

## **PACKAGE LEAFLET: INFORMATION FOR THE USER**

### **Atorcor 10 mg film-coated tablets**

Atorvastatin

#### **Read all of this leaflet carefully before you start taking this medicine.**

- Keep this leaflet. You may need to read it again.
- If you have any further questions, ask your doctor or pharmacist.
- This medicine has been prescribed for you. Do not pass it on to others. It may harm them, even if their symptoms are the same as yours.
- If any of the side effects gets serious, or if you notice any side effects not listed in this leaflet, please tell your doctor or pharmacist.

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#### **1. What Atorcor is and what it is used for**

Atorcor belongs to a group of medicines known as statins, which are lipid (fat) regulating medicines. Atorcor is used to lower lipids known as cholesterol and triglycerides in the blood when a low fat diet and life style changes on their own have failed. If you are at an increased risk of heart disease, Atorcor can also be used to reduce such risk even if your cholesterol levels are normal. You should maintain a standard cholesterol lowering diet during treatment.

#### **2. Before you take Atorcor**

##### **Do not take Atorcor**

- if you are taking or have taken in the last 7 days a medicine called fusidic acid, (a medicine for bacterial infection) orally or by injection. The combination of fusidic acid and Atorcor can lead to serious muscle problems (rhabdomyolysis).
- if you are hypersensitive (allergic) to Atorcor or to any similar medicines used to lower blood lipids or to any of the other ingredients of the medicine – see Section 6 for details.
- if you have or have ever had a disease which affects the liver
- if you have had any unexplained abnormal blood tests for liver function
- if you are a woman able to have children and not using reliable contraception
- if you are pregnant or trying to become pregnant
- if you are breast-feeding.

##### **Take special care with Atorcor**

The following are reasons why Atorcor may not be suitable for you:

- if you have had a previous stroke with bleeding into the brain, or have small pockets of fluid in the brain from previous strokes
- if you have kidney problems

- if you have an under-active thyroid gland (hypothyroidism)
- if you have had repeated or unexplained muscle aches or pains, a personal history or family history of muscle problems
- if you have had previous muscular problems during treatment with other lipid-lowering medicines (e.g. other ‘-statin’ or ‘-fibrate’ medicines)
- if you regularly drink a large amount of alcohol
- if you have a history of liver disease
- if you are older than 70 years.

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- if you have severe respiratory failure.

If any of these apply to you, your doctor will need to carry out a blood test before and possibly during your Atorcor treatment to predict your risk of muscle related side effects. The risk of muscle related side effects e.g rhabdomyolysis is known to increase when certain medicines are taken at the same time (see Section 2 “Taking other medicines”).

Also tell your doctor or pharmacist if you have a muscle weakness that is constant. Additional tests and medicines may be needed to diagnose and treat this.

While you are on this medicine your doctor will monitor you closely if you have diabetes or are at risk of developing diabetes. You are likely to be at risk of developing diabetes if you have high levels of sugars and fats in your blood, are overweight and have high blood pressure.

### **Taking other medicines**

There are some medicines that may change the effect of Atorcor or their effect may be changed by Atorcor. This type of interaction could make one or both of the medicines less effective.

Alternatively it could increase the risk or severity of side-effects, including the important muscle wasting condition known as rhabdomyolysis described in Section 4:

- Medicines used to alter the way your immune system works, e.g. ciclosporin
- Certain antibiotics or antifungal medicines, e.g. erythromycin, clarithromycin, telithromycin, ketoconazole, itraconazole, voriconazole, fluconazole, posaconazole, rifampin, fusidic acid
- Other medicines to regulate lipid levels, e.g. gemfibrozil, other fibrates, colestipol
- Some calcium channel blockers used for angina or high blood pressure, e.g. amlodipine, diltiazem,; medicines to regulate your heart rhythm e.g. digoxin, verapamil, amiodarone
- Medicines used in the treatment of HIV e.g. ritonavir, lopinavir, atazanavir, indinavir, darunavir, the combination of tipranavir/ritonavir, etc.
- Some medicines used in the treatment of hepatitis C e.g. telaprevir
- Other medicines known to interact with Atorcor include ezetimibe (which lowers cholesterol), warfarin (which reduces blood clotting), oral contraceptives, stiripentol (an anti-convulsant for epilepsy), cimetidine (used for heartburn and peptic ulcers), phenazone (a painkiller), colchicine (used to treat gout), antacids (indigestion products containing aluminium or magnesium) and boceprevir (used to treat liver disease such as hepatitis C)
- Medicines obtained without a prescription: St John’s Wort
- If you need to take oral fusidic acid to treat a bacterial infection you will need to temporarily stop using this medicine. Your doctor will tell you when it is safe to restart Atorcor. Taking Atorcor with fusidic acid may rarely lead to muscle weakness, tenderness or pain (rhabdomyolysis). See more information regarding rhabdomyolysis in section 4.

Please tell your doctor or pharmacist if you are taking or have recently taken any other

medicines, including medicines obtained without a prescription.

### **Taking Atorcor with food and drink**

See Section 3 for instructions on how to take Atorcor. Please note the following:

#### *Grapefruit juice*

Do not take more than one or two small glasses of grapefruit juice per day because large quantities of grapefruit juice can change the effects of Atorcor.

#### *Alcohol*

Avoid drinking too much alcohol while taking this medicine. See Section 2 “Take special care with Atorcor” for details

### **Pregnancy and breast-feeding**

Do not take Atorcor if you are pregnant, or if you are trying to become pregnant.

Do not take Atorcor if you are able to become pregnant unless you use reliable contraceptive measures. Do not take Atorcor if you are breast-feeding.

The safety of Atorcor during pregnancy and breast-feeding has not yet been proven. Ask your doctor or pharmacist for advice before taking any medicine.

### **Driving and using machines**

Normally this medicine does not affect your ability to drive or operate machines. However, do not drive if this medicine affects your ability to drive. Do not use any tools or machines if your ability to use them is affected by this medicine.

### **Important information about some of the ingredients of Atorcor**

This medicine contains lactose and sucrose. If you have been told by your doctor that you have an intolerance to some sugars, contact your doctor before taking this medicine.

## **3. How to take Atorcor**

Before starting treatment, your doctor will place you on a low-cholesterol diet, which you should maintain also during therapy with Atorcor.

The usual starting dose of Atorcor is 10 mg once a day in adults and children aged 10 years or older. This may be increased if necessary by your doctor until you are taking the amount you need. Your doctor will adapt the dose at intervals of 4 weeks or more. The maximum dose of Atorcor is 80 mg once daily for adults and 20 mg once daily for children.

Atorcor tablets should be swallowed whole with a drink of water, and can be taken at any time of day, with or without food. However, try to take your tablet at the same time every day.

Always take Atorcor exactly as your doctor has told you. You should check with your doctor or pharmacist if you are not sure.

### **The duration of treatment with Atorcor is determined by your doctor.**

Please ask your doctor if you think that the effect of Atorcor is too strong or too weak.

### **If you take more Atorcor than you should**

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**If you stop taking Atorcor**

If you have any further questions on the use of this medicine or wish to stop your treatment, ask your doctor or pharmacist.

**4. Possible side effects**

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**If you experience any of the following serious side effects, stop taking your tablets and tell your doctor immediately or go to the nearest hospital accident and emergency department.**

Rare: affects 1 to 10 users in 10,000:

- Serious allergic reaction which causes swelling of the face, tongue and throat that can cause great difficulty in breathing.
- Serious illness with severe peeling and swelling of the skin, blistering of the skin, mouth, eyes genitals and fever. Skin rash with pink-red blotches especially on palms of hands or soles of feet which may blister.
- Muscle weakness, tenderness or pain and particularly, if at the same time, you feel unwell or have a high temperature it may be caused by an abnormal muscle breakdown. The abnormal muscle breakdown does not always go away, even after you have stopped taking atorvastatin, and it can be life-threatening and lead to kidney problems.

Very rare: affect less than 1 user in 10,000:

- If you experience problems with unexpected or unusual bleeding or bruising, this may be suggestive of a liver complaint. You should consult your doctor as soon as possible.

**Other possible side effects with Atorcor:**

Common side effects (affects 1 to 10 users in 100) include:

- inflammation of the nasal passages, pain in the throat, nose bleed
- allergic reactions
- increases in blood sugar levels (if you have diabetes continue careful monitoring of your blood sugar levels), increase in blood creatine kinase
- headache
- nausea, constipation, wind, indigestion, diarrhoea
- joint pain, muscle pain and back pain
- blood test results that show your liver function can become abnormal

Uncommon side effects (affects 1 to 10 users in 1000) include:

- anorexia (loss of appetite), weight gain, decreases in blood sugar levels (if you have diabetes you should continue careful monitoring of your blood sugar levels)
- having nightmares, insomnia
- dizziness, numbness or tingling in the fingers and toes, reductions of sensation to

- pain or touch, change in sense of taste, loss of memory
- blurred vision
- ringing in the ears and/or head
- vomiting, belching, abdominal pain upper and lower, pancreatitis (inflammation of the pancreas leading to stomach pain)
- hepatitis (liver inflammation)
- rash, skin rash and itching, hives, hair loss
- neck pain, muscle fatigue
- fatigue, feeling unwell, weakness, chest pain, swelling especially in the ankles (oedema), raised temperature
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- visual disturbance
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- cholestasis (yellowing of the skin and whites of the eyes)
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- hearing loss
- gynecomastia (breast enlargement in men and women).

Side effects of unknown frequency:

- Muscle weakness that is constant.

Possible side effects reported with some statins (medicines of the same type):

- Sleep disturbance including insomnia and nightmares.
- Memory loss
- Sexual dysfunction
- Depression
- Breathing problems including persistent cough and/or shortness of breath or fever
- Diabetes. This is more likely if you have high levels of sugars and fats in your blood, are overweight and have high blood pressure. Your doctor will monitor you while you are taking this medicine.

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## **5. How to store Atorcor**

Keep out of the reach and sight of children.

Do not store above 25 °C.

Do not use Atorcor after the expiry date which is stated on the container and outer packaging after "EXP". The expiry date refers to the last day of that month.

Do not use this medicine if you notice visible signs of deterioration

Do not throw away any medicine via wastewater or household waste. Medicines should not be disposed of via wastewater or household waste. Ask your pharmacist how to dispose of medicines no longer use. These measures will help to protect the environment.

## **6. Further information**

### **What Atorcor 10 mg contains**

The active substance is atorvastatin calcium.  
Each tablet contains 10 mg of atorvastatin.

The other ingredients are:

- Lactose monohydrate
- Magnesium stearate
- Sodium laurylsulfate
- Microcrystalline cellulose
- Colloidal anhydrous silica
- Butylhydroxyanisol
- Crospovidone
- Sodium hydrogen carbonate
- Sucrose
- Sorbitan tristearate
- Macrogol stearate 40
- Dimethicone
- 2-bromo-2-nitropropane-1,3-diol
- Hypromellose
- Titanium dioxide
- Macrogol 4000

### **What Atorcor 10 mg looks like and contents of the pack**

Film-coated tablets.

Cylindrical, biconvex, scored, fractionable and with code AT1 on one side white-coloured tablets.

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### **Other packaging configurations:**

**Atorcor 20 mg film-coated tablets**

**Atorcor 40 mg film-coated tablets**

**Atorcor 80 mg film-coated tablets**

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- Medicament is a product which affects your health and its consumption contrary to instructions is dangerous for you.
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- The doctor and the pharmacist are the experts in medicines, their benefits and risks.
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See Section 3 for instructions on how to take Atorcor. Please note the following:

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Very rare: affect less than 1 user in 10,000:

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### **Other possible side effects with Atorcor:**

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If any of these apply to you, your doctor will need to carry out a blood test before and possibly during your Atorcor treatment to predict your risk of muscle related side effects. The risk of muscle related side effects e.g rhabdomyolysis is known to increase when certain medicines are taken at the same time (see Section 2 “Taking other medicines”).

Also tell your doctor or pharmacist if you have a muscle weakness that is constant. Additional tests and medicines may be needed to diagnose and treat this.

While you are on this medicine your doctor will monitor you closely if you have diabetes or are at risk of developing diabetes. You are likely to be at risk of developing diabetes if you have high levels of sugars and fats in your blood, are overweight and have high blood pressure.

### **Taking other medicines**

There are some medicines that may change the effect of Atorcor or their effect may be changed by Atorcor. This type of interaction could make one or both of the medicines less effective. Alternatively it could increase the risk or severity of side-effects, including the important muscle wasting condition known as rhabdomyolysis described in Section 4:

- Medicines used to alter the way your immune system works, e.g. ciclosporin
- Certain antibiotics or antifungal medicines, e.g. erythromycin, clarithromycin, telithromycin, ketoconazole, itraconazole, voriconazole, fluconazole, posaconazole, rifampin, fusidic acid
- Other medicines to regulate lipid levels, e.g. gemfibrozil, other fibrates, colestipol
- Some calcium channel blockers used for angina or high blood pressure, e.g. amlodipine, diltiazem,; medicines to regulate your heart rhythm e.g. digoxin, verapamil, amiodarone
- Medicines used in the treatment of HIV e.g. ritonavir, lopinavir, atazanavir, indinavir, darunavir, the combination of tipranavir/ritonavir etc.
- Some medicines used in the treatment of hepatitis C e.g. telaprevir
- Other medicines known to interact with Atorcor include ezetimibe (which lowers cholesterol), warfarin (which reduces blood clotting), oral contraceptives, stiripentol (an anti-convulsant for epilepsy), cimetidine (used for heartburn and peptic ulcers), phenazone (a painkiller), colchicine (used to treat gout), antacids (indigestion products containing aluminium or magnesium) and boceprevir (used to treat liver disease such as hepatitis C)
- Medicines obtained without a prescription: St John’s Wort
- If you need to take oral fusidic acid to treat a bacterial infection you will need to temporarily stop using this medicine. Your doctor will tell you when it is safe to restart Atorcor. Taking Atorcor with fusidic acid may rarely lead to muscle weakness, tenderness or pain (rhabdomyolysis). See more information regarding rhabdomyolysis in section 4.

Please tell your doctor or pharmacist if you are taking or have recently taken any other



medicines, including medicines obtained without a prescription.

### **Taking Atorcor with food and drink**

See Section 3 for instructions on how to take Atorcor. Please note the following:

#### *Grapefruit juice*

Do not take more than one or two small glasses of grapefruit juice per day because large quantities of grapefruit juice can change the effects of Atorcor.

#### *Alcohol*

Avoid drinking too much alcohol while taking this medicine. See Section 2 “Take special care with Atorcor” for details

### **Pregnancy and breast-feeding**

Do not take Atorcor if you are pregnant, or if you are trying to become pregnant.

Do not take Atorcor if you are able to become pregnant unless you use reliable contraceptive measures. Do not take Atorcor if you are breast-feeding.

The safety of Atorcor during pregnancy and breast-feeding has not yet been proven. Ask your doctor or pharmacist for advice before taking any medicine.

### **Driving and using machines**

Normally this medicine does not affect your ability to drive or operate machines. However, do not drive if this medicine affects your ability to drive. Do not use any tools or machines if your ability to use them is affected by this medicine.

### **Important information about some of the ingredients of Atorcor**

This medicine contains lactose and sucrose. If you have been told by your doctor that you have an intolerance to some sugars, contact your doctor before taking this medicine.

## **3. How to take Atorcor**

Before starting treatment, your doctor will place you on a low-cholesterol diet, which you should maintain also during therapy with Atorcor.

The usual starting dose of Atorcor is 10 mg once a day in adults and children aged 10 years or older. This may be increased if necessary by your doctor until you are taking the amount you need. Your doctor will adapt the dose at intervals of 4 weeks or more. The maximum dose of Atorcor is 80 mg once daily for adults and 20 mg once daily for children.

Atorcor tablets should be swallowed whole with a drink of water, and can be taken at any time of day, with or without food. However, try to take your tablet at the same time every day.

Always take Atorcor exactly as your doctor has told you. You should check with your doctor or pharmacist if you are not sure.

### **The duration of treatment with Atorcor is determined by your doctor.**

Please ask your doctor if you think that the effect of Atorcor is too strong or too weak.

### **If you take more Atorcor than you should**

If you accidentally take too many Atorcor tablets (more than your usual daily dose), contact your

doctor or nearest hospital for advice.

**If you forget to take Atorcor**

If you forget to take a dose, just take your next scheduled dose at the correct time. Do not take a double dose to make up for a forgotten dose.

**If you stop taking Atorcor**

If you have any further questions on the use of this medicine or wish to stop your treatment, ask your doctor or pharmacist.

**4. Possible side effects**

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

**If you experience any of the following serious side effects, stop taking your tablets and tell your doctor immediately or go to the nearest hospital accident and emergency department.**

Rare: affects 1 to 10 users in 10,000:

- Serious allergic reaction which causes swelling of the face, tongue and throat that can cause great difficulty in breathing.
- Serious illness with severe peeling and swelling of the skin, blistering of the skin, mouth, eyes genitals and fever. Skin rash with pink-red blotches especially on palms of hands or soles of feet which may blister.
- Muscle weakness, tenderness or pain and particularly, if at the same time, you feel unwell or have a high temperature it may be caused by an abnormal muscle breakdown. The abnormal muscle breakdown does not always go away, even after you have stopped taking atorvastatin, and it can be life-threatening and lead to kidney problems.

Very rare: affect less than 1 user in 10,000:

- If you experience problems with unexpected or unusual bleeding or bruising, this may be suggestive of a liver complaint. You should consult your doctor as soon as possible.

**Other possible side effects with Atorcor:**

Common side effects (affects 1 to 10 users in 100) include:

- inflammation of the nasal passages, pain in the throat, nose bleed
- allergic reactions
- increases in blood sugar levels (if you have diabetes continue careful monitoring of your blood sugar levels), increase in blood creatine kinase
- headache
- nausea, constipation, wind, indigestion, diarrhoea
- joint pain, muscle pain and back pain
- blood test results that show your liver function can become abnormal

Uncommon side effects (affects 1 to 10 users in 1000) include:

- anorexia (loss of appetite), weight gain, decreases in blood sugar levels (if you have diabetes you should continue careful monitoring of your blood sugar levels)

- having nightmares, insomnia
- dizziness, numbness or tingling in the fingers and toes, reductions of sensation to pain or touch, change in sense of taste, loss of memory
- blurred vision
- ringing in the ears and/or head
- vomiting, belching, abdominal pain upper and lower, pancreatitis (inflammation of the pancreas leading to stomach pain)
- hepatitis (liver inflammation)
- rash, skin rash and itching, hives, hair loss
- neck pain, muscle fatigue
- fatigue, feeling unwell, weakness, chest pain, swelling especially in the ankles (oedema), raised temperature
- urine tests that are positive for white blood cells

Rare side effects (affects 1 to 10 users in 10,000) include:

- visual disturbance
- unexpected bleeding or bruising
- cholestasis (yellowing of the skin and whites of the eyes)
- tendon injury

Very rare side effects (affects less than 1 user in 10,000) include:

- an allergic reaction - symptoms may include sudden wheezing and chest pain or tightness, swelling of the eyelids, face, lips, mouth, tongue or throat, difficulty breathing, collapse
- hearing loss
- gynecomastia (breast enlargement in men and women).

Side effects of unknown frequency:

- Muscle weakness that is constant.

Possible side effects reported with some statins (medicines of the same type):

- Sleep disturbance including insomnia and nightmares.
- Memory loss
- Sexual dysfunction
- Depression
- Breathing problems including persistent cough and/or shortness of breath or fever
- Diabetes. This is more likely if you have high levels of sugars and fats in your blood, are overweight and have high blood pressure. Your doctor will monitor you while you are taking this medicine.

If any of the side effects gets serious, or if you notice any side effects not listed in this leaflet, please tell your doctor or pharmacist.

## **5. How to store Atorcor**

Keep out of the reach and sight of children.

Do not store above 25 °C.

Do not use Atorcor after the expiry date which is stated on the container and outer packaging

after “EXP”. The expiry date refers to the last day of that month.

Do not use this medicine if you notice visible signs of deterioration

Do not throw away any medicine via wastewater or household waste.

Medicines should not be disposed of via wastewater or household waste. Ask your pharmacist how to dispose of medicines no longer use. These measures will help to protect the environment.

## **6. Further information**

### **What Atorcor 40 mg contains**

The active substance is atorvastatin calcium.

Each tablet contains 40 mg of atorvastatin.

The other ingredients are:

- Lactose monohydrate
- Magnesium stearate
- Sodium laurylsulfate
- Microcrystalline cellulose
- Colloidal anhydrous silica
- Butylhydroxyanisol
- Crospovidone
- Sodium hydrogen carbonate
- Sucrose
- Sorbitan tristearate
- Macrogol stearate 40
- Dimethicone
- 2-bromo-2-nitropropane-1.3-diol
- Hypromellose
- Titanium dioxide
- Macrogol 4000

### **What Atorcor 40 mg looks like and contents of the pack**

Film-coated tablets.

Cylindrical, biconvex, scored, fractionable and with code AT4 on one side white-coloured tablets.

Atorcor 40 mg is supplied in packages containing 28 tablets, in 7-tablets blister packs.

### **Marketing Authorisation Holder and Manufacturer**

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Olaz-Chipi, 10 – Polígono Industrial Areta

31620 Huarte – Pamplona (Navarra) – Spain

### **Other packaging configurations:**

**Atorcor 10 mg film-coated tablets**

**Atorcor 20 mg film-coated tablets**

**Atorcor 80 mg film-coated tablets**

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**This is a medicament**

- Medicament is a product which affects your health and its consumption contrary to instructions is dangerous for you.
- Follow strictly the doctor's prescription, the method of use and the instructions of the pharmacist who sold the medicament.
- The doctor and the pharmacist are the experts in medicines, their benefits and risks.
- Do not by yourself interrupt the period of treatment prescribed for you.-
- Do not repeat the same prescription without consulting your doctor.
- Keep all medicaments out of reach of children

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## **PACKAGE LEAFLET: INFORMATION FOR THE USER**

### **Atorcor 80 mg film-coated tablets**

Atorvastatin

#### **Read all of this leaflet carefully before you start taking this medicine.**

- Keep this leaflet. You may need to read it again.
- If you have any further questions, ask your doctor or pharmacist.
- This medicine has been prescribed for you. Do not pass it on to others. It may harm them, even if their symptoms are the same as yours.
- If any of the side effects gets serious, or if you notice any side effects not listed in this leaflet, please tell your doctor or pharmacist.

#### **In this leaflet:**

1. What Atorcor is and what it is used for
2. Before you take Atorcor
3. How to take Atorcor
4. Possible side effects
5. How to store Atorcor
6. Further information

#### **1. What Atorcor is and what it is used for**

Atorcor belongs to a group of medicines known as statins, which are lipid (fat) regulating medicines. Atorcor is used to lower lipids known as cholesterol and triglycerides in the blood when a low fat diet and life style changes on their own have failed. If you are at an increased risk of heart disease, Atorcor can also be used to reduce such risk even if your cholesterol levels are normal. You should maintain a standard cholesterol lowering diet during treatment.

#### **2. Before you take Atorcor**

#### **Do not take Atorcor**

- if you are taking or have taken in the last 7 days a medicine called fusidic acid, (a medicine for bacterial infection) orally or by injection. The combination of fusidic acid and Atorcor can lead to serious muscle problems (rhabdomyolysis).
- if you are hypersensitive (allergic) to Atorcor or to any similar medicines used to lower blood lipids or to any of the other ingredients of the medicine – see Section 6 for details.
- if you have or have ever had a disease which affects the liver
- if you have had any unexplained abnormal blood tests for liver function
- if you are a woman able to have children and not using reliable contraception
- if you are pregnant or trying to become pregnant
- if you are breast-feeding.

#### **Take special care with Atorcor**

The following are reasons why Atorcor may not be suitable for you:

- if you have had a previous stroke with bleeding into the brain, or have small pockets of fluid in the brain from previous strokes
- if you have kidney problems
- if you have an under-active thyroid gland (hypothyroidism)
- if you have had repeated or unexplained muscle aches or pains, a personal history or family history of muscle problems
- if you have had previous muscular problems during treatment with other lipid-lowering medicines (e.g. other ‘-statin’ or ‘-fibrate’ medicines)
- if you regularly drink a large amount of alcohol
- if you have a history of liver disease
- if you are older than 70 years.

**Check with your doctor or pharmacist before taking Atorcor**

- if you have severe respiratory failure.

If any of these apply to you, your doctor will need to carry out a blood test before and possibly during your Atorcor treatment to predict your risk of muscle related side effects. The risk of muscle related side effects e.g rhabdomyolysis is known to increase when certain medicines are taken at the same time – (see Section 2 “Taking other medicines”).

Also tell your doctor or pharmacist if you have a muscle weakness that is constant. Additional tests and medicines may be needed to diagnose and treat this.

While you are on this medicine your doctor will monitor you closely if you have diabetes or are at risk of developing diabetes. You are likely to be at risk of developing diabetes if you have high levels of sugars and fats in your blood, are overweight and have high blood pressure.

**Taking other medicines**

There are some medicines that may change the effect of Atorcor or their effect may be changed by Atorcor. This type of interaction could make one or both of the medicines less effective. Alternatively it could increase the risk or severity of side-effects, including the important muscle wasting condition known as rhabdomyolysis described in Section 4:

- Medicines used to alter the way your immune system works, e.g. ciclosporin
- Certain antibiotics or antifungal medicines, e.g. erythromycin, clarithromycin, telithromycin, ketoconazole, itraconazole, voriconazole, fluconazole, posaconazole, rifampin, fusidic acid
- Other medicines to regulate lipid levels, e.g. gemfibrozil, other fibrates, colestipol
- Some calcium channel blockers used for angina or high blood pressure, e.g. amlodipine, diltiazem,; medicines to regulate your heart rhythm e.g. digoxin, verapamil, amiodarone
- Medicines used in the treatment of HIV e.g. ritonavir, lopinavir, atazanavir, indinavir, darunavir, the combination of tipranavir/ritonavir etc.
- Some medicines used in the treatment of hepatitis C e.g. telaprevir
- Other medicines known to interact with Atorcor include ezetimibe (which lowers cholesterol), warfarin (which reduces blood clotting), oral contraceptives, stiripentol (an anti-convulsant for epilepsy), cimetidine (used for heartburn and peptic ulcers), phenazone

(a painkiller), colchicine (used to treat gout), antacids (indigestion products containing aluminium or magnesium) and boceprevir (used to treat liver disease such as hepatitis C)

- Medicines obtained without a prescription: St John's Wort
- If you need to take oral fusidic acid to treat a bacterial infection you will need to temporarily stop using this medicine. Your doctor will tell you when it is safe to restart Atorcor. Taking Atorcor with fusidic acid may rarely lead to muscle weakness, tenderness or pain (rhabdomyolysis). See more information regarding rhabdomyolysis in section 4.

Please tell your doctor or pharmacist if you are taking or have recently taken any other medicines, including medicines obtained without a prescription.

### **Taking Atorcor with food and drink**

See Section 3 for instructions on how to take Atorcor. Please note the following:

#### *Grapefruit juice*

Do not take more than one or two small glasses of grapefruit juice per day because large quantities of grapefruit juice can change the effects of Atorcor.

#### *Alcohol*

Avoid drinking too much alcohol while taking this medicine. See Section 2 "Take special care with Atorcor" for details

### **Pregnancy and breast-feeding**

Do not take Atorcor if you are pregnant, or if you are trying to become pregnant.

Do not take Atorcor if you are able to become pregnant unless you use reliable contraceptive measures. Do not take Atorcor if you are breast-feeding.

The safety of Atorcor during pregnancy and breast-feeding has not yet been proven. Ask your doctor or pharmacist for advice before taking any medicine.

### **Driving and using machines**

Normally this medicine does not affect your ability to drive or operate machines. However, do not drive if this medicine affects your ability to drive. Do not use any tools or machines if your ability to use them is affected by this medicine.

### **Important information about some of the ingredients of Atorcor**

This medicine contains lactose and sucrose. If you have been told by your doctor that you have an intolerance to some sugars, contact your doctor before taking this medicine.

## **3. How to take Atorcor**

Before starting treatment, your doctor will place you on a low-cholesterol diet, which you should maintain also during therapy with Atorcor.

The usual starting dose of Atorcor is 10 mg once a day in adults and children aged 10 years or older. This may be increased if necessary by your doctor until you are taking the amount you need. Your doctor will adapt the dose at intervals of 4 weeks or more. The maximum dose of



Atorcor is 80 mg once daily for adults and 20 mg once daily for children.

Atorcor tablets should be swallowed whole with a drink of water, and can be taken at any time of day, with or without food. However, try to take your tablet at the same time every day.

Always take Atorcor exactly as your doctor has told you. You should check with your doctor or pharmacist if you are not sure.

**The duration of treatment with Atorcor is determined by your doctor.**

Please ask your doctor if you think that the effect of Atorcor is too strong or too weak.

**If you take more Atorcor than you should**

If you accidentally take too many Atorcor tablets (more than your usual daily dose), contact your doctor or nearest hospital for advice.

**If you forget to take Atorcor**

If you forget to take a dose, just take your next scheduled dose at the correct time. Do not take a double dose to make up for a forgotten dose.

**If you stop taking Atorcor**

If you have any further questions on the use of this medicine or wish to stop your treatment, ask your doctor or pharmacist.

**4. Possible side effects**

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

**If you experience any of the following serious side effects, stop taking your tablets and tell your doctor immediately or go to the nearest hospital accident and emergency department.**

Rare: affects 1 to 10 users in 10,000:

- Serious allergic reaction which causes swelling of the face, tongue and throat that can cause great difficulty in breathing.
- Serious illness with severe peeling and swelling of the skin, blistering of the skin, mouth, eyes genitals and fever. Skin rash with pink-red blotches especially on palms of hands or soles of feet which may blister.
- Muscle weakness, tenderness or pain and particularly, if at the same time, you feel unwell or have a high temperature it may be caused by an abnormal muscle breakdown. The abnormal muscle breakdown does not always go away, even after you have stopped taking atorvastatin, and it can be life-threatening and lead to kidney problems.

Very rare: affect less than 1 user in 10,000:

- If you experience problems with unexpected or unusual bleeding or bruising, this may be

suggestive of a liver complaint. You should consult your doctor as soon as possible.

**Other possible side effects with Atorcor:**

Common side effects (affects 1 to 10 users in 100) include:

- inflammation of the nasal passages, pain in the throat, nose bleed
- allergic reactions
- increases in blood sugar levels (if you have diabetes continue careful monitoring of your blood sugar levels), increase in blood creatine kinase
- headache
- nausea, constipation, wind, indigestion, diarrhoea
- joint pain, muscle pain and back pain
- blood test results that show your liver function can become abnormal

Uncommon side effects (affects 1 to 10 users in 1000) include:

- anorexia (loss of appetite), weight gain, decreases in blood sugar levels (if you have diabetes you should continue careful monitoring of your blood sugar levels)
- having nightmares, insomnia
- dizziness, numbness or tingling in the fingers and toes, reductions of sensation to pain or touch, change in sense of taste, loss of memory
- blurred vision
- ringing in the ears and/or head
- vomiting, belching, abdominal pain upper and lower, pancreatitis (inflammation of the pancreas leading to stomach pain)
- hepatitis (liver inflammation)
- rash, skin rash and itching, hives, hair loss
- neck pain, muscle fatigue
- fatigue, feeling unwell, weakness, chest pain, swelling especially in the ankles (oedema), raised temperature
- urine tests that are positive for white blood cells

Rare side effects (affects 1 to 10 users in 10,000) include:

- visual disturbance
- unexpected bleeding or bruising
- cholestasis (yellowing of the skin and whites of the eyes)
- tendon injury

Very rare side effects (affects less than 1 user in 10,000) include:

- an allergic reaction - symptoms may include sudden wheezing and chest pain or tightness, swelling of the eyelids, face, lips, mouth, tongue or throat, difficulty breathing, collapse
- hearing loss
- gynecomastia (breast enlargement in men and women).

Side effects of unknown frequency:

- Muscle weakness that is constant.

Possible side effects reported with some statins (medicines of the same type):

- Sleep disturbance including insomnia and nightmares.
- Memory loss
- Sexual dysfunction
- Depression
- Breathing problems including persistent cough and/or shortness of breath or fever
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If any of the side effects gets serious, or if you notice any side effects not listed in this leaflet, please tell your doctor or pharmacist.

## **5. How to store Atorcor**

Keep out of the reach and sight of children.

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Do not use Atorcor after the expiry date which is stated on the container and outer packaging after "EXP". The expiry date refers to the last day of that month.

Do not use this medicine if you notice visible signs of deterioration

Do not throw away any medicine via wastewater or household waste.

Medicines should not be disposed of via wastewater or household waste. Ask your pharmacist how to dispose of medicines no longer use. These measures will help to protect the environment.

## **6. Further information**

### **What Atorcor 80 mg contains**

The active substance is atorvastatin calcium.

Each tablet contains 80 mg of atorvastatin.

The other ingredients are:

- Lactose monohydrate
- Magnesium stearate
- Sodium laurylsulfate
- Microcrystalline cellulose
- Colloidal anhydrous silica
- Butylhydroxyanisol
- Crospovidone

- Sodium hydrogen carbonate
- Sucrose
- Sorbitan tristearate
- Macrogol stearate 40
- Dimethicone
- 2-bromo-2-nitropropane-1,3-diol
- Hypromellose
- Titanium dioxide
- Macrogol 4000

### **What Atorcor 80 mg looks like and contents of the pack**

Film-coated tablets.

Oblong, biconvex, scored, fractionable and with code AT8 on one side white-coloured tablets.

Atorcor 80 mg is supplied in packages containing 28 tablets, in 7-tablets blister packs.

### **Marketing Authorisation Holder and Manufacturer**

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### **Other packaging configurations:**

**Atorcor 10 mg film-coated tablets**

**Atorcor 20 mg film-coated tablets**

**Atorcor 40 mg film-coated tablets**

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