

## Take Your FOSRENOL (lanthanum carbonate). The Right Way. Every Day.

### How to Take FOSRENOL

1. Do not swallow tablets whole.
2. Chew your FOSRENOL completely.
3. If chewing is difficult, FOSRENOL can be crushed to aid in chewing.
4. FOSRENOL tablets to be taken with or right after meals.
5. Take your FOSRENOL as directed by your doctor.
6. Carry your FOSRENOL with you when you are eating out.

### Indication

- FOSRENOL is a prescription medicine used in people with end stage renal disease (ESRD) to lower the amount of phosphate in the blood.

### Important Safety Information

- Do not take FOSRENOL if you have blocked bowels or severe constipation.
- Tell your doctor if you have or have had surgery, ulcers, cancer in the stomach or bowel, blocked bowels, constipation, or problems resulting in decreased movement of food through your stomach and bowel (feeling full quickly after eating or constipation)—especially if you also have diabetes. If you have any of these conditions and are taking FOSRENOL, you may have a higher risk of bowel blockage, a hole in the bowel, or severe constipation. These can be serious and may require surgery or hospitalization.

**Please see additional Important Safety Information on next page and click here for [Full Prescribing Information and Medication Guide](#).**

## Important Safety Information (cont)

- **Do not swallow tablets whole, as your chance of having serious stomach or bowel problems may increase. Chew tablets completely before swallowing. If you cannot chew tablets completely, or if you have tooth disease, you may crush the tablets completely before swallowing or discuss the oral powder formulation with your healthcare provider. Take FOSRENOL with or right after meals.**
- Tell your doctor if you have, ulcerative colitis, Crohn's disease, or an infection or inflammation of the stomach/bowel (peritonitis).
- Tell your doctor that you are taking FOSRENOL before having an x-ray of your stomach (abdomen).
- The most common side effects reported in clinical studies of FOSRENOL were nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, and stomach pain.
- Tell your doctor about all of the medicines you are taking, including prescription and non-prescription medicines, vitamins, and herbal supplements. Especially tell him or her if you take antacids, antibiotics, or thyroid medicine.
- Talk to your doctor if you are pregnant, plan to become pregnant, or plan to breastfeed. It is not known if FOSRENOL will harm your unborn baby.
- FOSRENOL has not been studied in patients under 18 years of age.

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You are encouraged to report negative side effects of prescription drugs to the FDA.

Visit [www.fda.gov/medwatch](http://www.fda.gov/medwatch) or call **1-800-FDA-1088**.

*Be sure to consult your healthcare provider with any questions about your condition or treatment.*

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