Clozapine is a highly specialised medication that needs close monitoring weekly or every 4 weeks. See your doctor if you have:
- Chest pain, fast heart rate, shortness of breath
- Sore throat, fever, infections, constipation

Talk to your doctor if:
- It has been more than 2 days since the last dose.
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- you start or stop other medications

Dose changes:
Can be discussed with your psychiatrist at the 6 monthly checkup or sooner if needed.

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- CBE
- Liver function test
- Cholesterol
- Sugar (diabetes check) & Fasting bloods: Blood
- At least every 6 months
- Weight, waist, temperature and pulse each GP/clinic visit
- My Clozaril® Number is: ______________
- Your doctor and pharmacist must be clozapine registered

Blood test must be done within 48 hours of each GP/clinic visit to check your blood pressure, weight, waist, temperature and pulse

- Every 12 months
- Clozapine level
- Fasting bloods: Blood sugar (diabetes check) & cholesterol
- Liver function test
- CRP blood test
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- Every 12 months
- Check heart health:
  - Electrocardiogram (ECG)
  - Echocardiogram (ECHO)
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