

HIGHLIGHTS OF PRESCRIBING INFORMATION

These highlights do not include all the information needed to use ONFI safely and effectively. See full prescribing information for ONFI.

ONFI® (clobazam) tablets, for oral use, CIV
ONFI® (clobazam) oral suspension, CIV
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RECENT MAJOR CHANGES

Dosage and Administration:
Important Administration Instructions (2.3) 3/2013
Warnings and Precautions:
Serious Dermatological Reactions (5.4) 11/2013

INDICATIONS AND USAGE

ONFI is a benzodiazepine indicated for adjunctive treatment of seizures associated with Lennox-Gastaut syndrome (LGS) in patients 2 years of age or older (1)

DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION

- For doses above 5 mg/day administer in two divided doses (2.1)
- Patients ≤30 kg body weight: Initiate at 5 mg daily and titrate as tolerated up to 20 mg daily (2.1)
- Patients >30 kg body weight: Initiate at 10 mg daily and titrate as tolerated up to 40 mg daily (2.1)
- Dosage adjustment needed in following groups:
 - Geriatric patients (2.4, 8.5)
 - Known CYP2C19 poor metabolizers (2.5)
 - Mild or moderate hepatic impairment; no information for severe hepatic impairment (2.7, 8.8)
- Reduce dose, or discontinue drug gradually (2.2)
- Tablets: Administer whole, broken in half along the score, or crush and mix in applesauce. (2.3)
- Measure prescribed amount of oral suspension using provided adapter and dosing syringe (2.3)
- Tablets and Oral suspension: Can be taken with or without food. (2.3)

DOSAGE FORMS AND STRENGTHS

- Tablet: 10 mg and 20 mg with a functional score (3)
- Oral Suspension: 2.5 mg/mL in 120 mL bottles (3)

CONTRAINDICATIONS

None (4)

WARNINGS AND PRECAUTIONS

- Somnolence or Sedation*: Monitor for central nervous system (CNS) depression. Risk may be increased with concomitant use of other CNS depressants. (5.1, 5.2)
- Withdrawal*: Symptoms may occur with rapid dose reduction or discontinuation. Discontinue ONFI gradually. (5.3)
- Physical and Psychological Dependence*: Monitor patients with a history of substance abuse for signs of habituation and dependence (5.5, 9)
- Serious Dermatological Reactions* (including Stevens-Johnson syndrome and toxic epidermal necrolysis): Discontinue ONFI at first sign of rash unless the rash is clearly not drug-related. (5.4)
- Suicidal Behavior and Ideation*: Monitor for suicidal thoughts or behaviors (5.6)

ADVERSE REACTIONS

Adverse reactions that occurred at least 10% more frequently than placebo in any ONFI dose included constipation, somnolence or sedation, pyrexia, lethargy, and drooling (6.1)

To report SUSPECTED ADVERSE REACTIONS, contact Lundbeck at 1-800-455-1141 or FDA at 1-800-FDA-1088 or www.fda.gov/medwatch.

DRUG INTERACTIONS

- Drugs metabolized by CYP2D6*: Lower doses of these drugs may be required when used concomitantly with ONFI (7.1)
- Strong or Moderate CYP2C19 Inhibitors*: Dosage adjustment of ONFI may be necessary (7.2)
- Alcohol*: Increases blood levels of clobazam by about 50% (7.3)

See 17 for PATIENT COUNSELING INFORMATION and Medication Guide.

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1 **FULL PRESCRIBING INFORMATION**

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3 **1 INDICATIONS AND USAGE**

4 ONFI® (clobazam) is indicated for the adjunctive treatment of seizures
5 associated with Lennox-Gastaut syndrome (LGS) in patients 2 years of age or
6 older.

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8 **2 DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION**

9 **2.1 Dosing Information**

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11 A daily dose of ONFI greater than 5 mg should be administered in divided doses
12 twice daily; a 5 mg daily dose can be administered as a single dose. Dose
13 patients according to body weight. Individualize dosing within each body weight
14 group, based on clinical efficacy and tolerability. Each dose in Table 1 (e.g. 5 to
15 20 mg in ≤30 kg weight group) has been shown to be effective, although
16 effectiveness increases with increasing dose [see *Clinical Studies (14)*]. Do not
17 proceed with dose escalation more rapidly than weekly, because serum
18 concentrations of clobazam and its active metabolite require 5 and 9 days,
19 respectively, to reach steady-state.

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21 **Table 1. Recommended Total Daily Dosing by Weight Group**

	≤30 kg Body Weight	>30 kg Body Weight
Starting Dose	5 mg	10 mg
Starting Day 7	10 mg	20 mg
Starting Day 14	20 mg	40 mg

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24 **2.2 Gradual Withdrawal**

25 As with all antiepileptic drugs and benzodiazepines, withdraw ONFI gradually.
26 Taper by decreasing the total daily dose by 5-10 mg/day on a weekly basis until
27 discontinued [see *Warnings and Precautions (5.3)*].

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29 **2.3 Important Administration Instructions**

30 Instruct patients to read the “Instructions for Use” carefully for complete
31 directions on how to properly dose and administer ONFI oral suspension.

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33 ***ONFI Tablet Oral Administration***

34 ONFI tablets can be taken with or without food.

35 ONFI tablets can be administered whole, broken in half along the score, or
36 crushed and mixed in applesauce.

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38 ***ONFI Oral Suspension Oral Administration***

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ONFI oral suspension can be taken with or without food [see *Clinical Pharmacology* (12.3)].

Shake ONFI Oral Suspension well before every administration. When administering the oral suspension, use only the oral dosing syringe provided with the product. Each carton includes two syringes, but only one syringe should be used for dosing. The second oral syringe is reserved as a replacement in case the first syringe is damaged or lost. Insert the provided adapter firmly into the neck of the bottle before first use and keep the adapter in place for the duration of the usage of the bottle. To withdraw the dose, insert the dosing syringe into the adapter and invert the bottle then slowly pull back the plunger to prescribed dose. After removing the syringe from the bottle adapter, slowly squirt ONFI Oral Suspension into the corner of the patient's mouth. Replace the cap after each use. The cap fits over the adapter when the adapter is properly placed. See ONFI Oral Suspension "Instructions for Use" for complete instruction on how to properly dose and administer the ONFI Oral Suspension.

2.4 Dosage Adjustments in Geriatric Patients

Plasma concentrations at any given dose are generally higher in the elderly: proceed slowly with dose escalation. The starting dose should be 5 mg/day for all elderly patients. Then titrate elderly patients according to weight, but to half the dose presented in Table 1, as tolerated. If necessary and based upon clinical response, an additional titration to the maximum dose (20 mg/day or 40 mg/day, depending on weight) may be started on day 21 [see *Use in Specific Populations* (8.5)].

2.5 Dosage Adjustments in CYP2C19 Poor Metabolizers

In CYP2C19 poor metabolizers, levels of N-desmethylclobazam, clobazam's active metabolite, will be increased. Therefore, in patients known to be CYP2C19 poor metabolizers, the starting dose should be 5 mg/day and dose titration should proceed slowly according to weight, but to half the dose presented in Table 1, as tolerated. If necessary and based upon clinical response, an additional titration to the maximum dose (20 mg/day or 40 mg/day, depending on the weight group) may be started on day 21 [see *Use in Specific Populations* (8.6), *Clinical Pharmacology* (12.5)].

2.6 Patients with Renal Impairment

No dose adjustment is required for patients with mild and moderate renal impairment. There is no experience with ONFI in patients with severe renal impairment or end stage renal disease (ESRD). It is not known if clobazam or its active metabolite, N-desmethylclobazam, is dialyzable [see *Use in Specific Populations* (8.7), *Clinical Pharmacology* (12.3)].

2.7 Dosage Adjustments in Patients with Hepatic Impairment

84 ONFI is hepatically metabolized; however, there are limited data to characterize
85 the effect of hepatic impairment on the pharmacokinetics of ONFI. For this
86 reason, proceed slowly with dosing escalations. For patients with mild to
87 moderate hepatic impairment (Child-Pugh score 5-9), the starting dose should be
88 5 mg/day in both weight groups. Then titrate patients according to weight, but to
89 half the dose presented in Table 1, as tolerated. If necessary and based upon
90 clinical response, start an additional titration on day 21 to the maximum dose (20
91 mg/day or 40 mg/day, depending on the weight group). There is inadequate
92 information about metabolism of ONFI in patients with severe hepatic
93 impairment. Therefore no dosing recommendation in those patients can be given
94 [*see Use in Specific Populations (8.8), Clinical Pharmacology (12.3)*].
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96 **3 DOSAGE FORMS AND STRENGTHS**

97 Tablets: 10 mg and 20 mg with a functional score for oral administration.

98 Each ONFI tablet is a white to off-white, oval tablet with a functional score on one
99 side and either a “1” and “0” or a “2” and “0” debossed on the other side.

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101 Oral Suspension: 2.5 mg/mL for oral administration. Each bottle contains 120 mL
102 of an off-white suspension.

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104 **4 CONTRAINDICATIONS**

105 None.

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107 **5 WARNINGS AND PRECAUTIONS**

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110 **5.1 Somnolence or Sedation**

111 ONFI causes somnolence and sedation. In clinical trials, somnolence or sedation
112 was reported at all effective doses and was dose-related.

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114 In general, somnolence and sedation begin within the first month of treatment
115 and may diminish with continued treatment. Prescribers should monitor patients
116 for somnolence and sedation, particularly with concomitant use of other central
117 nervous system depressants. Prescribers should caution patients against
118 engaging in hazardous activities requiring mental alertness, such as operating
119 dangerous machinery or motor vehicles, until the effect of ONFI is known.

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121 **5.2 Potentiation of Sedation from Concomitant Use with Central Nervous 122 System Depressants**

123 Since ONFI has a central nervous system (CNS) depressant effect, patients or
124 their caregivers should be cautioned against simultaneous use with other CNS
125 depressant drugs or alcohol, and cautioned that the effects of other CNS
126 depressant drugs or alcohol may be potentiated.

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128 **5.3 Withdrawal Symptoms**

129 Abrupt discontinuation of ONFI should be avoided. ONFI should be tapered by
130 decreasing the dose every week by 5-10 mg/day until discontinuation [see
131 *Dosage and Administration (2.2)*].

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133 Withdrawal symptoms occurred following abrupt discontinuation of ONFI; the risk
134 of withdrawal symptoms is greater with higher doses.

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136 As with all antiepileptic drugs, ONFI should be withdrawn gradually to minimize
137 the risk of precipitating seizures, seizure exacerbation, or status epilepticus.

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139 Withdrawal symptoms (e.g., convulsions, psychosis, hallucinations, behavioral
140 disorder, tremor, and anxiety) have been reported following abrupt
141 discontinuance of benzodiazepines. The more severe withdrawal symptoms
142 have usually been limited to patients who received excessive doses over an
143 extended period of time, followed by an abrupt discontinuation. Generally milder
144 withdrawal symptoms (e.g., dysphoria, anxiety, and insomnia) have been
145 reported following abrupt discontinuance of benzodiazepines taken continuously
146 at therapeutic doses for several months.

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148 **5.4 Serious Dermatological Reactions**

149 Serious skin reactions, including Stevens-Johnson syndrome (SJS) and toxic
150 epidermal necrolysis (TEN), have been reported with ONFI in both children and
151 adults during the post-marketing period. Patients should be closely monitored for
152 signs or symptoms of SJS/TEN, especially during the first 8 weeks of treatment
153 initiation or when re-introducing therapy. ONFI should be discontinued at the first
154 sign of rash, unless the rash is clearly not drug-related. If signs or symptoms
155 suggest SJS/TEN, use of this drug should not be resumed and alternative
156 therapy should be considered.

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159 **5.5 Physical and Psychological Dependence**

160 Patients with a history of substance abuse should be under careful surveillance
161 when receiving ONFI or other psychotropic agents because of the predisposition
162 of such patients to habituation and dependence [see *Drug Abuse and*
163 *Dependence (9)*].

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166 **5.6 Suicidal Behavior and Ideation**

167 Antiepileptic drugs (AEDs), including ONFI, increase the risk of suicidal thoughts
168 or behavior in patients taking these drugs for any indication. Patients treated
169 with any AED for any indication should be monitored for the emergence or
170 worsening of depression, suicidal thoughts or behavior, and/or any unusual
171 changes in mood or behavior.

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173 Pooled analyses of 199 placebo-controlled clinical trials (mono- and adjunctive
174 therapy) of 11 different AEDs showed that patients randomized to one of the
175 AEDs had approximately twice the risk (adjusted relative risk 1.8, 95%
176 confidence interval [CI]: 1.2, 2.7) of suicidal thinking or behavior compared to
177 patients randomized to placebo. In these trials, which had a median treatment
178 duration of 12 weeks, the estimated incidence rate of suicidal behavior or
179 ideation among 27,863 AED treated patients was 0.43%, compared to 0.24%
180 among 16,029 placebo treated patients, representing an increase of
181 approximately one case of suicidal thinking or behavior for every 530 patients
182 treated. There were four suicides in drug treated patients in the trials and none
183 in placebo treated patients, but the number is too small to allow any conclusion
184 about drug effect on suicide.

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186 The increased risk of suicidal thoughts or behavior with AEDs was observed as
187 early as one week after starting drug treatment with AEDs and persisted for the
188 duration of treatment assessed. Because most trials included in the analysis did
189 not extend beyond 24 weeks, the risk of suicidal thoughts or behavior beyond 24
190 weeks could not be assessed.

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192 The risk of suicidal thoughts or behavior was generally consistent among drugs
193 in the data analyzed. The finding of increased risk with AEDs of varying
194 mechanisms of action and across a range of indications suggests that the risk
195 applies to all AEDs used for any indication. The risk did not vary substantially by
196 age (5-100 years) in the clinical trials analyzed. Table 2 shows absolute and
197 relative risk by indication for all evaluated AEDs.

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Table 2. Risk by Indication for Antiepileptic Drugs in the Pooled Analysis

Indication	Placebo Patients with Events per 1000 Patients	Drug Patients with Events per 1000 Patients	Relative Risk: Incidence of Drug Events in Drug Patients/Incidence in Placebo Patients	Risk Difference: Additional Drug Patients with Events per 1000 Patients
Epilepsy	1.0	3.4	3.5	2.4
Psychiatric	5.7	8.5	1.5	2.9
Other	1.0	1.8	1.9	0.9
Total	2.4	4.3	1.8	1.9

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200 The relative risk for suicidal thoughts or behavior was higher in clinical trials for
201 epilepsy than in clinical trials for psychiatric or other conditions, but the absolute
202 risk differences were similar for the epilepsy and psychiatric indications.

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204 Anyone considering prescribing ONFI or any other AED must balance the risk of
205 suicidal thoughts or behavior with the risk of untreated illness. Epilepsy and

206 many other illnesses for which AEDs are prescribed are themselves associated
207 with morbidity and mortality and an increased risk of suicidal thoughts and
208 behavior. Should suicidal thoughts and behavior emerge during treatment, the
209 prescriber needs to consider whether the emergence of these symptoms in any
210 given patient may be related to the illness being treated.

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212 Patients, their caregivers, and families should be informed that AEDs increase
213 the risk of suicidal thoughts and behavior and should be advised of the need to
214 be alert for the emergence or worsening of the signs and symptoms of
215 depression, any unusual changes in mood or behavior, or the emergence of
216 suicidal thoughts, behavior, or thoughts about self-harm. Behaviors of concern
217 should be reported immediately to healthcare providers.

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219 **6 ADVERSE REACTIONS**

220 Clinically significant adverse reactions that appear in other sections of the
221 labeling include the following:

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- 223 • Somnolence or Sedation [*see Warnings and Precautions (5.1)*]
- 224 • Potentiation of Sedation from Concomitant Use with Central Nervous
225 System Depressants [*see Warnings and Precautions (5.2)*]
- 226 • Withdrawal Symptoms [*see Warnings and Precautions (5.3)*]
- 227 • Serious Dermatological Reactions [*see Warnings and Precautions (5.4)*]
- 228 • Physical and Psychological Dependence [*see Warnings and Precautions*
229 *(5.5)*]
- 230 • Suicidal Behavior and Ideation [*see Warnings and Precautions (5.6)*]

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232 **6.1 Clinical Trials Experience**

233 Because clinical trials are conducted under widely varying conditions, adverse
234 reaction rates observed in the clinical trials of a drug cannot be directly compared
235 to rates in the clinical trials of another drug and may not reflect the rates
236 observed in practice.

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238 During its development for the adjunctive treatment of seizures associated with
239 LGS, ONFI was administered to 333 healthy volunteers and 300 patients with a
240 current or prior diagnosis of LGS, including 197 patients treated for 12 months or
241 more. The conditions and duration of exposure varied greatly and included
242 single- and multiple-dose clinical pharmacology studies in healthy volunteers and
243 two double-blind studies in patients with LGS (Study 1 and 2) [*see Clinical*
244 *Studies (14)*]. Only Study 1 included a placebo group, allowing comparison of
245 adverse reaction rates on ONFI at several doses to placebo.

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247 Adverse Reactions Leading to Discontinuation in an LGS Placebo Controlled
248 Clinical Trial (Study 1)

249 The adverse reactions associated with ONFI treatment discontinuation in $\geq 1\%$
250 patients in decreasing order of frequency included lethargy, somnolence, ataxia,
251 aggression, fatigue, and insomnia.

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253 Most Common Adverse Reactions in an LGS Placebo Controlled Clinical Trial
254 (Study 1)

255 Table 3 lists the adverse reactions that occurred in $\geq 5\%$ of ONFI treated patients
256 (at any dose), and at a rate greater than placebo treated patients, in the
257 randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled, parallel group clinical study of
258 adjunctive AED therapy for 15 weeks (Study 1).

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Table 3. Adverse Reactions Reported for ≥5% of Patients and More Frequently than Placebo in Any Treatment Group

	Placebo N=59 %	ONFI Dose Level			All ONFI N=179 %
		Low ^a N=58 %	Medium ^b N=62 %	High ^c N=59 %	
Gastrointestinal Disorders					
Vomiting	5	9	5	7	7
Constipation	0	2	2	10	5
Dysphagia	0	0	0	5	2
General Disorders and Administration Site Conditions					
Pyrexia	3	17	10	12	13
Irritability	5	3	11	5	7
Fatigue	2	5	5	3	5
Infections and Infestations					
Upper respiratory tract infection	10	10	13	14	12
Pneumonia	2	3	3	7	4
Urinary tract infection	0	2	5	5	4
Bronchitis	0	2	0	5	2
Metabolism and Nutrition Disorders					
Decreased appetite	3	3	0	7	3
Increased appetite	0	2	3	5	3
Nervous System Disorders					
Somnolence or Sedation	15	17	27	32	26
Somnolence	12	16	24	25	22
Sedation	3	2	3	9	5
Lethargy	5	10	5	15	10
Drooling	3	0	13	14	9
Ataxia	3	3	2	10	5
Psychomotor hyperactivity	3	3	3	5	4
Dysarthria	0	2	2	5	3
Psychiatric Disorders					
Aggression	5	3	8	14	8
Insomnia	2	2	5	7	5
Respiratory Disorders					
Cough	0	3	5	7	5

260 ^a Maximum daily dose of 5 mg for ≤30 kg body weight; 10 mg for >30 kg body weight

261 ^b Maximum daily dose of 10 mg for ≤30 kg body weight; 20 mg for >30 kg body weight

262 ^c Maximum daily dose of 20 mg for ≤30 kg body weight; 40 mg for >30 kg body weight

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264 **6.2 Post Marketing Experience**

265 These reactions are reported voluntarily from a population of uncertain size;
266 therefore, it is not possible to estimate their frequency or establish a causal
267 relationship to drug exposure. Adverse reactions are categorized by system
268 organ class.

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270 **Blood Disorders:** Anemia, eosinophilia, leukopenia, thrombocytopenia

271 **Eye Disorders:** Diplopia, vision blurred

272 **Gastrointestinal Disorders:** Abdominal distention

273 **Investigations:** Hepatic enzyme increased

274 **Musculoskeletal:** Muscle spasms

275 **Psychiatric Disorders:** Agitation, anxiety, apathy, confusional state, depression,
276 delirium, delusion, hallucination

277 **Respiratory Disorders:** Aspiration, respiratory depression

278 **Skin and Subcutaneous Tissue Disorders:** Rash, urticaria

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280 **7 DRUG INTERACTIONS**

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282 **7.1 Effect of ONFI on Other Drugs**

283 Hormonal Contraceptives

284 ONFI is a weak CYP3A4 inducer. As some hormonal contraceptives are
285 metabolized by CYP3A4, their effectiveness may be diminished when given with
286 ONFI. Additional non-hormonal forms of contraception are recommended when
287 using ONFI [see *Clinical Pharmacology (12.3)*, *Patient Counseling Information*
288 (17)].

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290 Drugs Metabolized by CYP2D6

291 ONFI inhibits CYP2D6. Dose adjustment of drugs metabolized by CYP2D6 may
292 be necessary [see *Clinical Pharmacology (12.3)*].

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294 **7.2 Effect of Other Drugs on ONFI**

295 Strong and moderate inhibitors of CYP2C19

296 Strong and moderate inhibitors of CYP2C19 may result in increased exposure to
297 N-desmethyloclobazam, the active metabolite of clobazam. This may increase the
298 risk of dose-related adverse reactions. Dosage adjustment of ONFI may be
299 necessary when co-administered with strong CYP2C19 inhibitors (e.g.,
300 fluconazole, fluvoxamine, ticlopidine) or moderate CYP2C19 inhibitors (e.g.,
301 omeprazole) [see *Clinical Pharmacology (12.3)*].

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303 **7.3 CNS Depressants and Alcohol**

304 Concomitant use of ONFI with other CNS depressants may increase the risk of
305 sedation and somnolence [see *Warnings and Precautions (5.2)*].

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307 Alcohol, as a CNS depressant, will interact with ONFI in a similar way and also
308 increases clobazam's maximum plasma exposure by approximately 50%.
309 Therefore, caution patients or their caregivers against simultaneous use with
310 other CNS depressant drugs or alcohol, and caution that the effects of other CNS
311 depressant drugs or alcohol may be potentiated [see *Warnings and Precautions*
312 (5.2)].

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314 **8 USE IN SPECIFIC POPULATIONS**

315 **8.1 Pregnancy**

316 **Pregnancy Registry:** To provide information regarding the effects of *in utero*
317 exposure to ONFI, physicians are advised to recommend that pregnant patients
318 taking ONFI enroll in the North American Antiepileptic Drug (NAAED) Pregnancy
319 Registry. This can be done by calling the toll free number 1-888-233-2334, and
320 must be done by patients themselves or their caregiver. Information on the
321 registry can also be found at the website <http://www.aedpregnancyregistry.org/>.

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323 **Pregnancy Category C.**

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325 There are no adequate and well-controlled studies of ONFI in pregnant women
326 and no adequate developmental toxicity studies of clobazam in animals.

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328 Although limited, the available animal data suggest developmental toxicity,
329 including an increased incidence of fetal abnormalities following oral
330 administration of clobazam to pregnant animals at doses similar to those used
331 clinically.

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333 Data for other benzodiazepines suggest the possibility of adverse effects in
334 animals and humans. Long-term effects on neurobehavioral and immunological
335 function have been reported in rodents following prenatal exposure to
336 benzodiazepines. Neonatal flaccidity, respiratory and feeding difficulties,
337 hypothermia, and withdrawal symptoms have been reported in infants born to
338 mothers who received benzodiazepines, including clobazam, late in pregnancy.

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340 Therefore, ONFI should be used during pregnancy only if the potential benefit
341 justifies the potential risk to the fetus.

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343 **8.3 Nursing Mothers**

344 ONFI is excreted in human milk. The effects of this exposure on infants are
345 unknown.

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347 **8.4 Pediatric Use**

348 The safety and effectiveness in patients less than 2 years of age have not been
349 established.

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351 In a study in which clobazam (4, 36, or 120 mg/kg/day) was orally administered
352 to rats during the juvenile period of development (postnatal days 14 to 48),
353 adverse effects on growth (decreased bone density and bone length) and
354 behavior (altered motor activity and auditory startle response; learning deficit)
355 were observed at the high dose. The effect on bone density, but not on behavior,
356 was reversible when drug was discontinued. The no-effect level for juvenile
357 toxicity (36 mg/kg/day) was associated with plasma exposures (AUC) to
358 clobazam and its major active metabolite, N-desmethyloclobazam, less than those
359 expected at therapeutic doses in pediatric patients.

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361 **8.5 Geriatric Use**

362 Clinical studies of ONFI did not include sufficient numbers of subjects aged 65
363 and over to determine whether they respond differently from younger subjects.
364 However, elderly subjects appear to eliminate clobazam more slowly than
365 younger subjects based on population pharmacokinetic analysis. For these
366 reasons, the initial dose in elderly patients should be 5 mg/day. Patients should
367 be titrated initially to 10-20 mg/day. Patients may be titrated further to a
368 maximum daily dose of 40 mg if tolerated [see *Dosage and Administration (2.4)*,
369 *Clinical Pharmacology (12.3)*].

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371 **8.6 CYP2C19 Poor Metabolizers**

372 Concentrations of clobazam's active metabolite, N-desmethyloclobazam, are
373 higher in CYP2C19 poor metabolizers than in extensive metabolizers. For this
374 reason, dosage modification is recommended [see *Dosage and Administration*
375 *(2.5)*, *Clinical Pharmacology (12.3)*].

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377 **8.7 Renal Impairment**

378 The pharmacokinetics of ONFI were evaluated in patients with mild and
379 moderate renal impairment. There were no significant differences in systemic
380 exposure (AUC and C_{max}) between patients with mild or moderate renal
381 impairment and healthy subjects. No dose adjustment is required for patients
382 with mild and moderate renal impairment. There is essentially no experience
383 with ONFI in patients with severe renal impairment or ESRD. It is not known if
384 clobazam or its active metabolite, N-desmethyloclobazam, is dialyzable [see
385 *Dosage and Administration (2.6)*, *Clinical Pharmacology (12.3)*].

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387 **8.8 Hepatic Impairment**

388 ONFI is hepatically metabolized; however, there are limited data to characterize
389 the effect of hepatic impairment on the pharmacokinetics of ONFI. For this
390 reason, dosage adjustment is recommended in patients with mild to moderate
391 hepatic impairment (Child-Pugh score 5-9). There is inadequate information
392 about metabolism of ONFI in patients with severe hepatic impairment [see
393 *Dosage and Administration (2.7)*, *Clinical Pharmacology (12.3)*].

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395 **9 DRUG ABUSE AND DEPENDENCE**

396 **9.1 Controlled Substance**

397 ONFI contains clobazam which is a Schedule IV controlled substance.

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399 **9.2 Abuse**

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401 ONFI can be abused in a similar manner as other benzodiazepines, such as
402 diazepam.

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404 The pharmacological profile of ONFI is similar to that of other benzodiazepines
405 listed in Schedule IV of the Controlled Substance Act, particularly in its
406 potentiation of GABAergic transmission through its action on GABA_A receptors,
407 which leads to sedation and somnolence.

408

409 The World Health Organization epidemiology database contains reports of drug
410 abuse, misuse, and overdoses associated with clobazam.

411 Drug abuse is the intentional non-therapeutic use of a drug, repeatedly or even
412 sporadically, for its rewarding psychological or physiological effects.

413

414 **9.3 Dependence**

415 *Dependence*

416 Physical dependence is a state of adaptation that is manifested by a specific
417 withdrawal syndrome that can be produced by abrupt cessation, rapid dose
418 reduction, decreasing blood levels of the drug, and/or administration of an
419 antagonist. In clinical trials, cases of dependency were reported following abrupt
420 discontinuation of ONFI.

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422 The risk of dependence is present even with use of ONFI at the recommended
423 dose range over periods of only a few weeks. The risk of dependence
424 increases with increasing dose and duration of treatment. The risk of
425 dependence is increased in patients with a history of alcohol or drug abuse.

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427 *Withdrawal*

428 Abrupt discontinuation of ONFI causes withdrawal symptoms. As with other
429 benzodiazepines, ONFI should be withdrawn gradually [see *Dosage and*
430 *Administration (2.2), Warnings and Precautions (5.3)*].

431

432 In ONFI clinical pharmacology trials in healthy volunteers, the most common
433 withdrawal symptoms after abrupt discontinuation were headache, tremor,
434 insomnia, anxiety, irritability, drug withdrawal syndrome, palpitations, and
435 diarrhea [see *Warnings and Precautions (5.3)*].

436

437 Other withdrawal reactions to clobazam reported in the literature include

438 restlessness, panic attacks, profuse sweating, difficulty in concentrating,
439 nausea and dry retching, weight loss, blurred vision, photophobia, and muscle
440 pain and stiffness. In general, benzodiazepine withdrawal may cause seizures,
441 psychosis, and hallucinations [see *Warnings and Precautions (5.3)*].

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443 **10 OVERDOSAGE**

444 **10.1 Signs and Symptoms of Overdosage**

445 Overdose and intoxication with benzodiazepines, including ONFI, may lead to
446 CNS depression, associated with drowsiness, confusion and lethargy, possibly
447 progressing to ataxia, respiratory depression, hypotension, and, rarely, coma or
448 death. The risk of a fatal outcome is increased in cases of combined poisoning
449 with other CNS depressants, including alcohol.

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451 **10.2 Management of Overdosage**

452 The management of ONFI overdose may include gastric lavage and/or
453 administration of activated charcoal, intravenous fluid replenishment, early
454 control of airway and general supportive measures, in addition to
455 monitoring level of consciousness and vital signs. Hypotension can be
456 treated by replenishment with plasma substitutes and, if necessary, with
457 sympathomimetic agents.

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459 The efficacy of supplementary administration of physostigmine (a cholinergic
460 agent) or of flumazenil (a benzodiazepine antagonist) in ONFI overdose has not
461 been assessed. The administration of flumazenil in cases of benzodiazepine
462 overdose can lead to withdrawal and adverse reactions. Its use in patients with
463 epilepsy is typically not recommended.

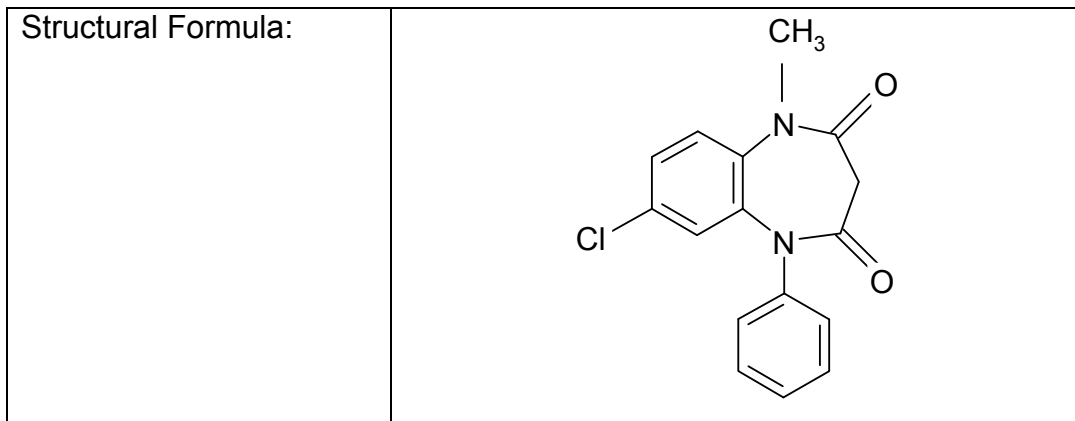
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465 **11 DESCRIPTION**

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Table 4. Description

Proprietary Name:	ONFI®
Established Name:	Clobazam
Dosage Forms:	Tablet and Oral Suspension
Route of Administration:	Oral
Established Pharmacologic Class of Drug:	Benzodiazepine
Chemical Name:	7-Chloro-1-methyl-5-phenyl-1H-1,5 benzodiazepine-2,4(3H,5H)-dione



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468 Clobazam is a white or almost white, crystalline powder with a slightly bitter taste;
469 is slightly soluble in water, sparingly soluble in ethanol, and freely soluble in
470 methylene chloride. The melting range of clobazam is from 182-185°C. The
471 molecular formula is C₁₆H₁₃O₂N₂Cl and the molecular weight is 300.7.

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473 Each ONFI tablet contains 10 mg or 20 mg of clobazam. Tablets also contain as
474 inactive ingredients: corn starch, lactose monohydrate, magnesium stearate,
475 silicon dioxide, and talc.

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477 ONFI is also available for oral administration as an off-white suspension
478 containing clobazam at a concentration of 2.5 mg/mL. Inactive ingredients
479 include magnesium aluminum silicate, xanthan gum, citric acid monohydrate,
480 disodium hydrogen phosphate dihydrate, simethicone emulsion, polysorbate 80,
481 methylparaben, propylparaben, propylene glycol, sucralose, maltitol solution,
482 berry flavor, purified water.

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484 **12 CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY**

485 **12.1 Mechanism of Action**

486 The exact mechanism of action for clobazam, a 1,5-benzodiazepine, is not fully
487 understood but is thought to involve potentiation of GABAergic
488 neurotransmission resulting from binding at the benzodiazepine site of the
489 GABA_A receptor.

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491 **12.2 Pharmacodynamics**

492 Effects on Electrocardiogram

493 The effect of ONFI 20 mg and 80 mg administered twice daily on QTc interval
494 was evaluated in a randomized, evaluator blinded, placebo-, and active-
495 controlled (moxifloxacin 400 mg) parallel thorough QT study in 280 healthy
496 subjects. In a study with demonstrated ability to detect small effects, the upper
497 bound of the one-sided 95% confidence interval for the largest placebo adjusted,
498 baseline-corrected QTc based on Fridericia correction method was below 10 ms,
499 the threshold for regulatory concern. Thus, at a dose two times the maximum

500 recommended dose, ONFI did not prolong the QTc interval to any clinically
501 relevant extent.

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503 **12.3 Pharmacokinetics**

504 The peak plasma levels (C_{max}) and the area under the curve (AUC) of clobazam
505 are dose-proportional over the dose range of 10-80 mg following single- or
506 multiple-dose administration of ONFI. Based on a population pharmacokinetic
507 analysis, the pharmacokinetics of clobazam are linear from 5-160 mg/day.
508 Clobazam is converted to N-desmethyclobazam which has about 1/5 the activity
509 of clobazam. The estimated mean elimination half-lives ($t_{1/2}$) of clobazam and N-
510 desmethyclobazam were 36-42 hours and 71-82 hours, respectively.

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512 Absorption

513 Clobazam is rapidly and extensively absorbed following oral administration. The
514 time to peak concentrations (T_{max}) of clobazam tablets under fasted conditions
515 ranged from 0.5 to 4 hours after single- or multiple-dose administrations. The
516 relative bioavailability of clobazam tablets compared to an oral solution is
517 approximately 100%. After single dose administration of the oral suspension
518 under fasted conditions, the T_{max} ranged from 0.5 to 2 hours. Based on exposure
519 (C_{max} and AUC) of clobazam, ONFI tablets and suspension were shown to have
520 similar bioavailability under fasted condition. The administration of ONFI tablets
521 with food or when crushed in applesauce does not affect absorption. Although
522 not studied, the oral bioavailability of the oral suspension is unlikely to be
523 affected under fed conditions.

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525 Distribution

526 Clobazam is lipophilic and distributes rapidly throughout the body. The apparent
527 volume of distribution at steady state was approximately 100 L. The *in vitro*
528 plasma protein binding of clobazam and N-desmethyclobazam is approximately
529 80-90% and 70%, respectively.

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531 Metabolism and Excretion

532 Clobazam is extensively metabolized in the liver, with approximately 2% of the
533 dose recovered in urine and 1% in feces as unchanged drug. The major
534 metabolic pathway of clobazam involves N-demethylation, primarily by CYP3A4
535 and to a lesser extent by CYP2C19 and CYP2B6. N-desmethyclobazam, an
536 active metabolite, is the major circulating metabolite in humans, and at
537 therapeutic doses, plasma concentrations are 3-5 times higher than those of the
538 parent compound. Based on animal and *in vitro* receptor binding data, estimates
539 of the relative potency of N-desmethyclobazam compared to parent compound
540 range from 1/5 to equal potency. N-desmethyclobazam is extensively
541 metabolized, mainly by CYP2C19. N-desmethyclobazam and its metabolites
542 comprise ~94% of the total drug-related components in urine. Following a single

543 oral dose of radiolabeled drug, approximately 11% of the dose was excreted in
544 the feces and approximately 82% was excreted in the urine.

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546 The polymorphic CYP2C19 is the major contributor to the metabolism of the
547 pharmacologically active N-desmethylclobazam [see *Clinical Pharmacology*
548 (12.5)]. In CYP2C19 poor metabolizers, levels of N-desmethylclobazam were 5-
549 fold higher in plasma and 2- to 3-fold higher in the urine than in CYP2C19
550 extensive metabolizers.

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552 Pharmacokinetics in Specific Populations

553 *Age*

554 Population pharmacokinetic analyses showed that the clearance of clobazam is
555 lower in elderly subjects compared to other age groups (ages 2 to 64). Dosing
556 should be adjusted in the elderly [see *Dosage and Administration* (2.4)].

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558 *Sex*

559 Population pharmacokinetic analyses showed no difference in the clearance of
560 clobazam between women and men.

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562 *Race*

563 Population pharmacokinetic analyses including Caucasian (75%), African
564 American (15%), and Asian (9%) subjects showed that there is no evidence of
565 clinically significant effect of race on the clearance of clobazam.

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567 *Renal Impairment*

568 The effect of renal impairment on the pharmacokinetics of clobazam was
569 evaluated in patients with mild (creatinine clearance [CL_{CR}] >50 to 80 mL/min;
570 N=6) and moderate (CL_{CR} =30 to 50 mL/min; N=6) renal dysfunction, with
571 matching healthy controls (N=6), following administration of multiple doses of
572 ONFI 20 mg/day. There were insignificant changes in C_{max} (3-24%) and AUC
573 (\leq 13%) for clobazam or N-desmethylclobazam in patients with mild or moderate
574 renal impairment compared to patients with normal renal function. Patients with
575 severe renal impairment or ESRD were not included in this study.

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577 *Hepatic Impairment*

578 There are limited data to characterize the effect of hepatic impairment on the
579 pharmacokinetics of clobazam. In a small study, the pharmacokinetics of a 20 mg
580 single oral dose of ONFI in 9 patients with liver impairment were compared to
581 healthy controls (N=6). The C_{max} and the mean plasma clearance of clobazam,
582 as well as the C_{max} of N-desmethylclobazam, showed no significant change
583 compared to the healthy controls. The AUC values of N-desmethylclobazam in
584 these patients were not available. Adjust dosage in patients with hepatic
585 impairment [see *Dosage and Administration* (2.7)].

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587 Drug Interaction Studies

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589 *In vitro studies:*

590 Clobazam did not inhibit CYP1A2, CYP2C8, CYP2C9, CYP2C19, CYP2D6,
591 CYP3A4, UGT1A1, UGT1A4, UGT1A6, or UGT2B4 *in vitro*. N-
592 desmethylclobazam showed weak inhibition of CYP2C9, UGT1A4, UGT1A6 and
593 UGT2B4.

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595 Clobazam and N-desmethylclobazam did not significantly increase CYP1A2 or
596 CYP2C19 activities, but did induce CYP3A4 activity in a concentration-
597 dependent manner. Clobazam and N-desmethylclobazam also increased
598 UGT1A1 mRNA but at concentrations much higher than therapeutic levels. The
599 potential for clobazam or N-desmethylclobazam to induce CYP2B6 and CYP2C8
600 has not been evaluated.

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602 Clobazam and N-desmethylclobazam do not inhibit P-glycoprotein (P-gp), but are
603 P-gp substrates.

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605 *In vivo studies:*

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607 *Potential for ONFI to Affect Other Drugs*

608 The effect of repeated 40 mg once-daily doses of ONFI on the pharmacokinetic
609 profiles of single-dose dextromethorphan (CYP2D6 substrate), midazolam
610 (CYP3A4 substrate), caffeine (CYP1A2 substrate), and tolbutamide (CYP2C9
611 substrate), was studied when these probe substrates were given as a drug
612 cocktail (N=18).

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614 Clobazam increased AUC and C_{max} of dextromethorphan by 90% and 59%,
615 respectively, reflecting its inhibition of CYP2D6 *in vivo*. Drugs metabolized
616 by CYP2D6 may require dose adjustment when used with ONFI.

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618 Clobazam decreased the AUC and C_{max} of midazolam by 27% and 24%,
619 respectively, and increased the AUC and C_{max} of the metabolite 1-
620 hydroxymidazolam by 4-fold and 2-fold, respectively. This level of induction does
621 not call for dosage adjustment of drugs that are primarily metabolized by
622 CYP3A4 when used concomitantly with ONFI. Some hormonal contraceptives
623 are metabolized by CYP3A4 and their effectiveness may be diminished when
624 given with ONFI [see *Drug Interactions (7.1)*]. Repeated ONFI doses had no
625 effect on caffeine and tolbutamide.

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627 A population pharmacokinetic analysis indicated clobazam did not affect the
628 exposure of valproic acid (a CYP2C9/2C19 substrate) or lamotrigine (a UGT
629 substrate).

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631 *Potential for Other Drugs to Affect ONFI*

632 Co-administration of ketoconazole (a strong CYP3A4 inhibitor) 400 mg once-
633 daily for 5 days increased clobazam AUC by 54%, with an insignificant effect on
634 clobazam C_{max} . There was no significant change in AUC and C_{max} of N-
635 desmethylclobazam (N=18).

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637 Strong (e.g., fluconazole, fluvoxamine, ticlopidine) and moderate (e.g.,
638 omeprazole) inhibitors of CYP2C19 may result in up to a 5-fold increase in
639 exposure to N-desmethylclobazam, the active metabolite of clobazam, based on
640 extrapolation from pharmacogenomic data [see *Clinical Pharmacology (12.5)*].
641 Dosage adjustment of ONFI may be necessary when co-administered with strong
642 or moderate CYP2C19 inhibitors [see *Drug Interactions (7.2)*].

643

644 The effects of concomitant antiepileptic drugs that are CYP3A4 inducers
645 (phenobarbital, phenytoin, and carbamazepine), CYP2C9 inducers (valproic acid,
646 phenobarbital, phenytoin, and carbamazepine), and CYP2C9 inhibitors
647 (felbamate and oxcarbazepine) were evaluated using data from clinical trials.
648 Results of population pharmacokinetic analysis show that these concomitant
649 antiepileptic drugs did not significantly alter the pharmacokinetics of clobazam or
650 N-desmethylclobazam at steady-state.

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652 Alcohol has been reported to increase the maximum plasma exposure of
653 clobazam by approximately 50%. Alcohol may have additive CNS depressant
654 effects when taken with ONFI [see *Warnings and Precautions (5.2)*, *Drug*
655 *Interactions (7.3)*].

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657 **12.5 Pharmacogenomics**

658 The polymorphic CYP2C19 is the main enzyme that metabolizes the
659 pharmacologically active N-desmethylclobazam. Compared to CYP2C19
660 extensive metabolizers, N-desmethylclobazam AUC and C_{max} are approximately
661 3-5 times higher in poor metabolizers (e.g., subjects with *2/*2 genotype) and 2
662 times higher in intermediate metabolizers (e.g., subjects with *1/*2 genotype).
663 The prevalence of CYP2C19 poor metabolism differs depending on racial/ethnic
664 background. Dosage in patients who are known CYP2C19 poor metabolizers
665 may need to be adjusted [see *Dosage and Administration (2.5)*].

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667 The systemic exposure of clobazam is similar for both CYP2C19 poor and
668 extensive metabolizers.

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670 **13 NONCLINICAL TOXICOLOGY**

671 **13.1 Carcinogenesis, Mutagenesis, Impairment of Fertility**

672 **Carcinogenesis**

673 The carcinogenic potential of clobazam has not been adequately assessed.

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675 In a limited study in rats, oral administration of clobazam (4, 20, and 100
676 mg/kg/day) for 2 years resulted in an increased incidence of thyroid follicular cell
677 adenomas in males at the high dose.

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679 **Mutagenesis**

680 Clobazam and the major active metabolite, N-desmethylclobazam, were negative
681 for genotoxicity, based on data from a battery of *in vitro* (bacteria reverse
682 mutation, mammalian clastogenicity) and *in vivo* (mouse micronucleus) assays.

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684 **Impairment of Fertility**

685 There are no adequate studies of the effects of clobazam on fertility.

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687 **14 CLINICAL STUDIES**

688 The effectiveness of ONFI for the adjunctive treatment of seizures associated
689 with Lennox-Gastaut syndrome was established in two multicenter controlled
690 studies (Study 1 and Study 2). Both studies were similar in terms of disease
691 characteristics and concomitant AED treatments. The most common
692 concomitant AED treatments at baseline included: valproate, lamotrigine,
693 levetiracetam, and topiramate.

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695 Study 1

696 Study 1 (N=238) was a randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled study
697 consisting of a 4-week baseline period followed by a 3-week titration period and
698 12-week maintenance period. Patients age 2-54 years with a current or prior
699 diagnosis of LGS were stratified into 2 weight groups (12.5 kg to ≤30 kg or >30
700 kg) and then randomized to placebo or one of three target maintenance doses of
701 ONFI according to Table 5.

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703 **Table 5. Study 1 Total Daily Dose**

	≤30 kg Body Weight	>30 kg Body Weight
Low Dose	5 mg daily	10 mg daily
Medium Dose	10 mg daily	20 mg daily
High Dose	20 mg daily	40 mg daily

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705 Doses above 5 mg/day were administered in two divided doses.

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707 The primary efficacy measure was the percent reduction in the weekly frequency
708 of drop seizures (atonic, tonic, or myoclonic), also known as drop attacks, from
709 the 4-week baseline period to 12-week maintenance period.

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711 The pre-dosing baseline mean weekly drop seizure frequency was 98, 100, 61,
712 and 105 for the placebo, low-, medium-, and high-dose groups, respectively.

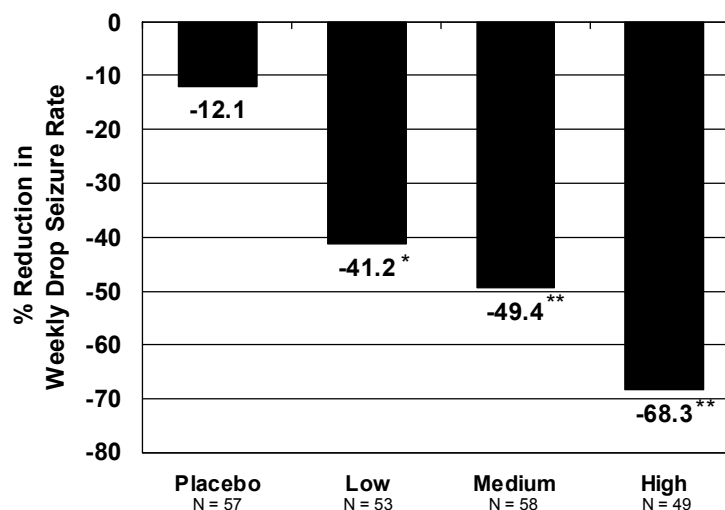
713 Figure 1 presents the mean percent reduction in weekly drop seizures from this
714 baseline. All dose groups of ONFI were statistically superior ($p \leq 0.05$) to the
715 placebo group. This effect appeared to be dose dependent.

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717 **Figure 1. Mean Percent Reduction from Baseline in Weekly Drop Seizure**
718 **Frequency (Study 1)**

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* $p < 0.05$, ** $p < 0.01$

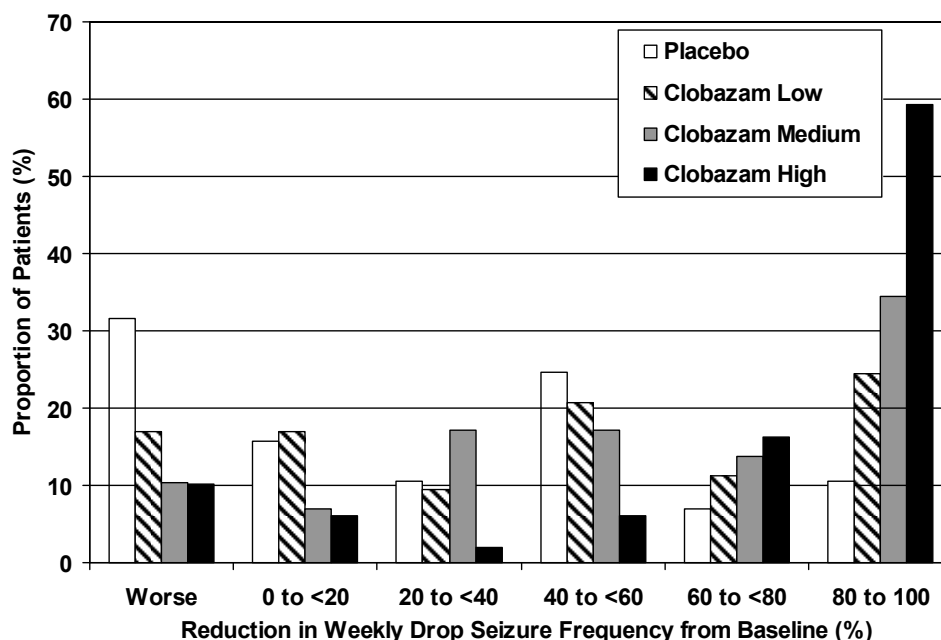
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723 Figure 2 shows changes from baseline in weekly drop seizure frequency by
724 category for patients treated with ONFI and placebo in Study 1. Patients in whom
725 the seizure frequency increased are shown at left as “worse.” Patients in whom
726 the seizure frequency decreased are shown in five categories.

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728 **Figure 2. Drop Seizure Response by Category for ONFI and Placebo (Study**
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734 There was no evidence that tolerance to the therapeutic effect of ONFI
 735 developed during the 3-month maintenance period.

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Study 2

738 Study 2 (N=68) was a randomized, double-blind comparison study of high- and
 739 low-dose ONFI, consisting of a 4-week baseline period followed by a 3-week
 740 titration period and 4-week maintenance period. Patients age 2-25 years with a
 741 current or prior diagnosis of LGS were stratified by weight, then randomized to
 742 either a low or high dose of ONFI, and then entered a 3-week titration period.

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744 The primary efficacy measure was the percent reduction in the weekly frequency
 745 of drop seizures (atonic, tonic, or myoclonic), also known as drop attacks, from
 746 the 4-week baseline period to the 4-week maintenance period.

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748 A statistically significantly greater reduction in seizure frequency was observed in
 749 the high-dose group compared to the low-dose group (median percent reduction
 750 of 93% vs 29%; p<0.05).

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16 HOW SUPPLIED/STORAGE AND HANDLING

753 Each ONFI tablet contains 10 mg or 20 mg of clobazam and is a white to off-
 754 white, oval tablet with a functional score on one side and either a “1” and “0” or a
 755 “2” and “0” debossed on the other side.

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757 NDC 67386-311-01: 10 mg scored tablet, Bottles of 100

758 NDC 67386-312-01: 20 mg scored tablet, Bottles of 100

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760 ONFI oral suspension is a berry flavored off-white liquid supplied in a bottle with
761 child-resistant closure. The oral suspension is packaged with a dispenser set
762 which contains two calibrated oral dosing syringes and bottle adapter. Store the
763 oral suspension in an upright position. Use within 90 days of first opening the
764 bottle, then discard any remainder.

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766 NDC 67386-313-21: Bottle containing 120 mL of suspension

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768 Store tablets and oral suspension at 20°C to 25°C (68°F to 77°F). See USP
769 controlled room temperature.

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771 **17 PATIENT COUNSELING INFORMATION**

772 See FDA-approved patient labeling (Medication Guide and Instructions for Use).

773 Inform patients or caregivers of the availability of a Medication Guide and instruct
774 them to read the Medication Guide prior to initiating treatment with ONFI and with
775 each prescription refill. Review the ONFI Medication Guide with every patient or
776 caregiver prior to initiation of treatment. Instruct patients or caregivers that ONFI
777 should be taken only as prescribed.

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779 Somnolence or Sedation

780 Advise patients or caregivers to check with their healthcare provider before ONFI
781 is taken with other CNS depressants such as other benzodiazepines, opioids,
782 tricyclic antidepressants, sedating antihistamines, or alcohol [see *Warnings and*
783 *Precautions (5.1, 5.2)*].

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785 If applicable, caution patients about operating hazardous machinery, including
786 automobiles, until they are reasonably certain that ONFI does not affect them
787 adversely (e.g., impair judgment, thinking or motor skills).

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789 Increasing or Decreasing the ONFI Dose

790 Inform patients or caregivers to consult their healthcare provider before
791 increasing the ONFI dose or abruptly discontinuing ONFI. Advise patients or
792 caregivers that abrupt withdrawal of AEDs may increase their risk of seizure [see
793 *Dosage and Administration (2.2)*, *Warnings and Precautions (5.3)*].

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795 Interactions with Hormonal Contraceptives

796 Counsel women to also use non-hormonal methods of contraception when ONFI
797 is used with hormonal contraceptives and to continue these alternative methods
798 for 28 days after discontinuing ONFI to ensure contraceptive reliability [see *Drug*
799 *Interactions (7.1)*, *Clinical Pharmacology (12.3)*].

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801 Serious Dermatological Reactions

802 Advise patients or caregivers that serious skin reactions have been reported in
803 patients taking ONFI. Serious skin reactions, including SJS/TEN, may need to
804 be treated in a hospital and may be life-threatening. If a skin reaction occurs
805 while taking ONFI, patients or caregivers should consult with healthcare
806 providers immediately [see *Warnings and Precautions (5.4)*].

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808 Suicidal Thinking and Behavior

809 Counsel patients, their caregivers, and their families that AEDs, including ONFI,
810 may increase the risk of suicidal thoughts and behavior and advise them of the
811 need to be alert for the emergence or worsening of symptoms of depression, any
812 unusual changes in mood or behavior, or the emergence of suicidal thoughts,
813 behavior, or thoughts of self-harm. Patients should report behaviors of concern
814 immediately to healthcare providers [see *Warnings and Precautions (5.6)*].

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816 Use in Pregnancy

817 Instruct patients to notify their healthcare provider if they become pregnant or
818 intend to become pregnant during therapy.

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820 Encourage patients to enroll in the NAAED Pregnancy Registry if they become
821 pregnant. This registry is collecting information about the safety of antiepileptic
822 drugs during pregnancy. To enroll, patients can call the toll-free number 1-888-
823 233-2334. Information on the registry can also be found at the website
824 <http://www.aedpregnancyregistry.org> [see *Use in Specific Populations (8.1)*].

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826 Use in Nursing

827 Instruct patients to notify their physician if they are breast feeding or intend to
828 breast feed during therapy [see *Use in Specific Populations (8.3)*].

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831 Winchester, KY 40391, U.S.A.

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833 Oral suspension manufactured by: Rosemont Pharmaceuticals, Ltd.
834 Leeds, West Yorkshire LS11 9XE, U.K.

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836 For: Lundbeck
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MEDICATION GUIDE

ONFI® (ON-fee)

(clobazam)

Tablets and Oral Suspension

Read this Medication Guide before you start taking ONFI and each time you get a refill. There may be new information. This information does not take the place of talking to your healthcare provider about your medical condition or treatment.

What is the most important information I should know about ONFI?

Do not stop taking ONFI without first talking to your healthcare provider. Stopping ONFI suddenly can cause serious problems.

ONFI can cause serious side effects, including:

1. ONFI can make you sleepy or dizzy, slow your thinking, and make you clumsy which may get better over time.

- Do not drive, operate heavy machinery, or do other dangerous activities until you know how ONFI affects you.
- Do not drink alcohol or take other drugs that may make you sleepy or dizzy while taking ONFI until you talk to your healthcare provider. When taken with alcohol or drugs that cause sleepiness or dizziness, ONFI may make your sleepiness or dizziness much worse.

2. ONFI can cause withdrawal symptoms.

- Do not stop taking ONFI all of a sudden without first talking to a healthcare provider. Stopping ONFI suddenly can cause seizures that will not stop (status epilepticus), hearing or seeing things that are not there (hallucinations), shaking, nervousness, and stomach and muscle cramps.
- Talk to your healthcare provider about slowly stopping ONFI to avoid withdrawal symptoms.

3. ONFI can be abused and cause dependence.

- 887 • Physical dependence is not the same as drug addiction. Your
888 healthcare provider can tell you more about the differences between
889 physical dependence and drug addiction.
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891 **ONFI is a federally controlled substance (C-IV) because it can be**
892 **abused or lead to dependence. Keep ONFI in a safe place to prevent**
893 **misuse and abuse. Selling or giving away ONFI may harm others,**
894 **and is against the law. Tell your healthcare provider if you have ever**
895 **abused or been dependent on alcohol, prescription medicines or**
896 **street drugs.**
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898 **4. Serious skin reactions have been seen with ONFI and may**
899 **require stopping its use. Do not stop taking ONFI without first**
900 **talking to your healthcare provider.**
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- 902 • A serious skin reaction can happen at any time during your treatment
903 with ONFI, but is more likely to happen within the first 8 weeks of
904 treatment. These skin reactions need to be treated right away.
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- 906 • Call your healthcare provider immediately if you have skin blisters,
907 peeling rash, sores in the mouth, hives or any other allergic reaction.

908 **5. Like other antiepileptic drugs, ONFI may cause suicidal thoughts**
909 **or actions in a very small number of people, about 1 in 500.**
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911 **Call your healthcare provider right away if you have any of these**
912 **symptoms, especially if they are new, worse, or worry you:**
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- 914 • thoughts about suicide or dying
915 • attempts to commit suicide
916 • new or worse depression
917 • new or worse anxiety
918 • feeling agitated or restless
919 • panic attacks
920 • trouble sleeping (insomnia)
921 • new or worse irritability
922 • acting aggressive, being angry, or violent
923 • acting on dangerous impulses
924 • an extreme increase in activity and talking (mania)
925 • other unusual changes in behavior or mood
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927 **How can I watch for early symptoms of suicidal thoughts and**
928 **actions?**
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- 930 • Pay attention to any changes, especially sudden changes, in mood,
931 behaviors, thoughts, or feelings.
932 • Keep all follow-up visits with your healthcare provider as scheduled.

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934 Call your healthcare provider between visits as needed, especially if you are
935 worried about symptoms.

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937 Suicidal thoughts or actions can be caused by things other than medicines.

938 If you have suicidal thoughts or actions, your healthcare provider may check
939 for other causes.

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941 **What is ONFI?**

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943 ONFI is a prescription medicine used along with other medicines to treat
944 seizures associated with Lennox-Gastaut syndrome in people 2 years of age
945 or older.

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947 It is not known if ONFI is safe and effective in children less than 2 years old.

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949 **What should I tell my healthcare provider before taking ONFI?**

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951 **Before you take ONFI, tell your healthcare provider if you:**

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- 953 • have liver or kidney problems
- 954 • have lung problems (respiratory disease)
- 955 • have or have had depression, mood problems, or suicidal thoughts or
956 behavior
- 957 • have any other medical conditions
- 958 • use birth control medicine. ONFI may cause your birth control
959 medicine to be less effective. Talk to your healthcare provider about
960 the best birth control method to use.
- 961 • are pregnant or plan to become pregnant. **ONFI may harm your**
962 **unborn baby.**
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 - 964 • Tell your healthcare provider right away if you become
965 pregnant while taking ONFI. You and your healthcare
966 provider will decide if you should take ONFI while you are
967 pregnant.
 - 968 • Children born to mothers receiving benzodiazepine
969 medications (including ONFI) late in pregnancy may be at
970 some risk of experiencing breathing problems, feeding
971 problems, dangerously low body temperature, and
972 withdrawal symptoms.
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- 974 • If you become pregnant while taking ONFI, talk to your healthcare
975 provider about registering with the North American Antiepileptic Drug
976 Pregnancy Registry. You can register by calling 1-888-233-2334. For
977 more information about the registry go to
978 <http://www.aedpregnancyregistry.org>. The purpose of this registry is
979 to collect information about the safety of antiepileptic drugs during
980 pregnancy.

- 981 • ONFI can pass into breast milk. Talk to your healthcare provider about
982 the best way to feed your baby if you take ONFI. You and your
983 healthcare provider should decide if you will take ONFI or breast feed.
984 You should not do both.

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986 **Tell your healthcare provider about all the medicines you take,**
987 including prescription and nonprescription medicines, vitamins, and herbal
988 supplements. Taking ONFI with certain other medicines can cause side
989 effects or affect how well ONFI or the other medications work. Do not start
990 or stop other medicines without talking to your healthcare provider.

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992 Know the medicines you take. Keep a list of them and show it to your
993 healthcare provider and pharmacist when you get a new medicine.

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995 **How should I take ONFI?**

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- 997 • Take ONFI exactly as your healthcare provider tells you to take it.
998 • Your healthcare provider will tell you how much ONFI to take and
999 when to take it.
1000 • ONFI tablets can be taken whole, broken in half along the score, or
1001 crushed and mixed in applesauce.
1002 • ONFI tablets and oral suspension can be taken with or without food.
1003 • **Shake the bottle of ONFI oral suspension well right before you**
1004 **take each dose.**
1005 • Measure your dose of ONFI oral suspension using the bottle adapter
1006 and dosing syringes that come with your ONFI oral suspension.
1007 • Read the **Instructions for Use** at the end of this Medication Guide for
1008 information on the right way to use ONFI oral suspension.
1009 • Your healthcare provider may change your dose if needed. Do not
1010 change your dose of ONFI without talking to your healthcare provider.
1011 • Do not stop taking ONFI without first talking to your healthcare
1012 provider.
1013 • Stopping ONFI suddenly can cause serious problems.
1014 • If you take too much ONFI, call your healthcare provider or go to the
1015 nearest hospital emergency room right away.

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1017 **What should I avoid while taking ONFI?**

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- 1019 • Do not drive, operate heavy machinery, or do other dangerous
1020 activities until you know how ONFI affects you.
1021 • Do not drink alcohol or take other medicines that may make you
1022 sleepy or dizzy while taking ONFI until you talk to your healthcare
1023 provider. When taken with alcohol or medicines that cause sleepiness
1024 or dizziness, ONFI may make your sleepiness or dizziness much worse.

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1025 **What are the possible side effects of ONFI?**

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1027 **ONFI may cause serious side effects, including:**

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1029 **See “What is the most important information I should know about**
1030 **ONFI?”**

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1032 The most common side effects of ONFI include:

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- sleepiness

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- drooling

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- constipation

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- pain with urination

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- fever

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- acting aggressive, being angry, or violent

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- difficulty sleeping

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- slurred speech

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- tiredness

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- problems with breathing

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1046 These are not all the possible side effects of ONFI. For more information, ask
1047 your healthcare provider or pharmacist.

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1049 Tell your healthcare provider if you have any side effect that bothers you or
1050 that does not go away.

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1052 Call your doctor for medical advice about side effects. You may report side
1053 effects to FDA at 1-800-FDA-1088.

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1055 **How should I store ONFI?**

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- Store ONFI tablets and oral suspension between 68°F to 77°F (20°C to 25°C).

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1060 Tablets

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- Keep ONFI tablets in a dry place

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1063 Oral Suspension

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- Replace the cap securely after opening.

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- Keep ONFI oral suspension in an upright position.

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- Use ONFI oral suspension within 90 days of first opening the bottle.

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- After 90 days safely throw away any ONFI oral suspension that has not been used.

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1070 **Keep ONFI and all medicines out of the reach of children.**

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1072 **General Information about the safe and effective use of ONFI.**

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Medicines are sometimes prescribed for purposes other than those listed in a Medication Guide. Do not use ONFI for a condition for which it was not

1075 prescribed. Do not give ONFI to other people, even if they have the same
1076 symptoms that you have. It may harm them.

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1078 This Medication Guide summarizes the most important information about
1079 ONFI. If you would like more information, talk with your healthcare provider.
1080 You can ask your pharmacist or healthcare provider for information about
1081 ONFI that is written for health professionals.

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1083 For more information about ONFI, go to www.lundbeckus.com or call
1084 Lundbeck at 1-888-514-5204.

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1086 **What are the ingredients in ONFI?**

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1089 Active ingredient: clobazam
1090 Inactive ingredients: corn starch, lactose monohydrate, magnesium stearate,
1091 silicon dioxide, and talc.

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1093 Oral Suspension

1094 Active ingredient: clobazam
1095 Inactive ingredients: magnesium aluminum silicate, xanthan gum, citric acid
1096 monohydrate, disodium hydrogen phosphate dihydrate, simethicone emulsion,
1097 polysorbate 80, methylparaben, propylparaben, propylene glycol, sucralose,
1098 maltitol solution, berry flavor, purified water.

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1100 This Medication Guide has been approved by the U.S. Food and Drug
1101 Administration.

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Instructions for Use
ONFI® (ON-fee)
(clobazam)
Oral Suspension

Read this Instructions for Use before using ONFI oral suspension and each time you get a refill. There may be new information. This leaflet does not take the place of talking with your healthcare provider about your medical condition or treatment.

Prepare ONFI Oral Suspension Dose

You will need the following supplies: **See Figure A**

- ONFI oral suspension bottle
- Bottle adapter
- Oral dosing syringe (2 dosing syringes are included in the ONFI oral suspension box).
- Use only 1 syringe to take your dose of ONFI oral suspension. If you lose or damage the syringe, or cannot read the markings, use the other syringe.

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Step 1. Remove the ONFI oral suspension bottle, bottle adapter, and 1 syringe from the box.

Step 2. Shake the bottle well before each use. **See Figure B**

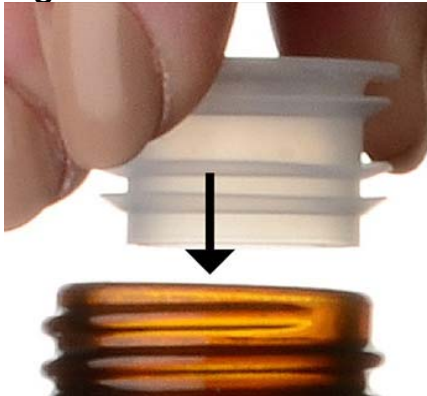
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Step 3. Uncap the bottle and firmly insert the bottle adapter into the bottle until the adapter top is even with the bottle top. **See Figure C**

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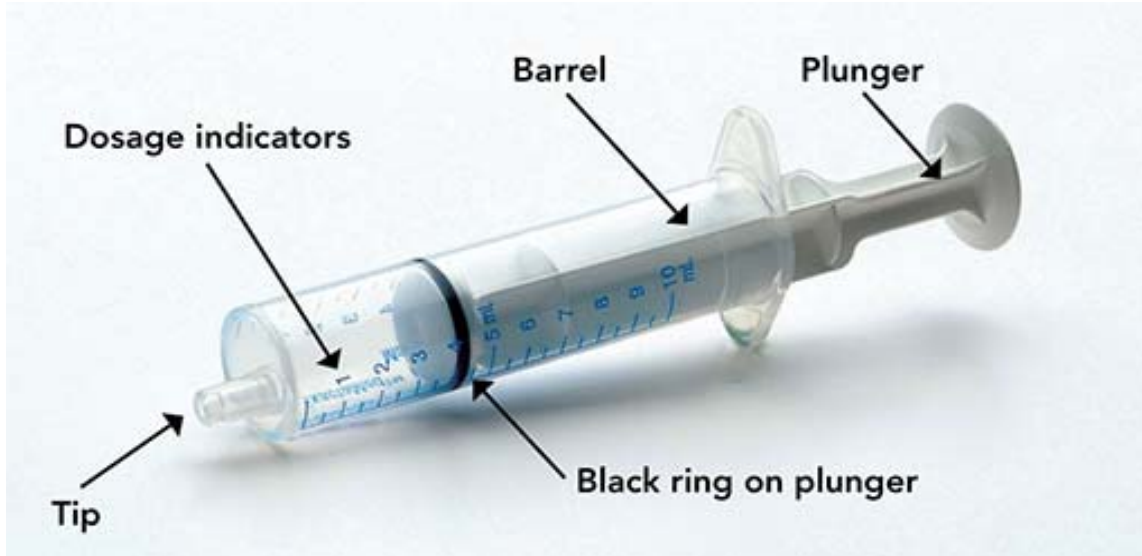


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Once the bottle adapter is in place, it should not be removed.

Step 4. Check your dose in milliliters (mL) as prescribed by your healthcare provider. Find this number on the syringe. Do not take more than the prescribed total dose in 1 day. **See Figure D**

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Step 5. Push the plunger all the way down and then insert the syringe into the upright bottle through the opening in the bottle adapter. **See Figure E**

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Step 6. With the syringe in place, turn the bottle upside down. Pull the plunger to the number of mLs needed (the amount of liquid medicine in Step 4). **See Figure F**

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Measure the mLs of medicine using the black ring on the white plunger. See **Figure G**
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Step 7. Remove the syringe from the bottle adapter. Slowly squirt ONFI oral suspension directly into the corner of your mouth or your child's mouth until all of the liquid medicine in the syringe is given. **See Figure H**

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Step 8. Cap the bottle tightly with the adapter in place. If the cap does not fit securely, check to see if the adapter is fully inserted. **See Figure I**

Store the bottle upright at 68°F to 77°F (20°C to 25°C).

- Use ONFI oral suspension within 90 days of first opening bottle.
- After 90 days safely throw away any ONFI oral suspension that has not been used.

1201 **Figure I**



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Step 9. Wash the oral syringe after each use.

- To clean the oral syringe, take apart by removing the plunger completely. Pull plunger straight out of the barrel.
- The barrel and plunger can be washed with soap and water, rinsed, and allowed to dry.
- Do not wash the oral syringe in the dishwasher.

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