**How to Use Varenicline** video

**AUDIO:** Music without lyrics playing through the end of the video.

**TITLE ARTCARD - TEXT ON SCREEN:**

How to Use Varenicline

Varenicline is available by prescription only.

**VISUALS:** The title text is in a box. The background is animated with pills and colored dots crossing diagonally behind the text box.

**TEXT ON SCREEN:** Varenicline is a pill used for quitting smoking.

**VISUALS:** Box lid opens, and pills rotate out and down to sit in front of the box.

**TEXT ON SCREEN:** Take as directed by your healthcare provider

**VISUALS:** Doctor shown holding box. Box opens, revealing pills.

**TEXT ON SCREEN:** and the package instructions.

**VISUALS:** Open box appears with instructions laid out in front of box.

**TEXT ON SCREEN:** Begin using varenicline 1 to 4 weeks before your quit date.

**VISUALS:** Quit date circled on calendar.

**TEXT ON SCREEN:** You’ll start slowly, increasing the dose...

**VISUALS:** Sun animates within day 1 visual and moves from center screen to lower right corner as a hand holding a pill appears. A face is revealed, and the hand drops the pill into the open mouth. Mouth closes.

**TEXT ON SCREEN:** every 3–4 days during the first week.

**VISUALS:** Day 4 visual is shown and the hand with pill reappears. As a face is revealed, day 4 sun turns into a moon, and the background transitions to evening. The hand drops another dose into the open mouth. Mouth closes.
TEXT ON SCREEN: Take varenicline with food or a full glass of water.

VISUALS: A plate of food, silverware, and a glass of water appear. Ice cubes animate.

TEXT ON SCREEN: Proper use will help you avoid side effects...

VISUALS: Solid background.

TEXT ON SCREEN: and stay quit.

VISUALS: An arm with its hand in a “thumbs up” gesture enters the frame.

TEXT ON SCREEN:

Talk to your healthcare provider for help using medicines to quit smoking.

For more help quitting, call 1-800-QUIT-NOW

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TEXT ON SCREEN:

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