



# ONBOARDING GUIDE

Getting started with FABHALTA and available support for you and your patients



Doctor and patient portrayals.

## INDICATION

FABHALTA is indicated for the treatment of adults with paroxysmal nocturnal hemoglobinuria (PNH).

## IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

### WARNING: SERIOUS INFECTIONS CAUSED BY ENCAPSULATED BACTERIA

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# Help your patients start their journey with FABHALTA

Get your patients started on FABHALTA with these 3 steps<sup>1</sup>



## 1 Getting REMS certified to prescribe FABHALTA

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[Click here](#) for more details



## 2 Complete or update vaccinations before starting treatment with FABHALTA

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[Click here](#) for more details on how Novartis Patient Support can help



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**To enroll in the REMS:**

**After enrollment<sup>1</sup>:**

### Review

the FABHALTA Prescribing Information, Health Care Provider Brochure, Patient Safety Guide, and Patient Safety Card.

### Submit

the completed Prescriber Enrollment form to the FABHALTA REMS at [www.FABHALTA-REMS.com](http://www.FABHALTA-REMS.com), or by fax to 1-877-206-3255.

### Counsel

patients about the risk of serious infections caused by encapsulated bacteria, the need for vaccinations, and the early signs and symptoms of serious infections.

### Provide

patients with REMS educational materials and the Patient Safety Card. Instruct patients to always carry this card with them during treatment and for 2 weeks following the last dose of FABHALTA.

At all times during your patient’s journey, a health care provider should report suspected adverse reactions, including cases of serious bacterial infection, and the patient’s clinical outcomes, to Novartis Pharmaceuticals Corporation at 1-888-669-6682 or FDA at 1-800-FDA-1088 or [www.fda.gov/medwatch](http://www.fda.gov/medwatch).

For more information, view the full REMS program details and requirements at [www.FABHALTA-REMS.com](http://www.FABHALTA-REMS.com).  
For any certification questions, contact the REMS Coordinating Center at 1-833-99FABHA.

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## It is REQUIRED that you vaccinate your patients against<sup>1</sup>:



*Streptococcus pneumoniae*



*Neisseria meningitidis*  
(serogroups A, C, W, Y, and B)

Complete or update vaccination against encapsulated bacteria at least 2 weeks prior to starting FABHALTA, unless the risks of delaying FABHALTA outweigh the risk of developing a serious infection.<sup>1</sup>

- If urgent FABHALTA therapy is indicated in a patient who is not up to date with vaccines against encapsulated bacteria, provide the patient with antibacterial drug prophylaxis and administer these vaccines as soon as possible. For additional details on antibacterial drug prophylaxis, please see the FABHALTA Prescribing Information, Warnings and Precautions (Section 5.1)

## During treatment with FABHALTA<sup>1</sup>:

As vaccination does not eliminate the risk of serious encapsulated bacterial infections, closely monitor patients for early signs and symptoms. Inform patients of these signs and symptoms, and instruct patients to seek immediate medical care if they occur.

- Evaluate and treat immediately if infection is suspected, as serious infection may rapidly become life-threatening or fatal if not recognized and treated early. Promptly treat known infections
- Consider interruption of FABHALTA in patients who are receiving treatment for serious infections, depending on the risks of interrupting treatment for PNH
- While on therapy, patients are required to be revaccinated as needed

For more information, refer to the most current ACIP guidelines at [www.cdc.gov/acip-recs/hcp/vaccine-specific/](http://www.cdc.gov/acip-recs/hcp/vaccine-specific/).

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# ACIP vaccination recommendations

## ACIP recommendations for pneumococcal vaccination in adults (≥19 years of age) with complement deficiencies (2023)<sup>2</sup>

Vaccine received at any age	REQUIRED VACCINATION WHILE ON FABHALTA				
	PCV20	or	PCV15	and	PPSV23
None/unknown or PCV7 only*	1 dose	or	1 dose	and	1 dose at least 8 weeks later
Prior PPSV23 only*	1 dose at least 1 year since last PPSV23	or	1 dose at least 1 year since last PPSV23		
Prior PCV13 only*	1 dose at least 1 year after PCV13	or			1 dose at least 8 weeks after last PCV13, followed by a second dose at least 5 years later if <65 years <sup>†</sup> at least 8 weeks after last PCV13 if ≥65 years
Prior PCV13* + PPSV23 <sup>‡</sup>	1 dose at least 5 years after the last pneumococcal vaccine	or			1 dose at least 8 weeks after PCV13 and at least 5 years after the first dose of PPSV23 <sup>†</sup>
Prior PCV13* + PPSV23 <sup>§</sup>	1 dose at least 5 years after the last pneumococcal vaccine <sup>  </sup>	or			See note <sup>†</sup>

\*Given at any age (≥19 years of age).

<sup>†</sup>Review the pneumococcal vaccine recommendations again for patients turning 65 years of age.

<sup>‡</sup>Not yet received dose at ≥65 years of age, or 1 dose of PPSV23 received between 19 and 64 years of age.

<sup>§</sup>Received at ≥65 years of age, or 2 doses of PPSV23 for individuals between 19 and 64 years of age.

<sup>||</sup>Using shared decision-making for adults ≥65 years old.

ACIP, Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices; PCV7, 7-valent pneumococcal conjugate vaccine; PCV13, 13-valent pneumococcal conjugate vaccine; PCV15, 15-valent pneumococcal conjugate vaccine; PCV20, 20-valent pneumococcal conjugate vaccine; PPSV23, 23-valent pneumococcal polysaccharide vaccine.

### IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION (continued)

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#### Serious Infections Caused by Encapsulated Bacteria (continued)

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# ACIP vaccination recommendations (continued)

## ACIP recommendations for meningococcal vaccination in adults with complement deficiencies (2020)<sup>3</sup>

### REQUIRED VACCINATION WHILE ON FABHALTA

MenACWY		MenB-4C	or	MenB-FHbp
<p><b>2 doses at least 8 weeks apart</b></p> <p>Single-dose booster <b>every 5 years</b> if the patient is still at increased risk (while on treatment)</p>	+	<p>On August 19, 2024, the FDA approved a new dosing schedule for Bexsero. Until ACIP guidelines are updated, healthcare providers should refer to the updated Bexsero package insert for new dosing and schedule intervals</p>	⋮	<p><b>3 doses at 0, 1 to 2, and 6 months*</b></p> <p>Single-dose booster 1 year after primary series and every 2 to 3 years thereafter if the patient is still at increased risk (while on treatment)</p>

*Note: MenABCWY (Menactra<sup>®</sup>, Menveo<sup>®</sup>, MenQuadfi<sup>®</sup>) vaccine may be used when both MenACWY and MenB are indicated at the same visit. MenB-4C (Bexsero<sup>®</sup>) and MenB-FHbp (Trumenba<sup>®</sup>) are not interchangeable (use same product for all doses in series).<sup>3,4</sup>*

\*If Dose 2 was administered at least 6 months after Dose 1, then Dose 3 is not needed. If Dose 3 is administered earlier than 4 months after Dose 2, then Dose 4 should be administered at least 4 months after Dose 3. MenACWY, serogroups A, C, W, and Y meningococcal; MenB, serogroup B meningococcal. The brand names mentioned above are the property of their respective trademark owners.

### IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION (continued)

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The benefits and risks of treatment with FABHALTA, as well as the benefits and risks of antibacterial drug prophylaxis in unvaccinated or vaccinated patients, must be considered against the known risks for serious infections caused by encapsulated bacteria.

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# A dedicated team for you and your patients

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## Novartis Patient Support can help support your eligible patients every step of the way



Insurance support



Financial support



Vaccination support

Our dedicated Novartis Patient Support team offers support to help your patients locate vaccinations.



Ongoing support

### Vaccination support for your patients getting started on FABHALTA

- Our dedicated Novartis Patient Support team offers support to help your patients locate vaccinations
- You can opt-in to Vaccination Support on the FABHALTA (iptacopan) Start Form to further understand what your patient may be eligible for with a dedicated Novartis Patient Support team
- Vaccination Support T&Cs Limitations Apply. Please contact Novartis Patient Support at 1-833-99FABHA (1-833-993-2242) Monday through Friday, 8:00 AM-8:00 PM ET, excluding holidays for more information

### IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION (continued)

#### WARNINGS AND PRECAUTIONS (continued)

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# 3 steps for getting patients started with Novartis Patient Support

## How to enroll:



Download the  
Start Form at  
[www.fabhalta-hcp.com](http://www.fabhalta-hcp.com)



Complete the Start  
Form, capture consent,  
and submit



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 **FABHALTA**<sup>®</sup>  
(iptacopan) 200 mg capsules





# Insurance support and financial support

Your dedicated Novartis Patient Support team will work with you to help identify financial support options.

## Bridge Program

**Your patients may be eligible for up to 12 months of FABHALTA (iptacopan) for free while coverage is pursued.**

- Limitations apply. Patients with commercial insurance, a valid prescription for FABHALTA, and a denial of insurance coverage based on a prior authorization requirement may receive a monthly maintenance dose for up to 12 months or until insurance coverage approval, whichever occurs first
- Not available to patients whose medications are reimbursed in whole or in part by Medicare, Medicaid, TRICARE, VA, DoD, or any other federal or state program, or where prohibited by law. A prior authorization and/or appeal of coverage denial must be submitted within 90 days to remain in the program
- No purchase necessary. Program is not health insurance, nor is participation a guarantee of insurance coverage. Additional restrictions may apply. Novartis reserves the right to rescind, revoke, or amend this Program without notice

## Co-Pay Plus

**Inform your eligible patients about Co-Pay Plus. Privately insured patients may pay as little as \$0 for FABHALTA.**

- Limitations apply. Patients with commercial insurance coverage for FABHALTA may receive up to \$20,000 in annual co-pay benefits for the cost of FABHALTA and up to \$1,000 for qualifying vaccination costs (excluding administrative fees). Patient is responsible for any costs once limit is reached in a calendar year
- Program not valid (i) under Medicare, Medicaid, TRICARE, VA, DoD, or any other federal or state health care program, (ii) where patient is not using insurance coverage at all, (iii) where the patient's insurance plan reimburses for the entire cost of the drug, or (iv) where product is not covered by patient's insurance. The value of this program is exclusively for the benefit of patients and is intended to be credited towards patient out-of-pocket obligations and maximums, including applicable co-payments, coinsurance, and deductibles
- Patient may not seek reimbursement for the value received from this program from other parties, including any health insurance program or plan, flexible spending account, or health care savings account. Patient is responsible for complying with any applicable limitations and requirements of their health plan related to the use of the Program
- Valid only in the United States, Puerto Rico, and select territories. Void where prohibited by law. Additional restrictions may apply. This Program is not health insurance. Program may not be combined with any third-party rebate, coupon, or offer. Proof of purchase may be required. Novartis reserves the right to rescind, revoke, or amend the Program and discontinue support at any time without notice

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## Ongoing support

A dedicated Novartis Patient Support team and educational resources to help your patients get started on treatment and support them along the way.

### Novartis Patient Support

Novartis Patient Support provides patients with ongoing help to start, stay, and save on their FABHALTA treatment plan, including:

- Information on financial support options
- Help navigating health care changes
- Tips for setting up a routine that can help patients stay on track with their medication dosing
- Resources about living with PNH, taking FABHALTA, and finding supportive communities
- Support to answer lifestyle questions

### IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION (continued)

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## Onco360®

- WEBSITE [onco360.com](http://onco360.com)
- PHONE 1-877-662-6633
- FAX 1-877-662-6355
- HOURS OF OPERATION 24/7



## Biologics by McKesson

- WEBSITE [biologics.mckesson.com](http://biologics.mckesson.com)
- PHONE 1-800-850-4306
- FAX 1-800-823-4506
- HOURS OF OPERATION 24/7

Novartis does not recommend or require the use of any particular pharmacy.

### IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION (continued)

#### WARNINGS AND PRECAUTIONS (continued)

##### Hyperlipidemia

- FABHALTA may increase total cholesterol, LDL cholesterol, and serum triglycerides.
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### ADVERSE REACTIONS

- The most common adverse reactions ( $\geq$ 10%) in adults with PNH receiving FABHALTA were headache, nasopharyngitis, diarrhea, abdominal pain, bacterial infection, viral infection, nausea, and rash.

### DRUG INTERACTIONS

- Concomitant use of CYP2C8 inducers (eg, rifampin) may decrease iptacopan exposure, which may result in loss of or reduced efficacy of FABHALTA. Monitor the clinical response and discontinue use of the CYP2C8 inducer if loss of efficacy of FABHALTA is evident.
- Concomitant use of strong CYP2C8 inhibitors (eg, gemfibrozil) may increase iptacopan exposure, which may result in increased risk for adverse reactions with FABHALTA. Coadministration with a strong CYP2C8 inhibitor is not recommended.

### USE IN SPECIFIC POPULATIONS

- Because of the potential for serious adverse reactions in a breastfed child, breastfeeding should be discontinued during treatment and for 5 days after the final dose.
- FABHALTA is not recommended in patients with severe hepatic impairment (Child-Pugh class C). No dose adjustment is required for patients with mild (Child-Pugh class A) or moderate (Child-Pugh class B) hepatic impairment.

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(iptacopan) 200 mg capsules

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