

# Taking Your Hepatitis C Triple Therapy: **BOCEPREVIR**

## Boceprevir



- Take four (4) 200 mg capsules every 8 hours.
- You **MUST** take each dose within 30 minutes of either a meal or light snack.
- The boceprevir dose cannot be decreased. Do not make dose adjustments.
- Do not miss any doses. The hepatitis C virus can become resistant to boceprevir if you miss a dose.

## Ribavirin



- You will be given 200 mg capsules or tablets. Your dose will be based on your weight and may change during the course of treatment.
- Take with food to minimize stomach upset such as nausea and vomiting.

## Peginterferon



- You will be given prefilled syringes or pens. Store in the refrigerator.
- Dose:  Pegasys® \_\_\_\_\_ mcg/week or  Peg-Intron® \_\_\_\_\_ mL (\_\_\_\_\_ mcg)/week
- This medication is injected once weekly—take it the same day, same time.

## My Medication Schedule

Morning	Afternoon	Night	Inject weekly
			Day _____
			Time _____
_____ am	_____ pm	_____ pm	
_____ am	_____ pm		Peginterferon
_____ # ribavirin	_____ # ribavirin		

Note: Patients can choose whether to take **ribavirin** and **boceprevir** together, or at separate times of day.

## If You Miss a Dose:

### Boceprevir:

- If your next dose is due less than 2 hours from now, **SKIP THE MISSED DOSE** and continue with your normal schedule.
- If your next dose is due more than 2 hours from now, **TAKE THE MISSED DOSE NOW WITH FOOD** and continue with your normal schedule.
- If you miss multiple doses, call your prescriber/clinic listed below.

### Ribavirin:

- If you miss more than 1-2 days of ribavirin, call your prescriber/clinic listed below.

Prescriber/Clinic Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

For Refills: \_\_\_\_\_