



# Niaspan<sup>®</sup> Security Features (Blister Packs)

As part of Abbott's ongoing efforts to enhance patient safety and combat counterfeiting of pharmaceutical products, the Company is incorporating security features into Niaspan packaging materials worldwide. This transition may require several months to complete. Please continue to exercise your usual due diligence before dispensing or using existing inventories of Niaspan without this new security feature.

**For your security please note:**

1. The carton containing the blisters has a white label printed with color-shifting ink on one of its panels. The label has aggressive adhesive and die-cut marks, so any attempt to remove it will destroy the security label or tear the carton surface.
2. When viewed at one angle, the ink appears violet in color. When changing the viewing angle, the ink gradually changes from violet to green.
3. The text behind the color-shifting ink label states: "Genuine only with Color Shift Label here."
4. You should accept a Niaspan blister package only if the ink on the small white label on the carton shifts colors as described above. Please contact Abbott immediately if you suspect that you have received counterfeit Niaspan.

