

## OxyNEO<sup>®</sup> replaces OxyContin<sup>®</sup>

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- New Rx required for all orders
- Equivalent doses of OxyContin may be switched to OxyNeo

**CUT or CRUSHED or CHEWED** tablets become rapid release and *could cause an overdose*

### Administration

- DO NOT:**
- Crush
  - Pre wet in any way (no applesauce or pudding)
  - Chew

Tablet **MUST** be swallowed quickly, whole and one at a time with 3-4 ounces of water (no sipping), then give 2<sup>nd</sup> tablet if ordered.

If tablet is wetted or not swallowed quickly it will become very gelatinous and may be a choking or gagging hazard.



## Residents with...

- swallowing impairments &/or who can only sip water
- "crush meds" orders
- "meds whole in applesauce" orders
- N/G tubes

**... should NOT take OxyNEO<sup>®</sup>**