Latanoprost/Timolol is a medicine used for the treatment of increased inner pressure in the eye (dysfunction pressure) caused by diseases such as open-angle glaucoma (open-angle in the eye) and ocular hypertension (increased pressure in the eye due to the disease). Latanoprost/Timolol should not be taken by children or adolescents. In patients who use Latanoprost/Timolol together with another ophthalmic medication, a small risk of harm to the optic nerve may occur. 

If you are using other eye drops in addition to Latanoprost/Timolol, these should be used at least 5 minutes apart.

If you have forgotten to use your eye drops, continue your treatment as usual. Do not use a double dose to make up for a forgotten dose.

If you have forgotten to use Latanoprost/Timolol

Other medicines and Latanoprost/Timolol

Beta-blockers

Antiarrhythmics

Beta-blocking eye drops

Parasympathomimetic agents

Cytostatic agents

Antidepressants

M Cromolyn sodium

Guanethidine

Quinidine

Beta-blockers

Antiarrhythmics

Medicines that act in a similar way to Latanoprost/Timolol

Taking/using Latanoprost/Timolol together with the above medicines can decrease the effectiveness of these medicines or, in extreme cases, result in harm to the patient. 

If you have any further questions, ask your doctor or pharmacist.
The active substances are: latanoprost and timolol maleate.

What Latanoprost/Timolol looks like and contents of the pack

Latanoprost/Timolol is available in the following pack sizes:

- 1 dropper bottle containing 2.5 ml eye drops,
- 3 dropper bottles, each containing 2.5 ml eye drops,
- 6 dropper bottles, each containing 2.5 ml eye drops.

What Latanoprost/Timolol contains

Active substances: latanoprost and timolol maleate.

Other ingredients: Sodium chloride, benzalkonium chloride, sodium dihydrogen phosphate, sodium hydroxide for pH adjustment and hydrochloric acid for pH adjustment.

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For further information, please see full patient information leaflet provided with the medication.

How to use Latanoprost/Timolol

Latanoprost/Timolol is applied to the lower eyelid, near the inner side of the lower lid. Gently pull the lower eyelid away from the eye and then apply 1 drop of Latanoprost/Timolol to the lower eye. Do not use on both eyes.

Please note the following storage instructions:

- Protect from light.
- Store below 25°C.
- Do not freeze.

5. HOW TO STORE LATANOPROST/TIMOLOL

Keep out of the reach and sight of children.

If you do not use Latanoprost/Timolol regularly or if you frequently forget to use it, the effectiveness of the treatment may be impaired. If you stop using Latanoprost/Timolol, your eye pressure may rise again and your eye condition may get worse.

If you stop using Latanoprost/Timolol suddenly, you may experience a temporary increase in your eye pressure.

When using Latanoprost/Timolol, you may notice a gradual, permanent change in your eye colour. This change occurs in areas such as the face and limbs, and can obstruct the airway (making the eye stay half closed), double vision.

Generally, there is no need to change your eye colour. The eye colour change does not continue after Latanoprost/Timolol treatment is stopped. Noticeable if you use Latanoprost/Timolol in only one eye. There appears to be no problems associated with the change in eye colour. The eye colour change does not continue after Latanoprost/Timolol treatment is stopped. Noticeable if you use Latanoprost/Timolol in only one eye. There appears to be no problems associated with the change in eye colour.

Irritation and Indications

The possible effects of using Latanoprost/Timolol are:

- In the eye: dryness, redness of the eye, eye discomfort, tearing, sensitivity to light, a burning sensation, a foreign body sensation in the eye, eye pain.
- In the body: headache, allergic reaction, localized and generalized rash, itchiness, severe sudden life-threatening allergic reaction.
- Localized: heartburn, nausea.
- General: tiredness, double vision.
- Other: congestion, ringing in the ears.

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