

INFORMATION FOR YOUR TREATMENT JOURNEY

WHAT DOES MY LDL CHOLESTEROL (LDL-C) NUMBER MEAN?

LDL-C is often referred to as “bad” cholesterol because it can build up in the walls of your arteries and increase your chances of heart problems. High cholesterol rarely causes symptoms, but over time increases your risk for problems, such as heart attacks and strokes.

WHEN ARE STATINS ALONE NOT ENOUGH?

Statins are helpful medications that are effective at lowering bad cholesterol.

However, your LDL-C can still be too high even with diet and statin therapy.

Known heart disease? Inherited condition that causes high cholesterol? If you're still not at your LDL-C goal despite:



TAKING A STATIN



EATING RIGHT



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**ADDING NEXLIZET OR NEXLETOL
MAY BE ABLE TO HELP**

WHAT IS THE NEXSTEP PATIENT SUPPORT PROGRAM, AND HOW CAN IT HELP?

It's important to keep your cholesterol levels where they need to be by taking the medicine your doctor prescribed every day and staying on top of your refills. The **NEXSTEP** program can help. It's a patient support program that is full of tools and resources for you:

- Treatment FAQs
- Information about why you may need cholesterol treatment
- A Co-Pay Card for potential savings

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What are NEXLETOL and NEXLIZET?

NEXLETOL and NEXLIZET are prescription medicines used, along with diet and other lipid-lowering medicines, in the treatment of adults who need additional lowering of “bad” cholesterol (LDL-C) and have:

- heterozygous familial hypercholesterolemia (HeFH), an inherited condition that causes high levels of LDL-C, and/or
- known cardiovascular disease due to high levels of bad cholesterol

The active ingredient in NEXLETOL is bempedoic acid. The active ingredients in NEXLIZET are bempedoic acid and ezetimibe. It is not known if NEXLETOL or NEXLIZET can decrease problems related to high cholesterol, such as heart attacks or stroke.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

Who should not take NEXLETOL or NEXLIZET?

There are no contraindications for NEXLETOL.

Do not take NEXLIZET if you are allergic to ezetimibe tablets. Ezetimibe, one of the ingredients in NEXLIZET, can cause serious allergic reactions. Stop taking NEXLIZET and call your doctor, or go to the nearest emergency room, if you have the following:

- swelling of your face, lips, mouth, or tongue
- wheezing or trouble breathing
- severe itching and/or skin rashes, redness, or swelling
- dizziness or fainting
- fast heartbeat or pounding in your chest

Please see additional Important Safety Information throughout this brochure, full Prescribing Information for [NEXLIZET](#) and [NEXLETOL](#), and Patient Product Information for [NEXLIZET](#) and [NEXLETOL](#).

HOW CAN NEXLIZET OR NEXLETOL HELP ME GET TO WHERE I WANT TO BE?

On average in clinical trials, when added on top of diet and a statin:



Results are in comparison to placebo (a sugar pill) at Week 12 in clinical trials of patients with known heart disease and/or an inherited condition that causes high levels of bad cholesterol. Individual results may vary.

WHAT IS THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN NEXLIZET AND NEXLETOL?



Bempedoic acid works in the liver, and ezetimibe works in the gut. Both ingredients help remove bad cholesterol from your blood.



Both NEXLIZET and NEXLETOL can help **lower your cholesterol**



The use of NEXLIZET and NEXLETOL has not been studied in children under 18 years of age.

HOW DO NEXLIZET AND NEXLETOL WORK?

NEXLIZET and NEXLETOL work differently than statins. They interrupt your body's cholesterol-making process, reducing how much cholesterol your body can make and how much it can absorb.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION (cont.)

What should I tell my doctor before taking NEXLETOL or NEXLIZET?

For NEXLETOL and NEXLIZET, tell your doctor if you:

- have, or have ever had, gout
- have, or have ever had, tendon problems
- are pregnant or breastfeeding, or may become pregnant or plan to breastfeed
- have severe kidney or liver problems
- are taking simvastatin or pravastatin

For NEXLIZET, please also tell your doctor if you:

- have ever had an allergic reaction to ezetimibe
- have moderate or severe liver problems
- are taking cyclosporine, fibrates, or cholestyramine

What is the most important safety information I should know about NEXLETOL and NEXLIZET?

NEXLETOL and NEXLIZET can cause side effects that can become serious, including:

- high levels of uric acid in the blood, which can lead to gout, a painful joint condition. Call your doctor if you have any of the following symptoms:
 - severe foot pain, especially in the toe joint
 - warm joints
 - swelling
 - tender joints
 - joint redness

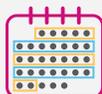
ARE THERE ANY SIDE EFFECTS I MIGHT EXPERIENCE WITH TREATMENT?

NEXLIZET and NEXLETOL can cause side effects, including cold- or flu-like symptoms, bronchitis, and muscle spasms. Other **serious side effects** may include increased risk of gout or serious tendon problems.

For signs and symptoms of these serious side effects, please see the response to “What is the most important safety information I should know about NEXLETOL and NEXLIZET?” below and on the previous page.

These are not all the possible side effects of NEXLIZET and NEXLETOL. Tell your doctor if you have any side effect that bothers you or that does not go away.

HOW WILL I KNOW IT'S WORKING?



Both NEXLIZET and NEXLETOL reach their full effect after **just 4 weeks!** At your next appointment, ask your doctor to test your cholesterol. When you get the results, you'll know whether you're on track to **meet your goal**.

WHAT IF I AM ALSO TAKING OTHER MEDICINES?

Tell your doctor about all the medicines you take, including both prescription and over-the-counter medicines, vitamins, and herbal supplements. Before taking NEXLIZET or NEXLETOL, tell your doctor if you take, or plan to take:

- simvastatin or pravastatin (other cholesterol-lowering medicines). Your doctor may need to change the dose for these medicines if taking them with NEXLIZET or NEXLETOL

Before taking NEXLIZET, please also tell your doctor if you take, or plan to take:

- cyclosporine (often used in organ transplant patients)
- fibrates (other cholesterol-lowering medicines)
- cholestyramine (another cholesterol-lowering medicine)

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION (cont.)

What is the most important safety information I should know about NEXLETOL and NEXLIZET? (cont.)

- tendon problems: Stop taking NEXLETOL or NEXLIZET immediately and get medical help right away if you get any of the following signs or symptoms of tendon rupture:
 - hear or feel a snap or pop in a tendon area
 - bruising right after an injury in a tendon area
 - unable to move the affected area or put weight on the affected area

What are the common side effects of NEXLETOL and NEXLIZET?

Tell your doctor right away about any side effect you experience. NEXLETOL and NEXLIZET can cause side effects, including:

- symptoms of the common cold or flu
- muscle spasms
- back pain
- stomach pain
- bronchitis
- pain in the shoulders, legs, or arms
- diarrhea
- fatigue

Your doctor may check your blood for side effects that you might not be able to feel.

These are not all the possible side effects of NEXLETOL and NEXLIZET. For more information, ask your doctor or pharmacist.

What forms do NEXLETOL and NEXLIZET come in?

NEXLETOL and NEXLIZET are tablets that you take by mouth. NEXLETOL contains 180 mg of bempedoic acid, and NEXLIZET contains 180 mg of bempedoic acid and 10 mg of ezetimibe.

Can I take NEXLETOL or NEXLIZET with other medicines?

Tell your doctor about all the medicines you take, including both prescription and over-the-counter medicines, vitamins, and herbal supplements. Before taking NEXLETOL or NEXLIZET, tell your doctor if you take, or plan to take:

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ADDING JUST 1 PILL, ONCE A DAY, MAY BE THE EDGE YOU NEED

How to take NEXLIZET or NEXLETOL in addition to eating healthy and taking a statin:

Take 1 pill of **NEXLIZET** or **NEXLETOL** once daily by mouth. You may take it with or without food.Swallow the **NEXLIZET** or **NEXLETOL** tablet whole. **DO NOT CUT, CHEW, OR CRUSH** the tablet.**DO NOT TAKE MORE THAN 1 dose per day.** If you miss a dose, talk to your doctor.**ALWAYS TAKE YOUR MEDICINE EXACTLY AS YOUR DOCTOR PRESCRIBES!**If you take more NEXLIZET or NEXLETOL than you should, **call a poison control center at 1-800-222-1222 or go to the nearest emergency room right away.****IS THERE FINANCIAL SUPPORT TO HELP ME GET NEXLIZET OR NEXLETOL?****NEXSTEP** offers a Co-Pay Card to help with the cost of your prescription. To see if you're eligible, visit [NexCopay.com](https://www.nexcopay.com).

If you or your doctor need help with a prescription for NEXLIZET or NEXLETOL, or if you have questions about the Co-Pay Card, please reach out to ASPN Pharmacy to learn more at 1-888-673-1686 (8:30AM-8:00PM ET, Monday-Friday, excluding holidays).

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION (cont.)**Can I take NEXLETOL or NEXLIZET with other medicines? (cont.)**

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The risk information provided here is not comprehensive. To learn more, talk about NEXLETOL or NEXLIZET with your doctor or pharmacist. The FDA-approved product labelling can be found at [NEXLETOL.com](https://www.nexletol.com) or [NEXLIZET.com](https://www.nexlizet.com), or at 1-833-377-7633.You may report side effects to the FDA at 1-800-FDA-1088, or at www.fda.gov/medwatch. You may also report side effects to Esperion at 1-833-377-7633.

NEXLETOL and NEXLIZET are available by prescription only.

Please see full Prescribing Information for [NEXLIZET](https://www.nexlizet.com) and [NEXLETOL](https://www.nexletol.com), and Patient Product Information for [NEXLIZET](https://www.nexlizet.com) and [NEXLETOL](https://www.nexletol.com).