

# DOSING AND ADMINISTRATION:

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## PRODUCT INFORMATION

LEQVIO<sup>®</sup> (inclisiran) is indicated in adults with primary hypercholesterolaemia (heterozygous familial and non-familial) or mixed dyslipidaemia, as an adjunct to diet:

- in combination with a statin or statin with other lipid-lowering therapies in patients unable to reach LDL-C goals with the maximum tolerated dose of a statin, or
  - alone or in combination with other lipid-lowering therapies in patients who are statin-intolerant, or for whom a statin is contraindicated.<sup>1</sup>
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- The **recommended dose of LEQVIO is 284 mg** administered in 1.5 mL solution in a pre-filled syringe<sup>1</sup>
  - **Shelf life:** 3 years<sup>1</sup>
  - LEQVIO does not require any special storage conditions. Do not freeze<sup>1</sup>

## 'HOW TO' GUIDE



## WHEN TO INJECT

After an initial dose, LEQVIO is administered again at 3 months, followed by a dose every 6 months.<sup>1</sup>



## HOW AND WHERE TO INJECT

LEQVIO is a single-use subcutaneous injection for administration by a healthcare professional.<sup>1,2</sup>

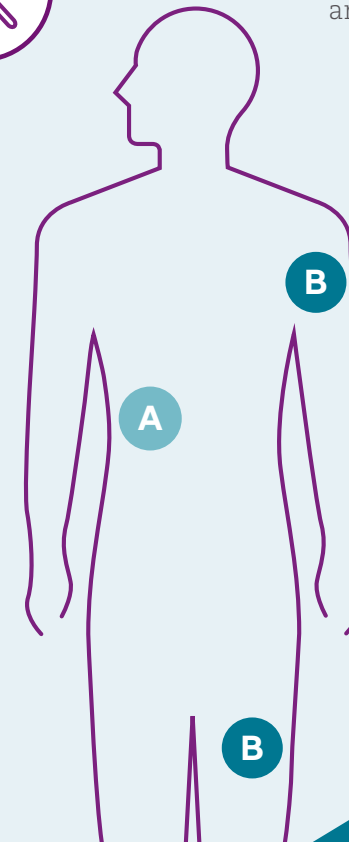


### STEP 1: INSPECT THE SYRINGE

- Check the LEQVIO solution for injection visually before administration – it should be clear, colourless to pale yellow and essentially free of particles<sup>1</sup>



### STEP 2: INJECT



**A** PREFERRED SITE<sup>1</sup>  
ABDOMEN

**B** ALTERNATIVE SITES<sup>1</sup>  
UPPER ARM OR  
THIGH



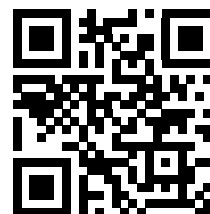
### AREAS TO AVOID

Areas of active skin disease or injury (e.g. sunburns, skin rashes, inflammation or skin infections)<sup>1,2</sup>

#### Adverse Event Reporting:

Adverse events should be reported. Reporting forms and information can be found at [www.mhra.gov.uk/yellowcard](http://www.mhra.gov.uk/yellowcard). Adverse events should also be reported to Novartis online through the pharmacovigilance intake (PVI) tool at [www.novartis.com/reportor](http://www.novartis.com/reportor) alternatively email at [medinfo.uk@novartis.com](mailto:medinfo.uk@novartis.com) or call 01276 698370.

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In placebo-controlled clinical trials, LEQVIO had a generally well-tolerated safety profile, apart from injection site reactions (8.2% and 1.8% of patients, respectively).<sup>1</sup>

## MANAGING MISSED DOSES

<b>PLANNED DOSE MISSED BY &lt;3 MONTHS</b>	Administer LEQVIO and continue dosing as per patient's original schedule <sup>1</sup>
<b>PLANNED DOSE MISSED BY &gt;3 MONTHS</b>	Start new dosing schedule: initial dose, second dose at 3 months, followed by a dose every 6 months <sup>1</sup>



## DOSING IN SPECIAL POPULATIONS

<b>ELDERLY (AGE ≥65 YEARS)</b>		<b>No dose adjustment</b> <sup>1</sup>
<b>HEPATIC IMPAIRMENT</b>		<b>No dose adjustment:</b> mild (Child-Pugh class A) or moderate (Child-Pugh class B) <sup>1</sup> <b>Use with caution as no data available:</b> severe (Child-Pugh class C) <sup>1</sup>
<b>RENAL IMPAIRMENT</b>		<b>No dose adjustment:</b> mild, moderate or severe, or end-stage renal disease <sup>1</sup> <b>Use with caution due to limited experience:</b> severe <sup>1</sup> <b>Haemodialysis</b> should not be performed for at least 72 hours after LEQVIO dosing <sup>1</sup>
<b>PREGNANCY/BREASTFEEDING</b>		<b>Avoid use during pregnancy</b> as no data available <sup>1</sup> <b>Decide whether to discontinue breastfeeding or to discontinue/abstain from LEQVIO</b> as a risk to newborns/infants cannot be excluded <sup>1</sup>

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## KEY INJECTION DO'S AND DON'TS

	Keep LEQVIO out of the sight and reach of children <sup>2</sup>		Do not use LEQVIO if it contains visible particulate matter or after the expiry date <sup>1,2</sup>
	Dispose of unused medicine or any waste material in accordance with local requirements <sup>1</sup>		In the absence of compatibility studies, LEQVIO must not be mixed with other medicinal products <sup>1</sup>

**Contraindications:** hypersensitivity to the active substance or to any of the excipients listed in section 6.1 of the **Summary of Product Characteristics**.<sup>1</sup>

No data are available for the use of inclisiran in children aged under 18 years.<sup>1,2</sup> For further information please refer to the **Summary of Product Characteristics**.<sup>1</sup>

LDL-C=low-density lipoprotein cholesterol

### References

1. LEQVIO<sup>®</sup> Summary of Product Characteristics.
2. LEQVIO<sup>®</sup> Patient Information Leaflet.