

Active ingredient(s): ezetimibe and simvastatin

Consumer Medicine Information

This leaflet provides important information about using ZIMYBE. You should also speak to your doctor or pharmacist if you would like further information or if you have any concerns or questions about using ZIMYBE.

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This narrowing can slow or block blood flow to vital organs such as the heart or the brain. This blocking of blood flow can result in a heart attack or stroke.

HDL cholesterol is often called 'good' cholesterol because it helps keep the bad cholesterol from building up in the arteries and protects against heart disease.

1. Why am I using ZIMYBE?

ZIMYBE contains the active ingredients ezetimibe and simvastatin.

ZIMYBE is used to lower cholesterol and triglyceride levels. It is used in people whose cholesterol levels are too high and when diet alone cannot lower these levels adequately.

Cholesterol

Cholesterol is one of several fatty substances found in the bloodstream. Your total cholesterol is made up mainly of LDL and HDL cholesterol.

LDL cholesterol is often called 'bad' cholesterol because it can build up in the walls of the arteries forming plaque.