

 **NEXLETOL**[®]
(bempedoic acid) tablets

 **NEXLIZET**[®]
(bempedoic acid
and ezetimibe) tablets

When sufficient LDL-C reduction feels difficult to achieve,^{1,3}

ADD EFFICACY. ADD POWER. ADD NEXLETOL or NEXLIZET

For appropriate patients currently on maximally tolerated statin therapy,
with or without other lipid-lowering therapies^{1,2}

In clinical trials, NEXLETOL delivered up to an 18% mean reduction, and NEXLIZET delivered a 38% mean reduction, in LDL-C (compared to placebo) when added to maximally tolerated statin dose ($P<0.001$)^{1,2**†}

*LDL-C changes from baseline (LS mean) in CLEAR Harmony: NEXLETOL: -17% (n=1,488); placebo: +2% (n=742).^{1,4}

[†]LDL-C changes from baseline (LS mean) in CLEAR Wisdom: NEXLETOL: -15% (n=522); placebo: +2% (n=257).^{1,5}

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LDL-C=low-density lipoprotein cholesterol; LS=least squares.

INDICATION

NEXLETOL and NEXLIZET are indicated as adjuncts to diet and maximally tolerated statin therapy for the treatment of adults with heterozygous familial hypercholesterolemia or established atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease who require additional lowering of LDL-C.

Limitations of Use: The effect of NEXLETOL and NEXLIZET on cardiovascular morbidity and mortality has not been determined.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

Contraindications: NEXLETOL has no contraindications. NEXLIZET is contraindicated in patients with a known hypersensitivity to ezetimibe tablets. Hypersensitivity reactions including anaphylaxis, angioedema, rash, and urticaria have been reported with ezetimibe.

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ADD EFFICACY. ADD POWER. ADD NEXLETOL OR NEXLIZET FOR APPROPRIATE PATIENTS

ADD NEXLETOL OR NEXLIZET: Powerful add-on LDL-C lowering¹⁻⁷



SIGNIFICANT ADDITIONAL LDL-C REDUCTION FOR APPROPRIATE PATIENTS CURRENTLY ON MAXIMALLY TOLERATED STATIN THERAPY, WITH OR WITHOUT OTHER LIPID-LOWERING THERAPIES

High CV risk patients with ASCVD and/or HeFH not at LDL-C goal

Statin
+/-
Ezetimibe



NEXLETOL
(bempedoic acid) tablets

UP TO
18%

MEAN LDL-C REDUCTION VS PLACEBO¹

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Statin



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38%

MEAN LDL-C REDUCTION VS PLACEBO²



SAFETY PROFILES WITH INCIDENCE OF MOST COMMON ARs GENERALLY COMPARABLE TO PLACEBO^{1,3}



ORAL, ONCE-DAILY TABLETS USED AS ADD-ONS TO MAXIMALLY TOLERATED STATIN THERAPY, WITH OR WITHOUT OTHER LIPID-LOWERING THERAPIES^{1,2}



FIRST-IN-CLASS BEMPEDOIC ACID: THE ONLY ACL INHIBITOR WITH A MECHANISM COMPLEMENTARY TO STATINS^{1,2,8-10}

- Bempedoic acid, the active ingredient in NEXLETOL and a component of NEXLIZET, has a targeted mechanism of action that works upstream from statins

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CLEAR Harmony (Study 1) was a 52-week, randomized, double-blind, Phase 3 trial in 2,230 patients randomized 2:1 to receive NEXLETOL (n=1,488) or placebo (n=742). CLEAR Harmony included patients aged ≥18 years with fasting LDL-C ≥70 mg/dL, and high-risk patients with ASCVD and/or HeFH. NEXLETOL was added to whatever patient's maximally tolerated statin dose was, either alone or with other lipid-lowering therapies. Primary endpoint was general safety, which included ARs, clinical safety laboratory, physical examinations, vital signs, and electrocardiogram. Secondary endpoint was % change from baseline to Week 12 in LDL-C.^{4,6}

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O53 Trial (Study 1) was a 12-week, randomized, double-blind, Phase 3 trial in 301 patients randomized 2:2:2:1 to receive NEXLIZET (n=86), NEXLETOL (n=88), ezetimibe (n=86), or placebo (n=41). O53 Trial included patients aged ≥18 years with fasting LDL-C ≥100 mg/dL if they had ASCVD and/or HeFH, or ≥130 mg/dL if they had multiple CV risk factors. Therapies were added to whatever patient's maximally tolerated statin dose was (including no statin at all), either alone or with other lipid-lowering therapies. Primary endpoint was % change from baseline to Week 12 in LDL-C. Secondary endpoint was % change from baseline to Week 12 in hsCRP, non-HDL-C, total C, apolipoprotein B, HDL-C, and TGs.^{2,3}

CV=cardiovascular; ASCVD=atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease; HeFH=heterozygous familial hypercholesterolemia; AR=adverse reaction; non-HDL-C=non-high-density lipoprotein cholesterol; total C=total cholesterol; hsCRP=high-sensitivity C-reactive protein; TGs=triglycerides.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION (cont.)

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ACL=adenosine triphosphate citrate lyase.

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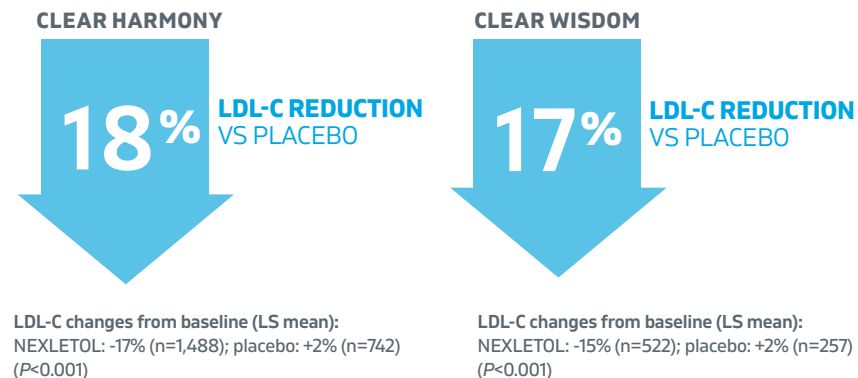
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CLEAR Harmony and CLEAR Wisdom results showed up to a significant 18% mean LDL-C reduction compared to placebo at 12 weeks, for extra control^{1,4,5}



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Based on a pooled analysis of 2 clinical studies of up to 52 weeks in duration¹



ARs OCCURRING IN ≥2% OF PATIENTS WITH ASCVD AND HeFH USING NEXLETOL (AND MORE FREQUENTLY THAN PLACEBO)¹

Adverse reaction	NEXLETOL* (n=2,009)	Placebo (n=999)
Upper respiratory tract infection	4.5%	4.0%
Muscle spasms	3.6%	2.3%
Hyperuricemia ¹	3.5%	1.1%
Back pain	3.3%	2.2%
Abdominal pain or discomfort ²	3.1%	2.2%
Bronchitis	3.0%	2.5%
Pain in extremity	3.0%	1.7%
Anemia	2.8%	1.9%
Elevated liver enzymes ³	2.1%	0.8%

Discontinuation rates due to ARs¹: NEXLETOL: 11%; placebo: 8%

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¹Included patients with hyperuricemia and patients with increased blood uric acid.
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Tendon Rupture: NEXLETOL was associated with an increased risk of tendon rupture, occurring in 0.5% of NEXLETOL-treated patients versus 0% of placebo-treated patients. Gout: NEXLETOL was associated with an increased risk of gout, occurring in 1.5% of NEXLETOL-treated patients versus 0.4% of placebo-treated patients. Benign Prostatic Hyperplasia: NEXLETOL was associated with an increased risk of BPH or prostatomegaly in men with no reported history of BPH, occurring in 1.3% of NEXLETOL-treated patients versus 0.1% of placebo-treated patients. The clinical significance is unknown. Atrial Fibrillation: NEXLETOL was associated with an imbalance in atrial fibrillation, occurring in 1.7% of NEXLETOL-treated patients versus 1.1% of placebo-treated patients. Laboratory Tests: NEXLETOL was associated with persistent changes in multiple laboratory tests within the first 4 weeks of treatment. Laboratory test values returned to baseline following discontinuation of treatment.¹

Incidence of skeletal muscle ARs comparable to placebo¹

Muscle spasms: NEXLETOL: 3.6%; placebo: 2.3%

AST=aspartate aminotransferase; ALT=alanine aminotransferase; BPH=benign prostatic hyperplasia.

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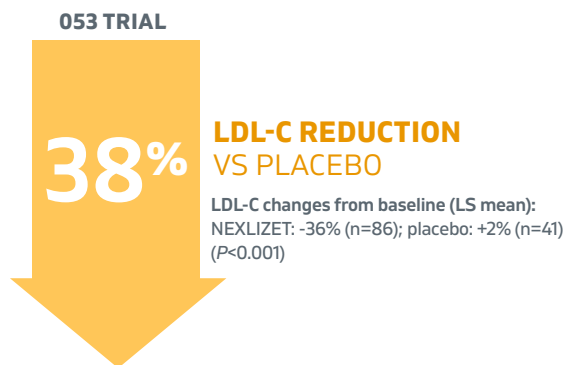
Adverse Reactions (cont.): In the NEXLIZET clinical trial, the most commonly reported adverse reactions observed with NEXLIZET, but not observed in clinical trials of bempeidic acid or ezetimibe, a component of NEXLIZET, and occurring more frequently than with placebo, were urinary tract infection, nasopharyngitis, and constipation.

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ADD NEXLIZET: A SINGLE TABLET THAT COMBINES THE BENEFITS OF NEXLETOL AND EZETIMIBE

Significant 38% mean LDL-C reduction compared to placebo at 12 weeks, for extra control^{2,3}



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NEXLIZET: THE ONLY FDA-APPROVED LIPID-LOWERING THERAPY COMBINING THE POWER OF NEXLETOL AND EZETIMIBE²

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION (cont.)

Adverse Reactions (cont.): Adverse reactions reported in clinical trials of ezetimibe, and occurring at an incidence greater than with placebo, included upper respiratory tract infection, diarrhea, arthralgia, sinusitis, pain in extremity, fatigue, and influenza. Other adverse reactions reported in postmarketing use of ezetimibe included hypersensitivity reactions, including anaphylaxis, angioedema, rash, and urticaria; erythema multiforme; myalgia; elevated creatine phosphokinase; myopathy/rhabdomyolysis; elevations in liver transaminases; hepatitis; abdominal pain; thrombocytopenia; pancreatitis; nausea; dizziness; paresthesia; depression; headache; cholelithiasis; cholecystitis.

ADD NEXLIZET: A SAFETY PROFILE WITH INCIDENCE OF MOST COMMON ARs GENERALLY COMPARABLE TO PLACEBO

Based on a 4-arm, 12-week, randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled, parallel group, factorial trial²



ARs OCCURRING IN $\geq 3\%$ OF PATIENTS IN THE NEXLIZET GROUP³

Adverse reaction	NEXLIZET (n=85)	NEXLETOL (n=88)	Ezetimibe (n=86)	Placebo (n=41)
Urinary tract infection	5.9%	3.4%	2.3%	2.4%
Nasopharyngitis	4.7%	6.8%	4.7%	0.0%
Constipation	4.7%	0.0%	2.3%	0.0%
Back pain	3.5%	3.4%	2.3%	4.9%
Fatigue	3.5%	2.3%	1.2%	0.0%
Upper respiratory tract infection	3.5%	1.1%	0.0%	0.0%
Blood creatinine increased	3.5%	1.1%	0.0%	0.0%
Blood uric acid increased	3.5%	1.1%	0.0%	0.0%
Bronchitis	3.5%	0.0%	3.5%	0.0%

Discontinuation rates due to ARs²: NEXLIZET: 8%; NEXLETOL: 10%; ezetimibe: 12%; placebo: 5%

- Most common reason for NEXLIZET treatment discontinuation was oral discomfort (NEXLIZET: 2%; placebo: 0%)

Incidence of ARs occurring in pivotal trials of NEXLETOL or ezetimibe that did not occur at a significant rate in the pivotal trial of NEXLIZET above²

- Pivotal trials for NEXLETOL: ARs occurring in $\geq 2\%$ of patients with ASCVD and HeFH using NEXLETOL* (and more frequently than placebo) included muscle spasms (NEXLETOL: 3.6%; placebo: 2.3%), hyperuricemia¹ (3.5%; 1.1%), abdominal pain or discomfort¹ (3.1%; 2.2%), pain in extremity (3.0%; 1.7%), anemia (2.8%; 1.9%), and elevated liver enzymes⁵ (2.1%; 0.8%). For more information, please see [page 5](#) of this Visual Aid
- Pivotal trials for ezetimibe: ARs occurring in $\geq 2\%$ of patients using ezetimibe (and at an incidence greater than placebo), regardless of causality, included diarrhea (ezetimibe: 4.1%; placebo: 3.7%), arthralgia (3.0%; 2.2%), sinusitis (2.8%; 2.2%), pain in extremity (2.7%; 2.5%), and influenza (2.0%; 1.5%)

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¹Included patients with hyperuricemia and patients with increased blood uric acid.²

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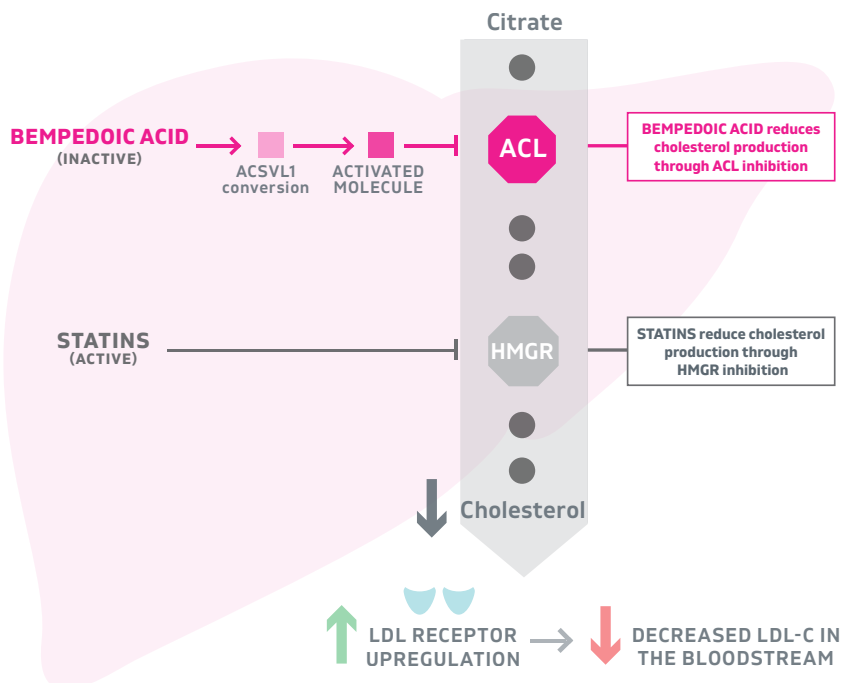
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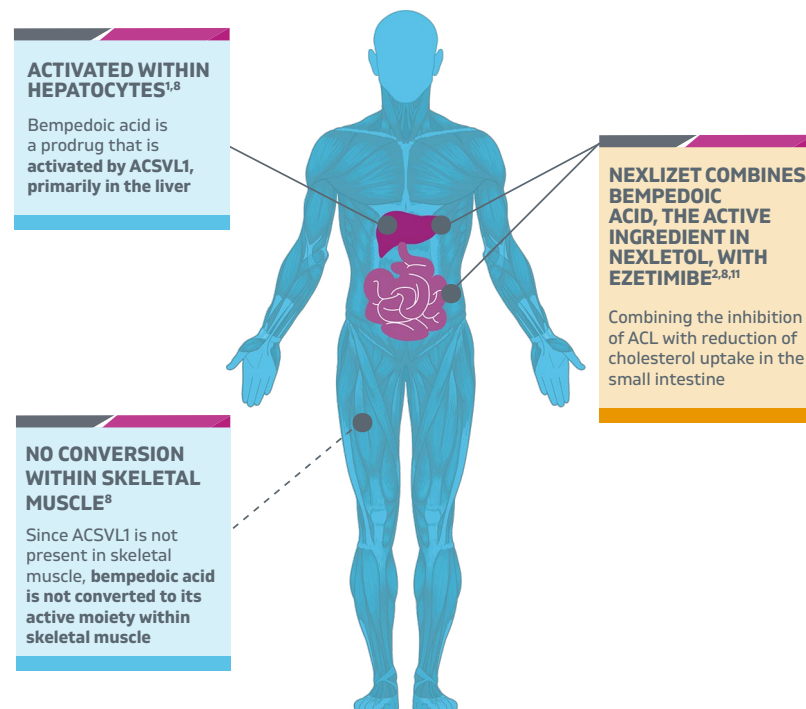
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BEMPEDOIC ACID REDUCES CHOLESTEROL BIOSYNTHESIS TO LOWER LDL-C



ACSVL1=very long-chain acyl-coenzyme A synthetase-1; HMGR=3-hydroxy-3-methyl-glutaryl-coenzyme A reductase.

Bempedoic acid is primarily activated in the liver^{1,8}



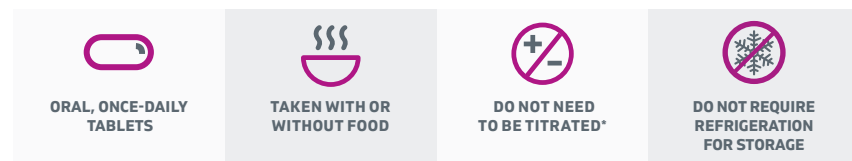
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ADD NEXLETOL OR NEXLIZET: ORAL, ONCE-DAILY DOSING, WITH NO NEED TO TITRATE*

NEXLETOL and NEXLIZET have the flexibility to be combined with other lipid-lowering medications for appropriate patients^{1,2†}



*Concomitant use of simvastatin or pravastatin with NEXLETOL, or of simvastatin, pravastatin, cyclosporine, fibrates, or cholestyramine with NEXLIZET, may require adjustments for these medications.^{1,2}

NEXLETOL	NEXLIZET
 <p>One 180-mg tablet for all appropriate patients¹</p>	 <p>One 180-mg bempedoic acid/10-mg ezetimibe tablet for all appropriate patients²</p>

Pill images are not actual size.

Lipid levels should be analyzed within 8 to 12 weeks after initiation of NEXLETOL or NEXLIZET.^{1,2}

NEXLETOL and NEXLIZET are appropriate for patients with ASCVD and/or HeFH requiring additional LDL-C lowering^{1,2‡§}

¹Administer NEXLIZET either at least 2 hours before, or at least 4 hours after, bile acid sequestrants.²

²ASCVD is defined as acute coronary syndromes, a history of MI, stable or unstable angina, coronary or other arterial revascularization, stroke, TIA, or PAD presumed to be of atherosclerotic origin.^{3,4,5}

[§]HeFH is defined as patients with a family history of elevated LDL-C or premature CAD, and with LDL-C \geq 190 mg/dL without lipid-lowering therapies.^{3,4,13,14}

MI=myocardial infarction; TIA=transient ischemic attack; PAD=peripheral arterial disease; CAD=coronary artery disease.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION (cont.)

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NEXLETOL AND NEXLIZET: LOW OUT-OF-POCKET COSTS FOR YOUR PATIENTS

NEXLETOL and NEXLIZET have broad coverage for your patients on both commercial and Medicare Part D plans



WITH THE CO-PAY CARD, ELIGIBLE PATIENTS MAY PAY AS LITTLE AS \$10 PER FILL FOR UP TO A 3-MONTH SUPPLY OF NEXLETOL OR NEXLIZET[¶]

[¶]Certain restrictions apply. See Terms and Conditions at NEXLETOLHCP.com/access.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION (cont.)

Drug Interactions (cont.): Cholestyramine: Concomitant use of NEXLIZET and cholestyramine decreases ezetimibe concentration. This may result in a reduction of efficacy. Administer NEXLIZET either at least 2 hours before, or at least 4 hours after, bile acid sequestrants.

Lactation and Pregnancy: It is not recommended that NEXLETOL or NEXLIZET be taken during breastfeeding. Discontinue NEXLETOL or NEXLIZET when pregnancy is recognized, unless the benefits of therapy outweigh the potential risks to the fetus. Based on the mechanism of action of bempedoic acid, NEXLETOL and NEXLIZET may cause fetal harm.

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INDICATION

NEXLETOL and NEXLIZET are indicated as adjuncts to diet and maximally tolerated statin therapy for the treatment of adults with heterozygous familial hypercholesterolemia or established atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease who require additional lowering of LDL-C.

Limitations of Use: The effect of NEXLETOL and NEXLIZET on cardiovascular morbidity and mortality has not been determined.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

Contraindications: NEXLETOL has no contraindications. NEXLIZET is contraindicated in patients with a known hypersensitivity to ezetimibe tablets. Hypersensitivity reactions including anaphylaxis, angioedema, rash, and urticaria have been reported with ezetimibe.

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