TIPS FOR TALKING TO YOUR DOCTOR ABOUT



Questions about my cholesterol

Lowering bad cholesterol can feel like a never-ending cycle.

My experience with lowering had cholesterol

When you've tried diet, exercise, and a statin, and your bad cholesterol is still too high, adding NEXLIZET may help if you have known heart disease or an inherited condition that causes high levels of bad cholesterol.

Start a conversation with your doctor by asking the questions in this guide. You can print it, fill it out, and bring it with you to your next appointment.

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Fill in the below to help you and your doctor make a plan!	If you want to ask your doctor any of these questions,
To lower my bad cholesterol, I have tried (check all that apply):	select them below.
Healthy diet	What is the difference between good cholesterol and bad cholesterol?
Exercise	☐ Is my bad cholesterol under control? Why is it important
Statins or other cholesterol-lowering medications	for me to reach a goal number?
Other:	What are my treatment options?
l am currently trying (check all that apply):	
Healthy diet	
Exercise	
Statins or other cholesterol-lowering medications	
Other:	Lowering my bad cholesterol with NEXLIZET
None of the above	You can ask your doctor these questions to see if adding NEXLIZET can give you the edge you need to break the cycle.
My current bad cholesterol number is: mg/dL	-
(If you don't know, ask your doctor)	How will NEXLIZET help lower my bad cholesterol?
	• Is NEXLIZET a statin?
My goal number for my bad cholesterol is: mg/dL	What medicines are in NEXLIZET?
(If you don't know, ask your doctor)	 How does NEXLIZET work differently from other medicines?
	 What side effects could I expect with NEXLIZET?
I have been trying to lower my bad cholesterol for:	• Is NEXLIZET a pill?
6 months–1 year	 How often do I need to take NEXLIZET?
1 year-3 years	 Do I need to take NEXLIZET with food?
3 years–5 years	
5+ years	

What is NEXLIZET?

NEXLIZET is a prescription medicine that contains 2 cholesterol-lowering medicines, bempedoic acid and ezetimibe. It is 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

It is not known if NEXLIZET can decrease problems related to high cholesterol, such as heart attacks or stroke.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

Who should not take NEXLIZET?

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 on the following page and full Prescribing Information, including Patient Product Information.

Additional questions and notes	It may also be helpful to bring a list of your
	current medications,
	recent lab results, and
	notes on any side effects
	you may be experiencing.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION (cont.)

What should I tell my doctor before taking NEXLIZET?

Tell your doctor if you:

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

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

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
- swelling
- tender joints
- warm joints

- joint redness
- tendon problems: Stop taking 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 NEXLIZET?

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

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

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION (cont.)

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 NEXLIZET. For more information, ask your doctor or pharmacist.

What form does NEXLIZET come in?

NEXLIZET is a tablet that you take by mouth. It contains 180 mg of bempedoic acid and 10 mg of ezetimibe.

Can I take 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. Especially tell your doctor if you take, or plan to take:

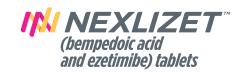
- simvastatin or pravastatin (other cholesterol-lowering medicines). Your doctor may change the dose for these medicines if taking them with NEXLIZET
- cyclosporine (often used in organ transplant patients)
- fibrates (other cholesterol-lowering medicines)
- cholestyramine (another cholesterol-lowering medicine)

The risk information provided here is not comprehensive. To learn more, talk about NEXLIZET with your doctor or pharmacist. The FDA-approved product labelling can be found at **NEXLIZET.com** or 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.

NEXLIZET is available by prescription only.

Please see full <u>Prescribing Information</u>, including <u>Patient Product</u> Information.



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