

## Refrigerator Storage Information

### STORE IN FRIDGE

- Ametop gel
- Chloramphenicol eye drops
- Daktacort cream 30g tube
- Diltiazem hydrochloride 2% cream
- GlucaGen pens
- Insulin - unopened
- Phenelzine tablets
- Scheriproct suppositories
- Timodine cream
- Many antibiotic liquids

### STORE AT ROOM TEMPERATURE

- Chloramphenicol ointment
- Clotrimazole cream
- Daktacort Hydrocortisone cream 15g OTC tube
- Fenbid gel
- Fostair Nexthaler
- Most Fludrocortisone tablets
- Xalatan brand of latanoprost eye drops

KEEP IN THE FRIDGE UNTIL OPENED	EXPIRY AFTER REMOVAL FROM FRIDGE (when in use)
Fostair 100/6	3 months
Insulin	4 weeks
Xalacom	4 weeks
Latanoprost (NOT Xalatan brand)*	4 weeks
Trimbow inhaler	2-4 months depending on number of actuations; please see manufacturer's storage instructions
Xyloproct ointment	2 months

\*Please note: the Xalatan brand of latanoprost no longer needs to be kept in the fridge, however, other brands do until opening; please check the outer carton for specific storage instructions.

### Good Practice Fridge Temperature Recordings

- Check and record fridge temperatures daily to ensure the fridge is remaining within range (2°C - 8°C).
- Record the maximum and minimum temperatures.
- Always RESET the thermometer after recording the temperatures (following the manufacturer reset directions for the particular model).
- If the fridge goes out of range (below 2°C or above 8°C), know how to report this within the care home. Look at your policy to find more information on this.

This list is not exhaustive; if in doubt always check the storage instructions on the product.