

Use of a pre-filled thrombosis syringe from Sanofi

Injection instructions for patients

Your doctor has prescribed a low molecular weight heparin.

- The aim is either to prevent thrombosis or pulmonary embolism or to dissolve an existing clot.
- You can administer the injection yourself or ask a person you trust.

Simple preparation



1. Wash your hands. Select a site on the right or left side of your abdomen. The injection site should be at least 5 cm from the side of your navel. Clean the planned injection site with an alcohol swab or with soap and water. Sit or lie down relaxed and comfortable. You should still be able to see the injection site.



2. Take the syringe and remove the protective cap.
A drop may stick to the tip of the needle. If this is the case, it must be removed before the injection by tapping the pre-filled syringe with the needle pointing downwards. The injection can now be performed.

The air bubble in the pre-filled syringe must not be removed!



3. Form a skin fold between thumb and index finger in the cleaned area, and hold until the injection needle is pulled out.

Easy injection



4. Insert the entire length of the needle vertically at an angle of 90°, gently push the syringe plunger down and inject the entire contents of the syringe (please follow any deviating instructions by your doctor). Do not slacken the skin fold.

It is important that you fully depress the syringe plunger to activate the protective mechanism.



5. After complete injection, pull the syringe out straight. The protective cover automatically slides over the needle and seals it.

Then you can release the skin fold.



6. Throw the used syringe into a puncture-proof waste container. Close the lid of the container carefully and keep the waste container out of reach of children.



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