

GAMMAGARD *LIQUID*

[Immune Globulin Infusion (Human)] 10%

TAKE A STEP WITH GAMMAGARD LIQUID

A therapy to improve neuromuscular disability and impairment in **adult patients with CIDP**.

Talk to your doctor to find out if **GAMMAGARD LIQUID** is right for you.



What is GAMMAGARD LIQUID?

GAMMAGARD LIQUID is a ready-to-use liquid medicine that is given in a vein (intravenously) to treat chronic inflammatory demyelinating polyneuropathy (CIDP) in adults.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

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About CIDP

With CIDP, you may experience a range of symptoms over time.

CIDP is a rare autoimmune disease which targets the nerves, leading to muscle weakness and numbness. IgG is thought to reduce the damage to the nerve and assist in defending the nerve from harm.

Over time, the following symptoms may come and go, but it's also not uncommon for them to get worse:



Arm/leg weakness



Difficulty with balance



Difficulty with fine motor skills



Loss of coordination



Walking aid usage

**CIDP can cause arm and leg impairment.
Examples of activities that can be affected may include:**



Handling small coins



Brushing hair



Turning a key in a lock



Working a zipper or buttons



Washing hair

Treatment for CIDP

Finding a treatment plan for managing your CIDP will require working closely with your healthcare team. EFNS/PNS guidelines strongly recommend IVIG as a treatment option for CIDP.



Gammagard Liquid Clinical Trial Results

In a clinical study with CIDP patients who have relapsed, 94% of people in the clinical study (17 out of 18 patients) experienced improvement in a tool that measures arm and leg disability after 6 months of treatment.



Reduced disability



**Improvement of
limb impairment**

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The most common side effects of GAMMAGARD LIQUID for CIDP include:

- Headache
- Fever
- Anemia
- Illness
- Dizziness
- Migraine
- Drowsiness
- Tremor
- Nasal dryness
- Upper abdominal pain
- Vomiting
- Chills
- Head cold
- Pain in extremity

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Beginning Your Treatment Plan

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Care options

You can receive your GAMMAGARD LIQUID treatments at an **infusion center**, in your **doctor's office** or another **medical setting**, or at **home with an infusion nurse**.



Induction Dosing

Your doctor will decide when you will receive your induction doses over 2 to 5 consecutive days.



Maintenance Dosing

Your doctor will then plan for your maintenance dosing, usually over 1 to 4 consecutive days, every 3 weeks. This may be adjusted based on your treatment response.

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- Reduced urination, sudden weight gain, or swelling in your legs. These could be signs of a kidney problem.
- Pain, swelling, warmth, redness, or a lump in your legs or arms. These could be signs of a blood clot.

Infusion Center Information

An infusion center is an outpatient clinic that is certified to administer infusion therapy. It is often a cozy setting staffed with knowledgeable people who specialize in infusion therapy. These facilities have advanced medical equipment and often provide personalized care to meet your needs.

Some people use their infusion time to nap, read a book, or phone a friend. Consider what you might want to do during your infusion time. Tell your nurse if you need anything that will make you more comfortable. Often, nurses can dim the lights, bring you a blanket, or offer a heat pack for your IV site.

There are many individuals involved in a single infusion treatment, all working together to ensure a safe and comfortable experience. From the prescribing doctor, to the facility staff, the administrators, and the infusion nurses, each role contributes to patient care in an important way.

Additional Support

Here are some questions that can help you start important conversations about your treatment with **your healthcare provider**.

- **How can I expect my symptoms to change over time?**
- **What impact will CIDP have on my daily life?**
- **How does my CIDP management plan fit into my lifestyle?**
- **What will IVIG feel like during the infusion?**
- **What side effects are common?**
- **When should I contact an HCP after my infusion?**
- **What are my next steps for treatment?**

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Takeda Patient Support

When you're prescribed GAMMAGARD LIQUID, Takeda Patient Support is here for you. Our support specialists can address your questions and concerns and help get you the answers, resources, and tools you need. Some of the ways we can assist include:



Working with your specialty pharmacy (or site of care) to help you receive your prescribed Takeda treatment



Connecting you to co-pay or insurance help



Arranging for nursing support if you have questions about your condition and your prescribed Takeda treatment

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Depending on where you are in your treatment journey, Takeda also has another treatment option for CIDP, so it is important to **talk to your doctor about the treatment options that may be right for you.**

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Resources

CIDP Advocacy Groups

There are many helpful websites for those living with CIDP and their caregivers, which you can turn to for more information and support.

The GBS/CIDP Foundation International

The GBS/CIDP Foundation International is a nonprofit organization that supports and advocates for people with CIDP.



American Association of Neuromuscular & Electrodiagnostic Medicine

The American Association of Neuromuscular & Electrodiagnostic Medicine is a nonprofit association dedicated to improving the quality of medical care provided to people with muscle and nerve disorders.

American Neuromuscular Foundation (ANF)

A nonprofit organization dedicated to strengthening the global effort to cure neuromuscular disease. See the work and programs for people with neuromuscular diseases.

Caregiver Action Network (CAN)

Caregiver Action Network is an organization that works to improve the quality of life for the millions of Americans who care for loved ones with chronic conditions, disabilities, disease, or the frailties of old age.

The Foundation for Peripheral Neuropathy

The Foundation for Peripheral Neuropathy is a public charity foundation that aims to improve the lives of people living with neuropathy through education, awareness, and research. This website includes information on finding a support group (in-person and online group options included).

Neuropathy Action Foundation (NAF)

An advocacy organization with a virtual Resource Center with information on CIDP, as well as stories from people living with the disorder.

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You are encouraged to report negative side effects of prescription drugs to FDA. Visit www.fda.gov/medwatch, or call [1-800-FDA-1088](tel:1-800-FDA-1088).



For information on managing CIDP with GAMMAGARD,

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