

## INDICATION

MULTAQ is a prescription medicine used to lower the chance you would need to go into the hospital for an irregular heart rhythm called atrial fibrillation (AFib). It is meant for people with certain types of AFib (paroxysmal or persistent AFib) who have had AFib in the past but are now in normal heart rhythm.



# WHILE I HAVE PAROXYSMAL OR PERSISTENT AFIB, I'M STILL AN ADVENTURER

## IF YOU'RE READY TO **START MULTAQ**

Following your doctor's prescription, this guide is intended to support patients like you getting started taking MULTAQ. It is an FDA-approved tablet to help keep your heart beating in normal rhythm, which may help patients have more days without AFib episodes.

Learn more on:



**ABOUT  
MULTAQ**



**HOW  
TO TAKE  
MULTAQ**



**MULTAQ  
CO-PAY  
CARD**

\*See Terms and Conditions inside.

Images are not actual patients.  
AFib=atrial fibrillation.

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(dronedarone) **400mg**  
Tablets

## IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

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

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**Do not take MULTAQ if you have a type of atrial fibrillation (AFib) called permanent AFib.** You should not take MULTAQ if you are in AFib and your doctor is not planning to change you back into normal rhythm. People with permanent AFib who take MULTAQ have a higher risk of death, stroke, and needing to be treated in a hospital for heart failure.

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## DIFFERENT TYPES OF MEDICATIONS USED TO TREAT AFIB

There are **3 types of medication** commonly used to treat people with AFib, and they are sometimes prescribed together:



**Blood thinners (anticoagulants)**  
help prevent blood clots



**Heart rate medicines (rate control)**  
help slow down your heart rate



**Heart rhythm medications (antiarrhythmics)**  
help keep your heart beating in a normal rhythm

You may be already taking a blood thinner or heart rate medicine for your AFib, and now your doctor has prescribed MULTAQ.

### WHY MULTAQ?



MULTAQ is an FDA-approved tablet that your doctor could prescribe to help keep the heart beating in normal rhythm, which may help patients with paroxysmal or persistent AFib have **more days without AFib episodes**



Doctors from the **American Heart Association, the American College of Cardiology, and the Heart Rhythm Society jointly recommend MULTAQ**, and medicines like it to help people with AFib maintain a normal heart rhythm

**>10 YEARS**

**MULTAQ has been a proven AFib medication for over a decade**, studied in multiple clinical trials across nearly 6000 patients with paroxysmal or persistent AFib

### IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

MULTAQ may cause liver problems, including life-threatening liver failure. Call your doctor right away if you are taking MULTAQ and develop any of these signs and symptoms of liver problems: loss of appetite; nausea; vomiting; fever; feeling unwell; unusual tiredness; itching; yellowing of the skin or the whites of the eyes; unusual darkening of the urine; right upper stomach area pain or discomfort.

#### When should I call the doctor?

Call your doctor right away if you're taking MULTAQ and have any signs and symptoms of heart failure. These may include shortness of breath or wheezing at rest; wheezing, chest tightness, or coughing up frothy sputum at rest, nighttime, or after minor exercise; trouble sleeping or waking up at night or using more pillows to prop yourself at night because of breathing problems; weight gain; or foot or leg swelling.

## DOES MULTAQ HAVE SIDE EFFECTS?

### POSSIBLE SERIOUS SIDE EFFECTS

MULTAQ may cause serious side effects including slowed heartbeat, inflammation of the lungs (including scarring and thickening), low potassium and magnesium levels in your blood, and changes in kidney function blood tests. MULTAQ may cause liver problems, including life-threatening liver failure.

**SEE "What is the most important safety information I should know about MULTAQ?" ON PAGE 1.**

### MOST COMMON SIDE EFFECTS

The most common side effects when taking MULTAQ include stomach problems such as diarrhea, nausea, vomiting, stomach area pain, and indigestion; feeling tired and weak; skin problems such as redness, rash, and itching.

These are not all the possible side effects of MULTAQ. Talk to your doctor for medical advice about side effects.

Other medications may interact with MULTAQ, and prevent it from working the way it should. Everyone responds to medication differently. Let your doctors know about all medications you are currently taking (including vitamins and herbal remedies). Also, be sure to tell them about any side effects that you may be experiencing.



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## WHAT'S THE RIGHT WAY TO TAKE MULTAQ?

### MULTAQ IS TAKEN AS A TABLET—TWICE A DAY—WITH FOOD



#### Twice a day

It's important to take MULTAQ as prescribed, one tablet two times a day. MULTAQ may take up to a week to work



#### Take MULTAQ with food

For MULTAQ to be effective, you need to take your full dose with food—it is recommended to take MULTAQ with full morning and evening meals



#### Do not drink grapefruit juice while taking MULTAQ

Grapefruit juice can increase the amount of MULTAQ in your blood, and increase the likelihood you will have side effects



#### ROUTINE IS KEY

Take MULTAQ exactly as your doctor tells you. Taking MULTAQ as directed can mean incorporating taking your tablet into your daily routine:

- **Create a reminder** on your smartphone
- **Get a pill box** and use it to store your MULTAQ tablets
- **Automate your refills** to avoid running out of MULTAQ
- **Keep taking MULTAQ once you start—even if you feel better**—so MULTAQ can continue to work as intended

### IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

Call your doctor right away if you notice that your heartbeat or pulse is irregular. This is a sign that you are in AFib.

Call your doctor if you develop shortness of breath or a dry cough during treatment with MULTAQ.

Call your doctor if you experience an allergic reaction, such as itchy rash, low blood pressure, or rapid swelling of the throat or skin, especially around the lips or eyes.

#### Who else shouldn't take MULTAQ?

You should not take MULTAQ if you are allergic to dronedarone or any of the other ingredients in MULTAQ.

You should not take MULTAQ if you have severe liver problems or if you had liver or lung problems after using amiodarone.

## WHAT RESOURCES CAN HELP ME PAY FOR MULTAQ?



### WE'RE HERE TO HELP

- People with private insurance and the MULTAQ Savings Card may qualify to get MULTAQ for **as low as \$0\*** on each of their next 13 refills  
**Visit [www.MULTAQ.com/savings](http://www.MULTAQ.com/savings) to learn more**
- MULTAQ is covered for most people with private insurance and/or Medicare plans
- If you need help with insurance questions, the makers of MULTAQ may be able to help through Sanofi Patient Connection®



### ASSISTANCE WITH INSURANCE COVERAGE QUESTIONS

Sanofi Patient Connection® can help you determine your insurance coverage for MULTAQ with:

- Help verifying if your insurance covers MULTAQ, your deductible, and your co-pay
- Assistance if you have difficulty getting insurance coverage for MULTAQ approved



### ADDITIONAL FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR QUALIFYING PATIENTS

Sanofi Patient Connection® patient assistance programs also provide medication to qualifying patients.



#### Download our application or visit [www.sanofipatientconnection.com](http://www.sanofipatientconnection.com)

to see the complete list of eligibility requirements



#### Call Sanofi Patient Connection® at 1-888-847-4877 to speak with an associate about the program

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## IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION (CONT'D)

You should not take MULTAQ if you have a certain type of heart problem called heart block, and you do not have an implanted pacemaker.

You should not take MULTAQ if you are breastfeeding, pregnant, or plan to become pregnant as it is not known if it may pass to or harm your baby. Women who may become pregnant should use effective birth control while taking MULTAQ. Talk to your doctor about the best birth control methods for you.

### Are there any medications I should avoid while taking MULTAQ?

MULTAQ can interact with certain medications. Do not use the following medications with MULTAQ:

- Nefazodone
- Clarithromycin
- Telithromycin
- Ketoconazole
- Ritonavir
- Cyclosporine
- Voriconazole
- Itraconazole

### Are there other medicines that would be harmful when taken with MULTAQ?

The following medicines can lead to a dangerous abnormal heart rhythm if taken with MULTAQ:

- Phenothiazines
- Tricyclic antidepressants
- Certain antibiotics
- Certain medicines used to treat an abnormal heart rhythm or fast heartbeat

### What are possible serious side effects from taking MULTAQ?

MULTAQ may cause serious side effects including slowed heartbeat, inflammation of the lungs (including scarring and thickening), low potassium and magnesium levels in your blood, and changes in kidney function blood tests.

### What are the most common side effects?

The most common side effects when taking MULTAQ include stomach problems such as diarrhea, nausea, vomiting, stomach area pain, and indigestion; feeling tired and weak; skin problems such as redness, rash, and itching. Tell your doctor about any side effect that bothers you or that does not go away.

### Are there other things I should avoid while taking MULTAQ?

Do not drink grapefruit juice while taking MULTAQ, as this can increase the likelihood that you will have a side effect of MULTAQ.

### What else should I tell my doctor?

Tell your doctor about all medications, vitamins, and herbal remedies (including St. John's wort) you take to help avoid serious drug interactions.

### Is it OK to take a diuretic ("water pill") while on MULTAQ?

Your potassium levels should be within the normal range prior to and while taking MULTAQ. Tell your doctor about any diuretic medications ("water pills") you are taking as some can lower the level of potassium or magnesium in your blood.

### Will I need any tests while I'm on MULTAQ?

Your doctor will monitor your heart rhythm regularly to make sure your heartbeat keeps a normal rhythm. Your doctor may perform certain tests, such as heart exams and blood tests, while you're taking MULTAQ.

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[Click here for the MULTAQ Medication Guide \(English\).](#)

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# STAY INFORMED. STAY THE COURSE.



**YOU MAY QUALIFY FOR  
AS LOW AS \$0\* CO-PAY**

Pay as low as \$0 co-pay for each of your next 13 MULTAQ prescription fills. No income restrictions.

**Maximum benefits apply.**

**\*Terms and restrictions apply, see page 5 for details.**



[MULTAQ.com/savings](https://www.multaq.com/savings)

## FILL YOUR MULTAQ PRESCRIPTION IN JUST 4 STEPS

Set yourself up for success at the pharmacy by knowing the process.

- 1** **Activate** for your savings card at [MULTAQ.com](https://www.multaq.com)
- 2** Take your **MULTAQ prescription to the pharmacy**, along with your savings card
- 3** Ask for **MULTAQ by name** when at your pharmacy
- 4** Take **MULTAQ twice a day with meals**

**!** Remember, there is no generic for MULTAQ



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