

Your Eltroxin[®] is changing

(Thyroid Medication)

There will be some changes to your Eltroxin[®] (levothyroxine) medicine.

What's changing?

The new Eltroxin 100 microgram tablet contains all the same ingredients as your current tablet. The manufacturing site is also the same.

There is the same amount of active ingredient (medicine) in each tablet. There has been a reduction in the quantity of other ingredients that are used to make the medicine into a tablet (inactive ingredients), resulting in a new smaller tablet.

The tablet shape and tablet imprint has also changed, so it will look a little different.

The new Eltroxin 50 microgram tablet also has a different tablet shape and tablet imprint. However, both the active (medicine) and inactive ingredients of Eltroxin 50 microgram remain exactly the same.

The manufacturing site is also the same.

Current Eltroxin 100 microgram tablet*

— 8mm —

Front



Back



NEW Eltroxin 100 microgram tablet*

— 6.5mm —

Front



Back



Current Eltroxin 50 microgram tablet*

— 6.5mm —

Front



Back



NEW Eltroxin 50 microgram tablet*

— 6.5mm —

Front



Back



- ▶ All Eltroxin tablets are sucrose, lactose and gluten free.
- ▶ Take your tablets exactly how your doctor has prescribed.
- ▶ If you have any questions or concerns about your medicine, talk with your doctor or pharmacist.

For further information visit:

Eltroxin website: www.eltroxin.co.nz

Pharmac website: www.pharmac.govt.nz/eltroxin

Your doctor may ask you to have a blood test after changing to the new tablets.

Blood Test Required: Yes No If yes, date of blood test: _____

Notes from your Healthcare Professional: _____
