

IMPORTANT - ALERT CARD

Abacavir/Lamivudine Viatrix Tablets Carry this card with you at all times

Since Abacavir/Lamivudine Viatrix contains abacavir some patients taking this medicine may develop a hypersensitivity reaction (serious allergic reaction) which **can be life-threatening** if treatment with this medicine is continued.

CONTACT YOUR DOCTOR IMMEDIATELY for advice on whether you should stop taking this medicine if:

- 1) **you get a skin rash OR**
- 2) **you get one or more symptoms from at least TWO of the following groups**
 - fever
 - shortness of breath, sore throat or cough
 - nausea or vomiting or diarrhoea or abdominal pain
 - severe tiredness or achiness or generally feeling ill

If you have discontinued Abacavir/Lamivudine Viatrix due to this reaction, **YOU MUST NEVER TAKE** this medicine or any medicine containing abacavir (e.g. abacavir/lamivudine, abacavir/lamivudine/zidovudine, abacavir/dolutegravir/lamivudine) again as **within hours** you may experience a life-threatening lowering of your blood pressure or death.

You should immediately contact your doctor if you think you are having a hypersensitivity reaction to Abacavir/Lamivudine Viatrix. Write your doctor's details below:

Doctor: _____ Tel: _____

If your doctor is not available, you must urgently seek alternative medical advice (e.g. the emergency unit of the nearest hospital).

For general information enquiries about this medicine, contact Viatrix Limited Tel: +353-1-8711600