



## Gonal-F®

- The generic name of the medication is follitropin alfa, which is synthesized using a Chinese hamster ovary (CHO) cell line.
- It is an injectable ovulation-stimulating medication that enhances the action of the FSH hormone.
- Hormonal injections generally produce better results than oral medications because the hormone is injected directly to stimulate the egg-production process.
- It is supplied as a prefilled pen in strengths of 300, 450, and 900 IU per pen. The red-colored end is used to rotate and adjust the required dose. If the dose is over- or under-adjusted, it can be rotated back and forth to set the desired dose. However, do not press the injection button at the needle end while adjusting the dose.
- Possible side effects include mood swings, headache, nausea, and vomiting.