

Information for health care providers:

INR values should not be used as they are not a dependable measure of the anticoagulant activity of Xarelto.

Further information:

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I am under anticoagulation treatment with Xarelto (rivaroxaban)

Name

Address

Birth Date

Blood type

Weight

Other medications/conditions

In case of emergency, please notify:

Doctor's name

Doctor's phone

Doctor's stamp

Please also notify:

Name

Phone

Relationship

**Important information
in case of emergency**



Patient Alert Card

Xarelto® 15 mg
Xarelto® 20 mg

Keep this card with you at all times

Present this card to every physician or dentist prior to treatment

What should I know about Xarelto?

- Xarelto thins the blood, which prevents you from dangerous blood clots.
- Xarelto must be taken exactly as prescribed by your doctor. To ensure optimal protection from blood clots, **never skip a dose.**
- You must not stop taking Xarelto without first talking to your doctor as your risk of blood clots may increase.
- Speak to your health care provider prior to any intake of other medication.

- Inform your health care providers about Xarelto intake prior to any surgery or invasive procedure.

When should I seek advice from my health care provider?

When taking a blood thinner such as Xarelto it is important to be aware of its possible side effects. Bleeding is the most common side effect. Do not start taking Xarelto if you are at risk of abnormal bleeding, without first discussing this with your doctor. Tell your health care provider right away if you have any signs or symptoms of bleeding such as the following:

- pain
- swelling or discomfort
- headache, dizziness or weakness
- unusual bruising, nosebleeds, bleeding of gums, bleeding from cuts that take a long time to stop
- menstrual flow or vaginal bleeding that is heavier than normal
- pink or brown urine, red or black stools
- coughing up blood, or vomiting blood or material that looks like coffee grounds

How do I take Xarelto?

To ensure optimal protection, Xarelto 15 mg and 20 mg must be taken with food.

This is the literally translated version of the German patient card.