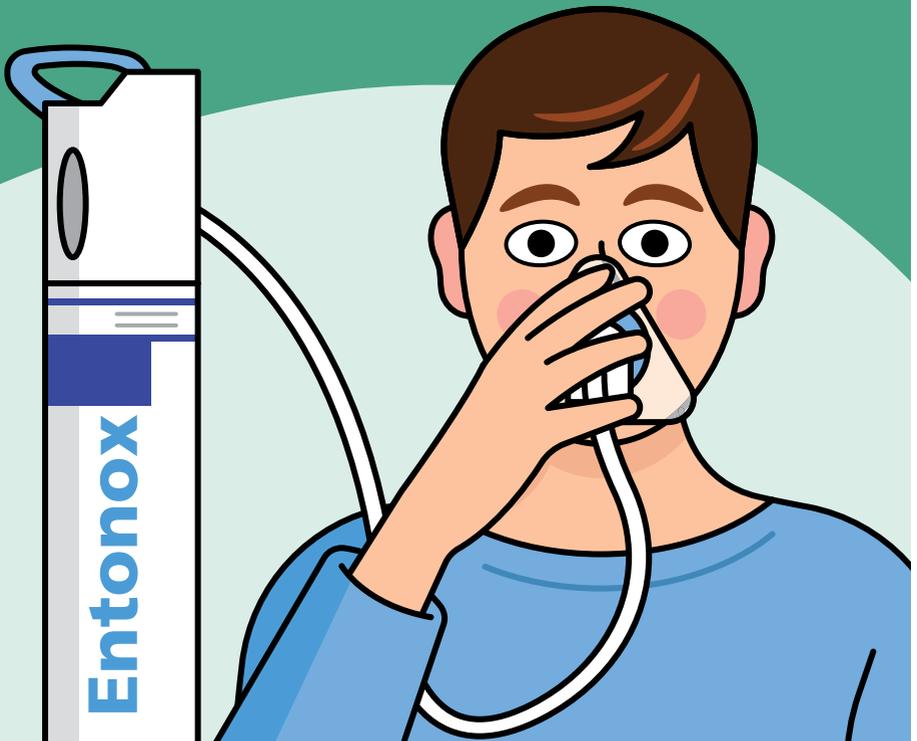


Having Entonox in hospital

Information for
patients, carers
and relatives

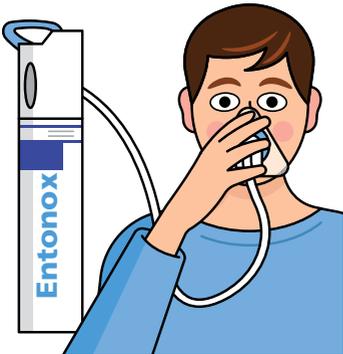
**Easy
Read**



easy read



Entonox



relieves pain



This booklet uses easy words and pictures.

You might want to ask someone to help you read it.

Entonox is a drug.

It is a gas called Nitrous Oxide.

Some people call this, "Gas and Air".

It is used to relieve pain.

It works very quickly.

supervision



It is a safe when used with supervision from doctors or nurses.

procedure



People sometimes use Entonox during a procedure.

giving birth



People sometimes use Entonox when having a baby.

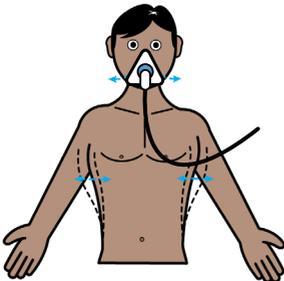
mouthpiece



mask



big breath



You will have a mouthpiece which you hold between your teeth.

Or a mask to hold over your mouth and nose.

When you need pain relief you take a big breath in through the mouthpiece or the mask.

procedure



You only use the Entonox during the procedure.

monitor



The nurse will monitor you throughout.

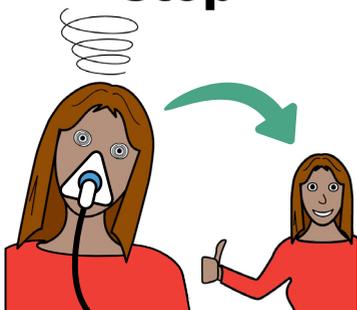
dizzy



You might feel;

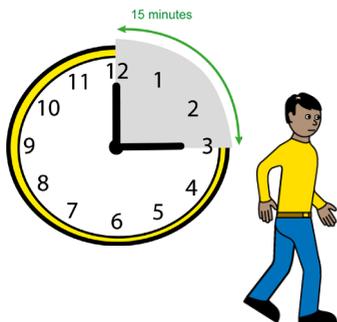
Sleepy, dizzy, sick or confused.

side effects stop



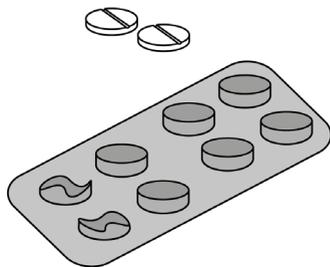
The side effects go once you stop using it.

15 minutes



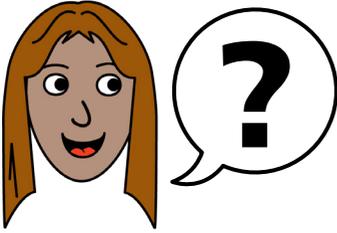
You should wait 15 minutes before you start to walk around again.

pain relief



If you need ongoing pain relief please talk to your doctor or nurse and they will support.

ask



hospital passport



If you have any questions, you can ask the staff.

If you have a Learning Disability or Autism diagnosis please complete a Health Passport and return it to the Learning Disability and Autism team on:

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