RESOURCE GUIDE



NOTES

MICHIGAN TOBACCO

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PATCH

TREATMENT

OVER THE COUNTER or PRESCRIPTION

HOW TO GET

REPLACE PATCH **ONCE DAILY**

HOW TO USE

- ✓ Easy to use
- ✓ Few side effects

PROS / CONS

- × Less flexible dosing
- × Slow nicotine release

Get FREE Confidential **Counseling & Support**

DOUBLE your chances of quitting.









OVER THE COUNTER or PRESCRIPTION

USE AS NEEDED* Up to 24 pieces per day

- ✓ Fast nicotine release
- ✓ Flexible dosing
- × Lots of chewing
- × Can't eat or drink 15 mins before or during use



OVER THE COUNTER or PRESCRIPTION **USE AS NEEDED*** Up to 20 lozenges per day

- ✓ More nicotine than gum
- ✓ Flexible dosing
- x Can cause nausea
- x Can't eat or drink 15 mins before or during use



PRESCRIPTION

SPRAY ONCE IN EACH NOSTRIL*

Up to 40 doses per day (80 sprays/day or 10 sprays/hour)

- ✓ Fastest nicotine delivery
- ✓ Flexible dosing
- × Frequent use necessary
- x Can cause nose & throat irritation





PRESCRIPTION

USE AS DIRECTED BY YOUR DOCTOR

- ✓ Easy to take pill
- ✓ Can be combined with other treatments*
- × Possible side effects

TREATMENT OPTIONS **QUICK GUIDE**













PATCH

STEP 1

Select your starting dose.*



If you smoke

STEP 2

Place the patch on a clean, dry, hairless spot on your upper body or outer arm. Each new patch should be applied to a different spot. Press for 10 seconds.

STEP 3

Replace patch every 16-24 hours.

STEP 4

Reduce dosage over time.*



LOZENGE

If you smoke within 30 mins of waking up

Select your strength.*

If you smoke more than 30 mins after waking up

STEP 2

STEP 1

Slowly dissolve the lozenge in your mouth (between cheek and gums), while occasionally moving it from one side of your mouth to the other. The lozenge will take approximately 20-30 minutes to fully dissolve. Do not chew or swallow.

STEP 3

Reduce usage over time.*

Use 1 lozenge every...



NASAL SPRAY

STEP 1

Blow your nose to clear it. Prime pump with 6-8 sprays prior to first use.



each nostril)

PRESCRIPTION ONLY

STEP 2

Tilt your head back and spray once in each nostril while breathing through your mouth. Avoid sniffing or inhaling. Wait 2-3 minutes before blowing your nose.

STEP 3

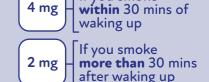
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GUM

STEP 1

Select your strength.*



If you smoke

STEP 2

Choose a flavor. There are many options!



STEP 3

Chew slowly until the taste becomes strong or tingles, place the gum between your cheek and gums for 1 minute or until tingle is gone. Repeat this chew and park method for 30 minutes.



STEP 4

Use the gum whenever you have the urge to smoke as part of a quit immediately or quit gradually plan.*

Why call the MICHIGAN TOBACCO QUITLINK?

Because they offer FREE...

- O Counseling sessions by phone or online
- O Counseling in English, Spanish, and Arabic
- Educational materials
- Referrals to local programs
- 24/7 Text-message support
- Nicotine replacement (if you qualify)

