

*For your adult patients with hereditary angioedema (HAE)  
facing the possibility of unexpected attacks...*

# Be prepared with FIRAZYR

Not a real patient.

**FIRAZYR® (icatibant injection) can be a key part  
of a complete treatment plan for adults with HAE,  
even for those taking preventive therapy.<sup>1,2</sup>**

**Take on what's ahead.**

## **Indication**

FIRAZYR® (icatibant injection) is indicated for the treatment of acute attacks of hereditary angioedema (HAE) in adults 18 years of age and older.

## **Important Safety Information**

**Warnings and precautions:** Given the potential for airway obstruction during acute laryngeal HAE attacks, patients should be advised to seek medical attention in an appropriate healthcare facility immediately in addition to treatment with FIRAZYR.

**Please see the complete Important Safety Information on page 7 and [click here](#)  
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 **firazyr**<sup>®</sup>  
(icatibant injection)

# WAO/EAACI guidelines for treating HAE recommend that an acute therapy be part of every HAE treatment plan<sup>2</sup>

## Patients are strongly encouraged to<sup>2</sup>:

- Carry acute therapy with them at all times
- Have enough acute treatment for 2 attacks, or at least 2 doses, on hand to be prepared if an attack happens

## Treatment of acute HAE attacks should be administered<sup>2</sup>:

- As early as possible in an attack
- For all attacks, regardless of location, as soon as they are clearly recognized



## Guidelines also support exploring both preventive and acute therapy as part of an HAE treatment plan<sup>2</sup>:

- Patients should be evaluated for long-term preventive treatment at every doctor's visit, or at least once a year

EAACI=European Academy of Allergy and Clinical Immunology; WAO=World Allergy Organization.

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Other common adverse reactions included pyrexia (4%), transaminase increase (4%), and dizziness (3%), as well as rash, nausea, and headache.

# A portable, subcutaneous treatment that can be carried with patients every day<sup>1</sup>

**FIRAZYR® (icatibant injection) is the first prefilled, self-administered, subcutaneous injection to treat acute HAE attacks, that is ready to use as soon as patients recognize symptoms of an attack<sup>1</sup>**

- Requires no reconstitution/mixing, no dose calculation, no special handling, no dose titration, and no refrigeration<sup>1</sup>
  - FIRAZYR may be stored at room temperature. Store between 36°F to 77°F (2°C to 25°C)
- FIRAZYR is administered over at least 30 seconds into the abdominal area<sup>1</sup>
- Patients may self-administer FIRAZYR upon recognition of symptoms of an HAE attack, after training by a healthcare professional<sup>1</sup>



- FIRAZYR is available as a 3-mL, prefilled, single-use syringe (30 mg)<sup>1</sup>
- If response is inadequate or symptoms recur, additional doses may be administered at intervals of 6 hours or longer<sup>1</sup>
  - No more than 3 doses may be used in any 24-hour period
- FIRAZYR is available in a convenient pack containing 3 cartons<sup>1,2</sup>
  - Single cartons are also available

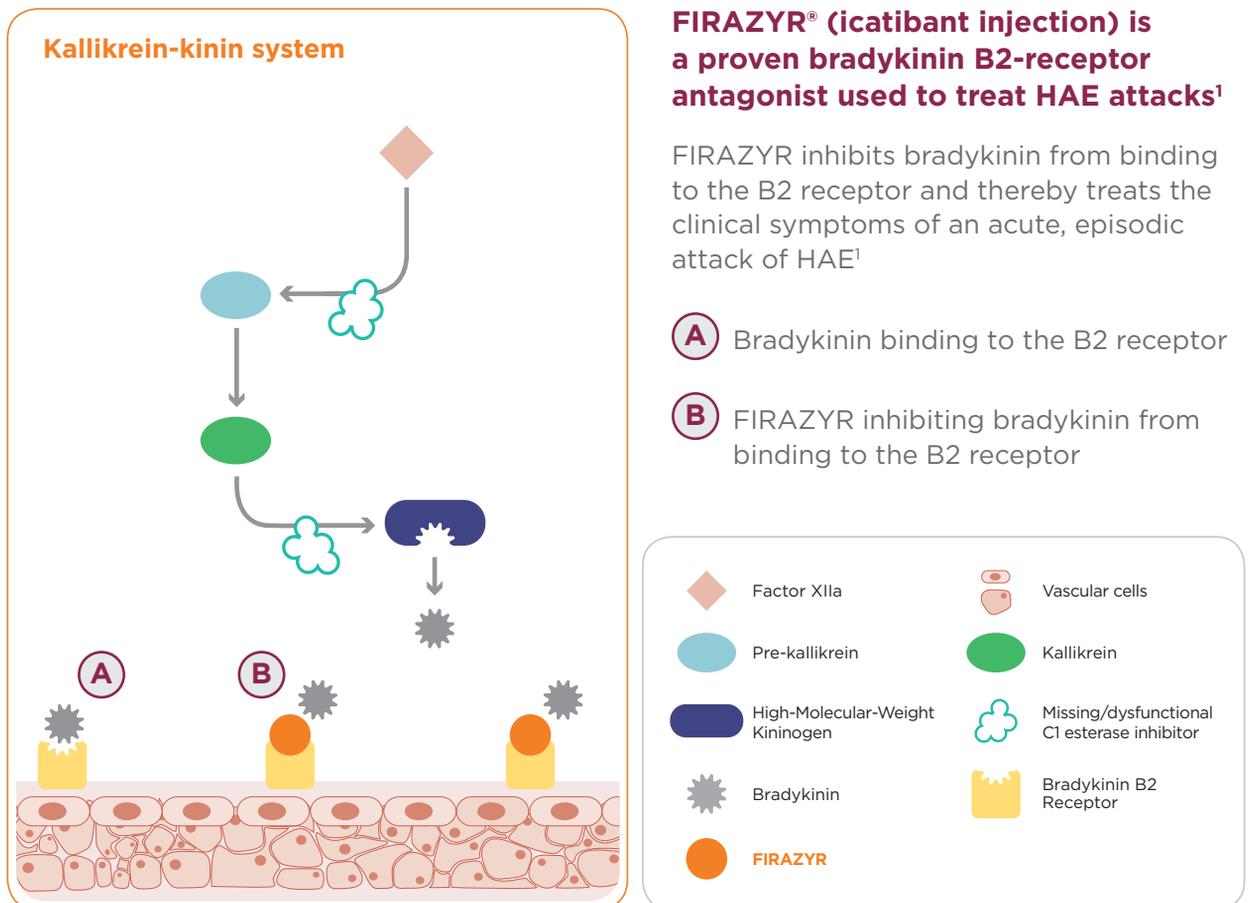
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**Drug interactions:** FIRAZYR is a bradykinin B2 receptor antagonist and thereby has the potential to have a pharmacodynamic interaction with ACE inhibitors where FIRAZYR may attenuate the antihypertensive effect of ACE inhibitors. Clinical trials to date have excluded subjects taking ACE inhibitors.

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# Increased bradykinin levels trigger symptoms of an HAE attack<sup>3</sup>

Most patients with HAE have an underlying deficiency of functional C1 esterase inhibitor that leads to an increase in plasma kallikrein activity, triggering an overproduction of bradykinin. This causes an increase in blood vessel permeability, which allows fluid to pass through the blood vessel walls causing subcutaneous or submucosal swelling.<sup>3-5</sup>



Adapted from Zuraw 2008 and Kaplan 2010.

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**Use in specific populations:** Clinical studies of FIRAZYR included a limited number of subjects aged 65 and over. Elderly patients are likely to have increased systemic exposure. Reported clinical experience has not identified differences in efficacy and safety between elderly and younger patients.

# Proven acute treatment that is ready for your adult patients if an unexpected attack occurs<sup>1</sup>

**FIRAZYR can be used to treat all types of acute HAE attacks: cutaneous, abdominal, and laryngeal<sup>1</sup>**

- Patients experienced significantly faster relief with FIRAZYR vs placebo<sup>1</sup>

Results from the pivotal trial for FIRAZYR (Trial 1) <sup>1,a</sup>		
	FIRAZYR 30 mg (n=43)	Placebo (n=45)
Median time to 50% reduction in symptoms for patients with cutaneous or abdominal attacks	<b>2.0 hours</b> [95% CI 1.5, 3.0] ( <i>P</i> <0.001)	19.8 hours [95% CI 6.1, 26.3]
Median time to almost complete symptom relief	<b>8.0 hours</b>	36.0 hours

- In a second placebo-controlled trial and an active-controlled trial, a total of 26 and 35 patients, respectively, received FIRAZYR 30 mg for the treatment of an acute HAE attack<sup>1</sup>
- Across the 3 controlled trials, median time to 50% reduction from baseline symptoms ranged from 2.0 to 2.3 hours with FIRAZYR (N=223)<sup>1</sup>
- 9 out of 10 attacks were treated with a single dose of FIRAZYR<sup>1</sup>

<sup>a</sup>Trial 1 study design: Trial 1 was a randomized, placebo-controlled, double-blind, parallel-group study of 98 adult patients with a median age of 36 years. Patients who had developed moderate to severe cutaneous or abdominal or mild to moderate laryngeal attacks of HAE were randomized to receive either FIRAZYR 30 mg or placebo by subcutaneous injection. Patients with severe laryngeal attacks of HAE received open-label FIRAZYR 30 mg. The primary endpoint was assessed using a 3-item composite visual analog scale (VAS), comprising averaged assessments of skin swelling, skin pain, and abdominal pain. Response was defined as at least a 50% reduction from the pretreatment composite 3-item VAS score.<sup>1</sup>

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# FIRAZYR offers access to OnePath<sup>®</sup> product support services



**Eligible patients will be connected to personalized product support to help them access FIRAZYR**

**Upon enrollment in OnePath, your patients will have a dedicated Patient Support Manager (PSM) who can assist them by:**



Providing important and helpful information about FIRAZYR<sup>®</sup> (icatibant injection) and other Takeda HAE products that are part of their treatment plan



Helping to facilitate an insurance benefits investigation, and explaining insurance coverage and financial assistance options (if applicable)



Connecting patients and their caregiver(s) with educational resources and the OnePath Mobile App at no cost



Arranging in-home injection training at no cost for FIRAZYR administration

In addition to OnePath PSMs, Patient Access Managers (PAMs) are available, if needed, to address insurance or access challenges for your patients.

For questions about OnePath, call **1-866-888-0660**. OnePath is available Monday through Friday, from 8:30 AM to 8:00 PM ET.

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Safety and effectiveness in patients below 18 years of age have not been established.

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