





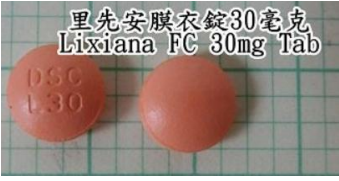
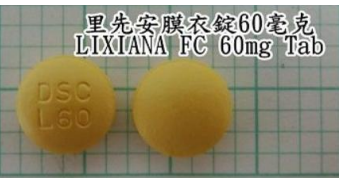






Non-vitamin K Antagonist Oral Anticoagulants Medication Information

Generic Name	Brand Name	Dosage form	Appearance
Rivaroxaban	Xarelto	2.5mg Tablets	
		10mg Tablets	
		15mg Tablets	
		20mg Tablets	
Apixaban	Eliquis	2.5mg Tablets	
		5mg Tablets	
Edoxaban	Lixiana	30mg Tablets	
		60mg Tablets	
Dabigatran	Pradaxa	110mg Capsules	



Dabigatran	Pradaxa	150mg Capsules	
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1. Why do I need this medicine?

- (1) Reduce risk of stroke and systemic embolism in nonvalvular atrial fibrillation.
- (2) Treatment or reduction in the risk of recurrence of deep vein thrombosis(DVT), pulmonary embolism (PE).

2. What information should I know about this medicine?

- (1) Do not use If you have ever been allergic to this drug or excipients.
- (2) If you have a history of peptic ulcer or using other anticoagulants, antiplatelet medications, anti-inflammatory painkillers, or have bleeding symptoms such as: bleeding gums, skin bruises, hematuria.
- (3) If you have renal or liver dysfunction, it may need dosage adjustment.
- (4) Check with your medical doctor before having any dental work or scheduling surgery.
- (5) Using this medicine while you are pregnant can harm your unborn baby. Use an effective form of birth control to keep from getting pregnant during treatment.
- (6) Before surgical intervention, you should consult with your doctor to confirm the number of withdrawal days to reduce the risk of bleeding.

Brand Name	Precautions
Xarelto	This medicine contains lactose and should not be used by people who are lactose intolerant.
Pradaxa	Not to chew or break the capsules before swallowing them and not to open the capsules and take the pellets alone.

3. Possible Side Effects

You may bleed more easily, may bleed longer, and should call your health care



provider for any signs or symptoms of bleeding. If the symptoms are severe and do not improve, please inform your doctor or pharmacist.

Brand Name	Side Effects
Xarelto	Anemia, gastrointestinal discomfort, diarrhea, constipation, gastrointestinal bleeding, bruising, epistaxis.
Pradaxa	Indigestion (including epigastric pain, abdominal discomfort, etc.), gastrointestinal ulcer, esophagitis, increased chance of bleeding.

4. What to do if you forget to take your medicine

- If you find that you have forgotten to take the medicine, please take it immediately, but if you think about it the next day, you only need to take the dose instructed by the doctor on the day, please do not take double dose, because it is easy to cause bleeding.
- If you forget to take the medicine for two or more days, please contact us immediately.

※Please consult your doctor or pharmacist if you have any questions.

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