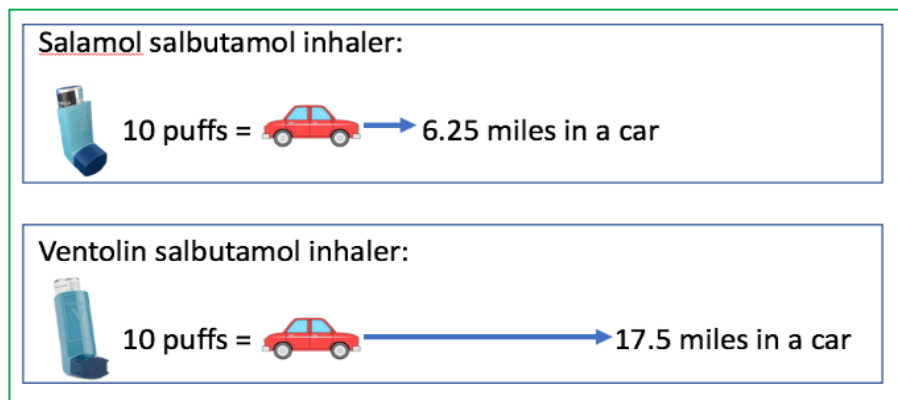


Choose a greener inhaler and help fight climate change.

HWE ICB is supporting the roll-out of environmentally friendly, greener inhalers.

Patients will be offered Salamol® (salbutamol) metered dose inhalers (MDI) instead of Ventolin® (salbutamol) MDI. Salamol® works just as well, and in the same way, but uses smaller amounts of greenhouse gases to propel medication into your lungs.

By making this inhaler swap you could cut your carbon footprint and help build a more sustainable NHS.



Source: <https://qicentral.rcpch.ac.uk/resources/systems-of-care/reducing-the-environmental-impact-of-inhaler-use-and-disposal-within-the-paediatric-department-at-wexham-park-hospital/>

Please feel free to ask for more information at your next respiratory review.

Don't forget to recycle your used inhalers at your local community pharmacy.



Version	1.1 Harmonisation of Hertfordshire Medicines Management Committee (HMCC) guidance and West Essex Medicines Optimisation Programme Board (WEMOPB) guidance updates include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rebadging with HWE ICB and removal of ENHCCG and HVCCG headers • Review date removed and replaced with standard statement.
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