Unwanted Kit Bleeding Guide: Timelines, Tips & Recovery



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Welcome!



Using an MTP kit like Unwanted? Bleeding can feel overwhelming, but it's normal for 95% of users—lasting 1-2 weeks on average.[1] This guide covers what to expect, busts fears, and offers tips for smooth recovery. You're not alone; knowledge empowers.

Disclaimer: Info only—not medical advice. Track symptoms; see a doctor if concerned.

Footer: Free Download – Take Charge of Your Care!



Quick Overview & 2025 Updates



Why Timelines Matter + 2025 Access Boost

Unwanted Kit (mifepristone + misoprostol) blocks hormones and triggers expulsion—bleeding starts 1-4 hours post-misoprostol, heaviest in 24-48 hours.[2] Track to spot normals vs. needs (e.g., >2 pads/hour = call doc).[3]

2025 Updates:

- US: Mail-order in 20+ states via Aid Access.[4]
- India: Telehealth up 40% under MTP Act—Practo for virtual consults.[5]
- Rural gaps? ASHA kits bridge 60% access.[6]

Myths Busted:

Heavy = Failure?

No—95% success sign![7]

Infertility Risk?

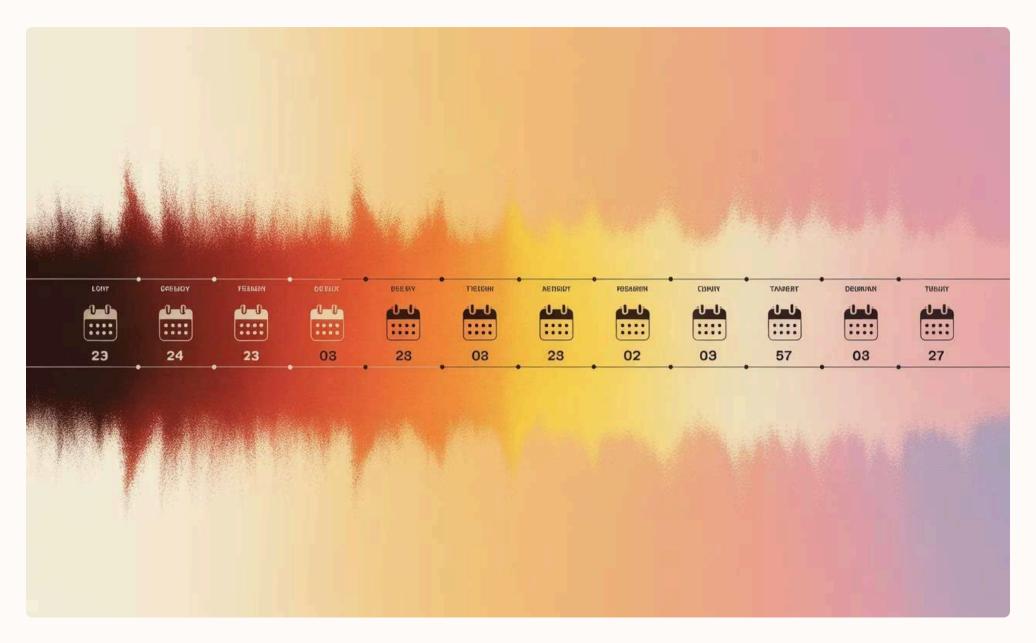
Myth—fertility back in 2–4 weeks.[8]

Always Complication?

Spotting to 30 days OK for 90%. [9]

Global Note: Urban India: 7-10 days flow; rural: +20% spotting from stress.[5]

Your Bleeding Timeline: Day-by-Day



Expect this 95% pattern (up to 10 weeks gestation).[1] hCG drops 50% in 24 hours—retest Week 2.[2]

Timeline Chart:

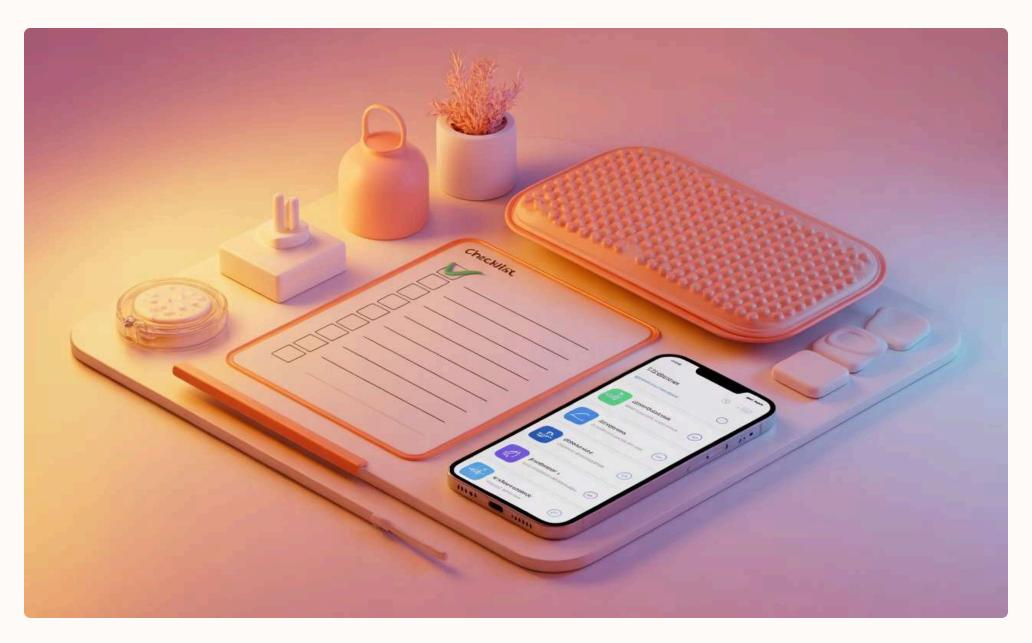
Day	Flow	Normal Signs	Red Flags
1-3	Heavy (clots)	Peak cramps; tissue pass	>2 pads/hr x2 hrs[3]
4-7	Moderate (period-like)	Ease; iron-rich foods	Unrelieved pain
8-14	Spotting	Reset; rest key	Fever >100.4°F[10]
15-30	Intermittent	Recovery; fertility returns	Heavy persist

Signs It Worked:

Bleeding in 4 hrs (97%); clots OK (85%). No bleed? 5% failure—ultrasound ASAP.[1]



Manage Bleeding: Practical Steps



Can't "stop" it—it's expulsion—but ease it: lbuprofen cuts flow 20-40%; hydrate + iron foods.[8] Side effects? Nausea (50-70%), fatigue—fade in days.[11]

Daily Checklist:

- Log flow/clots in app (Aid Access Tracker).[4]
- Rest 48 hrs; heat pad for cramps.
- No tampons/aspirin—pads only.
- Balanced diet: Moong dal for Vata calm.

Free Tools:



Apps

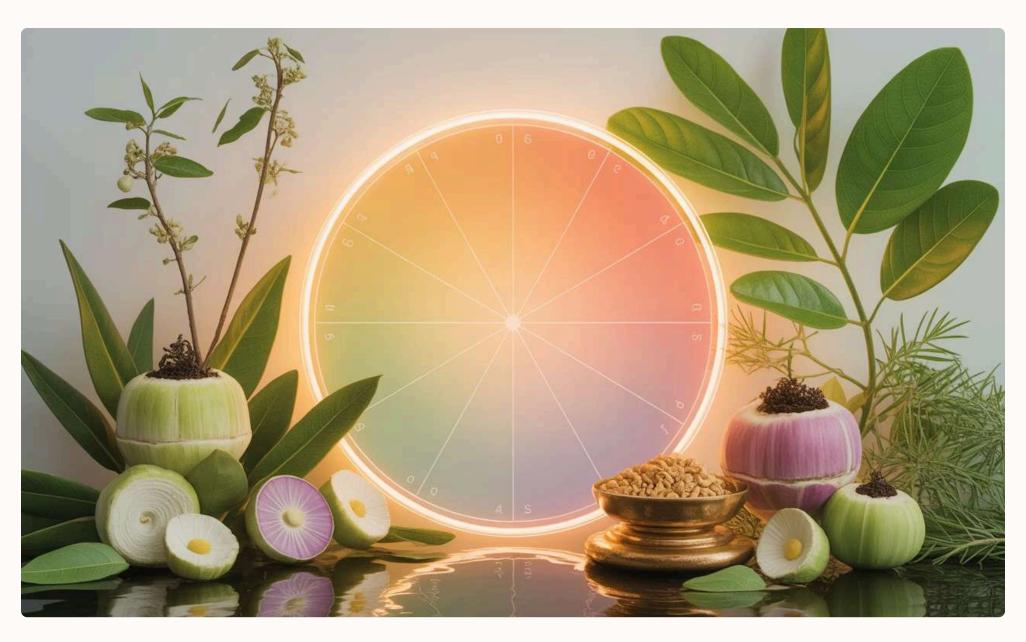
Flo (MTP mode); Aid Access log (90% anxiety drop). [4]



Hotlines

India 104; US Exhale (1-866-4-EXHALE).[12]

Ayurveda: Balance Post-Bleed



Ayurveda sees MTP as Vata-driven Garbha Nirodh—heavy bleed: Apana aggravation; no bleed: Blockage.[9] Rebuild ojas with evidence-backed care.

Post-MTP Routine:

- Diet: Warm khichdi, ghee—avoid cold/raw (Vata pacify).
- Herbs (Doc-Supervised): Shatavari (20% faster recovery); Ashoka for tone.[9][10]
- **Lifestyle:** 5-7 days rest; Abhyanga massage.
- Excess/No Bleed: Pitta herbs (Amalaki) or Triphala for flow.[9]

Emotional: Pranayama + Brahmi for Rajas calm—83% report less stress.[12]

Key Takeaways Table:

Aspect	Ayurveda Insight
Bleed Time	3-14 days (Vata flow)[9]
No Bleed	Blocked Apana
Herbs	Shatavari/Ashoka[10]
Recovery	Satvik diet + rest



2-Week Check & Next Steps



Follow-Up Checklist:

- Day 7-14: hCG test/ultrasound (98% closure).[7]
- Ask: "Complete? Contraception?"
- Periods: 4-6 weeks return (heavier OK).[2]

If Positive, Incomplete: 2-5%—quick fix via repeat dose.[1]

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