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FREE trial offer inside

If you have migraine, don't wait.

Ask about MAXALT-MLT orally
disintegrating tablets.



Maxalt-MLT[®]
(rizatriptan benzoate)

Your migraine isn't all in your head

Even though approximately 28 million Americans experience migraine attacks, many nonsufferers think that migraine is nothing more than a bad headache.

But migraine is more. Migraine has varying symptoms beyond just headache, and attacks are often so severe that they can leave you feeling helpless. When migraine occurs, parts of the brain are affected, which may result in symptoms such as:

- Throbbing pain
- Nausea and vomiting
- Extreme sensitivity to light, sound, or both
- Visual disturbances known as aura, experienced by about 15% of patients

The most common type of aura is visual aura, which can include the appearance of flickering lights, wavy lines, blurred vision, and/or other visual symptoms. Importantly, migraine usually affects your ability to function.

Migraine and nausea

Nausea is a common symptom that often comes with the pain of migraine. In fact, as many as 92% of people who suffer from migraine have experienced nausea as part of a migraine attack. And for many, nausea is so severe that potentially it can be as debilitating as the headache itself.

Migraine symptoms can vary from attack to attack and person to person. That's why it is important for you to talk to your health care provider about how you experience migraine. Ask about treatment options that treat both migraine pain and related symptoms.

Help your health care provider help you

The most important step in your search for effective relief is to help your health care provider understand you and your condition.

- Don't be shy about sharing information.
- Tell your health care provider about the location and character of your pain, and about any additional symptoms.
- Make sure to discuss the impact that migraine has on your life and on the people around you.

The more information you provide, the more your health care provider will understand how migraine is affecting you and how well you think your migraine treatment is working.

Please read the Important Safety Information on pages 5 and 6 and Patient Product Information, which is attached to page 7.

There's a treatment option—MAXALT-MLT

There is a treatment option, especially for patients with migraine who find medications difficult to swallow or who suffer an attack someplace where water is not readily available. MAXALT-MLT orally disintegrating tablets dissolve right on your tongue, with or without water, so there is no need to swallow a hard tablet or capsule.

Take the first step at maxalt.com/Info

Go to maxalt.com/Info for

- **Free Trial Offer** — of 3 MAXALT-MLT orally disintegrating tablets*
- **\$20 Savings** — for a qualifying prescription of MAXALT-MLT*
- **Helpful Information** — including a Migraine Diary and a Discussion Guide to help at your next appointment
- **Links to Merck Patient Assistance Programs** — If you have no prescription drug coverage, you may be eligible for free Merck medicines

Don't wait. Ask about MAXALT-MLT.

Even if you are currently being treated for migraine, talk to your health care provider about MAXALT-MLT.

*While available.

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Phenylketonurics: MAXALT-MLT contains phenylalanine. Please read the Patient Product Information, which is attached to page 7.

MAXALT® (rizatriptan benzoate) is a prescription medicine for the treatment of migraine attacks in adults. Only your health care professional can determine if MAXALT is right for you.

Important Safety Information

- You should not take MAXALT if you have uncontrolled high blood pressure, heart disease or history of heart disease, or if you are taking or have taken MAO inhibitors within the last 2 weeks, or are taking certain other medications.
- Tell your doctor about all medications you are taking.
- Talk to your doctor about any history of chest pain, shortness of breath, or stroke.

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Important Safety Information (continued)

- If you have risk factors for heart disease, such as high blood pressure, diabetes, high cholesterol, obesity, smoking, are postmenopausal, or are a male over 40, you should be evaluated by your doctor before taking MAXALT® (rizatriptan benzoate).
- Do not take MAXALT if you are pregnant or nursing.
- As with other drugs in this class, there have been very rare reports of heart attack and stroke generally occurring in patients with risk factors for heart and blood vessel disease.
- In clinical studies with MAXALT, the most common side effects reported were dizziness, sleepiness, tiredness, fatigue, and pain or pressure sensation (eg, in the chest or throat). Ask your doctor to discuss with you the more complete list of side effects reported with MAXALT.

Please read the Patient Product Information attached to the following page and discuss it with your doctor. The physician Prescribing Information is also attached.

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