions like heart disease, lung disease, obesity, and diabetes, for example seem to be at higher risk of being hospitalised for COVID-19