# EZETIMIBE

*eh-zet-ih-mibe*

## What does it do?

*Ezetimibe* is used to lower cholesterol. This reduces your chance of having a stroke, heart attack, and other related problems.

## Before you start

- Tell your doctor if you are pregnant, planning to become pregnant, or breastfeeding.

## How should you take it?

Take *ezetimibe* regularly as directed with a glass of water. You can take it with or without food.

## What if you forget a dose?

If it is nearly time for your next dose, skip the missed dose and take your next dose at the usual time. Otherwise, take the missed dose as soon as you remember. Do not take two doses at the same time.

## Can you take other medicines?

Tell your pharmacist or doctor about all medicines or treatments that you may be taking, including vitamins, herbal products or recreational drugs.

## What side effects might you notice?

*Ezetimibe* is unlikely to cause any side effects. If you notice any symptoms you are concerned about, discuss them with your doctor or pharmacist.