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Assembly Line Medicine



BY WILLIAM FALOON

People fear **cancer** more than any other disease—and for good reason.

Upon diagnosis, a patient is often given several treatment choices. None guarantees a **cure**, but all tend to inflict pain, immobility, mutilation, debilitation, risk of secondary complications (like stroke), and risk of secondary cancers (like leukemia).

Enlightened individuals face a particular degree of anxiety. They've heard about *less* toxic treatments that may be *more* effective. They often worry they are missing out on a curative therapy because of constraints placed on physicians by today's bureaucratic medical system that fosters inefficiency and mediocrity.

We at **Life Extension**® have long been aware of serious gaps that exist between what is discovered by cancer researchers and what is delivered to patients in the clinical oncology setting. When advanced cancer patients send us their medical records, we almost always identify treatment **omissions** that could have markedly improved odds of remission, improved survival, and even offered a cure.

One example is a drug called **cimetidine**. It functions via several mechanisms to inhibit **metastasis** and improves survival in **colon cancer** patients.¹⁻⁸ In **2002**, results from a clinical trial on patients with an aggressive form of colon cancer were published in the *British Journal of Cancer*. Compared to controls, 10-year survival improved by a remarkable **2.7-fold** in the group receiving **cimetidine**.⁴

Life Extension® has been recommending **cimetidine** since **1985** for certain types of cancer. Not once have we had a cancer patient approach us who had been prescribed this nontoxic drug by their oncologist.

An **oncologist** is a physician who specializes in the diagnosis, evaluation, and treatment of those afflicted with cancer. Cancer patients rely on their oncologist to utilize the <u>best</u> therapies to meet their individual needs. Regrettably, "managed care" has <u>diluted</u> the quality of care provided by many oncologists.

In a stunning new development, a health insurance company is offering oncologists \$350/month for each patient that is put on the company's recommended regimen.⁹ This will enable the insurance company to control treatment-related expenses of cancer patients, who will be afforded less individualized, creative, and comprehensive care.

In this month's issue, we reveal how to circumvent this backwards approach to **cancer treatment**.



Within **24 hours** of you reading this article, 1,500 Americans will perish from cancer. 10 There will be no sensational media accounts of these travesties, just more statistics to confirm the grim failure of mainstream medicine to find cures for this epidemic killer.

We at Life Extension® have never ignored the threat that cancer poses to healthy longevity. Yet many people today are in a state of denial, as if this insidious disease only afflicts others.

The news media redundantly covers details of traumatic deaths such as airline crashes and terrorist attacks. My reaction to these headline news stories is that the number of victims pales in comparison to the estimated 585,000 Americans that die from cancer every year.11

As I wrote in a 2004 article titled "Are You Afraid of Terrorists?" over 2.4 million Americans die each year mostly from age-related disease. Yet one terrorist attack dominates media coverage.12

So here we are 10 years later, and terrorists have killed less than

100 people in the United States. The death toll from cancer in that same time period is around 5.8 million. One could argue from a mathematical standpoint that violent death threats could be disregarded and resources instead poured into more efficient cancer research.

My personal views don't directly relate to what you are about to read, but may help you understand how committed we are to eradicating cancer in the same way that **smallpox** was last century.

The Basics About Cancer Treatment

There are some basic rules about cancer that everyone should know.

When it comes to achieving a "cure," the best opportunity exists at the time of first treatment. Once tumor cells have been exposed to initial therapies, or one's immune system has been compromised by surgical trauma, a malignancy

can proliferate out of control and resist secondary therapeutic attempts.13-20

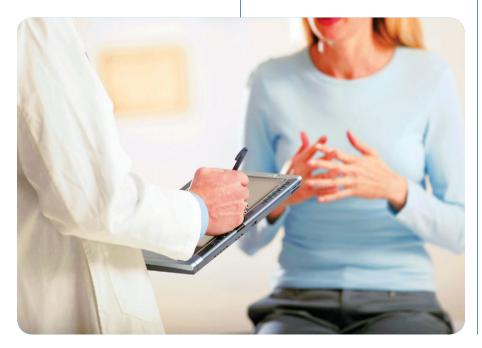
The best shot for a cure thus involves an individualized, multipronged plan of action to:

- Eradicate the primary tumor:
- · Decrease fuels that feed metastatic growth;
- Turn off stimuli that encourage cancer stem cell proliferation;
- Block the escape routes used by residual cancer cells.

Some people erroneously believe they must try to eradicate their tumor immediately. A more intelligent approach is to take the time needed to:

- Ensure that the stage or extent of the tumor is within the boundaries of any ablative therapy (such as surgery or radiation):
- Investigate every mechanism an individual's cancer will use to ensure its survival;
- Then introduce agents into the treatment protocol to circumvent each of these tumor survival factors.

What I'm conveying here is that newly diagnosed cancer patients should take advantage of the relatively vulnerable nature of their "treatment-naïve" tumor to implement a plan that addresses a wide range of escape routes that tumor cells utilize upon exposure to radiation, chemotherapy, hormone blockade, and even surgery.21-25 To provide real world examples of this strategy being put into action, you're going to read about some remarkable case histories in this month's issue.



Immune Status Should Be Assessed In All Cancer Patients

Once a tumor is established, it is difficult for the **immune system** to eradicate it.²⁶⁻²⁹ That's why mainstream oncologists pay little attention to the immune status of their newly diagnosed patients. In other words, since bolstering **immune function** alone won't cure cancer, oncologists mistakenly think it is not of major importance.

Newly diagnosed patients often present with poor immune status even before immune-damaging chemotherapy, radiation, and/or surgery are initiated.³⁰⁻³³

Optimizing immune function prior to initiation of cancer treatment can be a critical component of comprehensive therapy with curative intent. 12,34-37 This involves in-depth **immune profile** blood testing and when indicated, precise administration of expensive drugs like **interleukin-2**, 12,38-46 **filgrastim** (*Neupogen*®), 47,48 **pegfilgrastim** (*Neulosta*®), 49-58 and/or **sargramostim** (*Leukine*®). 59-62

Health insurance companies are trying to reduce the cost of cancer care and would rather patients not know about the need to optimize immune function before, during, and after toxic therapies are administered.⁶³ The high cost of implementing comprehensive immune support is causing insurance companies to refuse to pay for it.

A large health insurance company is offering oncologists \$350/month per patient as a reward to channel treatment towards the insurance company's "recommended regimen." We believe this will result in cancer patients dying sooner and using up fewer resources in the process. Oncologists

following these cookbook protocols will be able to squeeze far more patients into their hurried schedules.

Under this new scheme whereby oncologists are paid \$350/month for each patient placed on the "recommended regimen," insurance companies benefit financially, while patients are largely confined to chemo drug protocols that provide relatively minimal survival improvement in treating metastatic disease.

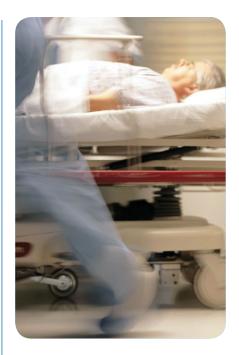
Impact Of Surgery On Immune Function

The first line of defense against malignancy is our **natural killer cells** (NK). Young individuals have high levels of <u>functional</u> natural killer immune cells, but this <u>declines</u> with aging.⁶⁴⁻⁷²

Natural killer cells originate in the bone marrow (like other immune cells) and go through a maturation process that enables them to participate in early control of microbial infections and cancers.⁷³⁻⁷⁶

In a study examining NK cell activity in women shortly after surgery for breast cancer, it was reported that <u>low</u> levels of NK cell activity were associated with an <u>increased</u> risk of death from breast cancer.⁷⁷ In fact, reduced NK cell activity was a better predictor of survival than the actual stage of the cancer itself. In another study, colon cancer patients with <u>reduced</u> **NK cell activity** before surgery had a **350%** <u>increased</u> risk of metastasis during the following 31 months.⁷⁸

The likelihood of surgeryinduced metastasis requires a cancer patient's immune system to be highly active and vigilant in seeking out and destroying



renegade tumor cells immediately before, during, and after surgery. Numerous studies document that cancer surgery results in substantial reduction in NK cell activity. 79-82 In one investigation, NK cell activity in women having surgery for breast cancer was reduced by over **50%** on the first day after surgery.81 A group of researchers stated that, "We therefore believe that shortly after surgery, even transitory immune dysfunction might permit neoplasms [cancer] to enter the next stage of development and eventually form sizable metastases."80

We know cancer surgery reduces NK activity. This means that NK cell activity becomes impaired when it is most needed to fight metastasis. With that said, the preoperative and perioperative periods present a window of opportunity to actively strengthen immune function by enhancing NK cell activity. Fortunately, validated interventions to enhance NK cell activity are available to the person undergoing cancer surgery.

While there are nutrients that can boost NK function, many cancer patients would benefit enormously with individualized courses of drugs like **interleukin-2** (IL-2) and **Leukine**[®].

IL-2 directly promotes **NK function**, 83-85 while *Leukine*® induces bone marrow production of **macrophages**. 86-88 Since these drugs are expensive, insurance companies will often refuse to pay for them as they are not approved by the FDA for the creative interventions that published studies show may be effective.

How Off-Label Drugs Save Lives

In the world of conventional oncology, FDA-approved drugs are routinely and legally prescribed for "unapproved uses" to better treat the disease. 89,90 This is often referred to as using drugs "off-label."

A 2008 study found that eight out of 10 oncologists surveyed had used drugs off-label.⁹¹ Studies have reported that about half of the chemotherapy drugs prescribed are for conditions not listed on the FDA-approved drug label.⁹² The **National Cancer Institute** has stated, "Frequently the standard of care for a particular type or stage of cancer involves the off-label use of one or more drugs."⁹²

Off-label drug use in many cases is the genesis of innovation. It enables oncologists to use their training and experience to design creative therapeutic protocols based on new scientific findings. When favorable results are found, the protocol may be published in medical journals so that other oncologists can emulate the treatment successes.



The problem for health insurance companies is that cancer drugs are outlandishly priced, sometimes costing over \$100,000 each per patient. 93-95 Insurance companies don't want to bear the costs associated with creatively designed treatments. They want to limit their expenses by confining oncologists to chemo drugs that provide relatively little survival improvement in advanced-stage cancers. 63

This helps explain why one insurance company is offering oncologists \$350/month per patient to <u>not</u> prescribe drugs beyond the insurance company's "recommended regimen." 96

Other health insurance companies are doing it differently by reimbursing oncologists <u>less</u> money when they prescribe newer, more expensive cancer drugs.⁹⁷

Not All Off-Label Drugs Are Expensive

Some of the most effective off-label drugs are affordable out-of-pocket (without insurance company involvement). The problem occurs when oncologists are being paid (\$350/month) to only offer an insurance company's "recommended regimen." This creates a disincentive to utilize Herculean initiatives to ensure their patients receive every therapy that could optimize outcomes

with the goal of inducing a complete remission; in other words, the complete disappearance of all manifestations of the cancer.

From our review of the scientific literature spanning decades, many cancer patients would benefit by taking **aspirin**⁹⁸⁻¹⁰⁰ and the antidiabetic drug **metformin**. ¹⁰¹⁻¹¹⁵ Aspirin of course is readily accessible, but cancer patients are unlikely to use it if their oncologist does not recommend it.

Metformin requires a prescription, and if the insurance company catches the oncologist prescribing metformin, which is not part of the "*recommended regimen*," the oncologist might lose the \$350/month stipend for that patient.

Even the use of **aspirin** requires the oncologist's involvement as chemo patients whose platelet count is reduced to fewer than **100 x 10E³/uL** are at risk for hemorrhage. ¹¹⁶⁻¹¹⁹ Under these circumstances, aspirin should be deferred until platelet counts are restored.

There are numerous off-label drugs effective against certain cancers (such as COX-2 inhibitors, certain statins, hormone modulators, etc.) that require a prescription, yet we are rapidly regressing to a system where medical decision making is dictated by insurance company cost mandates and not physician dedication and experience.

The Insurance Company's "Recommended Regimen"

The chemotherapy drugs that insurance companies want oncologists to prescribe represent the most commonly used drugs in the industry and can be viewed as aggressive "cookbook medicine approach" treatments. Some of drugs listed, such as *Adriamycin*®, are being limited by several oncologists at major medical institutions, such as MD Anderson, for use in adjuvant settings due to excessive toxicity. 121-123

Progressive oncologists, with whom **Life Extension**[®] is working, are using mitoxantrone instead of Adriamycin® in their elderly patients since it has the same survival rate as *Adriamvcin*®. but is less toxic to the heart. 124-126

Oncologists will be paid \$350/ month per patient by one insurer to prescribe chemo drugs such as Adriamycin®, which was approved by the FDA in 1974. Another insurer is offering higher reimbursement to the oncologist when lower-cost chemo drugs are used.

All these chemo drugs are considered standard of care by the **National Comprehensive Cancer Network**, which is an alliance of 25 cancer centers in the United States, most of which are designated by the National Cancer Institute as comprehensive cancer centers.

Health insurance companies reward practicing oncologists for following the standard published protocols that minimize creative approaches for cancer treatment.

Perhaps the greatest failing of the chemo drugs that insurers are paying oncologists to prescribe is that they seldom cure advancedstage cancers. Despite widespread availability of these chemo drugs, metastatic lung cancer kills 98% of patients within five years. 127 Metastatic colon cancer kills 94% within five years. 128 Those afflicted with metastatic breast cancer fare better, but 78% still die within five years. 129

Clinical oncology practice clearly needs more innovation vet health insurance companies are providing financial incentives for physicians to prescribe chemo drugs that fail to cure advancedstage patients. This kind of backwards approach to treatment will stifle the discovery of breakthroughs so desperately needed to spare the lives of more than **585,000** Americans who perish from cancer annually.

I'm purposely leaving the names of the insurance companies out of this article because it is likely that other insurers will follow this pattern of scientific regression. What we are witnessing is clinical oncology practice being driven backwards by outlandish drug prices, along with the high cost of increased physician involvement when aggressive therapies are utilized.

Health insurance companies argue their "recommended regimens" will improve patient care. We at Life Extension® disagree and advocate that more (not fewer) individualized, creative, and comprehensive treatment approaches could spare numerous lives.

How Positive Responses To **Cancer Therapy** Are Defined

- Partial remission (PR) indicates 50% or greater reduction in all measureable evidence of tumor dimensions and tumor markers.
- Complete remission (CR) indicates a disappearance of all measureable indicators of tumor activity.
- Cure indicates complete disappearance of all manifestations of disease activity that is sustained over years and insures a high probability that the disease will not return.



The Problem With Cytotoxic (Chemotherapy) Drugs

When chemotherapy drugs were developed in the 1950s to 1970s, there was optimism that a pharmaceutical cure for cancer might soon be found.

These chemo drugs killed cancer cells in the petri dish and shrank tumors in cancer patients. The side effects, however, were horrific and survival improvements were negligible for most solid malignancies.

Medical oncologists are now being offered \$350/month per patient to prescribe chemo drugs that, in some cases, were introduced before many of you reading this article were born.

There are drugs in the insurance company's "recommended regimen" that are new and considered cutting-edge, but provide average survival improvements often measuring less than one year.

In the May 21, 2014, edition of the Journal of the American Medical Association, a study was published showing that lung cancer patients survived 1.1 years longer when aggressive genomic testing was done and drugs that specifically target an individual tumor are added to standard chemo regimens. 120 These newer drugs target what's known as "oncogenic drivers," which are genetic abnormalities critical for tumor development and maintenance. The survival improvement in response to these "targeted" therapies is certainly welcomed news, but a far cry from a cure. The side effects from these newer cancer drugs are similar to old-line chemo drugs. meaning the patients endure significant suffering in exchange for added time.

Our scientific understanding of molecular oncology has grown exponentially over the past 40 to 50 years, yet relatively little of this knowledge is being delivered to the cancer patient. Clinical oncology practice, in fact, has progressed so slowly that many old-line chemo drugs are still considered first-line therapy at cancer institutions today, despite their failures to produce cures in the majority of advanced cases.

The problem is that consumers with health insurance may not have a choice. If their oncologist follows the insurers "recommended regimen," they will be prescribed chemo drugs that have historically provided relatively minimal survival improvement. These patients might better benefit from creative therapies that health insurance companies now balk at paying for.

On the right side column is a list of chemotherapy drugs that one insurance company wants most of its insured customers restricted to, along with the dates of each drug's approval and how many years each of these drugs has been in use.

Some of these drugs were approved more than 60 years ago. That does not mean they are not still useful against certain malignancies. The invariable question is whether certain patients who would benefit from more comprehensive and creative approaches will instead be prescribed these "standard-of-care" drugs because of the financial incentives being offered to oncologists.

To receive their \$350/month stipend per patient, oncologists have to stay with the insurance company's "recommended regimen" for that patient. This financial incentive comes to \$4,200 a year per patient treated following the insurer's protocol!

Drug Name	Approval Date	Years In Use
Leucovorin	June 20, 1952	62
Cyclophosphamide (Cytoxan®)	November 16, 1959 (Manufacturing changes in 1976,1977, 1979,1984, 1987, 2000) Cytoxan® (lyophilized) equivalent	55
Fluorouracil (5-FU)	April 25, 1962	52
Doxorubicin HCL injectable (Adriamycin®)	August 7, 1974	39
Cisplatin (Platinol®)	December 19, 1978	35
Carboplatin (Paraplatin®)	March 3, 1989	25
Paclitaxel (Taxol®)	December 29, 1992 (Manufacturing change or addition 1993, 1994, 1997, 1998, 2001)	21
Vinorelbine (Navelbine®)	December 23, 1994	19
Docetaxel (Taxotere®)	May 14,1996	18
Gemcitabine (Gemzar®)	May 15, 1996	18
Irinotecan (Camptosar®)	June 14, 1996	18
Capecitabine (Xeloda®)	April 30, 1998	16
Trastuzumab (Herceptin®)	September 25, 1998 (Manufacturing change 2012)	15
Epirubicin (Ellence®)	September 15, 1999	14
Oxaliplatin (Eloxatin®)	August 9, 2002	11
Pemetrexed (Alimta®)	February 4, 2004	10
Bevacizumab (Avastin®)	February 26, 2004	10
Erlotinib (Tarceva®)	November 18, 2004	9
Panitumumab (Vectibix®)	September 27, 2006	7
Lapatinib (Tykerb®)	March 13, 2007	7
Pertuzumab (Perjeta®)	June 8, 2012	2
Regorafenib (Stivarga®)	September 27, 2012	1
Ado-trastuzumab emtansine (Kadcyla®)	February 22, 2013	1
Afatinib (Gilotrif®)	July 12, 2013	1
Avera	19	



Most Effective Brain **Tumor Drug Not Approved** To Treat Any Cancer

Perhaps the most frightening malignancy one can be diagnosed with is a form of brain cancer called glioblastoma. This type of brain cancer has a **dismal** prognosis, with median overall survival of 12 to 14 months, and a two-year survival rate of 15 to 26%, 131

Senator Ted Kennedy was diagnosed with glioblastoma in May 2008. Despite intervention by some of the best brain tumor experts, Kennedy died in August 2009—a mere 15 months later.

A study published in the **New** England Journal of Medicine on September 5, 2013, may represent the most significant advance yet discovered in treating glioblastoma.131

What follows is an overview of a drug that is <u>not</u> approved to treat any cancer, and thus is likely to be rejected by insurance company mandates:

- **Valganciclovir** (*Valcyte*[®]) is an FDA-approved drug used to treat cvtomegalovirus infection.
- Cytomegalovirus has been suspected as facilitating the initiation and promotion of brain cancers. 132-135 Some **50** to 80% of adults in the US show exposure to cytomegalovirus, but relatively few harbor active viral infection.135

- Doctors followed 75 glioblas**toma** patients and found the median overall survival of those with low-grade cytomegalovirus infection was **33 months**. In patients with high-grade cytomegalovirus infection, median overall survival was 13 months. 131
- All but one of the 75 glioblastoma patients studied had <u>active</u> *cytomegalovirus* infection, indicating that this virus may be involved in the development of this lethal malignancy. 131
- In glioblastoma patients with high-grade cytomegalovirus infection, median two-year survival was 17.2%. Patients with low-grade cytomegalovirus infection had median two-year survival rates of 63.6%.131 This suggests that high-grade, active cytomegalovirus infection accelerates tumor progression.
- In a double-blind clinical trial of **valganciclovir** involving 42 patients with glioblastoma, an exploratory analysis of 22 patients receiving at least six months of antiviral therapy showed 50% overall survival at two years compared with 20.6% of contemporary controls.131 This study showed that valganciclovir-treated patients had a median overall survival of 24.1 months compared to 13.7 months in patients not treated with valganciclovir.

- Owing to the promising results of this pilot study, physicians at the world-famous Karolinska University Hospital administered valganciclovir to glioblastoma patients and results were then compared to a control group. Both groups received standard conventional therapy and both groups had a similar disease stage and surgicalresection grade.
- The researchers retrospectively analyzed the data on 50 of these brain cancer patients and found the two-year rate of survival in the valganciclovir group was 62%, whereas twoyear survival was only 18% in the **control group**. 131
- In 40 glioblastoma patients who received valganciclovir for at least six months, the two-year survival rate was 70%, with a median overall survival of 30.1 months. 131
- In 25 glioblastoma patients that received continuous valganciclovir treatment after the first six months, the two-year survival rate was 90%, with a median overall survival of 56.4 months (4.7 years)!¹³¹
- The current median survival of **glioblastoma** patients is only 12 to 14 months (1.0 to 1.16 years). 131 The efforts made to prolong Senator Kennedy's life by the experts at Duke University Medical **Center** was a survival of **15** months (1.25 years)—3.45 **years** *less* than the *median* survival in the 25 glioblastoma patients who received continuous valganciclovir treatment as detailed above.

The implication from these findings is that treating active **cytomegalovirus** infection may dramatically reduce progression, and significantly increase survival time, in patients suffering from the deadly brain cancer **glioblastoma**. Most exciting is the intriguing data from this retrospective study showing that in **glioblastoma** patients with active **cytomegalovirus**, a treatment protocol employing **valganciclovir** resulted in a *median* survival of **4.7 years**!

Not only does this retrospective data involving the continuous use of **valganciclovir** substantially extend survival in **glioblastoma** patients, but it provides an opportunity to incorporate additional complementary therapies that could improve survival even more!

Why Brain Tumor Patients Are Denied Valganciclovir

It is <u>illegal</u> for the maker of **valganciclovir** to promote it as a treatment for brain cancer. The regulatory system in the United States requires that the maker of a drug conduct extensive clinical trials for each disease a drug claims to treat and then submit the trial results to the FDA for approval.

It is <u>not</u> illegal, however, for an oncologist to prescribe **valganci-clovir** to treat **glioblastoma**.

The problem is the annual cost for **valganciclovir** is around **\$50,000**. Many health insurers will refuse to pay this outlandish price. If an oncologist tries to prescribe it for a patient it will not be one of the insurance company's "recommended regimens," and the oncologists will likely lose his **\$350/month** stipend because he or she did not adhere to the treatment protocols designated by the insurer.



We fear that **12,000 Americans** will continue to die prematurely from **glioblastoma** every year despite impressive findings showing that **valganciclovir** could extend the survival times of many of these patients diagnosed with this deadly disease.¹³⁶

Changing Cancer Care For The Worse

What we are seeing before our eyes are physicians who will give up years of education, creativity, and understanding of the individual patient to instead be directed by an **insurance company** and rewarded with a monthly stipend of \$350 *if* he or she follows the insurers financially biased "orders."

The term now used for physicians in such a context is "provider." They provide the treatment, but are not involved in deciding what treatments to use. Thus, the physician has given up his or her role as "Decider" to become the "Provider."

The \$350/month per patient could possibly be a significant income for the oncologist. Assume that oncologist has 400 active patients and that 100 of them are on the insurers "approved" chemo program. That's \$35,000 per month or \$420,000 per year. In most major cities, that's about

what the average medical oncologist makes annually. If the oncologist surrenders his decision making to the insurer, he is doing less work and has fewer worries regarding patient outcome since he was only "following orders." The insurance company decided on the regimen. Thus, the tradeoff to surrender physician autonomy for a substantial monetary reward that involves less stress on the physician becomes an irresistible temptation for far too many highly educated and highly trained medical oncologists.

Another concern is what will the insurer decide regarding the use of supportive care therapy, such as antiemetic and immune protective treatment prior to chemo. What will the insurer mandate regarding which imaging studies can or cannot be done, what laboratory studies are to be obtained and how often, and which immune-augmenting drugs are to be used? Where does the direction of care involving cost cutting stop?

In this newly perverse system brought about by outlandishly high medical prices, why bother using physicians to treat cancer patients? Given this form of cookbook medicine, costs could be further cut by using nurse practitioners or physician assistants to deliver standard care chemo drugs.

Blame The Broken System...Not Just Insurance Companies

A number of health insurance companies are looking into aggressive ways to cut the soaring costs of cancer drugs by seeking to reduce payments to oncologists if they prescribe pricier drugs.

As I wrote earlier this year in an article titled "Unsustainable

Cancer Drug Prices," of the 12 new cancer drugs approved in 2012, 11 were priced above \$100,000 a vear! Over a hundred oncologists signed a protest letter that concluded that the prices of many of these drugs "are too high, unsustainable, may compromise access of needy patients to highly effective therapy, and are harmful to the sustainability of our national healthcare systems."137



Industry Actuaries Guide Your Cancer Treatment

The practice of medicine has largely devolved to a place where physicians no longer take the lead in guiding treatment.

Consider a scenario that plays out day after day in modern cancer treatment.

An experienced oncologist sees a Medicare patient suffering from an aggressive cancer. The oncologist realizes that there are several viable options, and that the best therapy is not the usual, cost-effective standard-of-care choice covered by Medicare. Rather, it's a more expensive and newer option with compelling data that shows better results. However, the newer, more expensive treatment option-the one that's best for the patient in the opinion of the treating oncologist-is not standard of care and therefore, is not covered under Medicare.

The result?

The patient is treated with the Medicare-approved drug. In this case, the federal government's actuaries at the Center for Medicare & Medicaid Services have been the guiding force in treatment of this patient, not the experienced oncologist.

Just six months after my article was published, we are seeing insurance companies rebel by offering incentives to oncologists to prescribe chemo drugs they perceive as being less expensive. Here is a quote from the insurance company's oncology medical director:138

"This program—while sharing best practices and evidence-based medicine—also helps to support oncologists who require large staffs to treat these complex patients and provides the practice with enhanced reimbursement to offset the lower fees they receive when prescribing less expensive drugs."

According to the IMS Institute for Healthcare Informatics, in 2013 the United States spent \$37 billion on cancer drugs, which is more than any other category. 139 Overall costs for treating cancer are well over \$100 billion annually and mounting steadily, according to researchers at the National Cancer Institute. Hospital, diagnostic, and pharmaceutical prices are beyond exorbitant.

A patient under the guidance of the International Strategic Cancer Alliance (ISCA) was recently charged \$2,500 for a bone density outpatient test at a prestigious university hospital. The going rate at a diagnostic testing center is around \$250. When ISCA responded by threatening to pay for an advertisement in the New York Times indicating this abuse by the university hospital, the hospital drastically reduced their price to this patient (but not to other cash-paying patients).

Still another reason why medical costs are spiraling upwards are large hospitals that are buying out individual oncology practices so higher "hospital" prices can be billed to Medicare, Medicaid,

and health insurance companies. When chemo is administered in an oncologist's private office, the cost is less than compared to a hospital setting. Now hospitals are employing oncologists to make sure patients receive chemo in the hospital's oncology outpatient facility and billing insurance company's higher prices, which means you will be paying higher health insurance premiums, along with higher co-pays and deductibles.

The financial coffers of insurance companies are being plundered by the excess charges of hospitals and outrageously high drug prices. Insurance companies are responding by seeking to pay doctors to provide <u>less</u> costly treatments. This is bad news for cancer victims.

It is important to point out that in many clinical oncology settings, the insurance company's new "recommended regimens" may not be any worse than what patients are getting anyway. Bureaucracies have replaced the "special" physician, the one that comes up with creative approaches and who devours the literature looking for clues to help save his or her patient. Mainstream mediocrity has become the "standard of care" in too many instances and the public apathetically accepts it until they or a loved one is stricken with cancer.

The major factor responsible for the decay and dysfunction of sick care in the US is the powerful pharmaceutical lobby, the health insurance industry, and the burdensome legislation enacted by Congress that stifles innovation in the medical arena. None of these revelations should surprise **Life Extension**® members, who long ago learned how regulatory *strangleholds* inflict harsh economic pain, along with needless suffering and death.



"Insurers are changing how they pay for cancer care, aiming to blunt soaring costs and push oncologists to adhere to standardized treatment guidelines." 130

Wall Street Journal, May 27, 2014

What We Are Doing To Save Lives

For over 30 years, we at **Life Extension**® have relentlessly combatted the high cost of medicine, along with conventional oncology's less-than-optimal approach to cancer treatment.

We offer two services for members who develop **cancer**. One is <u>free</u> phone/email access to our cancer advisors. There is seldom a call where we can't suggest validated ways to improve survival, sometimes as simple as adding **aspirin** and **metformin** to conventional treatment. To speak with a cancer advisor, call **1-866-864-3027**.

The second option is concierge oversight provided by the **International Strategic Cancer** Alliance (ISCA). This service has collectively lost us millions of dollars since its inception, but in the process has saved lives and added life-years. The main cost when using the International Strategic **Cancer Alliance** has been the high hourly rates charged by top-notch oncologists and other personnel involved in developing personalized and creative treatment strategies. New health insurance exclusions may also increase the patient's out-of-pocket costs when

utilizing ISCA's **Personalized Treatment Protocols**. To reach out to the **International Strategic Cancer Alliance**, call **1-610-628-3419**.

In this month's issue, you're going to read a case history of an advanced stage **pancreatic cancer** patient who contacted us in time for aggressive innovative therapies to be initiated. Another case history whereby our team of experts saved the life of a very "terminal " **head and neck cancer** patient can be read on the next page.

We were also going to publish in this month's issue an update on the successes we are seeing with **breast cancer** patients using innovative therapeutic approaches we helped develop. We are deferring that article until at least next month because when we reported on these treatment successes two years ago, the clinic was overwhelmed and had to stop taking new patients. I was informed this clinic should be ready to accept at least some new patients starting around October 15th of this year.

For longer life,

William Faloon

Aggressive Approaches Can Cure Terminal Cancer

In April of 2000, a patient came to us with advanced head and neck cancer with a primary location in the sinus and infiltration to the brain and orbital (eye) cavity. The tumor was the approximate size of a baseball and every oncologist consulted stated the patient had only months to live. Hospice was recommended as there was no conventional therapy that could treat this patient due to the complex anatomical locations of the tumor.

Just imagine the challenge of treating a tumor of this size growing inside someone's head. The tumor's location made it untreatable, according to every oncology expert. The only advantage we had is that no treatment had yet been administered, meaning the tumor was "treatment naïve," and thus vulnerable to eradication by multimodal therapies. Our dilemma was figuring out how to administer therapy to this delicate anatomical region of the body without blinding the patient and creating permanent brain damage.

The hospital wanted to administer systemic cisplatin chemotherapy, which would have temporarily shrunk the tumor, but at the cost of horrific side effects and the mutation of the tumor to a virtually invulnerable stage. We stopped the patient from getting the systemic cisplatin in the nick of time.

The scientific team at Life Extension® devised an unprecedented protocol that involved inserting a catheter into the patient's femoral artery. The catheter was directed into the aorta and from there threaded into the external carotid arteries. Using the catheter as a chemotherapy delivery system to the tumor, a relatively massive dose of cisplatin was initially used to target the tumor. It would have been impossible to deliver enough of this highly toxic chemo drug in any other way. Even by delivering cisplatin directly into the tumor, there were still some side effects (renal impairment) which were able to be reversed.

Following initial direct-to-the-tumor cisplatin therapy, the chemo drug paclitaxel was administered via this same intra-arterial route for four additional weeks.

These intra-arterial chemotherapy sessions were immediately followed by proton beam-accelerated radiation and the use of numerous drugs not approved to treat this cancer. For example, to enhance the tumorkilling effects of the proton beam-accelerated radiation, the radiation sensitizer 3-chloroprocainamide (3-CPA) was used. This had to be synthesized in our lab, as it was not commercially available to us. To further enhance the proton-beam therapy, the patient ingested 18 grams of arginine before treatment and breathed pure oxygen during treatment. The objective was to thoroughly oxygenate the patient in order to induce maximal tumor cell death during the proton-beam therapy.

It took until late June 2000 (the patient was diagnosed in April 2000) to initiate this complex therapy. By September 2000, there was no sign of active tumor. The patient was in **complete remission**, meaning there was no sign of tumor activity in the patient's body. Oncologists at Loma Linda Medical Center were so impressed that they used this same protocol on another patient with advanced sinus cancer. We were informed that in this patient a **complete remission** was also attained.

Our client was prescribed a three-year follow up cyclical dosing of interferon alfa-2b and 13-cis retinoic acid to mop up any residual tumor cells that may have escaped the aggressive proton beam and intra-arterial chemo that was delivered over an eight-week time period.

Within two years, our client developed radiation necrosis of the brain, which was caused by the high dose of proton beam radiation therapy. This is a common side effect when the brain is irradiated. Once again, conventional doctors pronounced our client "terminal," since there was no recognized treatment to overcome the raging inflammatory fires destroying the brain.

The scientific team here at Life Extension® went back to work and identified two drugs (cabergoline and pentoxifylline), both not approved to treat radiation necrosis. The two-drug combination suppressed the radiation necrosis, and once again to the doctor's amazement, this patient was cured of a side effect that had been pronounced terminal. Our client remains alive today, 14 years since the original "terminal" diagnosis was made.

To make more of these kinds of lifesaving therapies available, I helped set up the International Strategic Cancer Alliance (ISCA) to speed innovative cancer treatments to patients who are unable to be helped by conventional oncology.



Quote From Ayn Rand Regarding Doctors

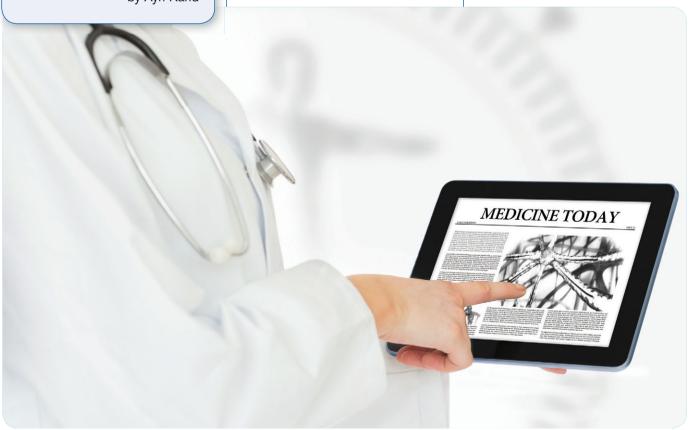
"I have often wondered at the smugness with which people assert their right to enslave me, to control my work, to force my will, to violate my conscience, to stifle my mind, yet what is it that they expect to depend on, when they lie on an operating table under my hands? Let them discover the kind of doctors that their system will now produce. Let them discover, in their operating rooms and hospital wards that it is not safe to place their lives in the hands of a man whose life they have throttled. It is not safe, if he is the sort of man who resents itand still less safe, if he is the sort who doesn't."

> From Atlas Shrugged by Ayn Rand

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Benfotiamine	150 mg	
Vitamin B6 (as pyridoxal 5'-phosphate)	100 mg	
BioPQQ ® (Pyrroloquinoline quinone disodium salt)	10 mg	
Luteolin	8 mg	
Calcium	230 mg	



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Metformin May Reduce Risk Of Glaucoma

Researchers at the University of Michigan Kellogg Eye Center, Ann Arbor, say the popular diabetes drug metformin may be associated with a reduction in open-angle glaucoma.*

In a study of 150,016 diabetes patients 40 years and older with no pre-existing glaucoma, lead researcher Julia Richards, MD, and colleagues found that 3.9% (5,893) developed open-angle glaucoma. According to Richards, "the risk for open-angle glaucoma was 25% lower in patients with documented cumulative metformin use of more than 1,110 grams over two years (average dose, 2 grams/day) than in those with no metformin use."

The biggest risk reduction was linked with the highest baseline risk and the highest glycated hemoglobin (HbA1c) levels.

"As we looked at higher-risk populations with higher HbA1c levels, we found a greater reduction in risk. The people who benefited the least were already at low risk and had well-controlled diabetes," said Dr. Richards.

She added that the study supports the concept that **metformin** is a geroprotective, or anti-aging, drug because it produces effects that mimic caloric restriction.

Editor's Note: "There are a variety of things we don't know at this point," said Dr. Richards. "We don't know how our findings relate to uninsured populations, if they apply to nondiabetic individuals, if specific factors like intraocular pressure or age of onset play a role, or if the benefits extend to other types of

-A. Kessler

* Dr. Richards presented her findings at the Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology 2014 Annual Meeting in Orlando, Florida.

Terminally III Patients Deserve "The Right To Try Act" Allowing Access To Experimental Treatment

Darcy Olsen and Richard Garr of the Goldwater Institute wrote an editorial in *USA Today* advocating a terminal patient's right to try experimental medications that have passed Phase 1 of the FDA-approved safety trials, but are still under clinical development.*

"Why are people dying when promising treatment exists?" the authors ask. Terminal patients don't have the 10 years on average it takes to bring a new drug to market.

Designed by the Goldwater Institute, the Right To Try initiative would allow terminal patients access to investigational drugs that have completed basic safety testing, thereby dramatically reducing wait times. and most importantly, potentially saving lives.

To date, the bill has passed into law in Colorado, Louisiana, and Missouri. Voters in Arizona will consider it on this November's ballot.

Editor's Note: Darcy Olsen is president of the Goldwater Institute, a nonprofit public advocacy group and research organization that developed the Right To Try Act. Richard Garr is chair of the Goldwater Institute's Right To Try National Advisory Council and CEO of Neuralstem Inc., which develops neural stem cell therapies.

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* USA Today. 2014 May 28.

Diabetes Rates Continue To Climb

On June 10, 2014, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention announced that the number of Americans who have diabetes continues to climb, and there are now more than 29.1 million American adults living with the disease, an increase of 3.3 million cases since the last statistics were released in 2011.*

And the CDC estimates that more than 25% of those adults don't even know they are sick.

Another 86 million—over a third of the adult American population—have blood sugar levels that are high enough to qualify them as prediabetic. Nearly 90% of these prediabetics don't know that their levels are higher than normal and that 15 to 30% of them will develop diabetes within five years if they don't make lifestyle changes now.

"These new numbers are alarming and underscore the need for an increased focus on reducing the burden of diabetes in our country," said Ann Albright, the CDC's Director of the Division of Diabetes Translation. "It's urgent we take swift action to effectively treat and prevent this serious disease."

Editor's Note: According to the 2014 report, diabetes is affecting people at a vounger age as well. More than 208,000 Americans younger than age 20 have already been diagnosed with either type I or type II diabetes.

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* National Diabetes Statistics Report, released by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. June 10, 2014.



High Doses Of Vitamin C **Reduce Epstein-Barr Viral Infection**

Medical Science Monitor reported a benefit for intravenous vitamin C in patients with high levels of antibodies to the Epstein-Barr virus (EBV), which has been implicated in chronic fatigue syndrome. Burkitt's lymphoma, Hodgkin's disease, and some auto-

immune conditions.*

"This is, to our knowledge, the first clinical study of ascorbic acid and EBV infection," announced authors Nina A. Mikirova and Ronald Hunninghake of the Riordan Clinic, in Wichita, Kansas,

The duo evaluated data from 35 men and women diagnosed with chronic fatigue or other conditions who had Epstein-Barr virus antibodies measured before and after treatment with **7.5** to **50 grams** of intravenous vitamin C.

Thirty-two of the 35 subjects showed improvement following vitamin C treatment. Subjects who had five or more vitamin C infusions had a significantly greater percent decrease in EBV antibodies over time in comparison with infected individuals evaluated by the clinic who did not receive intravenous vitamin C.

Editor's Note: The researchers recommend further research involving a combination of vitamins C and D and other nutrients in EBV-infected patients.

* Med Sci Mon. 2014 May 4.

Fasting Regenerates The Immune System

The June 5, 2014, issue of the journal Cell Stem Cell published the findings of Valter D. Longo and colleagues at the University of Southern California, which found a rejuvenating effect for fasting on immune system cells.*

"What we started noticing in both our human work and animal work is that the white blood cell count goes down with prolonged fasting," Dr. Longo observed. "Then when you re-feed, the blood cells come back.'

Dr. Longo and his associates determined that the reduction in these immune system cells triggers the stem cell-based regeneration of new cells. Fasting was found to reduce an enzyme known as PKA, which, when lowered, extended the life span of simple organisms in previous research conducted by the team. "PKA is the key gene that needs to shut down in order for these stem cells to switch into regenerative mode," Dr. Longo explained.

Editor's Note: "The good news is that the body got rid of the parts of the system that might be damaged or old, the inefficient parts, during the fasting," Dr. Longo noted. "Now, if you start with a system heavily damaged by chemotherapy or aging, fasting cycles can generate, literally, a new immune system.

* Cell Stem Cell. 2014 Jun 5;14(6):810-23.



Watch Out For "Gerontogens"

A review published online in Trends in Molecular Medicine discusses the dangers associated with gerontogens: environmental factors that promote physiologic (as opposed to chronologic) aging.*

Potential gerontogens include benzene, arsenic, ultraviolet light, ionizing radiation, chemotherapy, psychological stress, and cigarette smoke. Although exposure to some of these factors may be unavoidable, the concept of gerontogengenerated aging leaves room for optimism because it views physiologic aging as predominantly preventable. (Gerontologist Tom Perls has estimated that the rate of aging is 50 to 75% determined by nongenetic factors.) The research team from the University of North Carolina plans to further study the effects of gerontogens via a novel mouse model.

Author Norman E. Sharpless and colleagues predict the development of blood tests to evaluate a number of molecular age biomarkers in order to understand individual differences in the rate of aging and to assess the age-promoting effect of gerontogens.

Editor's Note: "We believe just as an understanding of carcinogens has informed cancer biology, so will an understanding of gerontogens benefit the study of aging," Dr. Sharpless stated. "By identifying and avoiding gerontogens, we will be able to influence aging and life expectancy at a public health level.'

* Trends Mol Med. 2014 May 28.

Review Affirms Higher Vitamin D Levels Are Associated With A Reduced Risk Of Premature Mortality

The results of a systematic view published on June 12, 2014, in the American Journal of Public Health reaffirms what a number of studies conducted over the past decade have indicated: Having a higher serum level of vitamin D is associated with a lower risk of dving prematurely.*

Cedric Garland, DrPH, and colleagues selected 32 studies that provided data on a total of 566,583 men and women for their analysis. They determined that having a vitamin D level of 30 ng/mL is associated with approximately half the risk of dying over an average nine years of follow-up in comparison with lower levels. Dr. Garland, who is a professor at UC San Diego, noted that serum levels of vitamin D lower than 30 ng/mL are estimated to exist in two-thirds of the US population.

Editor's Note: Dr. Garland observed that, "Three years ago, the Institute of Medicine (IOM) concluded that having a too-low blood level of vitamin D was hazardous. This study supports that conclusion, but goes one step further. The 20 ng/mL blood level cutoff assumed from the IOM report was based solely on the association of low vitamin D with risk of bone disease. This new finding is based on the association of low vitamin D with risk of premature death from all causes, not just bone diseases." Life Extension continues to recommend that people maintain 25-hydroxyvitamin D blood levels between 50-80 ng/mL.

* Am J Public Health. 2014 Jun 12.

Experts Take Issue With Anti-Supplement Sentiment

A letter composed by such notable authorities as Bruce N. Ames, PhD, and Jeffrey Blumberg, PhD, appeared in the Annals of Internal Medicine in response to an editorial titled "Enough is Enough: Stop Wasting Money on Vitamin and Mineral Supplements."*

The authors of the letter assert that, rather than the case being closed as stated in the article, nutritional supplements do offer significant benefits.

"There are many issues that have helped to mislead people when it comes to the study of micronutrients," stated first author Balz Frei, director of the Linus Pauling Institute. "For instance, most research is done without first checking to see if a person is inadequate in a nutrient and vou won't find much effect from a supplement if it isn't needed.

"In similar fashion, too much research has been done with groups such as doctors and nurses who are probably not representative of the general population," he added.

Editor's Note: Dr. Frei added, "It's naive to ignore the fact that most people have micronutrient inadequacies, and wrong to condemn a daily supplement that could cover these nutritional gaps safely and at low cost. There's strong evidence that a multivitamin/ mineral supplement supports normal functioning of the body and helps improve overall health, and may even help lower chronic disease risk. It's irresponsible to ignore decades of nutrition research and tell the people of the United States they have no need for a supplement that could be so helpful, and costs as little as \$1 a month.

* Ann Int Med. 2014 Jun 3.

Omega-3 Fatty Acids Cut Tobacco Craving

A report published June 4, 2014, in the *Journal of Psychopharmacology* reveals the outcome of a trial of orally administered EPA and DHA, which uncovered a reduction in smoking and tobacco craving among those who received the supplements.*

Forty-eight regular smokers were given 2,710 mg EPA and **2,040 mg** DHA or a placebo for one month. Tobacco craving and number of cigarettes smoked each day were assessed at the beginning of the trial, at the end of the treatment period, and 30 days following the end of treatment. Participants who received omega-3 fatty acids had significantly less craving for tobacco at the end of one month in comparison with initially assessed levels. Although craving rose in the month following the treatment period, it was still lower than that experienced initially among those who received EPA and DHA. In contrast, participants who received the placebo reported similar craving levels at all time points evaluated.

Editor's Note: Additionally, those who received omega-3 smoked 11.2% fewer cigarettes after one month in comparison to the amount smoked at the beginning of the study.

*J Psychopharmacol. 2014 June 4.



Soy Compound Helps Prevent Prostate Cancer Metastasis

In an article published May 28, 2014, in the *American Journal of Clinical Nutrition*, researchers at Northwestern University report the outcome of experiments conducted by their group and others that shows a protective effect for the soy isoflavone **genistein** against prostate cancer cell detachment, invasion, and metastasis.*

Research conducted by the team, described in 1996 in *Clinical & Experimental Metastasis* and in *Molecular Pharmacology* in 1997, demonstrated that genistein dose-dependently inhibited human prostate cancer cell detachment, which is due to the isoflavone's ability to increase cell adhesion. In further research, the group implanted human prostate cancer cells in mice and observed that cellular adhesion increased with the administration of genistein. This was accomplished at plasma genistein levels similar to those measured in men given **150 mg/day** of genistein, indicating that the compound inhibits cell detachment at concentrations attainable by humans.

Editor's Note: In addition to detaching from the extracellular matrix, invasion is facilitated by the production of matrix metalloproteinases (MMPs) that degrade surrounding tissue. A relatively low concentration of genistein, corresponding to concentrations of free genistein attained in the blood after dietary consumption, was found to reduce the expression and activity of MMP-2 in cultured human prostate cancer cells. Genistein was also shown to directly inhibit prostate cancer cell invasion at this concentration in other research conducted by the team.

*Am J Clin Nutr. 2014 May 28.

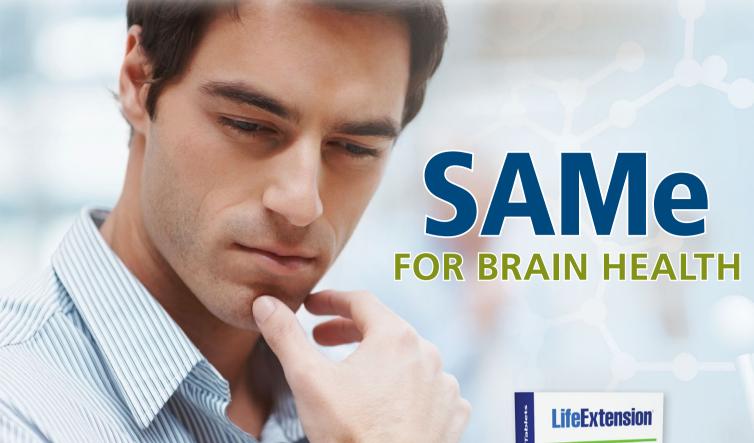
Vitamin D Insufficiency Associated With HIV Progression

The *Journal of Infectious Diseases* reported findings from the PEARLS (Perineal Assessment and Repair Longitudinal Study) trial of HIV-positive men and women undergoing antiretroviral treatment, which reveal a protective effect for higher vitamin D levels against disease progression and premature death.*

The current study compared participants who developed a World Health Organization classified stage III or IV event (defined by advanced or severe symptoms) or death to those who did not develop this outcome. Low serum 25-hydroxyvitamin D levels, defined as less than 32 ng/mL, were found in an average of 49% of the participants. Subjects with low vitamin D had more than double the adjusted risk of experiencing a stage III or IV disease event or death by 96 weeks than those with sufficient vitamin D levels. Of the subjects who experienced this outcome, 59% had low vitamin D levels, and the median time to the development of the outcome was shorter in the vitamin-insufficient

Editor's Note: In a separate analysis of virologic failure, defined as two successive plasma HIV-1 RNA measurements higher than **1,000 copies per mL** at or after the study's 16 week visit, those with low vitamin D levels had twice the risk compared to those with sufficient levels.

*J Infect Dis. 2014 May 5.



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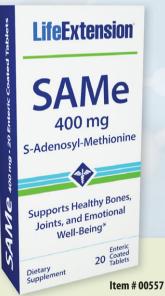
A recent study conducted at Harvard Medical School and Massachusetts General Hospital cited the impressive benefits of SAMe for mood elevation.¹

A report published in Germany indicates that SAMe may help maintain healthy neurological function.* The impressive results showed that:

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Validated in Huge New Study: Vascular Benefits of a **Mediterranean Diet**

A large, rigorous study published in the **New England** Journal of Medicine confirmed the health benefits of those who switch to a **Mediterranean diet** rich in **omega-3 fish oil** as well as protective nutrients called polyphenols found in olive oil, fruits, vegetables, nuts like walnuts, and wine. The study ended early because the benefits were so overwhelming, with startling benefits for vascular health, that it was considered unethical to continue to deprive the control aroup.1

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CARBOHYDRATES The Lethal Sugar/ Cancer Connection

A new study shows what researchers have suspected for years—consuming **carbohydrates** dramatically increases the risk for a common type of **breast cancer**, a kind that is notoriously hard to treat.¹

The study, published earlier this year in *Cancer Epidemiology*, *Biomarkers & Prevention*, revealed that postmenopausal women treated for breast cancer were:

- **Two times** more likely to have recurrence if their **carbohydrate** intake remained stable or increased after surgery,
- 70% more likely to have a recurrence if their tumors tested
 positive for "insulin-like growth factor-1," or IGF-1
 (IGF-1 increases in response to excess carbohydrate intake),
- Likely to have a 5-fold increase in the risk of recurrence if they
 had the combination an IGF-1 receptor-positive tumor plus a
 stable or increased carbohydrate intake.¹

While the study focused on reducing future cancer recurrences, it has tremendous implications for women who have not yet experienced breast cancer, and for that matter, for everyone concerned about preventing cancers in the future.





The Breast Cancer/Carbohydrate Connection

There is growing interest among the scientific community in the relationship between carbohydrate consumption and cancer, with a special focus on breast cancer.

Diets high in readily digested carbohydrates (like those found in most processed foods) are associated with increased cancer risks. Women who consume great amounts of foods with a high glycemic index (the rate at which carbohydrates raise blood sugar levels) have a 57% increased risk of breast cancer, while those who eat food with a high glycemic load (a product of the glycemic index and the total available carbohydrate content of a food) have as much as a 153% increase in risk.3

This increased risk has been specifically identified in people who are overweight or obese. Overweight women, for example, are 35% more likely to get breast cancer if they eat a lot of foods with a high glycemic index.4 Asian women whose primary carbohydrate source is white rice are 19% more likely to develop breast cancer with every **100-gram** (about 3 ounces) increment in their rice intake per day. But those who eat brown rice, a slower-digesting starch, are 24% less likely to develop breast cancer with every 100-gram increment of rice consumed per day.⁵ When glucose levels get so high that they enter the diabetic range, breast cancer risk grows to twice that of postmenopausal women with normal sugar levels.6

In addition to increasing the risk of developing breast cancer in postmenopausal women, glycemic load and total carbohydrate consumption are also associated with the worst kinds of breast cancer, namely those lacking receptors for estrogen and progesterone molecules.7 Triple negative breast cancers in which cancer cells do not contain receptors for estrogen, progesterone, or HER2—cannot be treated with treatments that oppose hormone actions. This leaves patients to suffer through more deadly, and often less effective, treatment options, thereby lowering survival rates substantially.8

On the other hand, the Nurses' Health Study, a large, women's health-focused research project, demonstrated that women who followed a diet high in vegetables and low in carbohydrates were 19% less likely to develop estrogen receptor negative breast cancer.9

Carbohydrates And Cancer Risk

There is a deeper problem with high carbohydrate consumption, even when blood sugar levels don't rise.

High-carbohydrate diets produce chronic elevations of insulin as the body tries to deal with the excess sugar.4 Protein glycation caused by excess glucose also contributes to insulin resistance, raising blood glucose levels and potentially insulin levels as a result.10 Because insulin is a growth factor, elevated insulin levels represent a potential breast cancer threat because it appears to stimulate breast cancer cells to grow and reproduce.11

Studies now reveal another danger—one that goes beyond glycation and insulin levels—which raises a woman's risk for breast cancer in relation to her carbohydrate intake.

This danger is posed by a growth factor so closely related to insulin that it is called "insulin-like growth



factor-1," or IGF-1. IGF-1 now appears to be a culprit that links high-carbohydrate intake to cancer risks throughout the body, but with special relevance for breast and possibly prostate cancers.^{1,12}

How IGF-1 Increases Breast Cancer Risk

Serum levels of IGF-1 are associated with breast cancer risk in premenopausal women, and the higher the IGF-1, the greater the risk.^{6,13} Studies show this risk increase to be between 60 to 86%, compared to women with lower levels. For premenopausal women 50 or younger, this increased risk grows to 150%. 14,15

Some studies, however, demonstrate about a 38% increase in breast cancer risk in women older than 50 with high **IGF-1** concentrations. 16,17

IGF-1 has a strong impact on breast cancer because two of its functions, promoting tissue growth and suppressing programmed cell death (apoptosis), are hallmarks of malignant cells. The actions of IGF-1 are necessary for growth and development through childhood.¹⁸ But in adults, higher levels of IGF-1 can pose problems, including increasing cancer risk and shortening life span.19

IGF-1 is a protein hormone similar in structure to insulin.20 It is a growth factor involved in normal mammary gland development and promotes healthy cell proliferation, growth, and reproduction and thereby helps the developing mammary gland form correctly.²¹

In adults, increased carbohydrate consumption appears to raise IGF-1 production and increase the risk of cancer. 19,22 In children, IGF-1 appears to be more beneficial, since rapid cell replication and cell survival is desired. 20,23 In addition to stimulating cell growth and division, IGF-1 appears to suppress apoptosis, 24,25 one of the body's many defense mechanisms against cancer. When this protective mechanism fails, abnormal, precancerous cells survive and reproduce instead of being naturally removed from healthy tissue. 14,26

These two mechanisms—growth promotion and diminished apoptosis—are hallmarks of malignant cells. That's why high levels of IGF-1, with its ability to promote tissue growth and suppress apoptosis, are a potent cancer promoter.^{14,22,27} Lab research shows that when developing mammary cells are exposed to high levels of IGF-1, it causes the cells to form large sphere-like clumps with sustained proliferative activity, abnormal changes suggestive of carcinogenesis.²¹

IGF-1 can promote cancer through its local effects on specific cell types. Making matters worse, cancers that develop under IGF-1 stimulation are often resistant to chemotherapy and radiation.^{28,29} Recent evidence suggests IGF-1 and estrogen work together to promote cancer in human breast tissue.³⁰



What You Need To Know

Carbohydrates And **Breast Cancer Risk**

- Americans' high consumption of carbohydrates puts them at increased risk for many cancers, especially breast cancers.
- Insulin-like growth factor (IGF-1) and insulin are underlying culprits associated with carbohydrate intake and cancer.
- IGF-1 promotes rapid cell replication while reducing normal programmed cell death, two major factors associated with cancer development.
- Studies show a close relationship between carbohydrate consumption, IGF-1, and breast cancer risk.
- You can reduce your carbohydrate and IGF-1-related cancer risk by selecting appropriate nutraceuticals that reduce carbohydrate breakdown and absorption.
- If you are one of the many who find it hard to cut down on carbohydrates in your diet, it is time to turn to some of the many natural dietary supplements that may limit your exposure to these cancer risk factors.

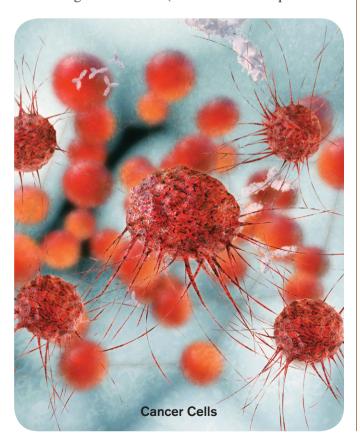
How Inhibiting IGF-1 Reduces Cancer Risk

On its own, IGF-1 is not the problem. Like most signaling molecules, IGF-1 exerts specific actions on cells only when it binds to specific **IGF-1 receptors**. IGF-1 receptors are found in many tissues. This increased IGF-1 signaling and receptor expression is recognized as one factor in breast cancers becoming resistant to treatment.29

IGF-1 receptor levels are higher in other cancers as well, including prostate cancer. High IGF-1 levels, along with reduced levels of the main serum-binding protein IGF-BP3 (insulin-like growth factor binding protein 3) in the blood predispose men to developing prostate cancer.³¹ As with breast cancers, increased IGF-1 signaling is associated with prostate cancers becoming independent of hormonal control. This makes them much more difficult to treat with conventional antihormone therapies.32

Fortunately, in studies that used antibody molecules to inhibit IGF-1 binding to IGF-1 receptors. several factors needed for cancer progression were inhibited, including protein synthesis, cell growth, and survival.33 Furthering this point, people with a congenital IGF-1 deficiency have significantly reduced rates of cancer.19

In addition, research shows that the antidiabetic drug metformin (which has multiple health-



promoting benefits) suppresses IGF-1 signaling in human pancreatic cancer cells in culture.³⁴

Research has shown that women with plasma IGF-1 levels less than 120 ng/mL are more likely to survive breast cancer.35 In fact, lowering IGF-1 plasma levels has now been recommended to:35

- Reduce the risk of developing breast cancer in high-risk women,
- Slow breast cancer progression in patients in the early stages of their disease,
- Lower the risk of breast cancer recurrence, and
- Increase the probability of surviving breast cancer.

For these reasons, Big Pharma is keenly pursuing drugs that inhibit IGF-1 receptor binding or signaling for use against a variety of cancers, though to date many of these study results have been miserable. 26,36-39

Fortunately, there are a number of natural ways to reduce the damage caused by IGF-1.

Reduce Your Body's Exposure To Carbohydrates And IGF-1

The most direct way to reduce your body's exposure to the **carbohydrates** that induce IGF-1 activity and its related cancer risk is to eat a diet containing fewer carbohydrates and simple sugars. However, this is challenging for many people, particularly those who are also trying to reduce consumption of animal proteins and fats. 40 Similarly, you can lower overall exposure to carbohydrate breakdown by consuming a diet high in fiber (which is not readily broken down by the intestine); but again, high-fiber diets can be unappealing and uncomfortable for many people.⁴⁰

A more palatable and practical option to reduce carbohydrate exposure is to use specific nutrients that limit or slow starch breakdown in the intestine, which in turn reduces blood sugar levels and insulin levels.⁴⁰ By reducing these levels, you can "turn down the volume" on the IGF-1 system and gain more control of your dietary risk for cancer. 23,41,42

Table 1 (next page) offers examples of some of the nutrients known to be most effective at reducing your body's exposure to excessive dietary carbohydrate, potentially modulating IGF-1 and insulin levels.

As you can see from Table 1, there are many options for gaining control of your body's exposure to excess carbohydrates. Note that these products act by several different mechanisms: this is a critical and widely recognized factor in the effectiveness of these natural supplements.

Table 1: Nutrients That Protect Your Body From Excess Carbohydrate Exposure And High IGF-1 Levels

Nutrient	Mechanism	Impact On Carbohydrate Exposure	Impact On IGF-1/ Insulin System
L-arabinose ⁴³⁻⁴⁵	Inhibits intestinal sucrase (enzyme that breaks down sucrose to glucose and fructose)	Slows intestinal carbohydrate absorption; lowers blood glucose	Lowers insulin levels; reduces insulin resistance
Chromium ⁴⁶⁻⁵⁰	Potentiates the action of insulin	Lowers blood glucose; improves glucose tolerance	Enhances insulin sensitivity; lowers insulin levels
Coffee ⁵¹⁻⁵⁴	Downregulates genes involved in fat production and inflammation; stimulates glucose transporter activity Reduces blood glucose		Improves insulin resistance; IGF-1 levels are lower in women coffee drinkers
<i>Irvingia gabonensis</i> (African mango; Dikanut) ⁵⁵⁻⁶⁰	Reduces levels of intestinal carbohydrate-digesting enzymes; downregulates fat production Reduces absorpti blood levels of gluc		Decreases body weight, a contributor to elevated IGF-1
Mulberry leaf extract ⁶¹⁻⁶⁸	Inhibits intestinal carbohydrate-digesting enzymes; supports glucose transporter GLUT4	Reduces carbohydrate absorption; decreases blood glucose	Suppresses body weight gain; reduces insulin resistance
Phaseolus vulgaris (white kidney bean) and other legume extracts ⁶⁹⁻⁷²	Inhibits intestinal carbohydrate-digesting enzymes	Slows carbohydrate digestion; suppresses hunger/increases fullness; reduces blood glucose	Lowers insulin levels
Phloridzin ⁷³⁻⁷⁵	Blocks carrier proteins that reabsorb glucose from the intestines and kidneys	Lowers blood glucose	Normalizes glucose tolerance and insulin sensitivity
Seaweed (Ascophyllum nodosum and Fucus vesiculosus) extracts ^{76,77}	Inhibits intestinal carbohydrate-digesting enzymes	Appears to reduce after-meal blood glucose	Improves insulin sensitivity; reduces insulin levels
Sorghum ^{10,78,79}	Activates metabolic sensor PPAR-gamma; may inhibit insulin resistance	Slows starch digestion; reduces blood glucose	Improves insulin sensitivity; lowers insulin levels
Transglucosidase ⁸⁰⁻⁸⁴	Converts dietary sugars and readily digested carbo- hydrates into harder-to-digest oligosaccharide molecules; improves favorable intestinal microbial population associated with lower diabetes and cancer rates		Reduces insulin levels

Summary

Many people have shifted away from animal proteins and fats toward a more carbohydrate-rich diet in an effort to improve their health and longevity.

Unfortunately, diets high in carbohydrates, especially sugars and refined starch, raise cancer risk. This is, in part, due to higher levels of IGF-1, a growth factor that promotes cell replication and slows programmed cell death—two major components of cancer development.

High levels of IGF-1 are strongly associated with breast cancers, and perhaps others. In addition, tumors promoted by IGF-1 are more likely than other tumors to be resistant to standard hormone treatments. increasing the need for more toxic chemotherapy.

You can help control IGF-1 levels by restricting intake of refined carbohydrates (white starches) and increasing intake of dietary fiber. Many people find these dietary interventions difficult to sustain.

An alternative to these dietary shifts is to use natural supplement formulas that reduce the ability of dietary carbohydrates to reach your bloodstream. thereby lowering blood sugar, improving insulin sensitivity, and potentially reducing the body's production of cancer-promoting IGF-1.

Several such supplements exist in multi-ingredient formulas, thus providing broad-spectrum blood sugar modulating mechanisms. By choosing an appropriate supplement formula regimen to be taken before carbohydrate- and starch-containing meals, you may reduce cancer risks associated with elevated blood glucose, insulin, and IGF-1.

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IGF-1, Insulin, Calorie Restriction, And Life Span

Studies show that reducing insulin and IGF-1 signaling not only decreases cancer risk, but can also extend life span in many organisms. IGF-1 receptors in the brains of mammals have been shown to control life span through several mechanisms including control of energy metabolism and modified stress resistance.85 Studies show that humans with genetic deficiencies in growth factors including IGF-1 are reported to have increased life span.19,86-89

Some researchers believe one of the reasons calorie restriction is so effective at extending life span is because it triggers a reduction in insulin/ IGF-1 signaling, part of which involves reducing a significant decrease in tumor weight.92





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Many aging individuals find themselves under assault from rising blood sugar levels.

Despite a healthy diet and exercise, blood sugar levels can rise due to a number of factors including excess qluconeogenesis whereby the liver produces glucose from protein. Another issue is the rapid conversion of any **starch**, including whole grains, into glucose. The result is that even health-conscious, active people can experience higherthan-desired blood sugar levels as they age. 1,2

An all-natural, multi-pronged approach has been designed to support the natural balance of key *qlucose* pathways!

Tri Sugar Shield™ provides three plant-derived nutrients that—through their rich array of complementary mechanisms³⁻¹⁸—afford an unrivaled level of optimal, broadspectrum support for healthy glucose metabolism in aging individuals within normal range.

MULTI-PRONGED APPROACH

Life Extension® Tri Sugar Shield™ contains the following three nutrients:

Sorghum Extract

Sorghum has long been cultivated in Asia (and now is grown in Africa, India, China, Australia, and the USA) and helps maintain healthy blood sugar levels, among those in the normal range, by modulating four different mechanisms:

- Balances the rate of sugar manufacture in the liver (gluconeogenesis).5
- Promotes insulin sensitivity.6
- Regulates PPAR-aamma, a metabolic thermostat controlling glucose metabolism.^{6,7}
- Regulates the enzyme alpha-amylase, which in turn controls the release of sugar found in starch.3,4

Mulberry Leaf Extract

Mulberry leaf has been used in Chinese traditional medicine for centuries. Mulberry leaf extract targets three different mechanisms:

- Targets the *alpha-glucosidase* enzyme to regulate conversion of starch into glucose. 8-10
- Supports glucose transporter GLUT4 that moves glucose out of the bloodstream and into muscle and liver cells. 11,12
- Promotes insulin sensitivity.13

Phloridzin

Phloridzin is a natural polyphenol found in various fruit trees.14 Phloridzin helps maintain healthy blood sugar levels, among those in the normal range by:

- Targeting carrier protein SGLT1, in turn helping to block the absorption of glucose into the bloodstream. 15,16
- Targeting carrier protein SGLT2, in turn supporting glucose elimination via urine.17,18

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Unique Probiotic Targets Cardiovascular Disease

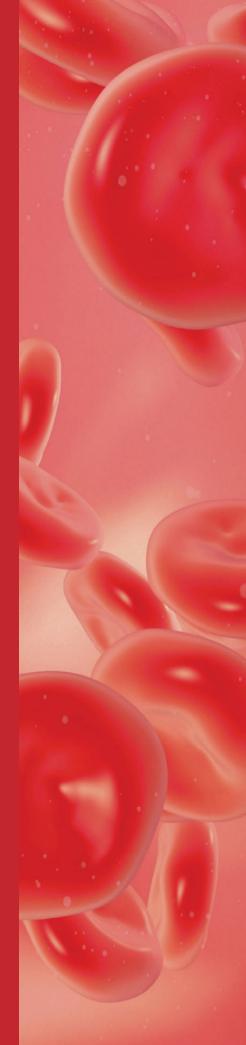
In a new and innovative field of medical study, scientists are exploring how **probiotics** play a much larger and more vital role in our health than we ever could have imagined.

In some impressive research, scientists have determined that specific strains of probiotics have the ability to target disease-specific risk factors—especially those related to cardiovascular disease.¹⁻⁴

Probiotics have become increasingly popular for their ability to assist in digestion and boost the body's immunity. But a specific strain of *Lactobacillus* called *L. reuteri* **30242** has been found to work in two distinct ways to lower cholesterol: It removes excess cholesterol from the body and increases the metabolism of cholesterol.^{5,6}

Clinical studies show that *L. reuteri* reduces total and LDL cholesterol levels, without statin drug side effects.⁵⁻⁹

Pharmacological researchers are eager to produce drug versions of these targeted probiotics aimed at lowering cholesterol.¹⁰ The good news is that one can initiate supplementation with *L. reuteri* today and accomplish similar results with this natural strain of a common and beneficial member of the intestinal microbiome.





A **2014** review from the *Mayo Clinic* observed that, "It will soon be important for practicing clinicians to have an understanding of the basic concepts of the human microbiome and its relation to human health and disease."14 At Life Extension®, we believe "soon" isn't soon enough. *Now* is the time for doctors to take the importance of the gut microbiome seriously—especially as we discover its critical link to cardiovascular disease.

The Genesis Of Targeted Probiotics

Growing knowledge about bacterial biochemistry, as well as about disease-specific risk factors, has made the field of probiotics one of the most exciting research fields in disease prevention and longevity. Long overlooked as a matter of importance, the gut microbiome is now seen as a playing a key role in maintaining optimal health and warding off the diseases of aging.

Probiotics are increasingly being investigated for their ability to change not only risk factors in the gastrointestinal tract, but also those in the body as a whole, especially the cardiovascular system.^{3,4}

At this point, scientists have only just scratched the surface of the potential benefits of probiotics for specific diseases. This is mainly because, in most instances, the mechanisms by which probiotics exert their impressive beneficial effects are still being investigated as is how to customize them to reduce specific disease risk factors.12

Scientists have proposed that L. reuteri has the ability to reduce cholesterol levels in two ways: by increasing cholesterol loss from the body in stool and by increasing the breakdown of cholesterol (catabolism) in the liver. 1,15

Preclinical Evidence: L. Reuteri Provides **Multiple Cardiovascular Benefits**

Elevated blood cholesterol levels, particularly levels of LDL ("bad") cholesterol, have been associated with cardiovascular disease and early death for several decades. Yet even with so many people taking cholesterol-lowering drugs, some at-risk people are unable to get their cholesterol under control.6

That's where probiotic cardiovascular protective therapy with *L. reuteri* comes in.

Animal studies show that *L. reuteri* has powerful cholesterol-lowering properties. In one study, pigs were fed a high-fat, high-cholesterol, low-fiber diet (like that of many Americans). After four weeks of supplementation with L. reuteri, they experienced significantly lower total and LDL cholesterol compared to control pigs, with no changes in HDL ("good") cholesterol levels.16

A similar study in mice demonstrated beneficial changes in cholesterol in much less time. After just seven days, mice supplemented with L. reuteri experienced a 38% reduction in total cholesterol, bringing their levels close to those of healthy controls. 17 Supplementation also reduced blood triglycerides by 40% and raised the ratio of beneficial HDL to LDL cholesterol by 20%.

The researchers took the study a step further to determine if supplementation with L. reuteri could prevent unhealthy rises in cholesterol. Remarkably, they found that it can. When mice were supplemented with L. reuteri prior to being fed a high-fat diet, the probiotic was able to prevent elevations in cholesterol and increase the beneficial HDL to LDL ratio.18



In addition, L. reuteri-supplemented mice fed a Western-style diet that contained substantial cholesterol gained significantly less body weight, with lower total and liver fat accumulations, than did unsupplemented control mice fed the same diet.19

Clinical Evidence: L. Reuteri Substantially **Lowers Cardiovascular Risk**

Human studies on *L. reuteri* supplementation have vielded some impressive results.5-7

In one study of adults with elevated cholesterol, subjects consumed either a regular vogurt or one supplemented with *L. reuteri*. Over a six-week period, supplemented patients' total cholesterol dropped nearly 5% and LDL cholesterol fell by nearly 9%. Supplemented patients also had a significant decline in concentrations of apolipoprotein B-100 (apoB-100), a marker of LDL particle number and a known risk factor for cardiovascular disease.20

Another study demonstrated similarly impressive results in a group of adults with high cholesterol. After taking L. reuteri organisms in capsule form for nine weeks, LDL cholesterol fell by nearly 12%, total cholesterol fell by 9%, non-HDL cholesterol fell by 11%, and apoB-100 fell by 8%, with a reduction in the LDL to HDL cholesterol ratio of 13%.6

This study also demonstrated the long-term benefits of such cholesterol reduction because of its positive impact on two important markers of inflammation: high-sensitivity C-reactive protein (hs-CRP) and fibringen. In the patients taking L. reuteri, hs-CRP was reduced by 1.05 mg/L (62%) and fibrinogen was reduced by 14%.

For subjects who began the study with hs-CRP levels in the average or high-risk categories at baseline, 27.1% of supplemented patients reduced their risk category by one or more risk categories (e.g., from high to average risk, from average to low risk, or from high to low risk), compared to only 1.7% of control subjects. And 22% of supplemented patients decreased their hs-CRP risk category by one risk group (e.g., high to average risk or average to low risk), compared to just 2% of controls.6

How L. Reuteri Reduces **Cholesterol Levels**

The key to success for *L. reuteri* is in its ability to produce an enzyme called bile salt hydrolase. This enzyme makes cholesterol less absorbable so that instead of being absorbed into the bloodstream, it becomes trapped in the gut, then later excreted in fecal matter.21



Probiotic Targets Heart Disease

- Cardiovascular disease continues to be a leading killer of Americans, despite advances in drug and surgical therapies.
- Probiotics (cultures of beneficial organisms) have long been used to promote gastrointestinal health.
- New research is producing a generation of "condition-specific" probiotics, each aimed at addressing a particular disease associated with aging.
- One of the first such probiotic supplements to reach the market is the patentprotected Lactobacillus strain called L. reuteri 30242.
- L. reuteri produces a specific enzyme that "traps" cholesterol in the intestine and prevents it from being reabsorbed, thereby lowering plasma cholesterol levels.
- Further cholesterol reductions come from the organism's ability to increase cholesterol metabolism, thereby promoting its breakdown and excretion.
- Clinical studies show that L. reuteri supplementation rivals certain cholesterollowering drugs in its ability to reduce dangerous total and "bad" cholesterol levels without side effects, while also reducing markers of inflammation that further promote cardiovascular disease.
- Anyone who is seriously concerned about reducing the risk of early death from heart attack, stroke, or other cardiovascular catastrophe should begin supplementation with this cutting-edge probiotic.

Like all fats, cholesterol in its free state cannot dissolve in water (think of how oil and water separate in a jar) and is not easily absorbed on its own. This creates a problem because cholesterol—both LDL and HDL—is beneficial for the body and is necessary for functions such as forming cell membranes and creating hormones.

In order to make cholesterol more absorbable, liver cells produce free bile acids, which are then bonded (conjugated) to the amino acids glycine and taurine and secreted into the intestines.²² Conjugated bile acids are more water-soluble than free bile acids, meaning they are better able to assist with the absorption of cholesterol.15

The problem is that when too much cholesterol is available, either from excess dietary consumption or excess release from the liver into the small intestine, the *reabsorption* of cholesterol causes the body to maintain blood cholesterol levels higher than necessary, raising cardiovascular disease risk.²³⁻²⁷

The bile salt hydrolase (enzyme) activity of *L. reuteri* breaks the chemical bonds of conjugated bile acids, thereby releasing free bile acids, which are less watersoluble. 15,21,28 In essence, in the presence of *L. reuteri*, cholesterol molecules may become trapped inside the gut, where they are then excreted.²¹ This process interrupts regular cholesterol reabsorption, helping lower blood cholesterol levels.

Unique Cholesterol-Lowering Mechanism Of L. Reuteri

L. reuteri is believed to have a second mechanism that further lowers blood cholesterol and cardiovascular risk.

In addition to being reservoirs for excess cholesterol, bile acids are also potent signaling molecules that regulate cholesterol metabolism via the action of the farnesoid X receptor (FXR).²⁹⁻³² When conjugated bile acids break apart (in the presence of *L. reuteri*), that signaling is modulated, which then accelerates the breakdown and excretion of cholesterol. 22,23 Furthermore, the modified bile acid signaling resulting from *L. reuteri* limits additional cholesterol absorption from the intestine while boosting cholesterol secretion from the liver back into the intestine for ultimate excretion.24,33,34

The Gut Microbiome

The human GI tract is home to more than 100 trillion bacteria per person. Together this giant population is referred to as the gut microbiota, or gut microbiome.11

These organisms have evolved along with their human hosts to produce a mutually beneficial relationship. 11,41 Gut organisms produce critical molecules that humans cannot make for themselves, while humans provide a safe and nutrientrich environment in return.11

All microbiota come from our mothers (at birth) and from early childhood environments, and this community of organisms can remain remarkably stable throughout our adult lives. Disruptions to the natural bacterial community, however, are not uncommon, and can cause at least temporary changes in the makeup of the community.11

Prolonged, or repeated disturbances, such as frequent antibiotic use or a poor diet, can produce more lasting changes, many of which are harmful to the body as a whole.11 Certain disruptions in the structure of the microbial community have now been associated with specific health problems both within the bowel (e.g., inflammatory bowel disease) and in the body as a whole. This can be seen most clearly in obesity, metabolic syndrome, diabetes, and cardiovascular disease. 11,14,42

In one study, when patients were supplemented with L. reuteri, they showed a significant increase in blood levels of free bile acid and significant decreases in the absorption of plant-derived cholesterol-like molecules.6 In a later re-analysis of data from this study, researchers also found that supplementing with L. reuteri not only improved cardiovascular risk by reducing cholesterol and markers of inflammation. it also improved general intestinal health and reduced symptoms related to diarrhea, compared with placebo recipients.35

Superior Cardiovascular Support

A direct comparison of L. reuteri supplementation with other heart health-promoting supplements is eye-opening. Plant-derived sterols, soy, and fiber supplements all have beneficial effects on cholesterol reduction. However, the probiotic is superior in terms of its effects on inflammatory markers of cardiovascular risk (e.g., CRP and fibringen), in promoting gastrointestinal health, and in terms of its low dose (100 mg/dose) compared with doses in the range of 1 to 50 **grams** for the others. (See Figure 2)

Pharmacology researchers are eager to exploit the role of bile acids as cholesterol-regulating signals, and have already rushed to produce semisynthetic versions aimed at lowering cholesterol. 10 But simply supplementing with L. reuteri, a patent-protected strain of probiotic, can provide effective results using a safe, natural strain of a common, beneficial member of your own intestinal microbiome.

Other Lactobacillus Research

In their search for effective, targeted probiotics that can address the underlying cause of disease, scientists began looking at Lactobacillus, a large genus of beneficial organisms abundant in the human gastrointestinal and female reproductive tracts. In various experiments, Lactobacillus has been bred into numerous strains, each with different biochemical activities. Here are the results of several experiments in which Lactobacillus modified the various risk factors of cardiovascular disease:

- Probiotic Lactobacillus species fed to obese mice on high-fat diets reduced proinflammatory status of blood vessels, while reducing insulin resistance and blood sugar, two major risk factors for heart disease.62
- Milk fermented with Lactobacillus species lowered glucose, homocysteine, and inflammatory markers in women with metabolic syndrome, a major cardiovascular risk factor.63
- Critically ill ICU patients at risk of cardiac injury who were given probiotics produced significant decreases in triglycerides and C-reactive protein (CRP, a measure of inflammation) and increases in HDL. No changes were noted in placebo recipients.64

Expanding Roles And Mechanisms Of Probiotics' Widespread Actions^{4,14}

New Roles For Probiotics To Prevent

Allergic disorders

Autoimmune diseases

Cardiovascular diseases

Clostridium difficile infection

Diabetes

High blood pressure

High cholesterol

High homocysteine levels

Inflammatory bowel disease

Multidrug-resistant organism colonization

Neuropsychiatric illnesses

Obesity and metabolic derangements

Oxidative stress

Proposed Mechanisms Of Action

Modulating central nervous system activity

Modulating immune response

Producing specific molecules

Releasing specific enzymes



Although, many Lactobacillus bacteria are "generally recognized as safe" by the Food and Drug Administration, L. reuteri has also undergone extensive laboratory characterization and safety testing. L. reuteri has demonstrated no adverse effects associated with its consumption as a supplement, including no loss of fat-soluble vitamins (A, D, E, and beta carotene). 36-40 In fact, research demonstrates that L. reuteri supplementation can increase levels of the heart-protective vitamin D by nearly 26%.37 (See Figure 1)

Summary

With high cholesterol and other lipid disturbances remaining unchecked, premature deaths from cardiovascular disease continue to occur, despite drug treatments and their attendant side effects.

A new strain of natural probiotic, *Lactobacillus reuteri*, is about to change all that. This organism can lower cholesterol in two ways: by increasing cholesterol loss from the body through stool and increasing cholesterol metabolism.

Probiotic L. reuteri does all this by secreting a potent enzyme called bile salt hydrolase, which traps cholesterol in the intestinal tract and increases signaling to liver cells to metabolize cholesterol.

Clinical studies demonstrate that L. reuteri effectively lowers levels of total and LDL-cholesterol, while driving down inflammation and reducing other metabolic disturbances that raise cardiovascular risks.

A safe, natural probiotic, L. reuteri is one of the first "condition-specific" probiotics, designed and developed specifically to fight risk factors that lead to heart attacks, strokes, and other cardiovascular catastrophes.

Even those without overtly elevated cardiovascular risk factors will benefit from L. reuteri supplementation; the probiotic has been shown to prevent dietinduced lipid disturbances as well as resolve them. L. reuteri supplementation is an important part of an overall strategy for reducing the risk of heart disease.

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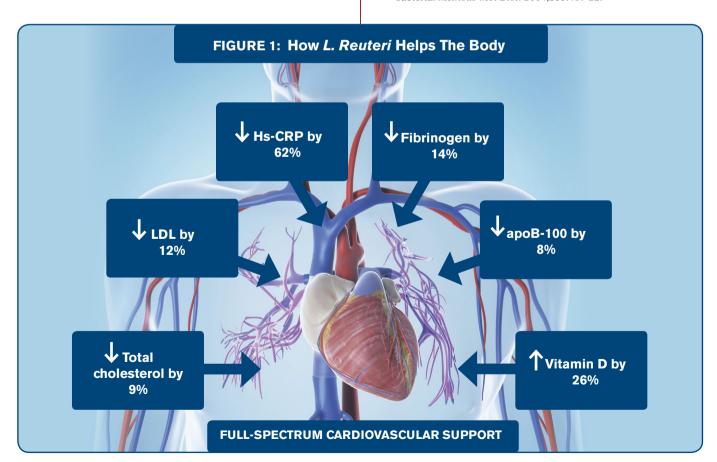


FIGURE 2: Comparison Of L. Reuteri With Other Heart-Healthy Supplements^{5,6,35,43-61}

	Reduction in LDL-C	Reduction in total C	Effect on HDL/LDL Ratio	Effect on CV inflammatory markers	Effect on GI health	Dose
<i>L. Reuteri</i> NCIMB 30242	~12%	~9%	Yes	Yes	Yes	100 mg
Plant sterols	~9%	~5%	Yes	Inconsistent	No	Up to 2 g
Fish oil	variable	variable	Yes	Yes	No	Up to 4 g
Soy	~5%	~5%	Yes	No	No	Up to 50 g
Fiber	~7%	~5%	Yes	Yes	Yes	~10 g

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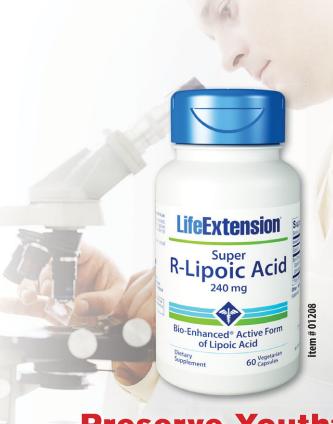
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Natural Extracts Lower BLOOD PRESSURE

The **World Health Organization** has determined that **hypertension** is *the* leading cause of cardiovascular mortality.¹

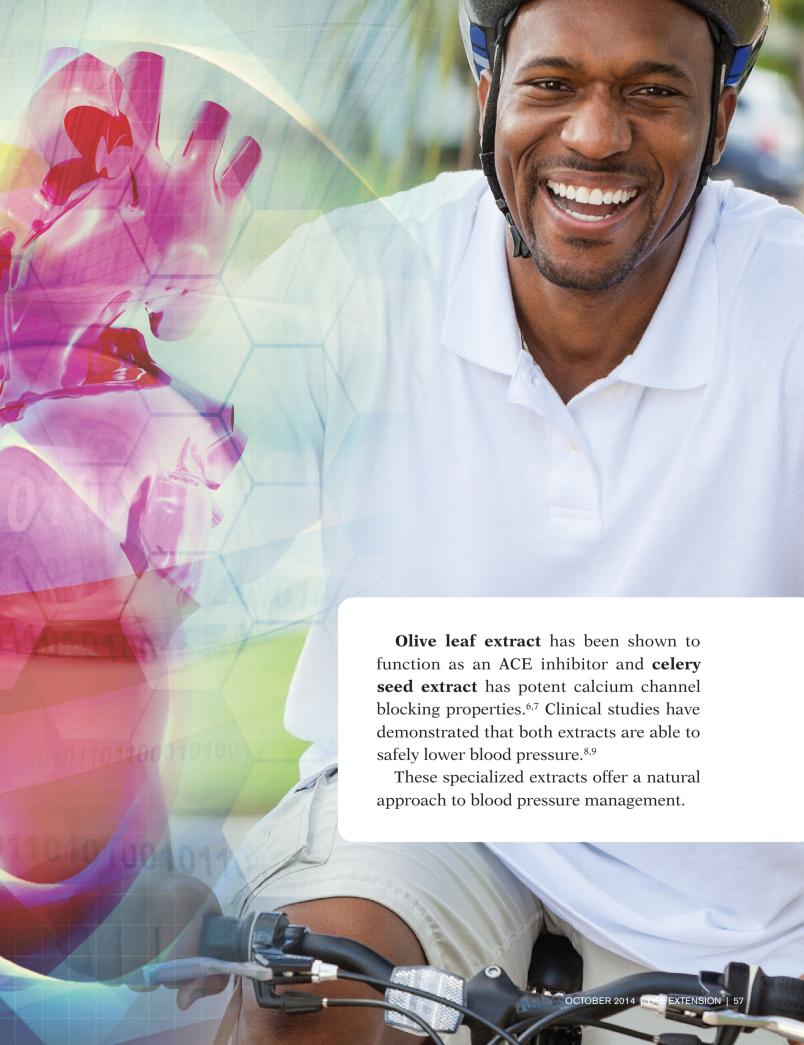
It affects as many as 1.5 billion people worldwide and is a major risk factor for **atherosclerosis**.

Drug therapy for hypertension is often comprised of one or a combination of medications that may include an angiotensin II receptor blocker, calcium channel blocker, beta blocker, angiotensin converting enzyme (ACE) inhibitor, and/or a diuretic.^{2,3}

Some of these drugs and drug combinations have potential side effects, which is troubling since blood pressure medications may be required for the rest of a person's life. That does not mean a person with hypertension should discontinue their prescribed medications. But if natural approaches can reduce blood pressure readings so that drug doses can be reduced or eliminated, then side effect concerns can be mitigated.

In an exciting new discovery, scientists have uncovered two natural extracts that have similar mechanisms to some of the most effective drug therapies for hypertension.





Current Treatments For Hypertension

Numerous recent, large, randomized clinical trials have indicated that treating hypertension in older adults can reduce the risk of kidney disease, stroke, and cardiovascular events. 10 Unfortunately, bringing blood pressure down to healthy levels is easier said than done.

Many clinicians start therapy with a mild diuretic ("water pill") at low doses, then gradually increase doses until either blood pressure is controlled or the maximum dose is reached.10

However, nearly 75% of patients do not get adequate blood pressure control on a single drug, which means a second medication is often necessary.11 This process may continue until a person finds himself or herself on three, four, or more drugs.^{2,11,12}

A frequently prescribed class of antihypertensives used today are the **angiotensin II receptor blockers**. These drugs block the angiotensin II receptor and often induce more profound and sustained blood pressure control than older classes of medications. However, there are side effect risks associated with angiotensin II receptor blocker drugs. In some individuals, angiotensin II receptor blockers can cause an increase in potassium and changes in kidney function. Also, do not take angiotensin receptor blockers if you are pregnant or plan on becoming pregnant because this class of medication can cause harm to the fetus.

One of the most commonly used approaches to treating hypertension involves the combination of two drugs: an ACE inhibitor and a calcium channel blocker.^{2,3} A large 2013 study demonstrated that for most people, this combination was more effective at reducing cardiovascular consequences of hypertension than using either drug with a diuretic.¹³ This combination also demonstrated the greatest probability of reducing death.14

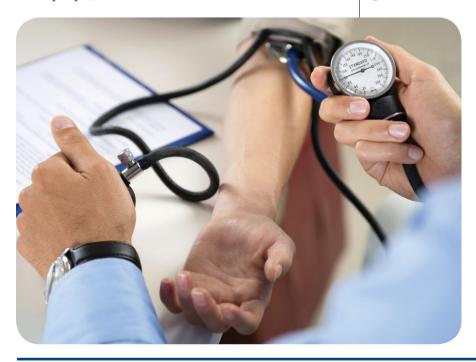
Here's how the combination drug therapy works.

Angiotensin converting enzyme, or ACE, is a natural enzyme in the body that activates the hormone angiotensin, which causes blood vessels to constrict, thus increasing blood pressure. 15 Inhibiting ACE can return blood pressure to lower levels. ACE inhibitors alone, however, are not always entirely effective, which is why doctors often combine them with a second drug called a calcium channel blocker. 16

Calcium channel blockers lower blood pressure by a different mechanism than ACE inhibitors. They prevent the entry of calcium ions into muscle cells in the arterial wall. Since calcium ions are a major signal telling those cells to contract and raise muscle tone in the artery, blocking calcium influx into the cells will prevent contraction and lower blood pressure.¹⁷

Use of the combination of an ACE inhibitor and a calcium channel blocker has become one of the mainstavs of modern pharmacological blood pressure control, since the two drugs act in parallel, but different ways. Unfortunately, as is usually the case, both drugs bring with them side effects.^{17,18}

Scientists have discovered two natural ingredients that work in ways similar to mainstream drugs, but without the numerous side effects. Olive leaf extract and celery seed extract act as ACE inhibitors and calcium channel blockers, respectively.6,7 Each has been shown in clinical studies to lower blood pressure.



Olive Leaf Extract: A Natural ACE Inhibitor

Extracts from leaves of the olive tree (Olea europaea) contain compounds known as secoiridoid glycosides.6 When ingested, these substances break down into molecules with the ability to inhibit angiotensin converting enzyme (ACE) and its harmful effects on blood vessels.6,19 Studies now show that olive leaf extract is effective at lowering blood pressure, just as would be expected from an ACE inhibitor.20

In preclinical trials, researchers found that when they gave rats an olive leaf extract at the same time as hypertension-inducing chemicals, it prevented them from developing experimentally induced hypertension.²¹ Similarly, in rats that had already been hypertensive for six weeks, administration of olive leaf extract normalized blood pressure. even when the rats continued receiving the hypertension-inducing chemical.²¹ Animal studies have also shown that olive leaf extract is effective at reducing the signs of metabolic syndrome, a major cardiovascular risk factor.²²

Human studies have been extremely encouraging as well. A cleverly designed human trial using identical twins demonstrated the antihypertensive effects of olive leaf extract, with one twin serving as a control.8 Treated twins received either 500 or 1,000 mg/ day of the extract while the other received advice regarding a "favorable lifestyle."

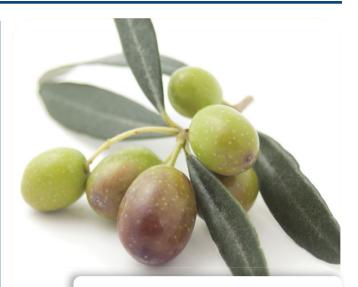
After eight weeks, compared to their controls, twins taking 500 mg/day saw an average drop in systolic pressure of 6 mm Hg, while the twins taking 1,000 mg/day saw an average drop in systolic pressure of 13 mm Hg. In the group taking the higher dose, blood pressure fell from an average of 137/80 at baseline to 126/76 after eight weeks and LDL cholesterol was also reduced.

Olive leaf extract was recently compared directly with the ACE inhibitor captopril in patients with Stage I hypertension and it was found to be almost equally as effective.20 The extract dose was fixed at 500 mg twice daily for the eight weeks of the study, while *captopril* dosing started at **12.5 mg** twice daily, and increased to 25 mg twice daily if needed for blood pressure control.

At the end of the study, both groups experienced significant reductions in systolic and diastolic blood pressure as compared to baseline. The olive leaf extract group experienced a mean systolic blood pressure reduction of 11.5 mm Hg, while the captopril group reduced systolic blood pressure by 13.7 mm Hg. Diastolic pressures fell 4.8 mm Hg in the olive leaf extract group and 6.4 mm Hg in the captopril group. The differences between groups were not statistically significant.²⁰

In addition, triglyceride levels fell significantly from baseline in the olive leaf supplemented group but not in the drug group. This important study showed that olive leaf extract was similar in effect to the ACE-inhibiting drug, but with the added benefit of triglyceride reduction.

A subsequent human study showed that olive leaf extract could also improve insulin sensitivity by 15% in overweight middle-aged men, an important step in further reducing cardiovascular risk.²³ It also led to a 28% improvement in pancreatic responses to blood sugar.



What You Need To Know

Natural Extracts Lower Blood Pressure

- High blood pressure (hypertension) is the leading cause of cardiovascular disease and is an important contributor to premature death and disability.
- Despite widespread awareness of hypertension as a health threat, only a minority of Americans manage to control their blood pressure.
- Patients using prescription medications may have to take two or more drugs before their blood pressure is controlled.
- One of the most effective drug combinations pairs an angiotensin converting enzyme (ACE) inhibitor with a calcium channel blocker.
- New scientific evidence shows that olive leaf extract provides ACE inhibition, while celery seed extract offers calcium channel blocking effects.
- Each of these supplements has independently been shown to lower blood pressure in human trials.
- ACE inhibition plus calcium channel blocking effects are available through the use of the natural ingredients olive leaf and celery seed extract.

Why At-Home Blood Pressure **Testing is So Important**

To ensure that the drugs, nutrients, and lifestyle changes you are using to combat hypertension are achieving optimal results, have your blood pressure checked regularly.

Ideally this should be done every 12 hours initially using an at-home monitoring device.

The reason you should check every 12 hours is that some blood pressure drugs wear off after 12-18 hours, leaving you vulnerable to considerable periods of higher-than-desired blood pressure. It's during periods of high blood pressure that damage to the delicate endothelial linings of our arteries occurs.

Once you have established a program of drugs, nutrients, and/or lifestyle that produces reliable optimal blood pressure ranges, then testing several times a week should be adequate for most people.

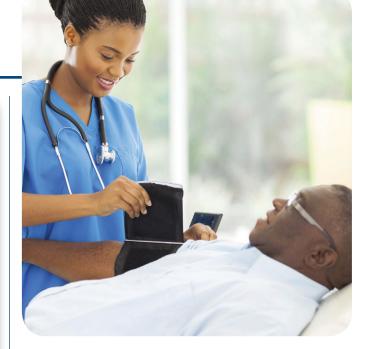
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Celery Seed Extract: A Natural Calcium Channel Blocker

Celery is a simple food with a complex chemical makeup. Studies show that celery seed components produce a relaxing, dilating effect that lowers blood pressure. This appears to occur, at least in part, by blocking or antagonizing the flow of calcium into muscle cells lining blood vessels—similar to the action performed by calcium channel blocking drugs.^{7,24,25} One key blood pressure-lowering compound in celery seeds has the technical name of **L-3-n-butylphthalide**, abbreviated as 3nB.26,27

3nB has been used in a number of studies for the management of vascular diseases in the brain, such as stroke and vascular dementia.^{26,28,29} And even now, a synthetic form of 3nB is being developed as a drug in China for the treatment of cerebral ischemic stroke and mild cognitive impairment as well as for the prevention of Alzheimer's disease-all of which have components of abnormalities in blood flow. 26,30-33

Animal and lab studies reveal that 3nB-rich extracts of celery seeds produce blood pressure reductions of up



to 38 mm Hg in hypertensive rats (this effect was not seen in those with normal blood pressures).²⁷ Animal studies also demonstrate that celery seed extract has no significant toxic effects even at very high doses.³⁴

A human study demonstrating the effectiveness of a celery seed extract standardized to 85% 3nB recently appeared in the *Natural Medicine Journal*. For the study, 30 middle-aged patients with mild-to-moderate hypertension took **75 mg** doses of a celery seed extract twice daily for six weeks. To obtain an equivalent amount of 3nB, one would have to consume approximately 530 stalks (nearly 50 pounds) of celery.

Mean blood pressures at baseline were 139.4/85.4 mm Hg. At three weeks, they fell to 134.8/80.9, and at six weeks they fell to 131.2/76.9. This represents total drops of 8.2 mm Hg systolic and 8.5 diastolic from baseline.

Of great importance, while pharmacological calcium channel blockers and ACE inhibitors are known to reduce blood flow to the brain-which can leave patients feeling tired, depressed, dizzy, or forgetful celery seed extracts rich in 3nB appear to *improve* brain blood flow, prevent stroke, and may protect brain cells and enhance their energy consumption. 9,30,33,35



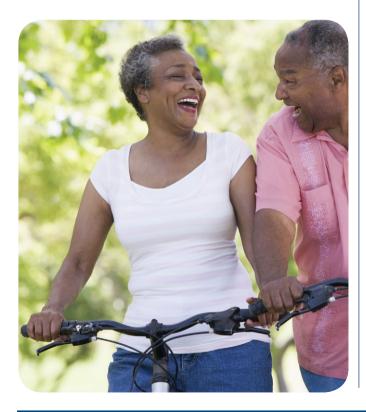
Hypertension: The Silent Killer

Olive leaf and celery seed extracts could not have been developed at a better time. Hypertension is quickly becoming a global epidemic.¹ It is estimated that nearly 30% of adults around the globe have hypertension³⁶—and that percentage climbs to 75% in some European nations.³⁷ Even in the US, which has one of the highest rates of awareness of the disease, hypertension affects between nearly 30 to 50% of the population.³⁷⁻³⁹

Hypertension has long been known as the "silent killer."^{8,40} Despite increased awareness and treatment of hypertension, it is estimated that more than **50%** of people worldwide with high blood pressure are unaware of their condition, and only a minority have been able to achieve control of their blood pressure.^{41,42}

If you're unsure of your blood pressure levels, you should have them tested as soon as possible. **Life Extension** suggests that optimally, blood pressure should be maintained at **115/75 mm Hg.** Blood pressure levels greater than **139/89 mm Hg** should be treated right away. Talk to your doctor about possible treatments and consider adding the combination of celery seed extract and olive leaf extract to your treatment plan.

Rather than blindly assuming anything works, obtain an **at-home blood pressure monitor** to ensure that the drugs, nutrients, and lifestyle changes you are using to lower blood pressure are achieving **optimal** results.



Summary

Despite billions of dollars spent on drugs to lower blood pressure,⁴³ Americans are still losing the battle to keep their hypertension under control. Even drugs that are effective at bringing down high blood pressure have uncomfortable, sometimes dangerous, side effects.

One of the most effective blood pressure drug combinations is an ACE inhibitor paired with a calcium channel blocker. But for those with early or mild-to-moderate hypertension (Stage I), ACE inhibition and calcium channel blocking may be accomplished with extracts from olive leaf and celery seed, respectively. Even those with more advanced cases of hypertension may be able to reduce their dosing of drugs by adding this nutrient combo.

Clinical studies show that each of these supplements alone is effective at significantly lowering blood pressure, generally without the adverse effects often associated with prescription medications. Using olive leaf and celery seed extract together is a powerful natural combination modeled on solid science. •

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The Dangers Of High Blood Pressure

Hypertension is classified as blood pressure greater than 139/89 mm Hg.

It is now reported that once you are older than 50, a systolic (top number) blood pressure higher than **140 mm Hg** is a greater cardiovascular risk factor than diastolic (bottom number) pressure.⁴² As blood pressure increases, cardiovascular disease risk rises rapidly. Beginning at **115/75**, risk doubles for each additional **20/10 mm Hg** rise. Even among those with normal pressures at age 55, the lifetime risk for developing hypertension is **90%**.⁴²

TABLE 1: Select Side Effects Of ACE Inhibitors And Calcium Channel Blocking Drugs 17,18,53

ACE Inhibitors	Calcium Channel Blockers
Cough	Flushing
Dizziness	Headache
Fatigue	Rapid heart rate
Headache	Swelling
High blood potassium	
Low blood pressure	
Rash	
Renal impairment	
Taste disturbances	
Worsening inflammatory pain	

TABLE 2: Classification Of Blood Pressure For Adults 42,44

Classification	Systolic Pressure (mm Hg)	Diastolic Pressure (mm Hg)
Normal	<120	<80
High normal or prehypertension	120–139	80–89
Stage I hypertension	140–159	90–99
Stage II hypertension	≥160	≥100

Although the consequences of untreated hypertension take time to develop, they are deadly when they arise and can include coronary artery disease, heart failure, and atrial fibrillation, a common arrhythmia.⁴⁵

There is now evidence that cardiac disease related to hypertension has its origins early in life.⁴⁵ Arterial stiffening, occurring with age and advancing atherosclerosis, is a major underlying cause of adult hypertension, especially so-called "isolated systolic hypertension," in which only the systolic (top) number in the measurement is elevated.⁴⁶ Stiff arteries create "back pressure" on the heart, which not only further raises blood pressure, but also puts extreme stress on the heart muscle, leading eventually to heart failure, coronary artery disease, stroke, vascular dementia, and chronic kidney disease.⁴⁶

Are You Predisposed To High Blood Pressure?

Many conditions cause or predispose a person to having hypertension.

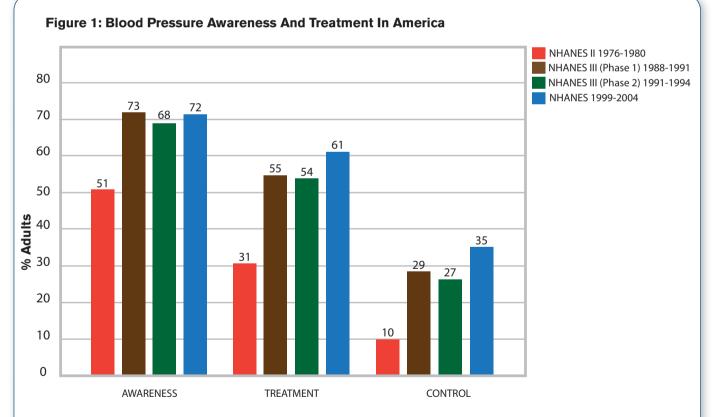
Over 25% of US adults have metabolic syndrome. which includes hypertension as one of its defining features.47

Obesity, another component of metabolic syndrome, is a leading cause of high blood pressure, with 60 to 70% of hypertension in adults related to excess body fat, especially "central" obesity located around the abdomen.48 Being overweight or obese is associated with a significantly increased risk of hypertension compared with people of normal weight. 49,50 Obesity imposes unusual stresses on the body's self-regulatory mechanisms, among which are over-activation of the renin-angiotensin-aldosterone hormone system, which promotes fluid retention and boosts blood pressure. 48,51

High levels of uric acid in the blood is directly related to hypertension. In one study, people with high uric acid levels were 2.6 times more likely to have high blood pressure than those with normal levels. And people with both high uric acid and obesity were more than 4.5 times as likely to be hypertensive, compared with normal-weight people with normal uric acid levels.50

Another cause of hypertension is obstructive sleep apnea (also called obstructive sleep apnea-hypopnea syndrome), in which a person's breathing temporarily ceases or becomes very shallow during sleep.52 In one study, over 50% of people with the syndrome had hypertension compared with only 30% in controls.⁵²

Regardless of the cause of hypertension, it is essential to treat it.



While most Americans are aware of hypertension's risks and many are receiving treatment, only a minority have been able to successfully control their blood pressure. The colored bars above represent the percentages of American adults who express awareness of the dangers of hypertension, those who are being treated for hypertension, and those who have their hypertension under control. Each color represents a different National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey (NHANES) study, which began in 1976.

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Frightening studies have found that most people taking blood pressure medications still have high blood pressure—even when under medical supervision. This means prescription drugs and physician care are **not enough** to adequately **control** blood pressure.

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Innovative, Personalized CANCER TREATMENT

The May 7, 2014, edition of the *Journal of the American Medical Association* featured an article titled "Cancer Care Shows Signs of Strain as Patients Live Longer."

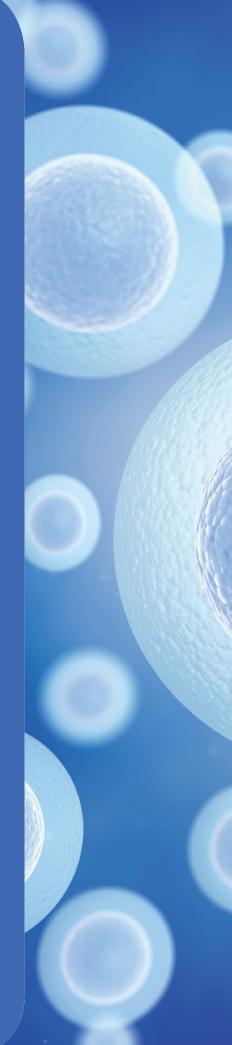
It reported that by year 2030, cancer cases in the United States are expected to grow **45%**, making cancer the number <u>one</u> killer of Americans.

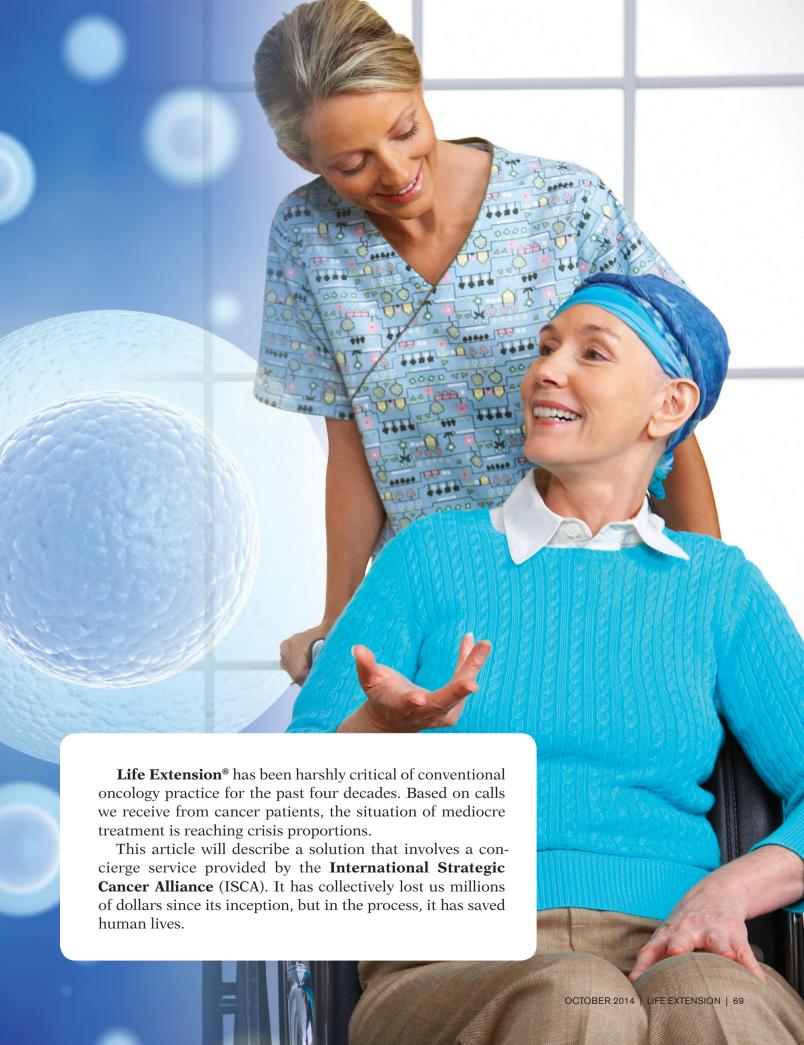
By **2025**, demand for oncology services will increase **40%**, while the supply of oncologists will go up only **30%**.

This increasing strain on oncologists will worsen the existing problem of "*practice fatigue*." The report showed that a startling **45%** of oncologists practicing today "*feel burned out*," 27% are likely to reduce clinical hours, and a significant number want to retire before age 65.

The report predicts dire socioeconomic problems will occur over the next 7 to 16 years as a result of the disturbing trends of increased cancer incidences and a shortage of oncology resources.

The cruel dilemma is where does this leave newly diagnosed cancer patients? For the first time in their lives, most people stricken with cancer want a concerted effort made by experts to leave no stone unturned in curing their disease with the fewest possible side effects. We say "first time in their lives," because many of these people might tolerate mediocre service in other areas, but upon a cancer diagnosis, they want optimized comprehensive attention paid to them.







When one is diagnosed with cancer, finding lifesaving, individualized treatments can prove difficult. What few people understand is that every patient's cancer case is different and can't be optimally treated by a "one-size-fits-all" approach.

There is an organization committed to guiding cancer patients through the treatment maze, providing assurance for those who feel their doctor is too overworked or that there are some possibilities that have not been explored.

Founded in 2007, the **International Strategic Cancer Alliance** (ISCA) is dedicated to individually assessing and managing clients' cases to ensure they are getting the best diagnostic and treatment options. This can include everything from genomic testing to petitioning for off-label drugs to nutritional support.

What often concerns patients is the feeling that—despite multiple therapy options—their medical facility may not be integrating innovative cancer therapies into a comprehensive, personalized program based on their individual situation and the totality of scientific data.

Potent Cancer Therapies Are Being Delayed— But Not For Everyone

Because cancer is a complex disease, it requires a multipronged effort to provide the best chances of attaining a cure, remission, or significant extension of life. In the research setting, exciting discoveries are occurring. Unfortunately, the process by which they are incorporated into clinical oncology practice is excruciatingly slow.

The FDA does have a "compassionate use" exemption that permits access to experimental therapies for cancer patients—provided they have first failed so-called "proven" therapies.

But when cancer cells have been exposed to conventional therapies such as radiation or chemotherapy,

they can mutate very rapidly in a way that causes them to become super-resistant to later therapies. Also, a patient's healthy cells—including dendritic cells of the immune system—are often seriously impaired by these established treatments, reducing the potential effectiveness of promising, newly emerging treatments.

So the question is: Where can a newly diagnosed cancer patient turn for a clear explanation of the most appropriate therapies—from among an array of both standard and innovative options—for his or her particular form of cancer?

Many proactive cancer patients are turning to ISCA. ISCA aggressively seeks to identify overlooked drugs that may offer additional weapons against each client's specific malignancy and then presents these therapies to the client and the treating oncologist for consideration.

We'll look at these comprehensive and potentially lifesaving services later. But first, let's examine the reasons that oncologists don't cure more patients.

How The Medical System Fails Most Patients

The sheer volume of scientific discovery on cancer treatments is rapidly escalating and is overwhelming many overworked oncologists who may not have the time to follow every research development.

A huge amount of time and expertise is required to review complex medical literature and then translate the data into a practical treatment plan tailored for every patient's unique medical situation.

How can practicing oncologists—who often see 30 or more patients a day—stay current with the avalanche of new discoveries related to better ways of treating specific cancers?

To make matters worse, oncologists generally find themselves caught up in a system that rewards them with higher salaries and larger chemotherapy bonuses if they squeeze as many cancer patients as possible into their hectic day. It is challenging at best to find anywhere near enough time to provide optimal, comprehensive care to individual patients.

In fact, oncologists who would like to augment their conventional protocols with novel strategies can actually *lose* income due to the time it takes them to evaluate, obtain insurance company approval, and then administer additional therapies. As a result, few oncologists incorporate these improved methods into their clinical practice.

So the burden of acquiring enough information to make therapy choices and take advantage of synergistic treatment programs has fallen on the already stressed cancer patient or the caregiver.

A Comprehensive And Synergistic Solution

Newly diagnosed cancer patients realize that their very lives are at stake. They're understandably devastated and frightened.

Yet at this stressful time, they have had nowhere to turn for enlightened medical assistance in uncovering novel therapies—or a comprehensive integration of therapies—that could result in a remission, or at least significantly alleviate their particular cancer type and aggressiveness. And receiving optimal care requires customized therapies as well as state-of-the-art supportive care measures to minimize treatment toxicity.

Today, programs provided by ISCA direct clients to enlightened oncology groups that are translating this vast volume of new research and discoveries into practical treatment protocols for the immediate benefit of each individual.

This translational research approach augments the weapons already available to combat this disease delivering the assurance that each individual will receive a comprehensive and synergistic, tailor-made program that includes all therapy options appropriate to his or her specific cancer, health condition, and disease progression. This synergy may include some combination of specific approved therapies, recommended experimental drugs, advanced diagnostics, hormone modulation, immune augmentation, and the proper nutrients—all shown in research to target the client's novel disease situation.

If there appears to be potential benefit from drugs not yet approved by the FDA—if and when indicated— ISCA handles all necessary paperwork so that the most appropriate and most potent treatment program for each individual can begin without delay.

This integrated approach may also include facilitating clients' enrollment in clinical trials specific to their situation—which not only moves experimental drugs forward, but also makes them immediately available to at least the test (non-control) subjects of a trial.

ISCA also designs and implements its own sponsored trials, in which clients might also participate, where appropriate.

Each cancer case, like each person's physiology, is different. So ISCA analyzes each case, accesses the latest research, recommends further tests if needed, devises the plan, cuts through the bureaucracy, moves the client's treatment plan along without the delay and keeps him or her informed continually throughout the process.

ISCA currently focuses on delivering personalized programs of treatment primarily to prostate and breast cancer clients. However, as other health issues may arise, ISCA continues to provide guidance and services.

ISCA's Personalized Cancer Care

- Overwhelmed oncologists generally find their hands tied by the cancer treatment system in such as a way that makes designing a completely individualized program for a specific cancer patient difficult-if not impossible.
- Every cancer patient's case is different and cannot be optimally processed by a "one-size-fits-all" approach to therapy.
- Fortunately, the International Strategic Cancer Alliance (ISCA) guides individuals who have been diagnosed with cancer through the treatment maze, ensuring optimal diagnostic and treatment options-which can range from genomic testing to petitioning for off-label drugs to nutritional support.
- Clients benefit from personalized testing and treatment programs-potentially including emerging and innovative therapies-without any distortion of what should only be a recovery-oriented, scientific decision-making process.



The critical importance of pursuing a protocol that is broader and more synergistic than the limited standard-issue therapies often churned out by the oncology bureaucracy cannot be overstressed. In addition, ISCA does not forget to focus on the Holy Grail of medicine—above all, do no harm. Therefore, a significant part of ISCA's focus is on maximizing therapeutic benefit to the patient while minimizing toxicity.

Cancer Therapies Must Be Personalized

Well-respected cancer journals regularly publish studies identifying safer, more effective treatment regimens for specific cancer types and progression levels. Yet cancer patients often end up suffering through treatments that do not effectively integrate these latest findings into their particular treatment plan. Why?

For decades, traditional medicine has made cancer treatment decisions based on the one-size-fits-all approach—in which everyone with a particular cancer receives the same treatment. Desperate patients are missing out on the possible synergy of pursuing several different treatments—specific to their cancer type—at different times in their treatment progress. There is an urgent need for a customized treatment plan for each and every cancer patient.

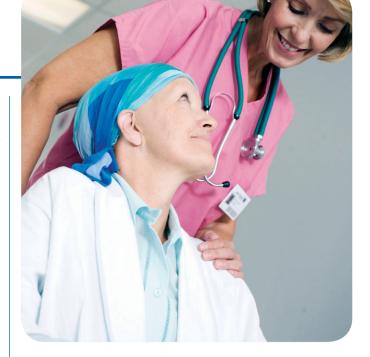
Fortunately, the International Strategic Cancer Alliance steers clients to new advances in technology, allowing them to finally move away from this outdated approach. This includes customizing therapy and uniting the client with oncology groups that will integrate a vast array of synergistic therapies into an individually tailored cancer treatment program.

Multimodal approaches are incorporated to provide the best scientific opportunity of eradicating the malignancy—as well as reducing cancer treatment side effects.

Integrated Therapy Management System

Initially, each potential client speaks free of charge with a patient advocate, who listens and takes notes on the specific case, and then helps determine whether ISCA can offer potential benefit. The advocate remains available to the client 24 hours a day, seven days a week, to help navigate the process, answer any questions, and keep the client continually informed.

Each client's advocate is a key player on the overall treatment management team who understands how stressful it can be to navigate the maze and confusion of treatment decisions in today's cancer bureaucracy. That's because they are all either cancer survivors or individuals who have been affected by the diagnosis of a loved one.



No false hope is given. If a client's cancer is considered potentially curable, then ISCA launches a heroic program that draws on every conceivable therapy documented in published scientific studies to be appropriate to each individual's particular medical situation.

ISCA will gather all relevant pathology reports in order to facilitate any specialized testing needed to expand possible treatment options and to recommend a pathologist with expertise in the client's cancer type, assuming that no pathology expert for the client's particular cancer type is already involved.

All pre-diagnostic and diagnostic test results and medical records are organized into a comprehensive and specially designed, electronic record format that can be readily understood by patients and physicians alike. The client's team will then recommend additional tests and potential therapy strategies after consultation with top experts in the patient's specific cancer type.

Every single document will be entered into the digital medical record and automatically charted so the treating oncologist can ascertain the overall condition and progress at a glance. It can be electronically transferred to cancer consultants around the world so they can review hundreds of characteristics of the individual patient's tumor and overall state of health. This can bring further recommendations for even more novel approaches that can be considered by the treating oncologist.

This easy-to-read electronic document is available to the client as well, via password-protected Internet access, allowing clients to track measurements of their success or failure during the entire course of treatment.

And throughout the treatment process, a high level of communication is maintained between the client and everyone involved in his or her care, including the ISCA-appointed physician(s).

Novel Testing Strategies

Hundreds of compounds have demonstrated anticancer activity in scientific studies published in peerreviewed oncology journals. To take full advantage of this array of promising treatments, it is important that tumor cells be meticulously assayed—using cuttingedge diagnostic tests—in order to identify what compounds are most likely to produce anticancer effects in each particular case.

ISCA often utilizes the circulating tumor cell (CTC) assay. This involves taking a blood sample and having circulating tumor cells in the blood investigated by a molecular laboratory. This allows physicians to assess genetic characteristics of tumor cells, identifying both high- and low-risk patients.

Testing can also reveal potential drug resistance factors, important information for building an optimal therapy program. One might wonder why a molecular analysis of the primary tumor is not sufficient to perform this assay. The reason it often fails is that primary tumor cells that break off and circulate through the blood stream often develop survival characteristics quite different from the primary tumor from which they originated.

Cancer cells' powerful ability to migrate (metastasize) poses a common and lethal risk. For this reason, ISCA may recommend certain clients undergo unique Combidex® testing. This remarkable diagnostic breakthrough uses an injectable iron nanoparticle suspension that is given intravenously in conjunction with an MRI scan to identify and track metastatic lesions in order to support aggressive therapies at the earliest point of cancer spread. Clinical cancer studies have demonstrated the ability of Combidex® testing of lymph nodes to "see" malignant lesions as small as 2 to 3 millimeters!

Other test results can influence critical decisions regarding the decision between early initiation of therapy or supportive treatment. They help build targeted, patient-specific therapy that takes individual drug resistance and potential new therapies and alternative agents into account.

Optimize Your Cancer Therapy

Knowing that you're being expertly guided to the most promising, all-inclusive cancer treatment program—personalized for your specific test results and drug resistance—can bring peace of mind on which you just can't put a price.

It is regrettable that so many cancer patients choose the "convenience" of a local community hospital, which may provide only limited conventional treatment options. They may be depriving themselves

of case-specific, nontoxic, synergistic, and newly emerging treatments.

Choosing to let ISCA design a highly customized and comprehensive recovery program can clearly make the difference between horrific and mild side effects—and even between life and death!

Summary

Increasingly overwhelmed oncologists often find their hands tied by the system in such a way that designing a completely individualized treatment for a specific cancer patient can prove difficult, if not impossible.

However, every cancer case is different and can't be effectively processed by a "one-size-fits-all" approach to therapy.

Fortunately, a novel organization, the International Strategic Cancer Alliance (ISCA), guides those who have been diagnosed with cancer through the treatment maze, ensuring that they are getting the best diagnostic and therapeutic options-ranging from genomic testing to petitioning for off-label drugs to nutritional support.

The result is personalized testing and treatment programs—including emerging and innovative therapies where advisable—without any distortion of what should only be a recovery-oriented, scientific decisionmaking process. To review an ongoing case history report of a difficult-to-treat ISCA client, please refer to the next article.

Those seeking more information on customized cancer care and exciting research programs can view ISCA's website at www.is-canceralliance.com or contact Örn Adalsteinsson, PhD, CEO, of International Strategic Cancer Alliance (ISCA) at 610-628-3419 or send email to: info@is-canceralliance.com.

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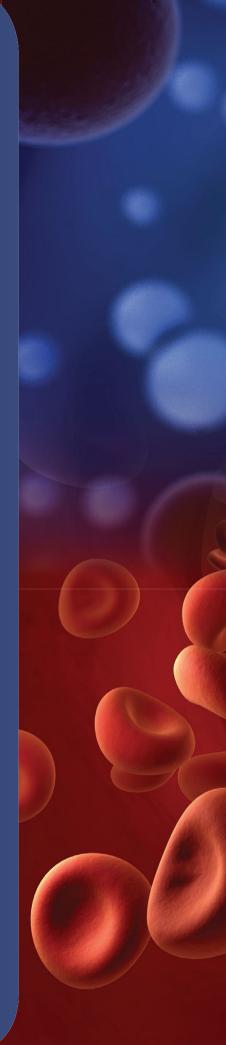
A Real-World Case History: Fighting Pancreatic Cancer With ISCA's Personalized Treatment Program

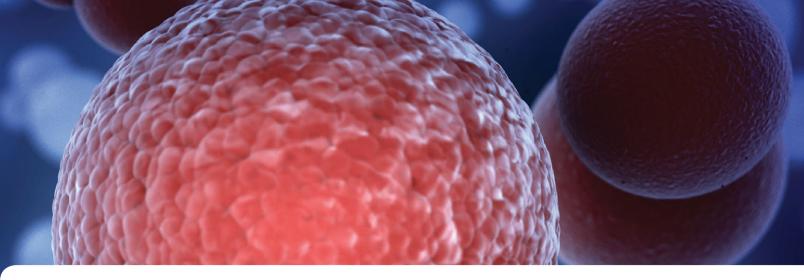
Pancreatic cancer will kill almost 40,000 Americans this year. Survival time is often measured in months. Five-year survival rates for patients with advanced disease are less than 4%.

Incidence of pancreatic cancer has been increasing as the population ages. More effective treatments are desperately needed.

Desperate is exactly how **prostate cancer** patient Paul D. felt when he was diagnosed with **pancreatic cancer**. Having worked successfully with the **International Strategic Cancer Alliance** (ISCA) to explore treatment alternatives for his prostate cancer, he turned once again to the organization to see if they could offer anything against this latest dreaded and deadly disease.

We report here on this remarkable case history whereby Paul's pancreatic tumor markers were dramatically reduced and survival extended, without the patient having to endure the grueling agonies of conventional chemotherapy.





When Paul was diagnosed with **stage IV pancreatic cancer** at the age of 69, his family was devastated. He had successfully lived with prostate cancer for almost 15 years. But the prognosis for those diagnosed with pancreatic cancer is poor. When the disease is this far advanced, the patient's projected life span is often measured in months, with steadily deteriorating quality-of-life.

Conventional therapies offered little hope. Rather than simply accept what seemed inevitable, and with the support of his family doctor, Paul and his family reached out to the **International Strategic Cancer Alliance** (ISCA) to see if there were any viable options for treatment. ISCA agreed to accept his case.

"When Paul was first diagnosed, it felt like things were completely out of control. We were in a state of shock, and we were searching frantically for anything that might offer some hope," recalled Paul's wife Rae. "Even though we were familiar with the medical system, Paul's diagnosis plunged us into a state of chaos and disorganization. We felt completely overwhelmed by the lack of options available for treatment."

The First Steps

ISCA CEO Örn Adalsteinsson, PhD, arranged a conference call that included himself, Paul's family, and the oncologist, Dr. Stephen Strum, also an ISCA colleague, who had treated Paul for prostate cancer. "That call changed everything," said Paul. "Rather than guessing about the tumor or possible treatments, ISCA's staff took a step back to ensure we fully understood the diagnosis before we did anything. In that hour, we went from panic to a plan."

The plan was clear:

- Have an expert review the CT and ultrasound images that were used for diagnosis.
- 2. Find a skilled surgeon to conduct a liver biopsy. This would allow a definitive diagnosis, staging, and chemo-sensitivity assays.
- 3. Identify pancreatic cancer centers of excellence around North America that could offer effective treatment options.
- 4. Start treatment.

"It would take weeks for Paul to see a specialist in our area, and we knew we just didn't have that much time. So we started searching online. But the amount of information available on the Internet is vast, and we're not medical experts," said Rae, "Without ISCA, we could never have accessed the qualified specialists Paul needed in the limited time we had. He was weakening daily and we needed help—fast." ISCA reached into its network of medical experts and quickly narrowed the field of specialists that could deliver the care Paul needed on the short timeline his deteriorating condition dictated.

Because he had worked with ISCA for his prostate cancer, much of Paul's medical history had already been accumulated. The advanced electronic medical record developed by ISCA personnel enables any medical professional to efficiently track every aspect of Paul's condition and quickly initiate a response when disease progression is detected.

As Paul underwent a biopsy and PET/CT scan, the ISCA team continued to seek an oncologist with expertise in—and novel approaches to—difficult-

to-treat cancers. The oncologist ISCA found in the US is a pioneer in the use of low-dose chemotherapy, also known as *metronomic dosing*, which proved extremely effective for Paul. After a two-hour consultation with the oncologist and a call to another patient who has been cancer-free seven years after being diagnosed with pancreatic cancer, Paul admitted: "The decision was obvious."

Throughout Paul's case, the ISCA team has monitored treatments and conducted regular reviews of the results. ISCA tracked all tests, including PET scans, and recommended novel, non-chemo compounds, such as Immune26® (i26®), which are efficacious in many cancer patients and act by minimizing treatment side effects. i26® is a functional food protein system that helps establish a balanced environment within the gut, thus promoting immunity. "When Paul was at his lowest points, the **i26**® was the only thing he could take," remarked Rae.

The Challenges

Pancreatic cancer treatment has not had many improvements over the last 40 or 50 years. In most cases, by the time it's diagnosed, it is at an advanced stage. Although there is a surgical option called the Whipple procedure, it is lengthy, complex, and best performed by a surgeon experienced with the technique. By the time most people are diagnosed with pancreatic cancer, their condition makes them poor candidates for surgery.

"One thing that many people don't understand is that you don't have time," maintained Paul. "With lifethreatening cancers, you need to act quickly. You can't wait a month to see your doctor and then wait weeks or months to start treatment. If you are diagnosed with a serious cancer, you need to do something right now. Because of ISCA's help navigating the medical system, less than a week after our first conference call, I was having a biopsy."

To give you an idea of how poor Paul's prognosis was, on the day he was diagnosed in October 2012, his pancreatic tumor marker (CA19-9) was over **45,000**. By November 28, the day he started chemotherapy, it was **218,000**. Normal range is less than **34**. As of writing this article, that tumor marker is about **197**.

Table 1: List Of 20 Treatment Modifications

Rx30:	Tetrathiomolybdate stopped	Oct. 12, 2012
Rx31:	Biliary Stent	Oct. 19, 2012
Rx32:	Port-A-Cath	Nov. 15, 2012
Rx33:	Taxol®-Gemzar® (TG) started	Nov. 28, 2012
Rx34:	IFN alfa-2b started	Dec. 6, 2012
Rx35:	5-FU + Leucovorin started	Dec. 10, 2012
Rx36:	Leukine®	Dec. 11, 2012
Rx37:	5-FU + Leucovorin stopped	Jan. 25, 2013
Rx38:	Taxol®-Gemzar® (TG) last treatment	Apr. 10, 2013
Rx39:	NOLF* started	May 8, 2013
Rx40:	Tarceva® 100mg/d	Jul. 12, 2013
Rx41:	NOLF* - completed	Aug. 17, 2013
Rx42:	Tarceva® 100 mg/d D/C	Sep. 17, 2013
Rx43:	PID** started	Sep. 18, 2013
Rx44:	Tarceva® 100 mg/d	Dec. 6, 2013
Rx45:	Tarceva® 150 mg/d	Dec. 11, 2013
Rx46:	Last PID**	Jan. 8, 2014
Rx47:	PIC*** started	Feb. 13, 2014
Rx48:	PIC*** Last treatment.	Jun. 10, 2014
Rx49:	Restart Tarceva® 150 mg/d	Jun. 17, 2014

*NOLF - Navelbine®, Oxaliplatin, Leucovorin 5-FU

The oncologist ISCA recommended uses a series of low-dose chemo infusions along with heavy-duty nutritional support. Treatment has been ongoing, and side effects have been manageable. Overall Paul's quality of life has been good. In August 2013, a FDG-PET/CT found the tumor was greatly reduced and that metastases to Paul's liver had calcified and were inactive. A subsequent FDG-PET/CT in June 2014 showed continued response to treatment.

These impressive results were achieved with a synergistic program of both conventional and advanced therapies. They can be seen in the Tumor Marker graph on page 78 titled **CA19-9 Vs Months From Diagnosis**, which shows the decline of the tumor marker. Three other patients receiving treatment for pancreatic cancer at the same clinic are also experiencing similar results.

During this time, 20 different treatment modifications were made where the type of chemotherapy, dosage, and timing were adjusted based on tumor response to the treatment and ISCA's **Electronic Medical Data Log** feedback. These events are highlighted in Table 1 (above) with a date stamp for each event. (They are also shown as triangle tick marks in the bottom part of the Tumor Marker graph on page 78.)

With ISCA, the focus is on the needs of the patient, not the boundaries of the medical system, which can

^{**} PID - Paclitaxel, Ifosfamide, Doxil®

^{***}PIC - Paclitaxel, Irinotecan, Cisplatin

be confusing and hard to navigate. According to Rae, "ISCA's concern is serving the individual. Whatever Paul's need was—finding an oncologist, sourcing an FDG-PET/CT, getting a second opinion, or cardiology—ISCA always connected us with competent medical professionals who met Paul's needs. Not only did the ISCA team find good treatment options for Paul, they helped us understand what we needed to know to make sound decisions about his care."

Paul's Condition Today

Paul was diagnosed with stage IV pancreatic cancer in October 2012. His prognosis with conventional therapy was about six months. His oncologist believes that without treatment, he would likely have been dead by Christmas of that year. Using ISCA's resources and expertise, Paul's condition turned out quite different.

Twenty-two months after he was diagnosed, Paul continues to receive chemotherapy, but is very much alive and doing well as of August 2014.

"Paul's ECOG Score (refer to top of next column for description of the ECOG Score) is 1, which I think reflects the improved physical changes from the early months of pancreatic cancer before and after diagnosis, as well as the positive effects of chemotherapy," observed Rae. "For the past 10 days he has been down on the floor for five minutes daily doing one or two pushups. Depending on the day, he walks anywhere from six to 14 blocks. His appetite is good and his weight remains stable at what it was when he was in his 20s. We make a point of going for coffee daily and we visit regularly with friends. This is in contrast to his health in late 2012 and early 2013, when he needed

Table 2: Treatments Over 21 Months

The chronology over the 21-month period shows how treatment modifications were able to achieve tumor marker reduction. These treatments included:

- Taxol®-Gemzar®, with Interferon alfa-2b (IFN alfa-2b)
- 5-FU with Leukine® (recombinant granulocyte-macrophage colony-stimulating factor, GM-CSF)
- Paclitaxel, Oxaliplatin, Leucovorin, 5-FU
- Tarceva®

The ECOG Score

The Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group (ECOG) score, published by Oken, et al. in 1982, runs from 0 to 5, with 0 denoting perfect health and 5 death. Here are what the numbers mean:

- 0 Asymptomatic, (Fully active, able to carry on all predisease activities without restriction.)
- 1 Symptomatic but completely ambulatory. (Restricted in physically strenuous activity but ambulatory and able to carry out work of a light or sedentary nature, such as light housework or office work.)
- 2 Symptomatic, <50% in bed during the day. (Ambulatory and capable of all self-care but unable to carry out any work activities. Up and about more than 50% of waking hours.)
- 3 Symptomatic, >50% in bed, but not bedbound. (Capable of only limited self-care, confined to bed or chair 50% or more of waking hours.)
- 4 Bedbound. (Completely disabled. Cannot carry on any self-care. Totally confined to bed or chair.)
- 5 Death.

elevated seating to be able to stand, at less than a half cup of food at mealtimes, struggled to manage his personal care, and needed assistance for everything else." Paul is not cured, but is living with his cancer.

Table 2 at left shows some of the chemo treatments that were administered, all in low doses and most with immune support. Paul and his oncologist monitor his overall health, as well as the tumor markers.*

*Editor's Note: We at Life Extension® understand the time urgency when combatting pancreatic cancer, which kills some victims only weeks after diagnosis. We reiterate our long-standing position that a comprehensive, individualized treatment plan must first be in place. Typical terminal pancreatic cancer patients are offered chemotherapy drugs that add several months of survival. The problem is that once treatment-naïve cancer cells become refractory to standard chemo protocols, they are usually resistant to further interventions. Had it not been for the relationship that Paul already had with ISCA, he likely would have been administered conventional chemotherapy, which would likely have deprived ISCA of the opportunity to successfully utilize more progressive approaches.

Adjuvant Treatments

Paul's treatments were also supported at different stages in his program with advice on diet, adjuvants, and natural supplements. The regimen of i26® maintained daily throughout the period played a key role in mitigating treatment side effects. Along with i26®, additional support included supplements such as:

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- Boswellia
- BroccoMax®
- CoQ10
- Vitamins and Minerals
- Cissus quadrangularis



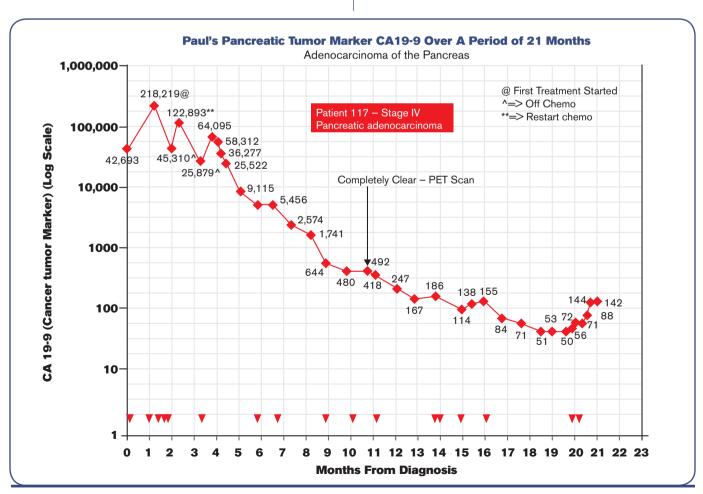
Summary

"We had to make a decision after I was diagnosed and it was going to be a life-changing decision, but it would have been life-changing either way!" said Paul.

ISCA CEO Örn Adalsteinsson noted, "In late-stage cancer cases like Paul's, multiple resources have to be pulled together quickly to find the optimum treatment plan. But this is just the start of the journey. Many additions and modifications have to be made along the way as dictated by the feedback from the medical data and most important, the patient."

Paul recalled, "There were some days when I thought it was going to be game over. I threw the ISCA team a few curveballs, but they never gave up."

Paul will likely remain an ISCA client for the rest of his life, or until there is clear evidence of a cure. The ISCA team has empowered Paul to fight one of the deadliest cancers, giving him back quality-of-life years. •



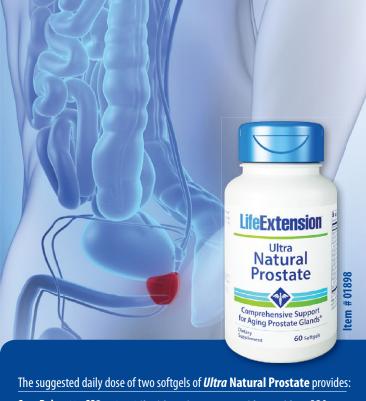
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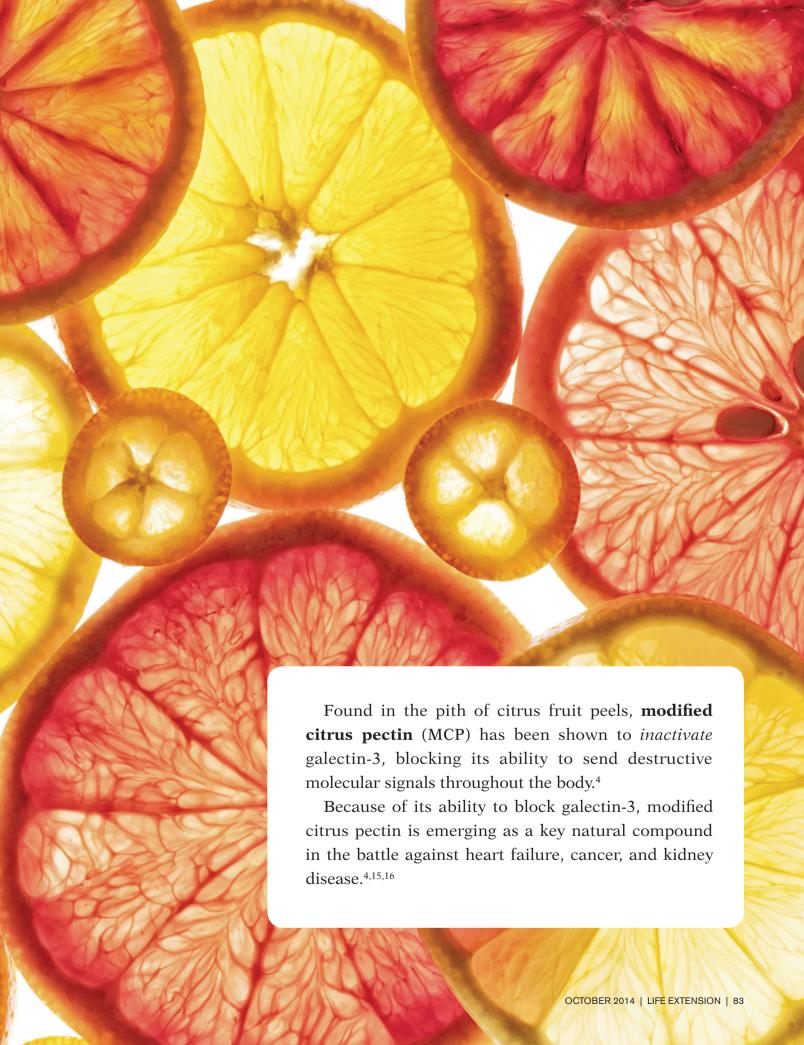
There are molecules in our bodies that are beneficial in youth, but turn against us as we age.

One of these compounds is **galectin-3**. Excess levels are associated with heart failure, kidney disease, and cancer.¹⁻⁴

Doctors have long recognized galectin-3 as a biomarker for degenerative disease.⁵⁻¹⁰ New research is revealing that **galectin-3** is far more than an indicator of disease—it is purported to have a <u>causative</u> role in these conditions.¹¹⁻¹⁴

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Keeping Galectin-3 In Balance

Galectin-3, like many biologically active molecules. has a distinct and important role in maintaining good health, but galectin-3 becomes a problem when it occurs in excessive amounts. In normal health, for example, galectin-3 provides an important defense against bacteria following acute tissue damage by helping induce local inflammation and an immune response that destroys the invading organisms. 17 And with chronic or repetitive tissue injury, galectin-3 participates in the transition to chronic inflammation, helping to "wall off" the injured or infected area. 17

The problem with this action is that it produces tissue scarring that in the long run impairs the function of the very organ or tissue it was trying to protect.¹⁷ In addition, galectin-3 is involved in an important process called "tissue remodeling," in which cells in various tissues become altered in response to damaging stimuli. Remodeling is an important part of heart failure and stroke, 18-21 and although we might not typically think of it this way, cancer can be viewed as an aggressive and malignant form of remodeling.²²

These multiple actions mean that galectin-3 has a wide variety of biological functions and plays a key role in physiological and pathological processes involved in cancer, cardiovascular disease, and the pro-aging process of fibrosis. 17,23-25 All of these disorders share a common factor of increased inflammation and altered immune function, so galectin-3 may be considered a pro-inflammatory, immune-altering molecule.^{26,27} In addition, levels of galectin-3 rise significantly with advancing age, making it a prime target for anti-aging therapies. 25,28



The Role of Galectin-3 **In Cancer Development**

For many cancers, rates rise dramatically with advancing age.^{29,30} There is now plenty of evidence that some of the hallmarks of developing cancers, such as inflammation, immune function alterations, and local and metastatic spread, are related to galectin-3 actions.

Because increased concentrations of circulating galectin-3 are so prevalent in growing cancers, it has been suggested as a biomarker for specific cancers, such as prostate, ovarian, and breast cancer.31-34 But increasing evidence suggests that galectin-3 does more than signal the presence of cancer—it actively participates in cancer growth by promoting cancer cell adhesion to blood vessel linings, a major step in the progression and spread of cancer.1,2

In addition, the excess galectin-3 produced by cancer cells helps the malignant cells communicate, stick together, rapidly multiply, grow necessary new blood vessels, and evade the normal programmed cell death called apoptosis. 18,26,35,36

Recently, it has been demonstrated that galectin-3 enables cell migration and invasion of melanomainduced metastasis to the lungs by inducing secretion of matrix metalloproteinases (MMP-1 and MMP-9) required to breach vascular basement membranes to the lungs. 37,38 It was shown that galectin-3 is expressed on all the major compartments of the lungs and participates in not just promoting adhesion but also in spreading the cancer to lungs. Additional laboratory studies suggest that overexpression of galectin-3 in lung tissue increases cancer cell adhesion, motility, and organ colonization.^{39,40}

Galectin-3's Role In Heart Failure

Studies show that galectin-3 plays a major role in heart failure.

Galectin-3 is a biomarker for fibrosis and inflammation in heart failure.³ People hospitalized for heart failure with galectin-3 levels exceeding 17.8 ng/mL have 2.8 times the odds of being re-admitted at 30 days, and more than **three times** the odds of being readmitted by 90 days, compared with those having galectin-3 levels below this value.41

In one study, patients whose galectin-3 levels doubled over 18 months were nearly two times as likely to be hospitalized for heart failure and die of any of a number of causes. 42 That study also showed a close association between galectin-3 levels and inflammatory markers such as interleukin-6 (IL-6) and C-reactive protein (CRP). Other studies have demonstrated a close correlation between galectin-3 levels and blood

pressure, serum lipids, body mass index, kidney function, and other biological markers of disease.^{3,18}

However, as is the case with cancer, galectin-3 is now recognized as being more than simply a biomarker of impending heart failure—it's now believed to play a major causative role in the development of heart disease.

Failing heart tissue has been found to produce increased quantities of galectin-3 before clinically evident heart failure.25,27 In advanced cases of heart failure, galectin-3 levels have been correlated with many of the physical changes that occur as the heart progressively becomes less able to pump blood, such as thickening of the heart wall.²⁷

Animal studies show that increased expression of galectin-3 produces heart muscle dysfunction, with a massive overproduction of the tough, unvielding form of connective tissue called **type I collagen** that impairs heart muscle elasticity. 15,43 This loss of elasticity and the decreased pumping action that follows are hallmarks of heart failure.

Similarly, animal studies have shown that galectin-3 is found in increased amounts in brain tissue following an ischemic (lack of blood flow) stroke, playing a role in post-stroke tissue remodeling and abnormal new blood vessel formation. 18

Indeed, galectin-3 is now known to play a causative role in the remodeling of heart and blood vessel tissue that occurs during heart failure. 18,44 This remodeling is linked closely to disease progression and poor prognosis in heart failure. Galectin-3 stimulates the migration of inflammatory cells, proliferation of fibroblasts (the tough, scar-like cells that replace normal contractile heart muscle), and ultimately the development of fibrosis, the stiffening process that impairs heart muscle function.45

Nature's Answer To High Galectin-3 Levels

As the connection between galectin-3 and these major diseases becomes better known, Big Pharma has been hotly pursuing drugs that combat disease by blocking galectin-3. So far it has come up short, but as usual, nature already has a solution. Found in the pith of citrus fruit peels, a compound called modi**fied citrus pectin** (MCP) has been shown to *inactivate* galectin-3.

Most people have heard of pectin as a gelling agent used in fruit preserves and jellies. In fact, many of the chemical properties that make pectin appealing in cooking are similar to those that attract the attention of scientists. **Modified citrus pectin** is a form of pectin that is especially rich in sugar molecules known as galactosides. 16,46



What You Need To Know

Modified Citrus Pectin

- A common feature of cancer, heart failure, and kidney disease is the pathological replication and reorganization of healthy cells, manifested as changes in tissue structure.
- This harmful "remodeling" of tissue has recently been found to be under the control of a unique molecule called galectin-3.
- Higher galectin-3 levels have now been associated with increased risk and severity of cancer, greater severity and more rapid progression of heart failure, and with both acute and chronic kidney disease.
- Modified citrus pectin (MCP) binds to and inactivates galectin-3, preventing it from delivering its destructive signals to cells and tissues.
- Studies now demonstrate the effectiveness of MCP in laboratory and preclinical settings, where it counteracts galectin-3 actions, slows tissue remodeling, and reduces consequences such as cancer development and metastasis, heart failure, and kidney disease.
- Big Pharma is hot on the trail of drugs that block galectin-3, but MCP is available now in convenient dosing forms, with no recognized side effects.

Galectin-3 molecules specifically interact with the galactosides found in MCP (modified citrus pectin).4 This means that, in the presence of this special type of pectin, galectin-3 molecules will bind to the galactoside bonds on the MCP molecules, rather than on those signaling carbohydrate molecules on cell surfaces.47

In this way, pectin acts as a "competitive inhibitor," binding up and inactivating galectin-3, and preventing it from performing the actions that can damage your health. (See Figure below).^{4,13,16}

Laboratory and clinical evidence has demonstrated that modified citrus pectin's ability to inhibit galectin-3 helps prevent the formation and spread of cancer, helps mitigate cardiovascular disease, and generally contributes to fighting the pro-aging effects of fibrosis in your body.

Modified Citrus Pectin Diminishes Cancer Risk

Leading cancer researchers have described MCP as "one bullet, multiple targets" because of its multiple, complementary actions in fighting cancer.⁴⁸

Modified citrus pectin helps prevent the spread of cancer.

Modified citrus pectin has demonstrated tremendous anticancer potential, particularly in fighting deadly metastatic spread. This is important because once a cancer metastasizes (spreads to a distant part of the body), it becomes vastly more dangerous and difficult to treat.16

Early preclinical studies showed that injecting mice with MCP could significantly decrease the likelihood of melanoma (a deadly skin cancer) spreading to the lungs. 46,48,49 The mechanism was later shown to be related to the binding of MCP to galectin-3, which inhibited malignant cells' ability to grow and stick to normal tissue and blood vessels; this "stickiness" is now recognized as an essential part of the formation of metastases.⁵⁰ Recent research has shown that metastasis of melanoma to the lungs could be hindered by feeding mice MCP in their drinking water. inhibiting galectin-3 found on the lung tissue. The authors concluded that MCP competes with the carbohydrate found on melanoma cells (polyLacNAc) for binding to galectin-3 on the lungs, thereby impacting metastasis.38

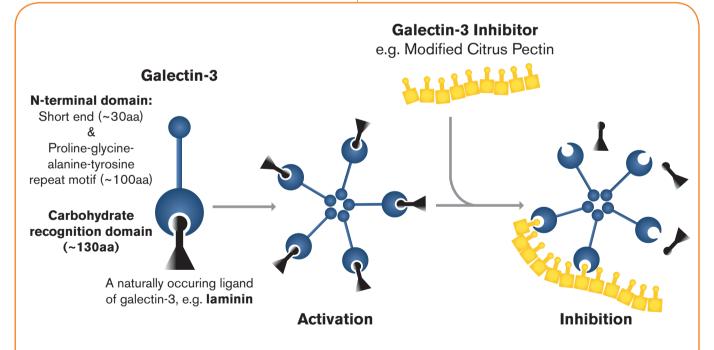


Figure: Modified Citrus Pectin Binds And Inactivates Galectin-3

Galectin-3 molecules bind naturally to specific carbohydrate molecular patterns (left). Activated galectin-3 (center) is a trigger for inflammatory, structural, and biochemical changes that precede cancer, cardiovascular disease, and age-inducing fibrosis. Modified citrus pectin (right) binds to and inactivates galectin-3, blocking its ability to send destructive molecular signals.¹³

What Is Galectin-3?

Galectin-3 is a member of a family of biological compounds responsible for recognizing and responding to specific patterns found on carbohydrate molecules. 23,24,71 Many vital cells in the body come ready "labeled" with those specific carbohydrate patterns, so galectin-3 functions as a means for cells to recognize and interact with one another and with the "matrix" material that supports cells in their correct positions. 24,35 Galectin-3 has a particular molecular region that has an affinity for the sugar galactose and its bonds to adjacent molecules, which are called galactoside bonds.26

Galectin-3 levels vary by cell type and function; the molecule is secreted from cells in a unique and not well-understood fashion. 23,26 Galectin-3 functions as an autocrine/paracrine hormone when present outside the cells. 72 One important feature of galectin-3 is its ability to form small clusters of galectin-3 molecules bound together in pentamers. This allows the molecule to participate in multiple cellular and extracellular processes involving tissue growth, structure, and immune modulation. 17,72,73

Similar antimetastatic actions were also shown for orally administered MCP in animal models of both prostate cancer (which becomes very difficult to treat after it metastasizes) and breast cancer. 50-54

Further preclinical studies showed that by binding to galectin-3, MCP prevented colon cancer from spreading to the liver.⁵⁵ The same model showed that MCP reduces colon cancer size by up to 70% compared with controls.⁵⁶

Modified citrus pectin activates cancer-killing cells.

Studies on human blood samples reveal that MCP also activates cancer-killing immune system cells (natural killer, or NK, cells), boosting their ability to patrol for and eliminate cancers as soon as they form; this is a boost to one of the body's most important anticancer mechanisms.57

Modified citrus pectin induces apoptosis.

In addition to helping to prevent metastases, research on prostate cancer cells shows that MCP works earlier in the production of cancer by restoring malignant cells' ability to die off normally through programmed cell death (apoptosis).58 Importantly, these anticancer actions are effective for both hormone-dependent and hormone-independent cancers; the latter are notoriously challenging to treat. 58,59

In humans with prostate cancer, MCP has been shown to prolong the time it takes for doubling of prostate-specific antigen (PSA) levels; the more slowly PSA doubles, the more slowly the tumor is growing.60

Modified citrus pectin helps boost the effectiveness of cancer treatments.

In laboratory studies of human multiple myeloma (a cancer that affects certain types of white blood cells) and angiosarcoma (a deadly cancer of blood vessels). MCP helps make malignant cells more responsive to chemotherapy while increasing cell death by apoptosis.61-63

Similar chemo-sensitizing actions of MCP have now been shown for other cancers as well, including prostate and ovarian cancers. 33,64,65 In a laboratory study, MCP was also recently shown to synergize with two natural biological mixtures to fight breast and prostate cancer metastases.66

How MCP Battles Galectin-3 In Heart Disease

Heart failure remains one of the most challenging problems in clinical medicine today.

It is now known that **30** to **50%** of patients with increased galectin-3 levels have progressive or remodeling form of heart failure.¹³

Once thought to be simply a marker of severe, progressive heart failure, galectin-3 is now thought to play a major role in triggering the remodeling and poor function seen in the failing heart. 12,13,27,67-69

The good news is that binding or inhibiting galectin-3 can prevent and may even reverse heart failure, even heart failure with extensive fibrosis.⁶⁷

Laboratory studies show that MCP directly counteracts galectin-3-induced changes in heart muscle structure and function.

In one study, galectin-3 was shown to increase production of type I collagen, a major component in arterial stiffness and heart failure; however, inhibiting galectin-3 with modified citrus pectin blocked synthesis of type I collagen.¹⁵ In this study, when hypertensive rats were treated with the hormone aldosterone (which increases blood pressure and worsens heart failure), the control animals demonstrated thickening of blood vessel walls, inflammation, fibrosis, and increased expression of galectin-3; however, treatment with modified citrus pectin reversed all of these effects.15



One of the underlying risk factors for developing heart attacks, stroke, and heart failure is atherosclerosis, the "hardening" or thickening of the arteries.⁷⁰ Atherosclerotic plaques, the bulging masses of cholesterol and inflammatory cells that threaten to block arteries, are laden with high levels of galectin-3.70 When mice that developed atherosclerosis as a result of a high-cholesterol "Western" diet were given oral doses of modified citrus pectin, the volume of their plaques was diminished, the result of galectin-3 inhibition.70

Recent studies have highlighted the importance of measuring galectin-3 levels in people at high risk for cardiovascular disease, particularly heart failure and cardiovascular fibrosis. 13,18,42,45 As the evidence grows that galectin-3 is an active participant, not an innocent bystander or simple disease marker, the importance of inhibiting its damaging effects on the heart will be amplified. Modified citrus pectin may offer a simple, natural, safe route to minimizing the impact of galectin-3 on your heart.

MCP Fights Kidney Disease And Fibrosis

Kidney disease and acute kidney injuries involve increased levels and activity of galectin-3. In an animal model of acute kidney injury, the damaged kidneys increased in size, and galectin-3 expression was widespread in several types of tubules inside the kidnev.4

Research in mice show that when modified citrus pectin is administered before kidney damage is induced experimentally, it significantly reduces kidney enlargement and cuts down on kidney cell proliferation, an early step in fibrosis.⁴ Once the damaging stimulus was removed, MCP-treated mice showed decreased fibrosis, fewer inflammatory cells and cytokines in kidney tissue, and increased programmed cell death (apoptosis)—all in association with reduced levels of galectin-3.4

This study demonstrates how modified citrus pectin not only opposes the immediate damaging effects of galectin-3, but also reduces its levels, making for a vastly healthier kidney environment.

Summary

Galectin-3 is a signaling molecule that is involved in tissue growth and repair. This is beneficial in youth, but galectin-3 levels rise with age, and by midlife, galectin-3 may represent more of a threat than an asset. Higher galectin-3 levels serve as markers for elevated cancer risk, cardiovascular disease risk and severity, and kidney disease.

Galectin-3, however, is not simply a marker of disease. Scientists have now shown that galectin-3 is an active player, triggering the harmful changes that characterize each of these conditions. Studies show that inhibiting galectin-3 can markedly reduce, and in some cases reverse, dangerous tissue changes induced by the molecule.

Modified citrus pectin (MCP) is a natural product that inhibits galectin-3, shutting down its ability to communicate with target cells. In the presence of MCP, cancer cells lose their heightened survival and reproductive abilities, as well as their capacity to spread (metastasis); heart tissue undergoes less of the dangerous remodeling that is typical of heart failure following a heart attack or sustained stresses from high blood pressure; and kidney cells become resistant to formation of fibrosis that impairs kidney function.

The future likely holds much more promise for modified citrus pectin as we gain knowledge about galectin-3 and its ubiquitous role in disease. For now, it makes sense for certain individuals to add this supplement to control aberrant galectin-3.

A typical high-dose is to take **five grams** of **MCP** powder three times a day for several months, and then reduce to five grams once a day. Some people will only take MCP during specific time periods, and then discontinue.

MCP should be taken away from meals, i.e. on an empty or almost empty stomach.

MCP is not yet recommended as a daily supplement for everyone to take. Certain individuals will take the full 15 gram/day dose for around one year, while others may try a moderate dose course (5 grams/day) for a period of 2-4 months.

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Scientists have identified multiple mechanisms by which **green tea** extract helps protect against LDL oxidation, neuronal oxidation, and a host of other structural and functional age-related changes. LIFE EXTENSION MIX™ provides more green tea extract than found in commercial formulations.

Broccoli is one of the vegetables best documented to protect healthy DNA. The broccoli concentrate in LIFE EXTENSION MIX™ is standardized to provide **sulforaphane** <u>and</u> other **glucosinolates**, compounds responsible for broccoli's protective benefits.

Olive polyphenols help protect against LDL oxidation, quench free radicals, and stabilize cell membranes. LIFE EXTENSION MIX™ contains an olive extract standardized to provide the best-documented polyphenol called hydroxytyrosol.

Luteolin is a flavonoid found in **parsley**, **artichoke**, **basil**, **celery**, and other foods. It has shown the ability to help protect against DNA oxidative damage. When measured against 27 other citrus flavonoids, **luteolin** proved one of the most beneficial at maintaining healthy DNA. **Luteolin** also suppresses excess levels of **interleukin-6** and **interleukin-1b**. LIFE EXTENSION MIX[™] contains a standardized dose of **8 mg** of luteolin.

Lycopene is the red carotenoid in **tomatoes** that supports a healthy prostate and helps promote healthy lipid profiles for those already within a normal range.

Lutein is found in spinach and collard greens and has been shown to help maintain eye macula pigment structure.

Pomegranate may be the most effective plant to help maintain optimal endothelial function. This pomegranate extract is standardized to provide the punicalagins and other polyphenols found in up to 2.6 ounces of pomegranate juice.

Sesame lignans increase tissue levels of **vitamin E**, including **gamma tocopherol**, and inhibit the formation of an inflammatory precursor called arachidonic acid.

Wild blueberry extract, standardized to help maintain optimal neuronal function.

Pterostilbene is a compound naturally found in blueberries and grapes that has been shown to have beneficial, anti-aging effects

Cyanidin-3-Glucoside is a berry compound that promotes healthy function of the retina to help support night vision.

Pyridoxal 5'-phosphate helps protect against glycation reactions, a toxic process in which sugars bind to lipids and proteins to form non-functional structures in the body.

D-glucarate is found in grapefruit, apples, oranges, broccoli, and Brussels sprouts. D-glucarate supports a detoxification process that helps to remove DNA toxins.



315 tablets Item# 01855





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9 tablets, 14 capsules, or three scoops of powder provide: Vegetable-Fruit Complex

, ja	Decaffeinated Green tea extract (45% EGCG)	325	mg
_	Broccoli sprout concentrate extracts and calcium D-Glucarate	725	mg
	(providing sulforaphane, glucosinolates, D-3T, and PEITC)		
-0	Olive juice extract (providing polyphenols, hydroxytyrosol, tyrosol, oleuropein)	12.5	mg
	Grape seed proanthocyanidin extract (Leucoselect®)	25	mg
	Grape (proanthocyanidin) extract (BioVin®)	25	mg
_	Luteolin (from orange extract)	8	mg
,	Lycopene (natural tomato extract) (Tomat-O-Red®)	3	mg
Ζ,	Lutein (marigold extract)	15	mg
/	(465 mcg trans-zeaxanthin)		
	Maqui Berry (Aristotelia chilensis) anthocyanin extract	100	mg
	Milk thistle extract (85% silymarin)	100	mg
	Bromelain (from pineapple)	15	mg
	Citrus Bioflavonoids (50% hesperidin)	200	mg
	Acerola extract 4:1	300	mg
	Bilberry extract (MirtoSelect®)	30	mg
,	Pomegranate extract (30% punicalagins) (POMELLA®)	85	mg
/,	Sesame seed lignan extract	10	mg
/	Fruit/Berry Complex blend	200	mg
/	(proprietary blend of concentrated blackberry, blueberry, cherry,		
	cranberry, elderberry, persimmon, prune powders)	450	
1	Wild Blueberry anthocyanin extract (fruit)	150	
۱/۶	trans-Pterostilbene (from pTeroPure™)	0.5	
/1	Cyanidin-3-Glucoside (C3G) (from blackcurrant extract)	1.25	
//	CherryPure® Tart Cherry (Prunus cerasus) proanthocyanidin extract		mg
/	Delphinidins	2	mg
	(from Delphinol® Maqui berry (Aristotelis chilensis) extract)		

Water-Soluble Vitamins and Enzymatic Activators

Vitamin C	2000	mg
as: ascorbic acid, calcium, magnesium & niacinamide ascorbates, ascorbyl palmitate, acerola extract		
Natural Folate (from lemon extract)	400	mcg
Biotin	3,000	mcg
Trimethylglycine (TMG)	100	mg
Vitamin B1 (thiamine HCI)	125	mg
Vitamin B2 (riboflavin)	50	mg
Supplying: Riboflavin 5'-phosphate	2	mg
Vitamin B3 (niacinamide and niacinamide ascorbate)	117	mg
Vitamin B3 (niacin)	73	mg
Vitamin B5 (p-calcium pantothenate)	600	mg
Pantethine	5	mg
Vitamin B6 (pyridoxine HCI)	5	mg
Pyridoxal 5'-phosphate (vitamin B6)	100	mg
Vitamin B12 (methylcobalamin)	600	mcc

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Published scientific studies document that people who eat the <u>most</u> **fruits and vegetables** have much lower incidences of health problems. Few people, however, consistently eat enough plant foods to protect against common age-related decline, and commercial multivitamins do not provide all of the vital plant components needed to maintain good health. ¹³ **Life Extension Mix**™ provides a broad array of **vegetable/fruit extracts**.

Life Extension Mix[™] now contains an upgraded **vitamin B12** that offers *superior absorption* compared to other forms of B12.

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2,000 IU
2,000 mg
100 IU
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Amino Acid Complex

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Mineral Complex

Selenium (from Se-methyl L-selenocysteine)	100 mcg
Selenium (from L-selenomethionine—SelenoPure™)	50 mcg
Selenium (from sodium selenite)	50 mcg
Zinc (as zinc citrate)	20 mg
Zinc (monomethionine) (OptiZinc®)	15 mg
Boron (Albion® bororganic glycine)	3 mg •
Calcium	218 mg
Copper (as copper bisglycinate chelate TRAACS®)	1 mg
Chromium	500 mcg
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Potassium chloride (37.4 mg elemental)	71.3 mg
Molybdenum (sodium molybdate)	125 mcg
Manganese (gluconate)	1 mg
lodine (potassium iodide)	150 mcg
Magnesium oxide (335.96 mg elemental)	560 mg
Magnesium citrate (35.28 mg elemental)	261.3 mg
Magnesium glycinate (11.74 mg elemental)	100 mg
Magnesium taurinate (7.83 mg elemental)	100 mg
Magnesium arginate (5.87 mg elemental)	100 mg
Magnesium ascorbate (3.40 mg elemental)	58.1 mg

Cholinergic Complex

120 mg 🔭
150 mg
250 mg

Vitamin D3 helps maintain healthy bone density and DNA. There is five times more vitamin D in LIFE EXTENSION MIX™ compared to conventional multivitamins.

The **Life Extension Mix**™ utilizes **natural** mixed **tocopherols** that provide natural vitamin E from alpha tocopherol and a small amount of gamma tocopherol (40 mg). Compared to synthetic vitamin E, the natural form is far more **bioavailable** to the body.

N-acetyl-L-cysteine suppresses free radicals inside the cell and maintains healthy glutathione levels. **Taurine** may protect against free radicals between cells and supports eye health.

Life Extension Mix™ contains the sodium selenite, selenomethionine, and Se-methyl L-selenocysteine forms of selenium. Some scientific evidence suggests that consumption of selenium may reduce the risk of certain forms of cancer; however, the FDA has determined that this evidence is limited and not conclusive.

Zinc is often poorly absorbed, but LIFE EXTENSION MIX™ provides two of the most bioavailable forms of zinc.

Boron is not only needed to maintain healthy bone density but may also help promote healthy prostate cell function.

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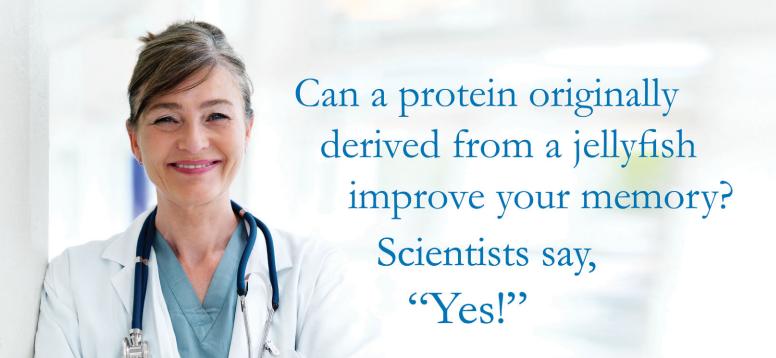
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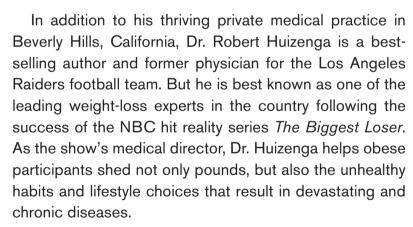


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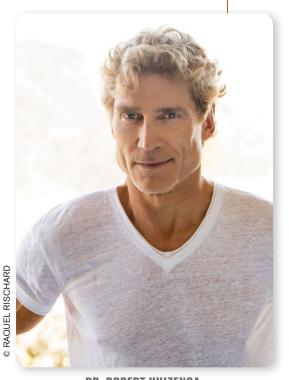
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Dr. Robert Huizenga

TV Doctor Helps Overweight Patients Shed Pounds And Fliminate Diabetes Medications



A Harvard-trained physician, Dr. H, as he is affectionately known, has been repeatedly called upon to offer his expert opinion on all television networks, as well as major newspapers such as the New York Times and LA Times. He is currently an associate professor of clinical medicine at UCLA and the author of numerous medical abstracts and articles.



DR. ROBERT HUIZENGA

In 2008, Dr. Huizenga penned the highly rated how-to book Where Did All the Fat Go? The WOW Prescription to Reach Your Ideal Weight and Stay There. The book was based on his extreme exercise-centric method of helping hundreds of overweight and obese applicants from The Biggest Loser lose not only weight but their current medications.

Study Results Presented At Annual Conference

Dr. Huizenga has published numerous scientific abstracts and papers regarding nonsurgical approaches to obesity, weight loss, and fat loss. In 2012, he presented the results of a study at the 21st annual conference of the American Association of Clinical Endocrinologists in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

"Diabetes is the fastest-growing epidemic in recent history," says Dr. H. "Through each *Biggest Loser* season we learned, anecdotally and with ongoing checkups, that in addition to losing all that weight, our participants were receiving substantial health benefits. What this study did was bring all the results together into one comprehensive evaluation with very specific data. The results were astonishing, almost miraculous. Our participants were becoming significantly healthier metabolically."

The study followed 35 subjects for 29 weeks. Of the participants, about **50%** had type II diabetes or prediabetes, and **77%** were prescribed medication to control high blood pressure. The average body mass index of the subjects was 40, which is the cutoff point between obese and morbidly obese.

The subjects were placed on a combination of moderate calorie

restriction (1,600 to 2,000 calories for men and 1,000 to 1,400 calories for women) and an "exercise-centric" program consisting of one hour of intense resistance exercise, one hour of intense aerobic exercise, and two hours of moderate aerobic activity daily.

By the second week, 100% of participants were off their blood pressure medications and by week five, Dr. Huizenga says there were "absolutely unprecedented" drops in measures of metabolic dysfunction and "all diagnostic criteria for diabetes, prediabetes, and hypertension were absent in each participant." Further unprecedented improvements included:

- Fasting glucose levels dropped from 129 to 91 mg/dL in diabetics and from 82 to 79 mg/dL in prediabetics.
- Mean systolic blood pressure dropped from 138 to 118 mm
 Hg by the end of the study, and diastolic blood pressure dropped from a baseline of 90 to 74 mm Hg.
- Overall, mean fasting insulin fell from 14.1 to 5.5 μIU/mL, mean homeostasis model assessment estimated–insulin resistance (HOMA-IR) score fell from 2.1 to 0.5, mean serum adiponectin levels rose from 8.6 to 13.1 μg/mL, and mean triglycerides fell from 127 to 65 mg/dL.

Dr. H Responds To His Critics

Doctor Huizenga has been criticized by those who say this study is unrealistic because no one (outside of those on a TV show) can be expected to exercise four hours a day. He responds that following the program, participants were

advised to work out for a much more realistic 90 minutes a day, and that finding the time is a matter of priorities. He adds that at the beginning of the study, contestants admitted watching five to six hours of television per day. By the end of the study, viewing time was decreased to just one to two hours per day.

People have plenty of time to devote to working out, Dr. Huizenga says, if they want to cure diseases like diabetes, live longer, and improve their quality of life. Those who cannot find the time need consider the alternative.

"Everyone has time for essential daily activities—when your tooth has a painful infection, you cancel the day's meetings and go to the dentist. If you are diagnosed with cancer, believe me, you'll change your entire life to accommodate doctors' appointments, cancer treatment, and prevention of relapse," he says.

"Why then wouldn't everyone have two weeks to initiate state-of-the-art, medication-free stroke, diabetes, heart disease, and cancer prevention and carry on at home with 60 to 90 minutes a day of exercise given these health stakes?

"If you have overflowing abdominal fat, you're facing a choice not terribly dissimilar from [these] examples. Your excess fat is a deliberate poison. It's not easy, but two hours a day of exercise with calorie counting and moderate caloric restriction for six months is a small price to pay to remove the poison."

Dr. Huizenga also says that current exercise recommendations of two-and-a-half hours a week are completely inadequate.

"If we get away from dumbeddown exercise recommendations, we could see a whole new paradigm for treating type II diabetes. We found that our participants tended to sit less after going through the program," says Dr. H., who believes

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most people should exercise an average of 60 to 90 minutes per day.

"I have a job and I work out from 90 to 100 minutes per day," he says. "It's about setting priorities. Time is not the issue: priorities are the issue."

Tackling Obesity One Ŏn One

In 2013, Dr. Huizenga opened The Clinic, a combination weightloss facility, spa, and medical center in Malibu, California, that aims to help patients eliminate excess fat and fat-related diseases including diabetes, high blood pressure and other cardiovascular disease. asthma, sleep disorders, mood disorders such as depression and anxiety, and eating disorders.

The two-week program begins with a complete 12-point exam that measures blood work including CBC, chemistry panel, urinalysis, C-reactive protein, thyroid, insulin, and more, a glucose tolerance test, treadmill test, ECG, bone density evaluation, resting metabolic rate, and more.

"I decided to open The Clinic when I discovered [the] obese patients I was treating demonstrated an absolute elimination of diabetes, prediabetes, hypertriglyceridemia, and hypertension in only six weeks with an exercise-centric weight-loss program," says Dr. H.

"All [patients] had completely eliminated all medications at the beginning of their personalized program. The rapidity and completeness of diabetic marker and blood pressure normalization had never been seen before. At the three-year mark, fat loss has been fully maintained in 75% of these individuals. Considering the fact that type II diabetes is the most rapidly expanding epidemic in the history of mankind,



my aggressive approach—though not for everyone-offers a much needed alternative to standard advice 'eat better, move more, and take these drugs,' which for many reasons rarely works and does not offer a long-term solution to a long-term problem or the issues that created them."

Improving Health And Increasing Longevity

The numbers don't lie: According to the latest research from the National Institutes of Health, obesity—a body mass index of 40 or more-shortens life span by 6.5 years, or almost 20% of their remaining life. The data indicates that the deaths are mostly due to heart disease, cancer, and diabetes.

The excess weight impacts chronic disease and reduces longevity in the following ways, says Dr. Huizenga:

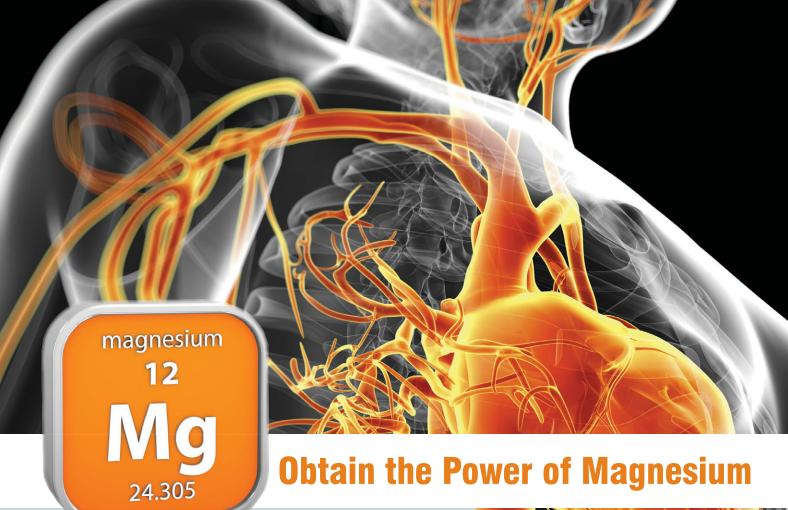
• "Inflammation" effects: Fat infiltrated inside organs is associated with the release of harmful signals that increase the risk of high blood pressure, type II diabetes, and cancer.

- "Mass" effects: Every one pound of abdominal fat increases mechanic stress on hips and knees by three to four pounds.
- "Pressure" effects: The fat in a protuberant belly squeezes organs, resulting in incontinence, reflux, shortness of breath, and sleep apnea.

"When people become physically and physiologically fit, eat food that supports physical and emotional well-being, reduce the amount of visceral fat on their bodies, and address tobacco and drug abuse, 80% of disease can potentially be prevented," says Dr. H. "Likewise, 80% of prescription medication can be eliminated. Sadly, few patients prioritize their time and resources to fully obtain the health benefits available to them."

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If you have any questions on the scientific content of this article. please call a Life Extension® Health Advisor at 1-866-864-3027.



Are You Deficient in The Body's #1 Mineral?

Magnesium is the **most important** mineral in the body, yet most Americans do not obtain sufficient magnesium from their diet.

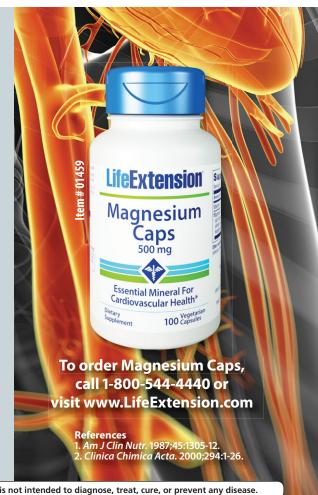
Magnesium is required for more than **300 biochemical reactions** and many of the body's critical functions are dependent upon it. Magnesium helps:^{1,2}

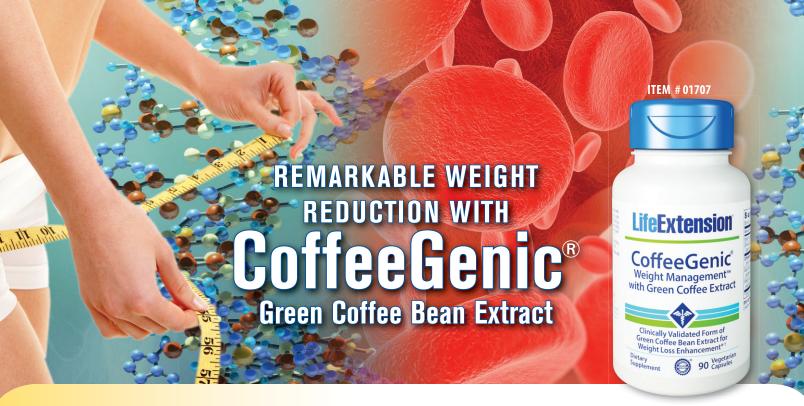
- Maintain normal muscle and nerve function.
- Keep **heart rhythm** steady.
- Support a healthy **immune system**.
- Keep bones strong.
- Maintain **blood sugar levels** already within normal range.
- Promote normal **blood pressure**. Magnesium is also...
- Involved in energy metabolism and protein synthesis.

The recommended intake of magnesium to maintain vascular health is **500 mg** or more a day. With **Life Extension Magnesium Caps**, you can easily obtain **500 mg** of elemental magnesium for less than **7 cents a day**!

A bottle of 100 vegetarian capsules of **500 mg Magnesium Caps** retails for **\$12.** If a member buys four bottles, the price is reduced to **\$7.50** per bottle.

Caution: If taken in high doses, magnesium may have a laxative effect. If this occurs, divide dosing, reduce intake, or discontinue use.





In a placebo-controlled human study, subjects took **350 mg** of **green coffee extract** three times daily (before meals).

Study subjects were <u>not</u> asked to change their calorie intake or exercise level, but people participating in weight-loss trials often do make lifestyle changes in order to increase their odds of shedding body fat.

The impressive findings, published in January 2012, noted that men and women lost an average of 17.6 pounds—over 10% of body weight—after 12 weeks of green coffee extract supplementation! There was also an average 4.44% reduction in body fat percentage!

The conclusion is that **green coffee extract** supports the ability to lose weight. The form of **green coffee bean extract** used in this successful weight loss study is **CoffeeGenic® Green Coffee Extract**.

How CoffeeGenic® Works

The active ingredient in green coffee bean extract is chlorogenic acid.

Published studies on **chlorogenic acid** demonstrate a wide range of supportive properties related to insulin sensitivity, ² and to glucose formation, ^{3,4} and absorption.⁵

Clinical research has shown that *chlorogenic acid* helps limit after-meal glucose surges, supporting healthy blood sugar levels for those already within the normal range.⁶

CoffeeGenic® Green Coffee Extract provides a standardized dose of *chlorogenic acid* extracted from green coffee beans.

Based on the latest research, **CoffeeGenic® Weight Management™ with Green Coffee Extract** has been formulated to provide in each capsule:

CoffeeGenic® Green Coffee Extract (bean) [Standardized to 50% <i>chlorogenic acids</i> (175 mg)]	350	mg
Integra-Lean® African Mango	100	mg
(Irvingia gabonensis) proprietary extract (seed)		
Chromium [as Crominex® 3+ chromium stabilized with Capros® Amla extract (fruit) and PrimaVie® Shilajit]	150	mcg
lodine (as potassium iodide)	100	mcg
Green Tea decaffeinated extract (leaf)	50	mg
[std. to 98% polyphenols by UV (49 mg), 45% EGCG by HPLC (22.5 mg)]	

The suggested dose is just <u>one</u> capsule before each meal. A bottle of **90 vegetarian capsules** of **Coffee-Genic® Weight Management™ with Green Coffee Extract** retails for \$40. If a member buys four bottles, the price is reduced to **\$27 per bottle**.

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01828	ADVANCED LIPID CONTROL - 60 veg. caps	30.00	22.50		\vdash
01020	Buy 4 bottles, price each	27.00	20.25		
01521	ADVANCED ORAL HYGIENE - 60 mint lozenges	20.00	15.00		\vdash
01321			13.50		
00004	Buy 4 bottles, price each	18.00			\vdash
00681	AHCC - 500 mg, 30 caps	59.98	44.99		H
00457	ALPHA-LIPOIC ACID W/BIOTIN (SUPER) - 250 mg, 60 caps	37.00	27.75		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	32.00	24.00		<u> </u>
01440	ANTI-ALCOHOL ANTIOXIDANTS w/HEPATOPRO - 100 caps	26.00	19.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	23.00	17.25		
01509	ANTI-ADIPOCYTE FORMULA w/MERATRIM® & Integra Lean® (Advanced) – 60 veg. caps	39.00	29.25		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	36.00	27.00		
01625	APPLEWISE POLYPHENOL EXTRACT - 600 mg, 30 veg. caps	21.00	15.75		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	19.00	14.25		
01039	ARGININE/ORNITHINE - 500/250, 100 caps	17.99	13.49		Г
00038	ARGININE/ORNITHINE POWDER - 150 grams	22.95	17.21		Г
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	19.00	14.25		
01624	(L)-ARGININE CAPS - 700 mg, 200 veg. caps	26.50	19.88		Н
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	23.25	17.44		
01617	ARTHROMAX® w/THEAFLAVINS & APRESFLEX® - 120 veg. caps	44.00	33.00		\vdash
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	40.00	30.00		
01618	ARTHROMAX® ADVANCED w/UC-II® & APRESFLEX® - 60 caps	36.00	27.00		\vdash
01010					
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	32.00	24.00		H
01404	ARTHRO-IMMUNE JOINT SUPPORT - 60 veg. caps	32.00	24.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	28.00	21.00		
00919	ARTICHOKE LEAF EXTRACT - 500 mg, 180 veg. caps	30.00	22.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	28.00	21.00		
01533 00888	ASCORBYL PALMITATE - 500 mg, 100 veg. caps	22.50	16.88		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	20.00	15.00		
	ASHWAGANDHA EXTRACT (OPTIMIZED) - 60 veg. caps	10.00	7.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	9.00	6.75		
01805	ASIAN ENERGY BOOST - 90 veg. caps	24.00	18.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	22.00	16.50		
01066	ASPIRIN - 81 mg, 300 enteric coated tablets	6.00	4.50		Г
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	5.33	4.00		
01720	ASTAXANTHIN WITH PHOSPHOLIPIDS - 4 mg, 30 softgels	16.00	12.00		Г
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	14.00	10.50		
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00920	BENFOTIAMINE W/ THIAMINE - 100 mg, 120 veg. caps	\$19.95	\$14.96		
00020	Buy 4 bottles, price each	18.60	13.95		
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00925	BENFOTIAMINE (MEGA) - 250 mg, 120 veg. caps	30.00	22.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	27.00	20.25		\vdash
01206	BERRY COMPLETE - 30 veg. caps	21.00	15.75		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	18.67	14.00		

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01496	BERRY COMPLETE w/ACAI (ENHANCED) - 60 veg. caps	\$29.00	\$21.75		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	26.00	19.50		
00664	BETA-CAROTENE - 25,000 IU, 100 softgels	11.25	8.44		
	BIFIDO GI BALANCE - 60 veg. caps	20.00	15.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	18.00	13.50		
01073	BILBERRY EXTRACT - 100 mg, 100 veg. caps	42.00	31.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	38.00	28.50		
01512	BIOACTIVE MILK PEPTIDES - 30 caps	18.00	13.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	16.00	12.00		
)1631	BIO-COLLAGEN w/PATENTED UC-II® - 40 mg, 60 small caps	36.00	27.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	32.00	24.00		
1006	BIOSIL™ - 5 mg, 30 veg. caps	18.95	15.16		Г
1007	BIOSIL™ - 1 fl oz	31.99	25.59		Г
0102	BIOTIN - 600 mcg, 100 caps	7.50	5.63		Г
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	6.50	4.88		
	BLACK CUMIN SEED OIL - 60 softgels	16.00	12.00		Н
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	14.00	10.50		
01710	BLACK CUMIN SEED OIL w/BIO-CURCUMIN® - 60 softgels	32.00	24.00		\vdash
-	Buy 4 bottles, price each	30.00	22.50		
01008	BLAST™ - 600 grams of powder	26.95	20.21		⊢
70000	BLOOD PRESSURE MONITOR - ARM CUFF (medium)	99.95	49.99		\vdash
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0004	BLOOD PRESSURE MONITOR - WRIST (cuff)	69.95	52.46		H
01214	BLUEBERRY EXTRACT - 60 veg. caps	22.50	16.88		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	20.00	15.00		_
01438	BLUEBERRY EXTRACT w/ POMEGRANATE - 60 veg. caps	30.00	22.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	27.00	20.25		_
01506	BONE FORMULA (DR. STRUM'S INTENSIVE) - 300 caps	56.00	42.00		
01726	Buy 4 bottles, price each	50.00	37.50		_
	BONE RESTORE - 120 caps	22.00	16.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	19.00	14.25		
)1727	BONE RESTORE W/VITAMIN K2 - 120 caps	24.00	18.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	22.00	16.50		
01725	BONE STRENGTH FORMULA w/KOACT® - 120 caps	45.00	33.75		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	40.00	30.00		
00313	BONE-UP® - 240 caps	28.95	21.71		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	27.21	20.41		
01379	BOOSTER - 60 softgels	48.00	36.00		Г
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	44.00	33.00		
01680	BOOSTER W/ADVANCED K2 COMPLEX (SUPER) - 60 softgels	42.00	31.50		Г
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	38.00	28.50		
01661	BORON - 3 mg, 100 veg. caps	5.95	4.46		Н
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	5.25	3.94		
00202	BOSWELLA - 100 caps	38.00	28.50		\vdash
00202	Buy 4 bottles, price each	30.00	22.50		
01000	BRAIN SHIELD® - 60 veg. caps	33.00	24.75		\vdash
01802					
11050	Buy 4 bottles, price each	30.00	22.50		\vdash
01253	BRANCHED CHAIN AMINO ACIDS - 90 veg. caps	19.50	14.63		
04000	Buy 4 bottles, price each	17.00	12.75		\vdash
01699	BREAST HEALTH FORMULA - 60 caps	34.00	25.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	30.00	22.50		<u> </u>
	BRITE EYES III - 2 vials, 5 ml each	34.00	25.50		
	Buy 4 boxes, price each	32.00	24.00		

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01203	BROMELAIN (SPECIALLY-COATED) - 500 mg, 60 enteric coated tablets	\$21.00	\$15.75		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	19.00	14.25		
00884	BUTTERBUR EXT. w/STANDARDIZED ROSMARINIC ACID - 60 softgels	44.00	33.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	39.60	29.70		
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01653	CALCIUM CITRATE w/VITAMIN D - 300 caps	\$24.00	\$18.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	21.25	15.94		
01651	CALCIUM D-GLUCARATE - 200 mg, 60 veg. caps	18.00	13.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	15.00	11.25		
01693	CALORIE CONTROL WEIGHT MANAGEMENT FORMULA w/COFFEEGENIC® GREEN COFFEE EXTRACT Blueberry flavor - 420 grams powder	60.00	45.00		
	Buy 4 jars, price each	54.00	40.50		
	Buy 8 jars, price each	50.00	37.50		
**01823	CALREDUCE SELECTIVE FAT BINDER - 120 mint chewable tablets	45.00	33.75		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	38.00	28.50		
01700	CARDIO PEAK™ W/STANDARDIZED HAWTHORN & ARJUNA - 120 veg. caps	36.00	27.00		
01700	Buy 4 bottles, price each	32.00	24.00		
00916	CARNITINE w/GLYCOCARN® (OPTIMIZED) - 60 veg. caps	36.00	27.00		
00310	Buy 4 bottles, price each	32.00	24.00		
01532		15.00	11.25		
01332	L-CARNITINE - 500 mg, 30 veg. caps		-		
04.050	Buy 4 bottles, price each	13.20	9.90		
01258	CARNOSOOTHE w/PICROPROTECT™ - 60 veg. caps	29.95	22.46		
04007	Buy 4 bottles, price each	27.00	20.25		_
01687	CARNOSINE (SUPER) - 500 mg, 90 veg. caps	66.00	49.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	60.00	45.00	_	_
01003	CAT MIX - 100 grams powder	15.00	11.25		
	Buy 4 jars, price each	12.00	9.00		_
01891	CHILDREN'S FORMULA LIFE EXTENSION MIX™ - 100 chewable tablets	20.00	15.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	18.00	13.50		_
00550	CHLORELLA - 500 mg, 200 tablets	23.50	17.63	_	
01571	CHLOROPHYLLIN - 100 mg, 100 veg. caps	24.00	18.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	20.00	15.00		
01359	CHO-LESS™ - 90 capsules	35.00	26.25		
01477	CHROMIUM ULTRA - 100 veg. caps	24.00	18.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	21.00	15.75		
01504	CHROMIUM W/CROMINEX® 3+ (OPTIMIZED) - 500 mcg , 60 veg . caps	9.00	6.75		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	8.00	6.00		
01503	CINSULIN® W/INSEA²® AND CROMINEX® 3+- 90 veg. caps	38.00	28.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	34.00	25.50		
01818	CITRIMAX® (SUPER)- 180 veg. caps	40.00	30.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	38.00	28.50		
00818	CLA BLEND W/SESAME LIGNANS (SUPER) - 3,000 mg, 120 softgels	36.00	27.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	33.00	24.75		
	Buy 10 bottles, price each	26.33	19.75		
00819	CLA BLEND w/GUARANA & SESAME (SUPER)-3,000 mg, 120 softgels	42.00	31.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	38.33	28.75		
01707	COFFEEGENIC® WEIGHT MANAGEMENT™ w/GREEN COFFEE EXTRACT - 90 veg. caps	40.00	30.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	36.00	27.00		
01896	COGNITEX® w/BRAIN SHIELD® - 90 softgels	60.00	45.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	52.00	39.00		
	Buy 8 bottles, price each	48.00	36.00		

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	Retail Each	Member Each	Qty	Total
01897 COGNITEX® w/PREGNENOLONE & BRAIN SHIELD® - 90 softgels	\$62.00	\$46.50		
Buy 4 bottles, price each	53.00	39.75		
Buy 8 bottles, price each	50.00	37.50		
01421 COGNITEX® BASICS - 60 softgels	38.00	28.50		
Buy 4 bottles, price each	35.00	26.25		
Buy 12 bottles, price each	32.00	24.00		
01659 COGNIZIN® CDP CHOLINE CAPS - 250 mg, 60 veg. caps	36.00	27.00		
Buy 4 bottles, price each	34.00	25.50		
01735 COMPLETE B-COMPLEX - 60 veg. caps	10.00	7.50		
Buy 4 bottles, price each	9.00	6.75		
01798 COMPREHENSIVE NUTRIENT PACKS ADVANCED - 30 packs	90.00	67.50		
Buy 4 boxes, price each	82.00	61.50		
00119 COPPER CAPSULES - 2 mg, 100 caps	9.91	7.43		
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	25.00			
Buy 4 bottles, price each	22.00	16.50		
Buy 10 bottles, price each	20.00	15.00		
00950 COQ10 w/ d-LIMONENE (SUPER-ABSORBABLE) - 100 mg, 100 softgels	66.00	49.50		
Buy 4 bottles, price each	60.00	45.00		
Buy 10 bottles, price each	56.00	42.00		
01226 COQ10 (SUPER-UBIQUINOL) - 100 mg, 60 softgels	56.00	42.00		
Buy 4 bottles, price each	52.00	39.00		
Buy 10 bottles, price each	48.00	36.00		
01733 COQ10 w/BIOPQQ® (SUPER UBIQUINOL) - 100 mg, 30 softgels	54.00	40.50		
Buy 4 bottles, price each	50.00	37.50		
Buy 10 bottles, price each	46.00	34.50		
01426 COQ10 W/ENH MITOCHONDRIAL SUPPORT™ (SUPER UBIQUINOL)-100 mg, 60 softge	els 62.00	46.50		
Buy 4 bottles, price each	56.00	42.00		
Buy 10 bottles, price each	52.00	39.00		
01425 COQ10 w/ENH MITOCHONDRIAL SUPPORT™ (SUPER UBIQUINOL)-50 mg, 100 softge	els 58.00	43.50		
Buy 4 bottles, price each	53.00	39.75		
Buy 10 bottles, price each	50.00	37.50		
01427 COQ10 w/ENH MITOCHONDRIAL SUPPORT™ (SUPER UBIQUINOL) -50 mg, 30 softgel:	s 20.00	15.00		
Buy 4 bottles, price each	18.00	13.50		
01431 COQ10 w/ENH MITOCHONDRIAL SUPPORT™ (SUPER UBIQUINOL)-200 mg, 30 softge	els 62.00	46.50		
Buy 4 bottles, price each	56.00	42.00		
Buy 10 bottles, price each	52.00	39.00		
01053 CORIOLUS SUPER STRENGTH - 600 mg, 150 veg. caps	99.95			
80154 COSMESIS LIGHTENING CREAM - 1 oz jar	65.00			
Buy 2 bottles, price each	57.00	42.75		
80152 COSMESIS ADVANCED TRIPLE PEPTIDE SERUM - 1 oz bottle	65.00	48.75		
Buy 2 bottles, price each	57.00	42.75		
80140 COSMESIS ADVANCED UNDER EYE SERUM W/STEM CELLS33 OZ	49.00			
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Buy 2 bottles, price each	42.00	31.50	_	
80139 COSMESIS AMBER SELF MICRODERMABRASION - 2 0Z	49.00	36.75		
Buy 2 jars, price each	42.00	31.50	_	
80118 COSMESIS ANTI-AGING MASK - 2 oz	72.00	54.00		
Buy 2 bottles, price each	63.36	47.52	_	
80151 COSMESIS ANTI-AGING REJUVENATING FACE CREAM - 2 oz jar	65.00	48.75		
Buy 2 jars, price each	57.00	42.75		
80153 COSMESIS ANTI-AGING REJUVENATING SCALP SERUM - 2 oz bottle	46.00	34.50		
Buy 2 bottles, price each	39.00	29.25		
80134 COSMESIS ANTI-GLYCATION SERUM - 1 OZ	33.00	24.75		
W/BLUEBERRY & POMEGRANATE EXTRACTS				
Buy 2 bottles, price each	31.35	23.51		

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80106	COSMESIS REJUVENATING SERUM - 1 OZ	\$74.50	\$55.88		
	Buy 2 bottles, price each	65.56	49.17		
80150	COSMESIS RENEWING EYE CREAM - 1/2 OZ	65.00	48.75		
	Buy 2 jars, price each	57.00	42.75		
80142	COSMESIS RESVERATROL ANTI-OXIDANT SERUM - 1 0Z	46.00	34.50		
	Buy 2 bottles, price each	39.00	29.25		
80112	COSMESIS SKIN LIGHTENING SERUM - 1/2 OZ	85.00	63.75		
	Buy 2 bottles, price each	74.80	56.10		
80130	COSMESIS SKIN STEM CELL SERUM - 1 OZ	74.00	55.50		
	Buy 2 bottles, price each	69.00	51.75		
80143		66.00	49.50		
	Buy 2 jars, price each	58.00	43.50		
80148	COSMESIS TIGHTENING & FIRMING NECK CREAM - 2 oz jar	39.00	29.25		
00110	Buy 2 jars, price each	35.00	26.25		
80116	COSMESIS ULTRA LIP PLUMPER - 1/3 oz	64.00	48.00		
00110	Buy 2 bottles, price each	56.32	42.24		
80101	COSMESIS ULTRA WRINKLE RELAXER - 1 oz	89.95	67.46		
00101	Buy 2 bottles, price each	79.76			
80113	COSMESIS UNDER EYE REFINING SERUM - 1/2 oz	74.50	55.88		
00113	Buy 2 bottles, price each	65.56			
00104	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		55.88	_	_
80104		74.50			
00400	Buy 2 bottles, price each	65.56		_	
80129	COSMESIS VITAMIN C SERUM - 1 0Z	85.00			
00100	Buy 2 bottles, price each	74.80		_	
80136	COSMESIS VITAMIN D LOTION - 4 OZ	36.00			
	Buy 2 bottles, price each	33.66		_	
80145	COSMESIS VITAMIN E-ESSENTIAL CREAM - 1 OZ	28.00			
	Buy 2 jars, price each	26.00	19.50		
80149	COSMESIS YOUTH SERUM - 1 oz	65.00			
	Buy 2 bottles, price each	57.00	42.75		
00862	CRAN-MAX® - 500 mg, 60 veg. caps	17.50	13.13		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	15.00	11.25		
01424	CRAN-MAX® with UTI <i>ROSE</i> ™ (OPTIMIZED) - 60 veg. caps	18.00	13.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	16.00	12.00		
01529	CREATINE CAPSULES - 120 veg. caps	10.95	8.21		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	9.25	6.94		
01746	CREATINE WHEY GLUTAMINE POWDER - 454 grams (vanilla)	30.00	22.50		
	Buy 4 jars, price each	27.00	20.25		
01429	CR MIMETIC LONGEVITY FORMULA - 60 veg. caps	39.00	29.25		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	36.00	27.00		
33840	CRWAY GREAT GLUCOSE CONTROL CD	98.00	82.00		
**CRWAY	CR WAY OPTIMAL HEALTH PROGRAM SOFTWARE	195.00	195.00		
00407	CURCUMIN® (SUPER BIO) - 400 mg, 60 veg. caps	38.00	28.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	35.00	26.25		
01808	CURCUMIN® w/GINGER & TURMERONES (ADVANCED BIO)-30 softgels	30.00	22.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	27.00	20.25		
01804	CYTOKINE SUPPRESS™ w/EGCG - 30 veg. caps	30.00	22.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	27.00	20.25		
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00658	7-KETO® DHEA METABOLITE - 25 mg, 100 caps	\$28.00	\$21.00		
30000	Buy 4 bottles, price each	24.00	18.00		
01479		40.00			
014/9	7-KETO® DHEA METABOLITE - 100 mg, 60 veg. caps		30.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	36.00	27.00		
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COSMESIS PIGMENT CORRECTING CREAM - 1/2 oz

COSMESIS MELATONIN CREAM - 1 OZ

Buy 2 jars, price each

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Buy 2 bottles, price each

Buy 2 jars, price each

Buy 2 bottles, price each

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01640	DHA (VEGETARIAN SOURCED) - 30 veg. softgels	\$20.00	\$15.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	18.00	13.50		
00607	DHEA - 25 mg, 100 tablets (dissolve in mouth)	14.00	10.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	11.75	8.81		
01478	DHEA COMPLETE - 60 veg. caps	48.00	36.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	43.20	32.40		
00335	DHEA - 25 mg, 100 caps	18.00	13.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	15.00	11.25		
00454	DHEA - 15 mg, 100 caps	14.00	10.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	12.00	9.00		
00882	DHEA - 50 mg, 60 caps	19.00	14.25		
00002	Buy 4 bottles, price each	17.00	12.75		
01689	DHEA - 100 mg, 60 veg. caps	24.00	18.00		
01003		22.00	16.50		
01050	Buy 4 bottles, price each				
01358	DIGEST RC - 30 tablets	19.95	14.96		
04070	Buy 4 boxes, price each	17.00	12.75		
01272	DIGESTIVE ENZYMES (ENHANCED SUPER) - 100 veg. caps	18.95	14.21		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	16.00	12.00		_
01671	D,L-PHENYLALANINE CAPSULES - 500 mg, 100 veg. caps	18.75	14.06		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	16.00	12.00		
01540	DMAE BITARTRATE - 150 mg, 200 veg. caps	18.00	13.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	15.00	11.25		
00059	DMG - 125 mg, 60 tablets	24.80	18.60		
	Buy 4 boxes, price each	22.69	17.02		
01570	DNA PROTECTION FORMULA - 60 veg. caps	34.00	25.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	32.00	24.00		
00544	DOG MIX - 100 grams powder	19.50	14.63		
	Buy 4 jars, price each	16.00	12.00		
00321	DR. PROCTOR'S ADVANCED HAIR FORMULA - 2 OZ	39.95	29.96		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	32.00	24.00		
00320	DR. PROCTOR'S HAIR FORMULA SHAMPOO - 8 OZ	24.95	18.71		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	22.00	16.50		
00899	DUAL-ACTION MICRODERMABRASION ADV. EXFOLIATE - 2.4 oz	39.95	29.96		
	Buy 4 jars, price each	38.95	29.21		
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01528	ECHINACEA EXTRACT - 250 mg, 60 veg. caps	\$14.35	\$10.76		Г
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	12.50	9.38		
01498	ENDOTHELIAL DEFENSE™ w/FULL-SPECTRUM POMEGRANATE™ - 60 softgels	56.00	42.00		
01430	Buy 4 bottles, price each	52.00	39.00		
00997	ENDOTHELIAL DEFENSE™ w/GLISODIN® - 60 veg. caps	54.00	40.50		
00331					
00005	Buy 4 bottles, price each	48.00	36.00		
00625	EPA/DHA (MEGA) - 120 softgels	19.95	14.96		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	18.00	13.50		
01737	ESOPHAGEAL GUARDIAN (Berry flavor) - 60 chewable tablets	36.00	27.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	32.00	24.00		
01042	EUROPEAN LEG SOLUTION DIOSMIN 95 - 600 mg, 30 veg. tabs	20.00	15.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	18.00	13.50		
01706	EXTRAORDINARY ENZYMES - 60 caps	26.00	19.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	24.00	18.00		
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01514	EYE PRESSURE SUPPORT w/MIRTOGENOL® - 30 veg. caps	38.00	28.50		
01514	EYE PRESSURE SUPPORT w/MIRTOGENOL® - 30 veg. caps Buy 4 bottles, price each	38.00 34.00	28.50 25.50		

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1054	FACE MASTER® PLATINUM	\$199.00	\$199.00		
)965	FAST-ACTING JOINT FORMULA - 30 caps	39.00	29.25		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	36.00	27.00		
717	FAST-C® w/DIHYDROQUERCETIN - 120 veg. tabs	26.00	19.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	24.00	18.00		
053	FEM DOPHILUS® - 30 caps	25.95	19.46		
055	FEM DOPHILUS® - 60 caps	39.95	29.96		
	FEMMENESSENCE MACAPAUSE® - 120 veg. caps	34.99	26.24		
	FERNBLOCK® w/RED ORANGE COMPLEX (ENHANCED) - 30 veg. caps	42.00	31.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	38.00	28.50		
670	FIBER FOOD CAPS - 200 veg. caps	16.00	12.00		
1010	Buy 4 bottles, price each	14.00	10.50		
		13.00	9.75		
718	Buy 10 bottles, price each		36.75		
	FIBRINOGEN RESIST™ - 30 veg. caps	49.00			
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	44.00	33.00		
	FLAX SEED (ORGANIC GOLDEN GROUND) - 14 oz.	11.67	8.75		
	FLORASSIST® HEART HEALTH PROBIOTIC - 60 caps	32.00	24.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	28.00	21.00		
825	FLORASSIST® PROBIOTIC - 30 liquid caps	32.00	24.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	28.00	21.00		
439	FOLATE (OPTIMIZED) (L-METHYLFOLATE) 1,000 mcg - 100 veg. caps	28.00	21.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	25.00	18.75		
1641	FOLIC ACID + B12 CAPSULES - 200 veg. caps	10.50	7.88		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	9.50	7.13		
544	FORSKOLIN - 10 mg, 60 veg.caps	16.00	12.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	14.00	10.50		
513	FUCOIDAN w/MARITECH® 926 (OPTIMIZED) - 60 veg. caps	36.00	27.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	33.00	24.75		
)993	FUCOXANTHIN-SLIM™ - 90 softgels	44.00	33.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	39.00	29.25		
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)559	GAMMA E TOCOPHEROL/TOCOTRIENOLS - 60 softgels	\$42.00	\$31.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	37.00	27.75		
759	GAMMA E TOCOPHEROL W/SESAME LIGNANS - 60 softgels	32.00	24.00		
71 00	Buy 4 bottles, price each	29.00	21.75		
394	(OPTIMIZED) GARLIC - 200 veg. caps	24.95	18.71		
1334	Buy 4 bottles, price each	21.00			
201	,,		15.75		
301	GH PITUITARY SUPPORT DAY FORMULA - 120 tabs	48.00	36.00		
.000	Buy 4 bottles, price each	44.00	33.00		
302	GH PITUITARY SUPPORT NIGHT FORMULA - 120 veg. caps	25.00	18.75		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	22.50	16.88		
)1228	GINGER FORCE® - 60 softgels	31.95	23.96		
658	GINKGO BILOBA CERTIFIED EXTRACT™ - 120 mg, 365 veg. caps	46.00	34.50		
	Buy 2 bottles, price each	43.50	32.63		
648	GINKGO EXTRACT 28/7 (SUPER) - 120 mg, 100 veg. caps	29.00	21.75		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	26.50	19.88		
)756	GLA WITH SESAME LIGNANS (MEGA) - 60 softgels	19.50	14.63		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	18.00	13.50		
)345	(L) GLUTAMINE CAPSULES - 500 mg, 100 caps	14.95	11.21		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	13.50	10.13		
)141	(L)-GLUTAMINE POWDER - 100 grams	22.00	16.50		
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	Buy 4 bottles, price each	20.00	15.00		

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	G CONTINUED				
00522	GLUCOSAMINE/CHONDROITIN CAPSULES - 100 caps	\$38.00	\$28.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	32.00	24.00		
01541	GLUTATHIONE, CYSTEINE & C - 100 veg. caps	20.00	15.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	18.00	13.50		
00314	L-GLUTATHIONE (MEGA) - 250 mg, 60 caps	39.64	29.73		
01731	GLYCEMICPRO™ TRANSGLUCOSIDASE - 60 veg. caps	48.00	36.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	42.00	31.50		
01669	GLYCINE - 1,000 mg, 100 veg. caps	12.00	9.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	10.80	8.10		
01091	GRAPE EXTRACT w/RESVERATROL (WHOLE) - 60 veg. caps	36.00	27.00		
01001	Buy 4 bottles, price each	34.00	25.50		
01411	GRAPE SEED EXTRACT w/RESVERATROL & PTEROSTILBENE - 100 mg, 60 veg. caps	36.00	27.00		
01411		34.00	25.50		
04004	Buy 4 bottles, price each				
01604	GREEN COFFEE EXTRACT COFFEEGENIC® - 200 mg, 90 veg. caps	22.00	16.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	20.00	15.00		
01620	GREEN COFFEE EXTRACT COFFEEGENIC® - 400 mg, 90 veg. caps	32.00	24.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	28.00	21.00		
00953	GREEN TEA EXTRACT (MEGA) - lightly caffeinated - 100 veg. caps	30.00	22.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	24.00	18.00		
00954	GREEN TEA EXTRACT (MEGA) - decaffeinated - 100 veg. caps	30.00	22.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	24.00	18.00		
01545	GUTSY CHEWY DIGESTIVE (CITRUS FLAVOR) - 8 tablets	11.50	8.63		
01546	GUTSY CHEWY DIGESTIVE (WILD BERRY FLAVOR) - 8 tablets	11.50	8.63		
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01074	5 HTP - 100 mg, 60 caps	\$27.95	\$20.96		
01738	HCA (GARCINIA) - 90 veg. caps	17.00	12.75		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	15.00	11.25		
01393	HEPATOPRO - 900 mg, 60 softgels	50.00	37.50		
01000		46.00	34.50		
01.405	Buy 4 bottles, price each				
01435	HOMOCYSTEINE RESIST - 100 veg caps	24.00	18.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	21.60	16.20		
01527	3, 11 13 141	40.00	30.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	36.00	27.00		
00661	HYDRODERM® - 1 oz	79.95	59.96		
	Buy 2 bottles, price each	65.33	49.00		
01060	i26® HYPERIMMUNE EGG - 140 grams powder	\$54.99	\$46.75		
01704	IMMUNE MODULATOR W/TINOFEND® - 60 veg. caps	17.00	12.75		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	15.00	11.25		
00955	IMMUNE PROTECT W/PARACTIN® - 30 veg. caps	29.50	22.13		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	26.55	19.91		
01049	INNERPOWER™ - 530 grams powder	42.00	31.50		
01674	INOSITOL CAPSULES - 1,000 mg, 360 veg. caps	62.00	46.50		
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01202	Buy 4 bottles, price each	58.00	43.50		
01292	INTEGRA-LEAN® AFRICAN MANGO IRVINGIA - 150 mg, 60 veg. caps	28.00	21.00		
0.10	Buy 4 bottles, price each	24.00	18.00		
01677	IRON PROTEIN PLUS - 300 mg, 100 caps	28.00	21.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	26.00	19.50		
01492	IRVINGIA W/PHASE 3™ - 120 veg. caps Calorie Control Complex (optimized African Mango)	56.00	42.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	48.00	36.00		

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	J, K				
00056	JARRO-DOPHILUS EPS™ - 60 veg. caps	\$22.95	\$17.21		
01759	JARRO-DOPHILUS EPS™ - 30 caps	39.95	29.96		
01724	K w/ADVANCED K2 COMPLEX (SUPER) - 90 softgels	30.00	22.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	27.00	20.25		
01600	KRILL HEALTHY JOINT FORMULA - 30 softgels	32.00	24.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	29.00	21.75		
01050	KRILL OIL PHOSPHOMEGA™ - 60 softgels	33.95	25.46		
00316	KYOLIC® GARLIC FORMULA 102 - 200 veg. caps	26.45	19.84		
00214	KYOLIC® GARLIC FORMULA 105 - 200 caps	27.45	20.59		
00789	KYOLIC® RESERVE - 600 mg, 120 caps	27.95	20.96		
	L				
01681	LACTOFERRIN (APOLACTOFERRIN) CAPS - 60 caps	\$52.00	\$39.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	48.00	36.00		
00020	LECITHIN - 16 oz. granules	15.00	11.25		
	Buy 4 jars, price each	12.50	9.38		
01855	LIFE EXTENSION MIX™ - 315 tablets	98.00	73.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	86.00	64.50		
	Buy 10 bottles, price each	69.50	52.13		
01857	LIFE EXTENSION MIXTM W/EXTRA NIACIN - 315 tablets	98.00	73.50		
01001	Buy 4 bottles, price each	86.00	64.50		
	· //	69.50	52.13		
01854	Buy 10 bottles, price each	+			
01004	LIFE EXTENSION MIX™ - 490 caps	110.00	82.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	98.00	73.50		
01050	Buy 10 bottles, price each	85.00	63.75		
01856	LIFE EXTENSION MIX™ POWDER - 14.81 oz	98.00	73.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	86.00	64.50		
	Buy 10 bottles, price each	72.00	54.00		
01865	LIFE EXTENSION MIX™ - 315 tablets w/o copper	98.00	73.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	86.00	64.50		
	Buy 10 bottles, price each	69.50	52.13		
01867	LIFE EXTENSION MIX™ W/EXTRA NIACIN 315 tablets w/o copper	98.00	73.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	86.00	64.50		
	Buy 10 bottles, price each	69.50	52.13		
01864	LIFE EXTENSION MIX™ - 490 caps w/o copper	110.00	82.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	98.00	73.50		
	Buy 10 bottles, price each	85.00	63.75		
01866	LIFE EXTENSION MIX™ POWDER - 14.81 oz w/o copper	98.00	73.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	86.00	64.50		
	Buy 10 bottles, price each	72.00	54.00		
01608	LIVER EFFICIENCY FORMULA - 30 veg. caps	18.00	13.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	16.00	12.00		
01639	5-LOX INHIBITOR W/APRESFLEX® - 100 mg, 60 veg. caps	22.00	16.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	20.00	15.00		
01678	L-LYSINE - 620 mg, 100 veg. caps	9.00	6.75		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	8.00	6.00		
00455	LYCOPENE EXTRACT (MEGA) - 15 mg, 90 softgels	35.00	26.25		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	30.00	22.50		
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01885	MACUGUARD™ OCULAR SUPPORT - 60 softgels	\$22.00	\$16.50		
550	Buy 4 bottles, price each	19.80	14.85		
01886	MACUGUARD™ OCULAR SUPPORT w/ASTAXANTHIN - 60 softgels	42.00	31.50		
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	Buy 4 bottles, price each	38.00	28.50		

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01459	MAGNESIUM CAPS - 500 mg, 100 veg. caps	\$12.00	\$9.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	10.00	7.50		
01682	MAGNESIUM CITRATE - 160 mg, 100 veg. caps	9.00	6.75		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	7.50	5.63		
01668	MELATONIN - 300 mcg, 100 veg. caps	5.75	4.31		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	5.00	3.75		
01083	MELATONIN - 500 mcg, 200 veg. caps	18.00	13.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	16.00	12.00		
00329	MELATONIN - 1 mg, 60 caps	5.00	3.75		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	4.63	3.47		
00330	MELATONIN - 3 mg, 60 caps	8.00	6.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	6.88	5.16		
01786	MELATONIN TIME RELEASE - 3 mg, 60 veg. tabs	12.00	9.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	11.00	8.25		
00331	MELATONIN - 10 mg, 60 caps	28.00	21.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	24.00	18.00		
00332	MELATONIN - 3 mg, 60 veg. lozenges	8.00	6.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	6.88	5.16		
01734	MELATONIN (Fast Acting Liquid) - 3 mg (Natural Citrus-Van)	12.00	9.00		Т
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	11.00	8.25		
01787	MELATONIN TIME RELEASE - 300 mcg, 100 veg. tabs	12.00	9.00		Т
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	11.00	8.25		
01788	MELATONIN TIME RELEASE - 750 mcg, 60 veg. tablets	8.00	6.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	7.00	5.25		
01536	METHYLCOBALAMIN - 1 mg, 60 veg. lozenges (vanilla)	9.95	7.46		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	8.00	6.00		
01537	METHYLCOBALAMIN - 5 mg, 60 veg. lozenges (vanilla)	32.00	24.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	25.00	18.75		
	Buy 10 bottles, price each	23.00	17.25		
00709	MIGRA-EEZE™ (BUTTERBUR) - 60 softgels	29.50	22.13		Т
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	26.33	19.75		
01800	MIGRA-MAG w/BRAIN SHIELD® - 90 veg. caps	22.00	16.50		Т
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	20.00	15.00		
01522	MILK THISTLE (EUROPEAN) - 60 veg. caps	34.00	25.50		Т
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	30.00	22.50		
01822	MILK THISTLE (EUROPEAN) - 60 softgels	28.00	21.00		Н
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	25.00	18.75		
01817	MILK THISTLE (EUROPEAN) - 120 softgels	44.00	33.00		Т
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	40.00	30.00		
01698	MIRAFORTE w/STANDARDIZED LIGNANS (SUPER) - 120 caps	62.00	46.50		Н
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	56.00	42.00		
01769	MITOCHONDRIAL BASICS w/BIOPQQ® - 30 caps	52.00	39.00		
01100	Buy 4 bottles, price each	46.00	34.50		
01768	MITOCHONDRIAL ENERGY OPTIMIZER w/BIOPQQ® - 120 caps	94.00	70.50		Н
01100	Buy 4 bottles, price each	84.00	63.00		
00065	MK-7 - 90 mcg, 60 softgels	28.00	21.00		\vdash
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	25.00	18.75		
01279	MOUTHWASH W/POMEGRANATE - 16 oz	18.50	13.88		\vdash
J 1 L 1 J	Buy 4 bottles, price each	17.00	12.75		
	MSM (METHYLSULFONYLMETHANE) - 1,000 mg, 100 caps	14.00	10.50	_	\vdash
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00451	Buy 4 bottles, price each	11.95	8.96		

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01534	N-ACETYL-L-CYSTEINE - 600 mg, 60 veg. caps	\$14.00	\$10.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	13.50	10.13		
00066	NATTOKINASE - 60 softgels	25.50	19.13		
01807	NATURAL APPETITE SUPPRESS (ADVANCED) - 60 veg. caps	38.00	28.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	34.00	25.50		
00984	NATURAL BP MANAGEMENT - 60 tablets	44.00	33.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	40.00	30.00		
01892	NATURAL ESTROGEN - 60 veg. tabs	38.00	28.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	34.00	25.50		
01221	NATURAL FEMALE SUPPORT - 30 veg. caps	28.00	21.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	24.00	18.00		
)1471	NATURAL GLUCOSE ABSORPTION CONTROL - 60 veg. caps	39.00	29.25		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	36.00	27.00		
1626	NATURAL SEX FOR WOMEN ® 50+ (ADVANCED) - 90 veg. caps	59.00	44.25		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	45.33	34.00		
01444	NATURAL SLEEP® - 60 veg. caps	13.00	9.75		\vdash
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	10.00	7.50		
01551	NATURAL SLEEP® w/ MELATONIN (ENHANCED) - 30 caps	22.00	16.50		
31001	Buy 4 bottles, price each	20.00	15.00		
)1511	NATURAL SLEEP® w/o MELATONIN (ENHANCED) - 30 caps	20.00	15.00		\vdash
51011	Buy 4 bottles, price each	18.00	13.50		
)1445	NATURAL SLEEP® MELATONIN - 5 mg, 60 veg. caps	18.00	13.50		-
71443		16.00	12.00		
00987	Buy 4 bottles, price each	28.00	21.00	_	-
10901	NATURAL STRESS RELIEF - 30 veg. caps				
04000	Buy 4 bottles, price each	24.00	18.00	_	-
01603	NEURO-MAG™ MAGNESIUM L-THREONATE - 90 veg. caps	40.00	30.00		-
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	36.00	27.00	_	_
01602	NEURO-MAG™ L-THREONATE W/CALCIUM & VITAMIN D	40.00	30.00		
	225 grams – Lemon flavor	26.00	27.00		
0070	Buy 4 bottles, price each	36.00	27.00		_
00373	NO-FLUSH NIACIN - 800 mg, 100 caps	19.00	14.25		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	17.00	12.75		
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01824	OLIVE LEAF VASCULAR SUPPORT w/CELERY SEED EXTRAT(ADVANCED)				
	500 mg, 60 veg. caps • Buy 4 bottles, price each	32.00	24.00		
)1819	OMEGA WITH KRILL & ASTAXANTHIN (SUPER) - 120 softgels	45.00	33.75		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	42.00	31.50		
	Buy 10 bottles, price each	38.00	28.50		
)1483	OMEGA 3 EPA/DHA w/SESAME LIGNANS & OLIVE FRUIT EXTRACT (SUPER) - 60 softgels	18.00	13.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	16.00	12.00		
	Buy 10 bottles, price each	14.00	10.50		
)1482	OMEGA 3 EPA/DHA w/SESAME LIGNANS &	32.00	24.00		
	OLIVE FRUIT EXTRACT (SUPER) - 120 softgels	28.00	21.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each				
14.0.4	Buy 10 bottles, price each	24.90	18.68	_	-
)1484	OMEGA 3 EPA/DHA W/SESAME LIGNANS & -120 enteric coated softgels OLIVE FRUIT EXTRACT (SUPER)	34.00	25.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	31.00	23.25		
	Buy 10 bottles, price each	28.00	21.00		
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01485	OMEGA 3 EPA/DHA W/SESAME LIGNANS & OLIVE FRUIT EXTRACT (SUPER) - 60 enteric coated softgels	\$20.00	\$15.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	18.00	13.50		
	Buy 10 bottles, price each	16.00	12.00		
01619	OMEGA 3 EPA/DHA W/SESAME LIGNANS & - 240 softgels	32.00	24.00		
	OLIVE FRUIT EXTRACT (SUPER) (SMALL SOFTGEL)				
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	28.00	21.00		
	Buy 10 bottles, price each	24.90	18.68		
01801	ONE-PER-DAY - 60 tablets	22.00	16.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	20.00	15.00		
01328	ONLY TRACE MINERALS - 90 veg. caps	15.00	11.25		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	12.50	9.38		
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01789	PALMETTOGUARD™ SAW PALMETTO w/BETA SITOSTEROL -30 softgels	\$15.00	\$11.25		
	Buy 12 bottles, price each	12.00	9.00		
00073	PANCREATIN - 500 mg, 50 caps	13.22	9.92		
01323	PEAK ATP® WITH GLYCOCARN® - 60 veg. caps	54.00	40.50	Н	
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	50.00	37.50		
00342	PECTA SOL-C® MODIFIED CITRUS PECTIN - 454 grams powder	109.95	82.46		
01080	PECTA SOL-C® MODIFIED CITRUS PECTIN - 270 veg. caps	79.95	59.96		
01811	PEONY IMMUNE - 60 veg. caps	36.00	27.00		
01011	Buy 4 bottles, price each	32.00	24.00		
00673	PGX™ PLUS MULBERRY (WELLBETX®) -180 veg. caps	34.95	26.21		
00865	PHARMA GABA® - 60 chewable tablets	29.95	22.46		
00000	Buy 4 bottles, price each	27.00	20.25		
01676	PHOSPHATIDYLSERINE CAPS - 100 mg, 100 veg. caps	54.00	40.50		
01070		48.00	36.00		
01390	Buy 4 bottles, price each PHOSPHOMEGA® - 60 softgels	39.95	26.96		
01436	•	20.00			
01430	POLICOSANOL - 10 mg, 60 veg. caps		15.00		
04.400	Buy 4 bottles, price each	15.00	11.25		
01423	POMEGRANATE™ (FULL-SPECTRUM) - 30 softgels	24.00	18.00		
00050	Buy 4 bottles, price each	21.00	15.75		
00956	POMEGRANATE EXTRACT - 30 veg. caps	19.50	14.63		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	17.55	13.16		
01797	POMI-T® - 60 veg. caps	33.33	25.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	30.00	22.50		
00577	POTASSIUM IODIDE - 1 box, 14 tablets	6.95	5.21		
	Buy 4 boxes, price each	5.25	3.94		
01500	PQQ CAPS W/BIOPQQ® - 10 mg, 30 veg. caps	24.00	18.00		
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01647	PQQ CAPS W/BIOPQQ® - 20 mg, 30 veg. caps	40.00	30.00		
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00302	PREGNENOLONE - 50 mg, 100 caps	26.00	19.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	22.00	16.50		
00700	PREGNENOLONE - 100 mg, 100 caps	30.00	22.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	27.00	20.25		
***01373	PRELOX® NATURAL SEX FOR MEN® - 60 tablets	52.00	39.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	48.00	36.00		
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01576	PREVAGEN® - 10 mg, 30 caps	60.00	45.00		
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01441	PROGESTACARE FOR WOMEN - 4 oz cream	\$35.00	\$26.25		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	32.00	24.00		
01898	PROSTATE FORMULA (ULTRA NAT) 60 softgels	38.00	28.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	35.00	26.25		
	Buy 12 bottles, price each	32.00	24.00		
)1742	PROTEIN-ISOLATE (WHEY) VANILLA - 1 lb. powder	30.00	22.50		
	Buy 4 jars, price each	27.00	20.25		Г
01743	PROTEIN-ISOLATE (WHEY) CHOCOLATE - 1 lb. powder	30.00	22.50		
	Buy 4 jars, price each	27.00	20.25		
01770	PROTEIN CONCENTRATE (New Zealand Whey) Vanilla - 520 gr	30.00	22.50		Н
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	26.60	19.95		
)1771	PROTEIN CONCENTRATE (New Zealand Whey) Chocolate - 660 gr	30.00	22.50		H
,,,,,	Buy 4 bottles, price each	26.60	19.95		
1812		27.00	20.25		H
11012	PROVINAL® PURIFIED OMEGA-7 - 30 softgels		18.00		
4.500	Buy 4 bottles, price each	24.00		_	H
)1508	PTEROPURE® - 50 mg Pterostilbene 60 veg. caps	32.00	24.00		
4505	Buy 4 bottles, price each	30.00	22.50	_	\vdash
11587	PURE PLANT PROTEIN - Veg. Vanilla 540 grams powder	38.00	28.50		L
	Buy 4 jars, price each	35.00	26.25		L
11637	PYCNOGENOL® FRENCH MARITIME PINE BARK EXTRACT-100 mg, 60 veg. caps	64.00	48.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	60.00	45.00		L
11217	PYRIDOXAL 5'-PHOSPHATE - 100 mg, 60 veg. caps	22.00	16.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	19.80	14.85		
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1309	QUERCETIN (OPTIMIZED) - 250 mg, 60 veg. caps	\$22.00	\$16.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	20.00	15.00		
1030	RED YEAST RICE (Bluebonnet)- 600 mg, 60 veg. caps	16.95	13.56		Г
0605	REGIMINT - 60 enteric-coated caps	19.95	14.96		Г
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	18.67	14.00		
)1708	REISHI EXTRACT MUSHROOM COMPLEX - 60 veg. caps	30.00	22.50		Г
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)1448	REJUVENEX® BODY LOTION - 6 OZ	24.00	18.00		Г
	Buy 4 tubes, price each	19.80	14.85		
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1621	REJUVENEX® FACTOR FIRMING SERUM - 1.7 oz	65.00	48.75		H
71021	Buy 2 bottles, price each	50.66	38.00		
	Buy 6 bottles, price each	38.52	28.89		
1220	REJUVENEX® (ULTRA) - 2 OZ	52.00	39.00		H
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	Buy 4 jars, price each	44.00	33.00		L
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00676	REJUVENIGHT® (ULTRA) - 2 OZ	39.95	29.96		
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)1410	RESVERATROL W/PTEROSTILBENE - 100 mg, 60 veg. caps	36.00	27.00		
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0889	RHODIOLA EXTRACT - 250 mg, 60 veg. caps	11.75	8.81		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	10.58	7.94		Ĺ
0972	(D) RIBOSE POWDER - 150 grams	27.50	20.63		T
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01609	RICH REWARDS® BREAKFAST GROUND COFFEE - 12 oz. bag	13.00	9.75		
01730	RICH REWARDS® BREAKFAST BLEND GROUND COFFEE - 12 oz. bag	15.00	11.25		
	Natural Mocha				
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	Natural Vanilla				
01612	RICH REWARDS® BREAKFAST BLEND WHOLE BEAN COFFEE-12 oz. bag	13.00	9.75		
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01100	Buy 6 bottles, price each	12.25	9.19		
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01010	Buy 6 bottles, price each	12.25	9.19		
01820	RICH REWARDS™ PROTEIN COFFEE CREAMER - Vanilla - 270 grams	26.00	19.50		
01020	Buy 4 jars, price each	23.00	17.25		
01208	R-LIPOIC ACID (SUPER) - 240 mg, 60 veg. caps	49.00	36.75		
01200	Buy 4 bottles, price each	45.00	33.75		
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00070		16.16	12.12		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	10.10	12.12		
01432		\$36.00	\$27.00		
01432	SAFFRON w/SATIEREAL® (OPTIMIZED) - 60 veg. caps	-			
00050	Buy 4 bottles, price each	32.00	24.00		
00358	SAME (S-ADENOSYL-METHIONINE) - 200 mg, 20 enteric coated tablets	16.00	12.00		
00450	Buy 8 boxes, price each	14.00	10.50		_
00453	SAME (S-ADENOSYL-METHIONINE) - 200 mg, 50 enteric coated tablets	36.00	27.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	32.00	24.00		
00557	SAME (S-ADENOSYL-METHIONINE) - 400 mg, 20 enteric coated tablets	28.00	21.00		
	Buy 6 boxes, price each	24.00	18.00		_
01055	SAME (S-ADENOSYL-METHIONINE) - 400 mg, 50 enteric coated tablets	66.00	49.50		
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01740	SEA-IODINE™ - 1,000 mcg, 60 veg. caps	8.00	6.00		
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00318	SERRAFLAZYME - 100 tablets	18.00	13.50		
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	SHARK LIVER OIL (NORWEGIAN) - 1,000 mg, 30 softgels	18.00	13.50		
00284	Buy 4 bottles, price each	16.00	12.00		
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01097	SOY EXTRACT (ULTRA) - 150 veg. caps	87.00	65.25		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	78.00	58.50		
00432	STEVIA™ EXTRACT (BETTER) - 100 packets, 1 gram each	9.95	7.46		
00438	STEVIA™ ORGANIC LIQUID EXTRACT (BETTER) - 2 oz liquid	11.00	8.25		
)1476	STRONTIUM - 750 mg, 90 veg. caps	20.00	15.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	18.00	13.50		
01649	SUPER ABSORBABLE SOY ISOFLAVONES - 60 veg. caps	28.00	21.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	25.00	18.75		
01790	SUPER SAW PALMETTO/NETTLE ROOT W/BETA-SITOSTEROL-60 softgels	28.00	21.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	26.00	19.50		
	Buy 12 bottles, price each	24.00	18.00		
)1778	SUPER SELENIUM COMPLEX - 200 mcg, 100 veg. caps	14.00	10.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	12.00	9.00		
	Buy 12 bottles, price each	11.00	8.25		
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)1723	TART CHERRY EXTRACT w/STANDARDIZED CHERRYPURE® - 60 veg. caps	\$22.00	\$16.50		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	20.00	15.00		
00199	TAURINE - 1,000 mg, 50 caps	8.95	6.71		
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00133	TAURINE POWDER - 300 grams	20.00	15.00		
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1304	THEAFLAVIN STANDARDIZED EXTRACT - 30 veg. caps	18.00	13.50		
01001	Buy 4 bottles, price each	16.00	12.00		
)1683	(L) THEANINE - 100 mg, 60 veg. caps	24.00	18.00		
71000	Buy 4 bottles, price each	20.50	15.38		
†n1n38	THERALAC PROBIOTICS - 30 caps	47.95	35.96		
01030	THYROID FORMULA™ (METABOLIC ADVANTAGE) - 100 caps	21.95	16.46		
00349	TMG POWDER - 50 grams	14.00	10.50		
10043	Buy 4 bottles, price each	11.00	8.25		
01859	TMG - 1,000 mg, 60 veg. liquid caps	13.00	9.75		
11009		12.00			
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)1278	TOOTHPASTE - 4 oz (Mint)	9.50	7.13		
1 100	Buy 4 tubes, price each	8.67	6.50		
)1468	TRIPLE ACTION CRUCIFEROUS VEGETABLE EXTRACT - 60 veg. caps	24.00	18.00		
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)1469	TRIPLE ACTION CRUCIFEROUS VEGETABLE EXTRACT	32.00	24.00		
	w/resveratrol -60 veg. caps	00.00	00.00		
4000	Buy 4 bottles, price each	29.60	22.20		
1803	TRI SUGAR SHIELD™ - 60 veg. caps	36.00	27.00		
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)1386	TRUFIBER® - 180 grams	32.95	24.71		
1389	TRUFLORA PROBIOTICS - 32 veg. caps	42.95	32.21		
)1722	L-TRYPTOPHAN - 500 mg, 90 veg. caps	33.00	24.75		
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01721	TRYPTOPHAN PLUS (OPTIMIZED) - 90 veg. caps	\$32.00	\$24.00		
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01816	TWO-PER-DAY - 60 tablets	10.50	7.88		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	9.50	7.13		
01815	TWO-PER-DAY - 120 tablets	20.00	15.00		
	Buy 4 bottles, price each	18.00	13.50		
01814	TWO-PER-DAY - 120 caps	22.00	16.50		
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00326	L-TYROSINE - 500 mg, 100 tablets	12.98	9.74		
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00213	VANADYL SULFATE - 7.5 mg, 100 veg. tablets	\$15.00	\$11.25		
50210	Buy 4 bottles, price each	12.50	9.38		
00408	VENOTONE - 60 caps	18.95	14.21		
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11117	Buy 4 bottles, price each	16.00	12.00		
)1327	VINPOCETINE - 10 mg, 100 tablets	18.00	13.50		
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00372	VITAMIN B3 NIACIN - 500 mg, 100 caps	7.65	5.74		
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01535	VITAMIN B6 - 250 mg, 100 veg. caps	12.50	9.38		
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00361	VITAMIN B12 - 500 mcg, 100 lozenges	8.75	6.56		
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01634	VITAMIN C w/ DIHYDROQUERCETIN - 1,000 mg, 60 veg. tablets	10.00	7.50		
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01753	VITAMIN D3 - 1,000 IU, 90 softgels	7.00	5.25		
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04750	Buy 4 bottles, price each	12.60	9.45		
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00864	VITAMIN D3 Liquid Emulsion - 2,000 IU, 1 oz.	28.00	21.00		
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)1741	VITAMINS D AND K w/SEA-IODINE™ - 60 caps	24.00	18.00		
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01763	VITAMIN E (NATURAL) - 400 IU, 100 softgels	30.00	22.50		
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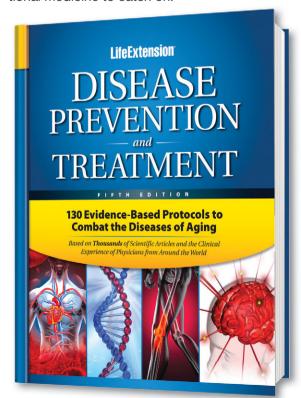
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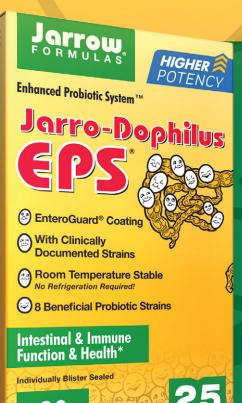






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