

## TALK TO YOUR DOCTOR ABOUT STANDING UP TO BAD CHOLESTEROL

It's important to keep track of your bad cholesterol (LDL-C) levels. This guide can help you have an open and honest conversation with your doctor about taking the next step toward lowering your bad cholesterol.

### MAKE THE MOST OF YOUR CONVERSATIONS WITH YOUR DOCTOR

Answer these quick questions and share them with your doctor, so together you can decide the best path forward for you.

**1 For people with known heart disease, the recommended cholesterol (LDL-C) level is less than 70 mg/dL.**

Do you know your number? \_\_\_\_\_ mg/dL

**2 On a scale of 1 to 10 (1 = not worried at all, 10 = very worried) how concerned are you about your bad cholesterol?**

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

**3 What are the top 3 reasons you want to lower your LDL-C?**

- I worry about having a heart attack, stroke, or other serious health problems\*
- I try to be as health conscious as possible
- I do it for my family (spouse, kids, grandkids), who depend on me to be there for them
- My doctor recommends it
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

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

**4 What challenges, if any, have you faced when making changes to your lifestyle?**

- Remembering to take my medication on time, as directed
- Improving my diet and increasing my activity level
- Limiting unhealthy habits, like smoking and drinking alcohol in excess
- Dealing with other health issues, such as diabetes or hypertension
- Worrying about paying for my medication
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

**5 Do you feel like you know what else you can do to lower your bad cholesterol?**

- Yes, I know what additional changes I can make
- No, I need help to better understand what else I can do
- Unsure if I need to be doing more

### What is LEQVIO?

LEQVIO (inclisiran) is an injectable prescription medicine used along with diet and exercise to reduce low-density lipoprotein (LDL-C) or "bad" cholesterol in adults with high blood cholesterol levels called hypercholesterolemia (including a type of high cholesterol called heterozygous familial hypercholesterolemia [HeFH]).

### IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

Do not use if you have had an allergic reaction to LEQVIO or any of its ingredients.

Serious allergic reactions can occur. Seek medical help right away if you have difficulty breathing or swallowing; swelling of the face, lips, tongue or throat; dizziness and feel faint; decrease in blood pressure; severe skin itching, with a red rash or raised bumps.

Please see additional Important Safety Information on page 2.

Please see Brief Summary of Prescribing Information on page 3.

For adults who, along with diet and exercise,  
need help lowering their bad cholesterol (LDL-C)

## SAY HELLO TO LEQVIO® AND THE POSSIBILITY TO TAKE BAD CHOLESTEROL DOWN

2 doses a year after 2 initial doses given by your doctor. Proven to lower bad cholesterol by 50%.\*



### FITS INTO TWICE-YEARLY DOCTOR VISITS

LEQVIO is an injection given by your doctor or health care provider, so you don't have to inject yourself.



### MOST COMMON SIDE EFFECTS

The most common side effect was injection site reaction, which was experienced by 8% of adults taking LEQVIO vs 2% of placebo adult patients. Injection site reaction included pain, redness, and rash. Other side effects included joint pain and chest cold.

Side effects leading to discontinuation occurred in 2.5% of adults taking LEQVIO vs 1.9% with placebo (a substance that doesn't contain any medication).



### LEQVIO WORKS ALONG WITH DIET AND EXERCISE AND MAY HELP YOU REACH YOUR GOALS

Which of these are of interest to you?

- 2 doses a year after 2 initial doses
- Proven to lower cholesterol by 50% and keep it low\*
- An injection given by your doctor or health care provider
- All of the above



### You could pay as little as \$0†

Go to [LEQVIO.com/savings-and-support](https://www.leqvio.com/savings-and-support) to learn more about LEQVIO affordability, including for those with Medicare Part B and supplemental insurance, or those with commercial or private insurance.



### Get support from the LEQVIO Care Program

Once you've been prescribed LEQVIO, you can get access to a dedicated Care Specialist who offers personalized support, medication reminders, healthy living tips, etc.



Visit <https://www.leqvio.com/signup> or scan this QR code to learn more

\*With LEQVIO, adults in clinical studies on a maximally tolerated statin lowered their cholesterol by 50% and kept it low during each 6-month dosing interval vs placebo (a substance that doesn't contain any medication). Individual results may vary.

†Limitations apply. The LEQVIO Co-pay Program may include the Co-pay Card, Payment Card (if applicable), and Rebate. Per-treatment maximums and an annual benefit cap apply. Offer not valid under Medicare, Medicaid, TRICARE, VA, DoD, or any other federal or state program. Novartis reserves the right to rescind, revoke, or amend this Program without notice. See complete Terms and Conditions at <https://start.leqvio.com/TC>

### IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION (cont)

The most common side effects of LEQVIO were: injection site reaction (including pain, redness, and rash), joint pain, and chest cold.

These are not all the possible side effects of LEQVIO. Ask your health care provider for medical advice about side effects. You are encouraged to report negative side effects of prescription drugs to the FDA.

Visit [www.fda.gov/medwatch](http://www.fda.gov/medwatch), or call 1-800-FDA-1088.

Please see the Indication and additional Important Safety Information on page 1.

Please see Brief Summary of Prescribing Information on page 3.

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# BRIEF SUMMARY OF FULL PRESCRIBING INFORMATION LEQVIO® (INCLISIRAN) INJECTION, FOR SUBCUTANEOUS USE

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## Who Should Not Use LEQVIO:

Do not use if you have had an allergic reaction to LEQVIO or to any of its ingredients. See the end of this leaflet for a complete list of ingredients in LEQVIO.

## Before you start taking LEQVIO, tell your health care provider about all your medical conditions, including if you:

- are pregnant. Tell your health care provider right away if you become pregnant while taking LEQVIO. You and your health care provider will decide if you should take LEQVIO while you are pregnant.
- are breastfeeding or plan to breastfeed. It is not known if LEQVIO passes into your breast milk. You and your health care provider should decide if you will take LEQVIO or breastfeed.

## Tell your health care provider about all the medicines you take, including prescription and over-the-counter medicines, vitamins, and herbal supplements.

Know the medicines you take. Keep a list of them to show your health care provider and pharmacist when you get a new medicine.

## How should I take LEQVIO?

LEQVIO is an injection under the skin (subcutaneous), given by your health care provider, initially, again at 3 months, and then every 6 months (twice yearly).

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## What are possible side effects of LEQVIO?

LEQVIO can cause serious side effects including:

- **Serious allergic reactions.** Seek medical help right away if you have:
  - difficulty breathing or swallowing
  - decrease in blood pressure
  - swelling of the face, lips, tongue, or throat
  - severe skin itching, with a red rash or raised bumps
  - dizziness and feel faint

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These are not all the possible side effects of LEQVIO. **Call your health care provider for medical advice about side effects. You may report side effects to FDA at 1-800-FDA-1088.**

## General information about the safe and effective use of LEQVIO.

Medicines are sometimes prescribed for purposes other than indicated. Do not use LEQVIO for a condition for which it was not prescribed.

This Patient Information leaflet summarizes the most important information about LEQVIO. If you would like more information, talk with your doctor. You can ask your doctor or pharmacist for information about LEQVIO that is written for health professionals.

For more information, go to [www.LEQVIO.com](http://www.LEQVIO.com) or call 1-833-LEQVIO2 (1-833-537-8462).

## What are the ingredients in LEQVIO?

- **active ingredient:** inclisiran sodium
- **inactive ingredients:** water for injection, sodium hydroxide and/or phosphoric acid

