

Patient Instructions for use of Buprenorphine

Cut **two** of the 2mg films each into 4 equal pieces. Each piece is now 0.5mg.

Day 1

Take **ONE** 0.5mg piece.

Total daily dose today is 0.5mg.

Day 2

Take **ONE** 0.5mg piece in the morning and **ONE** 0.5mg piece at night.

Total daily dose today is 1mg.

Day 3

Take **TWO** 0.5mg pieces in the morning and **TWO** 0.5mg pieces at night.

Total daily dose today is 2mg.

Day 4

Take **ONE** full 2mg film in the morning and **ONE** full 2mg film at night.

Total daily dose today is 4mg.

Day 5

Take **TWO** full 2mg films in the morning and **TWO** full 2mg films at night.

Total daily dose today is 8mg.

Days 6+

Take **TWO** full 8mg films.

Total daily dose is 16mg.