Call 911 immediately after using the Epinephrine Auto-Injector

The effects of the epinephrine auto-injector begin to wear off after 10–15 minutes. It is very important to call 911 or the emergency number in your area immediately after using the epinephrine auto-injector. Your child could have another reaction and needs to be observed in the emergency department for at least 4 hours. Bring the epinephrine auto-injector with you to the hospital or give to emergency personnel when they arrive to safely dispose of it.

Steps to Using the Generic Adrenaclick® Auto-Injector

Get emergency medical help right away: Call 911.

• Pull off GRAY end cap with [1]; you will now see a RED tip. Never put thumb, finger, or hand over the RED tip.
• Pull off GRAY end cap with [2].
• Put the RED tip against the middle of the outer side of your thigh (upper leg) as shown. It can go through clothes.
• Press down hard until the needle enters your thigh (upper leg) through your skin. Hold it in place while slowly counting to 10.
• Remove the epinephrine auto-injector from your thigh.
• Check the RED tip. If the needle is exposed, you received the dose. If the needle is not visible, repeat Step B.
• Be prepared to give a second dose of the epinephrine auto-injector if symptoms do not improve in 5 to 15 minutes.
When to Use Generic Adrenaclick®

The Generic Adrenaclick® auto-injector is an epinephrine shot used to treat severe allergic reactions (anaphylaxis). A severe allergic reaction can become fatal within minutes if untreated. Using epinephrine gives the life saving time needed to get further medical treatment.

**SYMPTOMS OF ANAPHYLAXIS INCLUDE**

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**Tips about Generic Adrenaclick®**

- Comes in two strengths and are prescribed based on the individual weight.
- A Generic Adrenaclick® trainer is included in the box with the real Generic Adrenaclick®.
- The trainer does not have medicine or a needle.
- Use the trainer to practice steps of giving the injection.
- Store at room temperature.
  - Do not refrigerate.
  - Do not keep in a vehicle during hot or cold weather.
  - Do not expose to direct sunlight.
- Be sure the medicine is clear/colorless in the viewing window.
- Check the expiration date. If expired get a refill.

**Additional Information:**
epinephrineautoinject.com

This handout is for general information only. The information and above list are guidelines and do not include all symptoms. This document is not a substitute for your child being seen by a doctor. Always call your doctor if you have questions or seek emergency medical attention if necessary.