

## **IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION**

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# You know best how to talk to your child—and some guidance from experienced child life specialists may help.

Involving your child and giving them choices, when and as much as possible, can help them feel more comfortable with their treatment with VOXZOGO® (vosoritide). Here are some recommendations from child life specialists on how to do so.

**Work with your child to create a shared list of reasons for why they take their medicine.** 

Your child may need help understanding why they take VOXZOGO. You can explain to them that VOXZOGO is a medicine that helps them grow. **Creating this list of reasons before starting VOXZOGO** can help them feel more involved in the process, and encourage them to voice their feelings.

**Try:** reminding them of these reasons on the days they need extra encouragement!

Prepare your child for their first injection.

It's important to talk to your child about their injection routine before their first injection, depending on how old they are. Consider the following:

- 5 years old and under: a few days before their first injection
- 6 to 12 years old: during the week leading up to their first injection
- 13 years old and up: throughout the entire process

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VOXZOGO is given just under the skin. Your child's doctor will train you on how to give VOXZOGO.

**Try:** using words like "pressure" or "poke" instead of "pain" or "shot."

Involve your child in creating their VOXZOGO routine.

Create a routine you can stick to as a family.

**Try:** talking to your child about which of the recommended injection sites from the VOXZOGO *Instructions for Use* you will use and who they'd like to give them their injection. Your BioMarin Clinical Coordinator can help with this!

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# Regardless of age, giving children choices, where possible, can help them feel more in control.

It may help to keep in mind some of these considerations from child life specialists.



## Children respond to different things at different ages



## 5 years old and under

Children are often attached to familiar objects or toys at this age.

 Ask them what toy or object they'd like to hold while getting their injection to help them feel more comfortable



## 6 to 12 years old

Around this age, children are learning how to verbalize their feelings and developing a stronger sense of who they are.

- Continue to talk to them about what works in their routine and what they'd like to do differently next time
- Encourage them to define and voice the role they want to have in their routine



## 13 years old & up

As children become teenagers, independence and autonomy become even more important to them.

 Give your teen as much independence as possible to create their routine with your help, as needed



You know your child better than anyone and these recommendations may help along the way.

## **How is VOXZOGO taken?**

VOXZOGO is taken daily as an injection given under the skin, administered by a caregiver after a healthcare provider determines the caregiver is able to administer VOXZOGO. Do not try to inject VOXZOGO until you have been shown the right way by your healthcare provider. VOXZOGO is supplied with Instructions for Use that describe the steps for preparing, injecting, and disposing VOXZOGO.
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# Helping your child with treatment isn't all on you.

You can always turn to your BioMarin Clinical Coordinator for any educational support you may need. They are trained clinical educators who can:



Provide one-to-one product education—via phone, text, or an in-person visit!



Reinforce the injection training given to you by your child's doctor



Help your family figure out an injection routine that works for you—throughout the entire duration of your child's time on treatment

## How is VOXZOGO® (vosoritide) taken (cont'd)?

- Inject VOXZOGO 1 time every day, at about the same time each day. If a dose of VOXZOGO is missed,
  it can be given within 12 hours from the missed dose. After 12 hours, skip the missed dose and administer
  the next daily dose as usual.
- The dose of VOXZOGO is based on body weight. Your healthcare provider will adjust the dose is based on changes in weight following regular check-ups.

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My BioMarin Clinical Coordinator is:
Their phone number is:
Their email address is:



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### What is VOXZOGO® (vosoritide) used for?

- VOXZOGO is a prescription medicine used to increase linear growth in children with achondroplasia and open growth plates (epiphyses).
- VOXZOGO is approved under accelerated approval based on an improvement in annualized growth velocity. Continued approval may be contingent upon verification and description of clinical benefit in confirmatory trials.

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- Your healthcare provider will monitor the patient's growth and tell you when to stop taking VOXZOGO if they determine the patient is no longer able to grow. Stop administering VOXZOGO if instructed by your healthcare provider.

## What should you tell the doctor before or during taking VOXZOGO?

- · Tell your doctor about all of the patient's medical conditions including
  - If the patient has heart disease (cardiac or vascular disease), or if the patient is on blood pressure medicine (anti-hypertensive medicine).
  - If the patient has kidney problems or renal impairment.
  - If the patient is pregnant or plans to become pregnant. It is not known if VOXZOGO will harm the unborn baby.
  - If the patient is breastfeeding or plans to breastfeed. It is not known if VOXZOGO passes into breast milk.
- Tell your doctor about all of the medicines the patient takes, including prescription and over-the-counter medicines, vitamins, and herbal supplements.

You may report side effects to BioMarin at **1-866-906-6100**. You are encouraged to report negative side effects of prescription drugs to the FDA. Visit **www.fda.gov/medwatch**, or call **1-800-FDA-1088**.

Please see additional safety information in the full Prescribing Information and Patient Information.



