

DESIGNED TO PREVENT MIGRAINE[^]

AQUIPTA is a simple once-daily tablet that works fast to prevent migraine.^1,2





AQUIPTA is a prescription medicine used to prevent migraine in patients who have at least 4 migraine days per month.¹

^In 3-month clinical studies, AQUIPTA significantly reduced monthly migraine days.¹ In a clinical study, 87.7% of patients who received AQUIPTA 60 mg did not have a migraine on day 1 after the first dose compared to 74.8% on placebo.²

A booklet for people prescribed AQUIPTA for the prevention of migraine.

AQUIPTA is an unfunded medicine available with a valid prescription. You will need to pay for this medicine. Normal doctor's charges apply.

MIGRAINE IS MORE THAN A HEADACHE

Migraine is a disabling neurological condition that is estimated to affect **1 in 7 globally**, making it one of the leading causes of disability worldwide.³

MIGRAINE CAN INCLUDE SYMPTOMS SUCH AS:3

- Nausea
- Vomiting
- Fatigue
- Dizziness
- Brain fog
 - Visual disturbances
 - Pain (neck and shoulders)

Difficulties with speech

- Numbness and tingling (face or limbs)
- Skin sensitivity
- Light sensitivity
- Sensitivity to sound



MIGRAINE IN NEW ZEALAND

About 750K people live with migraine in New Zealand³

HIGHER PREVALANCE IN WOMEN

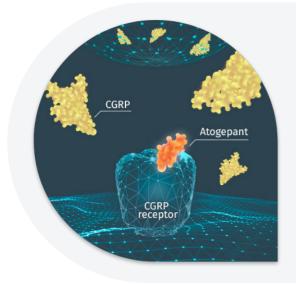
Migraine affects 3x as many women as men³



WHAT CAUSES A MIGRAINE ATTACK?1,4,5

While research into the exact mechanism that causes migraine is ongoing, a protein called calcitonin gene-related peptide, or CGRP is known to play a role.

During a migraine attack, CGRP levels increase and bind to CGRP receptors resulting in pain and inflammation.



HOW DOES AQUIPTA WORK WITHIN YOUR BODY?^{1,4-6}

AQUIPTA (ATOGEPANT) IS DESIGNED TO BLOCK CGRP.

AQUIPTA was specifically designed to prevent migraine attacks by directly targeting the CGRP receptor and blocking CGRP from binding to stop migraine-related pain and inflammation.

WHY AQUIPTA FOR MIGRAINE TREATMENT?

MIGRAINE ATTACKS DON'T HAVE TO TAKE OVER YOUR DAILY ROUTINE

With AQUIPTA, migraine-free days are possible.1

PREVENT MIGRAINE ATTACKS

THE PREVENTIVE POWER OF AQUIPTA:



Works fast to prevent migraine attacks²



Keeps migraine attacks away^{1,2}



Fewer monthly migraine days¹



FEWER EPISODIC MIGRAINE DAYS

Patients who took AQUIPTA experienced a greater reduction in mean monthly migraine days (MMDs) compared to placebo (4.1 fewer MMDs with AQUIPTA compared to 2.5 fewer MMDs with placebo).



FEWER CHRONIC MIGRAINE DAYS

Patients who took AQUIPTA experienced a greater reduction in mean monthly migraine days (MMDs) compared to placebo (6.8 fewer MMDs with AQUIPTA compared to 5.1 fewer MMDs with placebo).¹



Once-daily tablet



Approved for use in adults experiencing at least 4 migraines per month



Few side effects#

*AQUIPTA® is generally well-tolerated with few side effects reported with 60 mg once daily over 12 weeks. The most commonly reported adverse drug reactions were nausea, constipation, and fatigue/sleepiness. The majority of the cases were mild, and none were serious. Hypersensitivity reactions, including anaphylaxis, dyspnea, rash, pruritus, urticaria, and facial edema, have been reported with use of AQUIPTA®. Hypersensitivity reactions can occur days after administration.¹

Episodic migraine is defined as 4–14 days per month.¹ Chronic migraine is defined as ≥15 headache days per month with ≥8 migraine days.¹



SIDE EFFECTS

Like all medicines, this medicine can cause side effects, although not everybody gets them.

The most common side effects with AQUIPTA are:

- feeling sick in your stomach (nausea)
- constipation
- decreased appetite
- tiredness
- drowsiness/sleepiness

For the full list of side effects and restrictions with AQUIPTA, scan the QR code below to access the Consumer Medicine Information.



SCAN HERE TO ACCESS THE CONSUMER MEDICINE INFORMATION

Signs of serious allergic reaction:

- difficulty breathing or swallowing
- swelling of face, lips, tongue, or throat
- itching of skin, with a red rash or raised bumps

CALL 111 OR GO STRAIGHT TO THE EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT AT YOUR NEAREST HOSPITAL IF YOU NOTICE ANY OF THESE SERIOUS SIDE EFFECTS.

DO NOT USE AQUIPTA:

- if you are allergic to atogepant or any of the other ingredients of AQUIPTA.
- after the expiry date printed on the pack or if the blister pack is damaged or shows signs of tampering.
 If it is expired or is damaged, return it to your pharmacist for disposal.

TAKING AQUIPTA

CHECK WITH YOUR DOCTOR IF YOU:

- have allergies to any other medicines, foods, preservatives or dyes
- have any liver or kidney problems
- take any medicines for any other condition

OTHER MEDICINES AND AQUIPTA

AQUIPTA may affect the way other medicines work, and other medicines may affect how AQUIPTA works or increase the risk of experiencing side effects. Tell your healthcare provider about all the medicines you take including prescription and over-the-counter medicines, vitamins and supplements.

The following is a list of examples of medicines that may interact with AQUIPTA:

- medicines used to treat infections (e.g., ketoconazole, itraconazole, clarithromycin, rifampicin)
- medicines that affect your immune system (e.g., cyclosporine)

If any of the above apply to you or you are not sure, talk to your doctor or pharmacist before taking AQUIPTA.

CHILDREN AND ADOLESCENTS

Do not give this medicine to children or adolescents (under 18 years old) because the use of AQUIPTA has not been studied in this age group.

PREGNANCY, BREASTFEEDING AND FERTILITY

- AQUIPTA is not recommended during pregnancy.
- It is not known if AQUIPTA will harm an unborn baby.
- It is not known if AQUIPTA passes into breast milk.

Check with your doctor if you are pregnant, breastfeeding, or intend to become pregnant.

DRIVING AND USING MACHINES

It is unlikely that AQUIPTA will have an effect on your ability to drive and use machines.

IF YOU FORGET TO TAKE AQUIPTA

A missed dose should be taken straight away. If it is almost time for your next dose, skip the dose you missed and take your next dose when you are meant to. Do not take a double dose to make up for the dose you missed.





Taken once dailyTablet should be swallowed whole



Store it in a cool dry place, below 25°C, away from moisture, heat or sunlight



Taken with or without food¹

NOTE: Keep this medicine out of the sight and reach of children. Do not use this medicine after the expiry date which is stated on the carton and blister after EXP. The expiry date refers to the last day of that month. Do not throw away any medicines via wastewater or household waste. Ask your pharmacist how to throw away medicines you no longer use. These measures will help to protect the environment.



HOW TO ACCESS AQUIPTA: FAQs

HOW DO I ACCESS AOUIPTA?

AQUIPTA is available for private purchase in New Zealand with a valid prescription from your General Practitioner (GP) or Specialist.

An access program has been established with Airport Oaks Pharmacy to make AQUIPTA available at a discounted price to patients. Airport Oaks Pharmacy can courier AQUIPTA anywhere in New Zealand. AbbVie reserves the right to cease providing the access program with reasonable notice being provided.

Outside of the access program, AQUIPTA is also available to purchase with prescription from any other pharmacy. It is suggested you check the price with the pharmacy before proceeding as prices may vary.

It is recommended you check with your chosen pharmacy how many days to allow for AQUIPTA to arrive.

AQUIPTA is not currently funded by Pharmac. A funding application has been submitted to Pharmac, however there are no definite timelines on when or if a decision will be made by Pharmac to fund AQUIPTA.

WHAT IS THE PRICE OF AQUIPTA?

As part of the access program, the maximum price charged for AQUIPTA from Airport Oaks Pharmacy will be NZ\$352.82 (inclusive of GST) for 60 mg x 28 tablet pack (28 days' supply).

If AQUIPTA needs to be couriered to you, Airport Oaks Pharmacy uses NZ Post as their courier. A standard metropolitan delivery fee of \$5.75 will be charged in addition to the cost for AQUIPTA. If rural delivery is required, an additional \$6.90 fee will also be charged on top of the standard metropolitan delivery fee. These courier prices are effective as of September 2024 but are subject to change based on NZ Post pricing.

Outside of the access program, AQUIPTA is also available for purchase with a prescription from any other pharmacy. It is suggested you check the price with the selected pharmacy before proceeding as prices may vary. If you have health insurance that may cover the cost of medicines, it is recommended you discuss with your provider to understand and confirm if the cost of AQUIPTA would be covered under your policy.

WHY IS THE DISCOUNTED PRICE ONLY AVAILABLE AT ONE PHARMACY?

An access program has been established with Airport Oaks Pharmacy to make AQUIPTA available at a discounted price. Following a closed request for information process, Airport Oaks Pharmacy was selected as the most suitable pharmacy to participate in the access program. Airport Oaks Pharmacy can courier AQUIPTA anywhere in New Zealand.

This access program may be extended to other pharmacies, subject to them being able to meet certain criteria and signing up to the relevant terms and conditions for the access program. Please refer to the website abbv.ie/nz-aquipta-info for the most up to date information on pharmacies included in the access program. If a pharmacy wants to enquire about the access program, they should contact AbbVie on 0800 900 030.

WHAT IS THE PROCESS FOR ACCESSING AQUIPTA AT AIRPORT OAKS PHARMACY?

Once your GP or Specialist has prescribed AQUIPTA, ask them to send the e-script to Airport Oaks Pharmacy. Airport Oaks Pharmacy will call you to arrange payment for AQUIPTA.

There are several payment options available. Once payment is received, you can collect AQUIPTA from Airport Oaks Pharmacy or it can be couriered to your chosen address. It is recommended you check with Airport Oaks Pharmacy how many days it will take for AQUIPTA to arrive.

WHAT IS THE PROCESS FOR ACCESSING AQUIPTA AT ANY OTHER PHARMACY (INCLUDING YOUR LOCAL PHARMACY)?

Once your GP or Specialist has prescribed AQUIPTA, ask them to send the e-script to your selected pharmacy.

It is suggested you confirm with the selected pharmacy the cost of AQUIPTA and how long it will take to get the medicine before proceeding.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT AQUIPTA

AQUIPTA is a prescription medicine containing atogepant. AQUIPTA is available as tablets containing 60 mg of atogepant. It is used to prevent migraine in patients who have at least 4 migraine days per month.

AQUIPTA HAS RISKS AND BENEFITS.

<u>Do not use AQUIPTA if you have</u> ever had an allergic reaction to atogepant or any of the ingredients.

Before you use AQUIPTA tell your doctor if you have: allergies to any medicines, foods, preservatives or dyes; have any liver or kidney problems; take any medicines for any other condition; are pregnant or plan on becoming pregnant; or are breastfeeding or plan to breastfeed.

<u>Tell your doctor straight away if</u> you become pregnant while taking AQUIPTA.

Go straight to the Emergency Department of your nearest hospital if you notice any signs of serious allergic reaction including difficulty breathing; swelling of the face; itching red rash or hives.

Tell your doctor and other healthcare professionals if you are taking any other medicines, including any medicines, vitamins or supplements that you buy without a prescription from your pharmacy, supermarket or health food shop. Some medicines may affect how AQUIPTA works or may increase the risk of getting side effects.

Common side effects: Tell your doctor if you experience any side effects that make you feel unwell. Common side effects of AQUIPTA include decreased appetite, nausea, constipation, drowsiness (sleepiness) and tiredness.

If you have any questions about using AQUIPTA, including the risks and benefits, how much to use, how and when to use it, or the storage conditions, ask your healthcare professional and refer to the Consumer Medicine Information (CMI) available from https://abbv.ie/nz-aqui-cmi or freephone 0800 900 030. Ask your doctor if AQUIPTA is right for you. Use strictly as directed. If symptoms continue, or you have side effects, see your doctor, pharmacist or healthcare professional.

AQUIPTA is an unfunded medicine. You will need to pay the full cost of this medicine. Normal pharmacy and doctor's charges will apply.

Abbreviations: CGRP, calcitonin gene-related peptide; MMDs: monthly migraine days.

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