

Keep this information with you and share it with other healthcare professionals involved in your medical care or treatment.

Your name:

Doctor's name (*who prescribed Olumiant*):

Doctor's phone number:

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Information for Patients about OLUMIANT® (baricitinib)

This document contains important information you should be aware of before and during treatment with Olumiant.

Olumiant is indicated for the treatment of moderate to severe active rheumatoid arthritis in adult patients who have responded inadequately to, or who are intolerant to one or more disease modifying anti rheumatic drugs. Olumiant may be used as monotherapy or in combination with methotrexate.

Olumiant is indicated for the treatment of moderate to severe atopic dermatitis in adult patients who are candidates for systemic therapy.

Olumiant is used to treat adults with severe alopecia areata.

For complete information about this medicine read the **patient information leaflet** enclosed in the medicine package. The leaflet for this medicine is also available on the Ministry of Health website: <https://data.health.gov.il/drugs/index.html#/byDrug>



Infections

Olumiant may make an existing infection worse or increase the chance of you getting a new infection or increase the chance of viral reactivation. Inform your doctor immediately if you get symptoms of infection, such as:

- Fever, wounds, feeling more tired than usual, or dental problems.
- A cough that won't go away, night sweats, and weight loss. These could be symptoms of tuberculosis (an infectious disease of the lungs).
- A painful skin rash with blisters. This could be a sign of a herpes zoster infection.

Blood Lipids

Olumiant may increase your blood lipids. Your doctor will check for levels of fat in the blood, such as cholesterol, while you are taking Olumiant.

Blood clot in the veins

Talk to your doctor before and during treatment with Olumiant if you have previously had blood clots in the veins of your legs (deep vein thrombosis) or lungs (pulmonary embolism).

Tell your doctor if you get a painful swollen leg, warmth or redness in one leg, chest pain, or shortness of breath as these can be signs of blood clots in the veins.

Pregnancy

- Do not take Olumiant if you are pregnant or suspect you may be pregnant.
- Use effective contraception while taking Olumiant (and for 1 week after, if you stop treatment).
- Tell your doctor immediately if you become (or wish to become) pregnant.